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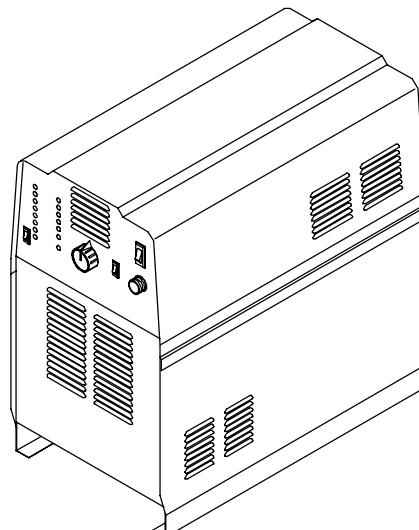
**Description**



Induction Heating Power Source

# RADYNE

# VersaPower™ 25



**OWNER'S MANUAL**



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# SECTION 1 – SAFETY PRECAUTIONS – READ BEFORE USING

## 1-1. Symbol Usage



Means Warning! Watch Out! There are possible hazards with this procedure! The possible hazards are shown in the adjoining symbols.

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- ▲ Marks a special safety message.

☞ Means "Note"; not safety related.



This group of symbols means Warning! Watch Out! possible ELECTRIC SHOCK, MOVING PARTS, and HOT PARTS hazards. Consult symbols and related instructions below for necessary actions to avoid the hazards.

## 1-2. Induction Heating Hazards

- ▲ The symbols shown below are used throughout this manual to call attention to and identify possible hazards. When you see the symbol, watch out, and follow the related instructions to avoid the hazard. The safety information given below is only a summary of the more complete safety information found in the Safety Standards listed in Section 1-4. Read and follow all Safety Standards.
- ▲ Only qualified persons should install, operate, maintain, and repair this unit.
- ▲ During operation, keep everybody, especially children, away.



### ELECTRIC SHOCK can kill.

Touching live electrical parts can cause fatal shocks or severe burns. The power circuit and output bus bars or connections are electrically live whenever the output is on. The input power circuit and machine internal circuits are also live when power is on. Incorrectly installed or improperly grounded equipment is a hazard.

- Do not touch live electrical parts.
- Enclose any connecting bus bars and coolant fittings to prevent unintentional contact.
- Wear dry, hole-free insulating gloves and body protection.
- Insulate yourself from work and ground using dry insulating mats or covers big enough to prevent any physical contact with the work or ground.
- Disconnect input power before installing or servicing this equipment. Lockout/tagout input power according to OSHA 29 CFR 1910.147 (see Safety Standards).
- Use only nonconductive coolant hoses with a minimum length of 18 inches (457 mm) to provide isolation.
- Properly install and ground this equipment according to its Owner's Manual and national, state, and local codes.
- Always verify the supply ground – check and be sure that input power cord ground wire is properly connected to ground terminal in disconnect box or that cord plug is connected to a properly grounded receptacle outlet.
- When making input connections, attach proper grounding conductor first – double-check connections.
- Frequently inspect input power cord for damage or bare wiring – replace cord immediately if damaged – bare wiring can kill.
- Turn off all equipment when not in use.
- Do not use worn, damaged, undersized, or poorly spliced cables.
- Do not drape cables over your body.
- Do not touch power circuit if you are in contact with the work, ground, or another power circuit from a different machine.
- Use only well-maintained equipment. Repair or replace damaged parts at once. Maintain unit according to manual.
- Wear a safety harness if working above floor level.
- Keep all panels and covers securely in place.

### SIGNIFICANT DC VOLTAGE exists after removal of input power on inverters.

- Turn Off inverter, disconnect input power, and discharge input capacitors according to instructions in Maintenance Section before touching any internal parts.



### INDUCTION HEATING can cause burns.

- Hot parts and equipment can injure.
- Do not touch or handle induction head/coil during operation.
- Do not touch hot parts bare-handed.
- Allow cooling period before handling parts or equipment.
- Keep metal jewelry and other metal personal items away from head/coil during operation.



### FIRE OR EXPLOSION hazard.

- Do not overheat parts and adhesive.
- Watch for fire; keep extinguisher nearby.
- Keep flammables away from work area.
- Do not locate unit on, over, or near combustible surfaces.
- Do not install unit near flammables.
- Do not operate unit in explosive atmosphere.



### FUMES AND GASES can be hazardous.

Induction Heating of certain materials, adhesives, and fluxes can produce fumes and gases. Breathing these fumes and gases can be hazardous to your health.

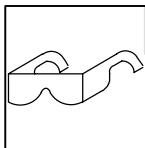
- Keep your head out of the fumes. Do not breathe the fumes.
- If inside, ventilate the area and/or use exhaust to remove fumes and gases.
- If ventilation is poor, use an approved air-supplied respirator.
- Read the Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDSs) and the manufacturer's instruction for adhesives, fluxes, metals, consumables, coatings, cleaners, and degreasers.
- Work in a confined space only if it is well ventilated, or while wearing an air-supplied respirator. Always have a trained watchperson nearby. Fumes and gases from heating can displace air and lower the oxygen level causing injury or death. Be sure the breathing air is safe.
- Do not heat in locations near degreasing, cleaning, or spraying operations. The heat can react with vapors to form highly toxic and irritating gases.
- Do not overheat coated metals, such as galvanized, lead, or cadmium plated steel, unless the coating is removed from the heated area, the area is well ventilated, and if necessary, while wearing an air-supplied respirator. The coatings and any metals containing these elements can give off toxic fumes if overheated. See coating MSDS for temperature information.

### 1-3. Additional Symbols for Installation, Operation, and Maintenance



#### FALLING UNIT can cause injury.

- Use handle and have person of adequate physical strength lift unit.
- Move unit with hand cart or similar device.
- For units without a handle, use equipment of adequate capacity to lift unit.
- When using lift forks to move unit, be sure forks are long enough to extend beyond opposite side of unit.



#### FLYING METAL OR ADHESIVE can injure eyes.

- Wear approved safety glasses with side shields or wear face shield.



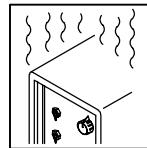
#### MOVING PARTS can cause injury.

- Keep away from moving parts such as fans.
- Keep all doors, panels, covers, and guards closed and securely in place.



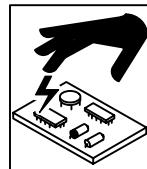
#### MAGNETIC FIELDS can affect pacemakers.

- Pacemaker wearers keep away.
- Wearers should consult their doctor before going near induction heating operations.



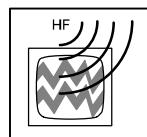
#### OVERUSE can cause OVERHEATING

- Allow cooling period.
- Reduce output or reduce duty cycle before starting to heat again.
- Follow rated duty cycle.



#### STATIC (ESD) can damage PC boards.

- Put on grounded wrist strap BEFORE handling boards or parts.
- Use proper static-proof bags and boxes to store, move, or ship PC boards.



#### H.F. RADIATION can cause interference.

- High-frequency (H.F.) can interfere with radio navigation, safety services, computers, and communications equipment.
- Have only qualified person familiar with electronic equipment perform this installation.
- The user is responsible for having a qualified electrician promptly correct any interference problem resulting from the installation.
- If notified by the FCC about interference, stop using the equipment at once.
- Have the installation regularly checked and maintained.
- Keep high-frequency source doors and panels tightly shut.

### 1-4. Principal Safety Standards

*Safety and Health Standards*, OSHA 29 CFR 1910, from Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402.

*National Electrical Code*, NFPA Standard 70, from National Fire Protection Association, Batterymarch Park, Quincy, MA 02269.

*Canadian Electrical Code Part 1*, CSA Standard C22.1, from Canadian Standards Association, Standards Sales, 178 Rexdale Boulevard, Rexdale, Ontario, Canada M9W 1R3.

*Safe Practices For Occupation And Educational Eye And Face Protection*, ANSI Standard Z87.1, from American National Standards Institute, 1430 Broadway, New York, NY 10018.

### 1-5. EMF Information

Considerations About Induction Heating And The Effects Of Low Frequency Electric And Magnetic Fields

The following is a quotation from the General Conclusions Section of the U.S. Congress, Office of Technology Assessment, *Biological Effects of Power Frequency Electric & Magnetic Fields – Background Paper*, OTA-BP-E-53 (Washington, DC: U.S. Government Printing Office, May 1989): "... there is now a very large volume of scientific findings based on experiments at the cellular level and from studies with animals and people which clearly establish that low frequency magnetic fields can interact with, and produce changes in, biological systems. While most of this work is of very high quality, the results are complex. Current scientific understanding does not yet allow us to interpret the evidence in a single coherent framework. Even more frustrating, it does not yet allow us to draw definite conclusions about questions of possible risk or to of-

fer clear science-based advice on strategies to minimize or avoid potential risks."

To reduce magnetic fields in the workplace, use the following procedures:

1. Arrange output cable to one side and away from the operator.
2. Do not coil or drape output cable around the body.
3. Keep power source and cable as far away from the operator as practical.

#### About Pacemakers:

The above procedures are also recommended for pacemaker wearers. Consult your doctor for complete information.

# SECTION 1 – MESURES DE SECURITE POUR LE CHAUFFAGE PAR INDUCTION

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## AVERTISSEMENT

LE CHAUFFAGE PAR INDUCTION peut être dangereux.

**PRENDRE LES MESURES NECESSAIRES POUR EVITER LES RISQUES DE BLESSURES GRAVES, VOIRE MORTELLES. TENIR LES ENFANTS A DISTANCE. LES PORTEURS D'UN STIMULATEUR CARDIAQUE DOIVENT PREALABLEMENT CONSULTER LEUR MEDECIN.**

Pendant les opérations de chauffage, comme dans la plupart des activités, l'opérateur s'expose à certains dangers. Le chauffage n'est pas dangereux à condition de prendre certaines mesures. Les consignes de sécurité indiquées ci-après ne sont qu'un résumé des informations plus détaillées se trouvant dans les normes de sécurité énumérées à la page suivante. Lire et respecter toutes les normes de sécurité.

**LES OPERATIONS D'INSTALLATION, DE FONCTIONNEMENT, DE MAINTENANCE ET DE REPARATION NE DOIVENT ETRE CONFIEES QU'A DU PERSONNEL QUALIFIE.**



### Danger de mort PAR ELECTROCUTION.

Le contact de composants électriques peut provoquer des accidents mortels ou des brûlures graves. Le circuit de puissance et les connexions de sortie sont sous tension lorsqu'on active la sortie. Le circuit d'alimentation et les circuits internes de la machine sont également sous tension lorsque l'alimentation est sur marche. Des équipements installés ou reliés à la borne de terre de manière incorrecte sont dangereux.

1. Ne pas toucher des composants électriques sous tension.
2. Envelopper les connexions et raccords de refroidissement pour éviter tout contact accidentel.
3. Porter des gants d'isolation secs, sans trous, et une protection corporelle.
4. Isolez-vous de la pièce et du sol avec des tapis ou des couvertures d'isolation suffisamment grands pour prévenir tout contact physique avec la pièce ou la terre.
5. Déconnecter l'alimentation avant d'installer l'appareil ou d'en effectuer l'entretien. Verrouiller ou étiqueter la sortie d'alimentation selon la norme OSHA 29 CFR 1910.147 (se reporter aux Principales normes de sécurité).
6. Utiliser seulement des tuyaux non conducteurs avec une longueur minimale de 460 mm pour assurer l'isolation.

7. Installer et mettre cet équipement correctement à la terre conformément au manuel utilisateur et aux codes nationaux, gouvernementaux et locaux.
8. Vérifier souvent la terre de l'alimentation – contrôler et s'assurer que le conducteur de terre du câble d'alimentation est correctement relié à la borne de terre dans le boîtier de déconnexion ou que le connecteur est branché à une sortie de boîtier correctement mise à la terre.
9. En réalisant des connexions d'entrée brancher d'abord le conducteur de terre approprié – contrôler deux fois les connexions.
10. Vérifier souvent le bon état du câble d'alimentation ou l'isolation des fils – remplacer le câble immédiatement s'il est endommagé – des fils dénudés peuvent provoquer des accidents mortels.
11. Arrêter tous les équipements lorsqu'ils ne sont pas utilisés.
12. Ne pas utiliser des câbles usés, endommagés, sous dimensionnés ou mal épissés.
13. Ne pas porter les câbles autour de votre corps.
14. Ne pas toucher le circuit électrique si vous êtes en contact avec la pièce, la terre ou le circuit électrique d'une autre machine.
15. Utiliser seulement des équipements bien entretenus. Réparer ou remplacer immédiatement des composants endommagés. Effectuer des travaux d'entretien sur l'appareil selon le manuel.
16. Porter un harnais de sécurité pour effectuer des travaux au-dessus du sol.
17. Maintenir solidement en place tous les panneaux et couvercles.



### LE CHAUFFAGE PAR INDUCTION peut provoquer des blessures ou des brûlures au contact de PIECES CHAUDES OU DE L'EQUIPEMENT.

1. Ne pas toucher ou manipuler la tête/l'enroulement à induction pendant le fonctionnement.
2. Tenir les bijoux et autres objets personnels en métal éloignés de la tête/de l'enroulement pendant le fonctionnement.
3. Laisser refroidir les composants ou équipements avant de les manipuler.



### LE CHAUFFAGE PAR INDUCTION peut provoquer un incendie.

1. Ne pas surchauffer les composants ni les adhésifs.
2. Attention aux risques d'incendie: tenir un extincteur à proximité.
3. Stocker des produits inflammables hors de la zone de travail.

### La mise en place de l'appareil sur, au-dessus ou à proximité de surfaces inflammables peut être source d'INCENDIES OU d'EXPLOSION.

1. Ne pas placer l'appareil sur, au-dessus ou à proximité de surfaces inflammables.
2. Ne pas installer l'appareil à proximité de produits inflammables.
3. Ne pas faire fonctionner l'appareil en atmosphère explosive.



## DES FUMEES ET DES GAZ peuvent être dangereux pour votre santé.

Le chauffage à induction génère des fumées et des gaz. Leur inhalation peut être dangereuse pour votre santé.

1. Eloigner la tête des fumées. Ne pas respirer les fumées.
2. A l'intérieur, ventiler la zone et/ou utiliser un extracteur pour l'évacuation des fumées et des gaz.
3. Si la ventilation est insuffisante, utiliser un respirateur à alimentation d'air homologué.
4. Lire les spécifications de sécurité des matériaux (MSDSs) et les instructions du fabricant concernant les adhésifs, les métaux, les consommables, les revêtements, les nettoyants et les dégraissateurs.

5. Travailler dans un espace fermé seulement s'il est bien ventilé ou en portant un respirateur. Demander toujours à un surveillant dûment formé de se tenir à proximité. Des fumées et des gaz provenant du chauffage peuvent déplacer l'air, abaisser le niveau d'oxygène, et provoquer des lésions ou des accidents mortels. S'assurer que l'air ambiant ne présente aucun danger.
6. Ne pas chauffer dans des endroits se trouvant à proximité d'opérations de dégraissage, de nettoyage ou de pulvérisation. La chaleur peut réagir en présence de vapeurs et former des gaz hautement toxiques et irritants.
7. Ne pas chauffer des métaux munis d'un revêtement tels que l'acier galvanisé, plaqué au plomb ou au cadmium, à moins que le revêtement ne soit enlevé de la zone chauffée, que la zone soit bien ventilée et, si nécessaire, en portant un respirateur. Les revêtements et tous les métaux contenant ces éléments peuvent dégager des fumées toxiques s'ils sont chauffés.

## 1-1. Dangers supplémentaires de mise en route, de fonctionnement et d'entretien

	<p><b>LA CHUTE DE MATERIEL</b> peut provoquer des blessures personnelles graves et endommager les équipements.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Utiliser la poignée et demander à une personne ayant la force physique nécessaire pour soulever l'appareil.</li><li>2. Déplacer l'appareil à l'aide d'un chariot ou d'un engin similaire.</li><li>3. Pour les appareils sans poignée utiliser un équipement d'une capacité appropriée pour soulever l'appareil.</li><li>4. En utilisant des fourches de levage pour déplacer l'unité, s'assurer que les fourches sont suffisamment longues pour dépasser du côté opposé de l'appareil.</li></ol>		<p><b>UNE UTILISATION INTENSIVE</b> peut provoquer un SURCHAUFFEMENT DU MATERIEL.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Prévoir une période de refroidissement</li><li>2. Réduire le courant de sortie ou le facteur de marche avant de recommencer le chauffage.</li><li>3. Respecter le facteur de marche nominal.</li></ol>
	<p><b>LA PROJECTION DE PIECES DE METAL ou DE COLLE</b> peut provoquer des blessures aux yeux.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Porter des lunettes de protection avec des protections latérales.</li></ol>		<p><b>L'ELECTRICITE STATIQUE</b> peut endommager les composants des tableaux électriques.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Etablir la connexion avec la barrette de terre avant de manipuler des cartes ou des pièces.</li><li>2. Utiliser des pochettes et des boîtes antistatiques pour stocker, déplacer ou expédier des cartes PC.</li></ol>
	<p><b>DES ORGANES MOBILES</b> peuvent provoquer des blessures.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. S'abstenir de toucher des organes mobiles tels que des ventilateurs.</li><li>2. Maintenir fermés et fixement en place les portes, panneaux, recouvrements et dispositifs de protection.</li></ol>		<p><b>Il subsiste DU COURANT CONTINU IMPORTANT après la mise hors tension de l'alimentation électrique.</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Avant de toucher des organes internes, arrêter la source électrique, débrancher l'alimentation, et décharger les condensateurs d'alimentation conformément aux instructions indiquées dans la partie maintenance.</li></ol>
	<p><b>DES CHAMPS MAGNETIQUES CREEES PAR DES COURANTS ELEVES</b> peuvent affecter le fonctionnement du stimulateur cardiaque.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Porteurs de stimulateur cardiaque, restez à distance.</li><li>2. Les porteurs d'un stimulateur cardiaque doivent d'abord consulter leur médecin avant de s'approcher des opérations de chauffage à induction.</li></ol>		<p><b>LE RAYONNEMENT HAUTE FREQUENCE</b> peut provoquer des interférences avec les équipements de radio-navigation et de communication, les services de sécurité et les ordinateurs.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Demander seulement à des personnes qualifiées familiarisées avec des équipements électroniques de faire fonctionner l'installation.</li><li>● L'utilisateur est tenu de faire corriger rapidement par un électricien qualifié les interférences résultant de l'installation.</li><li>● Si le FCC signale des interférences, arrêter immédiatement l'appareil.</li><li>● Effectuer régulièrement le contrôle et l'entretien de l'installation.</li><li>● Maintenir soigneusement fermés les portes et les panneaux des sources de haute fréquence.</li></ul>

## 1-2. Informations concernant les champs électro-magnétiques (Information EMF)

Considérations relatives au chauffage à induction et aux effets des champs électriques et magnétiques basse fréquence.

Le texte suivant est extrait des conclusions générales Département du Congrès U.S., Office of Technology Assessment, *Effets biologiques des champs magnétiques et électriques basse fréquence – Background Paper*, OTA-BP-E-53 (Washington, DC: U.S. Government Printing Office, May 1989): ". . . on dispose maintenant d'importantes découvertes scientifiques reposant sur des expériences effectuées dans le domaine cellulaire et des études réalisées sur des animaux et des personnes qui démontrent clairement que des champs magnétiques basse fréquence peuvent avoir une interaction et produire des changements dans les systèmes biologiques. Alors que la plus grande partie de cet ouvrage est d'une très grande qualité, les résultats sont complexes. La compréhension scientifique courante ne nous permet pas encore d'interpréter la preuve fournie dans un seul ouvrage cohérent. Il est encore plus frustrant de ne pas pouvoir tirer des conclusions définitives en ce qui concerne les problèmes de risque possible ou de

proposer des recommandations scientifiques claires pour des stratégies à suivre en vue de minimiser ou de prévenir des risques potentiels."

Pour réduire les champs magnétiques sur le poste de travail, appliquer les procédures suivantes :

4. Disposer le câble de sortie d'un côté à distance de l'opérateur
5. Ne pas enrouler ou draper le câble électrique autour du corps.
6. Placer la source de courant et le câble le plus loin possible de l'opérateur.

### En ce qui concerne les stimulateurs cardiaques

Les procédures ci-dessus concernent également les porteurs de stimulateur cardiaque. Consulter votre médecin pour un complément d'information.

## PRINCIPALES NORMES DE SÉCURITÉ

*Normes de sécurité et de santé*, OSHA 29 CFR 1910, from Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402.

*Code électrique national*, NFPA Standard 70, from National Fire Protection Association, Batterymarch Park, Quincy, MA 02269.

*Code électrique du Canada, partie 1*, CSA Standard C22.1, from Canadian Standards Association, Standards Sales, 178 Rexdale Boulevard, Rexdale, Ontario, Canada M9W 1R3.

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## SECTION 2 – INSTALLATION

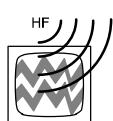
### 2-1. Specifications

Output Frequency	Rated Output	Required Reflective Inductance	Amperes Input at Rated Load Output 50 or 60 Hz, Three-Phase				Overall Dimensions	Weight
			400 V	KVA	KW			
10 To 50 kHz	20 kW At 100% Duty Cycle – Max 750 A (RMS), 700 V (RMS)	2.5 To 50 $\mu$ H	35 0.25*	23.9	21.7	Length: 31 in (787 mm) Width: 16 in (406 mm) Height: 27 in (686 mm)	160 lb (73 kg)	

\*While idling



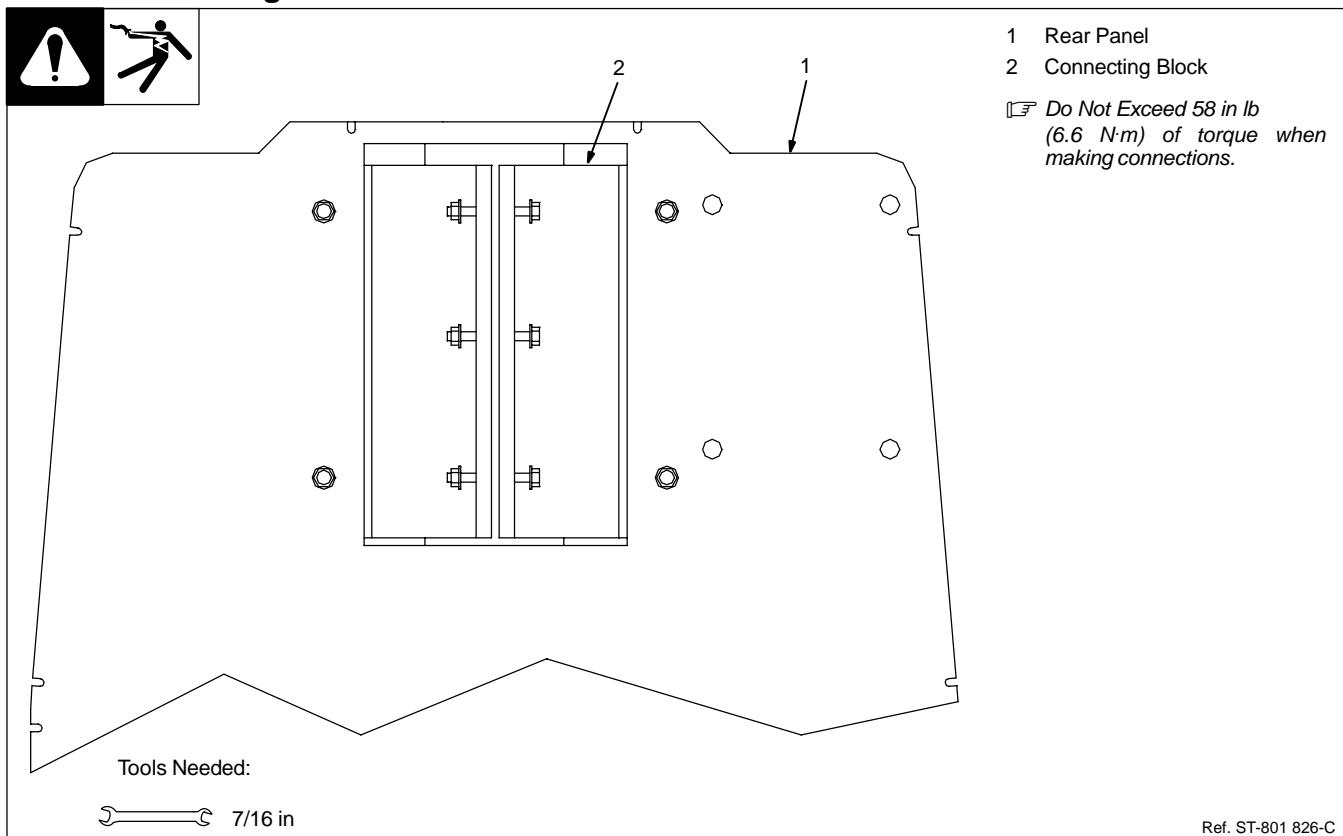
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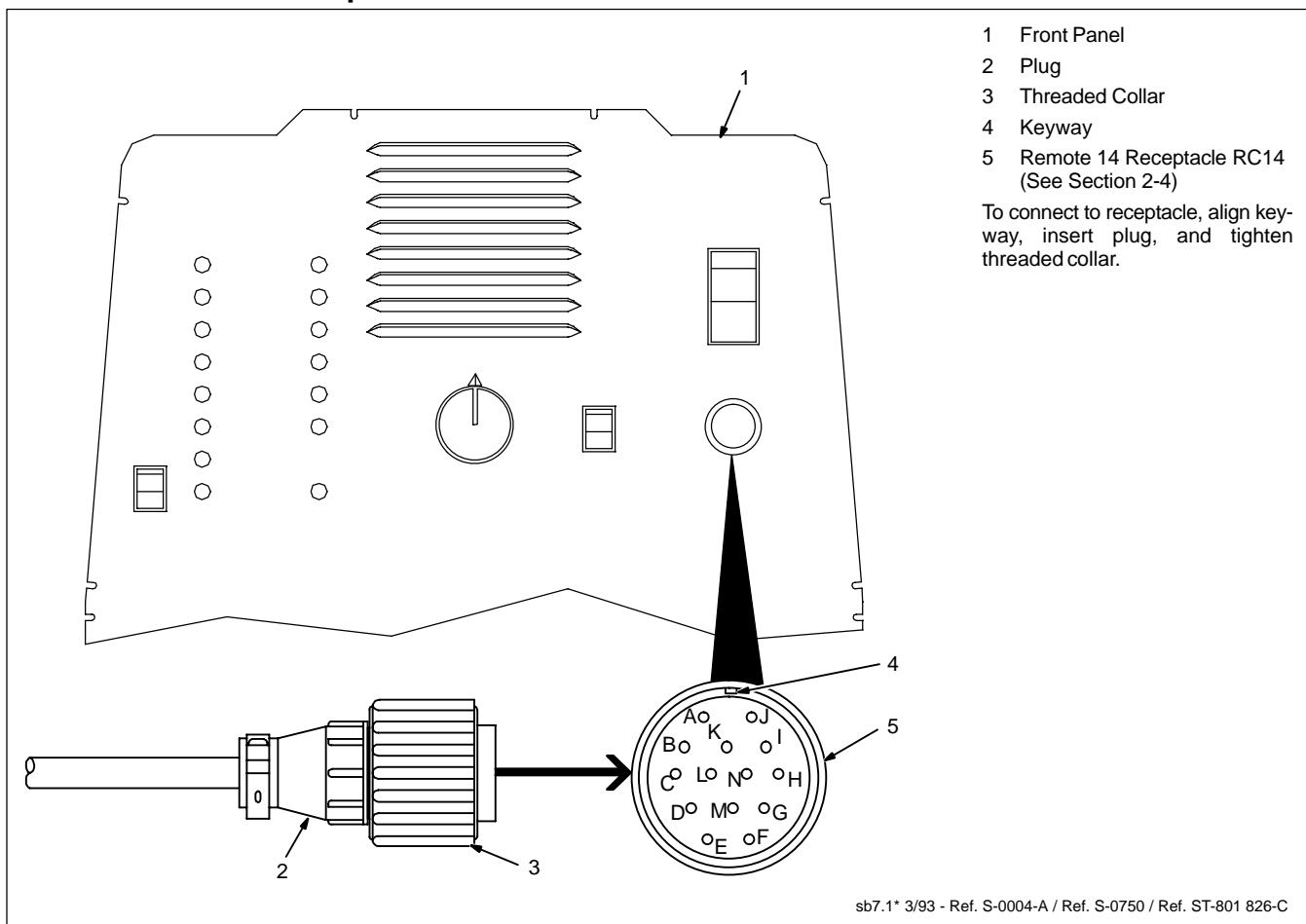
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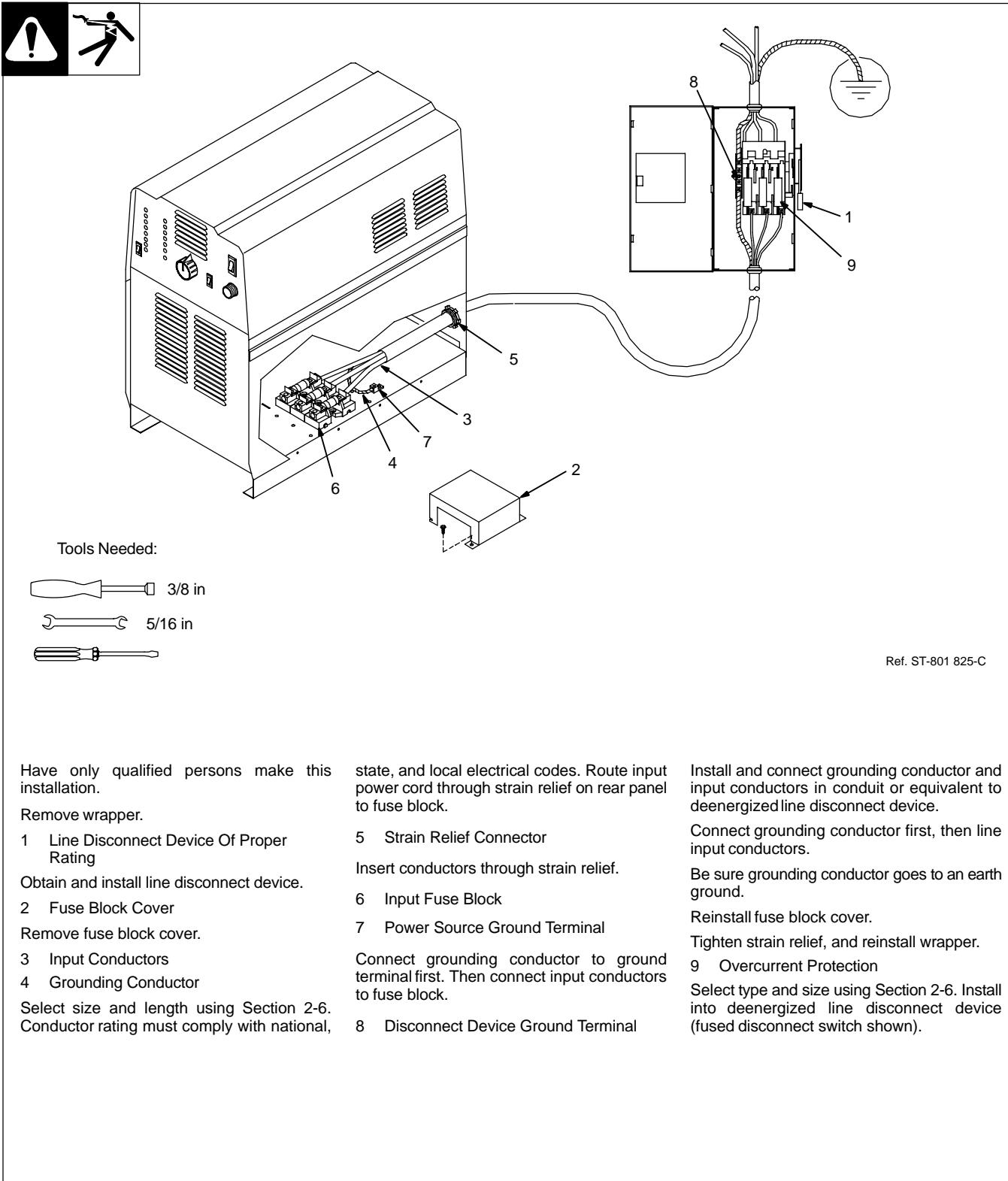
## 2-3. Remote 14 Receptacle RC14 Information and Connections



## 2-4. Remote 14 Socket Information

REMOTE 14	Socket	Socket Information
Remote Contactor	A B	+24 volts dc. Contact closure to A completes 24 volts dc contactor control circuit.
Remote Output Control	C D E G	Command reference; +10 volts dc. Control circuit common. Input command signal (potentiometer wiper or 0 to +10 volts dc). Not used.
Power Source Limit	F, J	Absence of internal contact closure between F and J signals power source failure to remote control device.
Remote Metering	H I L M N K	Coil loss compensation value. Actual frequency output signal (1 volt/10 kHz). Average power output signal (1 volt/5 kW). Voltage output signal RMS (1 volt/100 volts). Current output signal RMS (1 volt/100 amperes). Chassis common.

## 2-5. Connecting Input Power



## 2-6. Electrical Service Guide

<b>Input Voltage</b>	400
<b>Input Amperes At Rated Output</b>	35
<b>Max Recommended Standard Fuse Rating In Amperes <sup>1</sup></b>	
<b>Time-Delay <sup>2</sup></b>	40
<b>Normal Operating <sup>3</sup></b>	50
<b>Min Input Conductor Size In AWG/Kcmil</b>	8
<b>Max Recommended Input Conductor Length In Feet (Meters)</b>	273 (83)
<b>Min Grounding Conductor Size In AWG/Kcmil</b>	10

Reference: 1999 National Electrical Code (NEC)

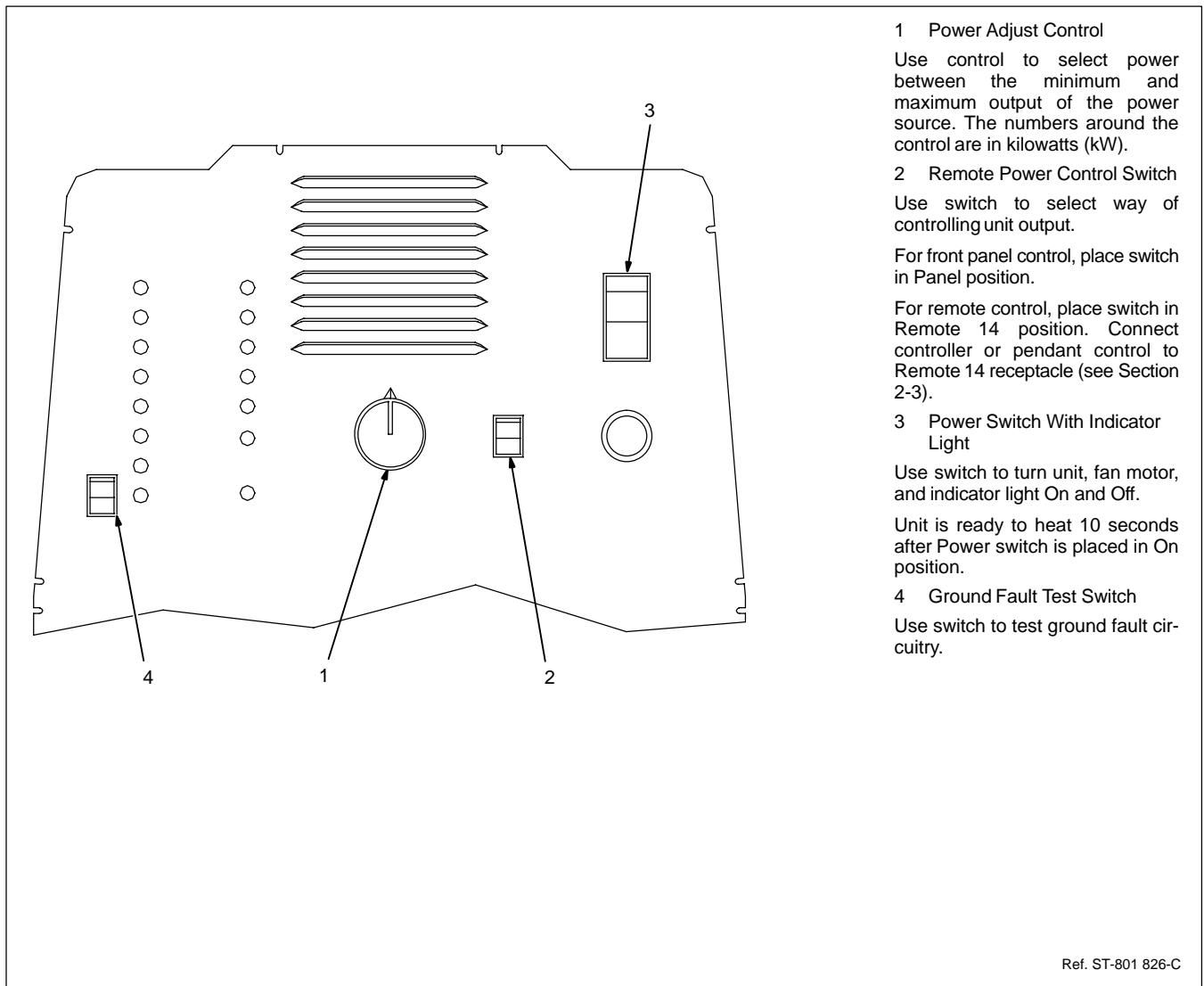
1 Consult factory for circuit breaker applications.

2 "Time-Delay" fuses are UL class "RK5".

3 "Normal Operating" (general purpose – no intentional delay) fuses are UL class "K5" (up to and including 60 amp), and UL class "H" ( 65 amp and above).

## SECTION 3 – OPERATION

### 3-1. Controls



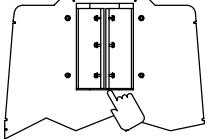
# SECTION 4 – MAINTENANCE & TROUBLESHOOTING

## 4-1. Routine Maintenance



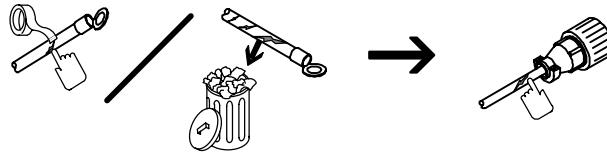
**3 Months**

Clean and tighten output connections.



▲ Disconnect power before maintaining.

Maintain more often during severe conditions.

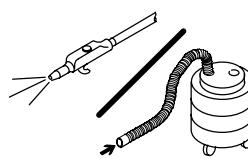


**6 Months**

Replace damaged or unreadable labels.



Blow out or vacuum inside.



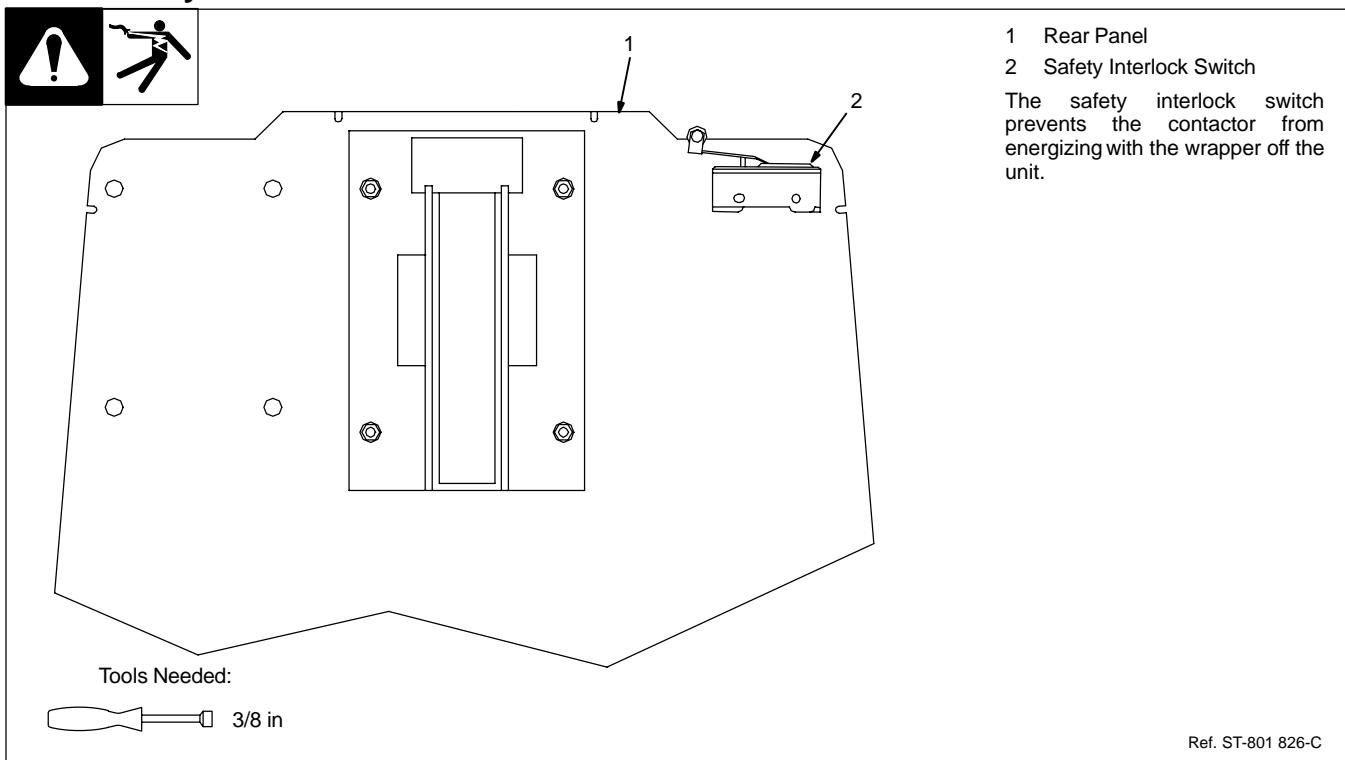
## 4-2. Overheating

Thermostats TP1, TP2, and TP3 protect the unit from damage due to overheating. If one or more of the heat sinks get too hot, TP1, TP2, and/or TP3 opens and output stops. The fan keeps running to cool the heat sink(s). Wait several minutes before trying to heat.

## 4-3. Automatic Shutdown Protection

This unit automatically shuts down upon sensing certain fault conditions, such as an out-of-range frequency condition, short circuit load condition, or an open circuit (no load) condition. The unit also has automatic voltage limiting and power ratio limiting, which limits the output power based on improper load impedance.

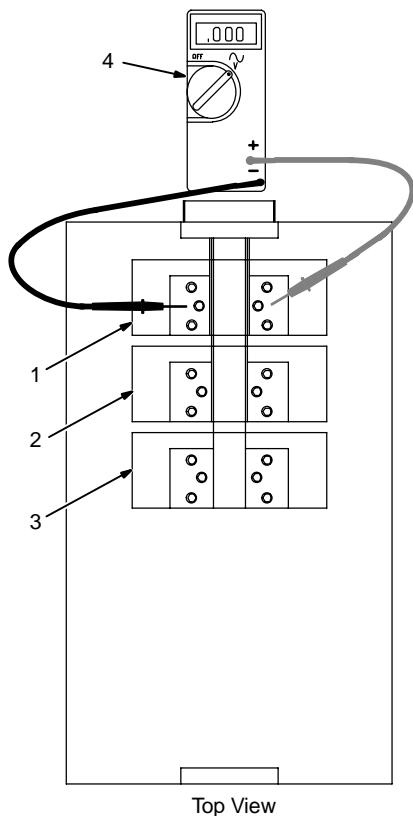
## 4-4. Safety Interlock Switch



#### 4-5. Measuring Tuning Capacitor Voltage



▲ Significant AC voltage can remain on capacitors after unit is Off. Always check ALL capacitors as shown to be sure they have discharged before working on unit.



Top View

Turn Off power source and disconnect input power.

Remove wrapper.

- 1 Tuning Capacitor C1
- 2 Tuning Capacitor C2
- 3 Tuning Capacitor C3
- 4 Voltmeter

Check tuning capacitors.

Measure the ac voltage across the terminals on capacitors every 30 seconds until voltage is near 0 (zero) volts.

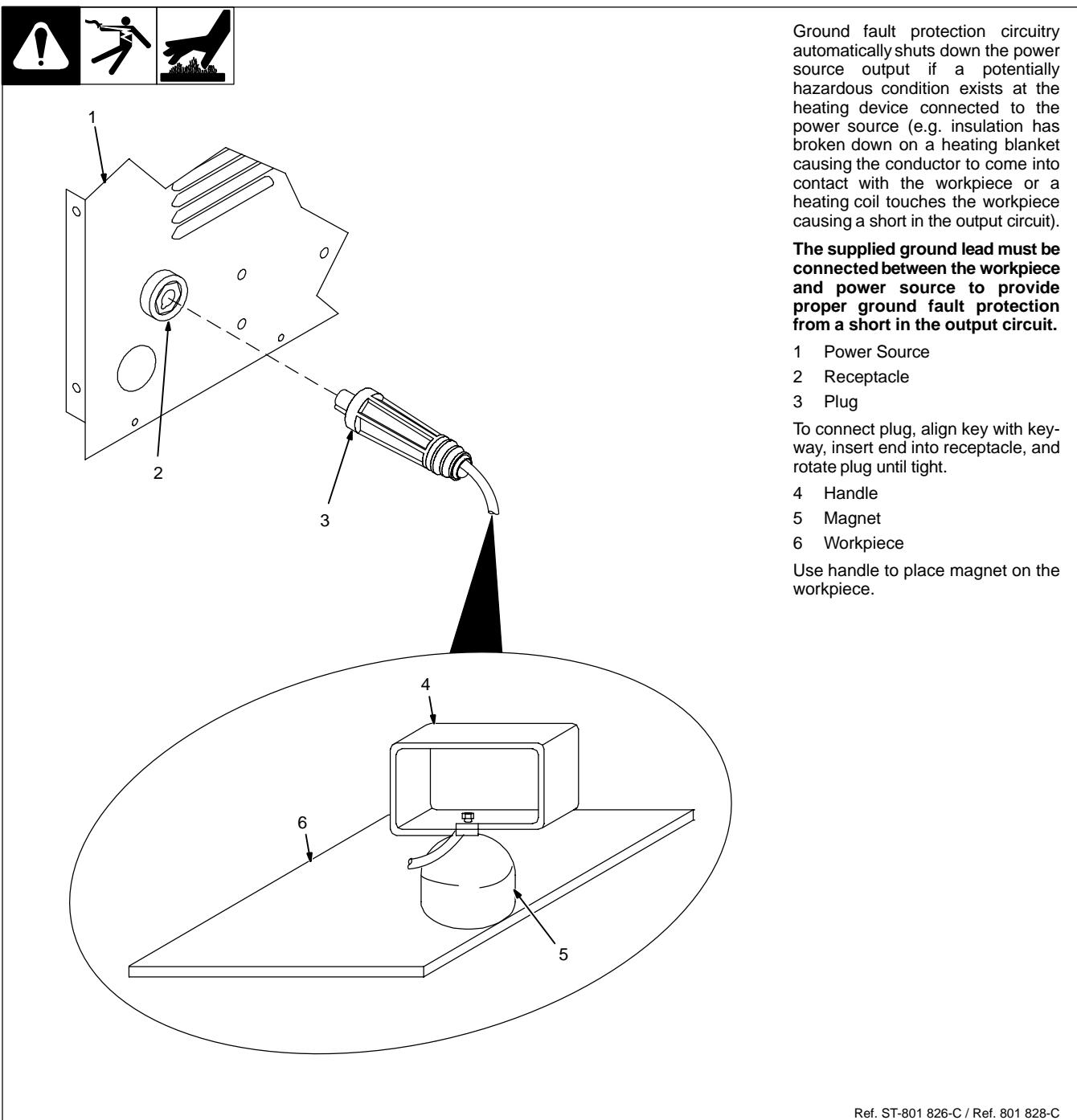
Proceed with job inside unit.  
Reinstall wrapper when finished.

Tools Needed:



Ref. ST-801 826-A

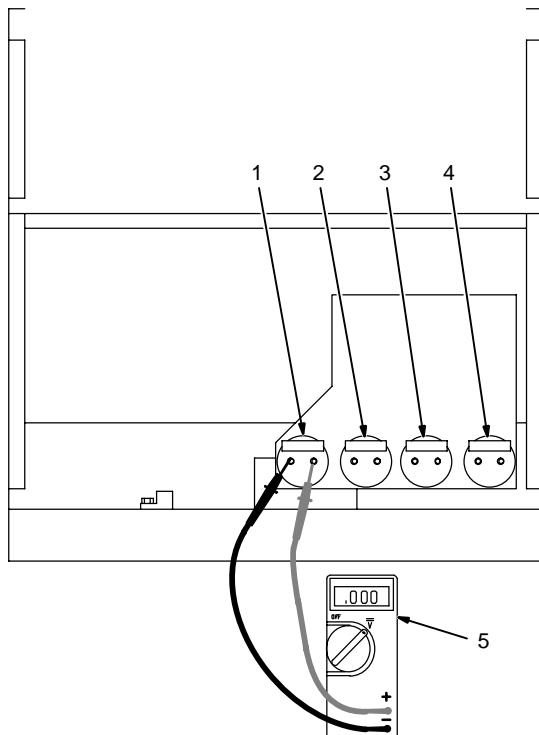
#### 4-6. Ground Fault Protection



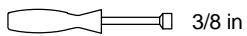
## 4-7. Measuring Input Capacitor Voltage



▲ Significant DC voltage can remain on capacitors after unit is Off. Always check ALL capacitors as shown to be sure they have discharged before working on unit.



Tools Needed:



3/8 in

Turn Off power source and disconnect input power.

Remove wrapper.

- 1 Input Capacitor C2
- 2 Input Capacitor C1
- 3 Input Capacitor C4
- 4 Input Capacitor C3
- 5 Voltmeter

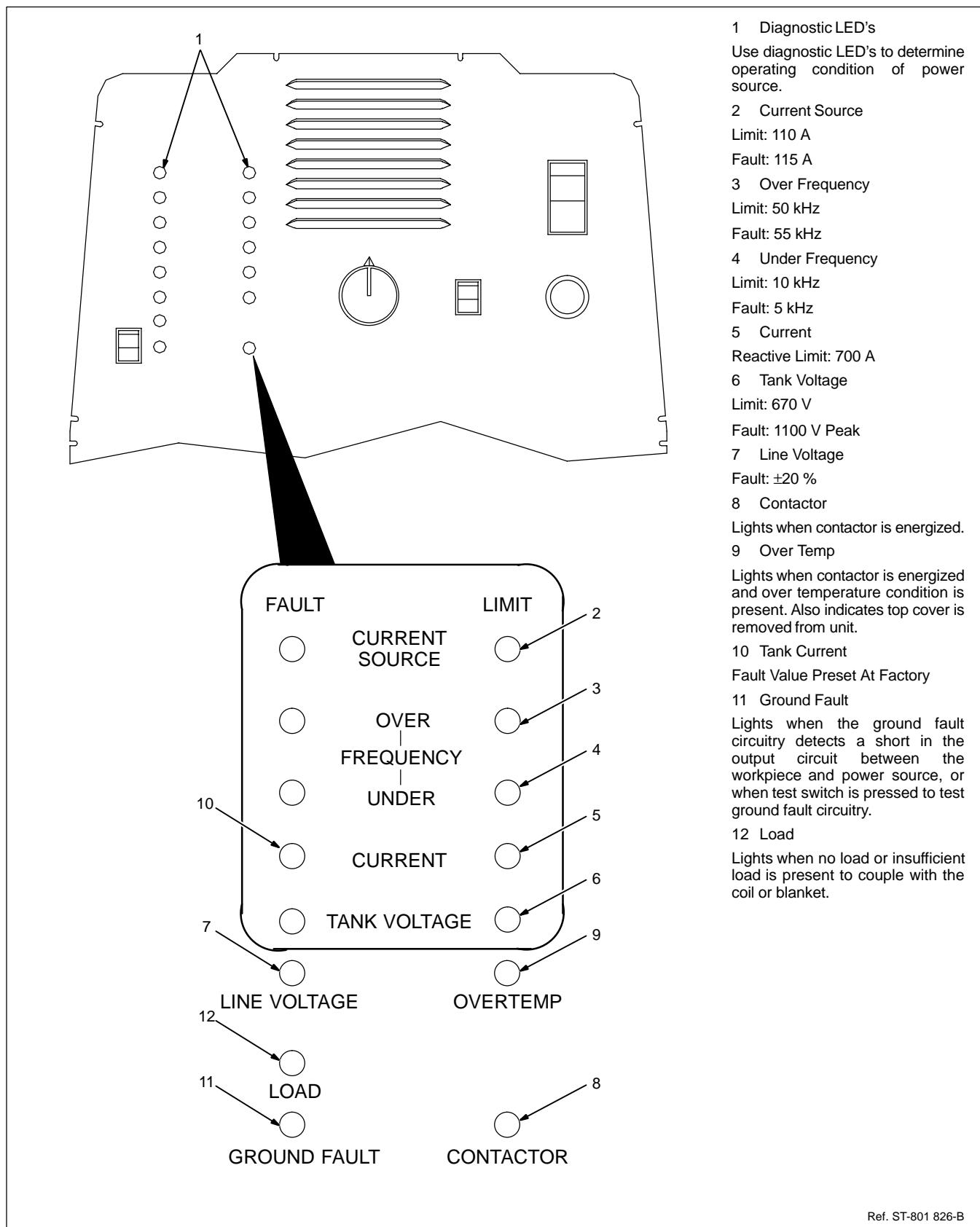
Check input capacitors.

Measure the dc voltage across the positive (+) and negative (-) terminals every 30 seconds until voltage is near 0 (zero) volts.

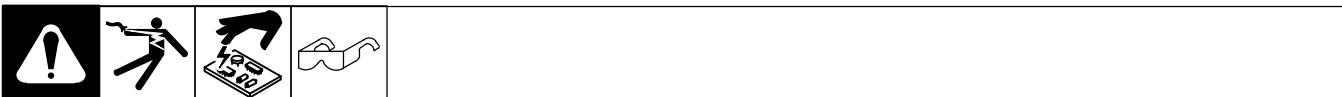
Proceed with job inside unit.  
Reinstall wrapper when finished.

Ref. ST-801 826-A

#### 4-8. Diagnostic LED's

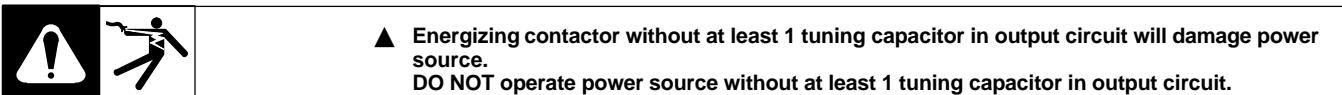


## 4-9. Troubleshooting



Trouble	Remedy
No heat output.	Replace building line fuse or reset circuit breaker.
	Secure head/coil connecting plate to power source connecting block (see Section 2-2).
	Check and replace Power switch if necessary.
	Connect power source to proper input voltage or check for low line voltage.
No heat output; fan motor continues to run.	Safety interlock switch open. Reinstall wrapper (see Section 4-4).
	Thermostat(s) TP1, TP2, and/or TP3 open (overheating). Allow fan to run; the thermostat(s) will close when the unit has cooled (see Section 4-2).
Low heat output.	Check tuning of induction heating output system.
Current Source Fault LED (red) on.	Turn power off and back on again to power source one time. If fault does not clear, contact authorized Factory Service Agent.
Over Frequency Fault LED (red) on.	Check for shorted coil or blanket.
Under Frequency Fault LED (red) on.	Check for open circuit coil or blanket.
Current Fault LED (red) on.	Check for shorted turn(s) in coil or blanket.
Tank Voltage Fault LED (red) on.	Check for unloaded (empty) coil.
	Check for arcing between turns.
Line Voltage Fault LED (red) on.	Check input line voltage.
Ground Fault LED (red) on.	Check for output path to ground.
	Check for human path to ground.
Load Fault LED (red) on.	Check for loose coupling between coil or blanket and workpiece or pipe.
Over Temperature Fault LED (yellow) on.	Check door switch.
	Check for fan operation.
	Clean unit.
Current Source Limit LED (yellow) on.	Check coupling between coil and load.
Over Frequency Limit LED (yellow) on.	Check for correct tank capacitance.
	Check for shorted turns.
Under Frequency Limit LED (yellow) on.	Check for correct tank capacitance.
Current Limit LED (yellow) on.	Check tank capacitance.
Tank Voltage LED (yellow) on.	Check tuning of system (see Section 4-10).

## 4-10. Tuning Chart

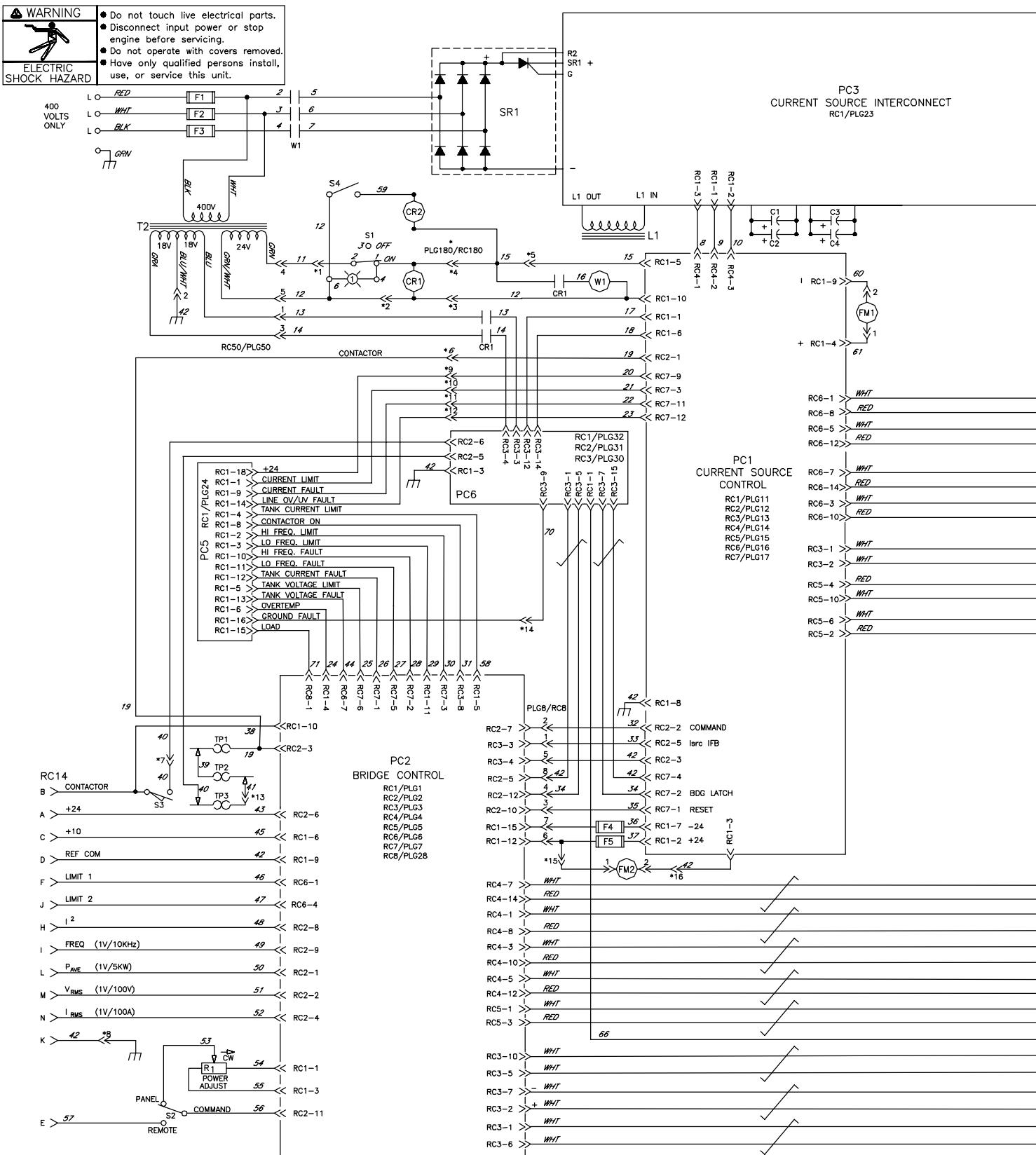


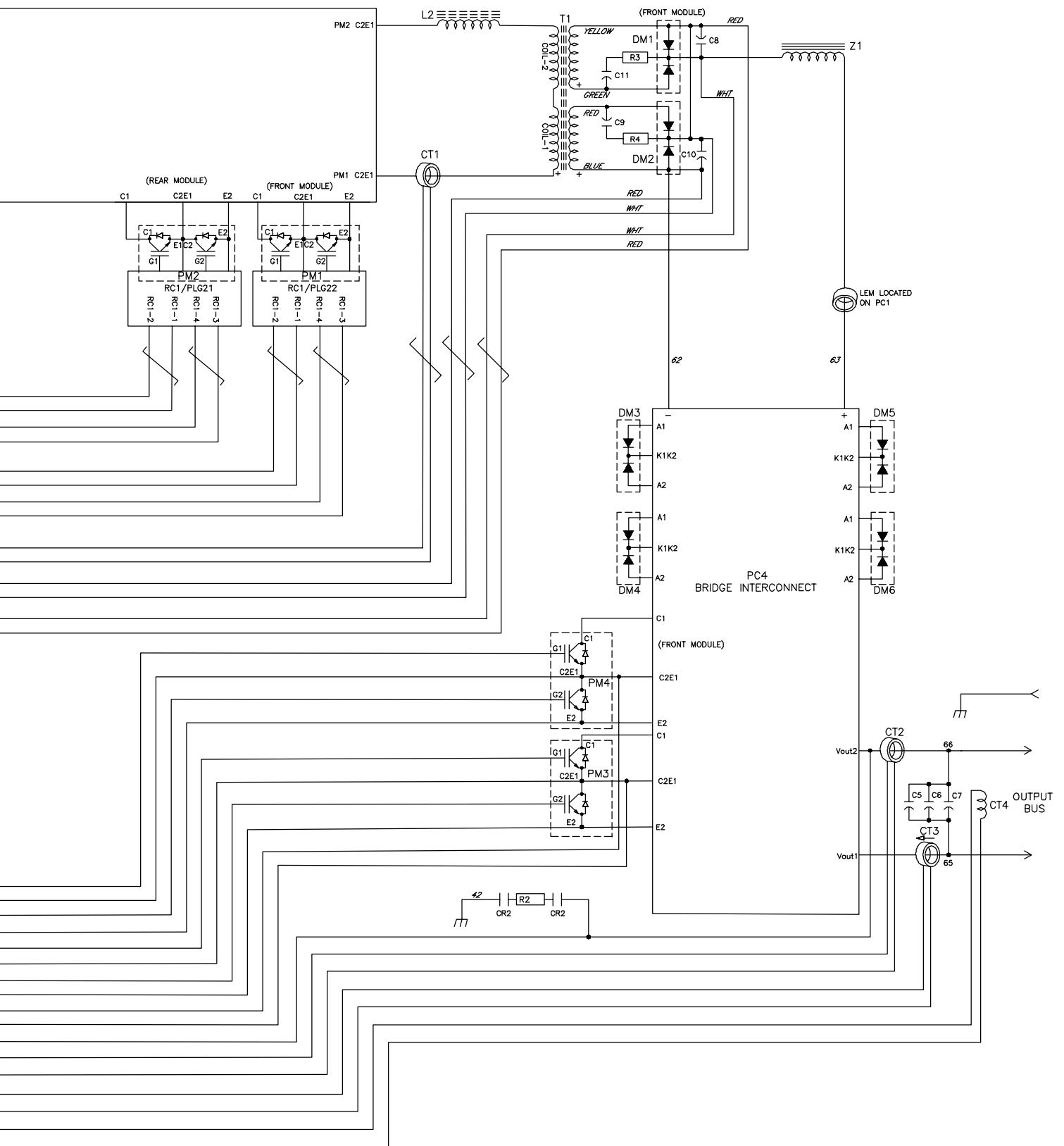
Voltage*	Current (Amperage)*	Frequency (KHz)	Corrective Action
High	Low	Low	Lower inductance or decrease matching transformer turns ratio
High	Low	High	Add capacitance
High	Low	Mid-Range	Decrease matching transformer turns ratio and add capacitance
Low	High	Low	Lower capacitance
Low	High	High	Increase matching transformer turns ratio, or lower capacitance and increase inductance
Low	High	Mid-Range	Increase matching transformer turns ratio and lower capacitance

\*High voltage > 650 V rms; Low voltage < 400 V rms; Operating current range: 0 to 750 A rms

The power source is factory set for 4.5 mfd, but is capable of being set for 6 mfd. If a certain application requires the higher capacitance setting, remove insulator from front capacitor and connect with supplied hardware.

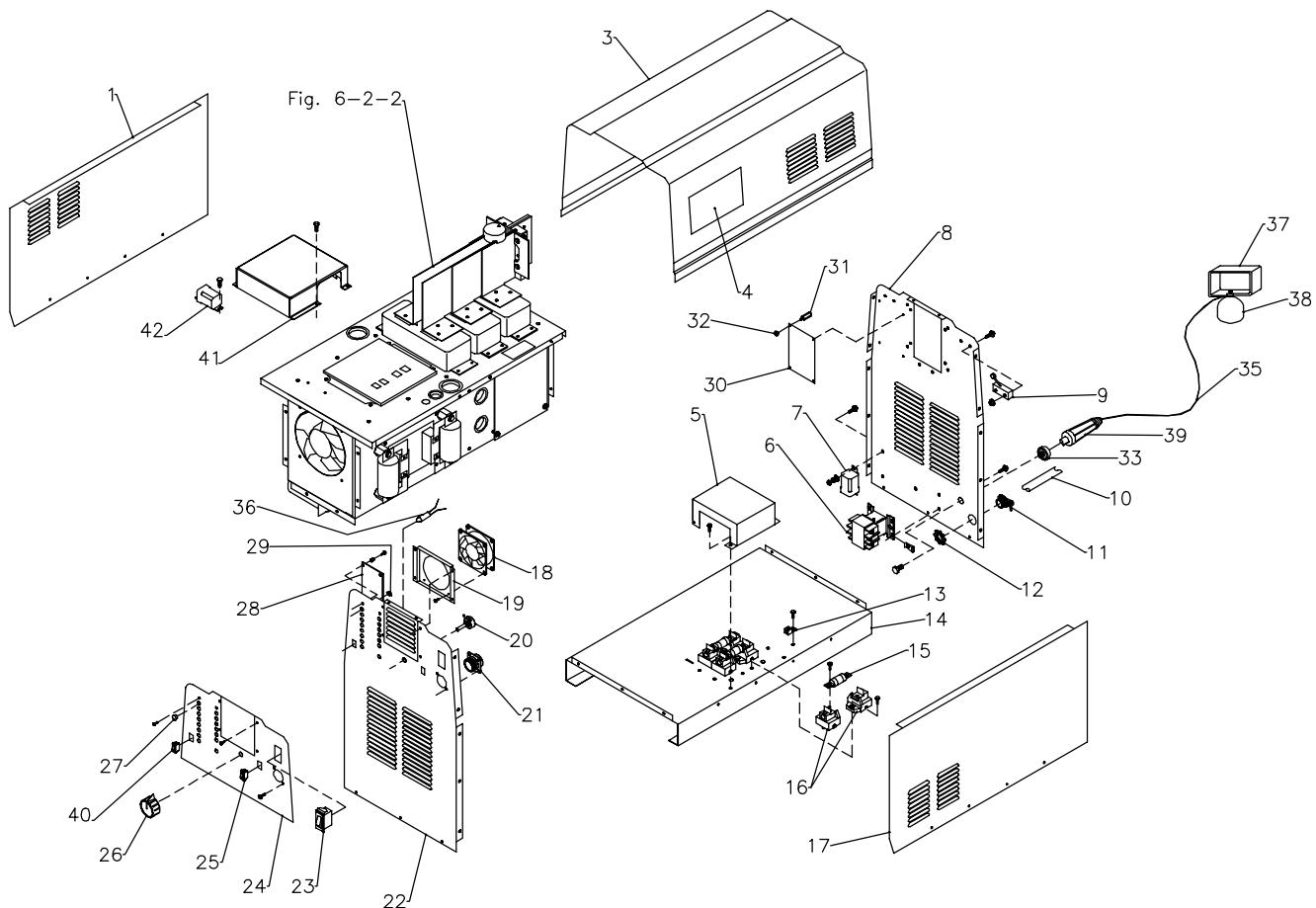
# SECTION 5 – ELECTRICAL DIAGRAM





## **SECTION 6 – PARTS LIST**

 *Hardware is common and not available unless listed.*



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## **Figure 6-1. Main Assembly**

Item No.	Dia. Mkgs.	Part No.	Description	Quantity
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**Figure 6-1. Main Assembly**

.... 1 .....	179 245 ..	PANEL, side LH .....	1
.... 2 .....	Figure 6-2 ..	CENTER BAFFLE ASSEMBLY .....	1
.... 3 .....	+179 246 ..	WRAPPER .....	1
.... 4 .....	147 876 ..	LABEL, warning general precautionary .....	2
.... 5 .....	195 830 ..	COVER, fuse block .....	1
.... 6 .....	W1 .....	CONTACTOR, def purpose 60A 3P 24V .....	1
.... 7 .....	CR1 .....	RELAY, encl 24VAC 3PDT .....	1
.... 8 .....	179 231 ..	PANEL, rear .....	1
.... 9 .....	S3 .....	SWITCH, lim 15A 125/250VAC SPDT .....	1
.... 10 .....	184 698 ..	CABLE, pwr 12ft 8ga 4/c .....	1
.... 11 .....	186 441 ..	BUSHING, strain relief .....	1
.... 12 .....	178 563 ..	NUT, nylon .....	1
.... 13 .....	145 743 ..	LUG, univ w/scr 600V .....	1
.... 14 .....	179 235 ..	BASE .....	1
.... 15 .....	F1-3 .....	*184 700 .. FUSE, semiconductor 50A 500V .....	1
.... 16 .....	184 696 ..	BLOCK, fuse semiconductor modular .....	3
.... 17 .....	184 701 ..	PANEL, side RH .....	1
.... 18 .....	FM2 .....	MOTOR, fan 24VDC .....	1
.... PLG26 .....	135 635 ..	CONNECTOR & SOCKETS .....	1
.... 19 .....	184 845 ..	BRACKET, fan mtg small .....	1
.... 20 .....	R1 .....	POTENTIOMETER, cp std slot 1/T 2W 10K ohm .....	1
.... 21 .....	RC14 .....	RECEPTACLE w/SOCKETS .....	1
.... 22 .....	199 543 ..	PANEL, front .....	1
.... 23 .....	S1 .....	SWITCH, rocker SPDT 15A 125VAC .....	1
.... 24 .....		NAMEPLATE, (order by model and serial number) .....	1
.... 25 .....	S2 .....	SWITCH, rocker SPDT 4A 250VAC .....	1
.... 26 .....	171 007 ..	KNOB .....	1
.... 27 .....	159 036 ..	LENS, LED clear .....	12
.... 28 .....	PC5 .....	CIRCUIT CARD, diagnostic display .....	1
.... 29 .....	159 035 ..	CLIP, retainer lens .....	12
.... 30 .....	PC6 .....	CIRCUIT CARD ASSY, ground fault control .....	1
.... 31 .....	115 443 ..	STAND-OFF, no 6-32 x .750 lg .250 hex .....	4
.... 32 .....	106 702 ..	NUT, 006-32 .31 hex .20h stl pld .....	4
.... 33 .....	127 837 ..	RECEPTACLE, tw lk insul fem .....	1
.... 35 .....	197 900 ..	CABLE, work ground .....	1
.... 36 .....	197 854 ..	LED, red 2.1 V 20 mA 45.0 mcd .....	1
.... 37 .....	198 035 ..	HANDLE .....	1
.... 38 .....	197 931 ..	MAGNET, permanent .....	1
.... 39 .....	127 836 ..	PLUG, tw lk insul male .....	1
.... 40 .....	S4 .....	SWITCH, rocker .....	1
.... 41 .....	199 165 ..	COVER, pc card .....	1
.... 42 .....	110 386 ..	RELAY, encl 24VAC DPDT 5A/120VAC .....	1

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\*Recommended Spare Parts.

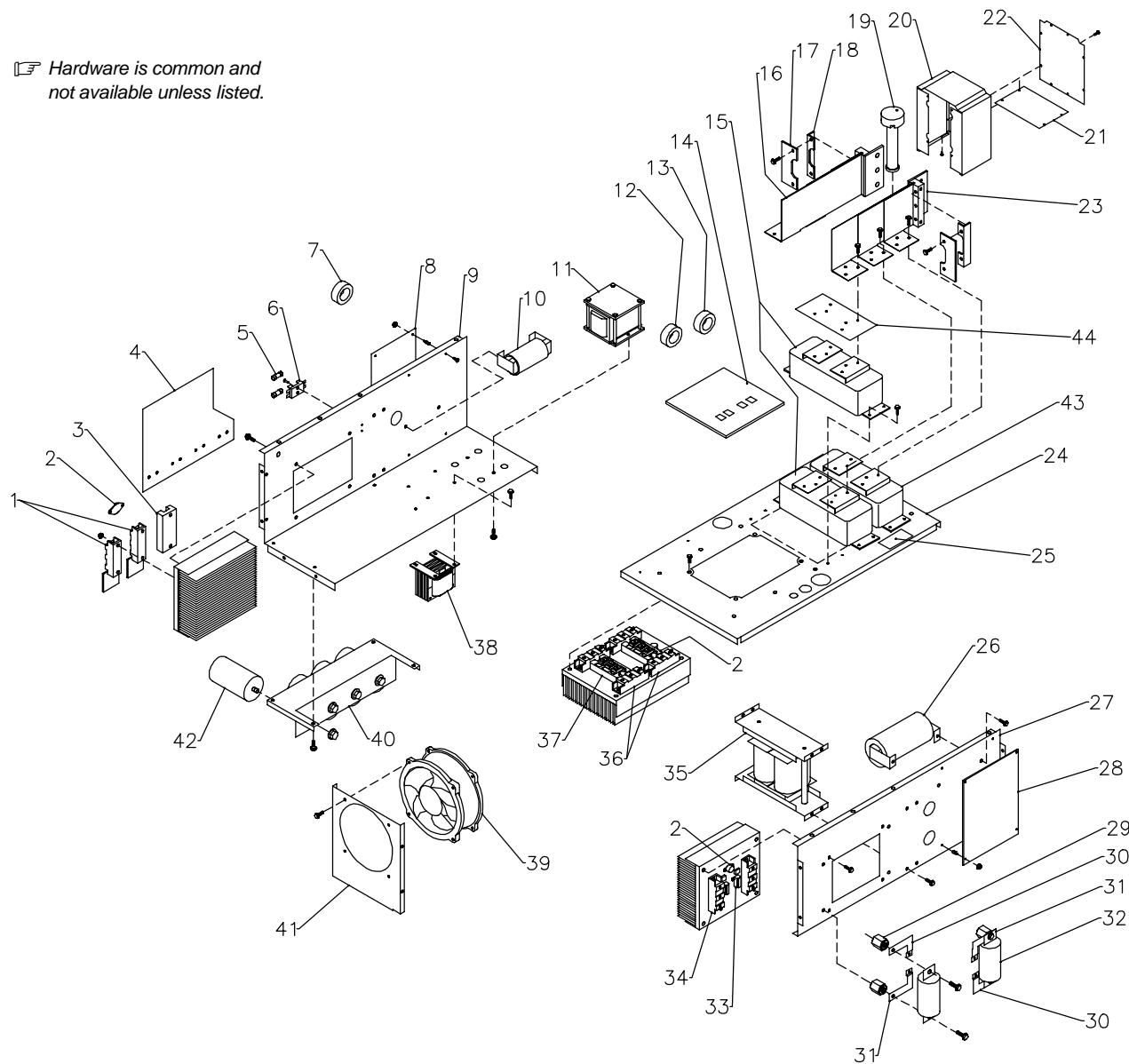
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Item No.	Dia. Mkgs.	Part No.	Description	Quantity
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**Figure 6-2. Center Baffle Assembly (Fig 6-1 Item 2)**

... 1 ..	PM1,2 .....	188 190 ..	IGBT w/CIRCUIT CARD ASSEMBLY .....	2
.....	PLG21,22 .....	115 094 ..	CONNECTOR & SOCKETS .....	2
... 2 ..	TP1-3 .....	006 334 ..	THERMOSTAT,NC .....	1
... 3 ..	SR1 .....	173 630 ..	DIODE, power module/scr 75A 1600V .....	1
... 4 ..	PC3 .....	181 170 ..	CIRCUIT CARD, current source interconnecting .....	1
.....	PLG23 .....	131 204 ..	CONNECTOR & SOCKETS .....	1
... 5 ..	F4,5 .....	*012 658 ..	FUSE, mintr gl slo-blo 2A 250V .....	2
... 6 ..	.....	098 376 ..	HOLDER, fuse mintr .....	1
... 7 ..	CT1 .....	184 840 ..	TRANSFORMER, current primary .....	1
.....	PLG13 .....	135 635 ..	CONNECTOR & SOCKETS .....	1
.....	.....	155 748 ..	BUS BAR, lem .....	1
... 8 ..	PC1 .....	178 064 ..	CIRCUIT CARD, current source control .....	1
.....	PLG11,15 .....	115 091 ..	CONNECTOR & SOCKETS .....	1
.....	PLG12 .....	115 092 ..	CONNECTOR & SOCKETS .....	1
.....	PLG14 .....	131 204 ..	CONNECTOR & SOCKETS .....	1
.....	PLG16 .....	131 056 ..	CONNECTOR & SOCKETS .....	1
.....	PLG17 .....	130 203 ..	CONNECTOR & SOCKETS .....	1

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**Figure 6-2. Center Baffle Assembly**

Item No.	Dia. Mkg.	Part No.	Description	Quantity
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**Figure 6-2. Center Baffle Assembly (Fig 6-1 Item 2)(Continued)**

.... 9 .....	179 233 ..	WINDTUNNEL LH .....	.....	1
.... 10 .....	L1 .....	180 114 ..	INDUCTOR, input .....	1
.... 11 .....	L2 .....	182 563 ..	INDUCTOR, series .....	1
.... 12 .....	CT2 .....	184 842 ..	TRANSFORMER, current bridge .....	1
.... 13 .....	CT3 .....	184 841 ..	TRANSFORMER, current power feedback .....	1
.... 14 .....	PC4 .....	181 175 ..	CIRCUIT CARD, bridge interconnecting .....	1
.... 15 .....	C5-6 .....	179 220 ..	CAPACITOR, polyp met film 1.5uf 1000VDC .....	3
.... 16 .....		179 239 ..	BUS BAR, laminated output LH .....	1
.... 17 .....		186 523 ..	STRIP, mtg output .....	2
.... 18 .....		192 515 ..	BRACKET, mtg output block .....	2
.... 19 .....	CT4 .....	185 935 ..	SENSOR, tank current .....	1
.... 20 .....		196 245 ..	ENCLOSURE, output .....	1
.... 21 .....		196 247 ..	TOPPLATE, output enclosure .....	1
.... 22 .....		196 246 ..	ENDPLATE, output enclosure .....	1
.... 23 .....		179 238 ..	BUS BAR, laminated output RH .....	1
.... 24 .....	+179 236 ..		MIDPLANE .....	1
.... 25 .....		126 026 ..	LABEL, warning electric shock .....	2
.... 26 .....	Z1 .....	180 115 ..	STABILIZER .....	1
.... 27 .....		179 234 ..	WINDTUNNEL RH .....	1
.... 28 .....	PC2 .....	200 159 ..	CIRCUIT CARD, bridge control .....	1
....	PLG1 .....	131 052 ..	CONNECTOR & SOCKETS .....	1
....	PLG2 .....	130 203 ..	CONNECTOR & SOCKETS .....	1
....	PLG3 .....	115 091 ..	CONNECTOR & SOCKETS .....	1
....	PLG4 .....	131 056 ..	CONNECTOR & SOCKETS .....	1
....	PLG5 .....	131 204 ..	CONNECTOR & SOCKETS .....	1
....	PLG6 .....	115 092 ..	CONNECTOR & SOCKETS .....	1
....	PLG7 .....	115 093 ..	CONNECTOR & SOCKETS .....	1
.... 29 .....		025 248 ..	STAND-OFF, insul .250-20 x 1.250 .....	4
.... 30 .....		179 875 ..	BUS BAR, diode RH .....	2
.... 31 .....		179 876 ..	BUS BAR, diode LH .....	2
.... 32 .....	C8,10 .....	170 867 ..	CAPACITOR, polyp film 1.5uf 1000VDC .....	2
.... 33 .....	C9R4/C11R3 .....	180 711 ..	SNUBBER .....	2
.... 34 .....	DM1,2 .....	179 869 ..	DIODE, ultra fast recovery 100A 1200V .....	2
.... 35 .....	T1 .....	196 200 ..	TRANSFORMER, HF .....	1
.... 36 .....	DM3-6 .....	179 869 ..	DIODE, ultra fast recovery 100A 1200V .....	4
.... 37 .....	PM3,4 .....	176 421 ..	TRANSISTOR, IGBT module 150A 1200V .....	2
.... 38 .....	T2 .....	179 870 ..	TRANSFORMER, control .....	1
....	PLG50 .....	131 055 ..	CONNECTOR & SOCKETS .....	1
.... 39 .....	FM1 .....	182 575 ..	MOTOR, fan 48VDC .....	1
....	PLG25 .....	135 635 ..	CONNECTOR & SOCKETS .....	1
.... 40 .....		179 872 ..	BRACKET, mtg capacitor .....	1
.... 41 .....		184 844 ..	BRACKET, fan mtg .....	1
.... 42 .....	C1-4 .....	174 980 ..	CAPACITOR, elect 2700ufd 420VDC .....	4
....	PLG8 .....	115 092 ..	CONNECTOR & SOCKETS .....	1
....	RC8 .....	135 409 ..	CONNECTOR & PINS .....	1
.... 43 .....	C7 .....	197 276 ..	CAPACITOR, polyp met film 3.00uf 700VAC .....	1
.... 44 .....		199 234 ..	INSULATOR, tank cap .....	1
....		200 286 ..	SCREW, 250-20 x 0.50 hex hd nyl .....	6

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## Notes

# *Warranty*

Effective January 1, 2000  
(Equipment with a serial number preface of "LA" or newer)

This limited warranty supersedes all previous manufacturers warranties and is exclusive with no other guarantees or warranties expressed or implied.

LIMITED WARRANTY – Subject to the terms and conditions below, warrants to its original retail purchaser that new equipment sold after the effective date of this limited warranty is free of defects in material and workmanship at the time it is shipped from factory. THIS WARRANTY IS EXPRESSLY IN LIEU OF ALL OTHER WARRANTIES, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, INCLUDING THE WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY AND FITNESS.

Within the warranty periods listed below, manufacturer will repair or replace any warranted parts or components that fail due to such defects in material or workmanship. Manufacturer must be notified in writing within thirty (30) days of such defect or failure, at which time manufacturer will provide instructions on the warranty claim procedures to be followed.

Manufacturer shall honor warranty claims on warranted equipment listed below in the event of such a failure within the warranty time periods. All warranty time periods start on the date that the equipment was delivered to the original retail purchaser, or one year after the equipment is sent to the distributor.

1. 5 Years Parts – 3 Years Labor
  - \* Original main power rectifiers
2. 3 Years — Parts and Labor
  - \* Transformer/Rectifier Power Sources
  - \* Plasma Arc Cutting Power Sources
  - \* Semi-Automatic and Automatic Wire Feeders
  - \* Engine Driven Welding Generators  
**(NOTE: Engines are warranted separately by the engine manufacturer.)**
3. 1 Year — Parts and Labor
  - \* DS-2 Wire Feeder
  - \* Motor Driven Guns (w/exception of Spoolmate 185 & Spoolmate 250)
  - \* Process Controllers
  - \* Positioners and Controllers
  - \* Automatic Motion Devices
  - \* RFCS Foot Controls
  - \* Induction Heating Power Sources
  - \* Water Coolant Systems
  - \* HF Units
  - \* Grids
  - \* Spot Welders
  - \* Load Banks
  - \* Running Gear/Trailers
  - \* Field Options  
**(NOTE: Field options are covered under the limited warranty for the remaining warranty period of the product they are installed in, or for a minimum of one year — whichever is greater.)**
4. 6 Months — Batteries
5. 90 Days — Parts and Labor
  - \* MIG Guns/TIG Torches
  - \* Induction Heating Coils and Blankets
  - \* Plasma Cutting Torches
  - \* Remote Controls
  - \* Accessory Kits
  - \* Replacement Parts
  - \* Spoolmate 185 & Spoolmate 250
  - \* Canvas Covers

Limited Warranty shall not apply to:

1. **Consumable components; such as contact tips, cutting nozzles, contactors, relays, brushes, slip rings, or parts that fail due to normal wear.**
2. Items furnished by manufacturer, but manufactured by others, such as engines or trade accessories. These items are covered by the manufacturer's warranty, if any.
3. Equipment that has been modified by any party other than manufacturer, or equipment that has been improperly installed, improperly operated or misused based upon industry standards, or equipment which has not had reasonable and necessary maintenance, or equipment which has been used for operation outside of the specifications for the equipment.

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In the event of a warranty claim covered by this warranty, the exclusive remedies shall be, at manufacturers option: (1) repair; or (2) replacement; or, where authorized in writing by manufacturer in appropriate cases, (3) the reasonable cost of repair or replacement at an authorized service station; or (4) payment of or credit for the purchase price (less reasonable depreciation based upon actual use) upon return of the goods at customer's risk and expense. manufacturer's option of repair or replacement will be F.O.B., Factory at Appleton, Wisconsin, or F.O.B. at an authorized service facility as determined by manufacturer. Therefore no compensation or reimbursement for transportation costs of any kind will be allowed.

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# Owner's Record

Please complete and retain with your personal records.

Model Name	Serial/Style Number
Purchase Date	(Date which equipment was delivered to original customer.)
Distributor	
Address	
City	
State	Zip



## Resources Available

Always provide Model Name and Serial/Style Number.

Contact your Distributor for:	Welding Supplies and Consumables Options and Accessories Personal Safety Equipment Service and Repair Replacement Parts Owner's Manuals Circuit Diagrams
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Contact the Delivering Carrier for:	File a claim for loss or damage during shipment.
For assistance in filing or settling claims, contact your distributor and/or equipment manufacturer's Transportation Department.	