



## **36" and 46" MARSHALLTOWN POWER TROWELS**

Includes Models M4611(RP), M469(RP), M365E(RP), M365(RP), M369(RP)



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## INTRODUCTION

Congratulations on your purchase of a MARSHALLTOWN power trowel. MARSHALLTOWN prides itself in producing the highest quality trowels for the professional and has applied the same research, design, and production principles to these walk-behind power trowels.

These powerful machines designed for finishing and floating come in 36" and 46" rotor sizes and are available with three different Honda engine sizes. The Honda GX160 is available on the 36", the GX270 is available on both sizes, and the GX340 is available on the 46".

This machine was built with user safety in mind, however, it can present hazards if improperly operated and serviced. Carefully read and follow all safety and operating instructions in this manual. Ensure every operator reads this manual before operating the unit. The replacement of any part with anything other than the manufacturer's authorized replacement part may adversely affect the performance, durability and safety of the product.

**Be sure safety precautions are observed. Read and follow all safety and operating instructions in this operator's manual.** The manufacturer reserves the right to make changes on or add improvements to its product at any time without prior notice or obligation. The manufacturer reserves the right to decide, upon its sole discretion and at any time, to discontinue this product.

Information regarding operation and maintenance of the engine can be found in a separate engine manual supplied with this trowel. The engine manual provides all the information required regarding engine adjustments, operation and maintenance. Should any questions arise concerning engine operation or service, contact the nearest engine repair facility or the engine manufacturer.

This manual covers all MARSHALLTOWN power trowel models and options. For technical questions or repair parts, please call MARSHALLTOWN customer service at 1-800-888-0127, 641-753-6341 or visit [www.MARSHALLTOWN.com](http://www.MARSHALLTOWN.com).

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# SAFETY PRECAUTIONS



- WARNING safety signs are located near specific hazards.





- General precautions are listed on CAUTION safety signs.

• This notation appears before warnings in the text. It means that the step that follows must be carried out to avoid the possibility of personal injury or death. These warnings are intended to help the technician avoid any potential hazards encountered in the normal service procedures. We strongly recommend that the reader takes advantage of the information provided to prevent personal injury or injury to others.

THE FOLLOWING PRECAUTIONS ARE SUGGESTED TO HELP PREVENT ACCIDENTS. A CAREFUL OPERATOR IS THE BEST OPERATOR. MOST ACCIDENTS CAN BE AVOIDED BY OBSERVING CERTAIN PRECAUTIONS. READ AND TAKE THE FOLLOWING PRECAUTIONS BEFORE OPERATING THIS EQUIPMENT TO HELP PREVENT ACCIDENTS. EQUIPMENT SHOULD BE OPERATED ONLY BY THOSE WHO ARE RESPONSIBLE AND INSTRUCTED TO DO SO.



**CALIFORNIA PROPOSITION 65 WARNING:** Operation of this equipment and/or engine exhaust from this product contains chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or other reproductive harm.

- Read all operating and maintenance instructions before operating or servicing the machine
- Equipment is only as safe as its operator. Give complete and undivided attention to the operation of the equipment.
- Keep inexperienced and unauthorized people away from equipment at all times
- Know how to stop the equipment instantly.
- Test all safety switches before every use.
- Always have all guards and safety devices attached and in place before operating equipment.
-  **NEVER** Operate the power trowel with the blade access panel off or if the kill switch is not functioning properly
-  **Never reach into the guard ring while the trowel is running**
-  **Never let go of the power trowel or walk away from it while it is running**
- Always make sure engine is stopped with the switch in the “OFF” position before making any adjustments or putting hands or tools near the power trowel.
- Always make sure engine is in “OFF” position when servicing or not in use
- Keep the trowel in good condition. Loose or damaged parts are dangerous.
- Avoid loose clothing that could get caught in moving parts.
-  **Keep hands and feet away from moving parts.**
- Always allow ample time for the power trowel to cool before making any adjustments
- Do not smoke while refueling the engine. Ensure the engine is in the “off” position and allow it to cool before refueling. Do not spill fuel.
- **NEVER** operate the power trowel in confined areas without ample ventilation.
- Keep all warning, caution and safety instruction labels in good condition. Replace missing, damaged or illegible labels.
- **DO NOT OPERATE** this power trowel under the influence of alcohol or while taking medication that impairs your reactions.
- Never sit or ride on the power trowel.
- Always properly secure machine before transporting
- Always follow recommended maintenance schedules
- Use factory authorized parts for replacement.
- Never try to lift unit by yourself.
- Wear safety glasses and hearing protection while operating the power trowel.
- Wear proper protective clothing while operating trowel, including eye, ear, and clothing.
- Clear the work area around the machine to prevent tripping or falling onto the power trowel.
- Do not operate the power trowel on extreme inclines.

## SAFETY DECALS

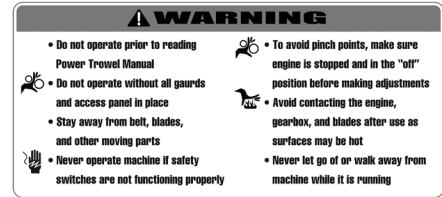
If your safety and operating decals are damaged, they can be replaced by contacting Customer Service.



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## 2-YEAR POWER TROWEL WARRANTY

This product is warranted to the original purchaser only to be free of defects in material and workmanship, under normal use and servicing, for a period of 2 years from the purchase date, excluding the engine. Warranty on the engine is limited to the warranty extended by the engine manufacturer and any warranty claims related to the engine should be directed to the engine manufacturer. MARSHALLTOWN Company's sole obligation under this warranty is limited to the replacement or repair of the product or covered part(s) at no charge delivered to you F.O.B standard ground rates from its designated facility if the product is determined upon inspection by MARSHALLTOWN Company to have been defective in materials or workmanship. MARSHALLTOWN Company's warranty for replacement parts will extend for the duration of the original product warranty.

This warranty will not apply when the product becomes damaged or inoperative due to misuse, abuse, normal wear and tear, neglect, improper maintenance, accident, or freight damage; if the product has not been operated and maintained in accordance with the instructions furnished in the Operator's Manual; or when the product has been altered or modified without approval from MARSHALLTOWN Company.

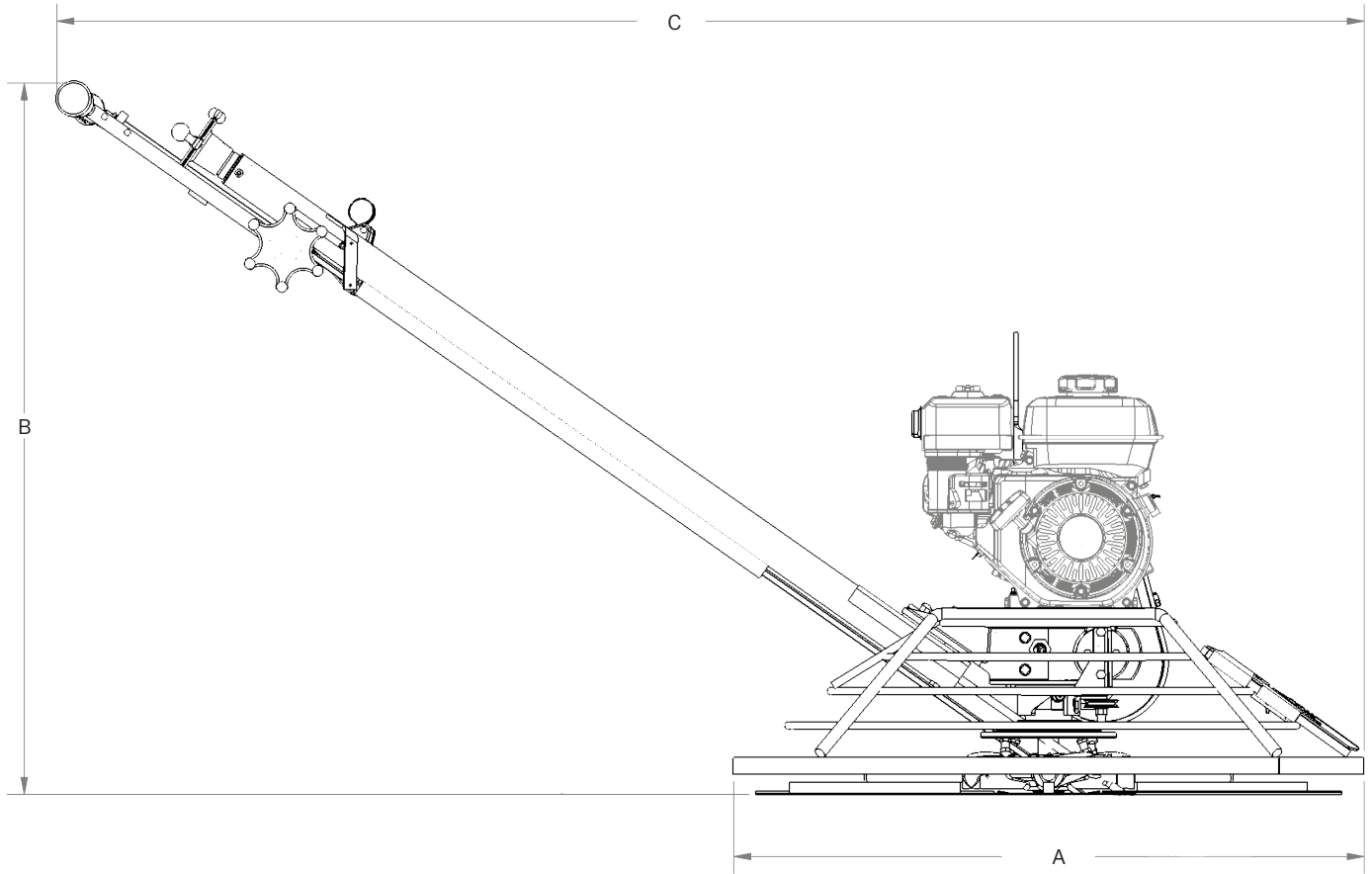
Under no circumstances shall MARSHALLTOWN Company be responsible or liable for any consequential, special, or punitive damages, pickup and delivery of the unit, inbound shipping charges to MARSHALLTOWN Company's service facility, rental charges for a replacement unit, loss of income, or other loss resulting from the failure of the product to function properly because of a defect in material or workmanship covered under this warranty.

There are no warranties which extend beyond the description of this warranty. No employee or agent of MARSHALLTOWN Company has the authority to modify this warranty.

If you wish to make a warranty claim, contact Customer Service at 1-800-888-0127 for return authorization and instructions.

THE FOREGOING LIMITED WARRANTIES ARE EXCLUSIVE AND ARE GIVEN AND ACCEPTED IN LIEU OF ANY AND ALL OTHER WARRANTIES EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, INCLUDING WITHOUT LIMITATION, IMPLIED WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY AND FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE, AND ALL OTHER REMEDIES. MARSHALLTOWN COMPANY'S TOTAL LIABILITY ARISING OUT OF SUPPLYING AND THE USE OF THE EQUIPMENT, WHETHER BASED ON A CLAIM OF WARRANTY, NEGLIGENCE, OR OTHERWISE, SHALL NOT EXCEED THE COST PAID BY YOU FOR THE EQUIPMENT.

# SPECIFICATIONS

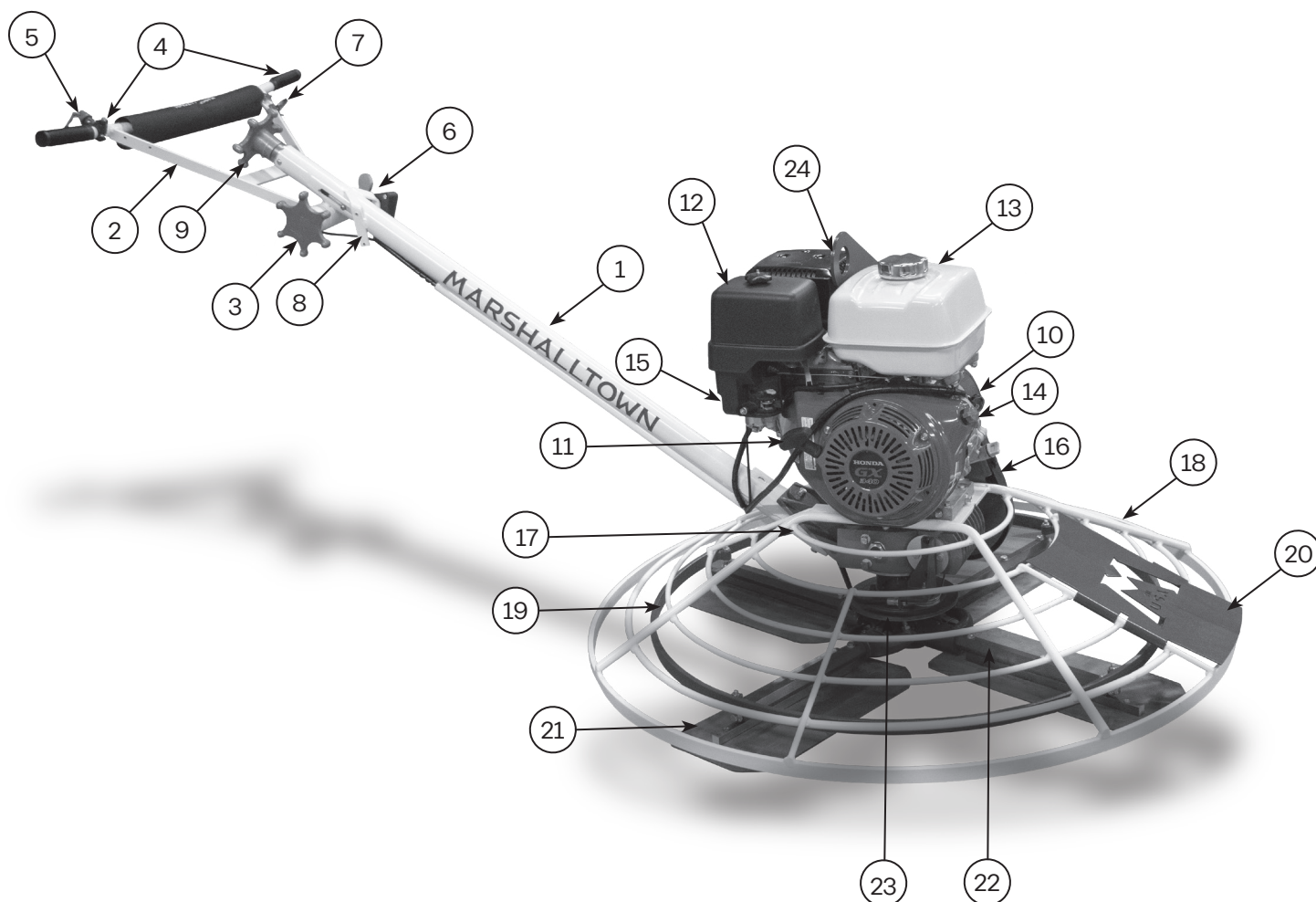


PART #	STYLE	ENGINE	HANDLE STYLE	"A" WIDTH IN (MM)"	"B" HEIGHT IN (MM)"	"C" LENGTH IN (MM)"	ROTOR RPM	WEIGHT LBS (KG)
M4611	TROWEL	HONDA GX340	KNOB STYLE	46 (1168)	41.64 (1058)	81.13 (2061)	50-130	288
M469	TROWEL	HONDA GX270	KNOB STYLE	46 (1168)	41.64 (1058)	81.13 (2061)	50-130	274
M369	TROWEL	HONDA GX270	KNOB STYLE	36.94 (938)	41.64 (1058)	76.6 (1946)	50-130	257
M365	TROWEL	HONDA GX160	KNOB STYLE	36.94 (938)	41.64 (1058)	76.6 (1946)	50-130	219
M365E	EDGER	HONDA GX160	KNOB STYLE	35.06 (891)	41.64 (1058)	75.66 (1922)	50-130	216
M4611RP	TROWEL	HONDA GX340	RAPID PITCH	46 (1168)	41.64 (1058)	81.13 (2061)	50-130	294
M469RP	TROWEL	HONDA GX270	RAPID PITCH	46 (1168)	41.64 (1058)	81.13 (2061)	50-130	280
M369RP	TROWEL	HONDA GX270	RAPID PITCH	36.94 (938)	41.64 (1058)	76.6 (1946)	50-130	263
M365RP	TROWEL	HONDA GX160	RAPID PITCH	36.94 (938)	41.64 (1058)	76.6 (1946)	50-130	225
M365ERP	EDGER	HONDA GX160	RAPID PITCH	35.06 (891)	41.64 (1058)	75.66 (1922)	50-130	222



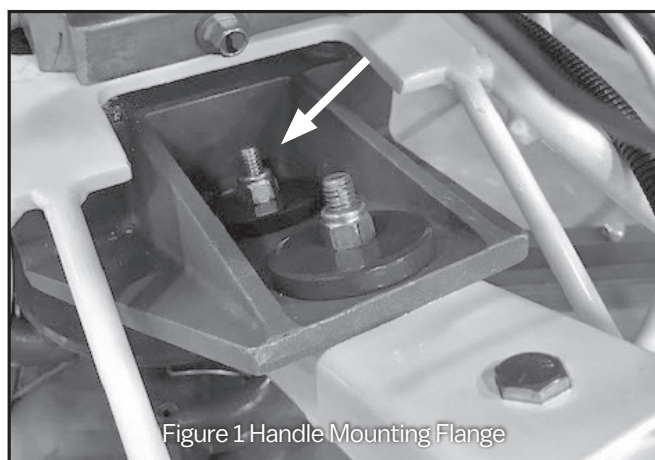
## COMMON COMPONENTS

1. Handle tube
2. Handle bar
3. Handle bar adjustment
4. Handle grip
5. Tether safety switch
6. Centrifugal safety switch
7. Throttle
8. Mounting for bicycle bottle holder
9. Pitch adjustment
10. Engine
11. Recoil starter
12. Air filter
13. Gas tank
14. On/Off switch
15. Fuel valve lever and choke
16. Belt guard
17. Gearbox
18. Guard Ring
19. Stabilizing ring (46" only)
20. Blade access panel
21. Blades
22. Trowel arm
23. Thrust plate
24. Lifting plate



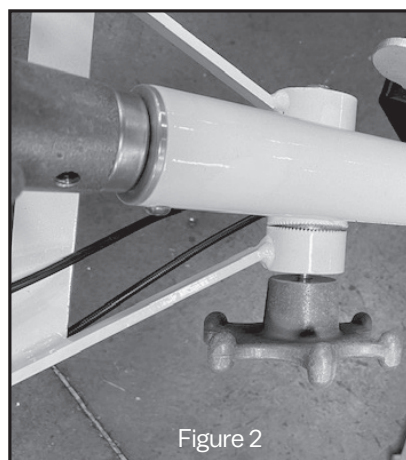


## ASSEMBLY



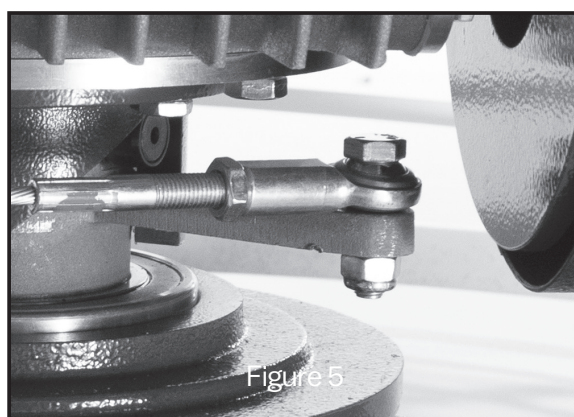
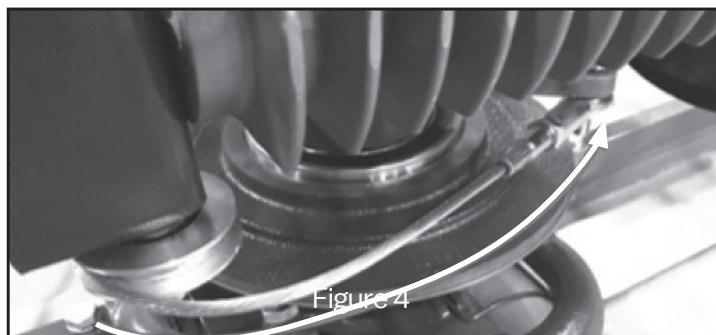
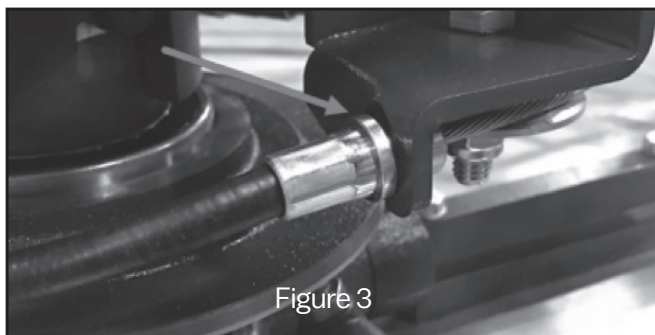
### Attaching the handle to the machine

Place the spacers in the mounting flange and position the handle below the flange. Align the holes and insert the bolts through the bottom of the handle, through the spacers, and tighten the nuts on the top side to 35 ft-lbs. (Figure 1)

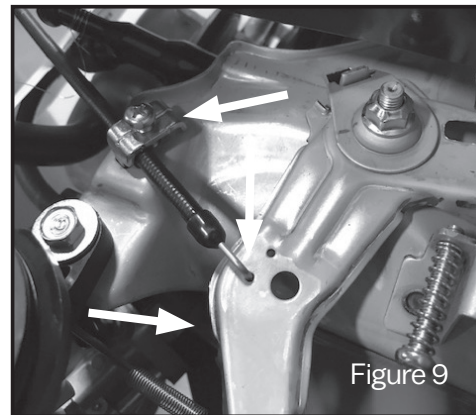
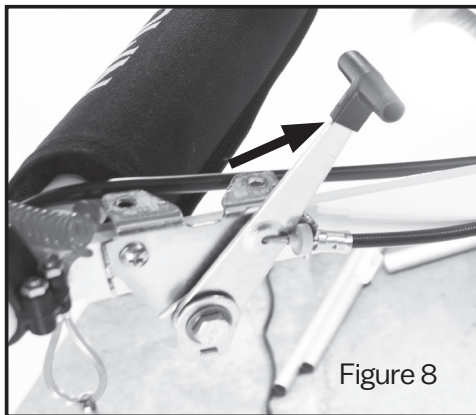
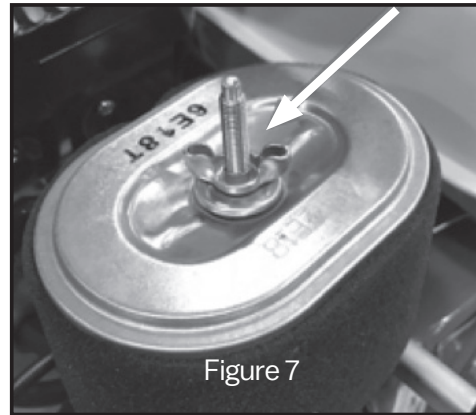
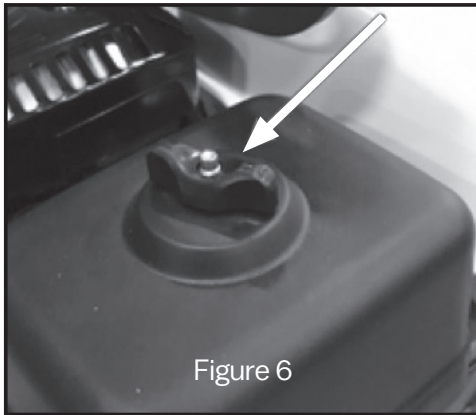


### Attaching the upper handle

With the throttle lever on the right, slide the two sides of the upper handle over the support block. Run the carriage bolt through the assembly and fasten with the hand wheel nut on the right.

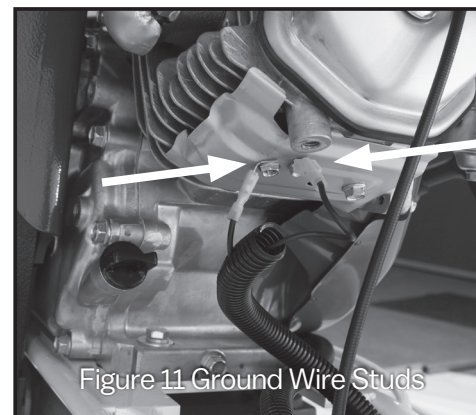
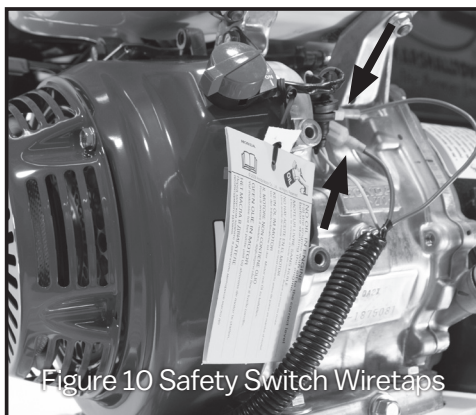


## ASSEMBLY CONT.



### Attaching the throttle cable

Remove the nut from the air filter cover (Figure 6) and then the nut that holds the air filter in place (Figure 7). The throttle lever needs to be pushed all the way away from the operator (Figure 8). Make sure that the engine's throttle lever is in the closed position and insert the cable under the keeper, inserting the "Z" bend cable into the small throttle lever hole. (Figure 9). Tighten the keeper.



### Attaching the electrical wires

Attach the two red wires to the wiretaps near the engine's on/off switch (Figure 10). Attach the two black wires to the wire studs under the valve cover. (Figure 11).

## PRE-OPERATIONAL CHECKS

The following steps should be taken prior to using the power trowel:

1. The operator must be familiar with the location and operation of all controls.
2. The unit ships with oil, but check the crankcase oil and fill the fuel tank before starting. Read and understand the engine manual supplied with this machine regarding adjustments, operation, and maintenance before operating this machine.
3. On serial numbers 9107 and higher, ensure gearbox oil level is visible in sight glass but below the engraved line (see photo). For units with serial number lower than 9107, remove sight glass and fill until oil reaches bottom of hole.
4. Check the fuel filter and inspect air filter
5. Check both safety switches and electrical connections.
6. Check nuts and bolts to ensure nothing has loosened during shipping.



## CONTROLS AND ACCESSORIES

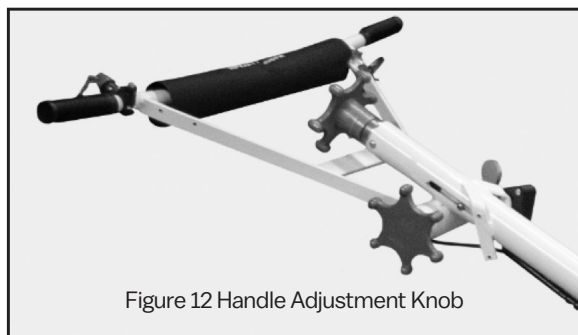


Figure 12 Handle Adjustment Knob

### Handles

The handle bar is adjusted by simply unscrewing the adjustment knob attached to the handle and moving the handle to the preferred height (Figure 12)

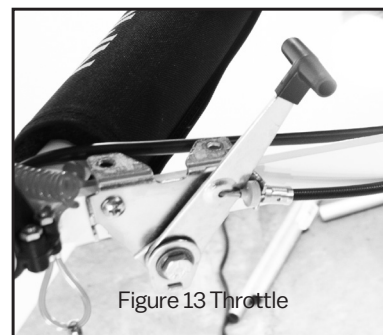


Figure 13 Throttle

### Throttle

Throttle should be in the furthest forward position before starting the trowel. Failure to do so will cause trowel blades to rotate upon starting. Once started pull throttle towards you to start/increase rotation of blades.



Figure 14 Centrifugal Safety Switch

### Centrifugal Safety Switch

The weight within the safety switch must be able to move freely without obstruction forward and backwards. Test the safety switch before every use. Failure to have a free moving or properly functioning switch will inhibit the switch from working as intended. Push the weight away from you so that it is closer to the engine before starting the trowel.



Figure 15 Tether Safety Switch

### Tether Safety Switch

Secure tether to your person before starting to finish. If the handle slips out of your hand the plug will detach from the safety switch and stop the machine. Test the safety switch before every use. The button on top of the tether switch can also be used to stop the engine.

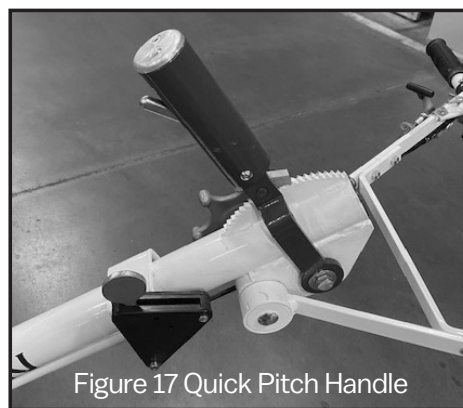


## CONTROLS AND ACCESSORIES CONT.



### Knob Pitching System

Turn the knob clockwise to increase the angle of the blades and turn them counterclockwise to decrease the angle of the blades.



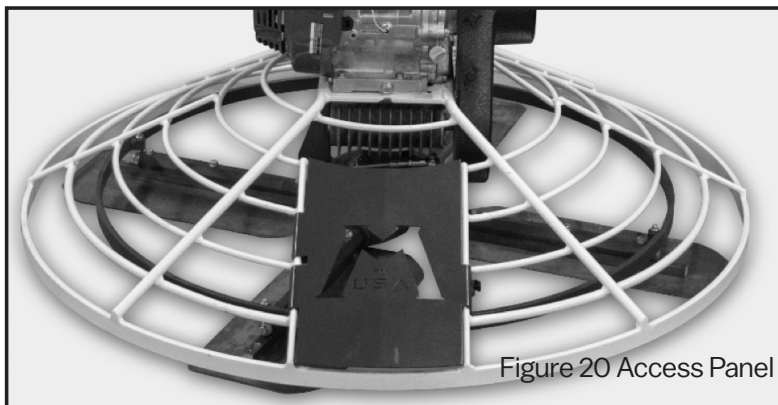
### Rapid Pitching System

Engage the release lever and pull the pitching lever towards you to increase the angle of the blades and push the lever away from you towards the front of the machine to decrease the angle of the blades.



### Bottle Holder Mounting Pad

There are two tapped holes opposite of the centrifugal safety switch that will accept any standard bicycle bottle holder. This can be used to hold a spray bottle to wet the concrete as it sets-up.



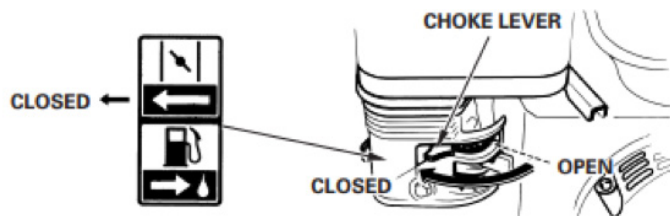
### Blade Access Panel

The access panel screw can be found on the right side of the panel. Loosened the screw and swing the panel to the left to easily access the blades. Close the panel and tighten the screw before running the machine.

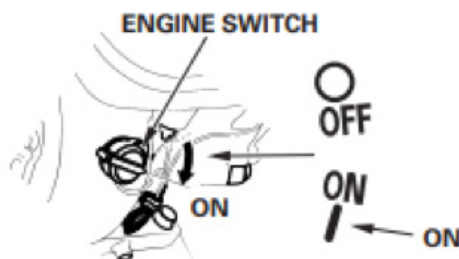
# OPERATION

## STARTING THE ENGINE

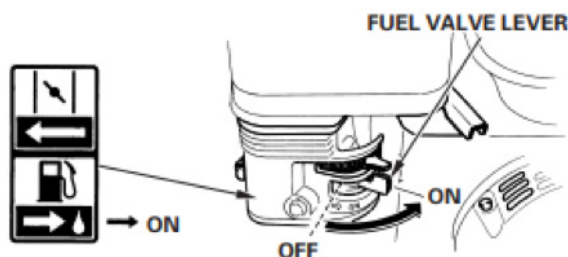
1. On a cold engine, move choke lever to CLOSED position. To restart a warm engine leave choke in OPEN position.



2. Both safety switches need to be in the running position otherwise the engine will not start.
3. Switch the On/Off Switch to the On position.



4. Switch the fuel valve lever on.



5. Pull the starter grip lightly until you feel resistance, then pull briskly. Repeat until engine starts.
6. If the choke lever was moved to the CLOSED position to start the engine, gradually move it to the OPEN position as the engine warms up.

## RESTARTING A WARM ENGINE

1. Leave the choke lever in the OPEN position.
2. Switch the On/Off Switch to the On position.
3. Switch the fuel valve lever on.
4. Pull the starter grip lightly until you feel resistance, then pull briskly. Repeat until engine starts.

## FLOATING/FINISHING

MARSHALLTOWN trowels come with combination blades installed. These blades can be used to float and finish. Combination blades or a float pan can be used to float wet concrete to increase the flatness of the slab. Combination and finish blades can be used to finish the slab once the concrete starts to set up and the surface is ready to take a finish.

1. Place the trowel on the concrete and start the engine.
2. Attach tether to your person.
3. Slowly increase engine RPM by pulling the throttle lever towards you until the blades/pan start(s) to spin.
4. Adjust the speed to the desired rotation
5. If using blades, pitch the blades to the desired angle. If using a pan, the blades should be flat on the surface of the pan.
6. While slowly and gently pulling the machine backwards, push down on the handle to move the cage to the right and pull up on the handle to move the cage left.
7. Use caution around pipes, walls, obstacles and the edge of the forms. If you have an edger machine the cage on the machine will rotate while up against walls to help prevent damage.
8. Use until the desired surface is obtained.

## RECOMMENDED SPARE PARTS

DESCRIPTION	EDI	QTY
GEARBOX INPUT GASKET/SEAL KIT	28907	1
GEARBOX INPUT BEARING KIT	28908	1
GEARBOX OUTPUT GASKET/SEAL KIT	28909	1
GEARBOX OUTPUT BEARING KIT	28910	1
36" TROWEL ARM	28911	1
46" TROWEL ARM	28912	1
TROWEL ARM BUSHING	28913	2
THRUST BEARING KIT	28914	1
THROTTLE ASSEMBLY	28915	1
CENTRIFUGAL SAFETY SWITCH ASSEMBLY	28916	2
SPACER, GEARBOX	28917	2
PITCH CABLE	28918	1
HANDLE GRIP	28919	2
TETHER SAFETY ASSEMBLY	28920	1
BELT GUARD	28921	1
V-BELT (GX340 AND GX270)	28922	2
V-BELT (GX160)	28923	2
GEARBOX LUBRICANT 0.75L	28928	1
SEE HONDA MANUAL FOR SUGGESTED ENGINE SPARE PARTS	NA	NA

## TECHNICAL DATA

HONDA	GX340	GX270	GX160
WEIGHT (LBS)	70	57	33
DISPLACEMENT CM^3	289	270	163
OIL CAPACITY US QT	1.2	1.2	0.61
FUEL TANK CAPACITY US GAL.	1.61	1.4	0.82
FUEL	86 OCTANE OR HIGHER		
IDLE SPEED RPM	1400		
TOP SPEED RPM	3800		
SPARK PLUG	BPR6ES (NGK)		
SPARK PLUG GAP	.7 to .8 mm		
ENGINE OIL	SAE 10W30		
GEARBOX OIL	Mobil SHC 634		

## MAINTENANCE

CHECK OIL LEVEL	BEFORE EACH USE
CHANGE ENGINE OIL	FIRST MONTH OR 10 HRS. - 6 MO. OR 50 HRS AFTER
CHECK GEARBOX OIL	EVERY 25 HOURS OR EVERY 3 MONTHS
CHECK FUEL LEVEL	BEFORE EACH USE
CHECK AIR FILTER	BEFORE EACH USE
CHECK BLADES	BEFORE EACH USE
CHANGE BLADES	AS NEEDED
CHECK BELT	EVERY 25 HOURS OR EVERY 3 MONTHS
CHANGE BELT	AS NEEDED
CHECK THROTTLE AND PITCH CABLES	EVERY 100 HOURS OR 1 YEAR
REPLACE AIR FILTER	EVERY 25 HOURS OR EVERY 3 MONTHS
SPARK PLUG - CHECK AND ADJUST	EVERY 100 HOURS OR 1 YEAR
SPARK PLUG - REPLACE	EVERY 300 HOURS OR 2 YEARS
ELECTRONIC CONNECTIONS	BEFORE EACH USE
CHECK NUTS AND BOLTS	BEFORE EACH USE
CHECK SAFETY SWITCHES	BEFORE EACH USE



## CHANGING THE BLADES

1. Using the pitch handle lay the blades flat on a very level surface.
2. Remove all bolts and lock washers that hold the blade on (2 for the 36" and 3 for the 46").
3. Remove the blade from under the arm.
4. Clean arms thoroughly of any debris.
5. Replace with a new blade. Be sure to replace the blades in the right orientation. Combination blades are to be installed with the larger portion of the blade on the right side of the arm when looking down at it.
6. Replace all bolts and lock washers.

## ADJUSTING THE PITCHING ARMS

1. Using the pitch handle lay the blades flat on a very level surface.
2. Mark an outline of the blade on the floor directly under the handle. Mark the blade opposite of this also. You will be moving the cage and blades on the floor and will need these outline to make sure all of the blades are moved to the correct position.
3. Pitch the blade under the handle to about half way and do not touch again until after this procedure is finished.
4. Measure from the floor directly under the centrifugal safety switch to the top of the safety switch. Mark the location on the floor that was measured from. This is the distance the handle should be from the ground when all blades are rotated into the outlines marked.

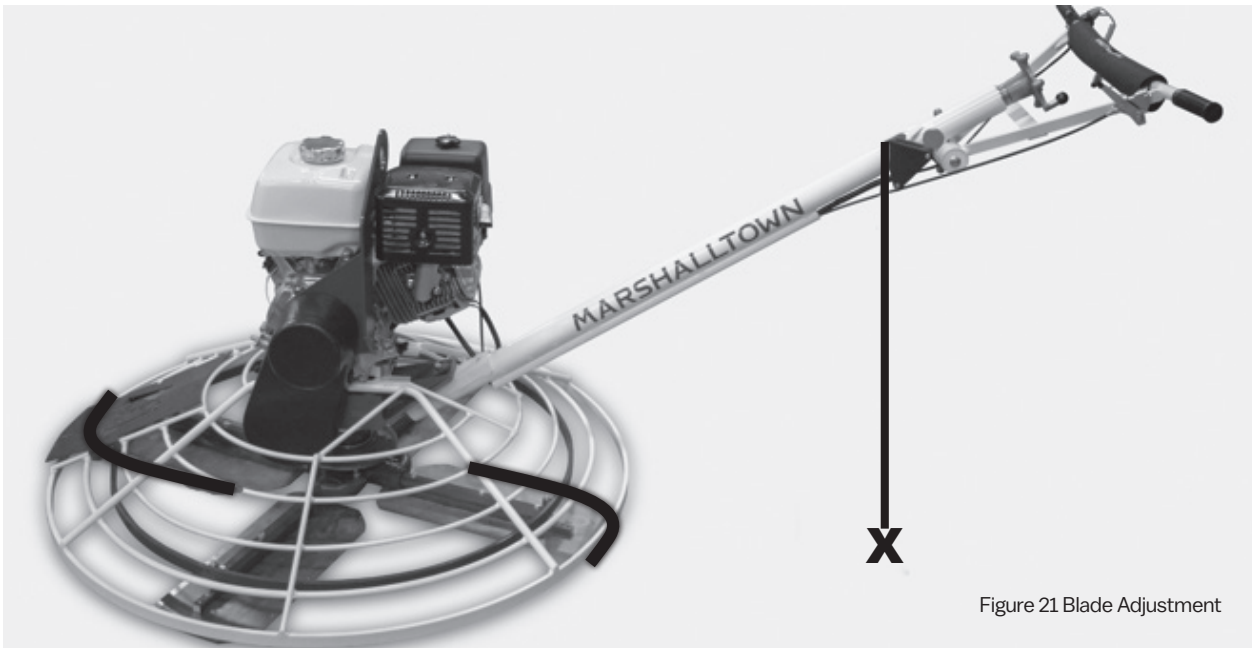
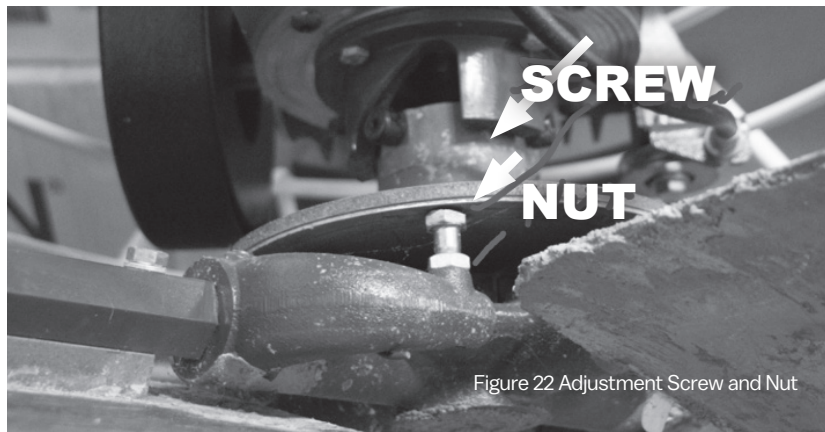


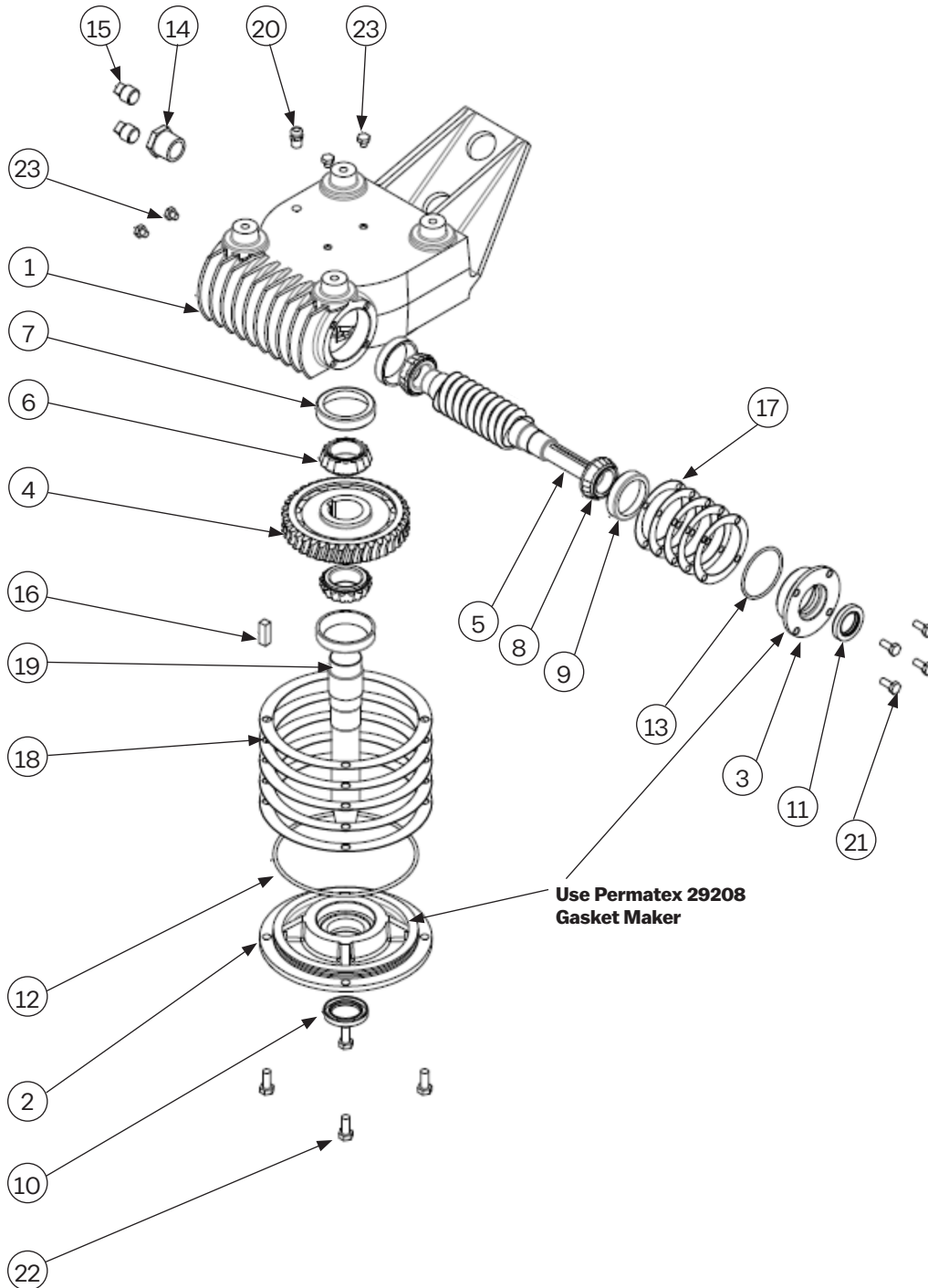
Figure 21 Blade Adjustment

5. Rotate the machine 90 degrees so that the blade to the left of the one just measured is now inside the outline and the blade opposite is inside its outline.
6. Move the handle so that the safety switch is directly above the mark made on the floor.
7. Measure the distance from the mark on the floor to the top of the safety switch. If it is not within a 1/16" go to step 8 to adjust the pitch. If it is within range go to step 9.
8. To adjust the height loosen the nut on the pitch finger and rotate the pitch adjustment bolt. To decrease the distance rotate the bolt clockwise and to increase the distance rotate the bolt counterclockwise. Tighten the nut once the height is within 1/16".



9. Repeat steps 5 through 8 until all blades have been in the outline and the height is within range.

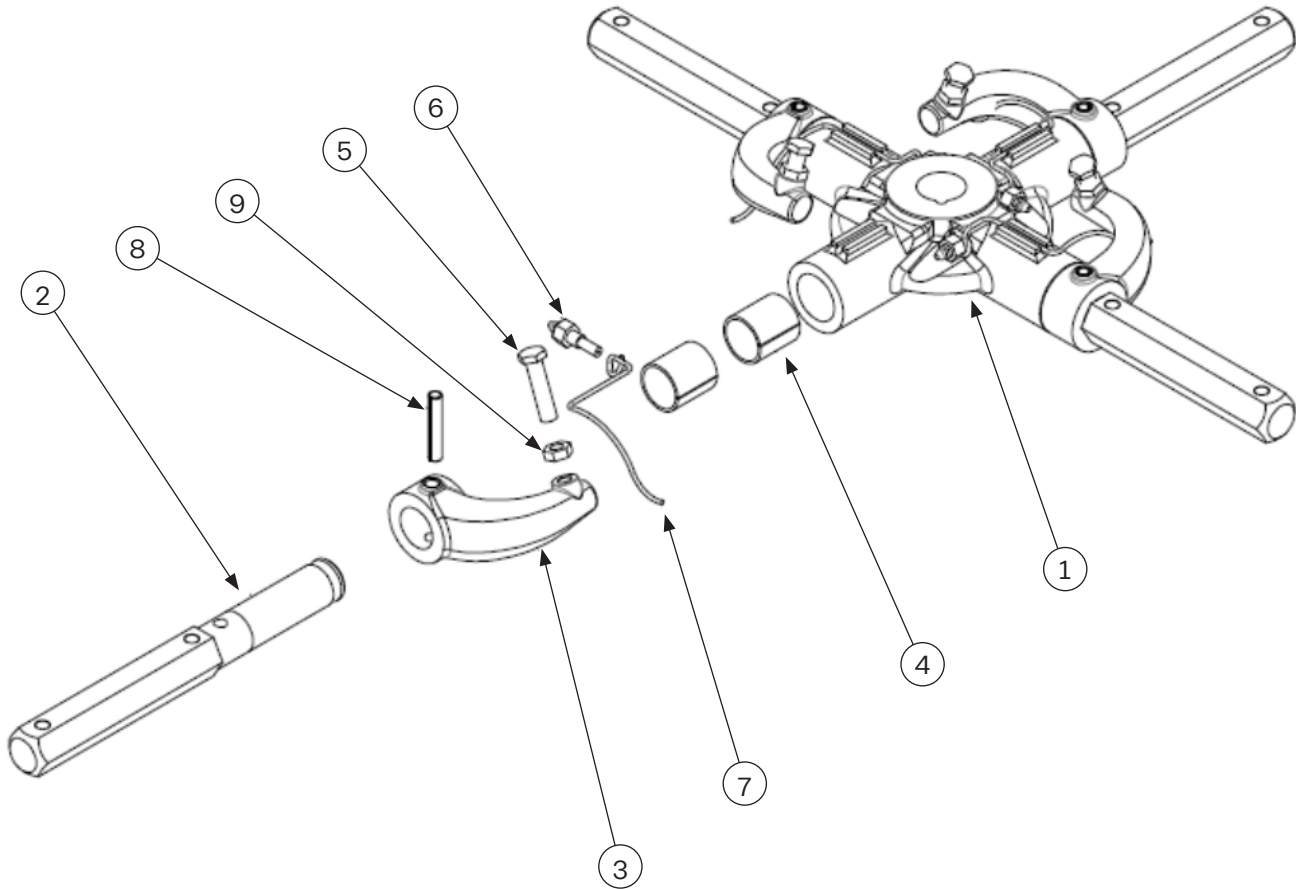
# GEARBOX (R4326)



## PARTS BREAKDOWN

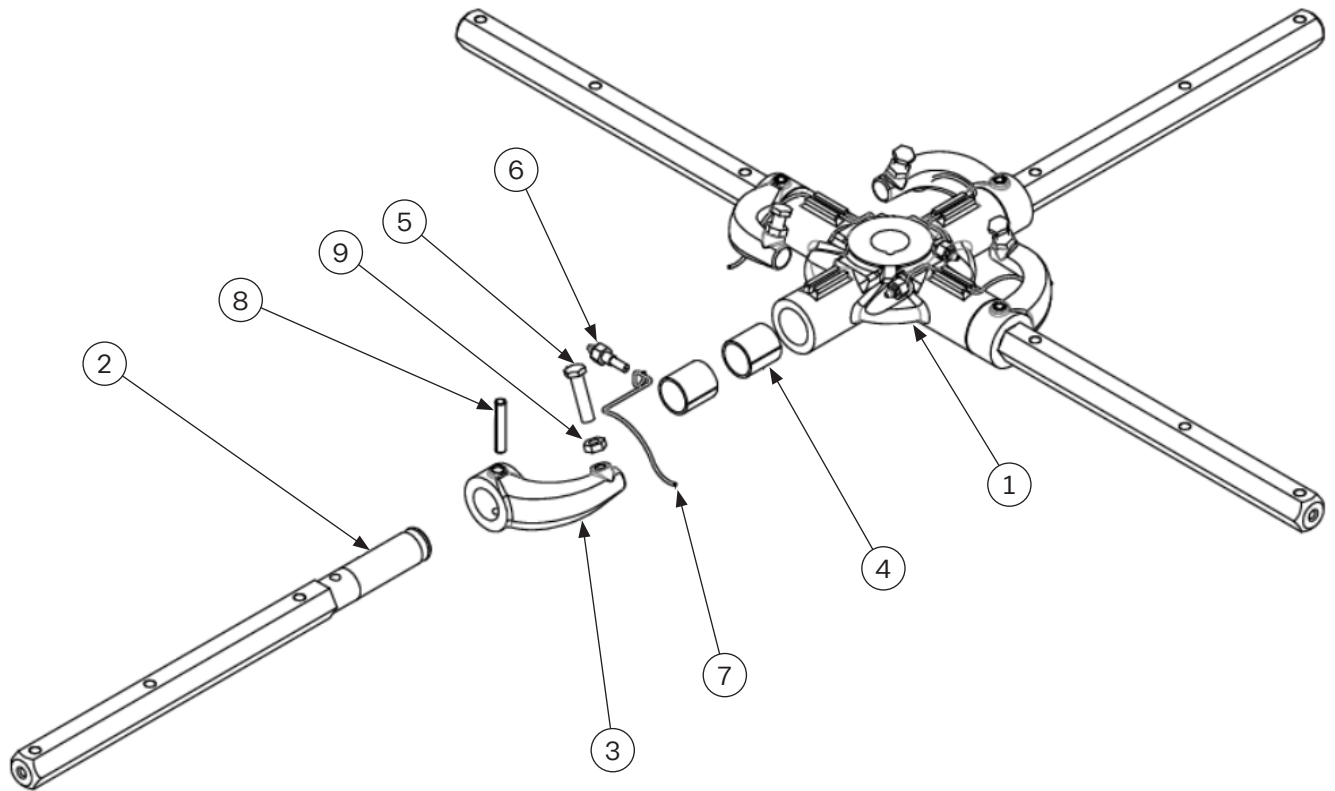
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1	GEARBOX	R4327	1
2	GEARBOX COVER	R4328	1
3	GEARBOX CAP	R4329	1
4	GEAR	WX2303	1
5	INPUT WORM SHAFT	WX2352	1
6	OUTPUT CONE	WX2359	2
7	OUTPUT CUP	WX2361	2
8	INPUT CONE	WX2358	2
9	INPUT CUP	WX2360	2
10	OUTPUT SEAL	WK217	1
11	INPUT SEAL	WK216	1
12	OUTPUT O-RING	WK215	1
13	INPUT O-RING	WK214	1
14	3/4 NPT SIGHT GLASS	WR1281	1
15	PLUG, 3/8 SQ	WR1295	2
16	KEY, 5/16 X 5/16 X 1	WR1288	1
17	INPUT SHIM KIT	28294	1
18	OUTPUT SHIM KIT	28295	1
19	OUTPUT SHAFT	R4314	1
20	VENT, 1/8 NPT	WR1318	1
21	HEX CAP SCREW 1/4-20 X 5/8	WR1303	4
22	HEX CAP SCREW 5/16 -18 X 3/4	WR1309	4
23	HEX CAP SCREW 1/ 4-28 X 1/4	WR1304	4
11,13,17	GEARBOX INPUT GASKET/SEAL KIT	28907	1
8,9	GEARBOX INPUT BEARING KIT	28908	1
10,12,18	GEARBOX OUTPUT GASKET/SEAL KIT	28909	1
6,7	GEARBOX OUTPUT BEARING KIT	28910	1

## 36" SPIDER ASSEMBLY (R4415)



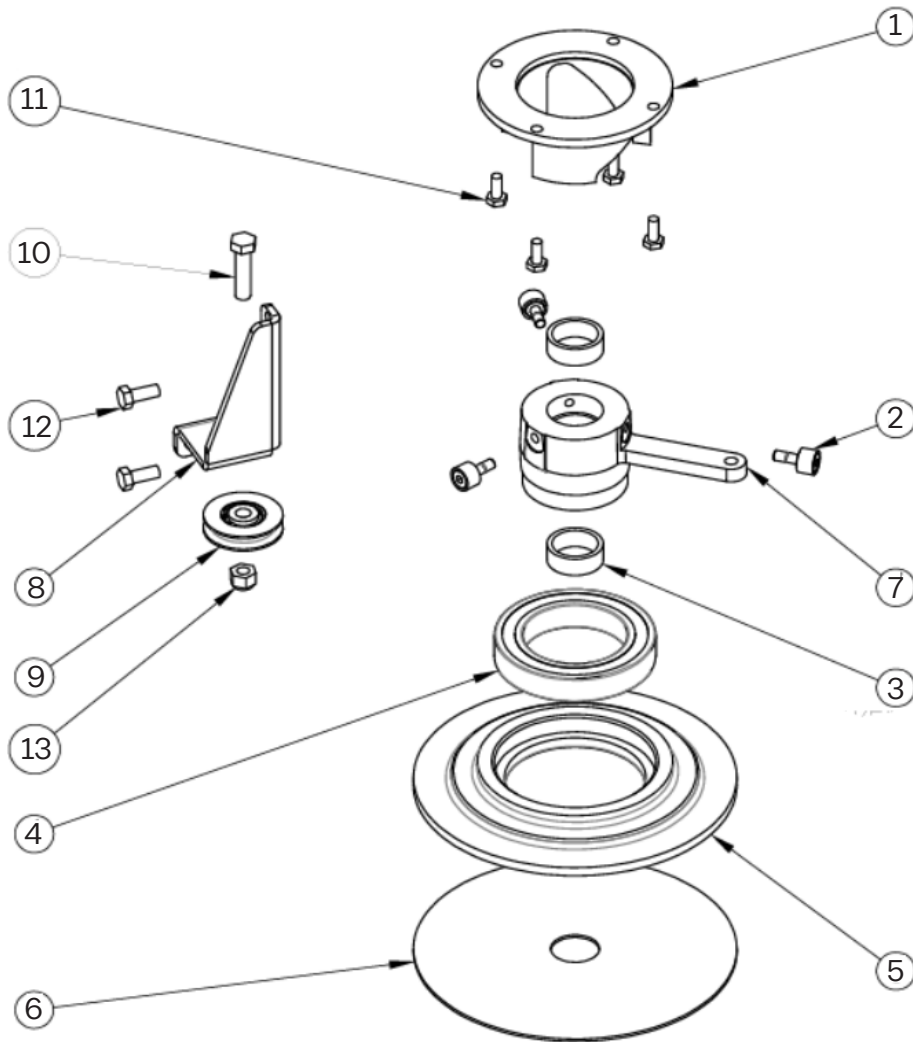
REF #	NAME	PART #	QTY
1	SPIDER BASE	R4361	1
2	TROWEL ARM	28911	4
3	SPIDER FINGER	R4363	4
4	ARM BUSHING	28913	8
5	PITCH ADJUSTMENT BOLT	WR1280	4
6	RETAINING SCREW	WX2343	4
7	ARM SPRING	WX2333	4
8	ROLL PIN, 5/16 X 1 3/4	WR1299	4
9	HEX JAM NUT, 3/8-16	WR1197	4

## 46" SPIDER ASSEMBLY (R4359)



REF #	NAME	PART #	QTY
1	SPIDER BASE	R4361	1
2	TROWEL ARM	28912	4
3	SPIDER FINGER	R4363	4
4	ARM BUSHING	28913	8
5	PITCH ADJUSTMENT BOLT	WR1280	4
6	RETAINING SCREW	WX2343	4
7	ARM SPRING	WX2333	4
8	ROLL PIN, 5/16 X 1 3/4	WR1299	4
9	HEX JAM NUT, 3/8-16	WR1197	4

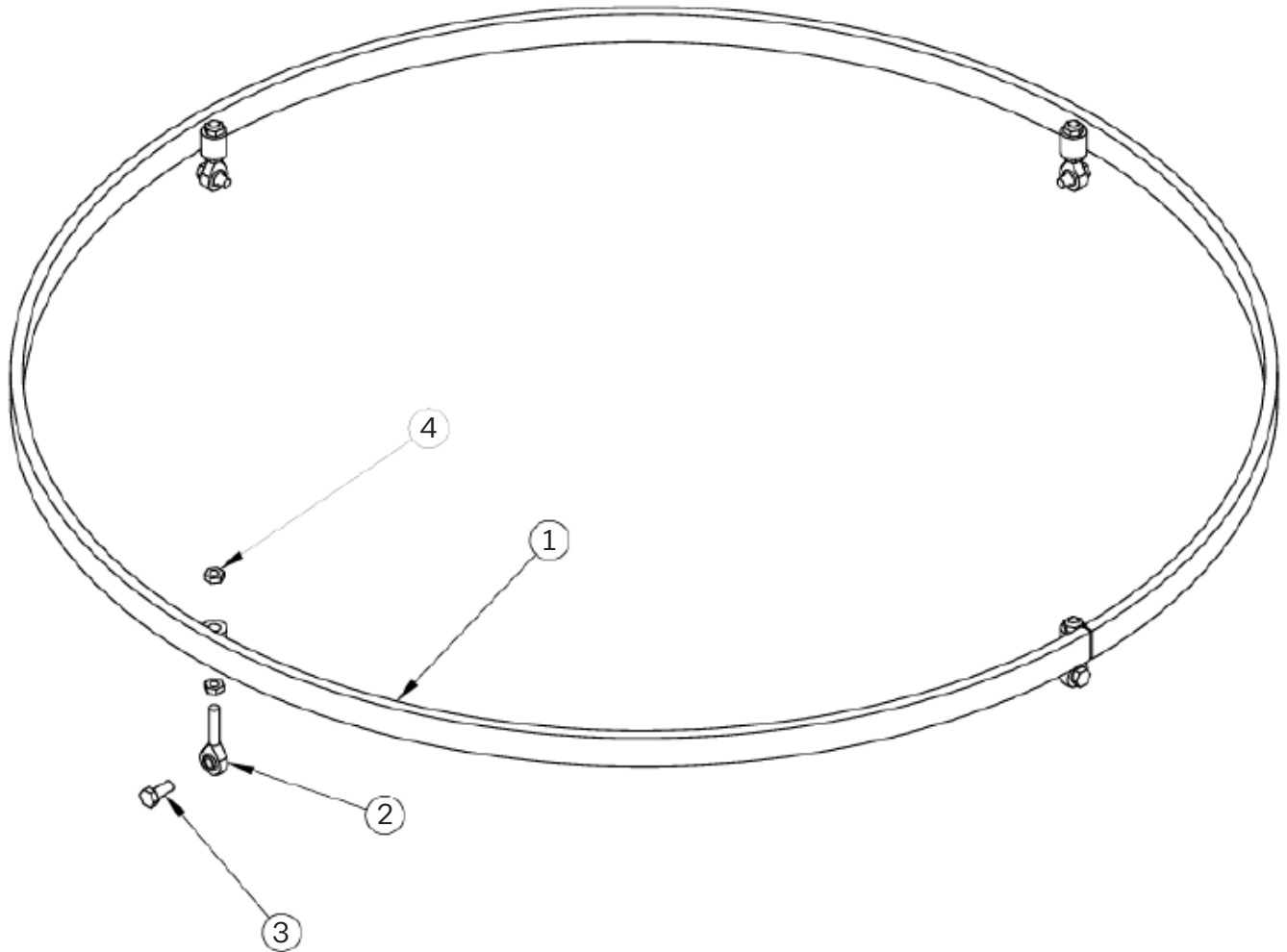
## THRUST COLLAR ASSEMBLY (R4333)



REF #	NAME	PART #	QTY
1	PITCH CAM	R4334	1
2	FOLLOWER CAM	WR1276	3
3	BUSHING	WL685	2
4	THRUST BEARING	WX2357	1
5	THRUST COLLAR	R4335	1
6	WEAR PLATE	WX2351	1
7	PITCH LEVER	R4337	1
8	PITCH CABLE BRACKET	R4338	1
9	PITCH CABLE PULLEY	WC882	1
10	HEX CAP SCREW 3/8- 16 X 1.50	WR1305	1
11	HEX CAP SCREW 1/4- 20 X 5/8	WR1303	4
12	HEX CAP SCREW 5/16- 18 X 5/8	WR1309	2
13	NYLOCK HEX NUT 3/ 8- 16	WR445	1
1-7, 11	THRUST COLLAR KIT	R4513	1
8-10, 12, 13	PITCH BRACKET KIT	R4119	1
3-6	THRUST BEARING KIT	28914	1

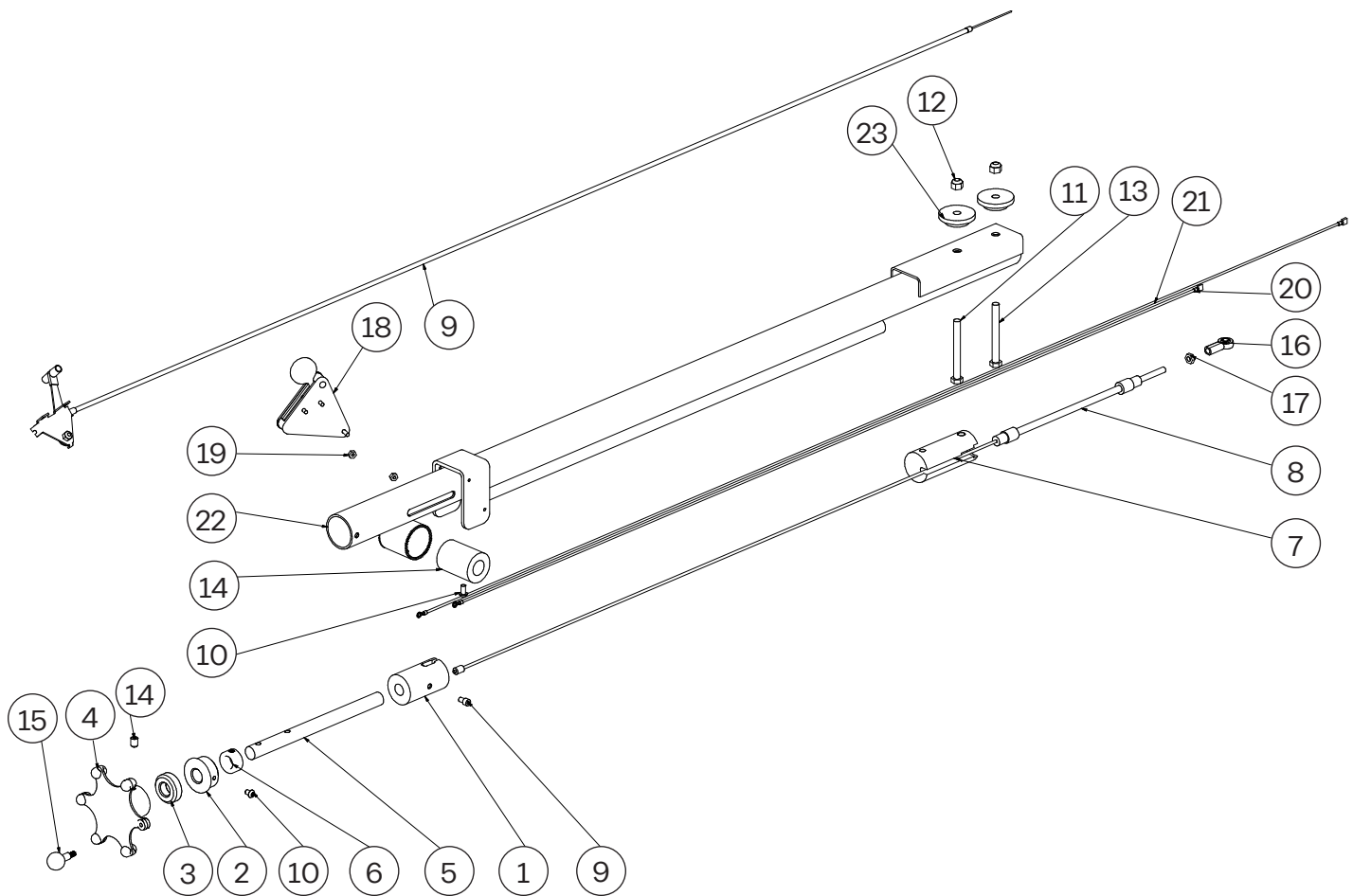


## STABILIZER ASSEMBLY 46" ONLY (R4355)



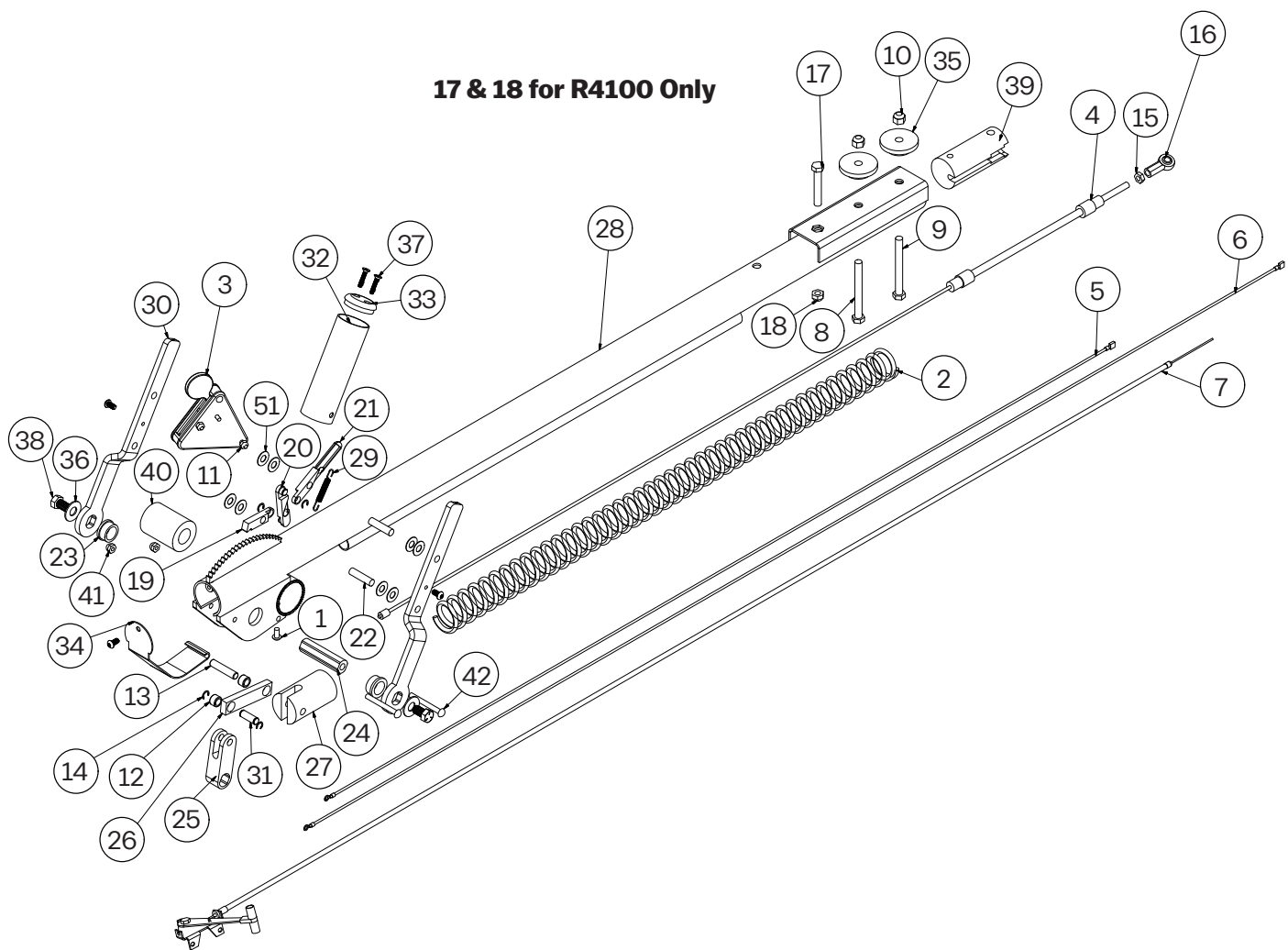
REF #	NAME	PART #	QTY
1	STABILIZER RING	R4356	1
2	ROD END, 5/16 MA LE	WR1298	4
3	HEX CAP SCREW 5/16-18 X 3/4	WR1309	4
4	JAM HEX NUT 5/16-24	WR1292	8

# FULL KNOB STYLE HANDLE ASSEMBLY (R4341)

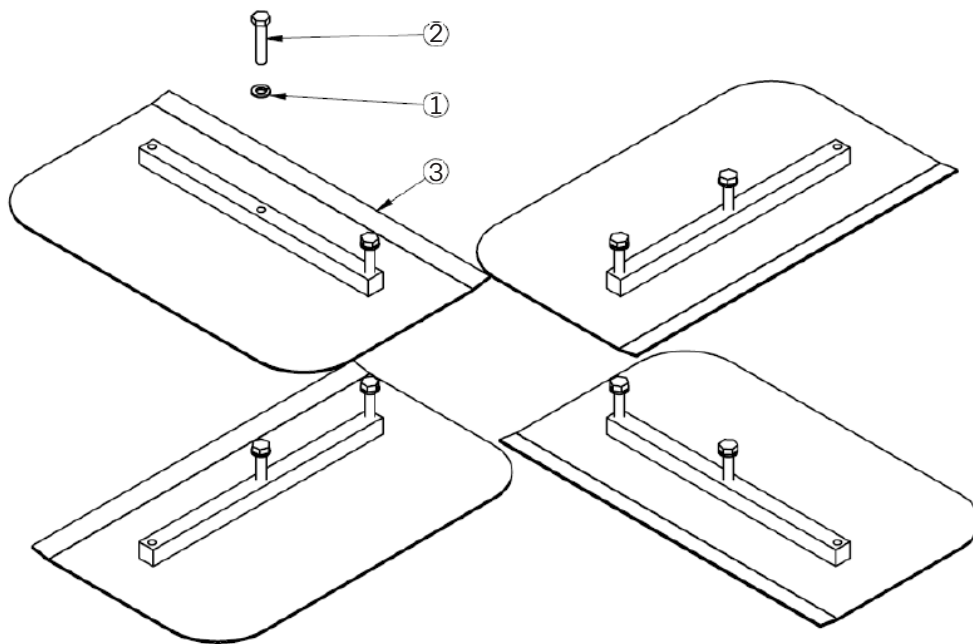


REF #	NAME	PART #	QTY
1	SLIDE BLOCK	R4348	1
2	HANDLE END	R4414	1
3	THRUST BEARING	WX2365	1
4	HAND WHEEL	R4349	1
5	3/4 ACME THREADED ROD	WX2348	1
6	3/4 SET COLLAR	WR1275	1
7	HANDLE SUPPORT BLOCK	R4347	1
8	PITCH CABLE	28918	1
9	THROTTLE ASSEMBLY	28915	1
10	SOCKET HEAD SCREW BUTTON 1/4-20 X 3/8	WR1315	2
11	HEX CAP SCREW 3/8-16 X 3.5 FULL THD	WR1308	1
12	HEX NUT 3/8-16 NYLOCK	WR445	2
13	HEX CAP SCREW 3/8-16 X 3.5	WR1307	1
14	UPPER HANDLE SPACER (INCLUDED WITH R4373, SEE UPPER HANDLE ASSEMBLY)	R4379	1
15	REVOLVING HANDLE	WR1277	1
16	ROD END, FEMALE 5/16	WR1283	1
17	HEX NUT 5/16-24	WR1292	1
18	CENTRIFUGAL SAFETY SWITCH ASSEMBLY	28916	1
19	HEX NUT 10-24	WR1290	2
20	GROUND WIRE ASSEMBLY	R4351	1
21	SAFETY WIRE ASSEMBLY	R4353	1
22	HANDLE TUBE	R4342	1
23	SPACER, GEARBOX	28917	2
4-6, 8, 11, 16, 23, 24	KNOB STYLE HANDLE END KIT	28926	1
R4341 & R4373	FULL KNOB STYLE HANDLE ASSEMBLY	R3888	1

# RAPID PITCH HANDLE TUBE ASSEMBLY (R4100 and R4248 - GX160 ENGINE)

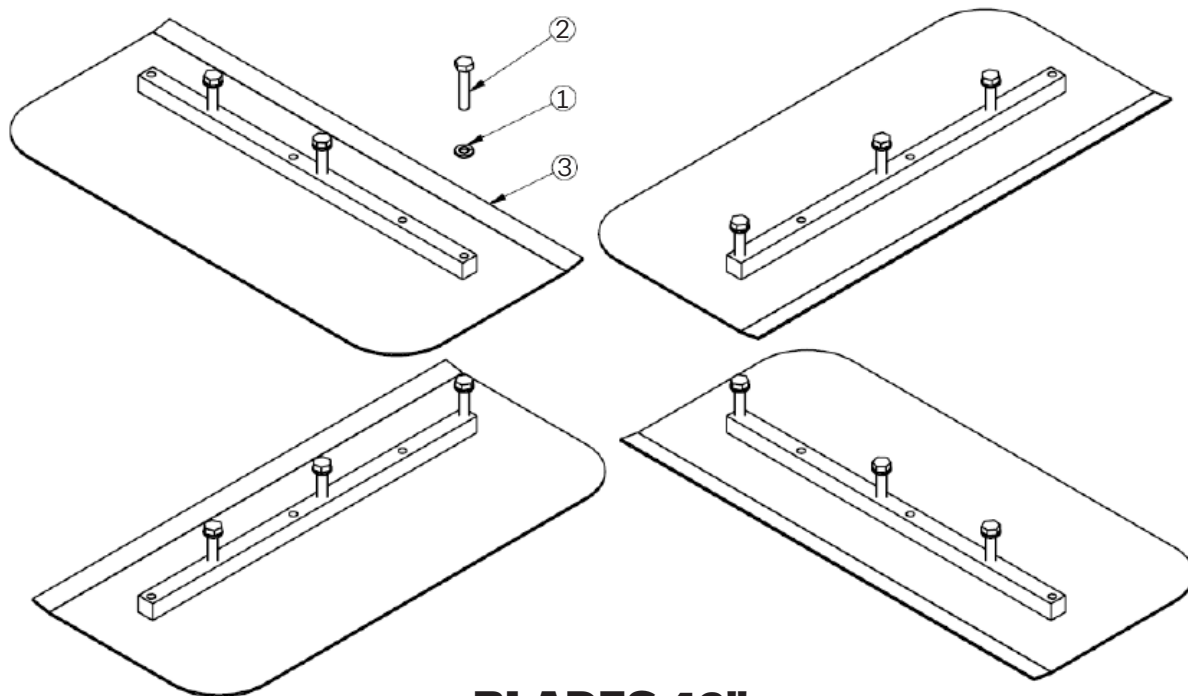


REF #	NAME	PART #	QTY
1	ROUNDED HEAD 1/4-20 X 1/2	WR1315	4
2	SPRING	WX2334	1
3	CENTRIFUGAL SAFETY SWITCH ASSEMBLY	28916	1
4	PITCH CABLE	28918	1
5	GROUND WIRE ASSEMBLY	R4351	1
6	SAFETY WIRE ASSEMBLY	R4353	1
7	THROTTLE ASSEMBLY	28915	1
8	HEX CAP SCREW 3/8-16 X 3.5 FULL THD	WR1308	1
9	HEX CAP SCREW 3/8-16 X 3.5	WR1307	1
10	HEX NUT 3/8-16 NYLOCK	WR445	2
11	HEX NUT 10-24	WR1290	2
12	NEEDLE BEARING 3/8 X 3/8	WX2356	2
13	DOWEL PIN 3/8 X 1.75	WR1284	1
14	RETAINING RING	WR1296	4
15	HEX NUT 5/16-24	WR1292	1
16	ROD END, FEMALE 5/16	WR1283	1
17	HEX CAP SCREW 3/8-16 X 2.25	WR1306	1
18	HEX NUT 3/8-16	WR1291	1
19	LOCKING LINK	WU912	1
20	CONNECTING LOCKING LINK	WU911	1
21	PITCH RELEASE LEVER	WU910	1
22	DOWEL PIN 3/8 X 1.25	WR1430	2
23	FLANGED SLEEVE BEARING	WR1431	2
24	PITCH HANDLE SHAFT	R4444	1
25	SLIDER LINK LEVER	R4446	1
26	LINK PITCH	WX2306	1
27	SLIDE BLOCK	R4400	1
28	HANDLE TUBE	R4406	1
29	EXTENSION SPRING	WR1432	1
30	PITCH HANDLE	R4321	2
31	PIVOT LINK PIN	R4401	1
32	GRIP	R4322	1
33	GRIP CAP	R4443	1
34	PITCH COVER	R4402	1
35	GEARBOX SPACER	R4447	2
36	WASHER 7/16	WR1056	2
37	FLAT HEAD SCREW 10-24 X 1	WR1429	2
38	HEX CAP SCREW 7/16-14 X 3/4	WR1174	2
39	HANDLE SUPPORT BLOCK	R4347	1
40	UPPER HANDLE SPACER (INCLUDED WITH R4373, SEE UPPER HANDLE ASSEMBLY)	R4379	1
41	HEX NUT 1/4-20	WR1289	2
42	ROUNDED HEAD 1/4-20 X 2 1/4	WR1311	2
N/A	FULL HANDLE ASM W/ UPPER HANDLEBARS	R3389	1
N/A	FULL HANDLE ASM W/ UPPER HANDLEBARS GX160	R3879	1



## BLADES 36"

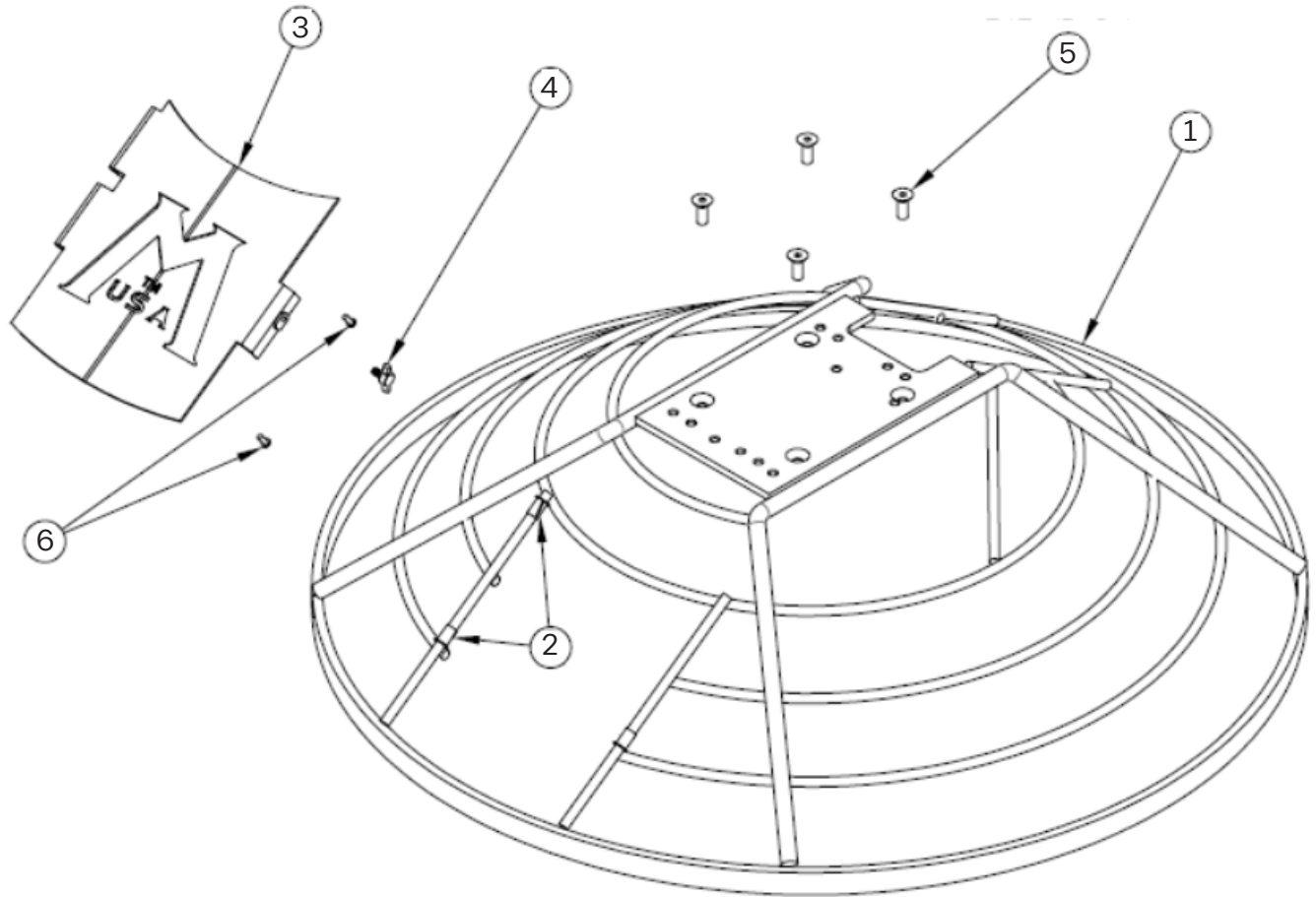
REF #	NAME	PART #	QTY
1	LOCK WASHER 5/16	WR364	8
2	HEX CAP SCREW 5/16-18 X 1.5	WR1008	8
3	8X14 COMBO BLADE	M6092 (4-PACK)	4



## BLADES 46"

REF #	NAME	PART #	QTY
1	LOCK WASHER 5/16	WR364	12
2	HEX CAP SCREW 5/16-18 X 1.5	WR1008	12
3	8X18 COMBO BLADE	M6094 (4-PACK)	4

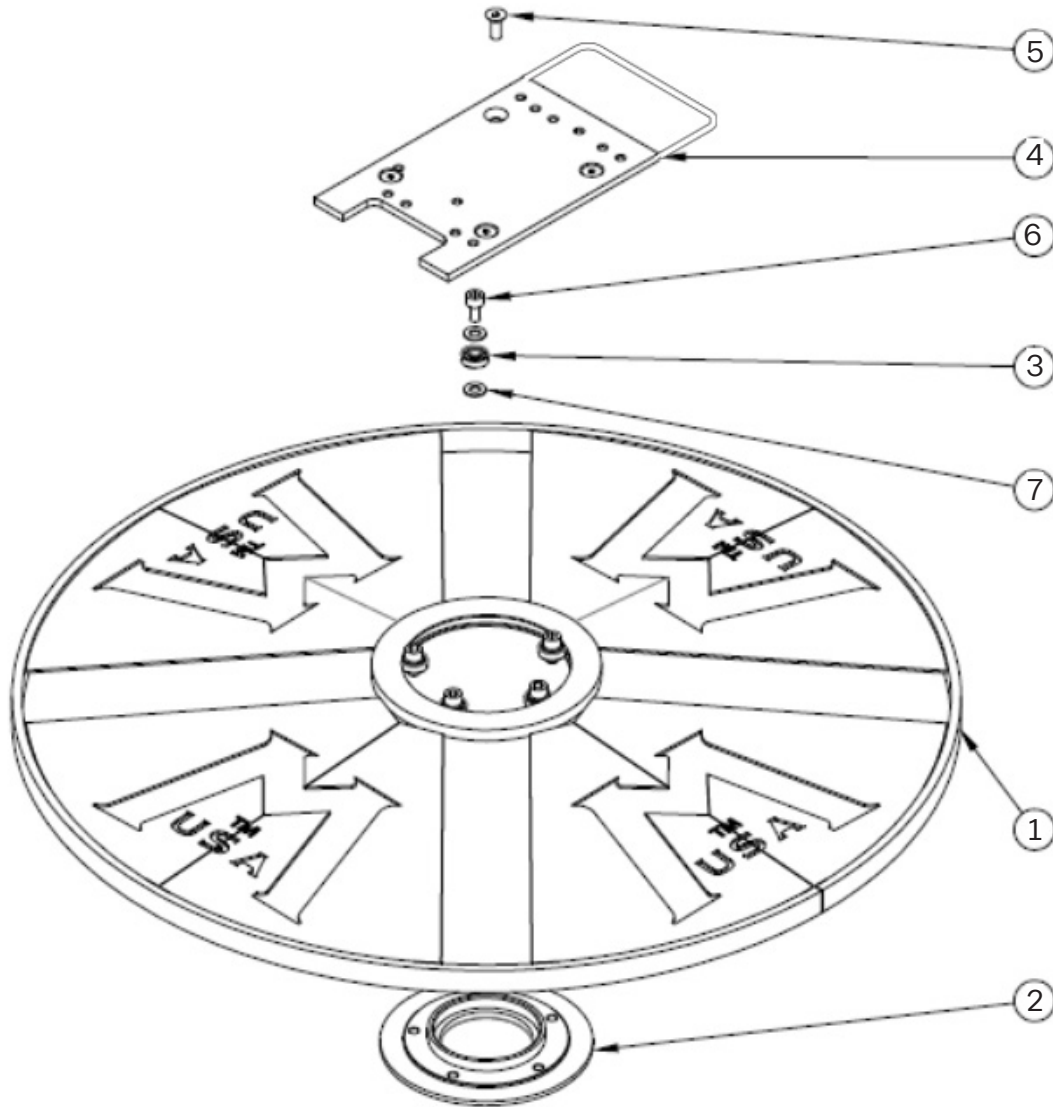
## 36" GUARD RING (R4385) 46" GUARD RING (R4366)



REF #	NAME	PART #	QTY
1	36" GUARD RING	R4387	1
	46" GUARD RING	R4367	
2	BUSHING, SPLIT NYLON 3/8"	WL684	2
3	ACCESS DOOR FOR 36"	R4389	1
	ACCESS DOOR FOR 46"	R4371	
4	BELT GUARD SCREW	WR1279	1
5	FLAT HEAD SCREW, 3/8 -16 X 3/4	WR1302	4
6	ROUNDED HEAD SCREW 10-24 X 1/2	WR1158	2

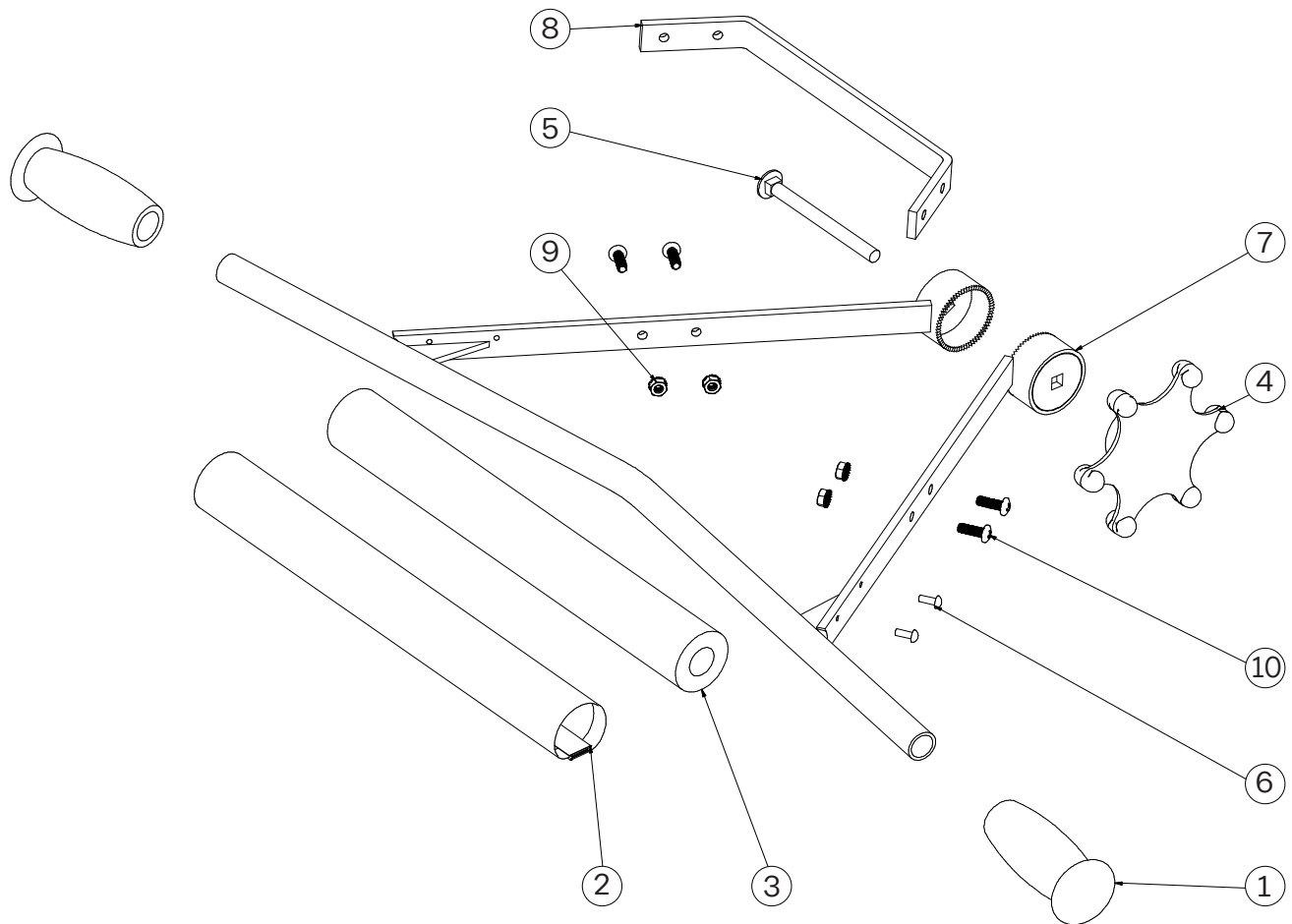


## 36" EDGER ROTATING RING (R4393)



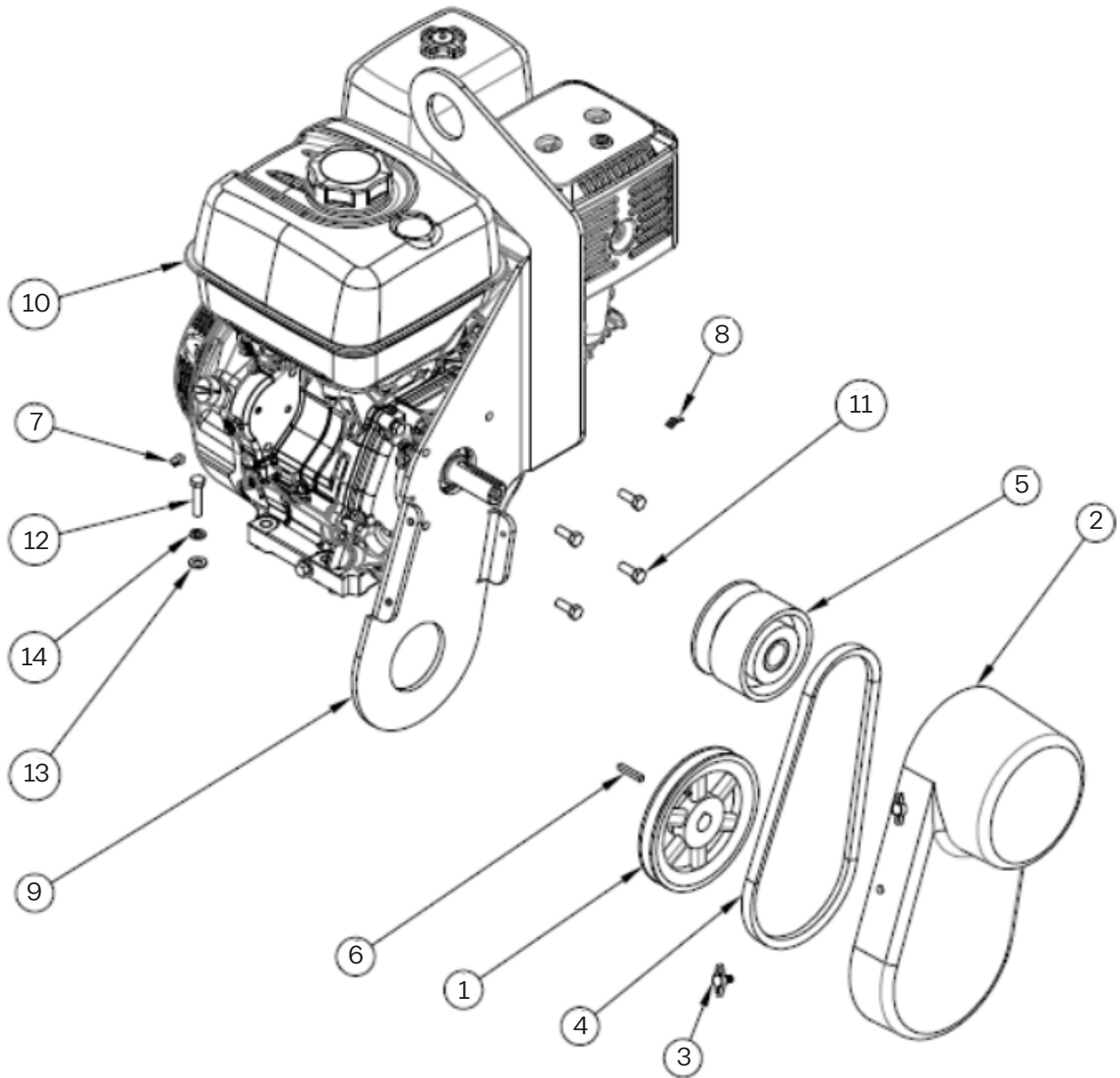
REF #	NAME	PART #	QTY
1	ROTATING RING	R4394	1
2	PITCH SLEEVE	R4397	1
4	GUARD RING MOUNT	R3971	1
5	FLAT HEAD SCREW, 3/8 - 16 X 1.0	WR1302	4
3,6,7	BALL BEARING KIT	28927	1

## UPPER HANDLE ASSEMBLY (R4373)



REF #	NAME	PART #	QTY
1	GRIP, HANDLE	WK210	2
2	PAD COVER	WX2295	1
3	PAD, HANDLE	WX2319	1
4	HANDLE BAR ADJUSTMENT KNOB	R4375	1
5	CARRIAGE BOLT 3/8-16 X 4 1/2	WR1301	1
6	ROUNDED HEAD SCREW, 10-24 X 1/2	WR1158	2
7	HANDLE BAR	R4376	1
8	BRACE, HANDLE BAR	R4449	1
9	KEPS NUT, 1/4-20	WR413	4
10	ROUNDED HEAD SCREW, 1/4-20 X 3/4	WR1378	4

## DRIVE ASSEMBLY



## GX340 (R4380) AND GX270 (R4382)

REF #	NAME	PART #	QTY
1	PULLEY	WX2321	1
2	BELT GUARD	28921	1
3	BELT GUARD SCREW	WR1279	3
4	V-BELT, A29	28922	1
5	CLUTCH, 1"	WX2291	1
6	KEY, 3/16 X 3/16 X 1.25	WX2305	1
7	SAFETY WIRE TAP	WR1287	2
8	GROUND WIRE LUG	WR1282	2
9	LIFTING MOUNT FOR GX340 AND GX270	R4381	1
10	ENGINE, HONDA GX 340	WX2362	1
	ENGINE, HONDA GX 270	WX2302	1
11	HEX CAP SCREW 5/16 - 24 X 7/8	WR1338	4
12	HEX CAP SCREW 5/16 - 24 X 1 1/2	WE1345	4
13	FLAT WASHER 5/16	WR236	4
14	LOCK WASHER 5/16	WR364	4

## GX160 (R4391)

REF #	NAME	PART #	QTY
1	PULLEY	WX2321	1
2	BELT GUARD	28921	1
3	BELT GUARD SCREW	WR1279	3
4	V-BELT, A27	28922	1
5	CLUTCH, 3/4"	WX2292	1
6	KEY, 3/16 X 3/16 X 1.25	WX2305	1
7	SAFETY WIRE TAP	WR1287	2
8	GROUND WIRE LUG	WR1282	2
9	LIFTING PLATE	R4416	1
10	ENGINE, HONDA GX160	WX2301	1
11	HEX CAP SCREW 5/16 - 24 X 7/8	WR1338	4
12	HEX CAP SCREW 5/16 - 24 X 1 1/2	WE1345	4
13	FLAT WASHER 5/16	WR236	4
14	LOCK WASHER 5/16	WR364	4

# **TROUBLESHOOTING**

## **ENGINE WON'T START:**

1. Check safety switches. Tether should be attached and weight pushed away from operator. Check for loose connections.
2. Check for sufficient fuel.
3. Check oil level. Engines have an "Oil Alert" feature, which prevents them from starting when the oil level is low.
4. Was engine choked when starting?
5. Is engine flooded?
6. Check spark plug. (Clean and check gap)
7. If engine still will not start, consult the engine owner's manual or take it to an authorized service center.

## **BLADES WON'T MOVE OR ARE SLOWER THAN NORMAL:**

1. Check the throttle cable to make sure it is allowing the engine throttle to move freely in its entire range of motion.
2. Check the v-belt. Replace if worn.
3. Check the clutch. Replace if needed.
4. Check the gear box.

## **MACHINE IS UNBALANCED:**

1. Check for excessively worn blades.
2. Check the pitch of the blades. Make sure all blades are pitched at the same angle. See "ADJUSTING THE PITCHING ARMS" section for more information.
3. Check the arms, arms bushing, thrust collar, and thrust collar bushings for damage or wear.

## **ENGINE KEEPS DYING:**

1. Check handle to make sure it is secured to the base tightly, otherwise the centrifugal safety switch might activate.
2. Check for sufficient fuel.

## **SAFETY SWITCH DOES NOT STOP ENGINE:**

1. Check wire connection, damaged wire or if there is debris in the switch.

## **BLADES WON'T PITCH:**

1. Check to see the blades are installed correctly.
2. Check to see that the pitch cable is attached and intact.





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