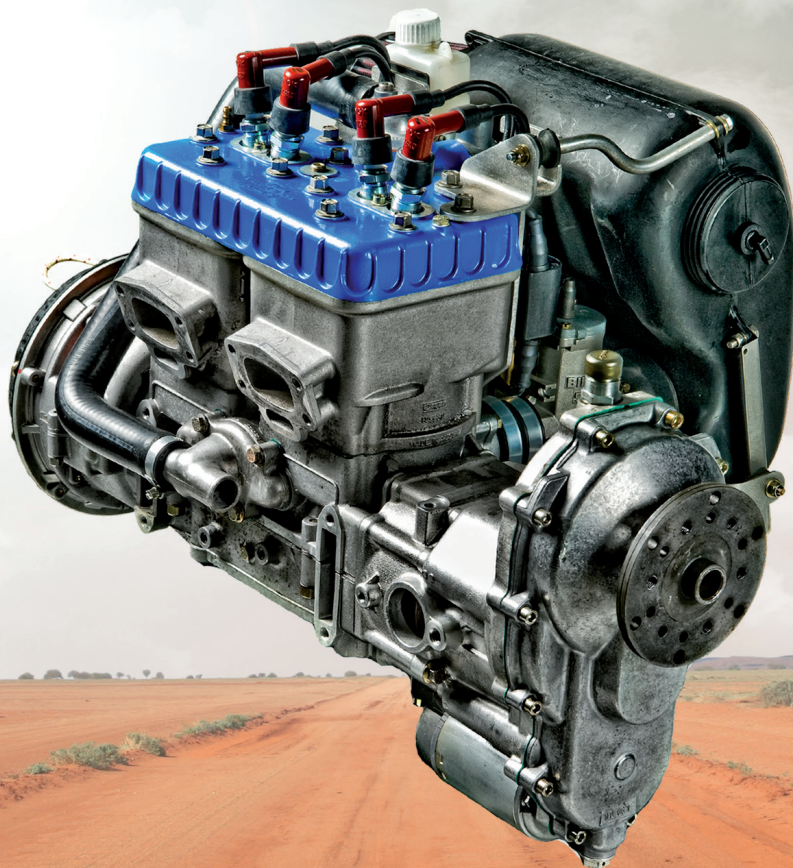


# MAINTENANCE MANUAL

(LINE MAINTENANCE) FOR ROTAX<sup>®</sup> ENGINE TYPE 582 UL SERIES



**ROTAX<sup>®</sup> 582 UL DCDI Mod. 99** WITH OPTIONS

**ROTAX<sup>®</sup> 582 UL DCDI Mod. 17** WITH OPTIONS

## **WARNING**

**Before starting any maintenance work, please read the Maintenance Manual completely as it contains important safety relevant information. Failure to do so may result in personal injuries including death. Consult the original equipment manufacturers handbook for additional instructions!**

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**Foreword**

Before carrying out maintenance work on the engine, read this Maintenance Manual carefully.

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BRP-Rotax wishes you much pleasure and satisfaction flying your aircraft powered by this ROTAX®-aircraft engine.

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## GENERAL

- Purpose** The purpose of this Manual is to acquaint (iRMT) trained maintenance service staff with some necessary technical requirements for maintaining the engine into the aircraft in compliance with the relevant installation and safety instructions provided by the engine manufacturer.
- Documentation** For more detailed information regarding, installation, maintenance, safety- or flight operation, consult the documentation provided by the aircraft manufacturer and/or dealer.
- For additional information on engines, maintenance or parts, you can also contact your nearest ROTAX® Authorized Aircraft Engines Distributors or their independent Service Centers.
- ROTAX® Distributors** For ROTAX® Authorized Distributors for Aircraft Engines see latest Operators Manual or on the Internet at the official Website [www.FLYROTAX.com](http://www.FLYROTAX.com).
- Engine serial number** When making inquiries or ordering parts, always indicate the engine serial number, as the manufacturer might make modifications to the engine in the course of product improvement. The engine serial number is on the top of the crankcase, magneto side.

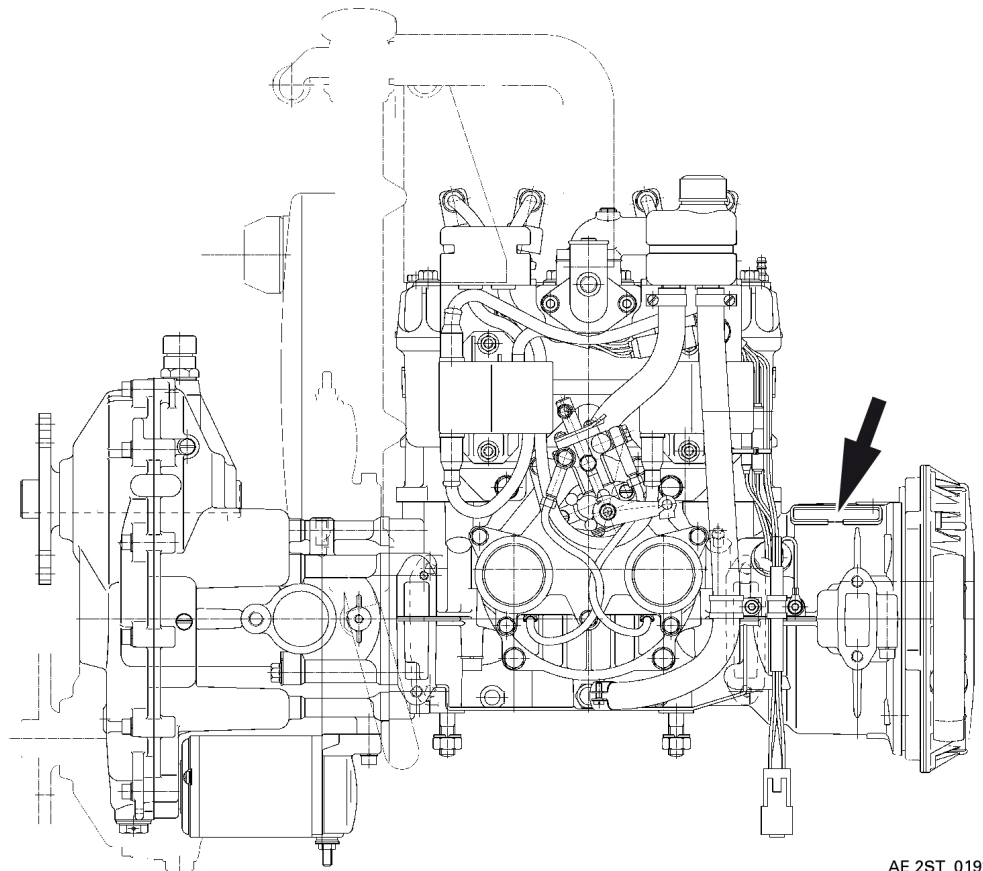


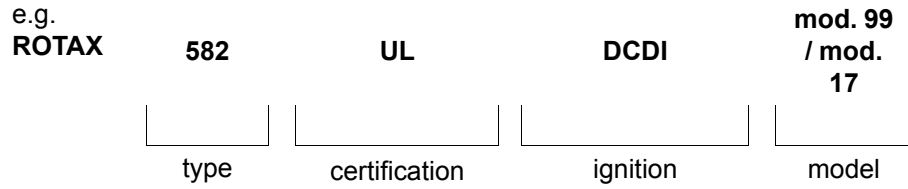
Figure 1.1: Serial number



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**TYPE DESCRIPTION**

The type description consists of the following:





**Designation**

Designation		Description
<b>Type</b>	<b>582</b>	Two stroke engine, 2 cylinder in line with rotary valve inlet.
<b>Certification</b>	<b>UL</b>	Approved to ASTM F2339.
<b>Ignition</b>	<b>DCDI</b>	Dual Capacitor Discharge Ignition
<b>Model</b>	<b>mod. 99 / mod. 17</b>	Model year

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**ABBREVIATIONS AND TERMS**

Abbreviations	Description
*	Reference to another section
	center of gravity
	The drop symbol indicates use of sealing agents, adhesives or lubricants (only in the Illustrated Parts Catalog).
°C	Degrees Celsius (Centigrade)
°F	Degrees Fahrenheit
rpm	Revolutions per minute
A	Ampere
AC	alternating current
Ah	Ampere hour
A/C	Aircraft
AR	as required
assy.	assembly
ASB	Alert Service Bulletin
ACG	Austro Control GmbH
API	American Petrol Institute
ASTM	American Society for Testing and Materials
ATA	Air Transport Association
AWG	American Wire Gauge
CW	clockwise
CCW	counter-clockwise
CGSB	Canadian General Standards Board
DCDI	Dual Capacitor Discharge Ignition
DOA	Design Organisation Approval
DOT	Department of Transport
EASA	European Aviation Safety Agency
EN	European Norm
FAA	Federal Aviation Administration
FAR	Federal Aviation Regulations
hr.	hours

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IFR	Instrument Flight Rules
IM	Installation Manual
INTRO	Introduction
IPC	Illustrated Parts Catalog
ips	inch per second
iRMT	independent ROTAX Maintenance Technican
ISA	International Standard Atmosphere
kg	Kilograms
LEP	List of Effective Pages
MMH	Maintenance Manual Heavy
MML	Maintenance Manual Line
MON	Motor Octane Number
MAG	Magneto Side
N	Newton
n.a.	not available
NDT	Non Destructive Testing
Nm	Newton metre
NVFR	Night Visual Flight Rules
OHM	Overhaul Manual
OHV	Over Head Valve
OM	Operators Manual
part no.	Part number
POA	Production Organisation Approval
PTO	Power Take Off
Rev.	Revision
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RON	Research Octane Number
S/N	Serial Number
SAE	Society of Automotive Engineers
SB	Service Bulletin
SI	Service Instruction
SL	Service Letter
SMD	Surface Mounted Devices

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s.v.	still valid (only Illustrated Parts Catalog)
TBO	Time Between Overhaul
TC	Type certificate
TOA	Table Of Amendment
TOC	Table of content
TSN	Time Since New
TSNP	Time Since New Part
TSO	Time Since Overhaul
V	Volt
VFR	Visual Flight Rules
XXXX	shows the serial component number



WIRING COLOR CODES

# IEC 60757

## Color codes (wiring)

black		BK
brown		BN
red		RD
orange		OG
yellow		YE
green		GN
blue		BU
purple		VT
gray		GY
white		WH
pink		PK
turquoise		TQ
Light blue		BU
Dark blue		DBU
gold		GD
silver		SR
green-yellow		GNYE

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Figure 1.2

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**CONVERSION TABLE**

<b>Units of length:</b>	<b>Units of power:</b>
1 mm = 0.03937 in 1 in = 25.4 mm 1 ft = 12 in = 0.3048 m	1 kW = 1.341 hp 1 hp = 0.7457 kW 1 kW = 1.3596 PS 1 PS = 0.7355 kW
<b>Units of area:</b>	<b>Units of temperature:</b>
1 cm <sup>2</sup> = 0.155 sq. in (in <sup>2</sup> ) 1 sq. in (in <sup>2</sup> ) = 6.4516 cm <sup>2</sup>	K = °C – 273,15 °C = (°F – 32) / 1,8 °F = (°C x 1.8) +32
<b>Units of volume:</b>	<b>Units of velocity:</b>
1 cm <sup>3</sup> = 0.06102 cu in (in <sup>3</sup> ) 1 cu in (in <sup>3</sup> ) = 16.3871 cm <sup>3</sup> 1 dm <sup>3</sup> = 1 l 1 dm <sup>3</sup> = 0.21997 gal (UK) 1 gal (UK) = 4.5461 dm <sup>3</sup> 1 dm <sup>3</sup> = 0.26417 gal (US) 1 gal (US) = 3.7854 dm <sup>3</sup>	1 m/s = 3.6 km/h 1 ft/min = 0.3048 m/min = 0.00508 m/sec 1 m/s = 196.85 ft/min 1 kt = 1.852 km/h 1 km/h = 0.53996 kn
<b>Units of mass:</b>	<b>spec. fuel consumption:</b>
1 kg = 2.2046 lbs. 1 lb. = 0.45359 kg	1 g/kWh = 0.001644 lb/hph 1 lb/hph = 608.277 g/kWh
<b>Density:</b>	<b>Units of torque:</b>
1 g/cm <sup>3</sup> = 0.016018 lb/ft <sup>3</sup> 1 lb/ft <sup>3</sup> = 62.43 g/cm <sup>3</sup>	1 Nm = 0.737 ft lb = 8.848 in lb 1 ft lb = 1.356 Nm 1 in lb = 0.113 Nm
<b>Units of force:</b>	<b>Cable cross-section: Conversion table- Wire Gauge: AWG-mm<sup>2</sup></b>
1 N = 0.224809 lbf 1 lbf = 4.4482 N	AWG → mm <sup>2</sup> 4 → 21 6 → 13 8 → 8.4 10 → 5.3 12 → 3.3 14 → 2.1 16 → 1.3 18 → 0.8 20 → 0.52
<b>Units of pressure:</b>	
1 Pa = 1 N/m <sup>2</sup> 1 bar = 100 000 Pa / 1000 hPa / 100 kPa 1 bar = 14.503 lbf/in <sup>2</sup> (psi) 1 in Hg = 33.8638 hPa	

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## **SAFETY NOTICE**

Although reading such information does not eliminate any hazards, it promotes understanding and application of the information and will promote correct use of the engine. Always apply common workshop safety rules.

The information and descriptions of components and systems contained in this Manual are correct at the time of publication. BRP-Rotax maintains a policy of continuous improvement of its products without imposing upon itself any obligation to retrofit products previously manufactured.

### **Revisions**

BRP-Rotax reserves the right to remove, replace or discontinue any design, specification, feature or other at any time, and without incurring obligation.

### **Measurement**

Specifications are given in the SI metric system with the imperial- and US customary measurement system equivalents in parenthesis.

### **Symbols used**

This Manual uses the following symbols to emphasize particular information. This information is important and must be observed.

#### **⚠ WARNING**

**Identifies an instruction which, if not followed, may cause serious injury or even fatal injury.**

#### **⚠ CAUTION**

**Identifies an instruction which, if not followed, may cause minor or moderate injury.**

#### **ATTENTION**

**Identifies an instruction which, if not followed, may severely damage the engine or could void any warranty.**

### **NOTE**

*Indicates supplementary information which may be needed to fully complete or understand an instruction.*

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL NOTE**

**Environmental notes give you tips on environmental protection.**

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## SAFETY INFORMATION

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### **⚠ WARNING**

#### **Non-compliance can result in serious injuries or death!**

The user has to assume all risks possibly arising from utilizing auxiliary equipment.

### **⚠ WARNING**

#### **Non-compliance can result in serious injuries or death!**

Never fly the aircraft equipped with this engine at locations, air speeds, altitudes or in other situations which do not allow a successful no-power landing after sudden engine stoppage.

- This engine is not suitable for aerobatics (inverted flight, etc.). Flight attitudes outside the permissible limits are not allowed.
- It should be clearly understood that the choice, selection and use of this particular engine on any aircraft is at the sole discretion and responsibility of the aircraft manufacturer, assembler or owner/user.
- Due to the varying designs, equipment and types of aircraft, BRP-Rotax grants no warranty on the suitability of its engines use on any particular aircraft. Further, BRP-Rotax grants no warranty on this engines suitability with any other part, component or system which may be selected by the aircraft manufacturer, assembler or user for aircraft application.

### **⚠ WARNING**

#### **Non-compliance can result in serious injuries or death!**

For each use of DAY VFR, NIGHT VFR or IFR in an aircraft the applicable legal requirements and other existing regulations must be adhered to.

- In addition to observing the instructions in our Manual, general safety and accident precautions, legal regulations and regulations of any aeronautical authority must be observed.
- Where differences exist between this Manual and regulations provided by any authority, the more stringent regulation shall be applied.
- Unauthorized modifications of engine or aircraft will automatically exclude any liability of the engine manufacturer for sequential damage.

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## INSTRUCTION

Engines require instructions regarding their installation, application, use, operation, maintenance and repair.

Technical documentation and regulations are useful and necessary complementary elements for trainings, but can by no means substitute for theoretical and practical instructions.

These instructions should cover explanation of the technical context, advice for operation, maintenance, installation, use and operational safety of the engine.

### Safety notice

In this technical Manual passages concerning safety are especially marked. Pass on safety warnings to other users!

### Accessories

This engine must only be operated with accessories supplied, recommended and released by BRP-Rotax. Modifications are only allowed after consent of the engine manufacturer.

### Spare parts



See Illustrated Parts Catalog for the engine type 582 mod. 99 / mod. 17, latest issue.

#### ATTENTION

**Only use GENUINE ROTAX® spare parts. Spare parts must meet the requirements defined by the engine manufacturer. This can only be guaranteed when using GENUINE-ROTAX®-spare parts and/or accessories. Spare parts are available at ROTAX® Authorized Distributors and their independent Service Centers. Any warranty by BRP-Rotax will become void if spare parts and/ or accessories other than GENUINE-ROTAX®-spare parts and/or accessories are used (see latest Warranty Conditions).**

See relevant Service Letter on [www.FLYROTAX.com](http://www.FLYROTAX.com)

### Standard tools / Special tools

#### ATTENTION

**Only use tools and appliances which are suitable for the relevant task according to the latest Manuals.**

### State of delivery

#### ⚠ WARNING

**Engine and gearbox are delivered in “dry” conditions (without fuel, oil and coolant).**

Before putting the engine into operation it must be filled with oil and cooling liquid. Use only oil and coolant as specified.

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## MAINTENANCE CONCEPT

**General note** The maintenance functions detailed in this Manual are divided into two categories:

- Maintenance I (Line Maintenance)
- Maintenance II (Heavy Maintenance)

Repairs beyond the levels detailed in this Manual are not recommended as maintenance functions and must be conducted by an authorized service facility.

### **Maintenance I (Line Maintenance)**

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The scope of line maintenance consists of removal, installation and adjustment of engine components (including part wear). All procedures in this Manual are to be considered line maintenance.

#### **NOTE**

*Where applicable, you will be referred to the Heavy Maintenance Manual for work above and beyond line maintenance.*

### **Maintenance II (Heavy Maintenance)**

Separate Manual.

Maintenance Manual II details removal, installation and repair of components or parts normally considered beyond the scope of the "Line Maintenance".

#### **NOTE**

*This Manual can only be used in combination with Maintenance Manual I (Line Maintenance), as it builds upon it.*

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## TECHNICAL DOCUMENTATION

These documents form the instructions ensuring continued airworthiness of ROTAX® aircraft engines.

The information contained herein is based on data and experience that are considered applicable for authorized mechanics (iRMT, see Maintenance Manual Line) under normal conditions for engine removal and installation. Concerning design of engine installations in depth knowledge of aircraft design is required.

Due to the fast technical progress and fulfillment of particular specifications of the customers it may occur that existing laws, safety prescriptions, constructional and operational regulations may not be sufficient or cannot be transferred completely to the object bought, in particular for special constructions.

### Documentation

- Installation Manual
- Operators Manual
- Maintenance Manual (Line and Heavy Maintenance)
- Illustrated Parts Catalog
- Alert Service Bulletin
- Service Bulletin / Service PAC
- Service Instruction
- Service Instruction-Parts and Accessories
- Service Letter



### Status

The status of the Manuals can be determined by checking the table of amendments. The first column of this table indicates the revision status, which should be compared with the revision provided on the ROTAX®-Website: [www.FLYROTAX.com](http://www.FLYROTAX.com)  
Amendments and current versions can be downloaded free of charge.

### Replacement pages

Furthermore the Manual is constructed in such a way that single pages can be replaced instead of the complete document. The list of affected pages is given in the chapter LEP. The particular edition and revision number is given on the footer of each page.

### Reference

This Manual for maintenance is only part of the technical documentation and will be supplemented by the respective Operators Manual, Installation Manual and Illustrated Parts Catalog.

#### ATTENTION

**Pay attention to references to other documentation, found in various parts of this Manual.**

If not stated otherwise, any reference to a document refers to the latest edition issued by BRP-Rotax.

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This symbol informs you of additional references (data sheets, Manuals, etc.) associated with the given subject.

## Illustrations

The illustrations in this Manual are merely sketches and show typical arrangements. They may not represent full detail or the exact shape of the parts but should outline the same or similar function. Therefore deriving dimensions or other details from illustrations is not permitted.

TYPICAL indicates a general view which may not represent exact details.

## NOTE

*The Illustrations in this Manual are stored in a graphic data base system and are provided with a consecutive irrelevant number.*

*This number (e.g. AE 2ST\_001) is of no significance for the content.*

Some measurements are given in the drawings, these are manufacturing dimensions and are subject to corresponding tolerances.



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## USE FOR INTENDED PURPOSE

### **⚠ WARNING**

#### **Explosion hazard.**

Flying components can cause serious injuries.  
Never run an engine without propeller.

- Use** The engine ROTAX® 582 UL DCDI mod. 99 / mod. 17 is intended for use in uncertified aircraft. In case of doubt the regulations of the national authorities or the respective sportive federations have to be observed.
- Never run the engine without propeller, this inevitably causes engine damage and hazard of explosion.
- Uncertified engines** The engine ROTAX® 582 UL DCDI mod. 99 / mod. 17 is uncertified. These engines have not received any safety or durability testing, and conform to no aircraft standards. These engines are meant for use in experimental, uncertified aircraft and vehicles only, in which an engine failure will not compromise safety.
- Engine stoppage** In using the engine the operator assumes all risk of use and acknowledges that he/she knows this engine is subject to sudden stoppage.
- Maintenance and repair conditions** Use for intended purpose also includes observation of the operational, maintenance and repair conditions prescribed by the manufacturer. This is a crucial factor concerning the reliability of the engine and can increase the durability of the engine.

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**Introduction**      The information given in the Maintenance Manual is based on data and experience which are considered to be applicable for a skilled aviation mechanic (iRMT) under normal working conditions.

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**GENERAL NOTE**

**⚠ WARNING**

**Non-compliance can result in serious injuries or death!**

Besides our instructions in the documentation supplied, also respect generally valid safety and accident preventive directives and legal regulations.

<b>Procedures and limits</b>	The procedures and limits in this Manual constitute the manufacturers official recommendation for engine maintenance and operation.
<b>Instruction</b>	The guidelines given in the Maintenance Manual are useful and necessary supplements to training. They, however, cannot substitute competent theoretical and practical personal instruction.
<b>Modifications</b>	Non-authorized modifications as well as the use of components and auxiliary components not corresponding to the installation instructions exclude any liability of the engine manufacturer.
<b>Parts and accessories</b>	We particularly emphasize that parts and accessories not supplied as genuine BRP-Rotax parts are not verified for suitability by BRP-Rotax and thus are not authorized for use. Installation and/or use of such products may possibly change or negatively influence the constructive characteristics of the engine. For damages resulting from use of non-genuine parts and accessories manufacturer refuses any liability.
<b>Special tools</b>	Maintenance of engines and systems requires special knowledge and special tools. Use only the special tools recommended by BRP-Rotax when disassembling and assembling the engine.

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**AUTHORIZED PERSONNEL**

**General note**

It is a requirement that all organizations or individuals possess the required special tooling. Technicians must have type-specific training and keep a recurrent knowledge status for the level of work they intend to perform. Technicians may require accreditation from their local aviation authority in addition to any BRP-Rotax requirements.

**Requisite knowledge**

Any task outlined herein may be performed if the organization or individual has met the following conditions:

<b>Requisite knowledge of the task as a result of:</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Type-specific training (for the applicable ROTAX® aircraft engine) which is approved by the national aviation authorities and/or BRP-Rotax.</li></ul>
<b>or</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Experience in performing the task <b>or</b></li><li>• Formal instruction from a BRP-Rotax authorized training facility <b>or</b></li><li>• Instruction by an authorized BRP-Rotax Distributor representative.</li></ul>
<b>Technicians must:</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• maintain a suitable work environment to prevent contamination or damage to engine parts or modules.</li><li>• use the required tools and fixtures as outlined in the ROTAX® Maintenance Manual.</li><li>• ensure reasonable and prudent maintenance practices are utilized.</li><li>• ensure the requirements of the applicable regulatory authority regarding maintenance procedures are met.</li></ul>

For more detailed information, maintenance organizations and individuals are encouraged to contact BRP-Rotax through its worldwide distribution network for information and guidance on any of the tasks outlined herein.

See [Chapter 00-00-00 section Technical Documentation](#).

**Type-specific training**

<b>Type-specific training:</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Independent ROTAX® Maintenance Technician (iRMT) training can be obtained from a ROTAX® approved training organization. Courses are available in various levels to suit the requirements of work the technician needs to perform. Each rating is valid for a 2 year period.</li></ul>

**Valid time**

ROTAX® iRMT specialty ratings are valid for a 2 year period after initial instruction. Recurrent training is required after 2 years to maintain a current status. In order to be eligible for the renewal program training, the technician must be able to show and declare that they have been working on ROTAX® engines during the past 2 years.

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**PROCEDURE NOTES**

**General note**

**⚠ WARNING**

**Non-compliance can result in serious injuries or death!**  
When carrying out maintenance and service work, respect without fail all safety regulations.

**Ignition “OFF”**

**⚠ WARNING**

**Non-compliance can result in serious injuries or death!**  
This precautionary measure serves to avoid any injuries in case of an unintentional start of the engine.

**Principally ensure the following at each maintenance event**

- Ignition is “OFF” and system grounded,
- Disconnect battery  
and secure engine against unintentional operation.

**Ignition “ON”**

**⚠ WARNING**

**Risk of electric shock!**  
The ignition is **switched on**, as long as the ground-cable (P lead) is not properly connected to ground.

At maintenance work which requires ignition “ON” and battery connected, take care of the following:

- Secure the propeller against unintentional turning by hand and
- Secure and observe propeller zone

**Handling of operating fluids**

**⚠ WARNING**

**Risk of burns and scalds. Hot engine parts.**  
Always allow engine to cool down to ambient temperature before starting work.

At maintenance of cooling, lubricating and fuel system take care without fail that no contamination, metal chips, foreign material and/or dirt enters the system.

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## Disassembly

At disassembly of the engine, mark the components as necessary to avoid any mix-up. Take care of these marks, don't ruin them.

## Tool

### ATTENTION

**In order to avoid mechanical damage, always loosen or tighten screws and nuts with specified tools.**

## Safety wiring

### ATTENTION

**If during disassembling/reassembling the removal of a safety item (e.g. safety wiring, self-locking fastener, etc.) should be necessary, it must always be replaced by a new one.**

## Cleaning of parts

### ATTENTION

**All metal and synthetic parts should be cleaned with suitable cleaning agents. Before using new and unknown cleaning agents, check their compatibility with the materials they are being used on.**

## Removed parts

Before re-using disassembled parts, clean, check and refit them as per instructions. Use clean screws and nuts. Always inspect the contact face and thread for damage. If unsure, use new parts.

## Self-securing nuts

Once loosened, always replace self-securing nuts.

### ⚠ WARNING

**Non-compliance can result in serious injuries or death!**

Exactly observe the tightening torques for screws and nuts. Overtightening or a connection which is too loose could cause serious engine damage.

## Sealing rings, O-rings

At reassembly of the engine, replace all sealing rings, gaskets, securing elements, O-rings and oil seals.

## Re-assembly

Before re-assembly check components for missing parts. Only use adhesives, lubricants, cleaning agents and solvents indicated in the maintenance instructions. Failure to comply may result in damage.

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**TROUBLESHOOTING**

**General notes**

Possible problems are listed in the Operators Manual. At the same time, a brief description of the necessary remedial action is given.



See Chapter 4 in the Operators Manual for engine type 582 UL mod. 99 / mod. 17.



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**CONSUMABLE MATERIALS**

**General note**

**ATTENTION**

**Use only the specified or technically equivalent materials from BRP-Rotax for all maintenance work. When handling chemicals, comply with all the customary regulations and specifications of the producer, including the expiry date and instructions of use.**

**NOTE**

*To some extent product descriptions deviate in spite of equivalent technical properties, i.e.: LOCTITE 243. If necessary contact the manufacturer concerning the comparability. In some cases information can be obtained from the local authorized distributors and service partners for ROTAX® engines.*

**NOTE**

*Respect the manufacturers instruction concerning the curing time and the expiry date of the particular surface sealing compound.*

The materials specified have been tested for a long time and are suitable for all operating conditions indicated by the manufacturer.

No.	Part no.	Description, application	Qty.
AA	n.a.	<b>MOLYKOTE PG 54</b> High-performance grease for plastic/plastic, plastic/metal and rubber/metal combinations involving slow to medium fast movements and light to medium loads.	AR
B	897651	<b>LOCTITE 243</b> Blue medium duty screw locking agent, oil tolerant	10 ml
C	899788	<b>LOCTITE 648</b> Green high temperature screw locking agent + retaining compound	5 ml
E	297434	<b>LOCTITE ANTI SEIZE 8151</b> Long-term lubricant for shaft seals	50 ml
F	n.a.	<b>LOCTITE 7063</b> For degreasing and cleaning surfaces	AR
H	897870	<b>K&amp;N FILTER OIL 99-11312</b>	14.8 ml
I	897330	<b>LITHIUM-BASED GREASE</b> Electrical isolating	250 g

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No.	Part no.	Description, application	Qty.
O	n.a.	<b>Engine oil</b> For easier assembly of components or for first lubrication before first engine start	AR
Q	297386	<b>Silastic 732 RTV</b> One-component silicone adhesive/sealant	100 g
V	898570	<b>Screw securing paint</b> Seals screws	20 ml
Z	899789	<b>LOCTITE 603</b> Oil tolerant retaining compound, heavy-duty	10 ml

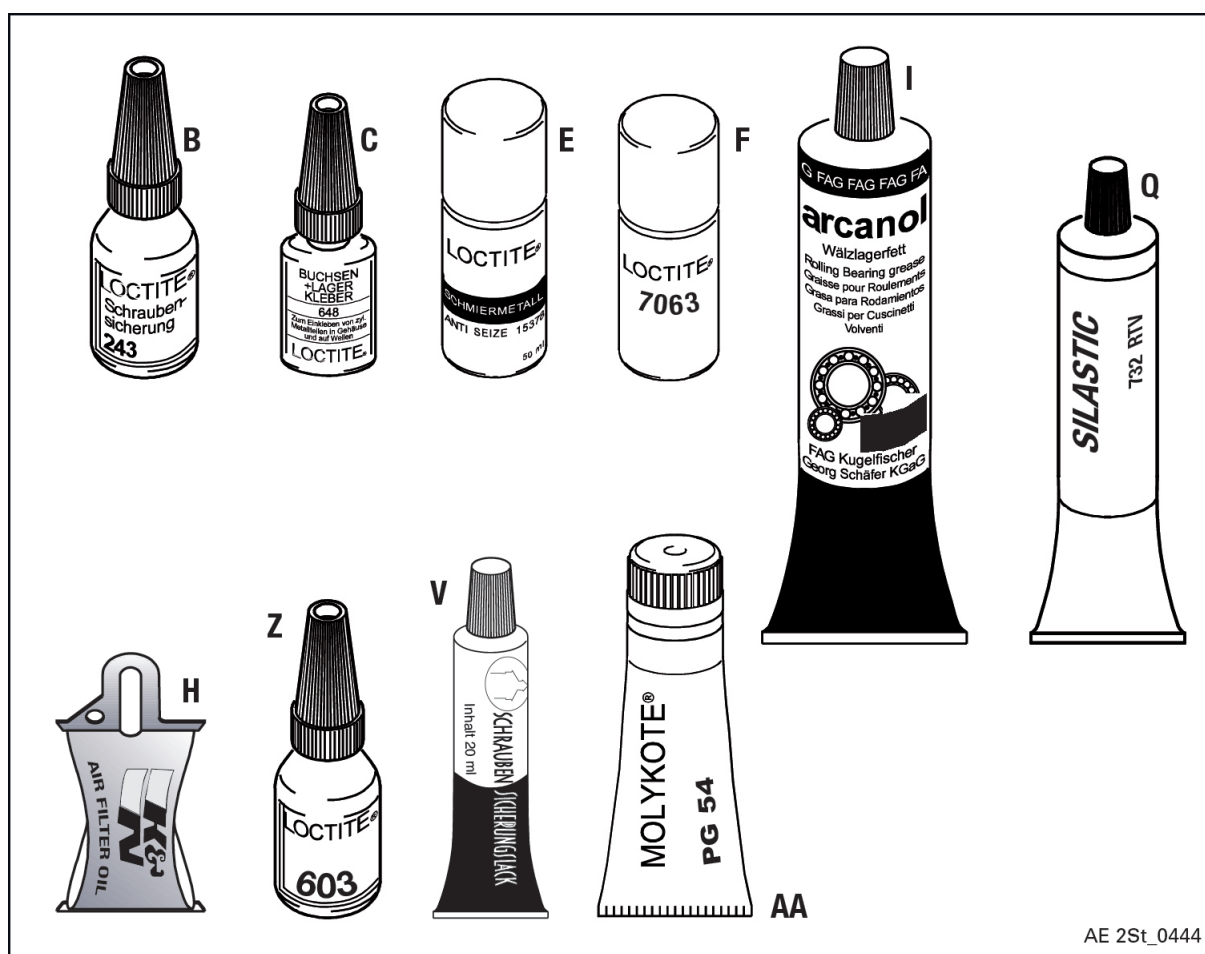


Figure 2.1: Lubricant tools

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### Additional materials

ATTENTION		
<b>Use only approved cleaning agents (e.g. kerosine, varsol, etc.) for cleaning all metal parts.</b>		
part no.	Description, Application	Qty.
n.a	<p><b>Cleaning agents</b> Do not use lye-based cold cleaner or degreasing agents. Do not clean coolant or oil hoses with aggressive solutions. Clean off sealing compound residue with sealant remover. Soak combustion chamber, piston and cylinder head with cleaning agent and remove combustion residues with a bronze brush. Very good results have been achieved with "Clenvex 2000". It is a solvent-cold cleaner, free of halogen, on the basis of selected fuel fractions with tenside and is biologically disposable. Never use caustic or corrosive cleaning agents.</p>	AR
n.a	<p><b>Preservation oil</b> This special oil has excellent penetrating capabilities and reaches even tiny gaps, its highly effective additives protect against corrosion of metal surfaces</p>	AR
n.a	<p><b>Abrasive pad for surface finishing 3M Scotch-Brite Multi Flex - very fine or ultra fine</b> It sold by the meter and used for manual removal of smaller rust spots or oxidation, especially for optimum ground connections. It is highly suitable for removing LOCTITE from surfaces or threads to make them metallic clean. Before reapplying LOCTITE, clean surfaces with nitro thinners or degreasing agent (CASTROL ZA 30 or OMV-SOFT SOL). When using solvents, observe the safety regulations for persons and environment regarding use and proper disposal.</p>	AR
n.a	<p><b>Compressed air blasting using a solid blasting agent</b> This method is suitable for local and gradual very fine treatment of steel parts with rust film (propeller shaft). The MICRONORM abrasive contains no harmful substances, is approved by the competent authorities and guarantees optimum cleaning. The granulates used are of sizes 40 to 60 <math>\mu</math>. The achievable surface roughness is between 0.5 to 1 <math>\mu</math>, which corresponds to ultrafine machining of surfaces.</p>	AR

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**ACCEPTABLE METHODS, TECHNIQUES AND PRACTICE**

**General note** All general inspection, maintenance and repair has to be carried out in accordance with Advisory Circular AC 43.13 from FAA.

**Advisory Circular** This Manual "Advisory Circular" AC describes maintenance methods, techniques and practice. These are recognized and authorized for inspection and repairs in non-pressurized areas for which there are no separate maintenance and repair instructions.

**Self-locking**

**ATTENTION**

**Self-locking nuts, cotter pins, tab washers and safety wires must be replaced each time they have been removed.**

All instructions regarding the securing and lubrication of parts must be observed. Adherence to specified torque values is required.

**Nut securing** When using a self-locking nut, make sure the polyamide insert ring meets the requirements of DIN 985. Be sure that the securing elements on the nut is positioned towards the outside, in accordance with DIN 980.

**Lock washer** **NOTE**  
*When fitting lock washers, the curved-up ends (1) must point towards the screw head or nut.*

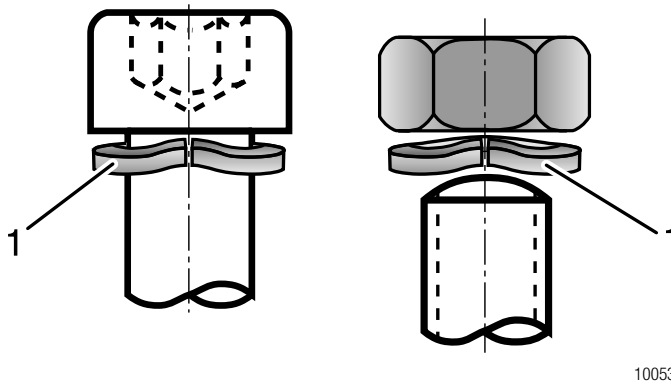


Figure 2.2: Lock washer

**Safety wiring** Safety wiring serves to secure screws or nuts to prevent unintended loosening. The screw or nuts are secured by a 0.8 mm (.0315 in) safety wire twisted 3 to 4 turns per 10 mm (.4 in.). The wire must by no means be overstretched.

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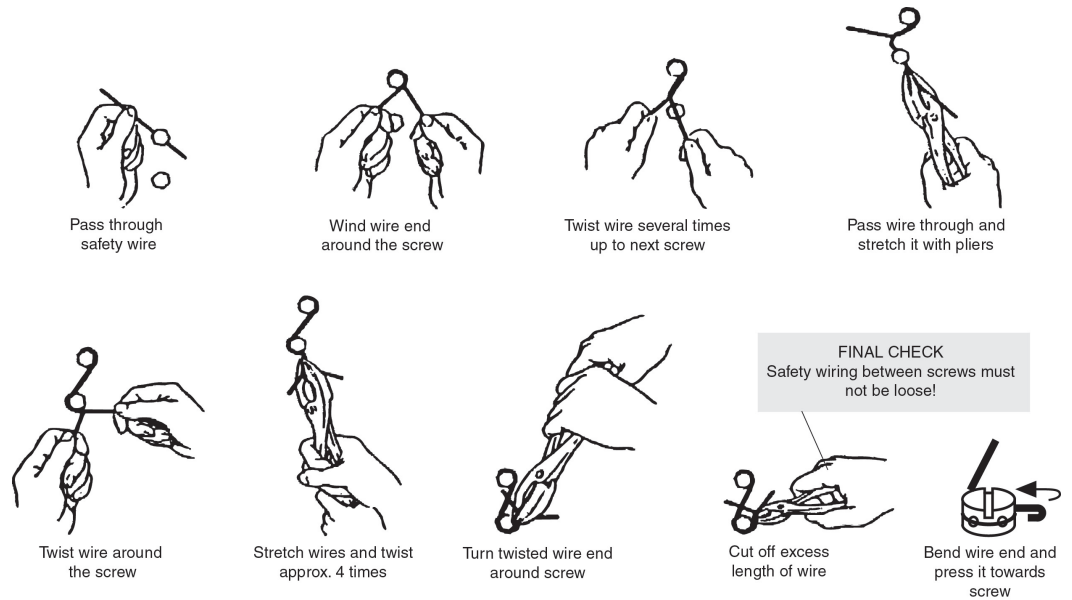


Figure 2.3: Safety wiring

**ATTENTION**

**As a principle, all external engine components and accessories must be wire-secured for safety reasons.**

Various typical applications of safety wiring

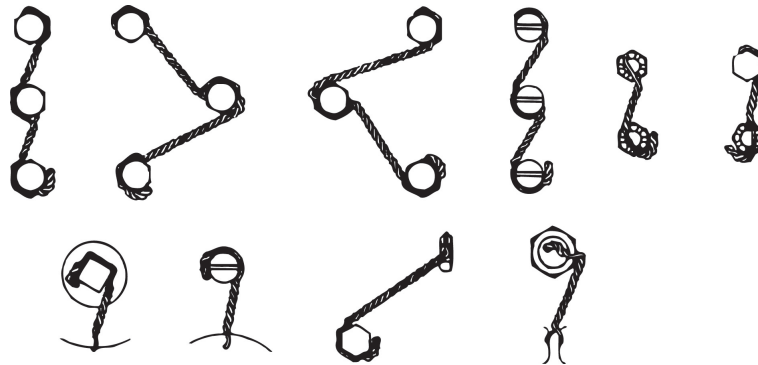


Figure 2.4

## Nut securing

When using a self-locking nut, take care that the polyamide insert ring on nuts according to DIN 985 as well as the securing element on nuts according to DIN 980 is positioned towards outside.

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**Chapter: 05-10-00**  
**TIME LIMITS**

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**Introduction**           The following checks are required at the times specified. This preventative maintenance is to help avoid and/or detect possible engine issues.

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**DEFINITION OF TERMS**

**OPERATING HOURS**

**Definition** All of the maintenance intervals, such as the 100 hr. inspection and the engine TBO, relate to the number of operating hours of the engine.  
The operating hours are defined as follows in order to prevent misunderstandings and to ensure safety:

- All time during which the engine is running is counted towards the total number of operating hours.
- The time is counted irrespective of the load factor of the engine, such as idling or take-off power.

**NOTE**

*A mechanical hour meter is directly coupled to the engine speed, the readings may deviate considerably from those given by electronic remitters (e.g. FlyDat). Maintenance and overhaul intervals are always dictated by the readings of the electronic hour meter.*

- The planned inspections to be performed at certain intervals are based on experience from long test runs and field observations. They are intended as precautionary maintenance measures in order to ensure continued trouble-free operation of the engine.

**TIME LIMIT**

**Definition** Time limits are predetermined time spans and intervals which are based either on calendar intervals or the number of engine operating hours. Once the time limits have been reached, the affected parts must either be replaced for a general overhaul, or maintenance work must be performed. These precautionary maintenance measures are designed to avoid engine malfunctions or defects and ensure continued airworthiness of the engine.

**LIFE CYCLE**

**Definition** The life cycle is always specified as an exact time span and is also quoted in flight hours.

**NOTE**

*Parts with a limited life cycle must be taken out of operation and overhauled if the specified time span or number of flight hours is reached (whichever comes first).*

**GENERAL OVERHAUL (TBO)**

**Definition** The time between overhauls (TBO) for all objects (such as the engine, component assemblies, add-on components) is the approved length of operation under normal operating conditions before it becomes mandatory to send in these objects for an overhaul. Normal operating conditions are the conditions which comply with the manufacturer's and the aviation authority's recommendations for the certification of airworthiness.



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<b>Maintenance of operation</b>	The TBO values approved by the relevant authorities are based on performance tests and empirical values which have been gathered through operation of the engine and are required for the acceptance and certification of airworthiness.
<b>Legal obligation to keep</b>	TBO values for the engine are always shown in operating hours and years. The user must record the operating hours in the engine log book.

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**TIME LIMIT**

**General**

ATTENTION
<b>A general overhaul is due after a defined period of operation or after a specified calendar life since initial start of operation (whichever comes first).</b>

The time limit for engine operation will be specified by the TBO.

**After reaching this time limit**

ATTENTION
<b>After reaching this time limit, the engine has to be shipped to an authorized ROTAX® overhaul facility.</b>

For an overhaul, the engine must be removed from the aircraft, be cleaned, preserved and all openings to be closed to prevent entering of contaminants.

**Storage period of the engine**

Observe the storage and preservation directives!

**NOTE**

*The maximum possible storage period of the engine is limited to 24 months.*

If this period is exceeded, the engine must be sent to an ROTAX® authorized overhaul facility for inspection.

Engine Type description	Engine affected engine S/N	TBO Time Between Overhaul
<b>582 UL Mod. 99</b>	from S/N 5305902 up to S/N 9619115 inclusive	300 h or 5 years, whichever comes first <sup>1</sup>
<b>582 UL Mod. 17</b>	from S/N 9619116	300 h or 5 years, whichever comes first <sup>1</sup>

For the TBO of the specific engine type/version refer to the table below.

**Authorized exceeding**

Extension or exceeding of the TBO by 5% or 6 months is allowed whichever comes first.

**Shipment**

The shipment to an authorized ROTAX® overhaul facility must include the following:

1	Engine log book.
2	Maintenance records of the engine (i.e. all maintenance check lists, and reports of operation, of maintenance and findings).

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3	The engine assembly as per supply volume. Additionally all added-on parts as in the supply volume such as filters, intake silencer, fuel pump, external generator, sensors, ignition unit, electric starter, oil tank.
4	Indication of total engine operating hours (TSN) and where applicable, engine operating hours since a previous overhaul (TSO). <b>NOTE</b> <i>This information must be supplied to allow the service history of components to be traced.</i>
5	Data about the type of aircraft used.
6	Useful remarks and observations concerning the engine.

### TIME LIMIT FOR PARTS

#### General note

#### ATTENTION

**This time limit must be followed independently and in addition to the visual inspections (see Chapter 05-20-00 section: Visual Inspection) of the respective components.**

#### Time limit

The following components and systems must be replaced every 5 years:

- Venting hose of the carburetors
- Carburetor sockets
- All rubber hoses of the cooling system
- All rubber hoses of the fuel system
- All rubber hoses of the lubrication system which are part of the engine supply volume and if they are not in the maintenance schedule of aircraft manufacturer

### TIME LIMIT FOR THE COOLANT

#### General note

Coolant must be replaced as per manufacturers instructions, at the latest during overhaul or when the engine is replaced.

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**Chapter: 05–20–00**  
**SCHEDULED MAINTENANCE CHECKS**

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**Introduction**            The owner and/or user is primarily responsible for the maintenance and airworthiness of the engine. This includes compliance with all applicable airworthiness directives.

This inspection protocol is not intended to be all-inclusive, for no such protocol can replace the knowledge and experience of a certified aircraft mechanic. As the party primarily responsible for the maintenance and airworthiness of the engine, the owner or user should only have the maintenance work carried out by qualified engineers (corresponding to the iRMT levels).

**Documentation required**    It is the responsibility of the owner and/or user to make sure that the aircraft mechanic performing the work on the engine has access to the previous Inspection Protocols and any other required documents.

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## SCHEDULED MAINTENANCE CHECKS

**Definition** This section lists the periodic inspections which must be carried out after a specified periods of operation.

**Intervals** Periodic inspections are those which must be performed at 12.5, 100, 150 hr. intervals in accordance with [Chapter 05-20-00 section Maintenance Schedule](#). This means for example that. **every 100 hr** of operation a 100 hr. check must be carried out. Every 200 hr. of operation a 100 hr. and the additional checks for 200 hr. must be carried out.

		Intervals –hours								
		2 hr	10 hr	every 12.5 hr	every 25 hr	every 50 hr	every 100 hr	every 150 hr	to	every 300 hr
12.5 hr				X						
100 hr			X	X	X	X				
150 hr			X	X	X			X		

- For the intervals between maintenance work, a tolerance of ±10 hr. is permissible, but these tolerances must not be exceeded. This means that if a 100 hr. check is actually carried out at 110 hr., the next check will be due at 200 hr. ±10 hr. and not at 210 hr. ±10 hr.
- If maintenance is performed before the prescribed interval, the next maintenance check is to be done at the same interval (e.g. if first 100 hr. check is done after 87 hours of operation, the next 100 hr. check must be carried out after 187 hours of operation).
- If engine has less than 100 hours of operation during one year a 100 hr. check must be carried out. For the annual inspection a tolerance of ±2 months is given.

**Checks** • In order to demonstrate continued airworthiness, an engine must be inspected after the first mentioned hours of operation.

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**UNSCHEDULED MAINTENANCE CHECKS**

**Operating limits exceeded**

An inspection of the engine must be performed if the operating limits of the engine have been exceeded (e.g. overspeed, excessive temperature etc.), or if unusual operating conditions have occurred during operation (e.g. lightning strike). In such cases the engine must be inspected in accordance with the applicable unscheduled maintenance checks.

**Recommends inspections**

The manufacturer also recommends the following inspections whenever maintenance is carried out (where not already prescribed by the airframe manufacturer) as possible malfunctions could have negative effects on engine operation.

part	inspection	possible danger
<b>Exhaust fixation</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Re-tighten the exhaust fixation on the cylinder head after the first 2 hr. of operation</li> </ul>	Leakage
<b>Exhaust</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Of the exhaust unit (where necessary, replaced application of Molykote G-N)</li> </ul>	Risk of fracture, wear. Rough engine running.
<b>Fuel filter</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Of fuel filter on airframe side (for foreign bodies, sealing material and loose fragmented material)</li> </ul>	Engine may misfire. Power loss. Engine running too lean (Engine malfunction and damage).
<b>Oil</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• For oil contamination</li> <li>• Analysis of the oil (provides additional information on the condition of the engine)</li> </ul>	Possible engine wear
<b>Radiators, Lines</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• For damage</li> <li>• Check for discoloration - and cracks.</li> </ul>	Danger of overheating
<b>Throttle control</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• As specified by the cell manufacturer</li> </ul>	See specifics of manufacturer.

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**VISUAL INSPECTION**

<b>General note</b>	The scope of a visual inspection generally includes, but is not necessarily limited to, the following.
<b>Moving parts</b>	Normal operating condition, accurate alignment, leak-tightness, cleanliness, ease of movement, adjustment, mechanical stress, travel, catching, extreme wear, cracks, corrosion, deformation and other visually evident damage.
<b>Parts</b>	Secure seating, surface condition, cleanliness, deformation, cracks in welding seams or due to material fatigue or stress, corrosion and other visually evident damage.
<b>Fuel-, Air- and Oil lines and Hoses</b>	Cracks, dents, kinks, required flexibility, collapsed lines/hoses, abrasion, cleanliness, secure seating and other visually evident damage.
<b>Wiring</b>	General cleanliness; loose, corroded or broken terminals; chafed, broken or worn insulation; secure seating, heat damage and other visually evident damage.
<b>Screws and Nuts</b>	Surface damage, secure seating, locking wire, securing paint and other visually evident damage.
<b>Filter and Screens</b>	Filters and screens must be inspected for contamination and potential blockages, cleaned and replaced as required.



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**MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE PROCEDURES**  
**(MAINTENANCE CHECK LIST)**

<b>Inspections</b>	All stated checks are visual inspections for damage and wear, unless otherwise stated.
<b>Specified period</b>	All listed work must be carried out within the specified period.
<b>Maintenance check lists</b>	Checks are carried out as per the maintenance check lists, where type and volume of maintenance work is outlined in key words. <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The lists must be photocopied and filled out for each maintenance check.</li></ul>
<b>Extra inspections</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The respective check (e.g. 100 hr. check) must be noted on the top of each page of the maintenance check list.</li><li>• All the maintenance work carried out must be initialled in the "signature" area by the aircraft mechanic performing the task.</li></ul>
<b>Maintenance records</b>	After maintenance, the completed check lists must be entered in the maintenance records. The maintenance must be confirmed in the log book.
<b>Discrepancies/remedial action</b>	All discrepancies and remedial action must be recorded in a report of findings to be generated and maintained by the company authorized to carry out maintenance work. It is the responsibility of the aircraft operator to store and keep the records.
<b>Replacement of equipment</b>	Replacement of equipment (e.g. fuel pump, ...) and execution of SB (LTA) must be entered in the engine log book, TSN and date.

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**CHECK LIST/MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE**

Identification	
<b>AIRCRAFT</b>	
Registration number	
Aircraft make	
Aircraft model and S/N	
Time since new	
<b>Propeller</b>	
Propeller brand	
Propeller model and S/N	
<b>ENGINE</b>	
Engine type	
Engine S/N	
TSN (time since new)	
TSO (time since overhaul)	
<b>Used operating fluids:</b>	
Coolant	
• mixture ratio	
Fuel	
Oil	
• type	
• viscosity	

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Identification	
<b>AIRCRAFT OPERATOR</b>	
Name	
Contact	
Address	
Telephone/Fax	
E-mail	
<b>MAINTENANCE FACILITY</b>	
Maintenance workshop	
Address	
Telephone/Fax	
E-mail	
Certificate	
)1leaded fuel more than 30% of operation	
<b>Next check due at:</b>	hr.
	(TSN_____)(engine hr.)

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## MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE

Perform the following maintenance tasks at the intervals shown in the maintenance check list.  
See Chapter 05-20-00 section 25 hr. check.

Legend:                    X                    =        do the task  
                                 blank                    =        no task required

### NOTE

*If the table section 1) 2) and 3) are correct (see check list below) then continue with the maintenance schedule.*

*If one of the section 1) 2) or 3) is not within specification, the engine must be checked and repaired in accordance with the BRP-Rotax instructions for continued airworthiness.*

Points of Inspection	Interval Operating hours								Chapter Reference	Signature
	2*	10*	every 12.5	every 25	every 50	every 100	every 150	every 300		
*no periodic maintenance (requirement exclusive after the mentioned hours of operation)										
<b>1) General note</b>										
All (Alert) Service Bulletins are complied with. If necessary to perform these and documented.	X			X						
<b>2) Spark plug</b>										
Check and clean inside of spark plug connectors.			X		X <sup>(2)</sup>				12-20-00	
Remove all spark plugs and check for spark plug defects (deposits, melting....).			X		X <sup>(2)</sup>				12-20-00	
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Points of Inspection	Interval Operating hours								Chapter Reference	Signature
	2*	10*	every 12.5	every 25	every 50	every 100	every 150	every 300		
<b>*no periodic maintenance (requirement exclusive after the mentioned hours of operation)</b>										
Check if GENUINE-ROTAX®- spark plugs are used on mod. 17.				X					12-20-00	
Replace spark plugs				X	X <sup>(2)</sup>				12-20-00	
(2 only for mod. 17)										
<b>3) Checking gearbox oil level</b>										
Checking gearbox oil level				X					12-20-00	
<b>4) Oil change</b>										
Replace gearbox oil		X				X			12-20-00	
Replace rotary valve lubrication oil						X			12-20-00	
<b>5) Check and adjust gearbox</b>										
Check and adjust gearbox, preload of springs (type B gearbox)						X			12-20-00	
<b>6) Check carburetors</b>										
Check, clean carburetor(s) and re-adjust (idle speed, cable tension,...)	X				X				12-20-00	
Replace jet needle and needle jet							X		12-20-00	
Float level check and float weight							X		12-20-00	
Check carburetor synchronization						X			12-20-00	

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Points of Inspection	Interval Operating hours								Chapter Reference	Signature
	2*	10*	every 12.5	every 25	every 50	every 100	every 150	every 300		
*no periodic maintenance (requirement exclusive after the mentioned hours of operation)										
<b>7) Check fuel pump</b>										
Check fuel pump (measure fuel pressure)					X				12-20-00	
<b>8) Exhaust system</b>										
Re-torque exhaust manifold screws	X	X							12-20-00	
Lubricate ball joints				X					12-20-00	
Replace exhaust muffler springs						X			12-20-00	
Inspection for any external cracking. If cracks are found on muffler can - replace with new. The exhaust system should not be welded.					X					
<b>9) Clean and oil air filter</b>										
Clean and oil air filter.				X					12-20-00	
<b>10) Fuel filter</b>										
Check fuel filter				X					12-20-00	
Replace fuel filter						X			12-20-00	
<b>11) Check rewind starter rope</b>										
Check rewind starter rope			X						12-20-00	

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Points of Inspection	Interval Operating hours								Chapter Reference	Signature
	2*	10*	every 12.5	every 25	every 50	every 100	every 150	every 300		
*no periodic maintenance (requirement exclusive after the mentioned hours of operation)										
<b>12) Check electric starter gear</b>										
Check electric starter gear					X				see MMH	
<b>13) Check ignition system</b>										
Check ignition system				X					12-20-00	
<b>14) Check cylinder head and piston crown</b>										
Inspect cylinder head and piston crown					X				see MMH	
<b>15) Piston inspection</b>										
Inspect piston rings for free movement					X				see MMH	
Check piston diameter					X <sup>(1)</sup>		X		see MMH	
Piston ring: Check gap					X <sup>(1)</sup>		X		see MMH	
Piston ring (rectang. Ring): Check axial clearance					X <sup>(1)</sup>		X		see MMH	
(1 if used in very dusty atmosphere)										
<b>16) Piston pin inspection</b>										
Inspect piston pin and bearing							X		see MMH	

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Points of Inspection	Interval Operating hours								Chapter Reference	Signature
	2*	10*	every 12.5	every 25	every 50	every 100	every 150	every 300		
*no periodic maintenance (requirement exclusive after the mentioned hours of operation)										
<b>17) Cylinder inspection</b>										
Check cylinder diameter					X <sup>(1)</sup>			X		see MMH
Cylinder: Check for roundness					X <sup>(1)</sup>			X		see MMH
(1 if used in very dusty atmosphere)										
<b>18) Gasket exchange</b>										
Replace cylinder head-, cylinder base- and exhaust-gasket					X <sup>(1)</sup>			X		see MMH
(1 if used in very dusty atmosphere)										
<b>19) Outer seals crankshaft</b>										
Inspect crankshaft and replace outer seals if necessary.								X		see MMH
<b>20) Overhaul of engine</b>										
General overhaul of engine									X <sup>(2)</sup>	see MMH
(2 to be carried out every 5 years or every 300 hours whatever comes first.										



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**UNSCHEDULED MAINTENANCE CHECKS**

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**Introduction**

Special checks must be carried out before next or further flights in the event of an engine fault (e.g. abnormal operation as defined in the Operators Manual) which impairs the airworthiness of the engine.

**ATTENTION**

**In the course of special checks specify if additional checks for components (e.g. hydraulic governor) is applicable. After each special check/repair work, an engine test run and a leakage check must be carried out.**

**ATTENTION**

**Observe without fail all the specified instructions.**

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**ENGINE CHECK AFTER PROPELLER STRIKE INCIDENTS**

**Definition**

A propeller strike is:

- Any incident while the engine is stationary or running which makes it necessary to perform repairs on the propeller.



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**EXAMINATION AFTER ENGINE FAILURE**

**General note**

In order to find possible causes of the failure, it is important to pass on all available data. Observations on the aircraft and the engine suspension can also be of help. It is important to pay particular attention to any of the following engine phenomena to facilitate troubleshooting.

**Engine**

<b>Engine runs erratically and misfires</b>	
<b>part</b>	<b>possible cause</b>
Fuel system	fuel supply vapour locks contamination
Ignition system (shorting cable, charging coil, Spark plug)	malfunction grounding defect wrong spark plug connection loose connection

**Rough running engine**

<b>Rough running engine</b>	
<b>part</b>	<b>possible cause</b>
Ignition	wiring (assignment fault)
Engine	engine temperature too low wrong intake air
Carburetor	fuel supply inadequate contamination in float chamber or float needle valve float chamber venting false air intake due to defective carburetor flange incorrect synchronization of the carburetor

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## Engine stoppage

**ATTENTION**

**Should one of the above mentioned items occur even for a short time then a detailed check of the engine is necessary. The fault needs to be located and corrected.**

Unintended engine stoppage by seizing	
part	possible cause
Oil system Carburetors Gaskets/Seals	oil shortage contamination incorrect venting incorrect oil type incorrect carburetor setting leaking seals
Oil pump	defect

**ATTENTION**

The entire assembly must be dismantled, inspected and repaired.

- The whole engine must be inspected, repaired or overhauled in accordance with the BRP-Rotax instructions for continued airworthiness.
- Inspect all systems for correct functioning.
- Detailed inspection of affected engine components.

## RETURNING ENGINE TO SERVICE AFTER SUBMERGING IN WATER

### General note

**ATTENTION**

**The engine must be marked clearly “Engine submerged in water“. Define if it was fresh water or salt water.**

An engine which has been submerged in water must be inspected, repaired or overhauled in accordance with the BRP-Rotax instructions for continued airworthiness. See current Maintenance Manual of the respective engine type.

### Inspection

- Inspect all systems for correct functioning.

### NOTE

*Prior to the detailed inspection, all parts should be cleaned and inspected for corrosion. For accessories (e.g. vacuum pump, fuel filter etc.) the instructions and specifications of the corresponding manufacturer must be followed.*

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## NOTE

*Engine must be disassembled and all components inspected for fouling by silt.*

Complete inspection of these components:	
• power supply	• cooling system
• gearbox	• exhaust system
• fuel system	• start system
• cylinder unit	

In most cases an overhaul is necessary, in this regard send the engine without delay to an authorized ROTAX® overhaul facility for inspection.

If an engine was submerged into water, all electrical components (e. g.: ignition coils, spark plugs, spark plug connectors must be replaced.

## NOTE

*Discoloration or corrosion are signs of submerging in water.*

## INSPECTION IN EXTREME CLIMATIC CONDITIONS

### General note

#### ATTENTION

**Every 25 hr. checks of air filter, coolant radiator and oil cooler are necessary.**

Flying in deserts or areas with heavily contaminated or dusty air causes increased wear on all components. For this reason, shorter maintenance intervals are recommended.

Flying in areas with extreme climatic conditions or in extreme altitudes requires adjustment of the cooling system. To do this, it is necessary to contact the aircraft manufacturer and ROTAX® Authorized Distributor or their independent Service Center.

## RETURNING ENGINE TO SERVICE AFTER INFLUENCE BY FIRE

**General note** An engine after influence by fire must be inspected, repaired or overhauled in accordance with the BRP-Rotax instructions for continued airworthiness.

**Inspection** • Inspect all systems for correct functioning.

## NOTE

*Prior to the detailed inspection, all parts should be cleaned and inspected for burn penetration or melted materials.*

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If an engine was influenced by fire, first a visual inspection of all parts has to be done and then a hardness test of all mechanical parts must be performed (e. g.: crankcase, cylinder, cylinder heads etc.).

In most cases an overhaul is necessary, in this regard send the engine without delay to an authorized ROTAX® overhaul facility for inspection.

## REQUIRED INSPECTIONS AFTER LIMITS OF OPERATION HAVE BEEN EXCEEDED

### **Exceeding of max. permissible engine speed**

Remove the cylinders and inspect the pistons for seizure.

### **Exceeding of max. permissible cylinder head temperature**

Remove the cylinders and inspect the pistons for seizure and piston crown for crushes.

### **Exceeding of max. permissible exhaust gas temperature**


Remove the cylinders and inspect the pistons for seizure.

### **Fuel pressure below specified value**

Remove the cylinders and inspect the pistons for seizure. Also inspect crankshaft end seals for leakage.

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## REPORTING

Customer Service Information Report		ROTAX <sup>®</sup> AIRCRAFT ENGINES	
<b>When / Where / What</b>			
Accident / Incident Date:		State:	
Location Of Occurrence:			
Headline:			
Narrative:			
<b>Aircraft identification</b>			
Aircraft registration:		Aircraft category:	
Manufacturer:		Model / Series:	
Serial number:		Aircraft total time:	
<b>Flight details</b>			
Flight phase:		Operator:	
Last departure point:		Planned destination:	
<b>Engine information</b>			
Type:		Serial number:	
Time since new [h]:		Time since overhaul [h]:	
Date overhaul:		Date inspection / maintenance:	
<b>Propeller information</b>			
Manufacturer:		Model / Series:	
Serial number:		Propeller position:	

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**MAINTENANCE OF THE SYSTEMS**

**TOPICS IN THIS CHAPTER**

**Introduction**

The section "Maintenance of the systems" is associated with other sections. It serves only as a supplement to and further explanation of the maintenance check list (See Chapter 05-20-00).

**NOTE**

*For reasons of clarity, only headlines and keywords are listed in the Maintenance Schedule. Please refer to the following pages for further explanation if needed. As far as possible, the content has been arranged according to system.*

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**Chapter: 12-10-00**  
**REPLENISHING OPERATING FLUIDS**

**TOPICS IN THIS CHAPTER**

**Fluid capacities** .....2

**Introduction**      The engine should always be in a horizontal position before checking the fill levels.

**ENVIRONMENTAL NOTE**

**All operating materials and cleaning products endanger the environment by improper disposal.  
Dispose of the operating materials in an environmentally sound way!**

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**FLUID CAPACITIES**

**General note**

ATTENTION
<b>The operation of the engine may be adversely affected if non-approved or contaminated fuel, oil or coolant are used. Any mixing of different manufacturers and types should be avoided. The use of additives may result in damage.</b>

**System**

Overview

System	Fill capacity	Details about the operating fluids
Fuel system	Refer to the relevant specifications provided by the aircraft manufacturer.	Refer to the corresponding chapter in the Flight Manual.
Cooling system	Approx. 1.5 l (0.4 US gal.).	Refer to the corresponding chapter in the Operators Manual.

**NOTE**

*BRP-Rotax can give an approx value on the fill capacity depending on aircraft design and positions of radiators and tanks. The volume may differ from this value. Always check the relevant specifications provided by the aircraft manufacturer.*

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**Introduction**            This chapter relates in particular to the maintenance work mentioned in the Maintenance Schedule for the various engine systems and covers the work in more detail.

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**SPARK PLUGS**

**CHECK AND CLEAN INSIDE OF SPARK PLUG CONNECTORS**

Instruction	Step	Procedure
	1	Inspect spark plug connector for cracks, burn-off, dampness and fouling. Check connection with ignition cable and fitting of rain protection cover.
	2	The resistance value of the standard plug connector is 4.5 – 5.5 kΩ.

**Mod. 99 only**

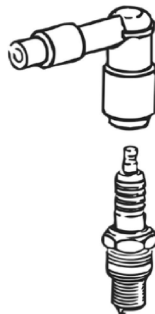
For various applications radio interference suppression plug connectors must be used according to respective regulations. These are more prone to troubles than the standard resistor type connector, due to the metal shielding. Resistance of these connectors is 0.8 – 1.2 kΩ.

Never pull off spark plug connector on a running engine.  
Clean contact surfaces in the spark plug connectors as required.

**Mod. 99 only**

**ATTENTION**

**On engine installation with spark plugs down, it is highly recommended to additionally secure spark plug caps.**



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Figure 7.1: Spark plug connector for mod. 99 (left) and mod. 17 (right)

**INSPECTION OF SPARK PLUGS**

**Spark plugs for mod. 99:**

**Visual check**

Inspect all spark plugs for mechanical damage.

Due to varying fuel properties etc., check according to maintenance schedule. Replace as required or annually: Provided that spark plug heat range and the carburetor calibration are correct, the spark plugs will have a brownish tinge at the electrodes of both spark

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plugs after full load operation. In numerous tests the best possible heat range has been determined to make sure that the spark plug will burn off deposits but will not overheat.

On engines with single carburetor, one sooty spark plug usually indicates a bad plug or fault ignition system. If both plugs are sooty with oil deposits, carburetor and air system should be checked. On engines with two carburetors you should switch the carburetor to trace the problem.

### Spark plugs for mod. 17:

Due to the curved gap between the center electrode and the ground electrodes, it is suggested to use a wire type feeler gauge for accurate gap measurement.

### All versions:

#### ATTENTION

**Do not induce forces to the center electrode of the spark plug. These might damage the spark plug.**

### Electrode gap

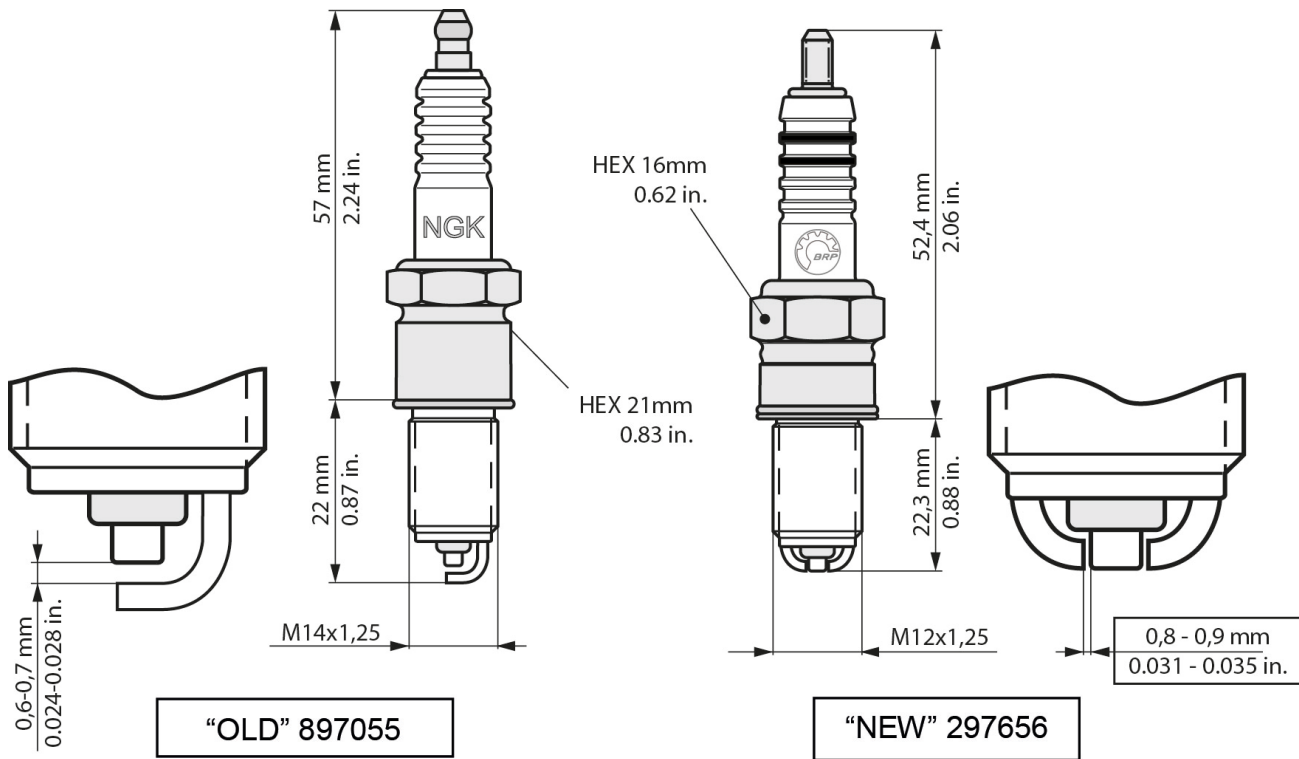
#### NOTE

*Spark plugs are already gapped upon delivery. No adjustment of the gap is necessary nor allowed.*

*If gap measurement is over permissible limit, the spark plug must be replaced.*

Electrode gap	
Mod. 99	0.4 - 0.5 mm (0.016 - 0.020 in.), wear limit: 0.5 mm (0.020 in.)
Mod. 17	0.8 - 0.9 mm (0.031 - 0.035 in.), wear limit: 1.1 mm (0.043 in.)

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Figure 7.2: Spark plug dimensions

**Spark plug face** Spark plug face reveals the following about the operating condition of the engine:

Spark plug face	Information
light colored to brown	plug and calibration of the engine are correct
velvet black	Possibly indicates one or more of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• mixture too rich</li> <li>• insufficient air intake (clogged air filter)</li> <li>• engine operating temperature too low</li> </ul>
oily, glossy coating	Possibly indicates one or more of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• misfiring</li> <li>• too much oil in combustion chamber</li> <li>• worn cylinder and piston rings</li> </ul>
white with formation of melt beads	Possibly indicates one or more of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• mixture too lean</li> </ul>

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- If both plugs have "white" electrodes with "melt" droplets, first suspect lean mixture. If calibration is correct and there is no evidence of manifold leaks, lack of fuel, or incorrect float settings, don't change the plugs to a colder range. Check if cooling system is operating correctly.
- Heavy oil deposits on the electrodes and insulator may cause engine problems, exchange regularly according to maintenance schedule, or at any indications of trouble.
- If after cleaning or changing the spark plugs, you still have an ignition problem, check if only one cylinder is affected or both. Some thought to what is common to both systems or only one will isolate the problem more efficiently. If no external fault is found, the ignition unit must be checked.

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## REPLACEMENT OF SPARK PLUGS

### General note

### NOTE

To avoid spark plug damage, make sure to use a correct wrench/socket. Old spark plugs (mod. 99) = A/F 21 / hex. 21 mm (0.83 in.), new spark plugs (mod. 17) = hex. 16 mm (0.62 in.).

### ATTENTION

Use of incorrect spark plugs can result in ignition problems and pre-ignition and consequent engine damage.

### ATTENTION

Always change both plugs. Never interchange plugs from one cylinder to the other.

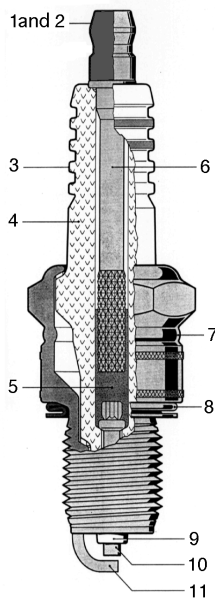


Figure 7.3: TYPICAL

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| 1 Terminal nut inseparable on connection thread | 2 Connection thread                           |
| 3 Leakage current barrier                       | 4 Insulator (Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> ) |
| 5 Conductive enamel                             | 6 Terminal stud                               |
| 7 Upset- and heat-shrinkage zone                | 8 Captive sealing ring                        |
| 9 Insulator nose                                | 10 Center electrode                           |
| 11 Ground electrode                             |   |

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**NOTE**

*The spark plug can be distinguished by the part no. and by the designation.*

**Spark plug mod. 99:**

<b>Step</b>	<b>Procedure</b>
1	Apply a small amount of heat-conducting compound to spark plug threads.
2	Tighten the spark plugs to 27 Nm (20 ft. lb), only on cold engine.

**Spark plug mod. 17:**

<b>Step</b>	<b>Procedure</b>
1	Apply a small amount of heat-conducting compound to spark plug threads.
2	Tighten the spark plugs to 16 Nm (142 in. lb), only on cold engine.

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**PROPELLER GEARBOX**

**CHECKING THE PROPELLER GEARBOX**

**B-type gearbox** Place gearbox on a suitable support under hand press. See [Figure: Gearbox “B” type](#).

Step	Procedure
1	Place the mounting yoke, part no. 876880 on the dog gear (1)
2	Place angular ring (2) upside down (with “L” shape downwards) on prop shaft to facilitate reading of the distance <b>A</b> .
3	Apply a load of 16 kN (3600 lbs) on the dog gear via the mounting yoke. With this load, disk spring will be completely compressed.

**ATTENTION**

**Do not exceed maximum load of 16 kN (3600 lbs), otherwise cover or dog gear will be damaged.**

Step	Procedure
4	With spring in compressed state, measure A, the distance from top side of angular ring to lower edge of groove. See <a href="#">Figure: Gearbox “B” type</a> .
5	Relieve pressure, remove all items from prop shaft and compensate distance <b>A</b> , by placing appropriate shims (3) under distance ring (4).
6	Shims are available as spare parts in the size 0.1 / 0.2 / 0.3 / 0.5 and 1.0 mm (0.0039 / 0.0079 / 0.0118 / 0.019 and 0.039 in.).

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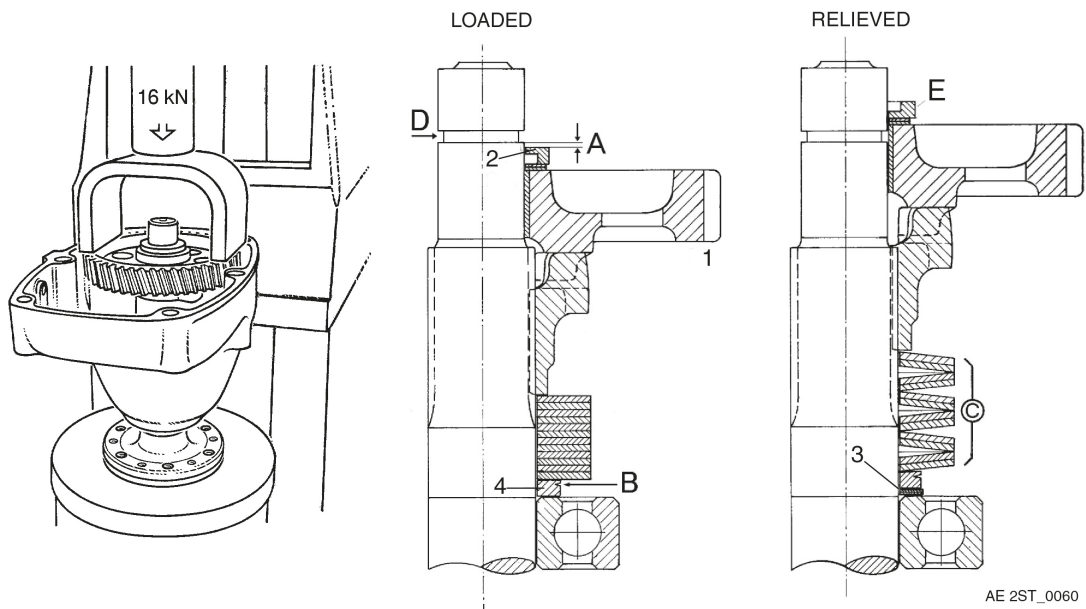


Figure 7.4: Gearbox "B" type

1 Dog gear

2 Angular ring

3 Shim

4 Distance ring

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## OIL CHANGE

### ENVIRONMENTAL NOTE

#### Protect the environment.

Do not harm the environment by spilling oil. Dispose of oil in an environmentally friendly manner.



Only use brand name oil in accordance with the latest Operators Manual.

**Instruction**      **Renewing of the rotary valve lubrication oil.**

### NOTE

*To change the oil the following steps are necessary:*

Step	Procedure
1	Drain oil completely: For complete emptying, the engine must be inclined.
2	Afterwards refill the oil tank. Allow some time for setting.
3	Fill tank to max. mark and after a short trail run verify the oil level again.

**Instruction**      **Check gearbox oil level, replace gearbox oil.**

Step	Procedure
1	For draining the oil, remove drain plug. See Figure: Gearbox "B" type.
2	Replenish oil, until oil emerges at the respective lower oil level plug.

### ATTENTION

The two large ventilation bores on both sides have to remain always open to warrant dissipation of heat at gearbox type "C" and "E".

Step	Procedure
3	Wire-secure vent screw, oil level plugs and drain plugs.

### NOTE

*Illustration shows "B" type gearbox.*

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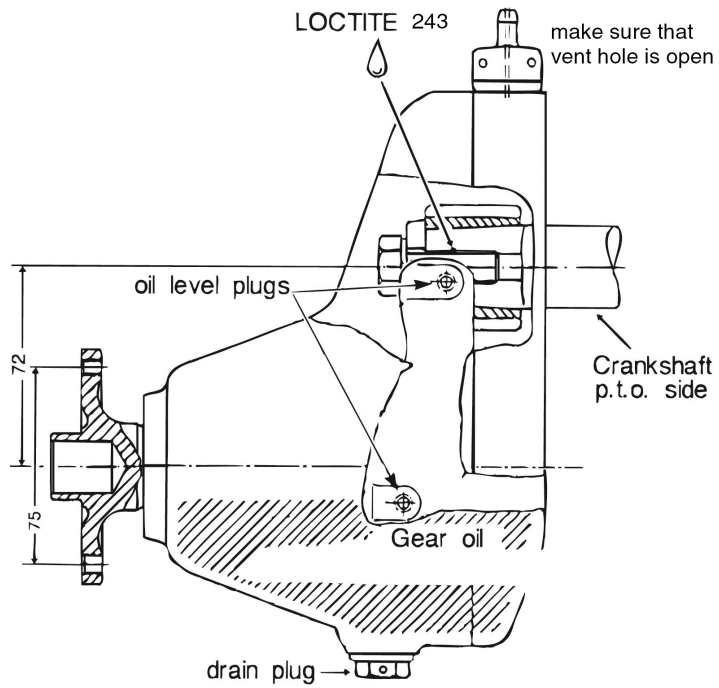


Figure 7.5: Gearbox "B" type

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**CARBURETOR**

**CLEAN CARBURETOR AND CHECK FOR WEAR**

- Stop engine at raised speed and verify float level
- Inspect carburetor assy. for leakage
- Check float valve for easy operation
- Inspect clip of jet needle for wear
- Inspect sieve sleeve
- Clean the carburetor with fuel as required

**REPLACE JET NEEDLE AND NEEDLE JET**



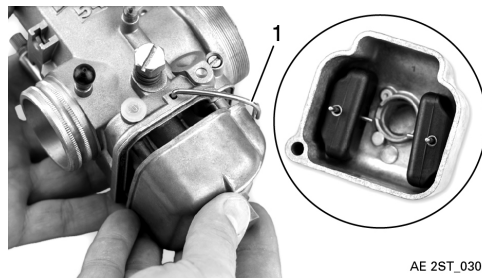
The needle jet and jet needle must only be exchanged by a mechanic with experience on two-stroke engines and in accordance with the relevant Maintenance Manual Heavy.

**FLOAT LEVEL CHECK AND FLOAT WEIGHT**

**NOTE**

*It may be necessary to pry the clip using a flat blade screwdriver.*

Step	Procedure
1	Slide float bowl spring clip (1) to the side and remove float bowl along with floats.



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Figure 7.6

1 Spring clip

**Check of weight of the floats**

The weight inspection shows whether the affected floats have absorbed fuel. This is only significant if the floats already had contact with fuel.

**NOTE**

*This check is not relevant for new spare parts, that were not in contact with fuel.*



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Step	Procedure
2	Let the floats dry for 1-2 minutes. Only weigh dry floats.
3	Check the weight of all affected floats using a calibrated balance. Measuring tolerance of the balance: max. 0.1 grams.
4	The results of the measurement must be documented in the maintenance records. Allowable weight (of both floats together): max. 7 grams.

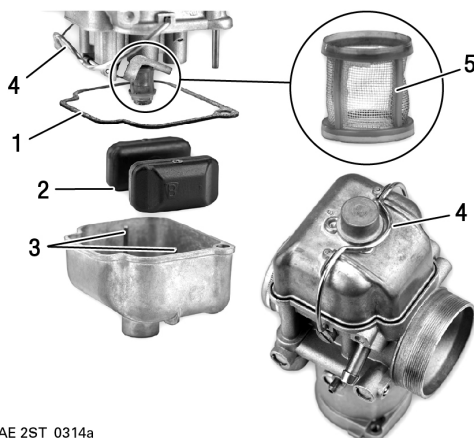
### ATTENTION

**Replace all floats which exceed the max. weight.**

Step	Procedure
5	Place gasket (1) in position within the carburetor body groove.
6	Place the floats (2) onto the float bowl guide pins (3).
7	Turn the carburetor body upright, bring the float bowl into place from below and secure with spring clip (4).

### NOTE

*The sieve sleeve (5) must stay in position to avoid being damaged during float bowl attachment. The sleeve can be pinched slightly oval before installation.*



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Figure 7.7

- |                         |               |
|-------------------------|---------------|
| 1 Gasket                | 2 Floats      |
| 3 Float bowl guide pins | 4 Spring clip |
| 5 Sieve sleeve          |               |

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## CARBURETOR SYNCHRONIZATION

### SYNCHRONIZA- TION MECHANICAL

After installation and before engine run, both carburetor piston travel must be mechanically equal for balanced power output.

Step	Procedure
1	Loosen idle screws (1) until they no longer contact the carburetor pistons (2).
2	Loosen the nut and adjust the clamping piece (3) to approximately mid-travel.

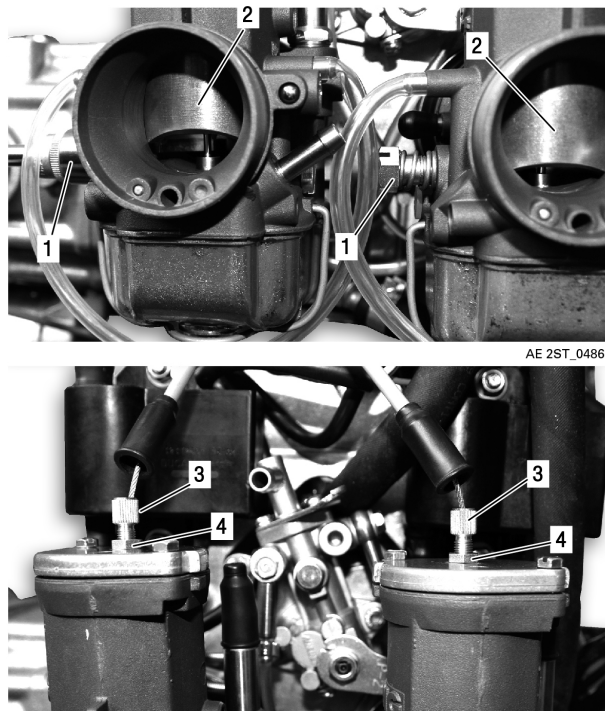


Figure 7.8

- |                         |                             |
|-------------------------|-----------------------------|
| <i>1 Idle screw</i>     | <i>2 Carburetor pistons</i> |
| <i>3 Clamping piece</i> | <i>4 Nut</i>                |

Step	Procedure
3	Place throttle in full open position and bring slowly to idle. Both carburetor pistons must contact their carburetor bodies simultaneously.
4	If the pistons do not arrive simultaneously, make coarse adjustments at throttle cable splitter or throttle lever.

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Step	Procedure
5	Make fine adjustments at the carburetor cover plate clamping piece (3).
6	Rotating a clamping piece clockwise will lower the piston, while rotating counter-clockwise will raise the piston. Tighten the nut (4) to hold the clamping piece in position.

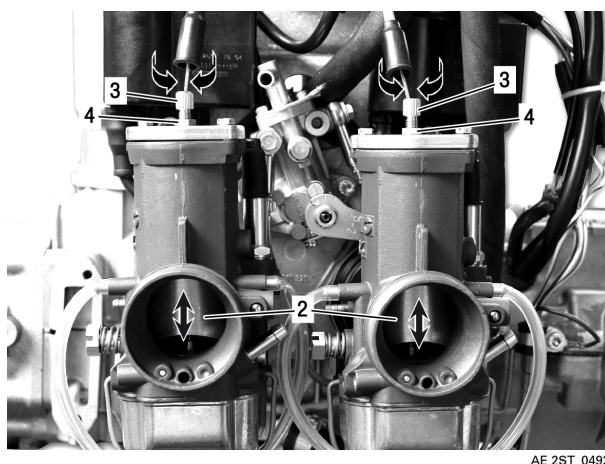


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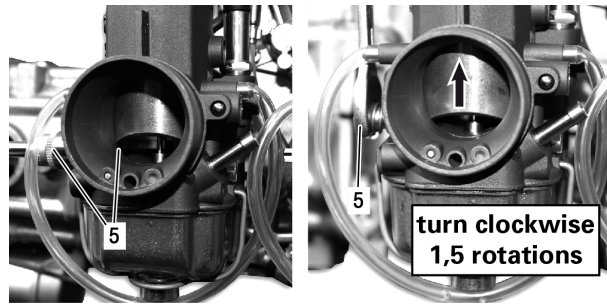
2 Carburetor pistons

3 Clamping piece

4 Nut

Step	Procedure
7	After making each adjustment, open and close the throttle to clear any stresses within the cable sheaths.
8	Continue with additional fine adjustments as necessary until both carburetor pistons arrive at approximately the same time.
9	Further fine tuning is performed on a running engine. See section – Synchronization pneumatical.
10	With the throttle lever set at idle and both carburetor pistons touching the bottom of the carburetor body, slowly turn each idle screw (5) clockwise until just touching the piston, then turn clockwise an additional 1.5 rotations.

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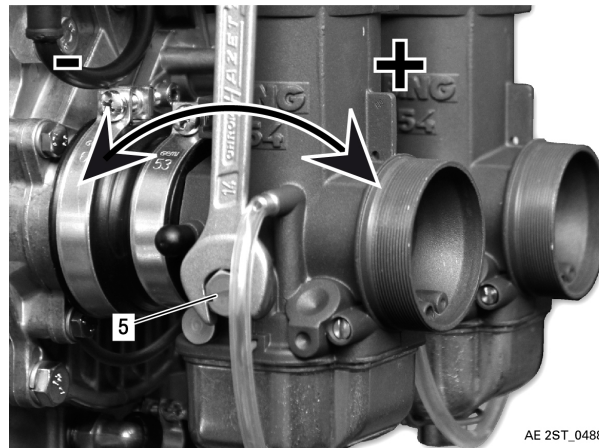


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Figure 7.10

5 Idle screw

Step	Procedure
11	The carburetor pistons should now simultaneously arrive at the idle speed screws, slightly before the physical idle stop at the throttle lever.
12	To adjust idle speed, turn idle screws (5) equally clockwise to increase and counter clockwise to decrease idle rpm.



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Figure 7.11

5 Idle screw

### ⚠ WARNING

**Non-compliance can result in serious injuries or death!**  
Always observe the engine from a safe place while it is running.

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## SYNCHRONIZA- TION PNEUMATICAL

Before proceeding, secure the aircraft on the ground using wheel chocks and ropes.

Warm up the engine to operating temperature.

Place the master switch and ignition switches in the OFF position and secure aircraft against unauthorized operation while performing work.

The two carburetors are adjusted to equal flow rate at idling with a suitable flow meter or vacuum gauge(s).

There are many tools available for pneumatic carburetor synchronization including analog, electronic and venturi style. The following instructions show the use of two individual analog vacuum gauges.

Step	Procedure
1	Connect a vacuum indicator gauge (1) to the primer nipple fitting (2) of each carburetor.
2	Unscrew each idle screw (3) 1.5 turns counter clockwise.

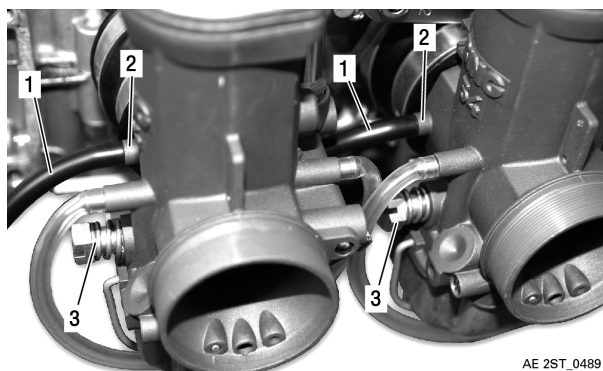


Figure 7.12

1 Vacuum gauge

2 Nipple fitting

3 Idle screw



This will result in **very low** idle rpm. At engine start, move the throttle to achieve approx. 2000 rpm and hold in position. See Operators Manual for 582 UL Mod. 99 / Mod. 17.

Step	Procedure
3	Secure all temporary gauges and hoses to allow safe operation of the engine.
4	Start engine and note how even the vacuum readings (4) are at desired idle rpm.

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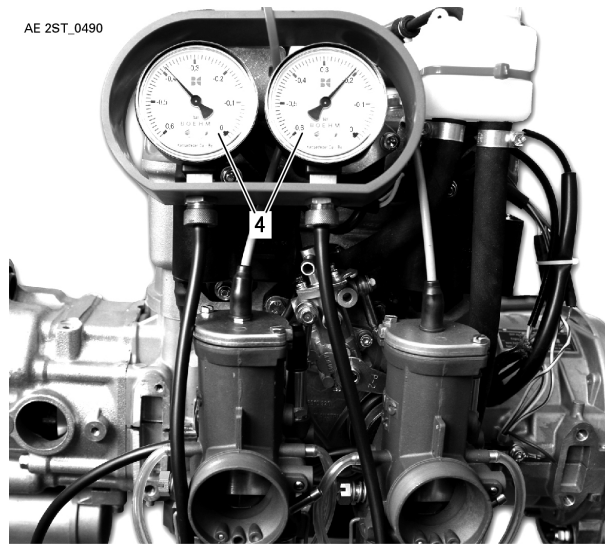


Figure 7.13

4 Vacuum readings

## NOTE

*Carburetor imbalance is more pronounced at low rpm.*

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Step	Procedure
5	Shut down the engine.
6	Loosen nuts (5) and make adjustments at the clamping pieces (6). <b>NOTE</b> <i>Rotating the clamping piece clockwise will lower the piston and reduce vacuum reading, rotating counter clockwise will raise the piston and increase vacuum reading.</i> <b>NOTE</b> <i>It is good practice to split the adjustment between the two pistons.</i>
7	After making an adjustment, open and close the throttle to clear any stresses within the cable sheaths.
8	Split the adjustments between the carburetors until the vacuum readings are synchronous (7) throughout the lower rpm range.
9	Tighten nuts (5) to retain clamping pieces in position and slide the rubber grommets over clamping pieces.

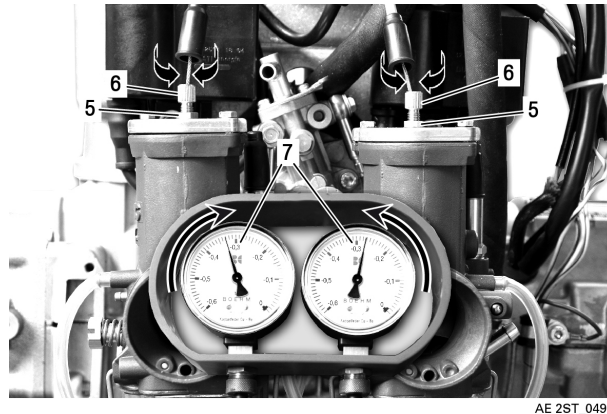


Figure 7.14

5 Nut

6 Clamping piece

7 Vacuum readings are synchronous

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Step	Procedure
10	With balanced carburetors and the engine still warm, run the engine and hold the throttle manually at the desired idle rpm.
11	Slowly rotate each idle screw (8) clockwise until the corresponding vacuum gauge shows movement. Open and close the throttle and verify idle speed and synchronous gauge readings.
12	Remove the vacuum gauges and attach primer line or plug nipple fitting.

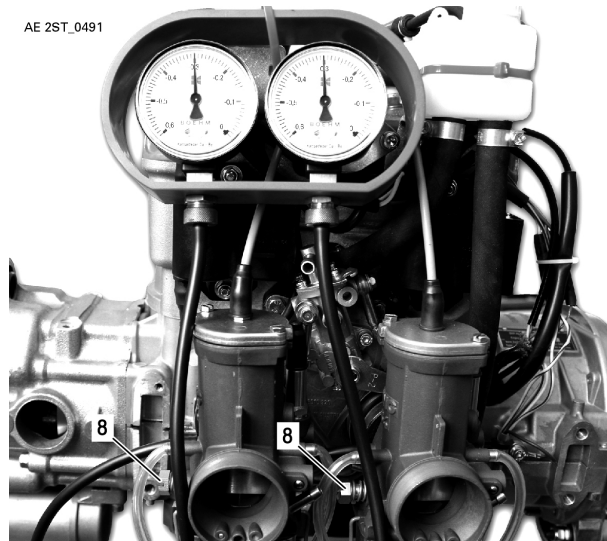


Figure 7.15

8 Idle screw



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**FUEL PUMP**

**General note**

Inspect the fuel pump in accordance with the manufacturers or the aircraft manufacturers instructions.

- Inspect the fuel pump
- Verify the fuel pressure: 0.2 – 0.5 bar (3 – 7 psi)

## EXHAUST SYSTEM

### RETORQUE OF EXHAUST MANIFOLD SCREWS

The screws of the exhaust manifold must be retightened to the specified torque:  
22 Nm (195 in. lb)

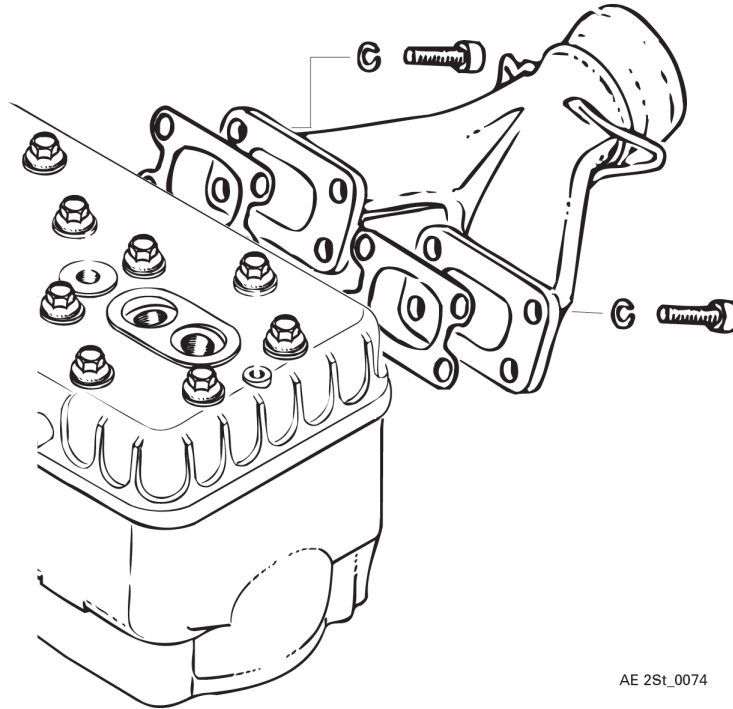


Figure 7.16

### LUBRICATE BALL JOINTS

Check exhaust system prior to every flight for tightness, physical damage or changes in sound pattern. Especially inspect springs and hooks.

The muffler has to be supported on vibration damping blocks. All ball joints have to be greased regularly with heat resistant lubricant (e.g. Molykote G-N, 297 433) to avoid gripping or seizing of joints and consequent breaking of exhaust components.

### REPLACE EXHAUST MUFFLER SPRINGS

Removing the  
tension springs

See [Figure: Exhaust muffler spring](#).

Step	Procedure
1	Remove the lock tabs from tension spring.
2	Inspect exhaust system for cracks and staining. Replace exhaust system with new if any external cracks are found. Do not weld cracks.

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### ATTENTION

**Take care to use suitable protective equipment as disassembly may result in cracking of the tension spring.**

Step	Procedure
3	Detach tension springs with suitable tools one by one.
4	Clean ball joint with appropriate cleaning agent (dry rag or equivalent) and inspect for wear.

#### Inspecting of the tension springs

An affected (faulty) tension spring can be identified by black, bright surfaces.

Qualitatively flawless tension springs show dark brown, dull surfaces.

### ATTENTION

**After prolonged operation, due to high operating temperatures, there may be no distinct distinguishing features left as described that could aid in discerning the tension springs. Replace the tension springs in case of doubt.**

#### Installation of the tension springs

Step	Procedure
1	Lubricate ball joint with heat-resistant lubricant (Molykote G-N or equivalent).
2	Install new tension springs with appropriate tools.
3	Exhaust springs shall be secured against loss and vibrations with wire.

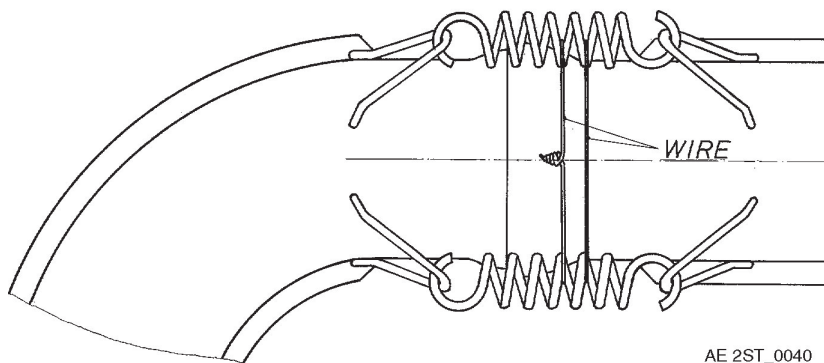


Figure 7.17: Exhaust muffler spring

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**AIR FILTER**

**CLEANING THE AIR FILTER**

**General note**

**ATTENTION**

**Never use gasoline, steam, caustic liquids, strong detergents, particle cleaning agents or high pressure cleaners during this step.**

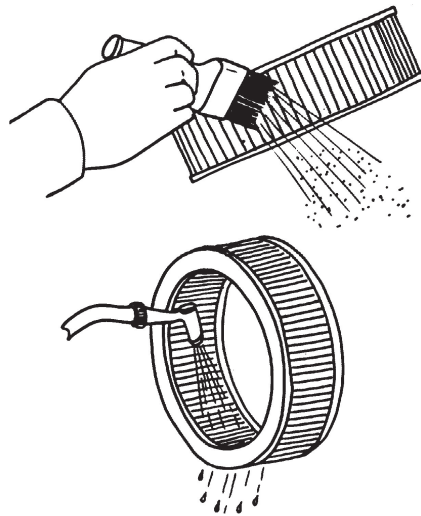
**ATTENTION**

**Do not dry over open flame, with compressed air or with hot air gun.**

**Cleaning**

To clean the dry filter the following steps are necessary:

Step	Procedure
1	Lightly tap and brush off surface dirt and wet with cold water.
2	Roll filter in filter cleaning and degreasing fluid.
3	The level of the cleaning fluid should be approx. 3/4 of the height of corrugations. Dirty fluid must not run inside of filter. Allow at least 5 minutes to dissolve the dirt.
4	Rinse air filter with cold water from inside to outside. Shake off and let it dry in free air.



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Figure 7.18: Cleaning the air filter

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## APPLICATION OF NEW AIR FILTERS

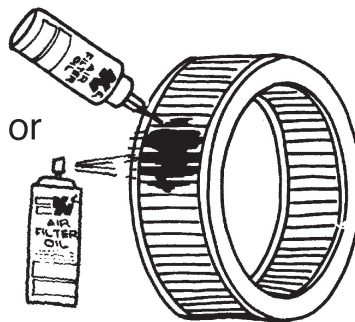
**General note** For a higher life-span and optimal engine protection the filter corrugations have to be moisturized with oil. Unoled filters lose their effectiveness against dirt and dust. Every corrugation of the filter has to be oiled. After 5 - 10 minutes the filter mat will be soaked with oil, noticeable on the uniform red colouring

### ATTENTION

**Never use gear oil, diesel or engine oil, as they attract humidity. Overoiling of the air filter reduces airflow causing rich mixture.**

### NOTE

*If necessary, apply filter oil on sealing face, but don't oil clamp connection area of filter.*



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Figure 7.19: Overview

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**FUEL FILTER**

**CHECK AND REPLACEMENT OF FUEL FILTER**

**General**

The flow through the filter may be restricted due to the long term build up of dirt. A more serious type of blockage, which can occur quite rapidly is caused by a reaction between detergents in certain two-stroke oils and water in the fuel.

Both types of blockage may be difficult to detect visually. If blockage is suspected, renew fuel filter or filter element. Subsequently avoid water contamination of fuel.

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**REWIND STARTER**

**Instruction**

**Check the rewind starter.**

<b>Step</b>	<b>Procedure</b>
1	Ignition OFF.
2	Pull the starter rope full till end stop.
3	Check starter rope condition according to maintenance schedule.
4	Replace if worn according to latest Maintenance Manual Heavy.

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**CHECK OF IGNITION SYSTEM**

**General**

Verify all electrical connections for good contact and ensure they are free of corrosion. Inspect the wiring for wear, damage and corrosion.

Before flight the function of the two ignition circuits must be checked. For checking the ignition unit the engine must be operated at 3000 to 3500 rpm and alternately ignition circuit 1 and 2 must be switched off.

The rpm-drop must not exceed at 300 rpm.



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