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# **GOLO** Power Winch Operation Manual

For all winches using the rotary switch control



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#### **MODEL**

#### **Designation Codes**

Winch Series:12 = 1200 lb Rating\*7 = 700 lb Rating\*Voltage:15 = 115 Volt30 = 230 VoltSwitch Location (MO and MA):S = StandardR = Remote

Switch Type: MO = Rotary Momentary Switch

**RPNT** = Remote Push Button Pendant

**LVC** = Low Voltage Control

**Quick-Disconnect:** X = Quick-Disconnect is installed **Examples:** 12-15 RPNT, 7-30 RMOX, 12-30 LVC

Note: Only the rotary switch control is covered in this manual. Gearbox and motor information applies to all models.

Note: Remote controls come with 10 ft cords standard, but other lengths are available.

\*See Safety Rule 5 on Page 3 for an explanation of load rating.

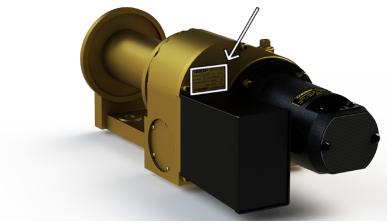
**MA** = Rotary Maintained Switch

#### Identification

If the model and serial number label (Figure 1) is missing, the winch's model may be determined through the following: **Series**: Running with no load, the 1200 series gearbox will turn the drum at approximately 33 RPM, while the 700 series will turn it at approximately 66 RPM.

**Voltage:** The voltage may be determined by looking at the plug shape (Figure 2). Cordem uses a standard NEMA 5-15 plug for 115 volt models, and a NEMA 6-15 plug for 230 volt models.

**Switch Type**: SMO and SMA controls are mounted on the control box. RPNT, RMO, and RMA controls are mounted on a pendant attached to the control box. The RMO and RMA have a rotary switch, while the RPNT has push buttons.



Model and Serial Number Label Location Figure 1





NEMA 5-15 (115 Volts) NEMA 6-15 (230 Volts) Figure 2

#### TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

The duty cycle of the winch with a full load allows for 1 minute of continuous operation, followed by 1 minute of rest.

At half load, the winch may be run continuously.

Max. Weight: 38 lb (17.25 kg) (cable not included)

Height: 7.5 in (19 cm) Width: 8.3 in (21 cm) Length: 20.75 in (52.7 cm)

\*The maximum number of layers varies with cable diameter.

		Lift Capacity (lb)	Line Speed (ft/min)			
	around Drum		In	Out	No Load	
1200	1	1200	17	37	28	
	Full*	700	25	54	41	
700	1	700	34	76	56	
	Full*	400	50	112	82	

Double drum values will differ. See Page 11 for details.

#### INSTALLATION

#### Mounting

- 1. The winch must be bolted onto a strong, stiff support.
- 2. Allow a safe operating area around the winch in order to avoid accidental contact with the cable or load.
- 3. Center the drum to the load. This will help to prevent the cable from winding onto one side and spilling over the flange.
- 4. Mount the winch level to a horizontal load to ensure that the winch is not unnecessarily strained.
- 5. To allow proper spooling of the cable, the fleet angle should be no more than  $1.5^{\circ}$  (Figure 3). The minimum distance between the winch and a load or pulley should be 11 ft (3.35 m), assuming that a drum divider is not being used.

Caution: Do not mount the winch in the base-vertical, drum-down position (Figure 4), as this will cause a gear set to rise above the oil level. All other horizontal and vertical positions are acceptable. FIXED PULLEY LDAD . FLEET ANGLE Figure 3 Figure 4 7.00 (178 mm) Bolt Size & (M12) Д .63 (16 mm) 3.00 HΠ 5.50 (76 mm) (14f) mm)  $\langle \bigcirc \rangle$ 7.50 (190 mm) 4.81 (122 mm) 4.81 -5 nn--2.25 (122 mm) (20,6 mm) (127 mm) (57 mm) -5.00 (211 mm) (127 mm) -20.75 (527 mm) End View Side View Mounting Hole Pattern

#### **Electrical Power**

Figure 5

Before connecting the winch to a power source, consider the following:

- 1. Extension cords are potentially dangerous. We recommend using 12 gauge wire for cords exceeding 20 ft (6 m). Circuits for 115 VAC winches should be rated for 20 A. Circuits for 230 VAC winches should be rated for 10 A.
- 2. Never operate your power winch without first grounding it. If a 3-prong outlet is not available, use a standard adapter plug, making sure to connect the adapter ground wire.
- 3. Rotary switch controls will start the winch if they are set to IN or OUT as the power cord is plugged in.

#### **Use in Wet Environments**

Be sure to protect the winch's controls from moisture as much as possible. Since the motor is not completely enclosed, it should be protected when operating under inclement weather conditions or near splashing water. We offer a motor and switch box shield (101081) for this purpose. Although the shield does not enclose the motor, it helps to protect the motor from moisture entering from the top.

#### **SAFETY**

- 1. Before operating the winch, ensure that it is properly installed (Page 2).
- 2. Never use the winch for any type of human support or transportation.
- 3. Cordem specifies a minimum cable safety factor of 5:1. This means the cable should be capable of supporting 5 times the intended load. We also recommend the use of safety latches on all hooks.
- 4. A minimum of 5 wraps of cable should be kept around the drum at all times. This reduces the load on the cable retaining bolt.
- 5. The number of layers of cable on the drum greatly affects the maximum load of the winch. Depending on the layer, a 1200 series winch will lift between 1200 and 700 lb (545-315 kg), and a 700 series will lift between 700 and 400 lb (315-180 kg). The maximum load decreases to the lower value as more layers are spooled around the drum, due to increasing torque. This effect may be eliminated through the use of a double drum (Page 11).

#### **ROTARY SWITCH CONTROL**

#### **Direction Select Switch**

On the rotary switch controls, all motor and drum direction control is accomplished by using the direction select switch. This switch may be located in a remote pendant (R- series) or on the control box itself (S- series).

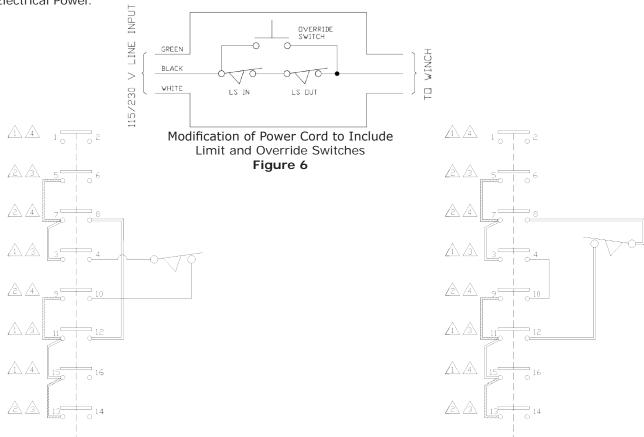
The direction select switch has 4 positions: IN-OFF-OFF-OUT. When the switch is in the IN or OUT positions, the motor will run and wind cable onto (IN) or off of (OUT) the drum. The OFF positions remove electrical power from the motor. Each OFF position operates the Trigger-Duodynamic braking system in the proper direction for the IN or OUT switch position next to it.

The direction select switch will either stay in place (-MA series) or need to be held in the IN or OUT position (-MO series). These are referred to as maintained and momentary switches. The -MA series may be useful for long pull/lift applications, but the -MO series is generally recommended for more accurate control.

#### **Limit Switches**

Limit switches can be used to stop the winch when the load reaches the switch.

Dynamic braking will not operate when the limit switches are hit. This is usually not a problem when lifting a load. Lowering a load without dynamic braking often results in the load drifting. Limit switches should be rated as described under Electrical Power.



To stop "IN" but with no brake, insert LS in place of jumper J4-10. Winch can still be run in "OUT" direction.

Figure 7a

To stop "OUT" but with no brake, insert LS in place of jumper J8-12. Winch can still be run in "IN" direction.

Figure 7b

#### **MAINTENANCE**

#### **Authorized Service Under Warranty**

Should any service difficulties arise while your winch is under warranty, contact your nearest distributor; if they cannot help you, contact Cordem directly. Repair work performed by anyone who has not received specific instructions from or been specifically authorized by Cordem Corporation will automatically void all warranty conditions of the product.

#### **Braking System Maintenance**

All GOLO Power Winch models incorporate the Trigger-Duodynamic braking system, along with self-locking worm gearing. This dynamic braking system dissipates energy by, in effect, turning the motor into a generator. This begins the process of converting kinetic energy into heat in the dynamic brake resistor. The self-locking worm gear arrangement then holds the load in place.

If you notice performance issues, including abrupt stopping of the load during the braking cycle, a delay before braking begins, the load moving slightly after the braking cycle, or a dramatic increase in arcing on the motor brushes, the load should be removed immediately and maintenance should be performed. We advise checking the brushes for loose wires and using a commutator stone to clean and condition the commutator surface.

#### **Preventive Electrical Maintenance**

Electrical Contacts: Check that all electrical connections and leads to the switch contacts are joined securely.

Brush Replacement: After replacing the brush (or armature), reseat the brushes by running the motor in both directions without any load until complete seating has occurred. Use compressed air to remove the dust created by this procedure.

#### **Power Supply Issues**

If the incoming voltage is too low, the winch will operate at a lower speed. Note that the measured voltage at the outlet will decrease when the winch is under load. Extension cords are often a problem. Make sure they are rated as described on Page 2 under Electrical Power.

#### LUBRICATION

Throughout the operating life of the winch, make sure that the lubricant level is maintained at 2 1/8 in (5.4 cm) below the top of the filler plug (100221) opening (Figure 8). This is slightly less than 1 qt (950 ml) of oil. Too much lubricant will cause overheating; too little will cause gear failure.

The first change of the gear case lubricant should be performed after 50 hours of normal operation. After that, change the oil again every 250 hours of use. To change the oil, unscrew the filler plug and tip the winch upside-down until the case is completely drained. After this, we suggest you use a light flushing oil, and thoroughly drain it. After this second draining, place the winch in its normal upright position, and refill the gear box to the proper level with new gear lubricant.

We recommend Mobilgear 600 XP 320 lubricating oil. Acceptable alternatives include ConocoPhillips Compounded Gear Oil-7, and synthetic oils such as Texaco Pinnacle, Shell Hyperia, Royal Purple Synergy, and Mobil SHC 634. These are all high-grade worm gear lubricants for enclosed gear boxes, with an S.S.U. viscosity of at least 22 centistokes at 210°F (100°C). This corresponds with American Gear Manufacturers Association Grade 6. If you cannot obtain the proper worm gear lubricant, it is possible (on a temporary basis only) to use an SAE 90 automotive gear oil, which is likely available at a local gasoline station.

Note: No additional lubrication is necessary. All outside bearings are pre-lubricated and sealed.

Caution: Never check the gear case lubricant or fill with oil while the winch is running.

**Caution:** Avoid all lubricants that are not compatible with bronze gears. Some (especially older) EP lubricants are not compatible.

#### **Temperature**

It is very important to use a lubricant with a pour point 20°F (11°C) lower than the coldest expected temperature. We recommend using synthetic oils if ambient temperatures fall below 30°F (-1°C), or exceed 100°F (38°C).

#### **CABLE**

#### **Selection**

The following table can help you select the proper cable for your particular application. We recommend galvanized aircraft cable (7x19) for the winch drum because of its combination of strength, flexibility, and corrosion resistance.

Note: Cordem specifies a minimum cable safety factor of 5:1, and recommends using safety latches on all hooks.

Cable Diameter (in)	Drum Capacity (ft)*	Breaking Strength (lb)**	Maximum Operating Load (lb)
1/8	512	2000	400
5/32	325	2800	560
3/16	215	4200	840
7/32	165	5600	1120
1/4	135	7000	1400

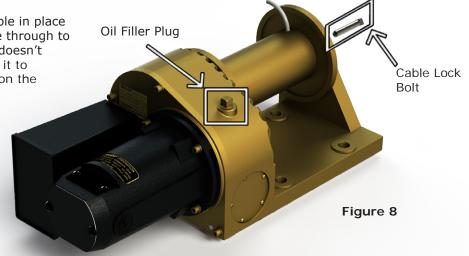
<sup>\*</sup>Usable cable length is about 4 ft less, as the first 5 cable wraps should always remain on the drum for safe operation.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Based on galvanized aircraft cable (7x19).



The cable lock bolt (100224) fastens the cable in place (Figure 8). To attach a cable, push the cable through to the opposite end of the hole, but be sure it doesn't protrude beyond the hole. This would cause it to interfere with the normal wrap of the cable on the drum. Tighten the cable lock bolt firmly.

**Note:** The cable must be wrapped in the correct direction around the winch drum. The proper direction is established when the cable follows the groove that leads from the cable hole.



#### DISASSEMBLY

## Oil and Housing Cover

- 1. Pour the oil out of the gear box.
- 2. Remove the housing cover (100102) by removing the 5 screws (100222) on the outer edge of the housing cover's face, along with the upper right screw holding the motor to the housing cover.

**Caution:** Whenever the cover is removed from the housing, be sure that the inside of the gear box is clean of all dirt and particles before reassembling.

#### Gear Box

- 1. Remove the 10 side cover screws (100253), both side covers (100251), and o-rings (100250). Earlier models will have gaskets (100252) instead of o-rings.
- 2. Remove the elastic stop nut (100213) at the end of the cross shaft (100105). Then remove the cross shaft.
- 3. Remove the double roll pin (100214), which holds the drum (100103) to the drum shaft (100104), and the outside drum snap ring (100206). Pull the worm gear (100406 or 100438) and drum shaft out of the housing.

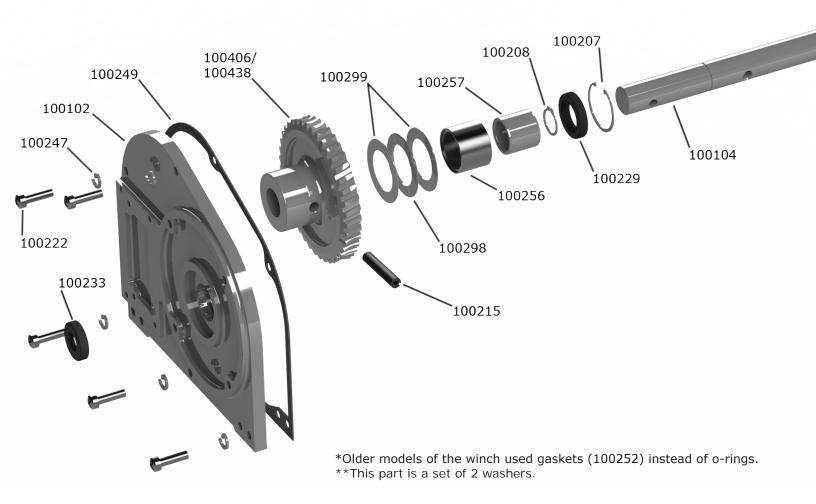
Caution: Do not pull the drum shaft out without first removing the cross shaft. Doing so will damage the gear teeth.

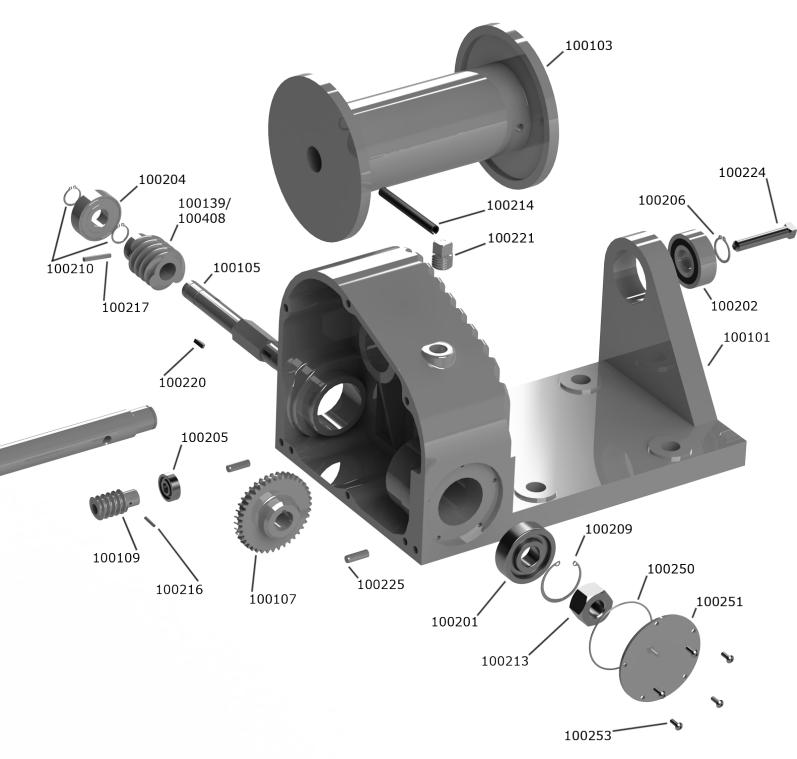
#### Motor

- 1. After removing the housing cover as described above, remove the worm (100109) from the motor shaft.
- 2. Remove the 3 screws (100244) which hold the motor to the housing cover, and pull the motor from the housing cover.

### **DRAWINGS**

Main Assembly		Part			Part	100252
Description Qu	antity	Number	Description (	Quantity	Number	100253
Gear Housing	1	100101	Oil Pipe Plug	1	100221	/ & 6
Gear Box Housing Cover	1	100102	1/4-20 x 7/8 SHC Screw	5	100222	
Cable Drum	1	100103	1/4-20 x 1 1/4 SHC Screw	1	100223	
Drum Shaft	1	100104	3/8-16 x 2 Square Head	1	100224	
Cross Shaft	1	100105	Set Screw			( )
Input Gear	1	100107	1/4 x 3/4 Dowel Pin	2	100225	9/
Input Worm	1	100109	Drum Shaft Oil Seal	1	100229	
700 Series Output Worm	1	100139	Motor Shaft Oil Seal	1	100233	\ <u></u>
Nut End Cross Shaft Bearing	1	100201	Lubricating Oil (Not shown)	)	100238	100251 /
Outside Drum Bearing	1	100202	1/4 Lock Washer	9	100247	100250
Cross Shaft Bearing	1	100204	Gear Housing Gasket	1	100249	
Motor Shaft Housing Bearing	1	100205	Side Cover O-Rings*	2	100250	
Outside Drum Shaft Snap Rin	g 1	100206	Side Cover	2	100251	
Needle Bearing Snap Ring	1	100207	Side Cover Screw	10	100253	
Inside Drum Shaft Snap Ring	1	100208	Drum Shaft Needle Bearing	j 1	100256	
Nut End Snap Ring	1	100209	Drum Shaft Race Bearing	1	100257	
Cross Shaft Snap Ring	2	100210	Output Gear Thrust Bearing		100298	
Cross Shaft Nut	1	100213	Output Gear Thrust Washer	r 1**	100299	
Drum Roll Pin	1	100214	1200 Series Output Gear	1	100406	
Output Gear Roll Pin	1	100215	1200 Series Output Worm	1	100408	
Input Worm Roll Pin	1	100216	700 Series Output Gear	1	100438	
Output Worm Roll Pin	1	100217				
Input Gear Key	1	100220				

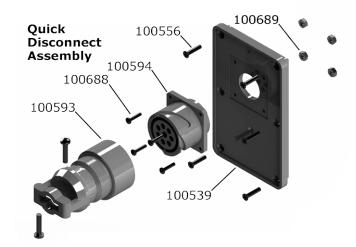




- Reassembly Notes:
  1. Cordem recommends applying Loctite 515 on the housing (100101) and cover (100102) prior to installing the housing gasket (100249).
- 2. Verify that the motor shaft bearing (100205) is seated in the housing.
- 3. Ensure that the output gear (100406 or 100438) is seated. The hub of the gear should be level to the top of the housing within .015 inches. If it's too high, the thrust bearing (100298) and washers (100299) are not seated on the gear.
- 4. Use an anti-galling lubricant on the pipe plug (100221).

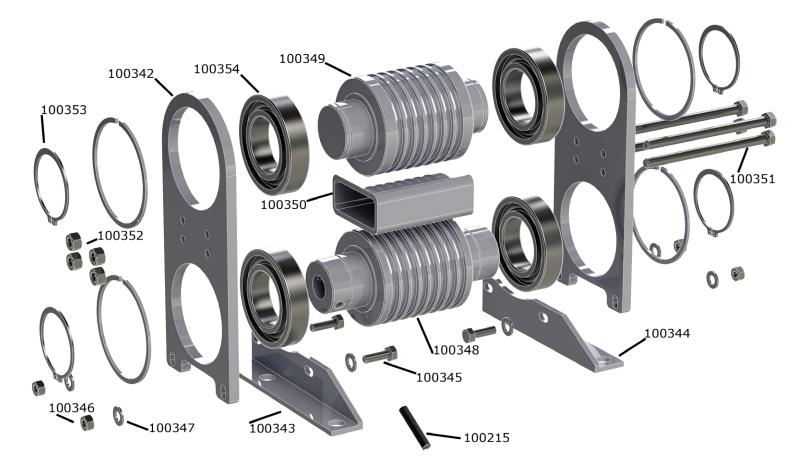
Motor Assembly Description Qua 1/4-20 x 7/8 SHC Screw 1/4-20 x 1 1/2 SHC Screw Washers Spade Terminals (Not shown) Heat Shrink Tube (Not shown) Motor Bearing Grommet Motor Body (115 Volt) Motor Body (230 Volt) Motor Flange Brush Access Cover Cover Screen Brush Access Cover Screw	antity 3 1 4 4 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 2	Part Number 100222 100223 100247 100666 100790 100814 100929 100930 100931 100932 100935 100936 100937	Description Brush Holder Brush Cap Brush Set (115 Volt) 5/16-18 x 3/8 BHC Screv #10-32 x 1/4 HDP Set So Motor Lead Wire (Black) Motor Lead Wire (Blue) Motor Label (115 Volt) Motor Label (230 Volt) Brush Set (230 Volt) *This part is a set of 2 br	2 1 1 1 1 1 1*	Part Number 100946 100948 100949 100952 100953 100958 100959 100968 100969 101184
#10-32 x 2 1/2 SHC Screw #10-24 x 1 SHC Screw Motor Armature (115 Volt) Motor Field (115 Volt) Motor Armature (230 Volt) Motor Field (230 Volt) #10 ID, .50 OD Washer Motor Bearing	2 4 1 1 1 1 2 1	100938 100939 100940 100941 100942 100943 100944	10022 100940/ 100942	100932	39
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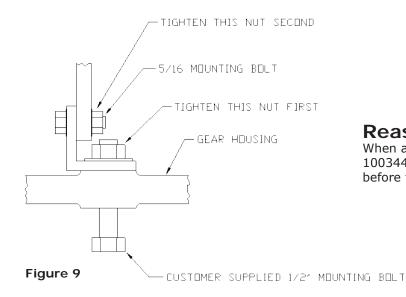
QD Assembly		Part
Description	Quantity	Number
Box Cover (Quick Disconn	ect) 1	100539
#6-32 x 5/8 FHP Screw	6	100556
QD Plug	1	100593
QD Bayonet Receptacle	1	100594
QD Bayonet Connector	1	100605
(Includes 100593, 1005	94)	
#4-40 x 1/2 PHP Screw	4	100688
#4-40 Hex Nut	4	100689



SMO/SMA Assembly Description Ouantity Momentary Switch Maintained Switch Box Cover (SMO and SMA) M46-32 x 5/8 FHP Screw M4 x 10mm FHP Screw M59-32 x 5/8 FHP Screw M69-32 x 5/8 FHP Screw M79-32 x 5/8 FHP Scr	RMO/RMA Assembly Description Quantity Number Momentary Switch Maintained Switch Box Cover (RMO and RMA) Remote Control Barrel General
Terminal Box Assembly           Braking Resistor (115 Volt)         1         100542           Braking Resistor (230 Volt)         1         100543           Spring Clip and Insulator         1         100544           Box Heat Sink Plate         1         100546           Cover Heat Sink Plate         1         100547           Power Cord (115 Volt)         1         100548           Power Cord (230 Volt)         1         100549           Power Cord Grommet         1         100550           Trigger Circuit Assembly         1         100552           #10-24 x 5/8 SHC Screw         4         100554           Terminal Box         1         100905	Cover Mounting Screw 6 100556 Cable Bushing 2 100558 Plastic Cable Nut 2 100559 Switch Knob Assembly 1 100570 Momentary Switch Label 1 100705 Maintained Switch Label 1 100706 12-30 Warning Label 1 100707 7-30 Warning Label 1 100708 12-15 Warning Label 1 100709 7-15 Warning Label 1 100710
Motor Cord Grommet 1 100929  100537 100534/ 100556  SMO/SMA Assembly 100562  100705/ 100570 100706	Terminal Box Assembly  100546  100548/ 100549  100550  100549  100554
10054	100552 100556 100707/ 100708/ 40 100709/ 100710 RMO/RMA Assembly

Double Drum		Part			Part
Description	Quantity	Number	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	Quantity	Number
Roll Pin	1	100215	8-Groove Drum (Driver)	1	100348
Side Plate	2	100342	7-Groove Drum (Idler)	1	100349
Left Bracket	1	100343	Spacer Bar	1	100350
Right Bracket	1	100344	3/8-16 x 5-1/2 Hex Cap Sc	rew 4	100351
5/16-18 x 1 Hex Cap Scre	w 4	100345	3/8-16 Hex Nut	4	100352
5/16-18 Hex Nut	4	100346	Drum Snap Ring	4	100353
5/16 SAE Washer	8	100347	Drum Bearing	4	100354





Reassembly Note:
When attaching to the winch, the brackets (100343 and 100344) should be securely attached to the housing (100101) before tightening the cross screws (100345) (Figure 9).

#### **DOUBLE DRUM**

#### **Theory of Operation**

The cable enters the drum assembly on the lower drum, wraps between the lower and upper drums, and then is fed out from the lower drum (Figure 10). The cable grooves on the drums are circular, not helical, which permits continuous feed of the cable in either direction.

The driving force on the cable is developed by the successive wraps on the power drum. The tension increment in each wrap over the power drum will be  $T2/T1=e^{uB}$  wherein:

T2 = tension out

T1 = tension in

u = coefficient of friction

B = arc of contact (in radians)

e = base of the natural logarithm system (2.718)

The coefficient of friction is normally .10 or greater, even with oil or grease on the cable. The arc of contact is 180 degrees, or  $\pi$  radians. Therefore, the tension increment per 180-degree wrap on the power drum is:

$$T2/T1 = 2.718^{(.1)(3.14)} = 1.369$$

Depending on the direction of approach of the cable from the external loop, there will be 6, 7, or 8 half-wraps of cable on the power drum, giving an overall ratio of:

 $(1.369)^6 = 6.58$  for 6 half-wraps

 $(1.369)^7 = 9.01$  for 7 half-wraps

 $(1.369)^8 = 12.33$  for 8 half-wraps

The minimum line tension to develop the 1200 lb capacity of the winch (1200 series) will then be:

1200/6.58 = 182 # for 6 wraps

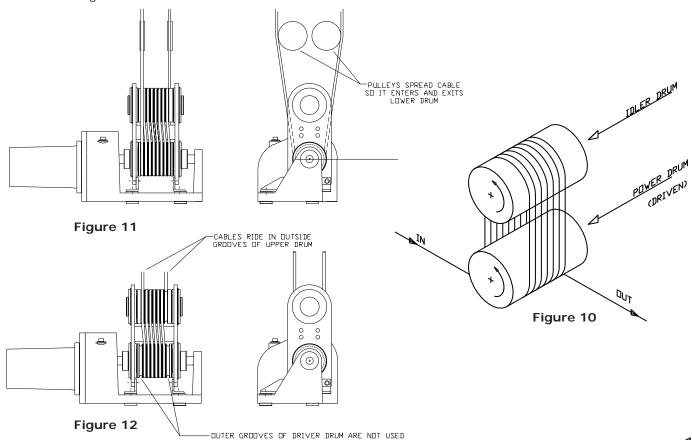
1200/9.01 = 133# for 7 wraps

1200/12.33 = 97.3# for 8 wraps

This shows that moderate initial tension in the outer cable loop is sufficient to deliver the winch's rated force to drive the cable. Cable tension may be controlled by the use of a turnbuckle or by use of an adjustment pulley in the cable circuit. We recommend a cable diameter of .25 in.

#### Mounting

When the cable approach is from the top, there are 2 options for attaching the cable to the drums. The favored approach is to use pulleys to spread the cables out so they can reach the driving (bottom) drum without touching the idler drum (Figure 11). This allows you to use all 8 grooves of the driving drum. Alternately, you can place the incoming and outgoing cable along the outermost grooves of the idler drum (Figure 12). This limits you to using only the 6 inner grooves of the driving drum.

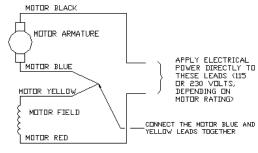


#### **ELECTRICAL DIAGRAMS**

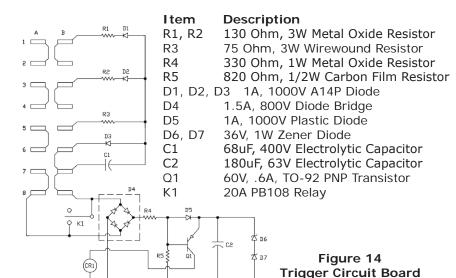
If the control fails in the winch, or you suspect other electrical problems, you can connect power directly to the winch motor (Figure 13).

- 1. Disconnect the 4 motor lead wires from the rest of the control.
- 2. Connect 2 of the wires directly together.
- 3. Connect the remaining 2 motor wires directly to the AC supply.

**Caution:** This will prevent the winch's dynamic brake from functioning. When lowering a load, the load may not stop when power is removed. Cycle the power on and off to prevent the load from lowering too quickly.



MOTOR CONNECTIONS FOR "OUT" DIRECTION



MOTOR BLUE

MOTOR ARMATURE

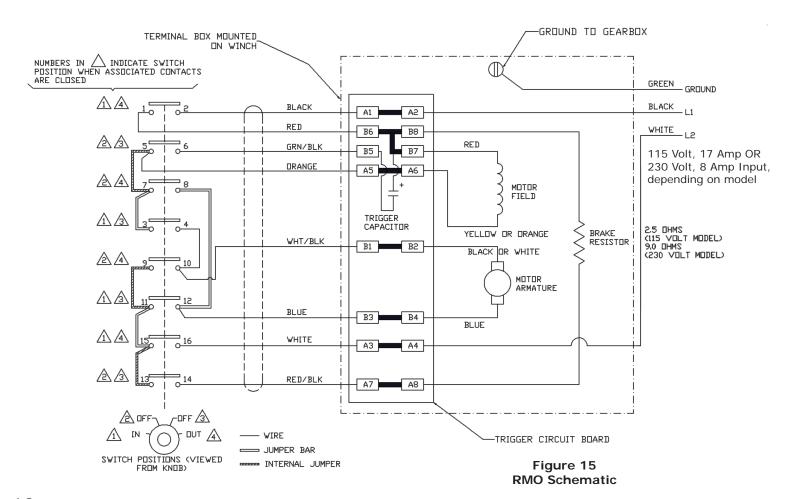
APPLY ELECTRICAL
POWER DIRECTLY TO
THESE LEADS (115
OR 230 VOLTS,
DEPENDING ON
MOTOR RATING)

MOTOR FIELD

CONNECT THE MOTOR BLACK AND
YELLOW LEADS TOGETHER

MOTOR CONNECTIONS FOR "IN" DIRECTION

Figure 13
Connecting Power Directly to Motor



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