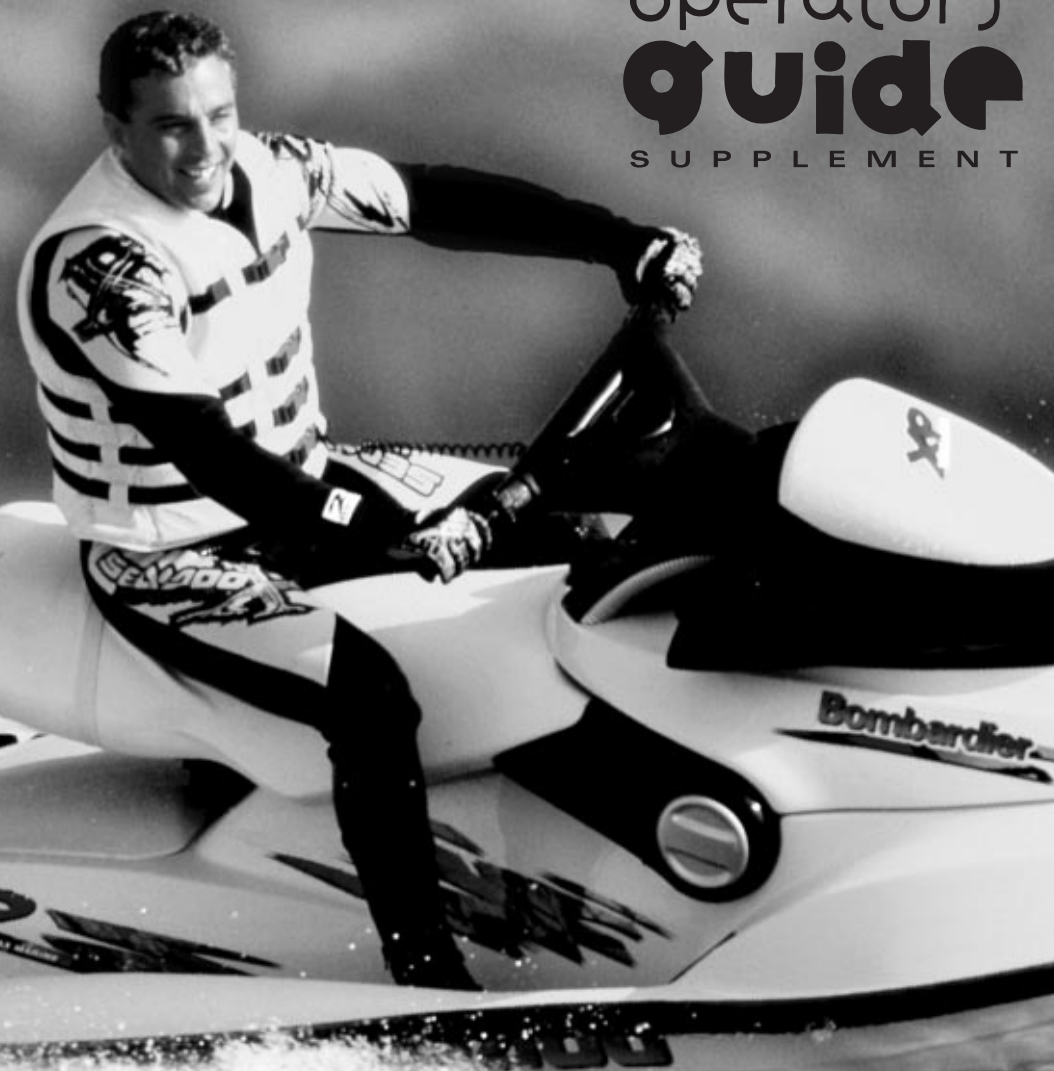


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GSX LIMITED 5625

operator's **guide**

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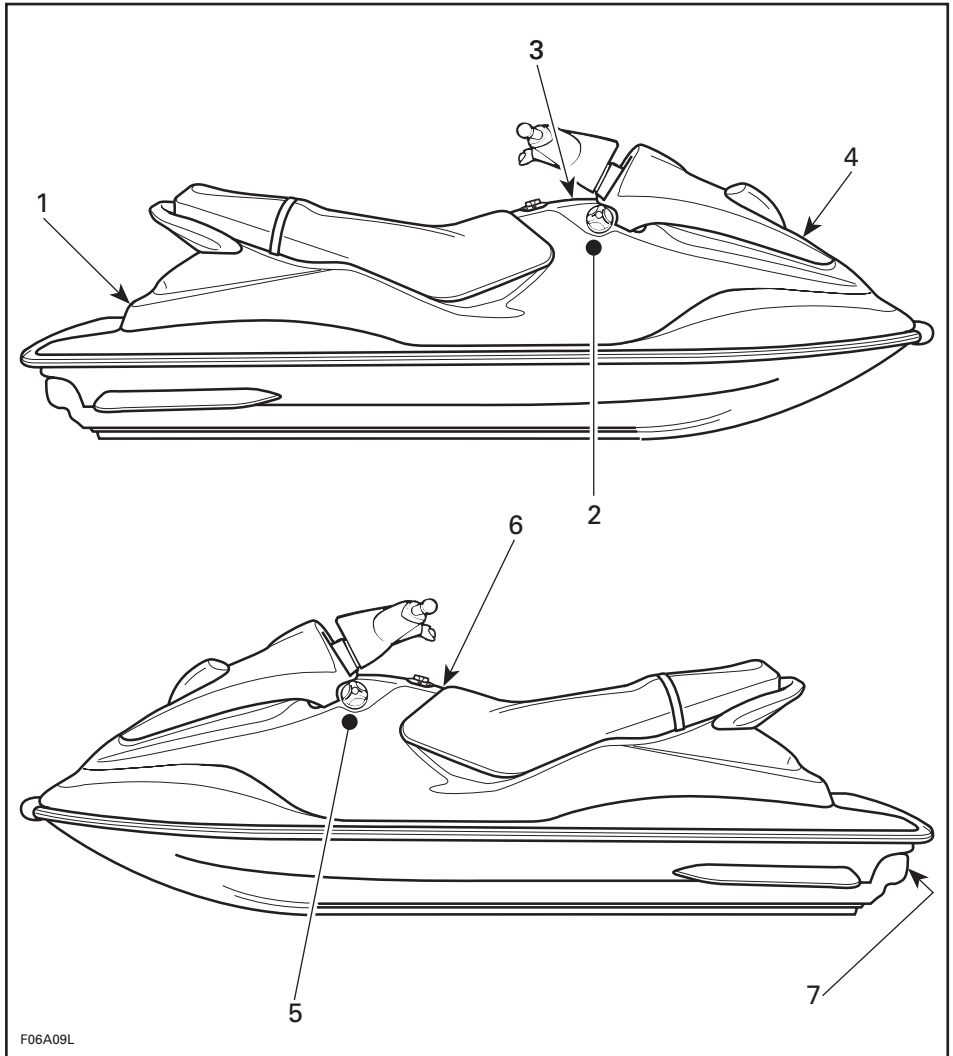
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SEA-DOO GSX LIMITED (5625) OPERATOR'S GUIDE SUPPLEMENT

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LOCATION OF THE IMPORTANT LABELS



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"THIS BOAT IS NOT REQUIRED TO COMPLY WITH THE FOLLOWING U.S. COAST GUARD SAFETY STANDARDS IN EFFECT ON THE DATE OF CERTIFICATION:

- Fuel System
- Safe Loading
- Display of Capacity Information
- Flotation
- Powered Ventilation

AS AUTHORIZED BY U.S. COAST GUARD GRANT OF EXEMPTION (CGB 88-001)."

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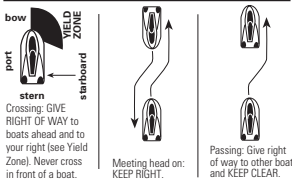
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REMEMBER THESE RULES OF THE ROAD



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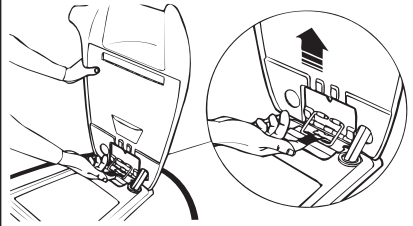
Read all warning labels, *Operator Guide*, & *Safety Handbook* before operation. Severe injury or death can result from ignoring warnings or through improper use of this watercraft.

- Check throttle & steering operation before starting engine.
- Directional control is lost when throttle is released or engine shut off.
- Do not splash others or jump waves or wakes with this watercraft.
- Operator and passenger should always wear approved life vests and recommended clothing.
- Gasoline is explosive. Always observe proper fueling practices and maintenance.
- Properly attach safety lanyard to your life vest.
- This watercraft is not designed for night-time operation.
- Seating is limited to one operator and one passenger (350 lbs.)
- Keep a safe distance from all other water users. Be aware of all boating regulations.

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◆ WARNING

WHILE FUELING, STOP ENGINE. FUEL TANK MAY BE PRESSURIZED, SLOWLY TURN CAP WHEN OPENING. KEEP WATERCRAFT LEVEL. DO NOT OVERFILL. CHECK OIL LEVEL. PERIODICALLY, VERIFY FUEL SYSTEM.

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• WARNING

DO NOT BOOST BATTERY WHILE INSTALLED.

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▼ CAUTION

TO AVOID POSSIBLE ENGINE FLOODING WHEN ROLLED OVER:



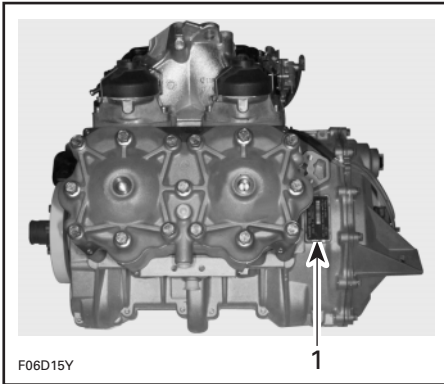
- MAKE SURE ENGINE IS OFF
- GRAB INLET GRATE AND STEP ON BUMPER RAIL
- ROLL BOAT COUNTERCLOCKWISE

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Engine Identification Number

The Engine Identification Number (E.I.N.) is located on the crankcase on MAGNETO side.



1. Engine Identification Number

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2) Throttle Lever

Do not activate or jerk throttle lever unnecessarily, carburetors are fed with a fuel acceleration pump. The acceleration pump delivers fuel to the engine each time throttle lever is applied.

▼ CAUTION

Engine can be flooded if throttle lever is applied several times. If engine is flooded, it will not start.

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53) Info Center Gauge

Gauge functions:

- clock
- speedometer

- average speed
- peak speed
- trip meter
- tachometer
- chronometer
- water temperature
- engine hourmeter
- maintenance information
- low fuel
- low oil
- low battery
- hi temp
- fuel level
- VTS indicator

NOTE: Refer to the *1997 Sea-Doo Operator's Guide* for an overview of the Info Center gauge operation.

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Recommended Oil

Use only BOMBARDIER ROTAX FORMULA XP-S SYNTHETIC INJECTION OIL (or the equivalent synthetic oil).

This fully synthetic oil will provide outstanding cleanliness, less friction and wear for greater engine performance and durability.

▼ CAUTION

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Steering and Throttle Systems

Check throttle lever **ONCE** for free and smooth operation. It must return to its initial position immediately after it is released.

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Capsized Watercraft

To return the watercraft upright, grab the inlet grate, step on bumper rail and use your weight to rotate it **COUNTERCLOCKWISE** (seen from rear).

▼ CAUTION

Always refer to decal located on stern of watercraft.

▼ CAUTION

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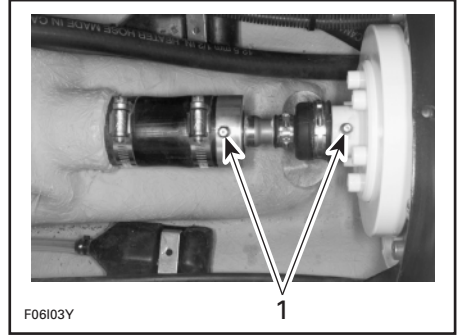
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Lubrication

The PTO flywheel and seal carrier of the drive system should be lubricated with SEA-DOO synthetic grease every 10 operating hours.



1. Grease PTO flywheel and seal carrier

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Throttle and Choke Cable Inspection

Throttle Cable

CHANGE: Depress and release the throttle lever **ONCE**. It must operate smoothly and return to its initial position without any hesitation. Refer to an authorized dealer if necessary.

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Fuses

The electrical system is protected with 4 fuses.

All fuses are located on the Multi-Purpose Electronic Module except for one of the 15 A fuse for the charging system which is in the rear electrical box.

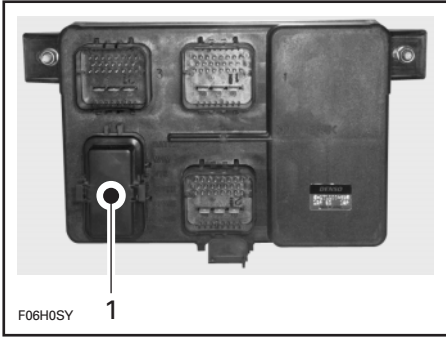
If the battery is regularly discharged, check the 15 A fuses.

If the starter does not operate, check the 5 A fuse.

If the variable trim system does not operate, check the 7.5 A fuse.

To access fuses on the Multi-Purpose Electronic Module, open storage cover and remove basket.

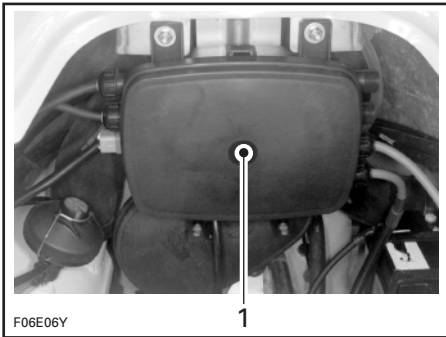
Unclip the fuse cover.



TYPICAL — MULTI-PURPOSE ELECTRONIC MODULE

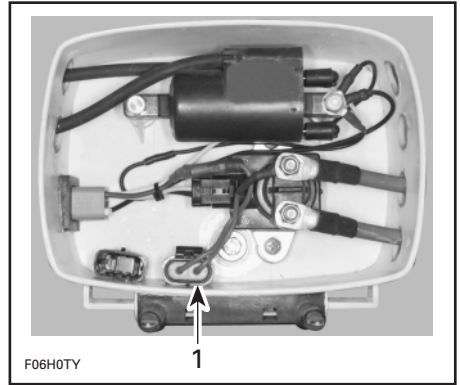
1. Fuse cover

To access the 15 A fuse in the rear electrical box, remove seat and vent tube support.



1. Rear electrical box

Unclip and remove cover of the rear electrical box.



REAR ELECTRICAL BOX OPENED

1. Fuse holder

Unclip and pull out fuse holder to check fuse condition.



CAUTION

Do not use a higher rated fuse as this can cause severe damage. Refer to SPECIFICATIONS section for recommended fuse rating. If a fuse is regularly burnt, refer to an authorized dealer.



WARNING

If any water is found in the rear electrical box, immediately refer to an authorized dealer before operating the watercraft.

NOTE: Ensure to properly close cover of the rear electrical box, making sure seal is well positioned.

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Additional Recommended Protection

Proceed as follows for adding anti-freeze solution in the engine:

Install a hose pincher to engine drain hose near the PTO flywheel guard.

Insert a funnel into the hose and pour about 1 liter (1 quart) of antifreeze solution mixed with water.

▼ CAUTION

Always use antifreeze specially formulated for aluminum engines.

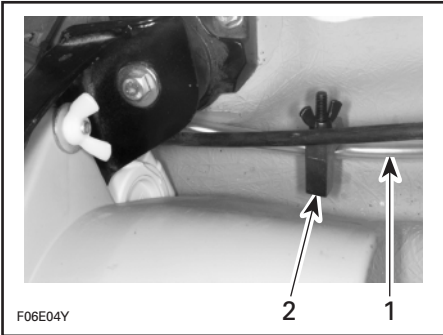
Remove temporary hose and reconnect engine water outlet hose to cylinder head.

Remove hose pincher from engine drain hose.

NOTE: Most of the antifreeze will drain out when removing the hose pincher. Use a container to recover it. **DISPOSE OF ANTIFREEZE AS PER YOUR LOCAL LAWS AND REGULATIONS.**

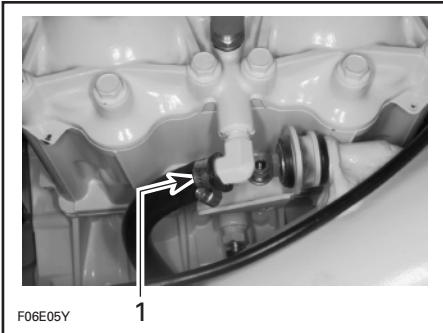
NOTE: Although antifreeze will mainly drain out, the antifreeze has mixed with the water that was possibly trapped in the cylinder water jackets and thus preventing freezing problems.

NOTE: At pre-season preparation, drain the remaining antifreeze from cooling system prior using the watercraft.



1. Engine drain hose
2. Hose pincher

Disconnect engine water outlet hose from cylinder head.



1. Engine water outlet hose

Temporary install a short piece of hose to engine water outlet at cylinder head.

SPECIFICATIONS

ENGINE		GSX LIMITED (5625)
Engine type		Bombardier-Rotax 947, 2-stroke
Induction type		Reed valves
Exhaust system		Water cooled/water injected with regulator
Exhaust valve		Rotax Adjustable Variable Exhaust (R.A.V.E.)
Lubrication	Type	Oil injection
	Oil type	BOMBARDIER ROTAX FORMULA XP-S SYNTHETIC INJECTION OIL (or equivalent synthetic oil)
Number of cylinders		2
Displacement		951.2 cm ³ (58 in ³)
Rev limiter setting		7200 (± 50) RPM
COOLING		
Type		Water cooled, total loss type. Direct flow from propulsion unit.
ELECTRICAL		
Magneto generator output		180 W @ 6000 RPM
Ignition system type		Digital DC-CDI
Spark plug	Make and type	NGK, BR8ES
	Gap	0.5 - 0.6 mm (.020 - .024 in)
Starting system		Electric starter
Battery		12 V, 19 A
Fuse	Starting system	5 A
	Charging system	2 x 15 A
	VTS system	7.5 A
CARBURETION		
Fuel type		Regular unleaded gasoline
Carburetor		BN 461 Diaphragm type with acceleration pump Quantity: 2

PROPULSION		GSX LIMITED (5625)
Propulsion system		Bombardier Formula pump
Jet pump type		Axial flow, single stage
Transmission		Direct drive
Impeller shaft reservoir oil type		SEA-DOO jet pump synthetic polyolester oil 75W90 GL5
Pivoting angle of direction (nozzle)		~ 20°
Pivoting angle of variable trim system		± 8°
Minimum required water level for jet pump		90 cm (3 ft)
PERFORMANCE		
Cruising time at full throttle	Fuel tank without reserve	49 minutes
	Fuel tank reserve	13 minutes
DIMENSIONS		
Number of passengers ①		2
Overall length		267 cm (105 in)
Overall width		116 cm (45.7 in)
Overall height		94 cm (37 in)
Weight		237 kg (523 lb)
Load limit (passengers + luggage)		159 kg (351 lb)
CAPACITIES		
Fuel tank		56.5 L (15 U.S. gal)
Impeller shaft reservoir	Capacity	70 mL (2.4 U.S. oz)
	Oil level	Up to plug
Oil injection reservoir		6 L (1.6 U.S. gal)

① Refer to load limit.

N.A.: Not Applicable.

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