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OPERATOR'S MANUAL

Prince®XL/Spool Gun

Model #350 (factory model) For use with Cabinet K2259-1



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Lincoln arc welding equipment is designed and built with safety in mind. However, your overall safety can be increased by proper installation...and thoughful operation on your part. DO NOT INSTALL, OPERATE OR REPAIR THIS EQUIPMENT WITHOUT

Safety Depends on You

READING THIS MANUAL AND THE SAFETY PRECAUTIONS CONTAINED THROUGHOUT. And, most importantly, think before you act and be careful.



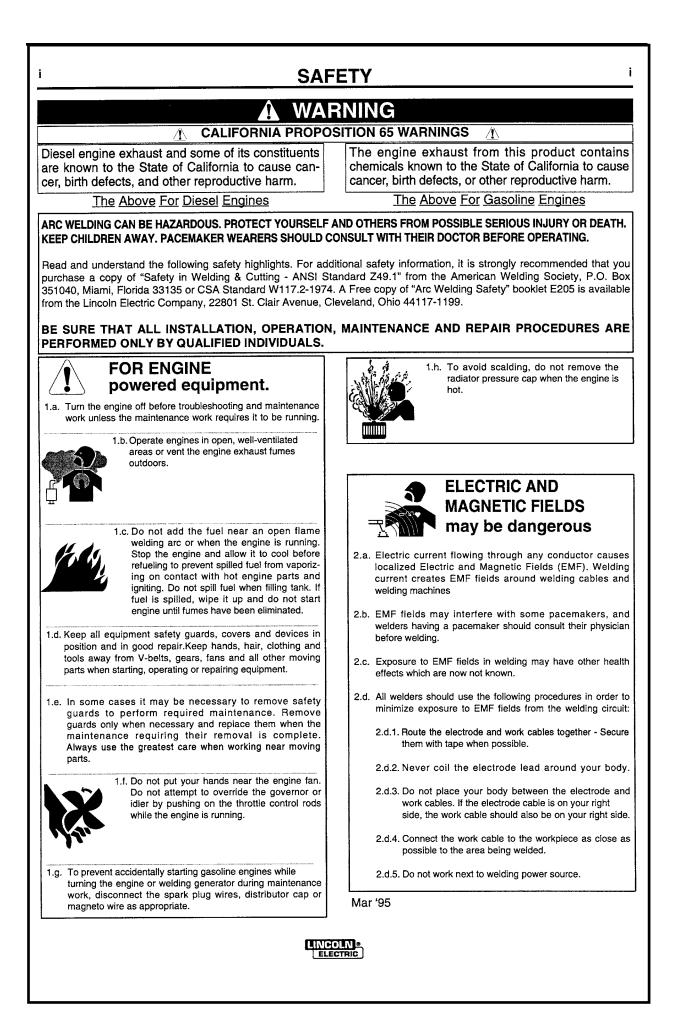
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3.a. The electrode and work (or ground) circuits are electrically "hot" when the welder is on. Do not touch these "hot" parts with your bare skin or wet clothing. Wear dry, hole-free gloves to insulate hands.

3.b. Insulate yourself from work and ground using dry insulation. Make certain the insulation is large enough to cover your full area of physical contact with work and ground.

In addition to the normal safety precautions, if welding must be performed under electrically hazardous conditions (in damp locations or while wearing wet clothing; on metal structures such as floors, gratings or scaffolds; when in cramped positions such as sitting, kneeling or lying, if there is a high risk of unavoidable or accidental contact with the workpiece or ground) use the following equipment:

- Semiautomatic DC Constant Voltage (Wire) Welder.
- DC Manual (Stick) Welder.
- AC Welder with Reduced Voltage Control.
- 3.c. In semiautomatic or automatic wire welding, the electrode, electrode reel, welding head, nozzle or semiautomatic welding gun are also electrically "hot".
- 3.d. Always be sure the work cable makes a good electrical connection with the metal being welded. The connection should be as close as possible to the area being welded.
- 3.e. Ground the work or metal to be welded to a good electrical (earth) ground.
- 3.f. Maintain the electrode holder, work clamp, welding cable and welding machine in good, safe operating condition. Replace damaged insulation.
- 3.g. Never dip the electrode in water for cooling.
- 3.h. Never simultaneously touch electrically "hot" parts of electrode holders connected to two welders because voltage between the two can be the total of the open circuit voltage of both welders.
- 3.i. When working above floor level, use a safety belt to protect yourself from a fall should you get a shock.
- 3.j. Also see Items 6.c. and 8.



ARC RAYS can burn.

4.a. Use a shield with the proper filter and cover plates to protect your eyes from sparks and the rays of the arc when welding or observing open arc welding. Headshield and filter lens should conform to ANSI Z87. I standards.

- 4.b. Use suitable clothing made from durable flame-resistant material to protect your skin and that of your helpers from the arc rays.
- 4.c. Protect other nearby personnel with suitable, non-flammable screening and/or warn them not to watch the arc nor expose themselves to the arc rays or to hot spatter or metal.



FUMES AND GASES can be dangerous.

5.a. Welding may produce fumes and gases hazardous to health. Avoid breathing these fumes and gases.When welding, keep your head out of the fume. Use enough ventilation and/or exhaust at the arc to keep

fumes and gases away from the breathing zone. When welding with electrodes which require special ventilation such as stainless or hard facing (see instructions on container or MSDS) or on lead or cadmium plated steel and other metals or coatings which produce highly toxic fumes, keep exposure as low as possible and below Threshold Limit Values (TLV) using local exhaust or mechanical ventilation. In confined spaces or in some circumstances, outdoors, a respirator may be required. Additional precautions are also required when welding on galvanized steel.

- 5.b. Do not weld in locations near chlorinated hydrocarbon vapors coming from degreasing, cleaning or spraying operations. The heat and rays of the arc can react with solvent vapors to form phosgene, a highly toxic gas, and other irritating products.
- 5.c. Shielding gases used for arc welding can displace air and cause injury or death. Always use enough ventilation, especially in confined areas, to insure breathing air is safe.
- 5.d. Read and understand the manufacturer's instructions for this equipment and the consumables to be used, including the material safety data sheet (MSDS) and follow your employer's safety practices. MSDS forms are available from your welding distributor or from the manufacturer.
- 5.e. Also see item 1.b.

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CYLINDER may explode if damaged.

7.a. Use only compressed gas cylinders containing the correct shielding gas for the process used and properly operating regulators designed for the gas and

pressure used. All hoses, fittings, etc. should be suitable for the application and maintained in good condition.

- 7.b. Always keep cylinders in an upright position securely chained to an undercarriage or fixed support.
- 7.c. Cylinders should be located: Away from areas where they may be struck or subjected to physical damage.
 - ·A safe distance from arc welding or cutting operations and any other source of heat, sparks, or flame.
- 7.d. Never allow the electrode, electrode holder or any other electrically "hot" parts to touch a cylinder.
- 7.e. Keep your head and face away from the cylinder valve outlet when opening the cylinder valve.
- 7.f. Valve protection caps should always be in place and hand tight except when the cylinder is in use or connected for use.
- 7.g. Read and follow the instructions on compressed gas cylinders, associated equipment, and CGA publication P-I, "Precautions for Safe Handling of Compressed Gases in Cylinders," available from the Compressed Gas Association 1235 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA 22202.

FOR ELECTRICALLY powered equipment. 8.a. Turn off input power using the disconnect

switch at the fuse box before working on the equipment.

8.b. Install equipment in accordance with the U.S. National Electrical Code, all local codes and the manufacturer's recommendations.

8.c. Ground the equipment in accordance with the U.S. National Electrical Code and the manufacturer's recommendations.

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situations. Refer to "Safety in Welding and Cutting" (ANSI Standard Z49.1) and the operating information for the equipment being used. 6.c. When not welding, make certain no part of the electrode circuit is touching the work or ground. Accidental contact can cause overheating and create a fire hazard. 6.d. Do not heat, cut or weld tanks, drums or containers until the proper steps have been taken to insure that such procedures will not cause flammable or toxic vapors from substances inside. They can cause an explosion even though they have been "cleaned". For information, purchase "Recommended Safe Practices for the Preparation for Welding and Cutting of Containers and Piping That Have Held Hazardous

materials from welding can easily go through small cracks

and openings to adjacent areas. Avoid welding near

hydraulic lines. Have a fire extinguisher readily available.

special precautions should be used to prevent hazardous

6.b. Where compressed gases are to be used at the job site,

6.a. Remove fire hazards from the welding area.

If this is not possible, cover them to prevent

the welding sparks from starting a fire.

Remember that welding sparks and hot

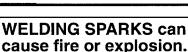
6.e. Vent hollow castings or containers before heating, cutting or welding. They may explode.

Substances", AWS F4.1 from the American Welding Society

- 6.f. Sparks and spatter are thrown from the welding arc. Wear oil free protective garments such as leather gloves, heavy shirt, cuffless trousers, high shoes and a cap over your hair. Wear ear plugs when welding out of position or in confined places. Always wear safety glasses with side shields when in a welding area.
- 6.g. Connect the work cable to the work as close to the welding area as practical. Work cables connected to the building framework or other locations away from the welding area increase the possibility of the welding current passing through lifting chains, crane cables or other alternate circuits. This can create fire hazards or overheat lifting chains or cables until they fail.

6.h. Also see item 1.c.

(see address above).





PRÉCAUTIONS DE SÛRETÉ

Pour votre propre protection lire et observer toutes les instructions et les précautions de sûreté specifiques qui parraissent dans ce manuel aussi bien que les précautions de sûreté générales suivantes:

Sûreté Pour Soudage A L'Arc

- 1. Protegez-vous contre la secousse électrique:
 - a. Les circuits à l'électrode et à la pièce sont sous tension quand la machine à souder est en marche. Eviter toujours tout contact entre les parties sous tension et la peau nue ou les vétements mouillés. Porter des gants secs et sans trous pour isoler les mains.
 - b. Faire trés attention de bien s'isoler de la masse quand on soude dans des endroits humides, ou sur un plancher metallique ou des grilles metalliques, principalement dans les positions assis ou couché pour lesquelles une grande partie du corps peut être en contact avec la masse.
 - c. Maintenir le porte-électrode, la pince de masse, le câble de soudage et la machine à souder en bon et sûr état defonctionnement.
 - d.Ne jamais plonger le porte-électrode dans l'eau pour le refroidir.
 - e. Ne jamais toucher simultanément les parties sous tension des porte-électrodes connectés à deux machines à souder parce que la tension entre les deux pinces peut être le total de la tension à vide des deux machines.
 - f. Si on utilise la machine à souder comme une source de courant pour soudage semi-automatique, ces precautions pour le porte-électrode s'applicuent aussi au pistolet de soudage.
- Dans le cas de travail au dessus du niveau du sol, se protéger contre les chutes dans le cas ou on recoit un choc. Ne jamais enrouler le câble-électrode autour de n'importe quelle partie du corps.
- Un coup d'arc peut être plus sévère qu'un coup de soliel, donc:
 - a. Utiliser un bon masque avec un verre filtrant approprié ainsi qu'un verre blanc afin de se protéger les yeux du rayonnement de l'arc et des projections quand on soude ou quand on regarde l'arc.
 - b. Porter des vêtements convenables afin de protéger la peau de soudeur et des aides contre le rayonnement de l'arc.
 - c. Protéger l'autre personnel travaillant à proximité au soudage à l'aide d'écrans appropriés et non-inflammables.
- 4. Des gouttes de laitier en fusion sont émises de l'arc de soudage. Se protéger avec des vêtements de protection libres de l'huile, tels que les gants en cuir, chemise épaisse, pantalons sans revers, et chaussures montantes.
- Toujours porter des lunettes de sécurité dans la zone de soudage. Utiliser des lunettes avec écrans lateraux dans les

zones où l'on pique le laitier.

- Eloigner les matériaux inflammables ou les recouvrir afin de prévenir tout risque d'incendie dû aux étincelles.
- 7. Quand on ne soude pas, poser la pince à une endroit isolé de la masse. Un court-circuit accidental peut provoquer un échauffement et un risque d'incendie.
- 8. S'assurer que la masse est connectée le plus prés possible de la zone de travail qu'il est pratique de le faire. Si on place la masse sur la charpente de la construction ou d'autres endroits éloignés de la zone de travail, on augmente le risque de voir passer le courant de soudage par les chaines de levage, câbles de grue, ou autres circuits. Cela peut provoquer des risques d'incendie ou d'echauffement des chaines et des câbles jusqu'à ce qu'ils se rompent.
- Assurer une ventilation suffisante dans la zone de soudage. Ceci est particuliérement important pour le soudage de tôles galvanisées plombées, ou cadmiées ou tout autre métal qui produit des furneés toxiques.
- 10. Ne pas souder en présence de vapeurs de chlore provenant d'opérations de dégraissage, nettoyage ou pistolage. La chaleur ou les rayons de l'arc peuvent réagir avec les vapeurs du solvant pour produire du phosgéne (gas fortement toxique) ou autres produits irritants.
- Pour obtenir de plus amples renseignements sur la sûreté, voir le code "Code for safety in welding and cutting" CSA Standard W 117.2-1974.

PRÉCAUTIONS DE SÛRETÉ POUR LES MACHINES À SOUDER À TRANSFORMATEUR ET À REDRESSEUR

- Relier à la terre le chassis du poste conformement au code de l'électricité et aux recommendations du fabricant. Le dispositif de montage ou la piece à souder doit être branché à une bonne mise à la terre.
- 2. Autant que possible, l'installation et l'entretien du poste seront effectués par un électricien qualifié.
- Avant de faires des travaux à l'interieur de poste, la debrancher à l'interrupteur à la boite de fusibles.
- Garder tous les couvercles et dispositifs de sûreté à leur place.

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR ELECTRO-MAGNETIC COMPATIBILITY

Conformance

Products displaying the C-Tick mark are in conformity with Australian/New Zealand requirements for Electromagnetic Compatibility (EMC) according to standard (emission) AS/NZS 3652 "Electromagnetic Compatibility – Arc Welding Equipment".

Products displaying the CE mark are in conformity with European Community Council Directive 89/336/EEC requirements for EMC by implementing EN50199 "Electromagnetic Compatibility (EMC) – Product standard for arc welding equipment".

Products are:

For use with other Lincoln Electric/LiquidArc equipment.
 Designed for industrial and professional use.

Introduction

All electrical equipment generates small amounts of electromagnetic emission. Electrical emission may be transmitted through power lines or radiated through space, similar to a radio transmitter. When emissions are received by other equipment, electrical interference may result. Electrical emissions may effect many kinds of electrical equipment: other nearby welding equipment, radio and TV transmitters and receivers, numerical controlled machines, telephone systems, computers, etc. Be aware that interference may result and extra precautions may be required when a welding power source is used in a domestic establishment.

Installation and Use

The purchaser/user is responsible for installing and using the welding equipment according to the manufacturer's instructions. If electromagnetic disturbances are detected then it shall be the responsibility of the purchaser/user of the welding equipment to resolve the situation with the technical assistance of the manufacturer. In some cases this remedial action may be as simple as earthing (grounding) the welding circuit (see note below). In other cases it could involve constructing an electromagnetic screen enclosing the power source and the work complete with associated input filters. In all cases electromagnetic disturbances must be reduced to the point where they are no longer troublesome.

Note: The welding circuit may or may not be earthed for safety reasons according to national codes. Changing the earthing arrangements should only be authorized by a person who is competent to assess whether the changes increase the risk of injury, eg. by allowing parallel welding current return paths which may damage the earth circuits of other equipment.

Assessment of Area

Before installing welding equipment the purchaser/user shall make an assessment of potential problems in the surrounding area.

The following shall be taken into account:

- Other supply cables, control cables, signalling and telephone cables above, below and adjacent to the welding equipment;
- Radio and television transmitters and receivers;
- · Computer and other control equipment;
- Safety critical safety equipment, eg. guarding of industrial equipment;
- The health of people around, eg. the use of pacemakers and hearing aids;
- Equipment used for calibration or measurement;
- The immunity of other equipment in the environment. The purchaser/user shall ensure that other equipment being used in the environment is compatible. This may require additional protection measures;
- The time of the day that welding or other activities are to be carried out.

The size of the surrounding area to be considered will depend on the structure of the building and other activities that are taking place. The surrounding area may extend beyond the boundaries of the premises.

Methods of Reducing Emissions

Mains Supply

Welding equipment should be connected to the mains supply according to the manufacturer's recommendations. If interference occurs, it may be necessary to take additional precautions such as filtering the mains supply. Consideration should be given to shielding the supply cable of permanently installed welding equipment in metallic conduit or equivalent. Shielding should be electrically continuous throughout its length. The shielding should be connected to the welding power source so that good electrical contact is maintained between the conduit and the welding power source enclosure.

Maintenance of the Welding Equipment

The welding equipment should be routinely maintained according to the manufacturer's recommendations. All access and service doors and covers should be closed and properly fastened when the welding equipment is in operation. The welding equipment should not be modified in any way except for those changes and adjustment covered in the manufacturer's instructions. In particular, the spark gaps of arc initiation and stabilizing devices should be adjusted and maintained according to the manufacturer's recommendations.

Welding Cables

The welding cables should be kept as short as possible and should be positioned close together, running at or close to the floor level.

Equipotential Bonding

Bonding of all metallic components in the welding installation and adjacent to it should be considered. However, metallic components bonded to the work piece will increase the risk that the operator could receive a shock by touching these metallic components and the electrode at the same time. The operator should be insulated from all such bonded metallic components.

Earthing of the workpiece

Where the workpiece is not bonded to earth for electrical safety, nor connected to earth because of its size and position, eg. ship's hull or building steelwork, a connection bonding the workpiece to earth may reduce emissions in some, but not all instances. Care should be taken to prevent the earthing of work pieces increasing the risk of injury to users, or damage to other electrical equipment. Where necessary, the connection of the workpiece to earth should be made by direct connection to the workpiece, but in some countries where direct connection is not permitted, the bonding should be achieved by suitable capacitance, selected according to national regulations.

Screening and Shielding

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Selective screening and shielding of other cables and equipment in the surrounding area may alleviate problems of interference. Screening of the entire welding installation may be considered for special applications.

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Please Examine Carton and Equipment For Damage Immediately

When this equipment is shipped, title passes to the purchaser upon receipt by the carrier. Consequently, claims for material damaged in shipment must be made by the purchaser against the transportation company at the time the shipment is received.

Please record your equipment identification information below for future reference. This information can be found on your machine nameplate.

Model Name & Number

Code & Serial Number

Date of Purchase

Whenever you request replacements parts for, or information on this equipment always supply the information you have recorded above.

Read this Owner's Manual completely before attempting to use this equipment. Save this manual and keep it handy for quick reference. Pay particular attention to the safety instructions we have provided for your protection.

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SECTION A	INSTALLATION
	TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS
	PRINCE [®] XL TORCH - 25'- P/N K2296-2 Wire Capacity
	 .023"045" (0.6 - 1.2mm) solid and hard wire .030" - 1/16" (0.8 - 1.6mm) aluminum and cored wire
	Wire Speed • 750 ipm (19.0 mpm) max.
	Duty Cycle - 100%All ratings are at 25V using Argon Gas• 200 AmpsAir cooled standard, using Air/Water barrelTorch weight (less leads & standard barrels)• 36.4 oz. (1.02 kilogram)
	PRINCE [®] XL Spool Gun - 25' - P/N K2297-2 Wire Capacity
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	Wire Speed * • 750 ipm (19.0 mpm) max.
	 Spool Size 4 inches (101.6mm)
	Duty Cycle - 100% All ratings are at 25V using Argon Gas • 200 Amps Air cooled standard, using Air/Water barrel
	Torch weight (less wire & leads)46.5 oz (1.3 kilogram)
	* Maximum ipm varies depending on input voltage, wire size and the control box used.
	SUPPORT EQUIPMENT REQUIRED
	 CV or CC power source of sufficient capacity for your needs. Regulated gas supply and hoses. Properly sized power leads from power source to wire feeder and ground.
	Torch Lead Connections
	Power CABLE - AIR COOLED A #2 AWG power cable is used on the Prince [®] XL air cooled torch. The torch end is threaded into the torch body. The power cable fitting connects to the Power Block.
	(MK P/N 003-1674) when using a Cobramatic [®] wire feed cabinet. When the Prince [®] XL is purchased as a Spool Gun, the power cable comes standard with a lug connector and should be connected to positive lug of power supply.
	CONDUIT The Prince [™] XL Torch comes standard with a poly lined conduit, for running aluminum wire. The longer fitting with a shallow groove is used on the torch end. A set screw located on top of the torch handle secures the conduit in

place. A small spool liner (MK P/N 003-0198) is used on the spool gun and held in place by the same set screw.

Gas Hose

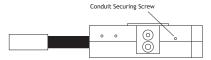
The gas hose is secured over the barbed gas fitting with a tie wrap. The cabinet end of the gas hose uses our standard gas fitting (1/8" - 27 nps), whereas the spool gun uses a 5/8" - 18 IAA RH male gas fitting.

ELECTRIC CABLE

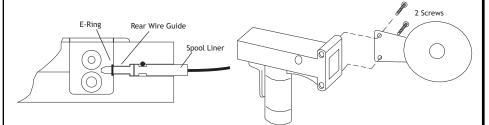
A seven conductor control cable is used on the Prince[®]XL Torch. The torch end of the control cable is secured to the torch with a boot clamp and plugged into the pot assembly and micro switch connectors. Slack is left in the electric cable as it exits the back of the torch to prevent cable breakage. The cabinet end has a seven pin "W" clocked amphenol connector. See page 22 for torch electrical connections.

INSTALLING SPOOL ASSEMBLY (P/N 003-2090)

Loosen the screw that secures the conduit through access hole located on top right rear handle with a 1/16" Allen wrench.



Remove conduit by pulling it out of the back of the gun.



Install spool liner, and secure with screw.

Remove both rear handle screws, and secure spool canister with longer screws provided.

SPOOL GUN SETUP

LOADING ELECTRODE WIRE

Unscrew, and remove spool cover.

Apply tension to drive rolls, so the wire will be picked up and fed through the contact tip.

Straighten out first six inches of wire and push through liner.

Jog trigger until wire is picked up by drive rolls and fed through contact tip.

Hold brake assembly back towards top of gun, load spool onto shaft with wire coming off the bottom of the spool. Release brake assembly to rest on wire surface.

Replace spool cover, making sure opening is over liner.

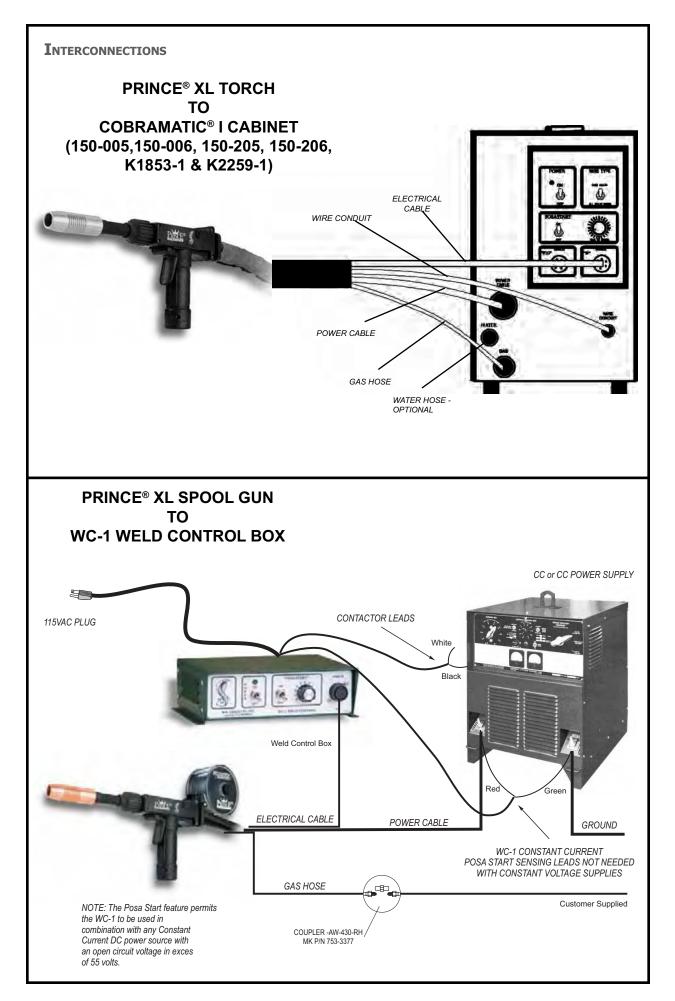
Note: The brake paddle assembly is designed to automatically control spool drag and keep the wire from jumping off the spool.

SECTION B

OPERATION

GENERAL

The Prince[™]XL torch maintains a constant, steady, uniform wire feed speed, regardless of curved or looped wire conduit. The constant push exerted by



the slave motor in the cabinet, combined with the pull of the torch motor, causes the wire to literally float friction-free through the wire conduit. The 24VDC torch motor is controlled by a 3-3/4 turn potentiometer in the torch handle.

BARRELS

AIR/WATER COOLED

The Prince® XL air cooled systems come standard with a straight air/water cooled barrel assembly. An optional curved air/water cooled barrel assembly (LE P/N KP2298-2, MK P/N 003-2152) is also available. In cases where these barrels need to be extended or the tip threads have been damaged, a Tip Extender (LE P/N KP2244-1, MK P/N 621-0424) can be adapted. The same tips and threads can be used, however a longer Teflon liner (LE P/N KP226-1; MK P/N 931-0137) is required.

BARREL REMOVAL AND INSTALLATION

To remove a barrel assembly, loosen the patented EZ Lock[™] Taper lock nut assy MK P/N 003-2572 3/4 to 1 turn. This will push barrel away from the body far enough so that it may be pulled out of the body.

To replace a barrel assembly, take care not to damage the "O" rings when inserting into the body. Open the drive and idler roll door and seat the barrel assembly until the inlet guide is almost touching the drive and idler roll and the rear face of the barrel is flush with the aluminum body block. Tighten taper lock nut assembly firmly so that barrel cannot rotate.

BARREL ROTATION

To rotate a barrel assembly, loosen the patented EZ Lock[™] Taper lock nut assembly no more than 1 turn. Rotate barrel to the position of your choice and retighten taper lock nut assembly firmly so that the barrel cannot rotate.

WARNING:

Do not attempt to weld without the barrel being tightly secured in the torch body, or damage to the barrel or body may result.

CONTROLS AND SETTINGS

POTENTIOMETER

The pot is located in the bottom of the pistol grip and provides 3-3/4 turns of rotation and up to 750 ipm.

The pot is mounted to one side of a PC board and is held in place by a support plate; both of which have slots that locate and secure the pot in the handles. The other side of the PC board houses the motor connectors and ribbon cable. Locking disks behind the pot knob provides a stop at the minimum and maximum pot settings.

TRIGGER, GAS VALVE AND MICRO SWITCH

The torch trigger is designed so that when it is partially depressed, gas flow starts via the valve located in the torch body, prior to ignition of the arc. When the trigger is partially released after welding (extinguishing the arc), gas flow continues until the trigger is fully released; built-in pre and post gas flow.

The micro switch is wired "Normally Open" and secured to the torch block with two (2) screws. An insulator between the torch block and micro switch prevents accidental shorting of the switch leads. The trigger pin reaches through the handle and activates the micro switch just before the trigger bottoms out on the handle.

DRIVE AND IDLER ROLLS

GENERAL

The Prince[®] XL torch comes standard with knurled drive rolls which will handle wire diameters from .023 - 1/16 inch. Optional grooved drive rolls are also available for feeding aluminum wire if desired (see Optional kits).

Drive roll tension is accomplished by means of a pressure adjusting allen screw located on the left hand side of the torch. Proper tension is achieved when wire does not slip if a small amount of pressure is added to the wire as it exits the tip.

----- IMPORTANT ------

NOTE: Over-tightening of the drive rolls will cause excessive knurling and/or deformation of the wire. When the complete system is setup properly, feeding wire out of the end of the torch and letting fall on the ground should form a large uniform circle. If it forms a spiral or spring then there is too much tension in the system, please refer to the Cabinet Owners Manual for adjustment to the tension setting.

INCORRECT DRIVE ROLL TENSION IS THE NUMBER ONE CAUSE OF POOR WIRE FEED PERFORMANCE

DRIVE ROLL INSTALLATION AND REMOVAL

Note:

Neither of the handles needs to be removed to access the Drive or Idler Rolls.

1. Using a 5/32" hex wrench, loosen the Idler Roll tension screw. This will relieve the pressure against the drive roll.

2. Align the Drive Roll Removal Tool (P/N 931-0100) over the flats of the drive roll. Hold the torch with one hand or on a table top, with the other hand give the Removal Tool a quick snap-turn in the CLOCKWISE DIRECTION.



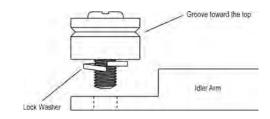
3. Once the drive roll is loose, continue to spin drive roll in the clockwise direction to remove the drive roll from the torch.

4. Install a new drive roll on the left-hand threaded shaft. The drive roll will self-tighten when it is feeding wire.

IDLER ROLL INSTALLATION AND REMOVAL

1. Using a slot type screwdriver, loosen idler screw, taking care not to lose lock washer under idler roll.

2. Insert new idler roll and lock washer onto screw, insuring that idler groove is toward top and lock washer is beneath.



3. Tighten.

4. Using a 5/32" hex wrench, turn the Idler Roll tension screw into the gearbox housing and reference the Gearbox Assembly drawing to adjust the pressure against the drive roll.

> *NOTE: Lock washer must be under idler roll or it will not turn freely.*

SECTION C

ACCESSORIES



CONTACT TIPS - AIR/WATER BARREL

Conta	ct Tips for	Prince	e® XL Air/Wa	ter Cooled B	arrels
Wire Size	Tip I.D.	Arc	Length	MK P/N	LE P/N
.030" (0.8mm)	.040" (1.0mm)	Spray	1-5/8" (41.3mm)	621-0390	KP2217-1B1
.030 (0.81111)	.040 (1.01111)	Short	1-7/8" (47.6mm)	621-0396	
.035" (0.9mm)	.044" (1.1mm)	Spray	1-5/8" (41.3mm)	621-0391	KP2217-2B1
.035 (0.91111)	.044 (1.11111)	Short	1-7/8" (47.6mm)	621-0397	
.045" (1.2mm)	.053" (1.3mm)	Spray	1-5/8" (41.3mm)	621-0392	
.045 (1.211111)		Short	1-7/8" (47.6mm)	621-0398	
052"(1.2mm)	.060" (1.5mm)	Spray	1-5/8" (41.3mm)	621-0393*	KP2217-4B1
.052" (1.3mm)		Short	1-7/8" (47.6mm)	621-0399	
1/16" (1.6mm)	.075" (1.9mm)	Spray	1-5/8" (41.3mm)	621-0394	KP2217-5B1
		Short	1-7/8" (47.6mm)	621-0400	
1/16" (1.6mm)	.085" (2.1mm)	Spray	1-5/8" (41.3mm)	621-0395	

All tips stamped with tip I.D. *Standard - furnished with torch

FINNED COPPER GAS CUPS AIR/WATER COOLED BARREL





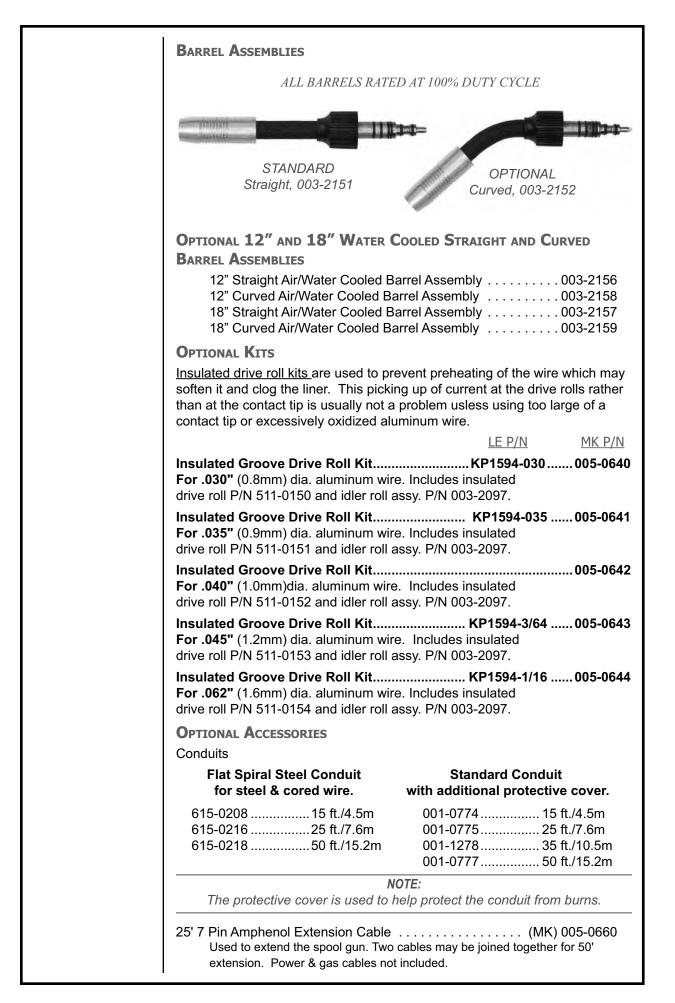
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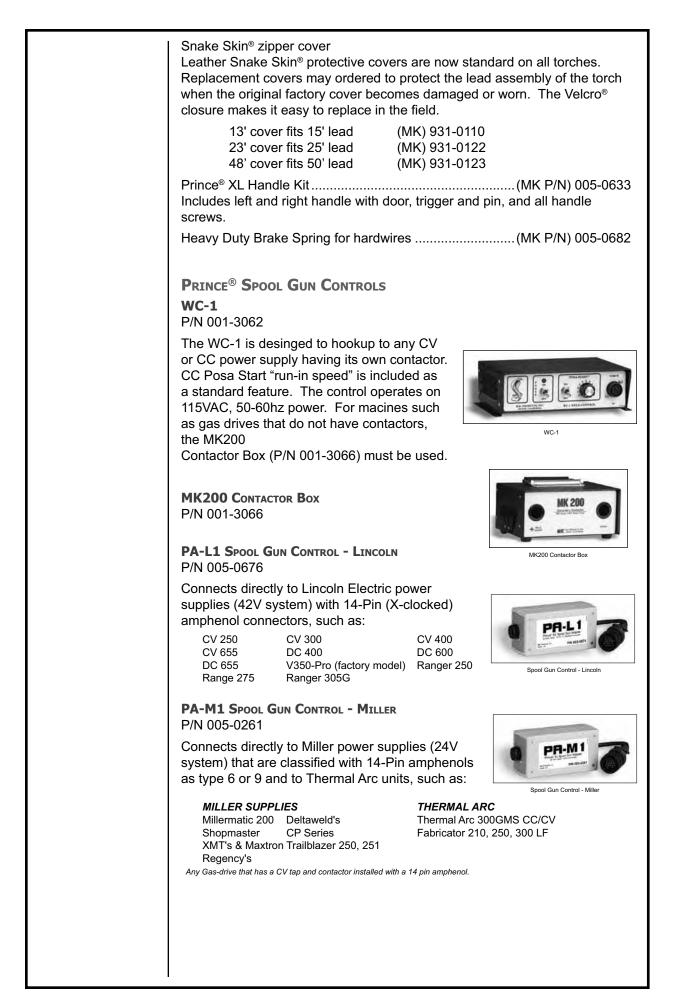
		per Gas Cups for Water Cooled Tor	ch
Size	I.D.	MK P/N	LE P/N
6	3/8" (9.5mm)	621-0248	KP2213-1
8	1/2" (12.7mm)	621-0249	KP2214-1
10	5/8" (15.8mm)	621-0250*	KP2215-1
10 H.D.	5/8" (15.8mm)	621-0251	KP2216-1
12 H.D.	3/4" (19.0mm)	621-0252	
N/A	Tip Extender	621-0424	KP2244-1

*Standard - furnished with torch

TORCH BARREL LINERS

Prince [®] XL Torch Ba	rrel Liners	
Description	MK P/N	LE P/N
Teflon liner package, 5 pieces	931-0137	KP2226-1
Bulk teflon liner material for .030063" (.8-1.6mm)	615-0178	
Bulk teflon liner material for .030035" (.89mm)	615-0177	





PA-G1 Spool Gun Control - Generic P/N 005-0264

This Generic Torpedo is designed to hook-up to CV power supplies that supply an auxiliary 26 VAC @ 1.7 amps and uses a closing contact signal. The unit is supplied with bare wires that must be connected to the power supply. Some examples of power supplies that can be hooked-up are:

Lincoln SP-250, 255 & Wirematic 250 & 255 Beta-Mig 200 & Beta-Mig LF Airco Dip-Pak 200, 225 & 250

ESAB (L-TEC) / MIGMASTER 250 P/N 005-0206

An amphenol adaptor cable and gas/power lug are all that is needed to connect to the Migmaster. Adaptor kit includes everything needed.



This easy to install, plug in module fits the Millermatic 250, Miller Vintage machine, or Hobart Betamig 2510. It and a Prince Spool Gun are all that is needed to get your customer up and running.

Panasonic Gunslinger 260 P/N 005-0617

Easy to install adapter cable using Gunslinger speed control.

ESAB MIGMASTER 251 P/N 005-0624

A panel kit plugs directly into the front of the MigMaster 251 and includes everything that is needed to interface the spool gun.

MILLERMATIC 250X P/N 005-0629

Easy to install adapter cable using MillerMatic 250X speed control.

FABRICATOR 250 P/N 005-0689

Easy to install adapter cable using MillerMatic 250X speed control.



SECTION D

MAINTENANCE

PERIODIC MAINTENANCE

Maintenance of the torch will normally consist of a general cleaning of the wire guide system, including tubes, drive rolls, and conduits at regular intervals.

Remove spatter build-up from inside of nozzles with a hardwood stick.

The only parts on the Prince[®] XL that are subject to normal wear are the conduit, contact tips, gas cups, barrel liners, drive and idler rolls. A supply of these parts should be maintained on hand.

If repairs do become necessary, qualified shop maintenance personnel can easily replace any part.

Your Cobramatic System is designed to provide years of reliable service. Normal wear and component failure may require occasional service.

The number of units in operation and the importance of minimal "down time" will determine to what extent spare parts should be stocked on hand. See the "Recommended spare parts list" for the most commonly replaced parts.

Maintena	nce Tools
ТооІ	MK P/N
Gas Valve Removal Tool	931-0584
Contact Tip Removal Tool	931-0002
Drive Roll Removal Tool	931-0100

	Recommended	Spare Parts L	ist
Part Number	Description	Part Number	Description
615-0007	Conduit 15'	325-0206	Idler Roll Screw
615-0008	Conduit 25'	333-0082	Idler Roll Washer
005-0661	Potentiometer Kit	003-0585	Trigger Asy.
003-0568	Micro Switch	431-3117	Door
005-0633	Handle Kit	003-0198	Wire Guide-Spool Gun
(MK) 511-0101 (LE) KP2219-1	Drive Roll	003-2072	Brake AssySpool Gun
(MK) 005-0686 (LE) KP2220-1	Idler Roll	003-2071	Cover AssySpool Gun



Idler Roll (MKP/N) 511-0001 (LE P/N) KP2220-1



Drive Roll (MKP/N) 511-0101 (LE P/N) KP2219-1



Micro Switch 161-0002

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TROUBLESHOOTING

Regardless of which torch or feeder used, all MK Products push-pull guns operate on the same principle. The 115 VAC or 42VAC slave motor in the feeder runs at a fast, constant speed, but has very low torque. It is always trying to feed more wire than the torch motor wants, and when the motor gets all it wants, it slows the slave motor, preventing a bird's nest. Because of the low torque produced by the slave motor, a brake system is used to prevent wire overrun rather than tension.

The 24 VDC torch motor is controlled by a solid state speed control and a pot located in the torch. The torch motor, potentiometer, and micro switch are connected to the cabinet/control box via a control cable and amphenol. If this cable becomes damaged, a variety of symptoms can occur, depending on which wire(s) break. To test, check each wire for continuity and shorts.

With the increased torque rating in the current Prince XL motor, P/N 211-0071, it now draws about twice as much current on start-up as the original Prince motors P/N's 211-0054 & 211-0056. Even though the duration of start-up is very short, about 15msec, it is too much for the standard 2A fuse to handle. For this reason, all 2A fuses in the motor circuitry (F1) should be changed to a 3AG 4A fast blow 250V fuse, P/N 151-0043. This new 4A fuse is sufficient for use on all model welding guns on the wire feeders, while still providing protection for the circuitry from any shorts in the motor or motor leads.

This fuse change includes all Cobramatic, Cobramatic II and CobraMig 250/ 260, WC-1, Torpedo's, and any other motor circuits powering Prince XL or Spool Guns using motor P/N 211-0071.

Remember the micro switch in the torch activates both the 115 VAC or 42 VAC and 24 VDC circuits in the cabinet. Therefore, if the slave motor and brake solonoid operate, but the torch does not, look more toward the 24 VDC circuits, speed control, control cable, or the torch motor. If nothing operates, look more toward the 115 VAC or 42 VAC input, micro switch leads, or micro switch.

The complete pot assembly is connected to the motor and set into the handles. If the pot is disassembled, the pot knob can be put on the shaft in any position and secured with the set screw. Turn the knob fully CCW, then fully CW, then fully CCW again. This will self-align the pot, i.e., fully CCW will be minimum wire feed speed, and fully CW will be maximum wire speed.

	Troubleshooting Guide				
Trouble	Cause	Remedy			
	115/42VAC control fuse in feeder.	Replace fuse.			
No wire feed at torch, feeder no operating, i.e. no slave motor or brake solenoid.	Micro-switch defective/not being activated.	Replace switch. Check switch for operation.			
	Broken electrical cable.	Check micro-switch wires for continuity			
	4 amp fuse (F1) in feeder/Control box blown.	Check motor leads for shorts; then replace fuse.			
No wire feed at torch, feeder operating properly.	Bad potentiometer.	Check potentiometer with meter.			
	Broken electrical cable.	Check motor and potentiometer wire for continuity.			
	Bad speed control/PCB	See specific cabinet/control box owner manual for speed control operation.			
	Loose or no cable connections.	Check all power connections.			
Wire feeds, but welding wire is not energized.	Contactor control cable loose or in wrong position.	Check power supply owner's manual for location and type of contactor signa required, i.e., closing or 115 VAC.			
	Welding power source.	Check power source material.			
	Dirty or worn conduit.	Blow out or replace conduit.			
Wire feeds erratically.	Incorrect ressure on drive rolls.	Adjust pressure at both feeder and torch.			
	Idler roll stuck.				
	Wrong size contact tip.	See contact tip table.			
	Bad potentiometer.	Check with meter.			
Wire feeds one speed only.	feeds one speed only. Broken electrical cable.				
	Bad speed control.	See specific cabinet/control owner's manul for speed control operation.			
Wire walks out of drive rolls.	Idler roll upside-down.	Place groove in idler roll toward top.			
	Rear wire guide missing.	Replace wire guide.			
Poor gas/water flow.	Incorrect placement of barrel insulator.	Slide barrel insulator downa nd thread until it bottoms out, covering coolant ports and exposing gas ports.			

TESTING THE TORCH

MOTOR CHECK

Remove the torch connector from the cabinet.

Using the torch Amphenol, check the resistance across pins "A" and "B" (motor leads). The resistance across the motor should be between 5-10 ohms.

If an open circuit or short exist, check the motor leads and motor independently.

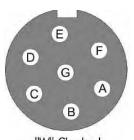
TESTING THE POTENTIOMETER

Using the torch Amphenol, check the resistance across pin "D" (wiper) and pin "C". The resistance should vary from 0 - 5K ohms.

Check the resistance across pin "D" (wiper) and pin "G". The resistance should vary from 5K - 0 ohms.

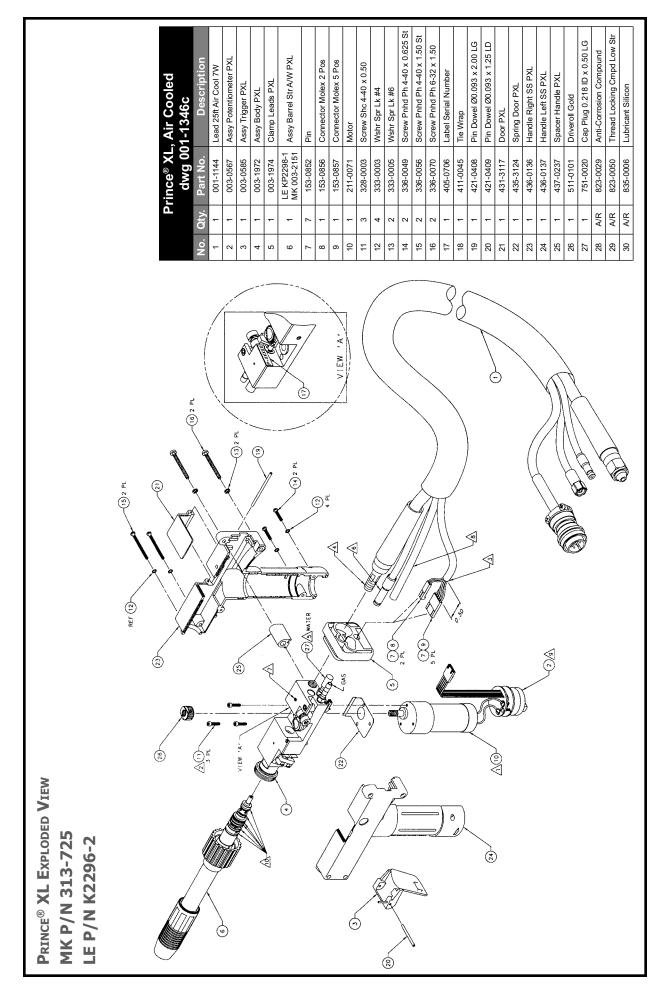
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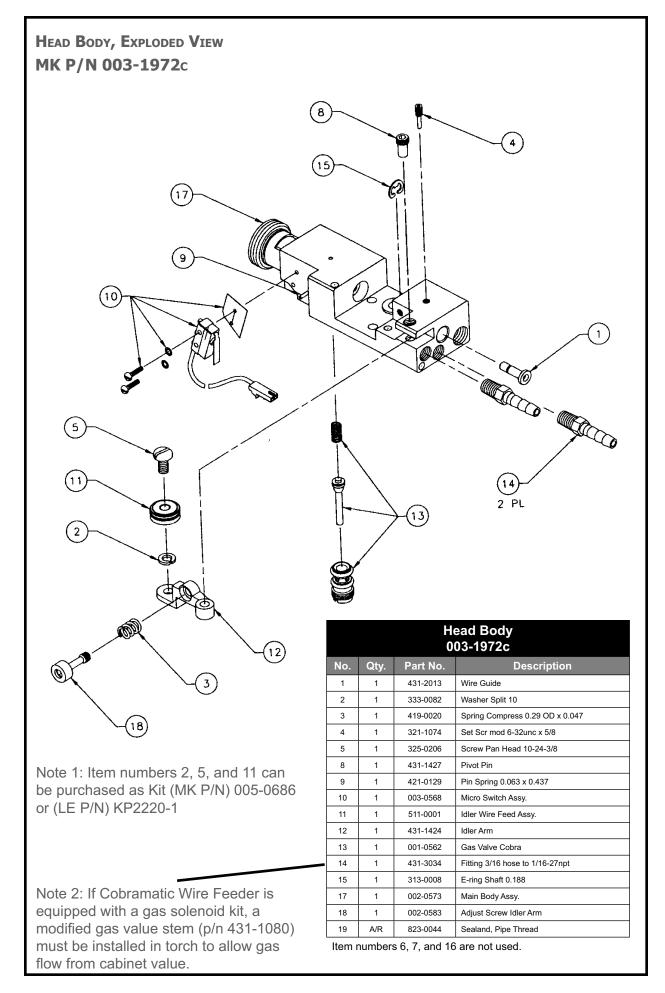
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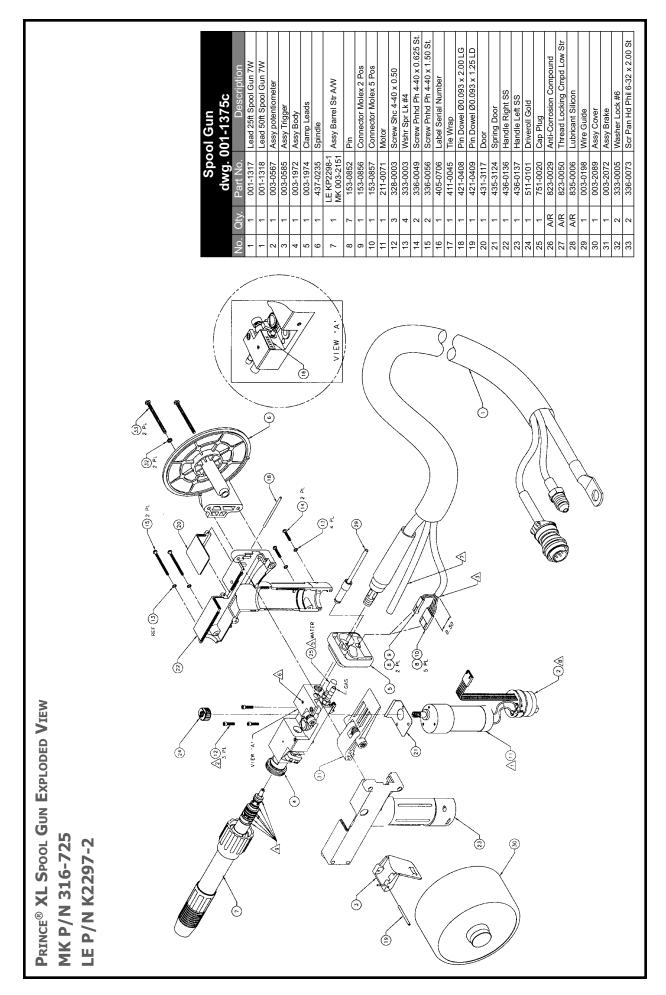


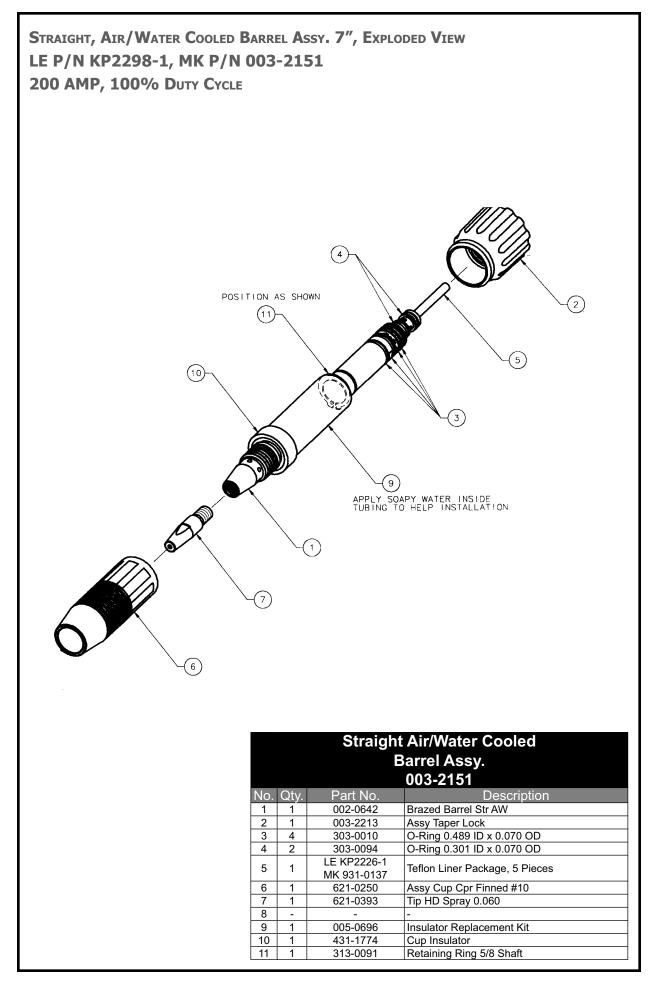
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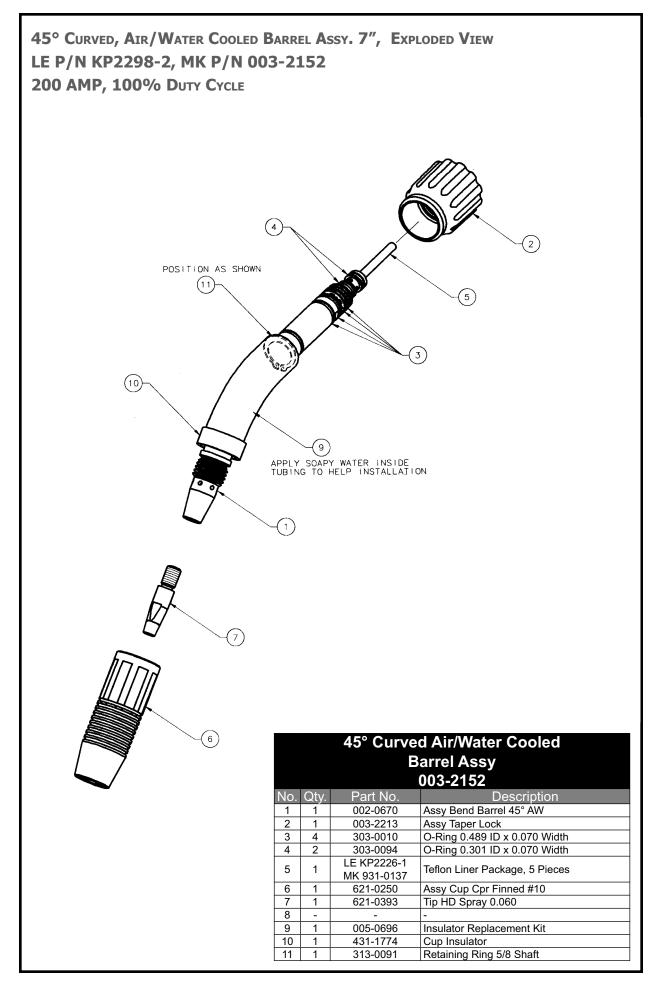
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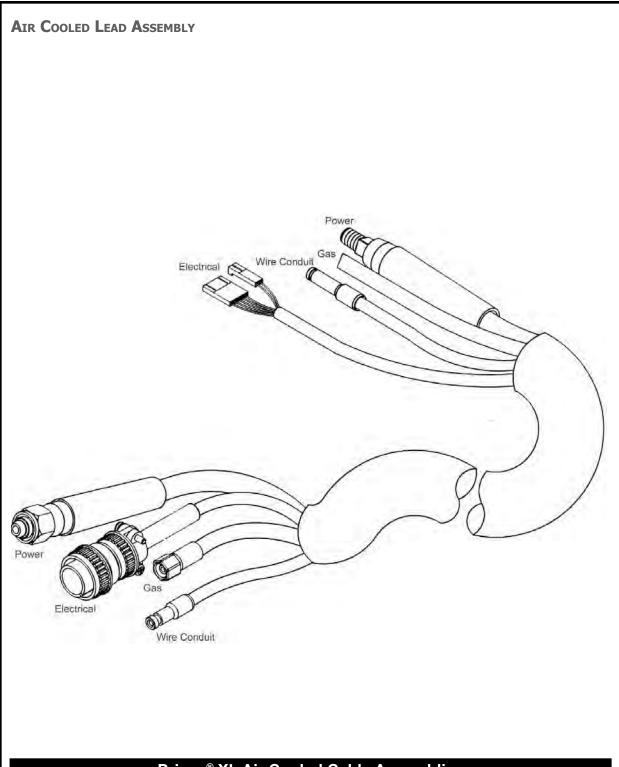




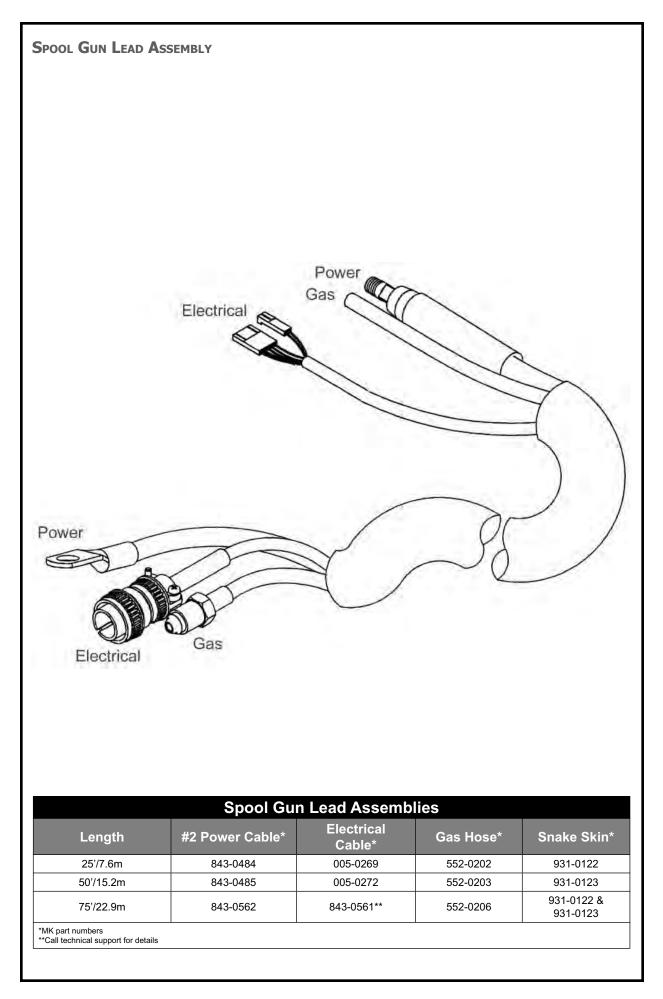


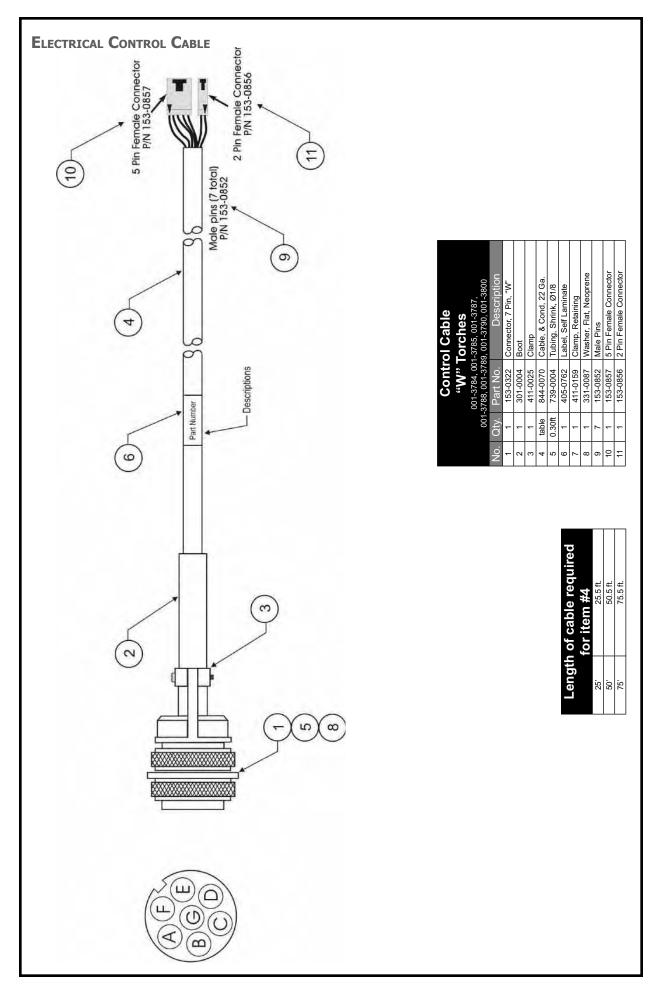


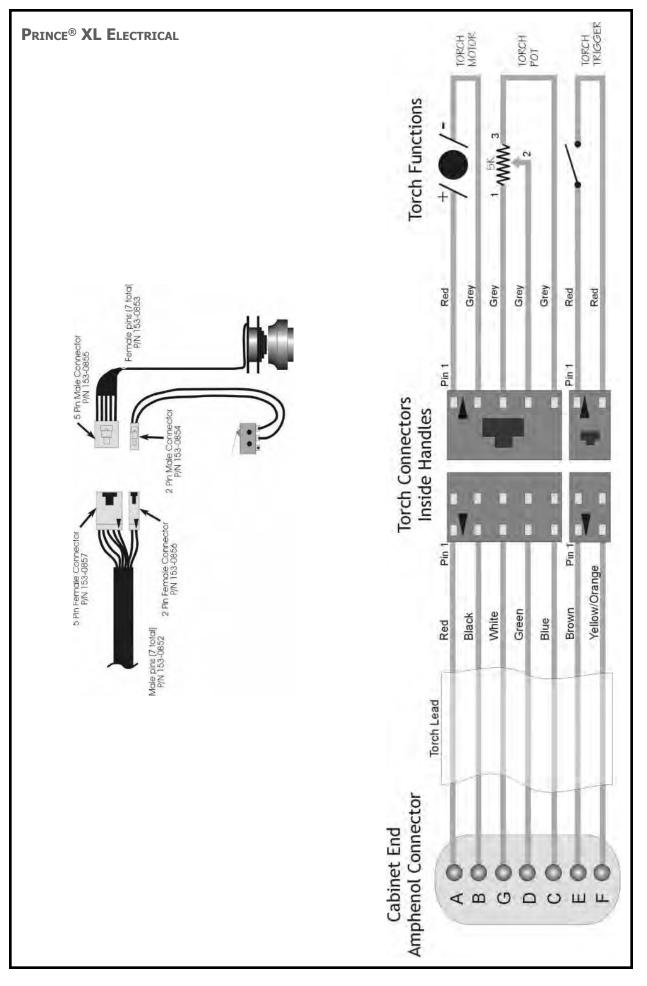




	Prince [®] XL Air Cooled Cable Assemblies						
Length	LE P/N Conduit (MK P/N)	#2 Pwr Cable*	Electrical Cable*	Gas Hose*	Snake Skin*		
15'/4.5m	KP2072-30 (615-0007)	001-2527	005-0268	001-0537	931-0110		
25'/7.6m	KP2072-28 (615-0008)	001-2528	005-0269	001-0538	931-0122		
50'/15.2m	KP2072-29 (615-0068)	001-1042	005-0272	001-0665	931-0123		
*MK part numbers	3						







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WARNING	 Do not touch electrically live parts or electrode with skin or wet clothing. Insulate yourself from work and ground. 	● Keep flammable materials away.	 Wear eye, ear and body protection.
AVISO DE PRECAUCION	 No toque las partes o los electrodos bajo carga con la piel o ropa moja- da. Alsiese del trabajo y de la tierra. 	 Mantenga el material combustible fuera del área de trabajo. 	 Protéjase los ojos, los oídos y el cuerpo.
	 Ne laissez ni la peau ni des vête- ments mouillés entrer en contact avec des pièces sous tension. Isolez-vous du travail et de la terre. 	 Gardez à l'écart de tout matériel inflammable. 	 Protégez vos yeux, vos oreilles et votre corps.
German WARNUNG	 Berühren Sie keine stromführenden Teile oder Elektroden mit Ihrem Körper oder feuchter Kleidung! Isolieren Sie sich von den Elektroden und dem Erdboden! 	• Entfernen Sie brennbarres Material!	 Tragen Sie Augen-, Ohren- und Kör- perschutz!
ATENÇÃO	 Não toque partes elétricas e electrodos com a pele ou roupa molhada. Isole-se da peça e terra. 	 Mantenha inflamáveis bem guarda- dos. 	 Use proteção para a vista, ouvido e corpo.
注意事項	 通電中の電気部品、又は溶材にヒ フやぬれた市で触れないこと。 施工物やアースから身体が絶縁されている様にして下さい。 	● 燃えやすいものの側での溶接作業 は絶対にしてはなりません。	● 目、耳及び身体に保護具をして下 さい。
Chinese 警告	●皮肤或漏衣物切勿接 测哪 電都件及 評儀。 ●使你自己與地面和工件絶縁。	●把一切易燃物品移離工作場所。	●佩戴眼、耳及身體勞動保護用具。
^{Korean} 위험	 • 전도체나 용접봉을 젖은 힘겹 또는 피부로 절대 접촉치 마십시요. • 모재와 접치를 접촉치 마십시요. 	●인화성 물질을 접근 시키지 마시요.	●눈, 귀와 몸에 보호장구 를 착용하십시요.
تحذير	لا تلمس الاجزاء التي يسري فيها التبار الكهرياني أو الالكترود بعبد الجسم أو بالملايس المللة بالماء. شمع عازلا على جسمك خلال العمل.	 ضع المواد القابلة للاشتعال في مكان بعيد. 	فنع أدوات وملابس واقية على عينيك وأذنيك وجسك.

READ AND UNDERSTAND THE MANUFACTURER'S INSTRUCTION FOR THIS EQUIPMENT AND THE CONSUMABLES TO BE USED AND FOLLOW YOUR EMPLOYER'S SAFETY PRACTICES.

SE RECOMIENDA LEER Y ENTENDER LAS INSTRUCCIONES DEL FABRICANTE PARA EL USO DE ESTE EQUIPO Y LOS Consumibles que va a utilizar, siga las medidas de seguridad de su supervisor.

LISEZ ET COMPRENEZ LES INSTRUCTIONS DU FABRICANT EN CE QUI REGARDE CET EQUIPMENT ET LES PRODUITS A ETRE EMPLOYES ET SUIVEZ LES PROCEDURES DE SECURITE DE VOTRE EMPLOYEUR.

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 Keep your head out of fumes. Use ventilation or exhaust to remove fumes from breathing zone. 	• Turn power off before servicing.	 Do not operate with panel open or guards off. 	WARNING
 Los humos fuera de la zona de respiración. Mantenga la cabeza fuera de los humos. Utilice ventilación o aspiración para gases. 	 Desconectar el cable de all- mentación de poder de la máquina antes de iniciar cualquier servicio. 	 No operar con panel ablerto o guardas quitadas. 	AVISO DE PRECAUCION
 Gardez la tête à l'écart des fumées. Utilisez un ventilateur ou un aspira- teur pour ôter les fumées des zones de travail. 	 Débranchez le courant avant l'entre- tien. 	 N'opérez pas avec les panneaux ouverts ou avec les dispositifs de protection enlevés. 	ATTENTION
 Vermeiden Sie das Einatmen von Schweibrauch! Sorgen Sie f ür gute Be- und Entl üfung des Arbeitsplatzes! 	 Strom vor Wartungsarbeiten abschalten! (Netzstrom völlig öff- nen; Maschine anhalten!) 	 Anlage nie ohne Schutzgehäuse oder Innenschutzverkleidung in Betrieb setzen! 	German WARNUNG
 Mantenha seu rosto da fumaça. Use ventilação e exhaustão para remover fumo da zona respiratória. 	 Não opere com as tampas removidas. Desligue a corrente antes de fazer serviço. Não toque as partes elétricas nuas. 	 Mantenha-se afastado das partes moventes. Não opere com os paineis abertos ou guardas removidas. 	Portuguese ATENÇÃO
 ● ヒュームから頭を離すようにして 下さい。 ● 換気や排煙に十分留意して下さい。 	●メンテナンス・サービスに取りか かる際には、まず電源スイッチを 必ず切って下さい。	● パネルやカバーを取り外したまま で機械操作をしないで下さい。	」 注意事項
●頭部遠離煙霧。 ●在呼吸區使用通風或排風器除煙。	●維修前切斷電源。	●儀表板打開或沒有安全罩時不準作 祭。	Chinese 整件
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