

### **A** WARNING

Do not install, operate or service this product unless you have read and understand the Safety Practices, Warnings, Installation and Operating Instructions contained in this manual. Failure to do so could result in serious injury or death.



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## INTRODUCTION

Welcome, and thank you for purchasing your dock leveler from Copperloy by JH Industries. It is designed to give you years of trouble-free operation.

This manual contains information that is needed to operate and maintain the leveler safely. It also contains a complete parts list and information about ordering replacement parts. Please read completely before using your new leveler.

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Verify that this is the most current Installation, Operation and Service Manuals. To obtain an updated version please contact: JH Industries Inc. 1981 E. Aurora Rd. Twinsburg, Ohio 44087 (330) 963-4105 (Phone) or 1-800-321-4968 (toll free) Or visit our website under EOD SEL to download and print an up to date version.



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A product safety sign or label should alert persons to a specific hazard, the degree or level of hazard seriousness, the probable consequence of involvement with the hazard, and how the hazard can be avoided. **SIGNAL WORD** is a word or words that designate a degree or level of hazard seriousness. The signal words for product safety signs are "**DANGER**, **WARNING**, **CAUTION**" and "**NOTICE**". Below is each of these signal words along with their definitions as directly referenced from *ANSI Z535.4-1998*.

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Indicates an imminently hazardous situation which, if not avoided, will result in death or serious injury. This signal word is to be limited to the most extreme situations.

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Indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, could result in death or serious injury.

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Indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, may result in minor or moderate injury. It may also be used to alert against unsafe practices.

### NOTICE!

"NOTICE" is the preferred signal word to address practices not related to personal injury. The safety alert symbol shall not be used with this signal word. As an alternative to "NOTICE", the word "CAUTION" without the safety alert symbol may be used to indicate a message not related to personal injury.



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Read and follow all safety practices, placards and owners manual warnings before installing, operating or servicing the Dockleveler. Failure to follow the information provided could result in death or serious injury.

Before doing any maintenance or repair on the dock leveler SECURE WITH THE MAINTENANCE STRUT. See Fig. 23 & 24.

If you do not understand the instructions or if you have any problems or questions using or operating the dock leveler, contact your supervisor or the factory for assistance.

#### OPERATION

ONLY trained personnel are to operate or service dockleveler. Follow procedure on placards posted near dock leveler. Call factory for replacement placards, warning labels, or owner's manual.

ALWAYS before activating dock leveler:

- Ensure trailer is backed in against bumpers.
- Remove any end loads if required.
- Check trailer alignment to avoid lip interference. If lip does not lower to trailer bed, reposition vehicle.
- Chock truck wheels or lock truck in place with a truck restraining device and set brakes.

ALWAYS *before* allowing vehicle to leave the dock:

- Ensure that no equipment, material or people are on the dock leveler.
- Return the dock leveler to its stored position at dock level.

NEVER exceed 5 mph when driving on leveler.

NEVER exceed the rated capacity of the leveler.

NEVER travel on leveler unless lip is securely on truck floor. Visually check that the lip is supported by the truck bed and has a minimum of 4" of overlap onto the truck bed. SAFETY PRACTICES

NEVER travel on the bumper blocks or over the edges of the leveler.

DO NOT operate the dockleveler with equipment, material, or people on or in the path of the ramp or lip.

DO NOT operate the dockleveler when anyone is in front of it.

DO NOT attempt to lift or lower the dockleveler ramp or lip by any means other than that described in the operation procedures contained in this manual. Keep hands and feet clear of the hinges at all times and maintain a safe distance from the underside of the leveler while raising or lowering.

NEVER stand in the driveway between the dockleveler and a backing truck.

DO NOT use this unit to service trailers outside its intended working range, which is 5" above and 5" below dock height. Verify with the manufacturers of all equipment to be used on your specific edge-ofdock leveler, to ensure that operating equipment at all specified grades are within safe operation. Do not operate any equipment that will not safely operate at any of the grades shown on page 4 at either ramp or lip.

Many trailers have air ride suspensions that may cause the trailer to move away from the dock during loading and unloading operations (commonly referred to as dock or trailer walk). The potential for dock walk caused by air ride suspensions may be reduced by exhausting or "dumping" the air from the air ride suspension system before servicing the trailer.

DO NOT USE THE DOCKLEVELER if it looks broken or does not seem to operate properly. Tell your supervisor it needs repair right away.

DO NOT operate the dockleveler if operation causes undue physical strain or if physical impairments could lead to undue strain in back, muscles, limbs, or joints.

ALWAYS keep both hands firmly on the hand leveler while raising or lowering the dockleveler. Keep other body parts clear of hand lever travel path while raising or lowering the dockleveler.



## SAFETY PRACTICES, CONTINUED

#### INSTALLATION, MAINTENANCE AND SERVICE

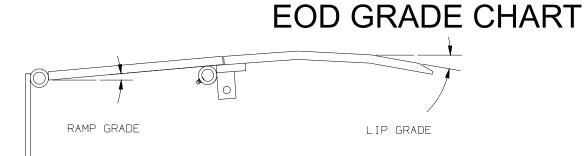
Place barricades on the dock floor around the dock leveler final location and in the driveway in front of the dockleveler final location while installing, maintaining or repairing the dock leveler.

PUT THE MAINTENANCE STRUT IN PLACE before doing any maintenance or repair under the dock leveler. (See Maintenance pages 21-23)

When working on any electrical units, after raising, disconnect the power and properly tag or lock out before doing any maintenance or repair under the dock lever.

All electrical troubleshooting or repair must be done by a qualified technician and must meet applicable codes.

If it is necessary to make troubleshooting checks inside the control box with the power on, USE EXTREME CAUTION! Do not place fingers or un-insulated tools inside the control box. Touching wires or other parts inside the control box could result in electrical shock, death or serious injury.



Truck E	Bed Position from	EOD Grade (%)	
	Dock (in.)	RAMP	LIP
	5.0	28.3	3.1
	4.5	26.4	1.4
	4.0	24.5	-0.4
	3.5	22.7	-2.1
ABOVE	3.0	20.8	-3.9
DOCK	2.5	19.0	-5.6
DOCK			
	2.0	17.2	-7.4
	1.5	15.4	-9.2
	1.0	13.6	-11.0
	0.5	11.8	-12.7
	0.0	10.0	-14.4

Truck B	ed Position from	EOD Gr	ade (%)
[ [	Dock (in.)	RAMP	LIP
	0.0	10.0	-14.4
	0.5	8.3	-16.3
	1.0	6.5	-18.1
	1.5	4.8	-19.9
BELOW	2.0	3.0	-21.8
	2.5	1.2	-23.6
DOCK	3.0	-0.5	-25.5
	3.5	-2.3	-27.4
	4.0	-4.0	-29.3
	4.5	-5.8	-31.2
	5.0	-7.5	-33.1

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FIGURE 1- EOD Grade Chart



CAPACITY

### CALCULATING CAPACITY

Determining required leveler capacity: Determine gross vehicle weight (GVW = lift truck weight + battery + heaviest load) of the largest lift truck to be used. The (GVW x 1.5) = the minimum leveler capacity for normal use. However, if any one of the following condition below exists, multiply the (GVW x 2.1) to determine the minimum leveler capacity. If two or more of these conditions exists multiply the (GVW x 2.55). If a three-wheeled fork truck is to be used a 30,000# capacity Edge of Dock is recommended, unless the GVW multiplied by the factors requires a higher capacity. (*Refer to Figure* 2 for reference)

### CONDITIONS

More than 8 trucks serviced per day

Three-Wheeled fork trucks (14,000# GVW or less)

Fork trucks travel faster than 3-mph

Fork trucks have front-end attachments or side shifters

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Do not exceed dockleveler capacity. Over loading dockleveler could result in death or serious injury.

	No Conditions	1 Condition	2 Conditions	3 Conditions	4 Conditions
GVW	apply	Applies	Apply	Apply	Apply
1000	1500	2100	2550	2550	2550
2000	3000	4200	5100	5100	5100
3000	4500	6300	7650	7650	7650
4000	6000	8400	10200	10200	10200
5000	7500	10500	12750	12750	12750
6000	9000	12600	15300	15300	15300
7000	10500	14700	17850	17850	17850
8000	12000	16800	20400	20400	20400
9000	13500	18900	22950	22950	22950
10000	15000	21000	25500	25500	25500
11000	16500	23100	28050	28050	28050
12000	18000	25200			
13000	19500	27300			
14000	21000	29400			
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19000	28500				
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### FIGURE 2- Capacity Chart

Areas shown in gray require a 30,000lb capacity EOD Areas shown in black there are no options available in the EOD line All other areas require a min. of a 20,000lb capacity EOD Use as reference only some applications may vary.



## **OWNER'S RESPONSIBILITIES**

#### The owner's responsibilities include the following:

The owner should recognize the inherent danger of the interface between dock and transport vehicle. The owner should, therefore, train and instruct operators in the safe use of dock leveling devices.

When a transport vehicle is positioned as closely as practicable to a dock leveling device, there shall be at least 4" of overlap between the front edge of the lip and the edge of the floor or sill of the transport vehicle. (See *Figure 20*)

The owner shall see that all nameplates, caution and instruction markings or labels are in place and that the appropriate operating and maintenance manuals are provided to users and shall not be obscured from the view of operating or maintenance personnel for whom such warnings are intended.

Manufacturer's recommended periodic maintenance and inspection procedures in effect at date of shipment shall be followed, and written records of the performance of these procedures should be kept.

Dock leveling devices that are structurally damaged or have experienced a sudden loss of support while under load, such as might occur when a transport vehicle is pulled out from under the dock leveling device, shall be removed from service, inspected by the manufacturer's authorized representative, and repaired as needed before being placed back in service.

Modifications or alterations of dock leveling devices shall be made only with written permission of the original manufacturer.

When industrial vehicles are driven on and off transport vehicles during the loading and unloading operation, the brakes on the transport vehicle shall be applied and wheel chocks or positive restraints that provide the equivalent protection of wheel chocks engaged.

The dock leveler should never be used outside its vertical working range or vertical lifting range or outside the manufacturer's labeled rated capacity. See Capacity Section (Page 5). It must also be compatible with the loading equipment and other conditions relating to the dock.

## INSTALLATION

### DOCK MOUNTING STEEL REQUIREMENTS

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Before installing the dockleveler, read and follow Safety Practices on pages 3 & 4.

ALWAYS place barricades around dockleveler on dock floor and drive while installing, maintaining or repairing dockleveler. Failure to do so could result in death or serious injury.

- The face of the dock must be equipped with a minimum of 8" channel with anchor straps on 10" centers. Mounting on curb angle alone is NOT recommended.
- 2. There are four main mounting methods:

installation with curb channel, flat transition plate, formed angle, and steel approach ramp. Follow the section that addresses your installation and then continue to the GENERAL INSTALLATION section on pages 12 & 13 of this manual.

#### **INSTALLATION WITH CURB CHANNEL**

- 1. If curb channel is not already present, position it as shown in *(Figure 3)*. Pour concrete.
- 2. Position the dockleveler in place.
- 3. Proceed to GENERAL INSTALLATION section on pages 12 & 13 of this manual.

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### INSTALLATION WITH FLAT TRANSITION PLATE

- 1. Lay the transition plate on top of dock.
- 2. If using a beveled transition plate (Model: TPBF12) position transition plate flush with the front of dock edge and skip to step 6. (See Figure 4).
- 3. If using a kinked transition plate (Model: TPKF12) position transition plate flush with the front of dock edge and mark location of back of transition plate on floor of dock. (See Figure 5).
- 4. Slide transition plate forward 2" and mark location of back of transition plate on floor of dock.
- 5. Remove transition plate and cut a groove in concrete 1/2" deep between lines marked in steps 3 & 4.
- Tack weld transition plate to angle nosing in at least four places on 66" & 72" wide EOD's and six places on 78" & 84" EOD's.
- 7. Install anchor bolts in the transition plate. All anchor bolts to be a min. strength in shear of 10,000lbs. Force and a min. of 6,000lbs. Pull out strength in uncracked concrete. When bolts are tight in the concrete, remove nuts, cut bolts flush with top of transition plate, and plug weld bolts to plate.

### **A** WARNING

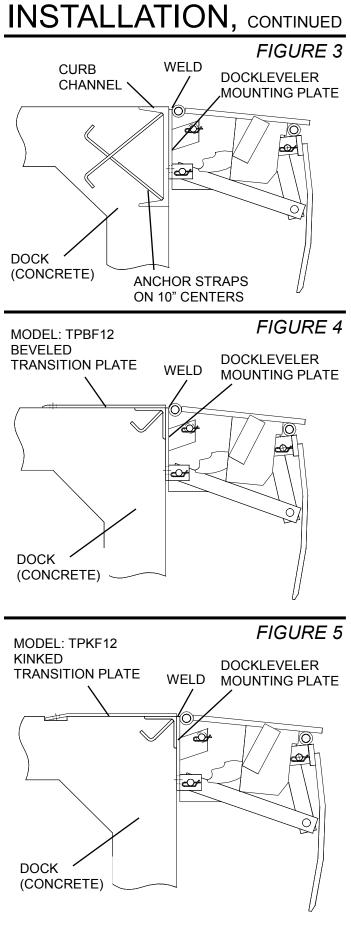
All anchor bolts must be installed in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions. Improper installation may result in death or serious injury.

Do not install anchor bolts in cracks or expansion joints in concrete. Installation in cracks or expansion joints may cause the anchors to come loose and pull out. Use of improperly installed anchor bolts may result in death or serious injury.

### **NOTICE!**

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8. Proceed to GENERAL INSTALLATION section on pages 12 & 13 of this manual.





## **INSTALLATION**, CONTINUED

FIGURE 6

### INSTALLATION WITH FORMED ANGLE

- 1. Lay formed angle on top of dock.
- 2. If using a beveled formed angle (Model: TPBL24) position formed angle on dock making sure both legs are tight against top and face of dock and skip to step 7. (See Figure 6).
- 3. If using a kinked formed angle (Model: TPKL24) position formed angle in desired position on dock edge and mark location of back of angle on floor of dock. (See Figure 7).
- 4. Slide formed angle forward 2" and mark location of back of angle on floor of dock.
- 5. Remove angle and cut a groove in concrete 1/2" deep between lines marked in steps 3 & 4.
- Place formed angle on dock making sure back edge of leg on top of dock is recessed in groove and both legs are tight against top and face of dock. Increase depth or width of groove as required.
- 7. Install anchor bolts in the formed angle. All anchor bolts to be a min. strength in shear of 10,000lbs. Force and a min. of 6,000lbs. Pull out strength in uncracked concrete. When bolts are tight in the concrete, remove nuts, cut bolts flush with top of formed angle and plug weld bolts to formed angle.

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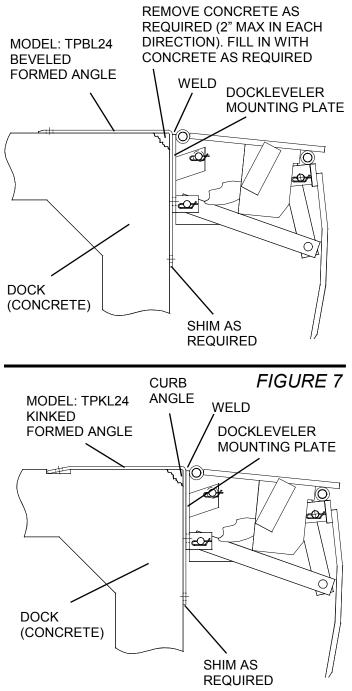


FIGURE 8



## INSTALLATION, CONTINUED

### INSTALLATION WITH STEEL APPROACH RAMP

- 1. Position the Steel Approach Ramp flush with the front face of dock. (See Figure 8).
- 2. Install anchor bolts in the steel approach ramp. All anchor bolts to be a min. strength in shear of 10,000lbs. Force and a min. of 6,000lbs. Pull out strength in uncracked concrete. When bolts are tight in the concrete, remove nuts, cut bolts flush with top of steel approach ramp and plug weld bolts to plate.

# STEEL APPROACH WELD DOCKLEVELER MOUNTING PLATE

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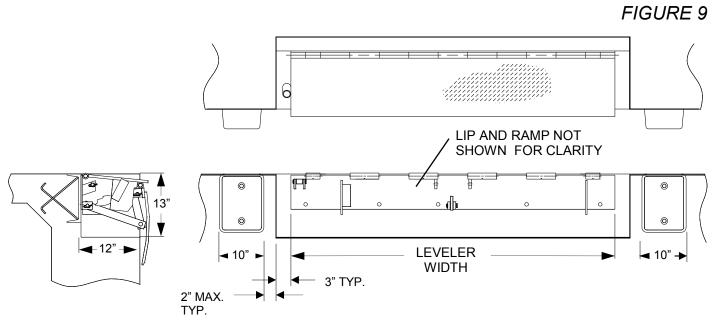
3. Proceed to GENERAL INSTALLATION section on pages 12 & 13 of this manual.



## **INSTALLATION**, CONTINUED

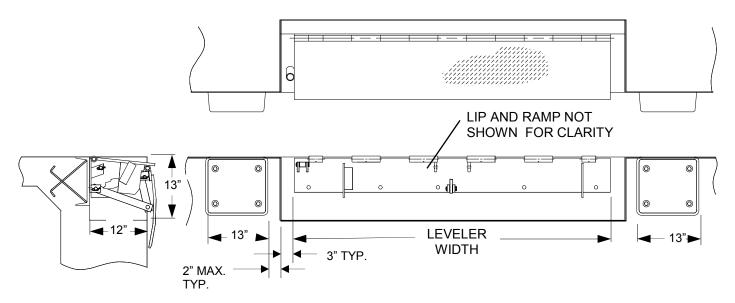
### **INSTALLATION WITH RECESSED PIT**

- 1. Use a minimum 12" x 13" pit recess with an additional 3" of clearance per side of leveler (See Figure 9 & 10).
- 2. Follow the section that addresses your installation and then continue to the GENERAL INSTALLATION section on pages 12 & 13 of this manual.



PIT WIDTH = (LEVELER WIDTH) + 3"

FIGURE 10



PIT WIDTH = (LEVELER WIDTH) + 3"



## **GENERAL INSTALLATION**

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Read and follow Safety Practices on page 2. Failure to follow these safety practices could result in property damage, serious injury or death.

Installation should not be attempted by persons not familiar with equipment and techniques required for proper installation. Improper installation could result in property damage, serious injury or death.

1. Using a 1,000# minimum capacity plate clamp, clamp the lip plate at the center of the width. (See Figure 12).

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Inadequate lifting equipment or practices can cause a load to fall unexpectedly. Make sure the lifting chain or other lifting devices are in good condition and have a rated capacity of at least 1000 lbs. for the lifting angle used. Never allow anyone to stand on or near the dockleveler when it is lifted or placed onto the dock. Stand clear of the dockleveler when it is being placed onto the dock. Failure to follow this warning can allow the dockleveler to fall, tip, or swing into people, causing death or serious injury.

Follow plate clamp manufacturer's use instructions. Failure to follow plate clamp manufacturer's use instructions could result in property damage, death or serious injury.

 Position dockleveler mounting plate centered on face of dock and 1/4" below top of curb channel, transition plate, angle plate or steel approach ramp. (See Figure 12).

### NOTICE!

The dockleveler must be plumb to operate properly. Use shims or remove concrete as necessary to make the mounting plate plumb.

- 3. Weld two 2" welds at the upper outside edges of the mounting plate and plug weld the two outer holes in the mounting plate (if curb channel is not used install two 5/8" DIA. anchors).
- 4. Support dockleveler by inserting hand lever into

lever socket located on right side of ramp plate. *(See Figure 17).* 

- 5. While one person holds the hand lever down as shown in *(Figure 18),* with the use of the plate clamp, carefully lower lip to the full back position as shown in *(Figure 18).* Remove plate clamp.
- 6. Using the hand lever, carefully lower the dockleveler to the rest position as shown in (*Figure 22*). While lowering dockleveler to the rest position it is necessary to have another person use a pipe or similar device to hold the lip extender link disengaged as shown in (*Figure 18*). This will prevent the lip from extending out away from the dock.

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Do not use hands or feet to hold lip extender link disengaged. Use of hands or feet could cause a pinch point resulting in death or serious injury.

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Failure to keep lip extender link disengaged while lowering dockleveler could result in damage to the link.

- 7. Weld four 1" long welds evenly spaced across the top edge of mounting plate to secure dockleveler.
- 8. With the hand lever, hinge the ramp to the upright position and back to rest position, checking for freeness to ramp and mounting plate hinge.

### **A** WARNING

Do not allow lip and ramp to fall free. Allowing the dockleveler to fall free could result in the dockleveler coming free from the dock or damaging linkage, resulting in property damage, serious injury and/or death.

Do not allow lip to extend out away from the dock before all welding and anchor installation is complete. Operating the dockleveler before all installation is complete could result in property damage, death or serious injury.



## **GENERAL INSTALLATION**, CONTINUED

9. Continuously weld dockleveler mounting plate to curb channel, transition plate, angle plate or steel approach ramp in accordance with AWS Standards.

### NOTICE!

Use care when welding. Do not allow weld or weld spatter on the hinge tubes. Weld on the hinge tubes may interfere with normal operation of the dockleveler.

- 10. Plug weld remaining anchor holes in mounting plate (if curb channel is not used, install remaining 5/8" DIA. anchors).
- 11. Position bumper blocks and weld in place. (See Figure 11).
- 12. Anchor bumpers with 5/8" DIA. anchors in holes provided.

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All anchor bolts must be installed in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions. Improper installation may result in serious personal injury or death.

Do not install anchor bolts in cracks or expansion joints in concrete. Installation in cracks or expansion joints may cause the anchors to come loose and pull out. Use of improperly installed anchor bolts may result in death or serious injury.

### **NOTICE!**

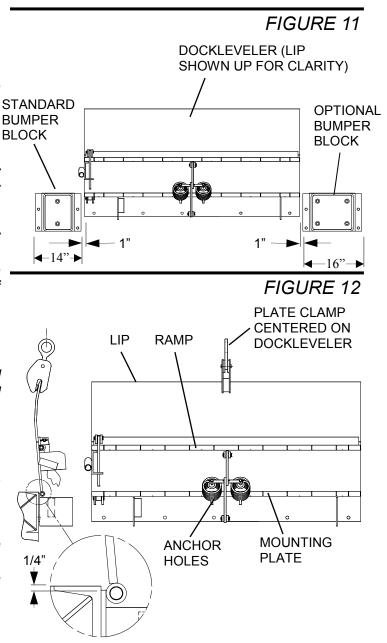
All anchor bolt lengths must suit local codes and conditions. Type and depth of concrete will determine type and length of anchor bolts required.

- 13. Clean away all debris and paint all welded joints.
- 14. Raise the dockleveler and SECURE WITH THE MAINTENANCE STRUT. See (*Figure 24 & 25*).
- 15. Adjust two extension springs to assist in lifting dockleveler from rest position. Check the amount of bolt exposed beyond the spring face. If the amount is the same the springs are adjusted evenly. Adjust as required.

### A WARNING

Do not over-adjust the extension springs. Over-adjusting extension springs may cause the dockleveler to bounce or float during use. Use of an over-adjusted dockleveler could result in death or serious injury.

 Once installed, on the front cover write in Model #, Serial # and Date Installed. By doing this you are agreeing to reading and following all safety practices, manuals and instructions provided.





## HYDRAULIC INSTALLATION

Before installing the dockleveler, read and follow Safety Practices on pages 3 & 4.

Power to control box must be from a fused disconnect supplied by others. For correct fuse size refer to Wiring Diagram section of this manual. Before doing any electrical work, make certain the power is disconnected and properly tagged or locked out. All electrical work must be done by a qualified technician and must meet all applicable codes. If it is necessary to make trouble shooting checks inside the control box with the power on, USE EXTREME CAUTION. Do not place fingers or un-insulated tools inside the control box. Touching wires or other parts inside the control box could result in electrical shock, death or serious injury could occur.

Place barricades around pit on dock floor and drive while installing, maintaining or repairing dockleveler.

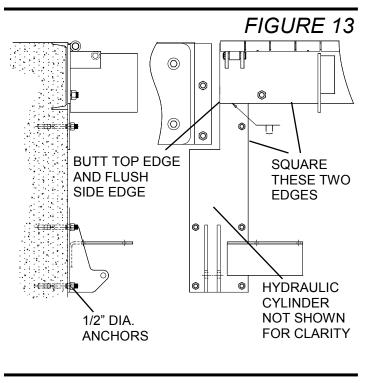
Do not remove any components of the Edge-of-Dock unless noted to in the installation instructions.

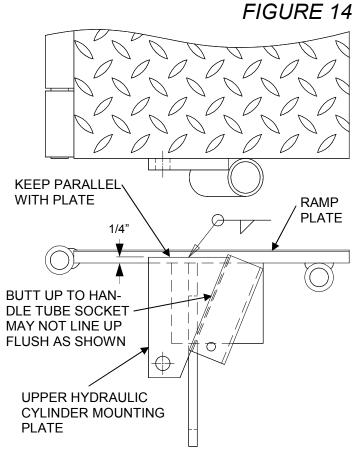
- 1. Install the dockleveler in place per standard Mechanical installation instructions.
- 2. Attach power unit mounting plate by butting to the bottom of the dockleveler mounting plate and flush with the edge of the plate as shown in *(Figure 13).*
- 3. Square and plumb the power unit mounting plate to the bottom edge of the dockleveler to ensure proper alignment.
- 4. Secure power unit mounting plate by butt welding to the dockleveler mounting plate and using the holes provided with 1/2" dia. anchors bolts to suit.

### **NOTICE!**

All anchor bolt lengths must suit local codes and conditions. Type and depth of concrete will determine type and length of anchor bolts required.

5. If retrofitting a power unit to an existing dockleveler, follow step #6 if not continue to step #7.







## HYDRAULIC INSTALLATION, CONTINUED

### HYDRAULIC CYLINDER CONNECTION

- 6. Locate and weld Hydraulic Cylinder upper mounting bracket to the dockleveler ramp plate as shown. (See Figure 14).
- 7. With the dockleveler in the rest position, adjust the hydraulic cylinder rod eye so that the rod eye hole center is about 3-1/2" from the unthreaded portion of the extension rod. Then extend the hydraulic cylinder until the rod eye lines up with the hole in the upper mounting bracket. Verify that the EOD ramp plate is resting on the mounting plate gussets. (See Figure 15).

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Do not use fingers to check alignment, use bolt supplied. A pinch point could result in serious injury.

If electrical connections are completed prior to hydraulic cylinder adjustment, disconnect and lockout until all work is done. Failure to follow these safety practices could result in death or serious injury.

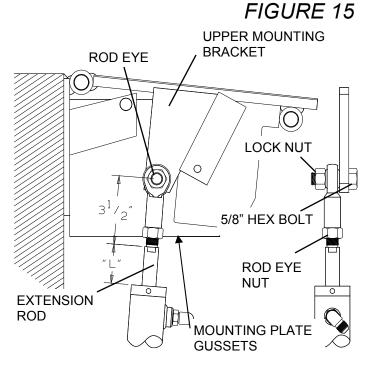
### **A** CAUTION

The "L" dimension (or minimum amount of exposed extension rod with the dockleveler in it's rest position.) must be greater than 1-3/4". Failure to do so will cause the hydraulic cylinder to bottom out under load resulting in permanent damage to the hydraulic cylinder.

- 8. Assemble and tighten 5/8" hex bolt and lock nut supplied. Then tighten the rod eye nut to secure rod eye. (See Figure 15).
- Mount control box per local codes. Control box should be mounted inside the building, and give the operator a clear view of the dock during use.

### **A** WARNING

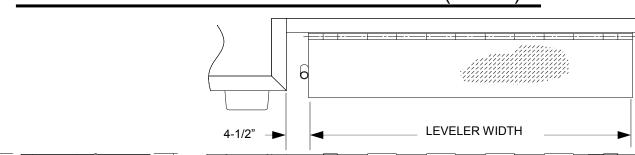
The control box must be mounted where the operator has a complete and clear view of the dock and EOD during operation. Failure to mount the Control Box in the correct area could result in personal injury or death.

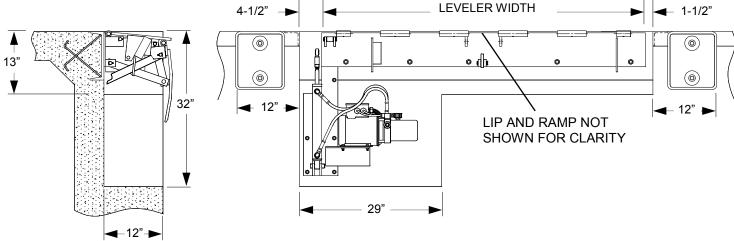


- 10. Layout and install the electrical conduit refer to pg. 16 of this manual.
- 11. Supply and wire per schematics shown in this manual. Refer to pages 29-32 (1-Phase) & 34 (3-Phase) of this manual for schematics. Verify that all supplied equipment matches the Voltage and Phase of the supplied power. See pg. 16 for disconnect sizing, disconnect to be supplied by others.
- 12. Replace **RED** shipping plug with breather vent cap at tank of power pack. If running unit without vent cap in the tank port damage to unit could result.

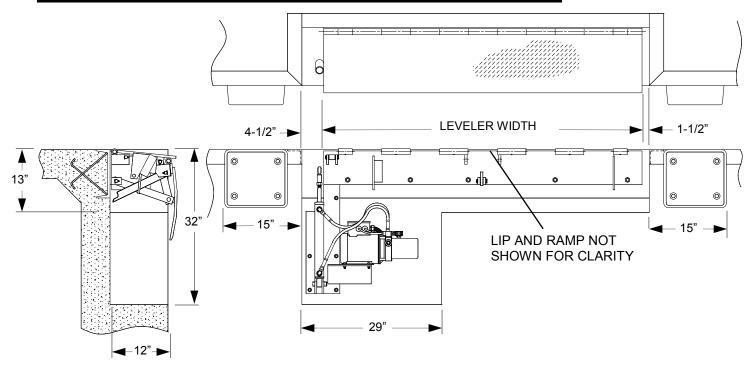


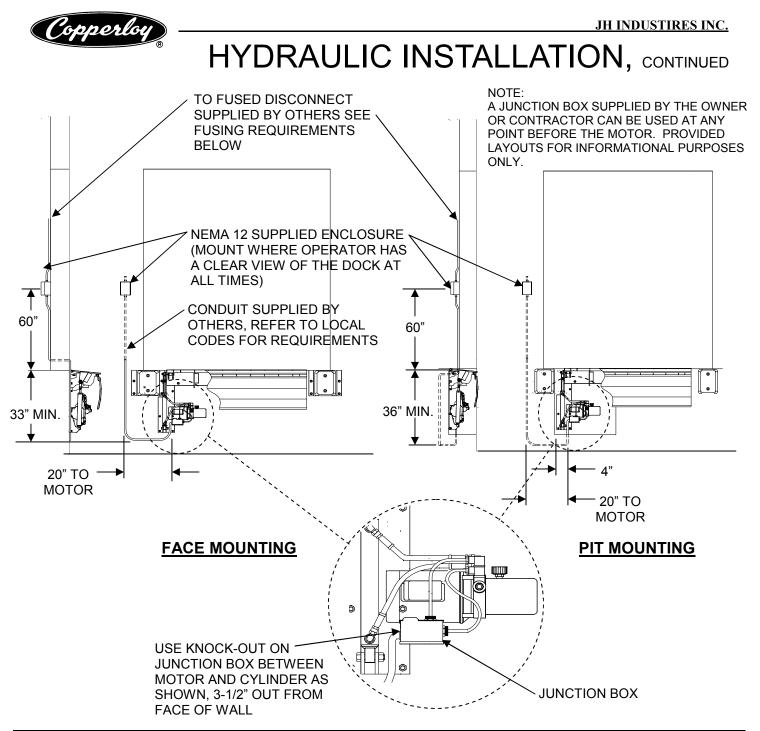
### \* HYDRAULIC INSTALLATION, CONTINUED STANDARD 10"x13"x4" MOLDED BUMPER (2-Hole)





### OPTIONAL 12"x13"x4" MOLDED BUMPER (4-Hole)





Voltage/Phase	Motor Full Load Amps (FLA)	Disconnect Fusing Requirements	Overload Setting
115VAC/1-Phase	13.6 Amps	20 Amps	13.6 Amps
220VAC/1-Phase	6.8 Amps	15 Amps	6.8 Amps
208-230VAC/3-Phase	3.7-3.4 Amps	10 Amps	3.7-3.4 Amps
460VAC/3-Phase	1.7 Amps	5 Amps	1.7 Amps

Notes:

1. All motors are 1 HP

2. Motor , Control Box, and Disconnect must be properly grounded.

**OPERATION** 



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Before operating the dockleveler, read and follow Safety Practices on pages 3 & 4.

Use by untrained people could result in serious injury or death. Read and follow complete Operation instructions. DO NOT USE THE DOCKLEVELER IF IT LOOKS BROKEN OR DOES NOT SEEM TO WORK RIGHT. Tell your supervisor it needs repair.

Always be certain that the truck wheels are chocked, or that the truck is locked in place by a truck restraining device and the brakes are set, before loading or unloading. Trucks pulling away from the dock unexpectedly could result in death or serious injury.

Keep both hands firmly on the hand lever while raising or lowering the dockleveler. Keep other body parts clear of hand lever travel path while raising or lowering the dockleveler. Do not use legs or feet to move or hold hand lever. Failure to follow these and other provided warnings could result in death or serious injury.

Do not operate dockleveler if operation causes undue physical strain or if physical impairments could lead to undue strain in back, muscles, limbs, or joints.

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To avoid damage to load and dockleveler do not activate unit if loads will be in way of extended lip. If the lip touches loads before resting on carrier floor, linkage must be disengaged. Use hand lever to hold 12" ramp plate in the full back position and with a pipe or similar device, disengage lip extender link from the extender bushing. Once disengaged, return unit to rest or pendant position.

### INTRODUCTION

The Edge-of-Dock Dockleveler is designed to span and compensate for space and height differences between a loading dock and freight carrier to allow safe, efficient freight transfers.

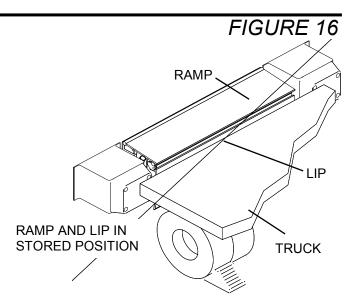
The Mechanical Edge-of-Dock Dockleveler is spring counterbalanced. A hand lever is used to position

the ramp and lip onto the truck bed and to return the dockleveler to the stored position.

Moving the hand lever back moves the ramp to the full raised position, engaging the lip extension link. Moving the lever forward extends the dockleveler lip onto the truck.

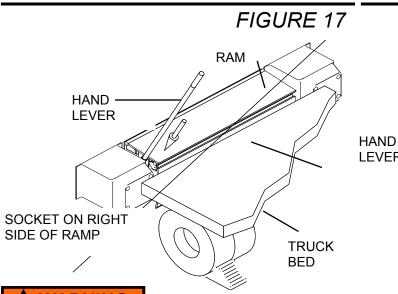
After loading, moving the hand lever moves the lip off the truck. The hand lever is then moved back to place the dockleveler back into stored position.

- 1. Wait until a truck is in position against the dock bumpers.
- 2. Tell truck driver "Your truck must stay at the dock."
- 3. Chock or hitch truck.
- 4. Remove end loads with the dockleveler in the stored position. (See Figure 16).



5. To extend the dockleveler lip into the truck: 5.1 Insert hand lever into lever socket located on right side of ramp plate. (See Figure 17).

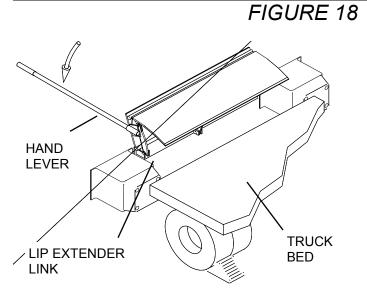




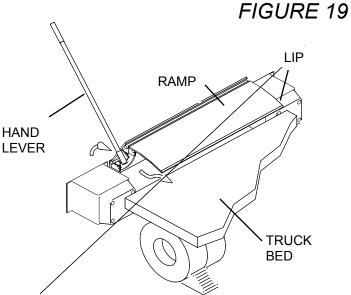
**A** WARNING

Keep both hands firmly on the hand lever while raising or lowering the dockleveler. Keep other body parts clear of hand lever travel path while raising or lowering the dockleveler. Do not use legs or feet to move or hold hand lever.

5.2 Pull back on the hand lever until the lip extender link is properly seated on the extender pivot bushing. *(See Figure 18).* 



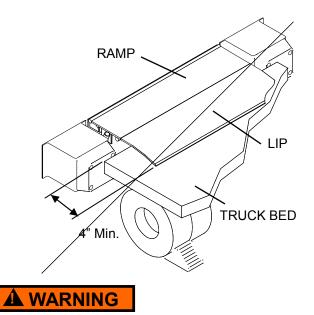
5.3 Raise hand lever. Lip will extend automatically as the ramp is lowered onto the truck bed. *(See Figure 19).* 



**OPERATION**, CONTINUED

5.4 Once dockleveler is resting securely on truck bed, remove hand lever. (See Figure 20).

FIGURE 20



Do not operate the dockleveler when anyone is on or in front of it.

Stay clear of the dockleveler when it is moving.

Do not walk or drive on the dockleveler or lip until it is fully extended and supported by the truck bed.



## **OPERATION**, CONTINUED

### **A** WARNING

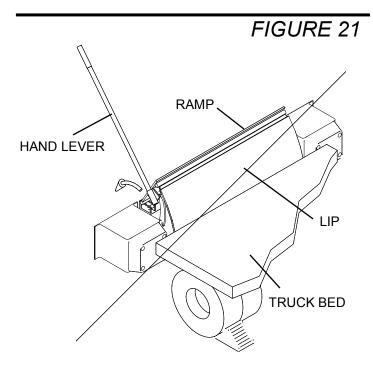
Never use a fork truck or other material handling equipment to lower the ramp and lip section.

- 6. Proceed with loading or unloading.
- 7. Return the dockleveler to the stored position when entry to the truck is no longer required.
  - 7.1 Re-insert hand lever, into lever socket located on right side of ramp plate.

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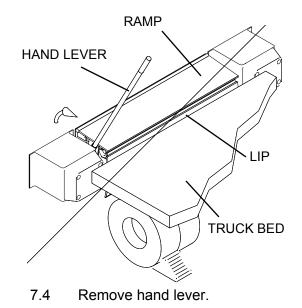
Keep both hands firmly on the hand lever while raising or lowering the dockleveler. Keep other body parts clear of hand lever travel path while raising or lowering the dockleveler. Do not use legs or feet to move or hold hand lever.

7.2 Pull back on the hand lever until the lip clears the truck bed. (See Figure 21).



7.3 Raise hand lever and allow the ramp and lip to lower to their stored position. *(See Figure 22).* 

### FIGURE 22



8. Un-chock or release truck

### **A** WARNING

Do not allow the truck to leave before properly storing the dockleveler. If the truck pulls away from the dock before the dockleveler is stored, the lip will fall to the pendant position. You must use the hand lever to return the dockleveler to its dock level (stored) position. Failure to do so could result in death or serious injury.

9. Tell truck driver "Your truck may now leave the dock."



**OPERATION**, CONTINUED

### HYDRAULIC OPERATION

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Before operating the dockleveler, read and follow Safety Practices on page 2.

Use by untrained people could result in serious injury or death. Read and follow complete Operation instructions. DO NOT USE THE DOCKLEVELER IF IT LOOKS BROKEN OR DOES NOT SEEM TO WORK RIGHT. Tell your supervisor it needs repair.

Always be certain that the truck is locked in place by a truck restraining device and the brakes are set, before loading or unloading. Trucks pulling away from the dock unexpectedly could result in serious injury or death.

- 1. Wait until a truck is in position against the dock bumpers.
- 2. Tell truck driver "Your truck must stay at the dock."
- 3. Chock or hitch truck.
- 4. Remove end loads with the dockleveler in the stored position. (See Figure 16).
- 5. Push the "UP" button and hold until the dock lever raises and reaches full back position.
- Push the "DOWN" button, the dockleveler will extend its lip and reach out onto the carrier floor. Hold the button until the ramp plate and the lip plate are pulled to an even surface.
- 7. Release the "DOWN" button. Verify that the lip of the Edge-of-Dock is supported by the carrier floor and that there is adequate overlap. (See figure 20)

### **A** WARNING

Do not operate the dockleveler when anyone is on or in front of it.

Stay clear of the dockleveler when it is moving.

Do not walk or drive on the dockleveler or lip until it is fully extended and supported (Min. 4") by the truck bed.

Never use a fork truck or other material handling equipment to lower the ramp and lip section.

- 8. When done using the unit, push the "UP" button until the lip falls clear of the carrier floor then release the button, the lip and ramp will coast back down to the rest position.
- 9. Un-chock or release truck.

### **A** WARNING

Do not allow the truck to leave before properly storing the dockleveler. If the truck pulls away from the dock before the dockleveler is stored, the lip will fall to the pendant position. You must use the hand lever to return the dockleveler to its dock level (stored) position. Failure to do so could result in death or serious injury.

10. Tell truck driver "Your truck may now leave the dock."

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Never use anything other than the hydraulic cylinder to activate the dockleveler. If maintenance or servicing is required make sure to disconnect the hydraulic cylinder before moving to the maintenance position. Failure to do so could result in damage to the cylinder seals.

### **NOTICE!**

The hydraulic cylinder and power pack will allow the cylinder to extend and retract with normal truck and dockleveler deflection.



## MAINTENANCE

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Before servicing the dockleveler, read and follow all Safety, Warnings and Manuals.

STAND CLEAR! The dockleveler moves toward you. Always be certain the ramp is in the raised position, SECURED WITH THE MAINTENANCE STRUT (See Figure 24) before servicing dockleveler. Failure to do so could result in death or serious injury.

Always return the dockleveler to stored position after service. Failure to do so could result in death or serious injury.

#### **INSERT MAINTENANCE STRUT**

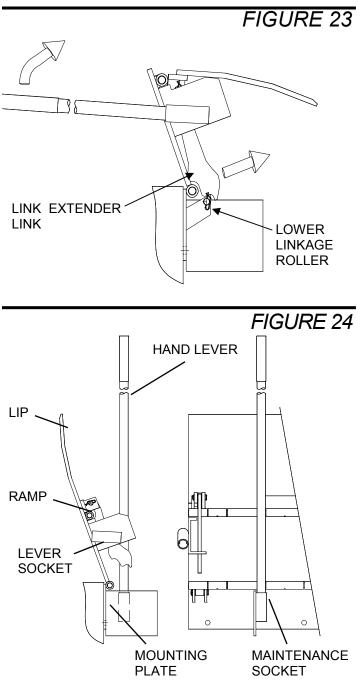
- 1. Using the hand lever, position the dockleveler in the full back position. (See Figure 18).
- 2. While one person holds the hand lever down as shown in *(Figure 18),* another person standing, on the drive surface must position the lip to its full upright position *(As shown in Figure 24).*
- 3. With the ramp and lip in the full upright position, move the hand lever to the maintenance socket location. (*As shown in Figure 24*).

### **REMOVE MAINTENANCE STRUT**

- 1. With the ramp and lip in the full back position, move the hand lever back to the lever socket location. (*As shown in Figure 18*).
- 2. While one person holds the hand lever down, as shown in (*Figure 18*), another person standing on the drive surface must position the lip back down to the full back position (*As shown in Figure 18*).
- 3. Using the hand lever lower the dockleveler to the rest position as shown in (*Figure 16*). While lowering dockleveler to the rest position it is necessary to have another person use a pipe or similar device to hold the lip extender link from engaging on the extender pivot bushing (*As shown in Figure 23*), to prevent the lip from extending out away from the dock.

#### Do not use hands or feet to hold lip extender link

disengaged. Use of hands or feet could cause a pinch point resulting in death or serious injury.





## Inboard Handle Maintenance, CONTINUED

### **INSERT MAINTENANCE STRUT**

1. (Hydraulic Only) While in the rest position (See Figure 16) remove the Rod Eye Bolt from the cylinder and slowly lower the cylinder and allow to hang loosely.

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Disconnect the hydraulic cylinder from the Edge-of-dock during maintenance or servicing. Failure to do so could result in death or serious injury.

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Never activate the edge-of-dock with the hand lever when it is connected to the hydraulic cylinder. Damage to the cylinder seals could result.

- 2. Using the hand lever, position the dockleveler in the full back position. (See Figure 18).
- 3. While one person holds the hand lever down as shown in *(Figure 18),* another person standing on the drive surface, must position the lip to its full upright position as shown in *(Figure 25).*
- 4. With the ramp and lip in the full upright position, move the hand lever to the maintenance socket position as shown in *(Figure 25).* Place the round side of the handle into the maintenance socket and the tapered end of the handle facing up.

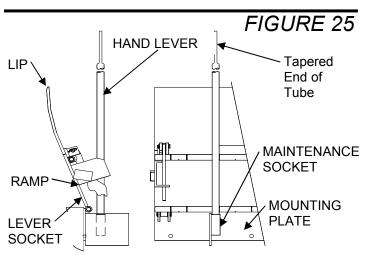
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### **A** WARNING

Do not use hands or feet to hold lip extender link disengaged. Use of hands or feet could cause a pinch point resulting in serious injury or death.



### **GENERAL MAINTENANCE**

- 1. Every 90 days, with the dock leveler in the maintenance position, inspect all moving parts for wear or damage. Repair or replace, as necessary.
- 2. Inspect all welds, repair or replace as necessary.
- 3. If linkage parts must be replaced due to wear or damage, raise the leveler to its rear most position by means of the hand lever and SECURE WITH THE MAINTENANCE STRUT. (See Figure 25).
- 4. Lubricate all grease fittings every 90 days.
- 5. To increase spring tension, turn bolts in evenly. To decrease spring tension, turn bolts out evenly.
- Every 90 days inspect dock bumpers. 4" of bumper protection is required. Worn, torn, loose or missing bumpers must be replaced.
- 7. Every 90 days check all labels. See Page 26 for part numbers and location. Replace as



## MAINTENANCE, CONTINUED

- 8. Every 6 months verify that this is the latest and most up to date manual by visiting the manufacturer's website. (Download or order as needed)
- 9. Hydraulic units only. Seasonally change the hydraulic fluid for ambient temperatures change if appropriate or if there is any evidence of accumulating condensation creating water contamination.

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Do not over-adjust the extension springs. Over-adjusting extension springs may cause the dockleveler to bounce or float during use. Use of an over-adjusted dockleveler could result in death or serious injury.

### OIL RECOMMENDATIONS

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Do not use brake fluid or any other fluids not approved by the manufacturer. Use of fluids not approved by the manufacturer may attack the hydraulic systems seals and hoses.

### FLUIDS

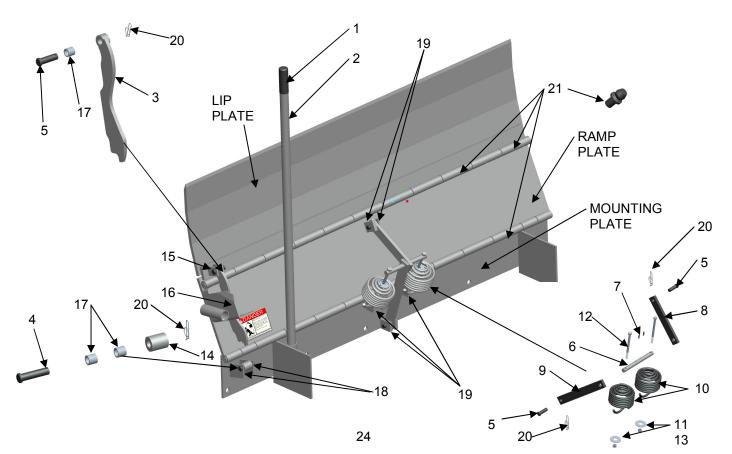
- The first choice for fluid is Citco AW-46(200) hydraulic fluid. This is the fluid normally supplied by the factory and is suitable for a ambient temperature range of -10° to +100° Fahrenheit (-23°C to +38°C).
- 2. Following is a recommended list of oils with a compatible ambient temperature range.
  - A. Amoco Oil Co. Rycon Oil No. 32, 46 Amoco AW 32, 46
  - B. Cities Service Oil Co. Citgo AW Hyd. Oil 32, 46 Citgo All Temp. Hyd. Oil
  - C. Chevron USA Chevron EP Hyd. Oil 32, 46

- D. Fina Oil Co. Fina AW 32, 46 Fina Automatic Transmission Fluid Dexron II
- E. Gulf Oil Corporation Gulf Harmony 32 AW, 46 AW
- F. Mobil Oil Corporation DTE 15, 24, 25 Mobil Fluid #300 Transmission Fluid
- G. Sentinel Lubricants Corp. Sentinel SH-10 Hydraulic Oil
- H. Shell Oil Co. Tellus Hyd. Oil 32, 46 Tellus "T" Hyd. Oil 32, 46
- I. Texaco Inc. Rando Oil Hd-32, 46
- J. Union 76 Xcel AW 46 (200)



## STANDARD PARTS LIST

tem Qty.	Part Description	Р	Part #		
tem	Qty.		20K Capacity	30K Capacity	
1	1	Vinyl Handle Grip	024-023	024-023	
2	1	Handle Lever w/ vinyl handle grip	095-352	095-352	
3	1	Extender Linkage	SEL-02-00033	SEL-02-00033	
4	1	5/8"-2-1/2" Clevis Pin	SEL-05-00001	SEL-05-00001	
5	3	5/8"-2" Clevis Pin	SEL-05-00004	SEL-05-00004	
6	1	Spring Support Shaft	SEL-02-00008	SEL-02-00008	
7	2	3/16" Spring Roll Pin	002-065	002-065	
8	1	Upper Spring Linkage Bar	7224B01	7224B01	
9	1	Lower Spring Linkage Bar	7225B01	7225B01	
10	2	Extension Spring	5539B01 (2)	5539B01 & 5539B02	
11	2	Nut, Hx, 3/8"-16, Pltd	024-028	024-028	
12	2	Scr, Hx, Gr2, 3/8"-16 x 5-1/2"	002-143	002-143	
13	2	Wshr, FI, Fender, 2" O.D.	002-144	002-144	
14	1	Lower Extender Linkage Roller w/bushings	SEL-02-00012	SEL-02-00012	
15	2	Linkage Pin Lug (Welded)	SEL-02-00504	SEL-02-00504	
16	1	Handle Socket Sub-weldment (Welded)	SEL-01-00010	SEL-01-00029	
17	3	Nylon Sleeve Bushing	SEL-04-00001	SEL-04-00001	
18	2	Lower Pin Bracket (Welded)	SEL-02-00009	SEL-02-00009	
19	6	Spring Lug (Welded)	SEL-02-00035	SEL-02-00035	
20	4	5/8" .072 Pltd.Rue Ring	002-147	002-147	
21	12	Grease Fitting	002-062	002-062	

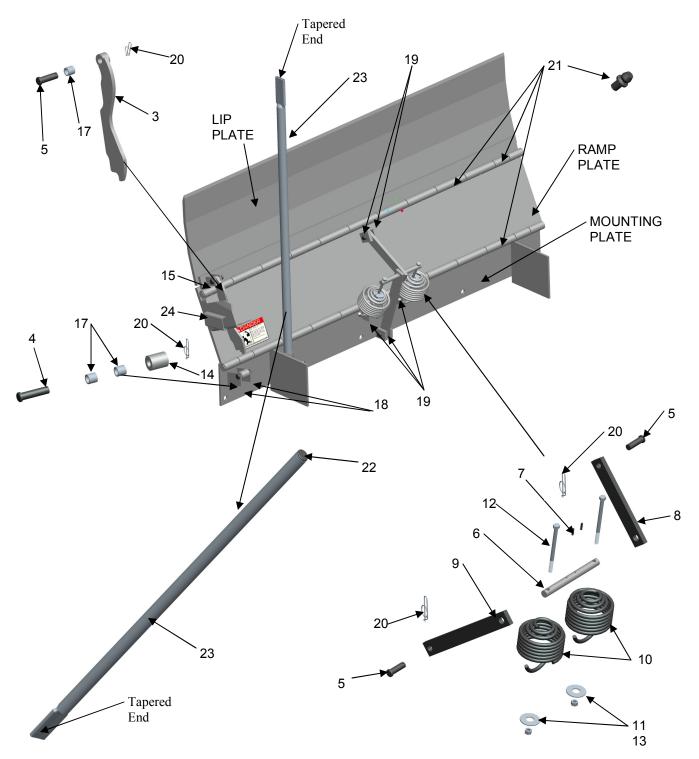




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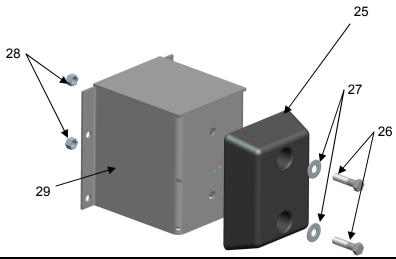
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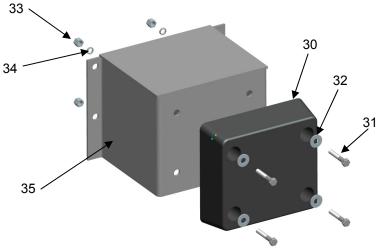
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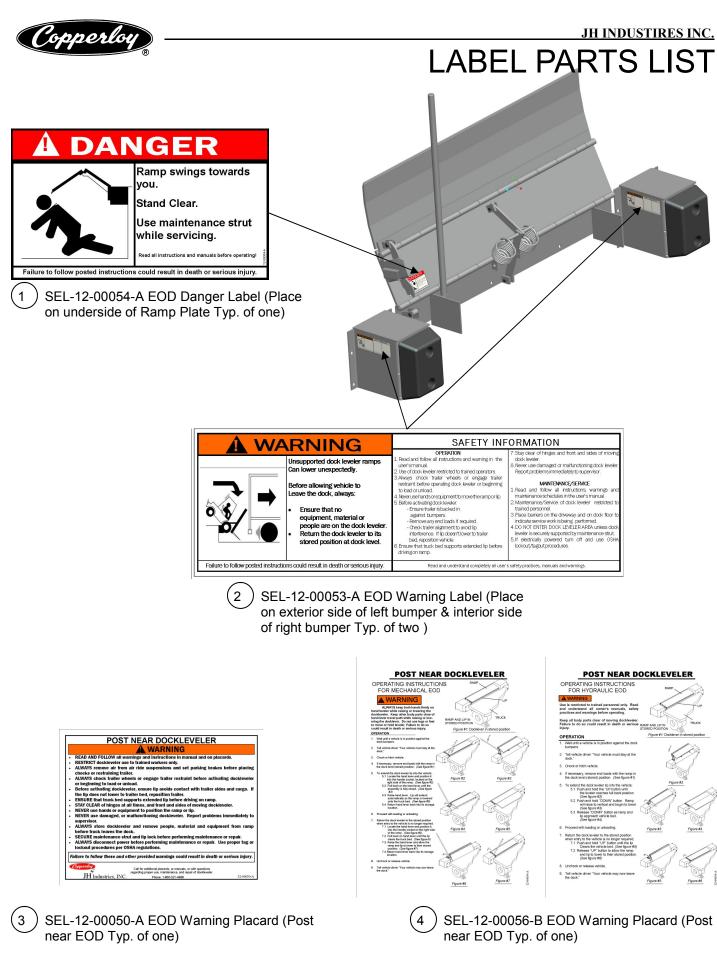
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	2	Complete bumper block assembly, 2-1-ble	SEL-01-00094
25	2	10'x13'x4" Molded Rubber Bumper (Standard)	SEL-04-00011
26	4	Sor, Hx, Gr2, 3/4"-10	002-154
27	4	Wshr, Fl, Standard, 3/4"	002-156
28	4	Nut, Center Lock, 3/4"-10	002-159
29	2	10x13x12, Steel Block Weldment (2-Hble)	SEL-01-00082



## OPTIONAL BUMPER PARTS LIST

ltem	Qty.	Description	Part #
	2	Complete bumper block assembly, 4-Hole	5552CA
30	2	12"x13"x4" Molded Rubber Bumper (Standard)	SEL-04-00015
31	8	Scr, Hx, Gr2, 1/2"-13 x 3.00"	002-071
32	8	Wshr, Fl, Std, 1/2"	009-004
33	8	Nut, Hx, 1/2"-13	002-145
34	8	Wshr, Lock, 1/2"	002-146
35	2	12x13x12, Steel Block Weldment (4-Hole)	5551CA

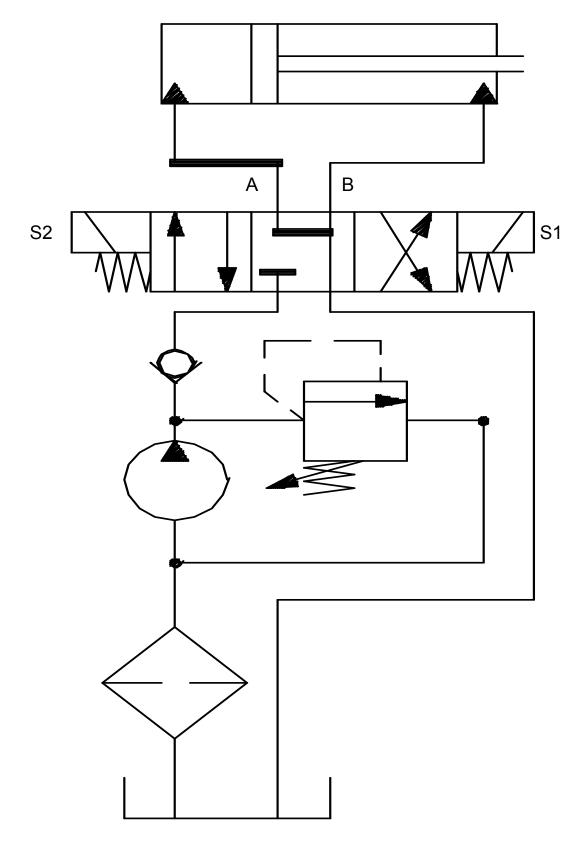






HYDRAULIC SCHEMATICS

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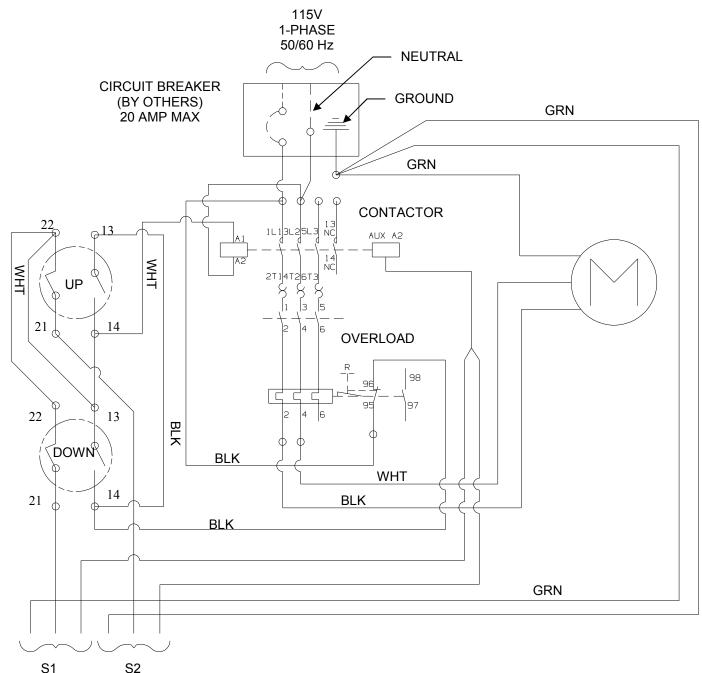


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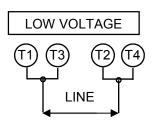
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Before doing any electrical work, make certain that all power sources are disconnected and properly tagged or locked out per OSHA requirements. All electrical work must be done by a qualified technician and must meet all applicable codes. Failure to do so could result in electrical shock, serious injury or death.

### 115V, SINGLE PHASE, 50/60 Hz



MOTOR WIRING DIAGRAM

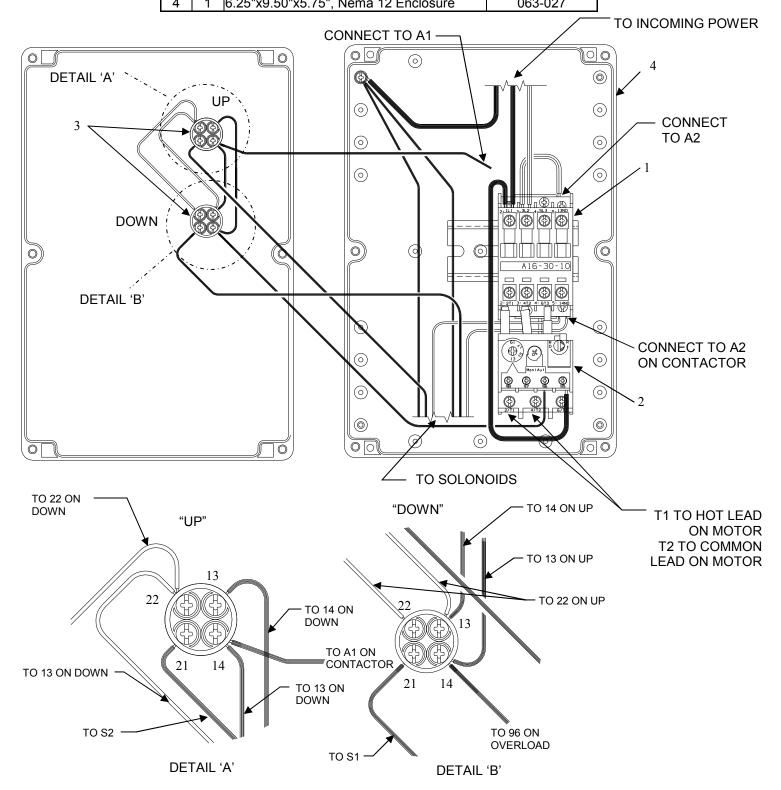




### JH INDUSTIRES INC.

SINGLE PHASE 120V ELECTRICAL SCHEMATIC

ltem	Qty.	Description	Part #
	1	120V, Single Phase Control Box Assembly	SEL-01-00133
1	1	Contactor, 17amp, 120VAC Coil	063-024
2	1	Overload, 13-19amps	063-025
3	2	Pushbutton	063-026
4	1	6 25"x9 50"x5 75" Nema 12 Enclosure	063-027



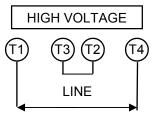


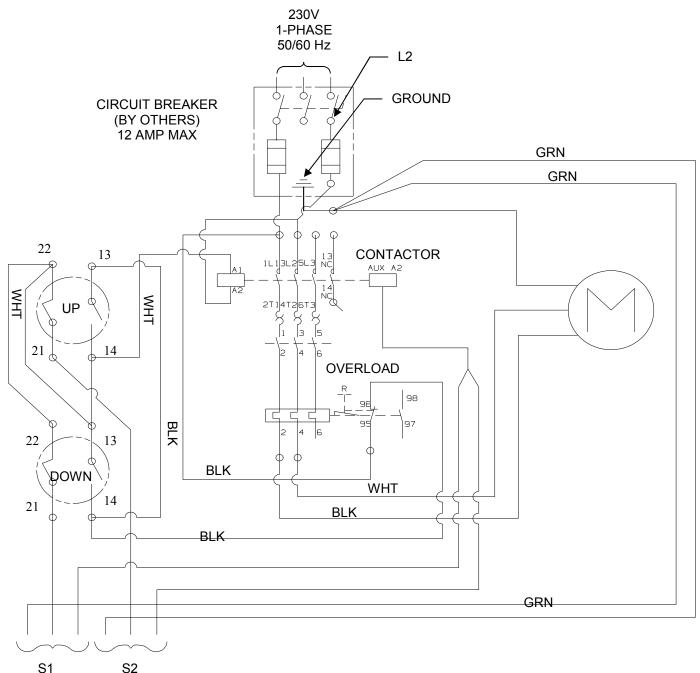
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230V, SINGLE PHASE, 50/60 Hz

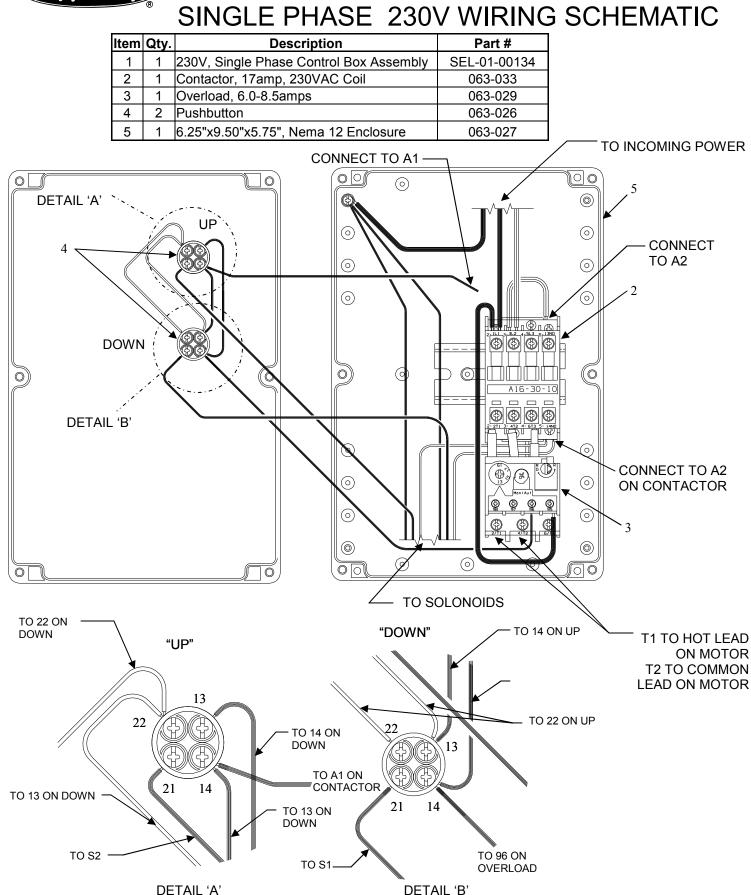
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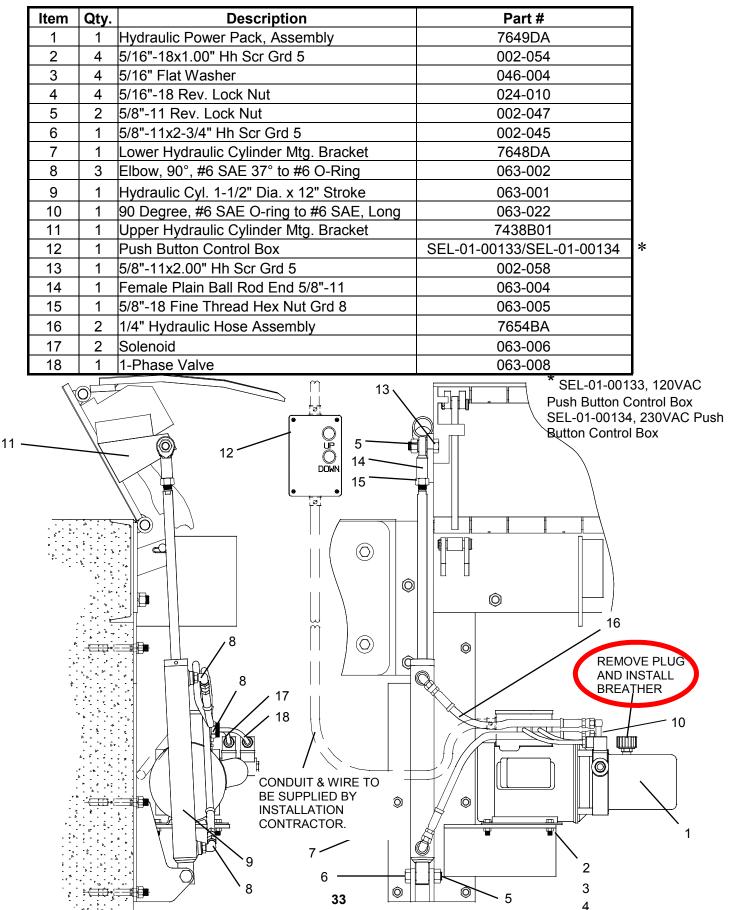
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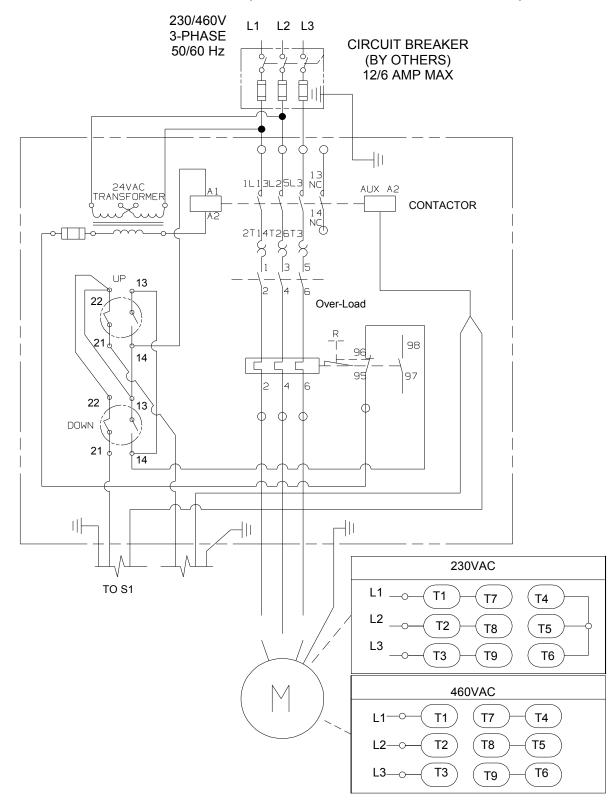






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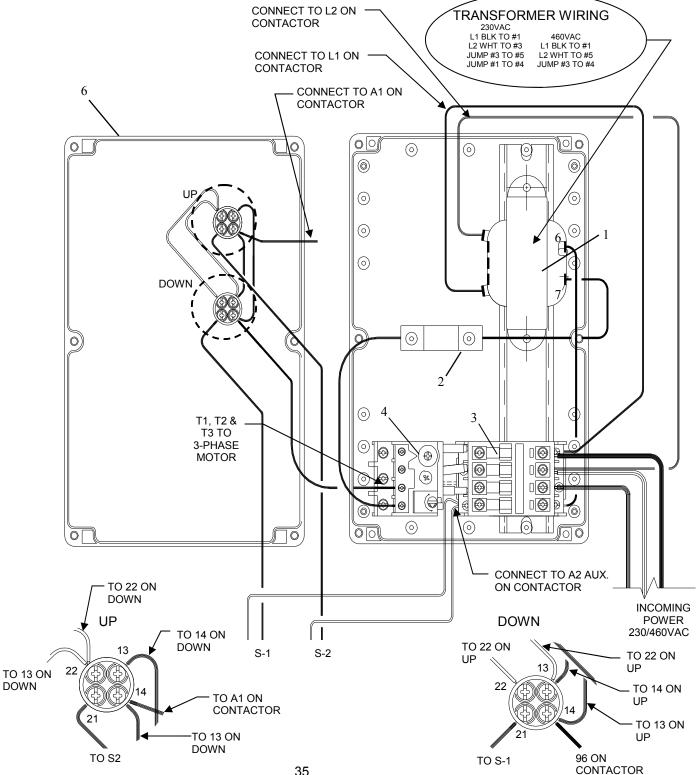
### 230/460V, 3-PHASE, 50/60 Hz, (WALL MOUNT PUSH BUTTON)





PARTS- 3-PHASE ENCLOSURE ASSEMBLY

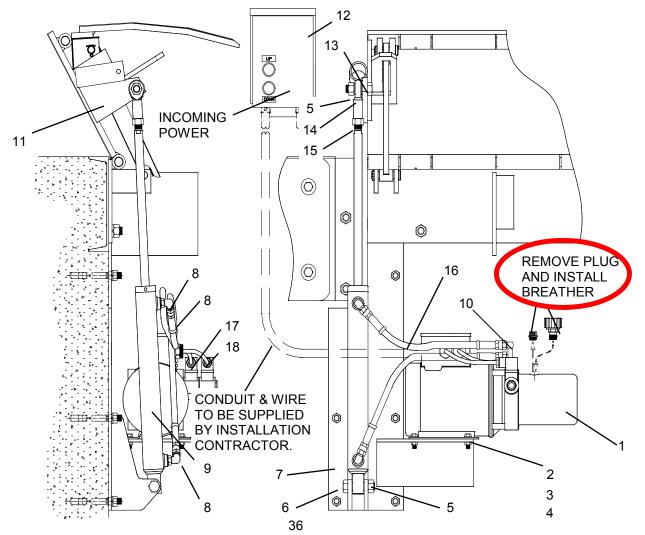
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1	1	Transformer, 24VAC secondary	10262
2	1	5 amp Fuse	46105
3	1	Contactor	063-028
4	1	Over Load (220VAC 2.8-4.0A/480VAC 1.7-2.4A)	063-031/063-030
5	1	Pushbutton	063-026
6	1	6.25"x9.50"x5.75" Nema 12 Enclosure	063-027





### PARTS 3-PHASE INSTALLED ASSEMBLY

Item	Qty.	Description	Part #
1	1	Hydraulic Power Pack, Assembly	7681DA
2	4	5/16"-18x1.00" Hh Scr Grd 5	002-054
3	4	5/16" Flat Washer	046-004
4	4	5/16"-18 Rev. Lock Nut	024-010
5	2	5/8"-11 Rev. Lock Nut	002-047
6	1	5/8"-11x2-3/4" Hh Scr Grd 5	002-045
7	1	Lower Hydraulic Cylinder Mtg. Bracket	7648DA
8	3	Elbow, 90°, #6 SAE 37° to #6 O-Ring	063-002
9	1	Hydraulic Cyl. 1-1/2" Dia. x 12" Stroke	063-001
10	1	90 degree, #6 SAE 37° to #6 O-Ring Long	063-022
11	1	Upper Hydraulic Cylinder Mtg. Bracket	7438B01
12	1	Electrical Enclosure/ Push Button	7650BA
13	1	5/8"-11x2.00" Hh Scr Grd 5	002-058
14	1	Female Plain Ball Rod End 5/8"-11	063-004
15	1	5/8"-18 Fine Thread Hex Nut Grd 8	063-005
16	2	1/4" Hydraulic Hose Assembly	7654BA
17	2	Solenoid	063-007
18	1	3-Phase Valve	063-023








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