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SAFETY

BEFORE OPERATING ENGINE

- Read entire Operating & Maintenance Instructions AND the instructions for the equipment this engine powers.*
- Failure to follow instructions could result in serious injury or death.

THESE INSTRUCTIONS CONTAIN SAFETY INFORMATION TO

- Make you aware of hazards associated with engines
- Inform you of the risk of injury associated with those hazards, and
- Tell you how to avoid or reduce the risk of injury.

The safety alert symbol (⚠️) is used to identify safety information about hazards that can result in personal injury.

A signal word (DANGER, WARNING, or CAUTION) is used with the alert symbol to indicate the likelihood and the potential severity of injury. In addition, a hazard symbol may be used to represent the type of hazard.

⚠️ DANGER
Indicates a hazard which, if not avoided, will result in death or serious injury.

⚠️ WARNING
Indicates a hazard which, if not avoided, could result in death or serious injury.

⚠️ CAUTION
Indicates a hazard which, if not avoided, might result in minor or moderate injury.

CAUTION, when used without the alert symbol, indicates a situation that could result in damage to the engine.

⚠️ WARNING
The engine exhaust from this product contains chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or other reproductive harm.

HAZARD SYMBOLS AND MEANINGS

- Fire
- Explosion
- Toxic Fumes
- Hot Surface
- Moving Parts
- Kickback
- Shock

THE INTERNATIONAL SYMBOLS USED ON THE ENGINE OR IN THIS MANUAL INCLUDE:

- Safety Alert
- Read Owner’s Manual
- Fuel
- Fuel Shutoff
- Oil
- Choke
- On Off

WARNING

- Engines give off carbon monoxide, an odorless, colorless, poison gas.
  Breathing carbon monoxide can cause nausea, fainting or death.

  - Start and run engine outdoors.
  - Do not start or run engine in enclosed area, even if doors or windows are open.

WARNING

- Rapid retraction of starter cord (kickback) will pull hand and arm toward engine faster than you can let go.
  Broken bones, fractures, bruises or sprains could result.

  - When starting engine, pull cord slowly until resistance is felt, then pull rapidly.
  - Remove all external equipment/engine loads before starting engine.
  - Direct coupled equipment components such as, but not limited to, blades, impellers, pulleys, sprockets, etc., must be securely attached.

* Briggs & Stratton does not necessarily know what equipment this engine will power. For that reason, you should carefully read and understand the operating instructions for the equipment on which your engine is placed.
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**WARNING**

Gasoline and its vapors are extremely flammable and explosive. Fire or explosion can cause severe burns or death.

**WHEN ADDING FUEL**
- Turn engine OFF and let engine cool at least 2 minutes before removing gas cap.
- Fill fuel tank outdoors or in well-ventilated area.
- Do not overfill fuel tank. Fill tank to approximately 1-1/2 inches below top of neck to allow for fuel expansion.
- Keep gasoline away from sparks, open flames, pilot lights, heat, and other ignition sources.
- Check fuel lines, tank, cap, and fittings frequently for cracks or leaks. Replace if necessary.

**WHEN STARTING ENGINE**
- Make sure spark plug, muffler, fuel cap and air cleaner are in place.
- Do not crank engine with spark plug removed.
- If fuel spills, wait until it evaporates before starting engine.
- If engine floods, set choke to OPEN/RUN position, place throttle in FAST and crank until engine starts.

**WHEN OPERATING EQUIPMENT**
- Do not tip engine or equipment at angle which causes gasoline to spill.
- Do not choke carburetor to stop engine.

**WHEN TRANSPORTING EQUIPMENT**
- Transport with fuel tank EMPTY or with fuel shut-off valve OFF.

**WHEN STORING GASOLINE OR EQUIPMENT WITH FUEL IN TANK**
- Store away from furnaces, stoves, water heaters or other appliances that have pilot light or other ignition source because they can ignite gasoline vapors.

**WARNING**

Unintentional sparking can result in fire or electric shock.
Unintentional start-up can result in entanglement, traumatic amputation, or laceration.

**BEFORE PERFORMING REPAIRS OR ADJUSTMENTS**
- Disconnect spark plug wire and keep it away from spark plug.
- Disconnect battery at negative terminal (only engines with electric start).

**WHEN TESTING FOR SPARK**
- Use approved spark plug tester.
- Do not check for spark with spark plug removed.

**WARNING**

Rotating parts can contact or entangle hands, feet, hair, clothing, or accessories.
Traumatic amputation or severe laceration can result.

- Operate equipment with guards in place.
- Keep hands and feet away from rotating parts.
- Tie up long hair and remove jewelry.
- Do not wear loose-fitting clothing, dangling drawstrings or items that could become caught.

**WARNING**

Starting engine creates sparking. Sparking can ignite nearby flammable gases. Explosion and fire could result.

- If there is natural or LP gas leakage in area, do not start engine.
- Do not use pressurized starting fluids because vapors are flammable.

**WARNING**

Replacement parts for fuel system (cap, hoses, tanks, filters, etc.) must be the same as original parts, otherwise fire can occur.

**WARNING**

DO NOT strike the flywheel with a hammer or hard object because the flywheel may later shatter during operation.

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ANIMAL

GENERAL SPECS
Model: 124432
Type: 8003-01 – Animal
8201-01 – Jr. 206
8202-01 – LO 206
8203-01 – M Series
Displacement: 12.48 Cu. in. - 205cc
Design: Slant, 30 degree Overhead Valve
Bore: 2.6875/2.6885 in.
Stroke: 2.2 in.
Compression Ratio: 8.5 to 1
Factory Timing: 29 degrees BTDC

SPECIAL TOOL REQUIREMENTS
General Model 12 Manual Part No. 276781
Flywheel Holder Tool Part No. 19433
PVL Flywheel Puller Part No. 19584

TORQUE SPECS
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<td>7mm</td>
<td>40-50 lb-in. (4.5-5.6 Nm)</td>
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<td>10mm &amp; 3/8”</td>
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<td>T27</td>
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<td>Flywheel Nut</td>
<td>15/16</td>
<td>55-75 ft-lbs. (74.5-101 Nm)</td>
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<td>5mm Allen</td>
<td>60-90 lb-in. (8-10.2 Nm)</td>
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<td>Oil Drain Plug</td>
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<td>Valve Cover</td>
<td>10mm Lower &amp; 3/8”</td>
<td>30-60 lb-in. (3.5-7 Nm)</td>
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RACING SPECIFICS
PVL™ Ignition Module Gap - .010/.014 (.15/.36mm)
Digital Rev Limiter: Max. 12,000 RPM - Part No. 555719
Max. 6,100 RPM - Part No. 555718
Max. 4,100 RPM - Part No. 555725
Recommended Oil Capacity – 14-16 oz. of Kart racing oil. We no longer recommend using automotive oil beyond break-in due to recent domestic and international changes that could adversely affect product life.

HIGHLIGHTED FEATURES
- Dual Ball-Bearing, RACING Reinforced Cylinder
- Squeeze-Cast, T-7 Treated, Racing Rod
- Ground Cam w/ Compression Release
- High-Silicon Valve Springs
- PVL™ Digital Ignition System
- Racing Only Intake Port
- Walbro™ Round -Slide Carburetor
- Dana™ Fire-Ring Head Gasket (Animal Only)
- Racing Crankshaft w/ Induction-Hardened Crankpin
- Federal Mogul™ Cam Ground, Barrel-Faced Piston
- Chrome-Faced, Racing Ring Package
- Nitrited Dished Exhaust Valve
- Automotive 3-Piece Valve Retainer System
- Beefy Rocker Arm Stud Nuts

ANIMAL - Horsepower / Torque Curves

RACING SPECS

OPTIONAL PERFORMANCE PARTS
High - G/Force Breather Bypass System - Part No. 555688
Magnetic Drain Plug - Part No. 691663
Gearbox Splined Crankshaft - Part No. 555722
6-1 Gearbox Complete - Part No. 555721 (page 9)
Electric Starter Kit - Part No. 555703
Fuel filter - Part No. 394358B
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**ANIMAL cylinder assembly**

(Engine Model Series 124432)

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- 555668 High-G/Force Bypass Assembly
  - (Optional, also includes 691890 Rocker Cover Gasket)

- 555660 Piston Assembly
  - (Std.)
  - 555661 Piston Assembly
  - (.10" Over)
  - 555662 Piston Assembly
  - (.20" Over)
  - 555663 Piston Assembly
  - (.30" Over)

- 555664 Ring Set
  - (Std.)
  - 555665 Ring Set
  - (.10" Over)
  - 555666 Ring Set
  - (.20" Over)
  - 555667 Ring Set
  - (.30" Over)

- 55513 Ring Set
  - (.10" Over - contains 10 Top Rings)
  - 55514 Ring Set
  - (.20" Over - contains 10 Top Rings)
  - 55515 Ring Set
  - (.30" Over - contains 10 Top Rings)

- 557137 Crankshaft

- 555626 Connecting Rod

- 699483 Screw
  - (Cylinder Shield - M4 x .7)

- 699485 Crankcase Gasket

- 691664 Hex Head 1" Screw
  - (Connecting Rod - Animal/206)

- 791784 Hex Head 1 1/4" Screw
  - (Connecting Rod - World Formula)

- 557137 Crankshaft

- 555626 Connecting Rod

- 695087 Timing Gear

- 692517 Bearing

- 281658s Oil Fill Cap

- 699478 Hex Washer Head Metric Screw
  - (Crankcase Cover/Sump - M7 x 1)

- 699483 Screw

- 699485 Crankcase Gasket

- 692550 Oil Seal
  - (PTO Side)

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*Included with 555705 Cylinder Assembly*  
(Includes all parts shown)

**Included with Respective Piston Assembly**  
(Includes all parts shown)

**Included with 557137 Crankshaft**

**Included with 555706 Crankcase Cover**
ANIMAL head assembly
(Engine Model Series 124432)

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692557 Hex Washer Head Screw
(Rocker Cover Top & Sides)

694543 Rocker Arm Adjuster*

694544 Rocker Arm Stud*

699230 Hex Washer Head Metric Screw
(Cylinder Head Plate - M6 x 1)

691343 Push Rod Guide*

698214 Cylinder Head Plate*

694088 Cylinder Head Plate Gasket*

699482 Hex Washer Head Metric Screw*
(Cylinder Head - M8 x 1.25)

699481 Hex Washer Head Metric Screw
(Rocker Cover Bottom - M6 x 1)

555679 Rocker Cover (Black)

499924 Rocker Cover (Silver)

691890 Rocker Cover Gasket*

555711 Rocker Arm* with Logo

555550 Valve Retainer*

26826 Valve Spring* (Intake & Exhaust)

555690 Heat Disperser (Optional)

491055s Spark Plug
(Champion RC12YC)

557118 Valve Guide Bushing* (Standard)

555645 Valve Guide Bushing* (.002" Over)

555635 Cylinder Head Assembly

555698 Cylinder Head Gasket* (Fire Ring)

555723 Cylinder Head Gasket
(Standard - LO 206 Engines)

555551 Intake Valve*

555552 Exhaust Valve*

*Included with 555635 Cylinder Head Assembly
**Briggs & Stratton Racing**

**ANIMAL control bracket & gasket sets**
(Engine Model Series 124432)

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**699479 MetricScrew**
(Control Panel - M6 x 1)

**555699 Control Panel**

**699485 Crankcase Gasket**
*Included with 555631 Engine Gasket Set*

**299819s Oil Seal**
(Magneto Side)

**692550 Oil Seal**
(PTO Side)

**555698 Cylinder Head Gasket**
(Fire Ring)

**691885 Intake Gasket**
*+ Included with 555636 Valve Gasket Set*

**694088 Cylinder Head Plate Gasket**
*+ Included with 555636 Valve Gasket Set*

**557028 Starting Switch**

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**808656 Fuel Pump**
(Standard on LO 206, Optional on Other Models)

**793379 Stop Wire**
(Used on Type No. 8003)

**692602 Stop Wire**
(Rocker Switch, Used on Type No. 8001 & 8002)

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**793379 Stop Wire**
(Used on Type No. 8003)

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**555715 – Sealed Shortblock**

**555726 – Carburetor Locking Cap**

**555728 – Walbro Junior Throttle Slide**

**555729 Green Air Filter**

**555727 – Max-Torque Clutch, 3/4” crank, 17 tooth, 35 chain**

**555718 – 206 Ignition Module, 6,100 rpm limiter**

**555725 – Junior PVL Ignition Module, 4,100 rpm limiter**

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**206 PARTS**
ANIMAL gear reduction unit
(Engine Model Series 124432)

555721 Complete Gearbox (minus crankshaft)
555722 Splined Racing Crankshaft

Vented Oil Fill Plug
Position Important:
The vented oil fill plug in the cover must mount in the 12 o'clock position.

IMPORTANT
Engine seal must be removed before installing this gearbox.