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PARTS BOOK

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QUICK REFERENCE GUIDE TO MAJOR SECTIONS

BASIC ENGINE

LUBRICATION SYSTEM

COOLING SYSTEM

INTAKE &
EXHAUST SYSTEM

FUEL SYSTEM
& GOVERNOR

STARTING &
ELECTRICAL SYSTEM

SERVICE EQUIPMENT
AND SUPPLIES

ENGINE IDENTIFICATION Caterpillar engines are identified with **SERIAL NUMBERS** and **ARRANGEMENT NUMBERS**. In some cases **MODIFICATION NUMBERS** are also used. These numbers are shown on the serial number plate mounted on the engine. The Specification Section at the back of this Parts Book indicates the location of the serial number plate.

Caterpillar dealers need all of these numbers to determine which components were included on the engine when it was assembled at the factory. This permits accurate identification of replacement part numbers.

ORDERING PARTS Quality Caterpillar Replacement parts are available from Caterpillar dealers throughout the world. Their parts stocks are up to date and include all parts normally required to protect your investment in Caterpillar engines. When ordering parts, your order should specify the quantity, part number, part name and the serial number, arrangement number and modification number of the engine for which the parts are needed. If in doubt about the part number, please provide your dealer with a complete description of the needed item.

HOW TO USE THE PARTS BOOK Caterpillar Parts Books include illustrations of the groups or assemblies which make up the engine. These illustrations show the standard components plus many of the attachments available for the engine.

The alphabetical index located in the front part of the book should be used to determine the page number on which specific illustrations are shown. Reference to those pages will identify each of the individual serviceable parts.

Captions The caption under each illustration identifies the part number and name of the group or assembly shown. If more than one illustration is included for any group, the caption identifies the specific engine serial numbers to which each illustration applies. In some cases it is not possible to determine the specific engine serial numbers to which different illustrations are applicable. In those cases the caption identifies the illustration as "First Type", "Second Type", etc. Reference to the actual group or assembly is necessary in those cases to determine which illustration should be used.

Captions provide additional information such as page numbers where illustrations of sub assemblies are shown, information regarding quantities used and other information intended to assist the user in determining parts needs.

Indented Part Names Within each illustration is a parts list identifying each serviceable part in the illustration. When a part name is indented in this list, it means that serviceable item is a part of the serviceable item under which it is indented.

Abbreviations and Symbols

▲ Used to call attention to additional information shown elsewhere within the illustration.

R.H. Right Hand Refers to the side of
L.H. Left Hand the engine as viewed
from the flywheel end.

C Indicates changes from the previous illustration of the same group or assembly.

O.D. Outside Diameter

I.D. Inside Diameter

N/S Not Serviced

Assem. Assembly

in. Inch

ft Foot

cm Centimeter

dm Decimeter

Note: Continuing improvement and advancements of product design may cause changes to your engine which may not be included in this publication. Each publication is reviewed and revised, as required, to update and include these changes in later editions.

Whenever a question arises regarding your Caterpillar product, or this publication, please consult your Caterpillar dealer for the latest available information.

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