Installation Manual Contains: M-16-13 Warnings & Safety Instructions REV. C • Requirements - Body Strength & Installed Liftgate **AUGUST 2017** Liftgate Installation Components • Liftgate Component Installation Instructions · Hydraulic Fluid Filling Instructions Decals · Hydraulic & Electrical System Diagrams Pre-delivery Inspection Form

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BMR-CS INSTALLATION MANUAL

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SUMMARY OF CHANGES: M-16-13, REVISION C

PAGE	DESCRIPTION OF CHANGE
COVER	Updated REV. and date of release.
25	Added information to check flatness of mounting plates against vehicle body before welding.
28, 31	Corrected column squareness dimensions.
55-62	Clarified instructions for grounding pump box, running charge line, and connecting battery power to pump box.
63	Removed instructions to ADD HYDRAULIC FLUID . Liftgate is shipped with hydraulic fluid. The step to OPTIMIZE FLUID LEVEL provides opportunity to add more fluid.
97	Updated coil resistance and ampere values for Bucher pump solenoid valves H, E, C & B. Removed coil pull-in values.

Comply with the following WARNINGS and SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS while installing Liftgates. See Operation Manual for operating safety requirements.

A WARNING

- Do not stand, or allow obstructions, under the platform when lowering the Liftgate. **Be sure your** feet are clear of the Liftgate.
- Keep fingers, hands, arms, legs, and feet clear of moving Liftgate parts (and platform edges) when operating the Liftgate.
- Correctly stow platform when not in use. Extended platforms could create a hazard for people and vehicles passing by.
- Make sure vehicle battery power is disconnected while installing Liftgate. Connect vehicle battery power to the Liftgate only when installation is complete or as required in the installation instructions.
- Remove all rings, watches and jewelry before doing any electrical work.
- If it is necessary to stand on the platform while operating the Liftgate, keep your feet and any objects clear of the inboard edge of the platform. Your feet or objects on the platform can become trapped between the platform and the Liftgate extension plate.
- Never perform unauthorized modifications on the Liftgate. Modifications may result in early failure
 of the Liftgate and may create hazards for Liftgate operators and maintainers.
- Recommended practices for welding on steel parts are contained in the current AWS (American Welding Society) D1.1 Structural Welding Code Steel. Damage to Liftgate and/or vehicle, and personal injury can result from welds that are done incorrectly.
- Recommended practices for welding galvanized steel are contained in the current AWS (American Welding Society) D19.0 Welding Zinc-Coated Steel. Damage to Liftgate and/or vehicle, and personal injury can result from welds that are done incorrectly.

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SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

- Read and understand the instructions in this Installation Manual before installing Liftgate.
- Before operating the Liftgate, read and understand the operating instructions in **Operation Manual**.
- Comply with all **WARNING** and instruction decals attached to the Liftgate.
- Keep decals clean and legible. If decals are illegible or missing, replace them. Free replacement decals are available from **Maxon Customer Service**.
- Consider the safety and location of bystanders and location of nearby objects when operating the Liftgate. Stand to one side of the platform while operating the Liftgate.
- Do not allow untrained persons or children to operate the Liftgate.
- Wear appropriate safety equipment such as protective eyeglasses, faceshield and clothing while
 performing maintenance on the Liftgate and handling the battery. Debris from drilling and contact
 with battery acid may injure unprotected eyes and skin.
- Be careful working by an automotive type battery. Make sure the work area is well ventilated and there are no flames or sparks near the battery. Never lay objects on the battery that can short the terminals together. If battery acid gets in your eyes, immediately seek first aid. If acid gets on your skin, immediately wash it off with soap and water.
- If an emergency situation arises (vehicle or Liftgate) while operating the Liftgate, release the control switch to stop the Liftgate.
- A correctly installed Liftgate operates smoothly and reasonably quiet. The only noticeable noise during operation comes from the power unit while the platform is raised and lowered. Listen for scraping, grating and binding noises and correct the problem before continuing to operate Liftgate.

VEHICLE REQUIREMENTS

NOTE: Installer is responsible for ensuring vehicle meets Federal, State, and Local standards and regulations.

BODY STRENGTH

A WARNING

Consult vehicle body manufacturer for vehicle body strength data. Make sure the forces created by the Liftgate are within the limits prescribed by the vehicle body manufacturer.

NOTE: Maximum operating bed height for body is 56" (Unloaded). Minimum bed height is platform depth plus 5" (Loaded). Do not install this Liftgate on vehicle bodies equipped with swing open doors.

The BMR-CS is a body-mounted Liftgate that puts forces on the side walls of truck and trailer bodies (FIG. 8-1). For correct installation, truck and trailer bodies must be strong enough to withstand the tension, compression and shear forces shown in FIG. 8-1. Use TABLES 9-1 and 9-2 on the following page to determine the forces that apply to the type of platform, size of platform, and load capacity of your Liftgate.

X= Tension on each sidewall

Y= Compression on each sidewall

Z= Shear on each sidewall

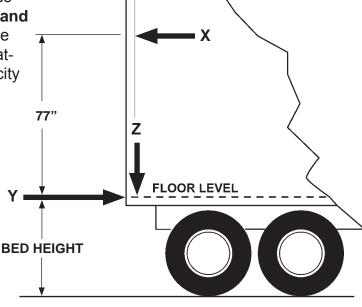


FIG. 8-1

VEHICLE REQUIREMENTS - Continued BODY STRENGTH - Continued

MODEL CAPACITY	P/F SIZE	(X)(Y) LBS.	(Z) LBS.
BMR-CS35 3500 LBS. (GALVANIZED PLATFORM)	36" & 42"	1043	3786
BMR-CS44 4400 LBS. (GLAVANIZED PLATFORM)	36" & 42"	1262	4461

TABLE 9-1

MODEL CAPACITY	P/F SIZE	(X)(Y) LBS.	(Z) LBS.
BMR-CS35 3500 LBS. (ALUMINUM STD & KNURLED PLATFORM)	36" & 42"	964	3510
BMR-CS44 4400 LBS. (ALUMINUM STD & KNURLED PLATFORM)	36" & 42"	1183	4185

TABLE 9-2

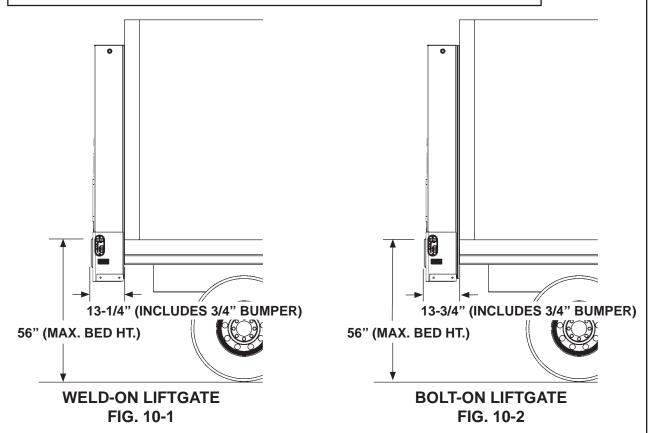
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VEHICLE REQUIREMENTS - Continued CLEARANCE DIMENSIONS

NOTE: Maximum bed height is 56" (unloaded).

Minimum bed height (loaded) varies with type and size of platform.

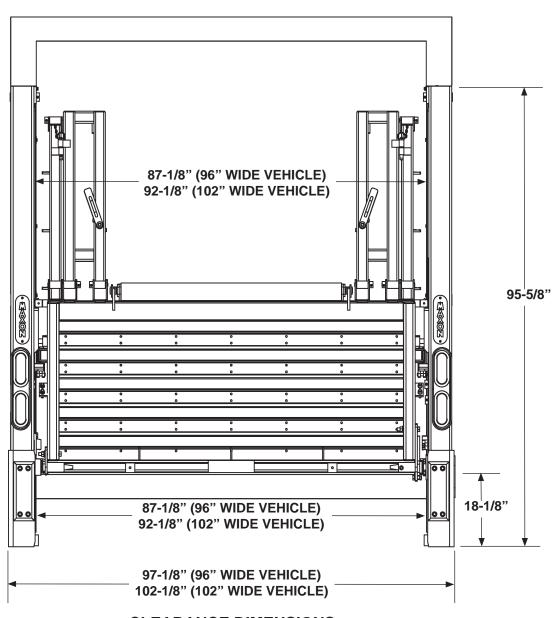
Refer to **FIGS. 10-1** & **10-2**.



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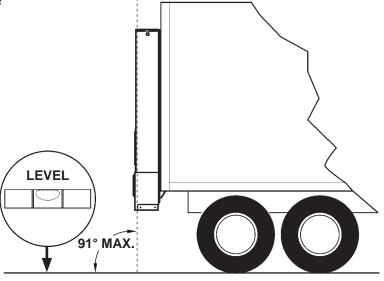


CLEARANCE DIMENSIONS FIG. 11-1

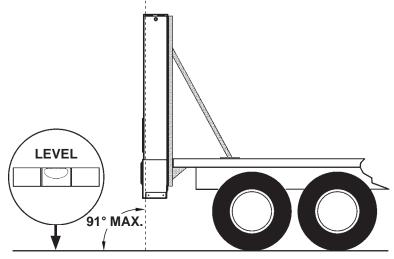
VEHICLE REQUIREMENTS - Continued **INSTALLED LIFTGATE**

NOTE: If Liftgate columns exceed a 91 degree angle from level ground when installed on body, or if columns cannot be mounted flush against rear of vehicle, a steel filler may be used to bridge gap between vehicle body and Liftgate columns. Make sure the added materials and welds meet the **BODY STRENGTH** requirements shown on the previous pages.

With the vehicle parked on level ground, the columns of the BMR-CS must be perpendicular to the ground (vertical) for the Liftgate to operate correctly (FIGS. 12-1 and 12-2).



LIFTGATE INSTALLED ON VAN BODY (COLUMNS SHOWN PERPENDICULAR TO LEVEL GROUND) FIG. 12-1



LIFTGATE INSTALLED ON FLAT BED (COLUMNS & SUP-PORTS SHOWN PERPENDICULAR TO LEVEL GROUND) FIG. 12-2

LIFTGATE INSTALLATION COMPONENTS

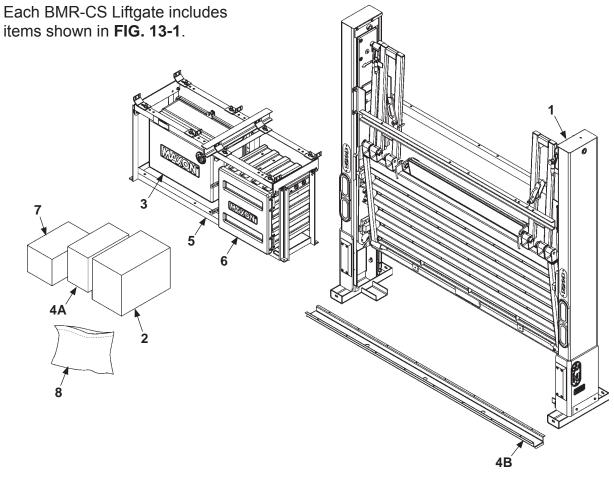


FIG. 13-1

	DESCRIPTION
1	BMR-CS Liftgate.
2	Hardware parts bag, mounting bracket parts bag, hydraulic lines & fittings, wiring harness, power cable, molded switch control box.
3	Pump box assembly.
4A	Pump installation kit (3', 10', 15', 20' or 28').
4B	Channel guard (for 10', 15', 20' or 28' installation kits only)
5	Frame for pump box with optional battery box is shown. A shorter frame is also available for mounting single pump box or an optional battery box.
6	Battery box (optional)
7	Optional equipment
8	Installation and operation manuals.

TABLE 13-1

COMPONENTS

NOTE: Make sure you have components and parts before you start installing Liftgate. Compare parts in the part box and each kit box with packing list enclosed in each box. If parts and components are missing or incorrect, call:

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BMR-CS MODEL	KIT, MANUALS	BOLT-ON INSTALLATION KIT, STAINLESS STEEL	BOLT-ON INSTALLATION KIT, STEEL	BOLT-ON INSTALLATION KIT, STEEL (BLACK)
ALL	296909-01	288875-111 (96" WIDE VEHICLE) 288875-112 (102" WIDE VEHICLE) 288875-111-150 (96" WIDE VEHICLE) 288875-112-150 (102" WIDE VEHICLE)	288875-101 (96" WIDE VEHICLE) 288875-102 (102" WIDE VEHICLE)	288875-131 (96" WIDE VEHICLE) 288875-132 (102" WIDE VEHICLE) 288875-131-150 (96" WIDE VEHICLE) 288875-132-150 (102" WIDE VEHICLE)

TABLE 14-1

BMR-CS MODEL	PART BOX	3 FT PUMP BOX INSTALL KIT	10 FT PUMP BOX INSTALL KIT	15 FT PUMP BOX INSTALL KIT	20 FT PUMP BOX INSTALL KIT	28 FT PUMP BOX INSTALL KIT
BMR-CS35 PD BMR-CS44 PD	296805-02 (WELD-ON) 296805-12 (BOLT-ON) 296805-12-150 (BOLT-ON)	297060-11	297060-12	297060-13	297060-14	297060-15
BMR-CS35 GD BMR-CS44 GD	296805-01 (WELD-ON) 296805-11 (BOLT-ON) 296805-11-150 (BOLT-ON)	297060-01	297060-02	297060-03	297060-04	297060-05

TABLE 14-2

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COMPONENTS - Continued

		OPTIONS					
BMR-CS MODEL	SINGLE PUMP ASSY	SECOND PUMP KIT	HYDRAULIC OIL UNIVIS HVI- 13	FRAME, PUMP OR BATTERY BOXES	HEADER KIT (ADJUST- ABLE)	HEADER KIT (RECESSED DOME LAMP)	
BMR-CS35 GD BMR-CS44 GD	296190-12			288180-11G SINGLE FRAME (GALVANIZED) 287980-11G		289188-11 (GALVANIZED, 96" WIDE VE-	
BMR-CS35 PD BMR-CS44 PD	296180-12	296445-12	284098-01	DUAL FRAME 2 BATT BOX (GALVANIZED) 288810-11G DUAL FRAME 3 BATT BOX (GALVANIZED	289190-02 (GALVANIZED)	HICLE) 289188-12 (GALVANIZED, 102" WIDE VEHICLE)	

TABLE 15-1

BMR-CS	OPTIONS					
MODEL	DOME LAMP RECESSED MOUNT	DOME TIMER SWITCH	AUXILIARY CONTROL	HAND HELD CONTROL	CYCLE COUNTER	
BMR-CS35 GD BMR-CS44 GD	906589-01-100 (ONLY FOR HEADER KITS WITH RECESSED MOUNTS FOR DOME LAMPS)	295880-01 3' REACH 295880-02 20' REACH	297080-11	296169-01	289537-01	
BMR-CS35 PD BMR-CS44 PD			297080-12			

TABLE 15-2

COMPONENTS - Continued

DMD 00			OPTIONS			
BMR-CS MODEL	POWER & GROUND CABLES	CONSPICUITY (REFLECTIVE) TAPE	PUMP PRESSURE GAUGE	STREET SIDE CONTROL KIT	CAB CUTOFF SWITCH (TRUCK ONLY)	
BMR-CS35 GD BMR-CS44 GD BMR-CS55 GD BMR-CS66 GD	295263-01 BASIC INSTALLATION	295261-01	295895-01	297080-01	297077-01	
BMR-CS35 PD BMR-CS44 PD BMR-CS55 PD BMR-CS66 PD	295263-11 EXTENDED INSTALLATION			297080-02		

TABLE 16-1

	BATTERY BOX & CHARGING OPTIONS				
BMR-CS MODEL	BATTERY BOX (BATTERIES NOT INCLUDED)	BATTERY 12V, 1150 CCA, BCI GROUP 31	BATTERY BOX MOUNTING FRAME	TRUCK CHARGE LINE	
BMR-CS35 BMR-CS44	269560-01 2 BATTERIES 289988-01 2 BATTERIES (INCLUDES DC-DC CONVERTER) 269950-01 3 BATTERIES 289988-02 BATTERIES (INCLUDES DC-DC CONVERTER)	907086	287990-01G SINGLE GALVANIZED FRAME FOR 2 BATTERIES 287929-01G SINGLE GALVANIZED FRAME FOR 3 BATTERIES	280290	

TABLE 16-2

COMPONENTS - Continued

	BATTERY BOX & CHARGING OPTIONS			
BMR-CS MODEL	2/0 AWG CABLE TRUCK CHARGE LINE	TRAILER CHARGE LINE FOR USE WITHOUT TRAIL CHARGER	TRACTOR CHARGE LINE FOR USE WITH OR WITHOUT TRAIL CHARGER	
		280275-01 SINGLE POLE		
		280275-02 DUAL POLE	280275-03 SINGLE POLE	
BMR-CS35 BMR-CS44	285860-01	280275-06 SINGLE/DUAL POLE FOR NOSE BOX	280275-04 DUAL POLE	
		280275-08 1/0 AWG DUAL POLE WITH SINGLE NOSE BOX	280275-05 SINGLE & DUAL POLE	

TABLE 17-1

	DIRECT TRAIL CHARGER OPTIONS			
BMR-CS MODEL	DIRECT WITH DUAL POLE CON- NECTIONS	DIRECT, DUAL COMBINATION CON- NECTIONS	DIRECT, 7-WAY CONNEC- TIONS	DIRECT, REFRIGERATED OR STRAIGHT TRUCK CONNECTIONS
BMR-CS35 BMR-CS44	295219-01 (DIRECT-01)	295220-01 (DIRECT-02)	295211-01 (DIRECT-03)	295972-01 (DIRECT-04)

TABLE 17-2

	SELECT TRAIL CHARGER OPTIONS				
BMR-CS MODEL	SELECT WITH REFRIGERATED & DUAL POLE CONNECTIONS	SELECT WITH DUAL POLE & 7-WAY CONNEC- TIONS	SELECT WITH DUAL COMBINATION & 7-WAY CONNECTIONS	SELECT WITH DUAL COMBINATION, REFRIGER- ATED & 7-WAY CONNECTIONS	
BMR-CS35 BMR-CS44	295210-01 (SELECT-21)	295217-01 (SELECT-24)	295218-01 (SELECT-25)	296170-01 (SELECT-32)	

TABLE 17-3

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COMPONENTS - Continued

	MISCELLANEOUS OPTIONS				
BMR-CS MODEL	200 AMP CIRCUIT BREAKER KIT	150 AMP CIRCUIT BREAKER KIT	BATTERY BOX LOCK KIT (SINGLE FRAME)	BATTERY BOX LOCK KIT (DUAL FRAME)	
BMR-CS35 BMR-CS44	296504-200 (WITHOUT BATTERY BOX)	296504-150 (FOR TRUCK AP- PLICATION & AUX- ILIARY BATTERY)	295245-02G (BATTERY BOX IN- STALLED IN SINGLE FRAME)	295245-01G (BATTERY BOX IN- STALLED IN DUAL FRAME WITH PUMP BOX)	

TABLE 18-1

BMR-CS	MISCELLANEOUS OPTIONS			
MODEL	DIRECT / SELECT BYPASS	MANUAL HOLDER	BATTERY STATE OF CHARGE INDICATOR	
BMR-CS35 BMR-CS44	295221-01 (BYPASSES TRAIL CHARGER OR DISCONNECTS BATTERIES FROM CHARGING SYSTEM)	286328-01 (INSTALLS IN BAT- TERY BOX)	908171-01-100 (INSTALLS ON BATTERY BOX)	

TABLE 18-2

STEP 1 - PREPARE VEHICLE IF REQUIRED

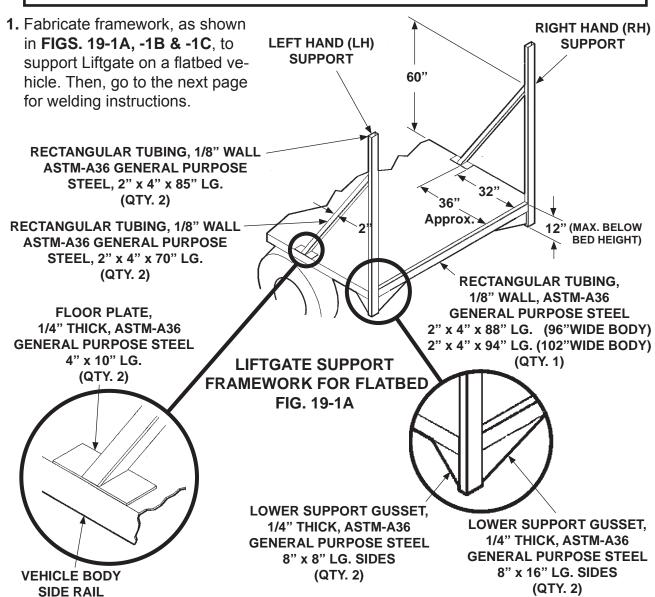
NOTE: Perform the following step for flatbed vehicle body only. If vehicle body is not a flatbed, skip this step.

NOTE: LH and RH supports must be perpendicular to level ground. **See VEHICLE REQUIREMENTS, INSTALLED LIFTGATE.**

NOTE: Materials for support framework are not provided with Liftgate.

A WARNING

Recommended practices for welding on steel parts are contained in the current AWS (American Welding Society) D1.1 Structural Welding Code - Steel. Damage to Liftgate and/or vehicle, and personal injury can result from welds that are done incorrectly.

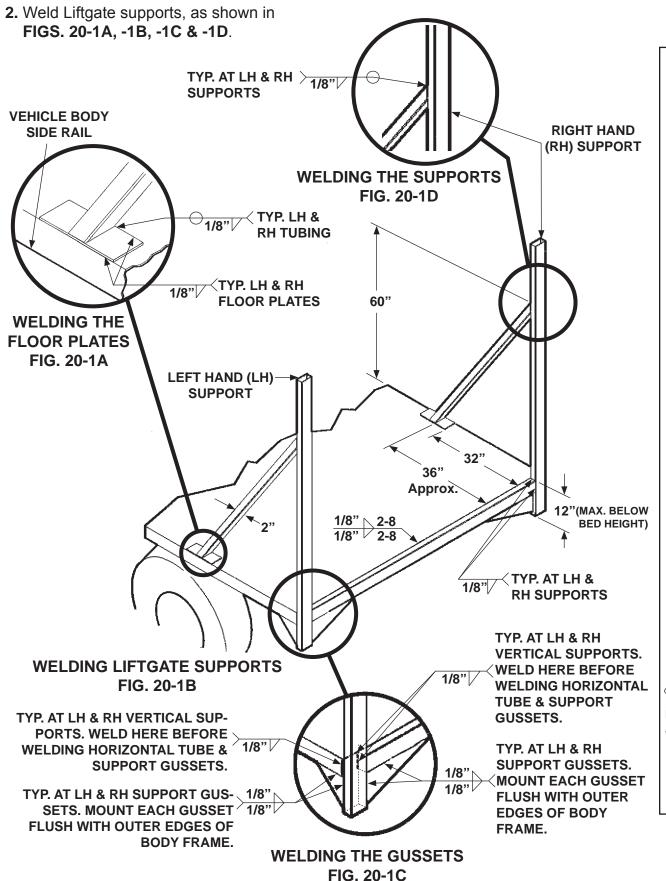


POSITIONING FLOOR PLATE FIG. 19-1B

POSITIONING GUSSETS FIG. 19-1C

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STEP 1 - PREPARE VEHICLE IF REQUIRED - Continued



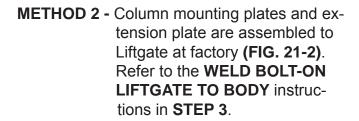
STEP 2 - CHOOSE METHOD OF INSTALLATION

NOTE: MAXON recommends pre-installing the extension plate and mounting plates on the vehicle body before installing the Liftgate.

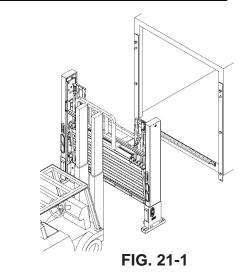
NOTE: In METHOD 1, the extension plate and mounting plates come separate as part of the bolt-on installation kit.

Three methods for mounting a BMR-CS Liftgate on a vehicle body are covered in this manual.

METHOD 1 - Column mounting plates and extension plate can be welded to vehicle body before bolting on the Liftgate (FIG. 21-1). Refer to the PRE-INSTALL MOUNT ING PLATES AND EXTENSION PLATE ON VEHICLE instructions in STEP 3.



METHOD 3 - Liftgate equipped with extension plate can be welded to vehicle body (FIG. 21-3). Refer to the WELD LIFTGATE TO BODY instructions in STEP 3.



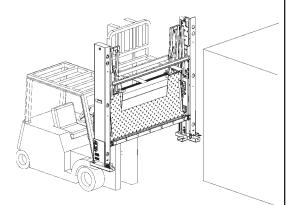
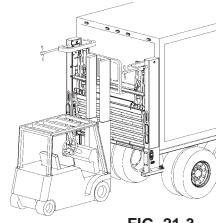


FIG. 21-2

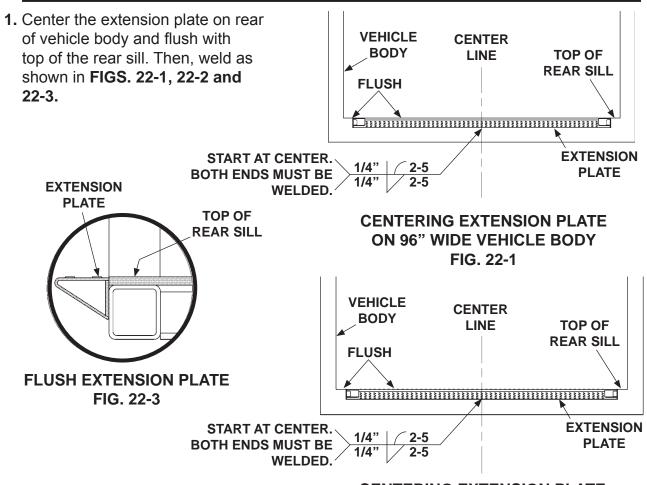


STEP 3 - POSITION LIFTGATE

METHOD 1 - PRE-INSTALL MOUNTING PLATES AND **EXTENSION PLATE ON VEHICLE**

A WARNING

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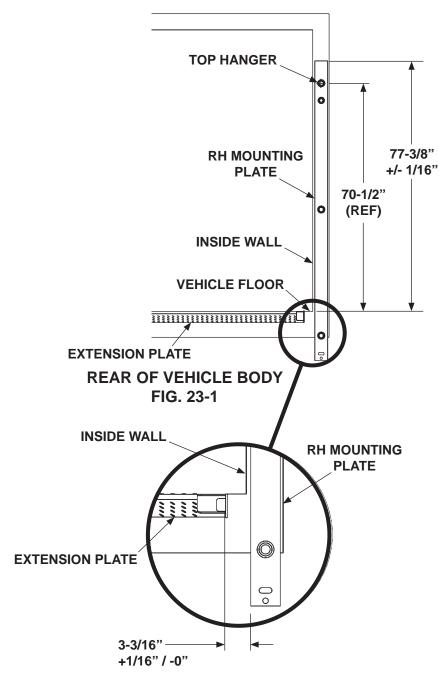


CENTERING EXTENSION PLATE ON 102" WIDE VEHICLE BODY FIG. 22-2

METHOD 1 - PRE-INSTALL MOUNTING PLATES AND EXTENSION PLATE ON VEHICLE - Continued

NOTE: Distance between extension plate and RH mounting plate is measured from the inside edge of mounting plate as shown in illustration.

2. Position RH mounting plate as shown in FIGS. 23-1 and 23-1A.



RH MOUNTING PLATE FIG. 23-1A

METHOD 1 - PRE-INSTALL MOUNTING PLATES AND EXTENSION PLATE ON VEHICLE - Continued

NOTE: Installer can use either set of dimensions shown in **FIG. 24-1** to install RH mounting plate. The first set of dimensions is taken from the center of each hanger, and the second set of dimensions is taken from the inner edge of the mounting plates.

3. Position LH mounting plate on vehicle body as shown in **FIGS. 24-1, 24-1A, and 24-1B**.

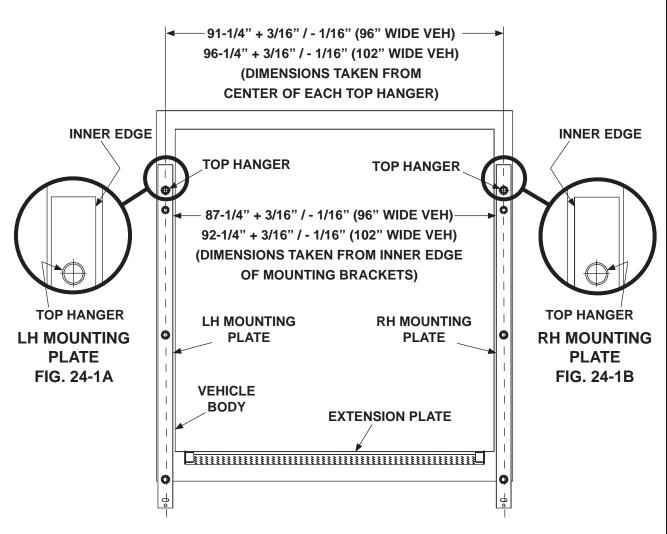
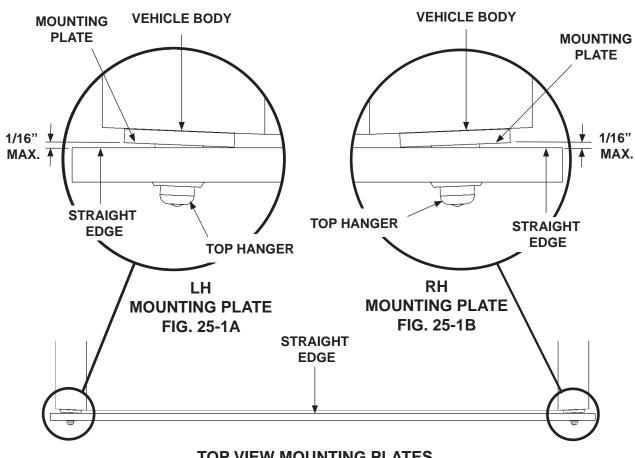


FIG. 24-1

METHOD 1 - PRE-INSTALL MOUNTING PLATES AND EXTENSION PLATE ON VEHICLE - Continued

NOTE: Before welding mounting plates to vertical posts on vehicle body, check to make sure LH and RH mounting plates are positioned within dimensions shown in FIGS. 25-1A and 25-1B.

4. Place a straight edge across LH and RH mounting plates (FIG. 25-1). Ensure that any gap between the mounting plates and straight edge (FIGS. 25-1A and 25-1B) are less than 1/16" maximum.

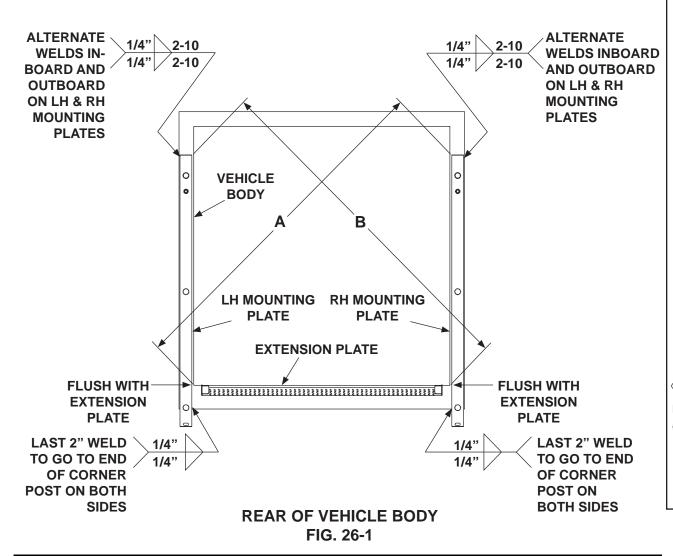


TOP VIEW MOUNTING PLATES FIG. 25-1

METHOD 1 - PRE-INSTALL MOUNTING PLATES AND EXTENSION PLATE ON VEHICLE - Continued

NOTE: Before welding mounting plates to vehicle frame, check squareness to make sure mounting plates are perpendicular to extension plate.

- 5. Check to make sure mounting plates are square and perpendicular to the extension plate by measuring dimensions A and B as shown in FIG. 26-1. Squareness is acceptable when dimensions A and B are within 1/4" of each other.
- **6.** Weld RH mounting plate onto vehicle body **(FIG. 26-1)**, then weld LH mounting plate onto vehicle body.



GO TO STEP 4: BOLT LIFTGATE TO VEHICLE

STEP 3 - POSITION LIFTGATE - Continued METHOD 2 - WELD BOLT-ON LIFTGATE TO BODY A WARNING

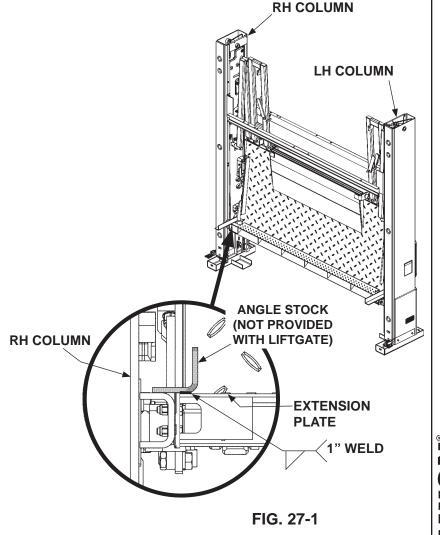
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CAUTION

Comply with welding CAUTION decal on the LH column.

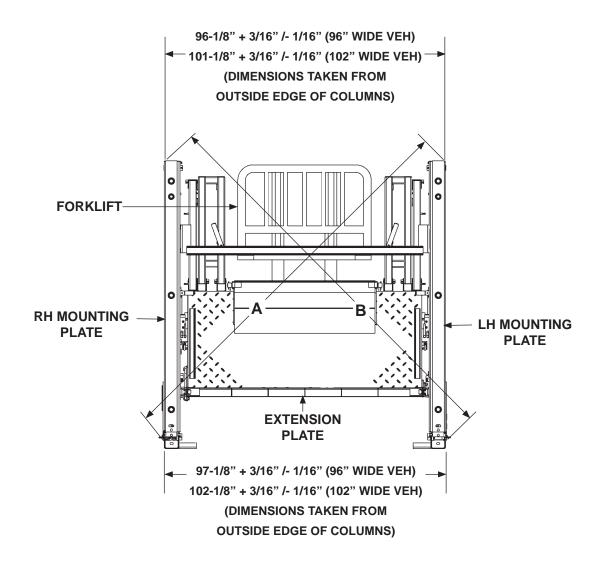
1. Weld 2 pieces of 10" X 2" angle stock to the top surface of the extension plate near the RH column as shown in **FIG. 27-1.** Repeat for LH column. The angle stock helps keep extension plate flush with top of vehicle bed while installing Liftgate.



STEP 3 - POSITION LIFTGATE - Continued METHOD 2 - WELD BOLT-ON LIFTGATE TO BODY - Continued

NOTE: Before welding Liftgate to vehicle frame, check squareness to make sure columns are perpendicular to extension plate.

2. Check to make sure RH and LH columns are square and perpendicular to the extension plate by measuring dimensions at the top and bottom of the columns, and dimensions A and B, as shown in FIG. 28-1. Squareness is acceptable when dimensions A and B are within 1/4" of each other, and top and bottom column dimensions are as shown in FIG. 28-1.



CHECKING IF COLUMNS ARE SQUARE (REAR OF LIFTGATE SHOWN) FIG. 28-1

METHOD 2 - WELD BOLT-ON LIFTGATE TO BODY - Continued

- Use overhead hoist or fork lift to center Liftgate against the vehicle (FIG. 29-1). Let angle stock, welded to extension plate, rest on the top surface of the vehicle bed.
- **4.** Clamp top of each column to vehicle body to prevent gap **(FIG. 29-1)**.

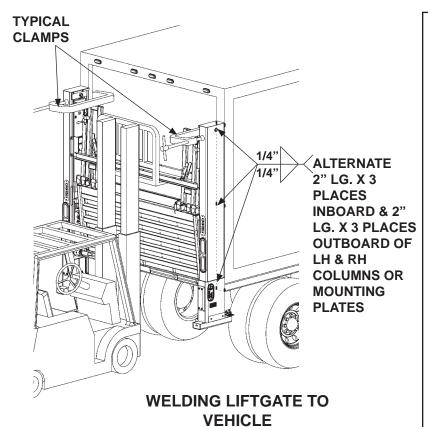


FIG. 29-1

CAUTION

To prevent damage to Liftgate:

- Connect welder ground to vehicle body.
- Protect hydraulic hoses and electrical cables with flame-resistant cover.
- Weld the RH and LH columns to vehicle body as shown in FIG. 29-1.
- **6.** Remove clamp from each of the columns. Then, move forklift away from work area.
- Check to make sure RH and LH columns are square and perpendicular to the extension plate (FIG. 27-1).

GO TO STEP 5: REMOVE LOWER SUPPORT FIXTURES

STEP 3 - POSITION LIFTGATE - Continued METHOD 3 - WELD LIFTGATE TO BODY

A WARNING

Recommended practices for welding on steel parts are contained in the current AWS (American Welding Society) D1.1 Structural Welding Code - Steel. Damage to Liftgate and/or vehicle, and personal injury, can result from welds that are done incorrectly.

NOTE: Before welding extension plate to vehicle body, make sure:

- Inboard edge of extension plate is flush with the top of sill on vehicle body.
- Top surface of extension plate is level with the ground.

CAUTION

Comply with welding CAUTION decal on the LH column.

1. Weld 2 pieces of 10" X 2" angle stock to the top surface of the extension plate near the RH column as shown in **FIG. 30-1.** Repeat for LH column. The angle stock helps keep extension plate flush with top of vehicle bed while installing Liftgate.

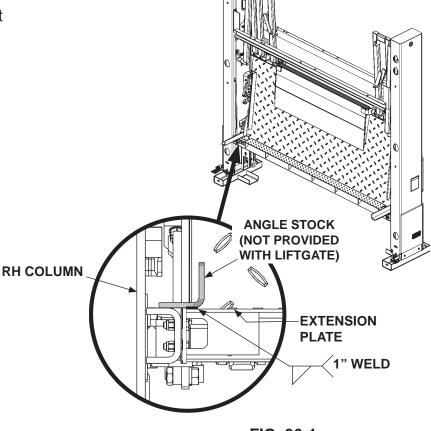
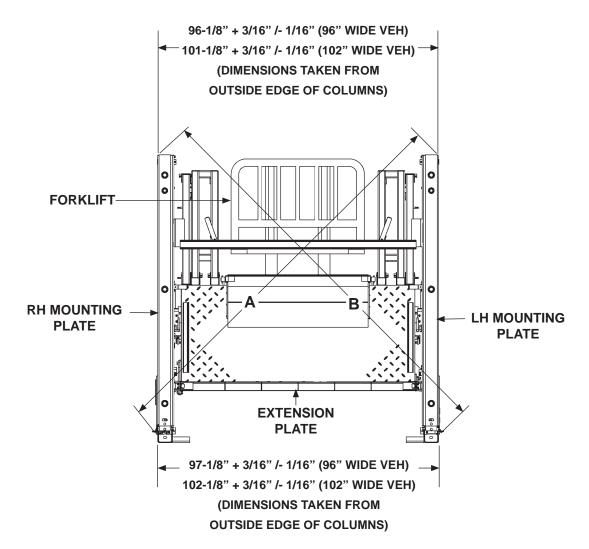


FIG. 30-1

STEP 3 - POSITION LIFTGATE - Continued METHOD 3 - WELD LIFTGATE TO BODY - Continued

NOTE: Before welding Liftgate to vehicle frame, check squareness to make sure columns are perpendicular to extension plate.

2. Check to make sure RH and LH columns are square and perpendicular to the extension plate by measuring dimensions at the top and bottom of the columns, and dimensions A and B, as shown in FIG. 31-1. Squareness is acceptable when dimensions A and B are within 1/4" of each other, and top and bottom column dimensions are as shown in FIG. 31-1.



CHECKING IF COLUMNS ARE SQUARE (REAR OF LIFTGATE SHOWN) FIG. 31-1

STEP 3 - POSITION LIFTGATE - Continued **METHOD 3 - WELD LIFTGATE TO BODY - Continued**

- 3. Use overhead hoist or forklift to center Liftgate against the vehicle (FIG. 32-1). Let angle stock, welded to extension plate, rest on the top surface of the vehicle bed.
- 4. Clamp top of each column to vehicle body to prevent gap (FIG. 32-1).

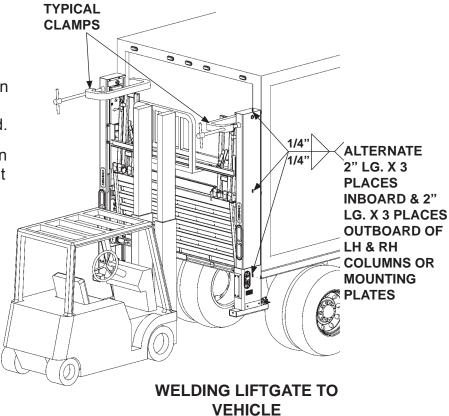


FIG. 32-1

CAUTION

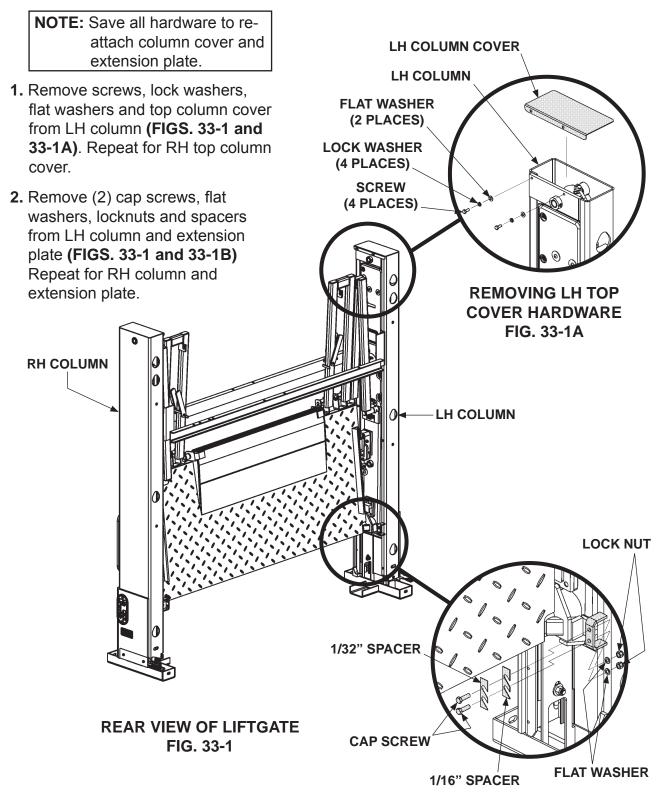
To prevent damage to Liftgate:

- Connect welder ground to vehicle body.
- Protect hydraulic hoses and electrical cables with flame-resistant cover.
- 5. Weld the RH and LH columns to vehicle body as shown in FIG. 32-1.
- 6. Remove clamp from each of the columns. Then, move forklift away from work area.
- 7. Check to make sure RH and LH columns are square and perpendicular to the extension plate (FIG. 30-1).

GO TO STEP 5: REMOVE LOWER SUPPORT FIXTURES

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STEP 4 - BOLT LIFTGATE TO VEHICLE METHOD 1 - PRE-INSTALLED MOUNTING PLATES & EXTENSION PLATE ON VEHICLE



REMOVING LH EXTENSION PLATE HARDWARE FIG. 33-1B

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STEP 4 - BOLT LIFTGATE TO VEHICLE - Continued METHOD 1 - PRE-INSTALLED MOUNTING PLATES & EXTENSION PLATE ON VEHICLE - Continued

NOTE: If the rear of the vehicle & Liftgate mounting plates are galvanized, make sure: Bolts are removed from top hanger **COVER BOLTS** Bolt & cover are removed from hanger lock 3. Check if the Liftgate mounting plates and rear of vehicle are galvanized (FIG. 34-1). If galvanized, remove 2 bolts from top hanger on the RH mounting plate (FIG. 34-1). Then, remove screw and cover from hanger lock (FIG. 34-1). Repeat for LH mounting plate. **CAP SCREW HANGER LOCK** LH MOUNTING **PLATE RH MOUNTING PLATE** LIFTGATE MOUNTING **PLATES**

FIG. 34-1

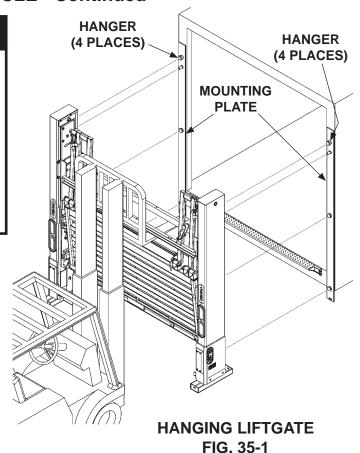
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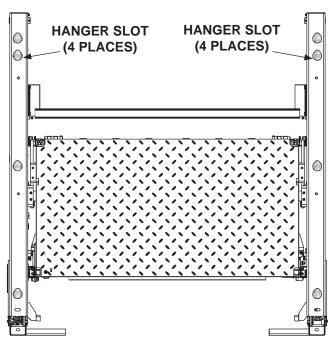
STEP 4 - BOLT LIFTGATE TO VEHICLE - Continued METHOD 1 - PRE-INSTALL MOUNTING PLATES AND EXTENSION PLATE ON VEHICLE - Continued

A WARNING

Tighten top hanger bolts on the columns while the Liftgate is supported by forklift. Loose hanger bolts could allow the Liftgate to disengage from the hangers and fall off the vehicle when platform is lowered to the ground. Serious personal injury and equipment damage could result.

4. Hang liftgate on the mounting plates by inserting hangers into hanger slots (FIGS. 35-1 and 35-2).





REAR VIEW OF LIFTGATE FIG. 35-2

STEP 4 - BOLT LIFTGATE TO VEHICLE - Continued METHOD 1 - PRE-INSTALL MOUNTING PLATES AND EXTENSION PLATE ON VEHICLE - Continued

TOP HANGER 5. Slightly loosen support channel cap screws on the LH column (FIGS. 36-1 and 36-1A) to allow column slots to sit on top hangers and mounting pins (FIG. 36-1B). Repeat for RH column. COLUMN **SLOTS MOUNTING PIN** FIG. 36-1B **LH COLUMN CAP SCREW CAP SCREW LH COLUMN SUPPORT CHANNEL** LOOSENING LH SUPPORT CHANNELS

FIG. 36-1

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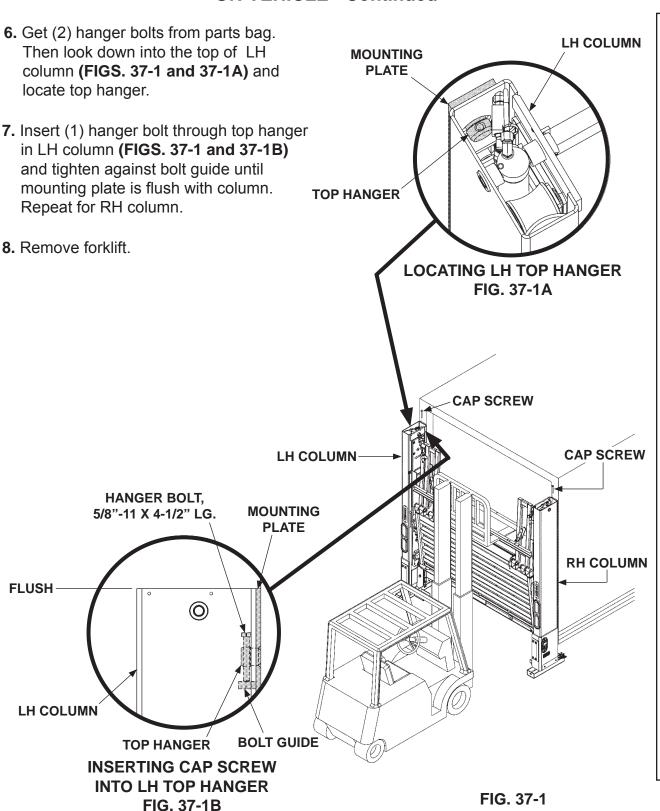
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FIG. 36-1A

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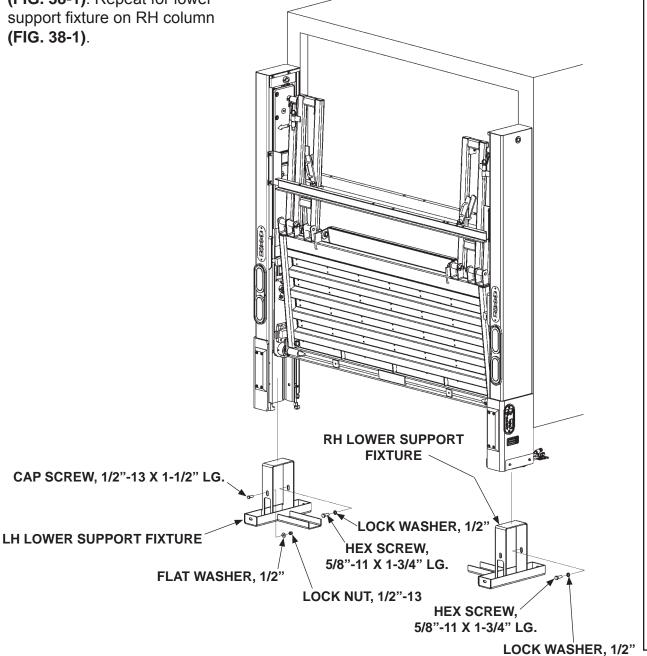
STEP 4 - BOLT LIFTGATE TO VEHICLE - Continued METHOD 1 - PRE-INSTALL MOUNTING PLATES AND EXTENSION PLATE ON VEHICLE - Continued



STEP 5 - REMOVE LOWER SUPPORT FIXTURES

NOTE: Use short wrenches for unbolting lower support fixtures.

1. Unbolt and remove lower support fixture from LH column (FIG. 38-1). Repeat for lower support fixture on RH column (FIG. 38-1).



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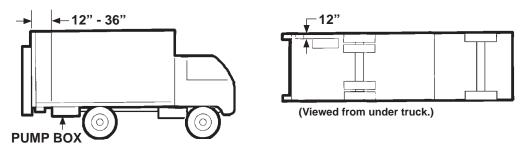
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REMOVING LOWER SUPPORT FIXTURES FIG. 38-1

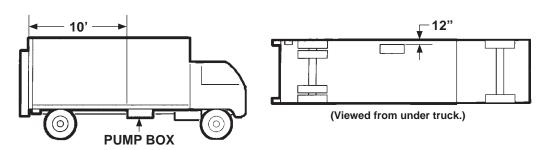
STEP 6 - POSITION PUMP BOX FRAME

NOTE: Make sure pump box is closer to Liftgate than battery box (if installed) and pump box cover opens toward curb-side of vehicle. Also, make sure hydraulic hoses are installed without straining hoses. Distance from pump box to Liftgate is limited by lengths of hydraulic hoses and wiring harness supplied with Liftgate.

Position pump box frame (or optional battery box) on the ground where it will be welded to vehicle body in the next step. Make sure pump box (and battery box if supplied) are securely bolted to the frame. Typical installations are shown in FIGS. 39-1, 39-2, 40-1, 40-2 and 40-3.

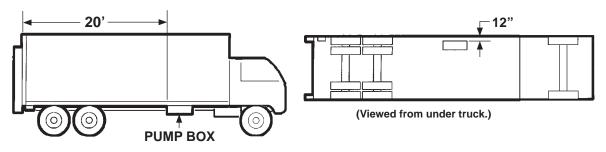


TYPICAL 3 FT. INSTALLATION FIG. 39-1

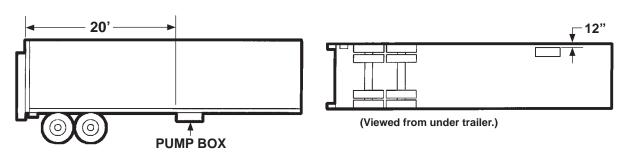


TYPICAL 10 FT. INSTALLATION FIG. 39-2

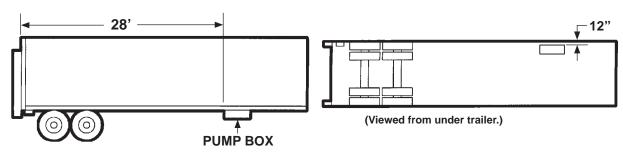
STEP 6 - POSITION PUMP BOX FRAME - Continued



TYPICAL 20 FT. INSTALLATION FIG. 40-1



TYPICAL 20 FT. INSTALLATION FIG. 40-2



TYPICAL 28 FT. INSTALLATION FIG. 40-3

STEP 7 - ATTACH PUMP & BATTERY BOX FRAME TO VEHICLE

NOTE: There are 2 methods to mount pump and battery box frame to vehicle frame.

- Bolt pump and battery box frame to hanger brackets welded to vehicle frame.
- Weld pump and battery box frame to vehicle frame.
- 1. Use floor jack or equivalent lifting device to place pump and battery box frame in position on vehicle body cross members as shown in FIG. 41-1. **VEHICLE BODY CROSS MEMBERS PUMP & BATTERY BOX FRAME**

TRAILER WITH PUMP & BATTERY BOX FRAME FIG. 41-1

NOTE: If pump and battery box frame is to be welded directly to cross members on vehicle body, skip **instructions 2 through 4**. Continue with **instruction 5**.

STEP 7 - ATTACH PUMP & BATTERY BOX FRAME TO VEHICLE - Continued

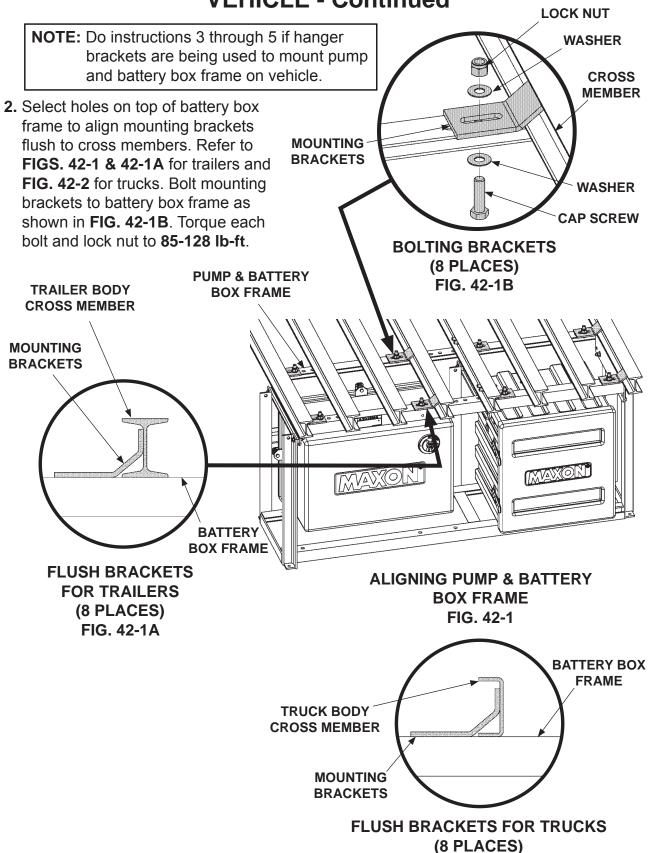


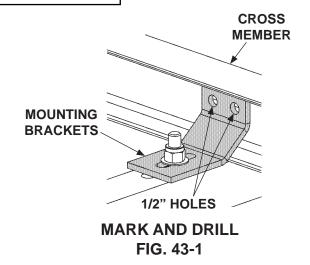
FIG. 42-2

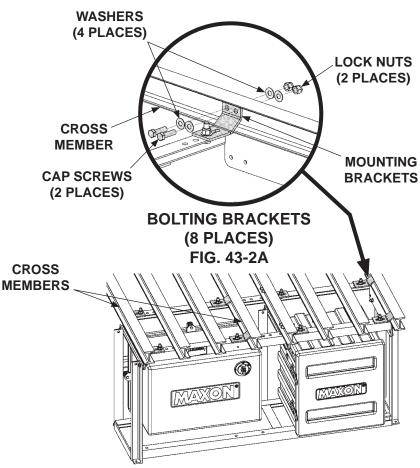
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STEP 7 - ATTACH PUMP & BATTERY BOX FRAME TO VEHICLE - Continued

NOTE: If welding mounting brackets to cross members, skip **instruction 3**.

3. Using mounting brackets as a template mark and drill holes through cross members (FIG. 43-1). Bolt mounting brackets to cross members as shown in FIGS. 43-2 and 43-2A. Torque bolts and lock nuts to 85-128 lb-ft.





BOLTING PUMP & BATTERY BOX FRAME FIG. 43-2

STEP 7 - ATTACH PUMP & BATTERY BOX FRAME TO **VEHICLE - Continued**

A WARNING

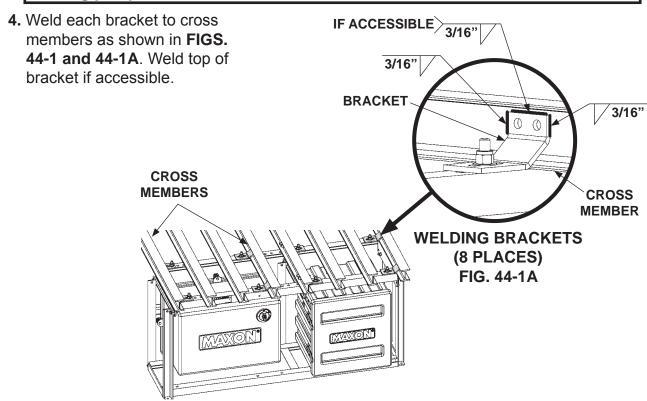
Recommended practices for welding on steel parts are contained in the current AWS (American Welding Society) D1.1 Structural Welding Code - Steel. Damage to Liftgate and/or vehicle, and personal injury can result from welds that are done incorrectly.

CAUTION

To prevent pump box components from being damaged by electric current from welding, connect welder grounding cable to the part being welded.

CAUTION

Cover pump box and optional battery box with flame-resistant covering before welding pump box frame to vehicle.



WELDING PUMP & BATTERY BOX FRAME FIG. 44-1

GO TO THE END OF STEP 5 & OBSERVE THE WARNING ABOUT HYDROGEN GAS BUILD-UP. THEN GO TO STEP 6.

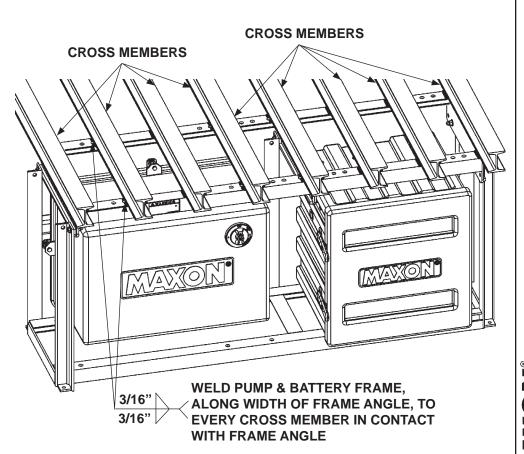
STEP 7 - ATTACH PUMP & BATTERY BOX FRAME TO VEHICLE - Continued

A WARNING

Explosive hydrogen gas from charging batteries can accumulate in battery box if not vented from the box. To prevent hydrogen gas from accumulating, ensure the 3 ventilation holes in battery box are not plugged or covered.

NOTE: Any methods not shown in this section, for welding mounting brackets to cross members, must be approved by body or trailer manufacturer.

5. Position pump and battery box frame on vehicle frame cross members (FIG. 45-1). Ensure vent holes on back of the battery box are not obstructed or covered (FIG. 45-1). Weld pump and battery box frame to cross members as shown in FIG. 45-1.

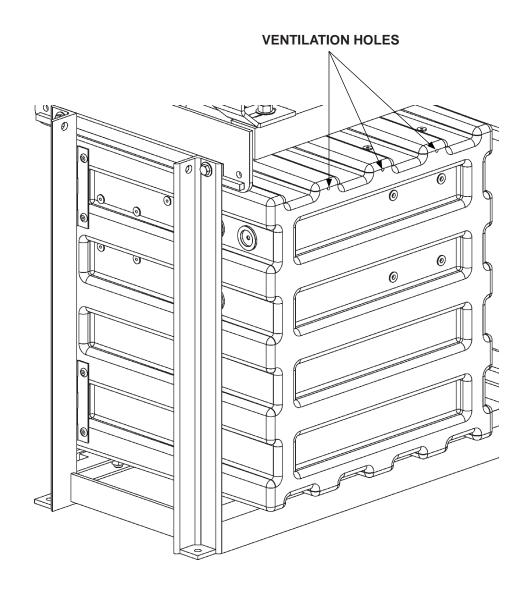


ALIGNING PUMP & BATTERY BOX FRAME TO WELD ON CROSS MEMBERS FIG. 45-1

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STEP 7 - ATTACH PUMP & BATTERY BOX FRAME TO VEHICLE - Continued



BATTERY BOX ASSEMBLY (REAR VIEW SHOWN) FIG. 46-1

STEP 8 - RUN HYDRAULIC LINES & ELECTRIC CABLES

A CAUTION

Always route hydraulic hoses and electrical wiring clear of moving parts, brake lines, sharp edges and exhaust systems. Avoid making sharp bends in hoses and wiring. Make sure that bends in the electrical wiring are 1" or more away from electrical connector. Attach securely. If drilling is necessary, first check behind the drilling surface so you do not damage any fuel lines, vent lines, brake lines or wires.

NOTE: The hydraulic cylinders in the Liftgate are filled with hydraulic fluid and bled at the factory. To keep air out of the hydraulic system, follow instructions carefully for installing hydraulic system components.

NOTE: The fold and unfold hydraulic hoses are identical hoses. To avoid confusion when running hoses through the channel, MAXON recommends taping both ends of one of the hoses for easy identification.

- 1. Get hydraulic hoses, hydraulic tee, channel quard (if required) and plastic ties from parts box and pump box installation kit. Run hydraulic hoses from LH and RH columns to pump box. Connect hydraulic hoses as shown in FIG. 48-1 and TABLES 49-1 and 49-2 for Gravity Down Liftgate or FIG. 51-1 and TABLES 52-1 and 52-2 for Power Down Liftgate.
- 2. Get interconnect harness from pump box installation kit. Run the interconnect harness from pump box to RH and LH columns as shown in FIG. 53-1.
- 3. If channel guard is required, bolt up one side of the channel (FIGS. 48-1, 51-1 and 52-1) to vehicle body. Leave bolts loose until all hydraulic hoses (FIGS. 48-1 and 51-1) and wiring harness (FIG. 53-1) are run through channel. After hoses and wiring harness are run, bolt up second side of channel and tighten all bolts and nuts. Use plastic ties to secure runs of hydraulic hoses and wiring harness that are outside of channel guard.

STEP 8 - RUN HYDRAULIC LINES & ELECTRIC CABLES

- Continued

RUN GRAVITY DOWN HYDRAULIC LINES

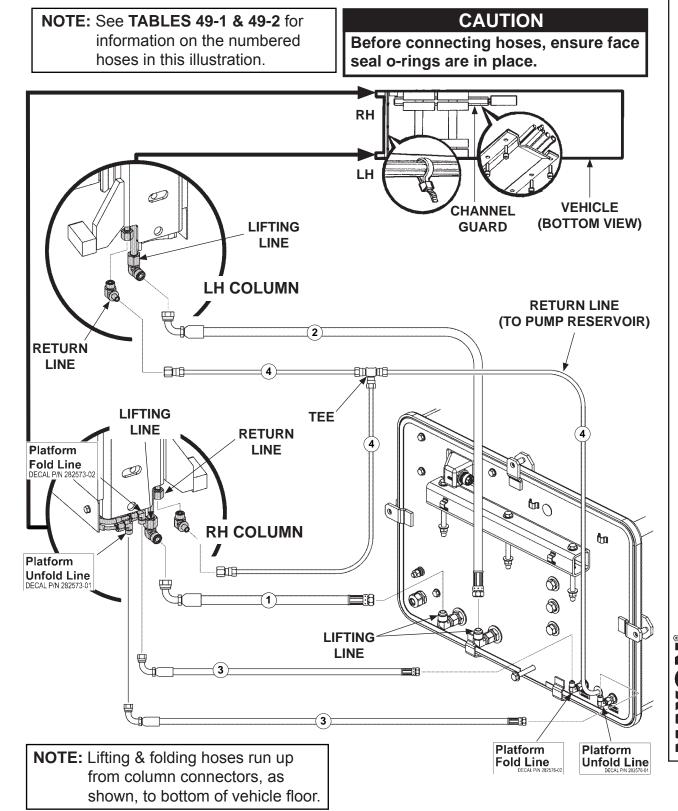


FIG. 48-1

STEP 8 - RUN HYDRAULIC LINES & ELECTRIC CABLES - Continued **RUN GRAVITY DOWN HYDRAULIC LINES**

NOTE: Each pump extension kit contains 2 hoses of the same length (item 3). One hose is for the **Platform Fold Line** and the second hose is for the Platform Unfold Line. One hose has a yellow band on each connector to help connect the 2 hoses to the correct fittings. For example, connect hose with yellow bands to the Fold Line on the RH column and the Fold Line on the back of the pump box.

NOTE: For torque values for the hydraulic hose connectors, see **TABLES 50-1**, 50-2 & 50-3.

GRAVITY DOWN PUMP BOX INSTALLATION: REQUIRED HOSES & PLASTIC TUBING			
3 FT. 10 FT. 15		15 FT.	
1	HP 3/8" X 72" LG.	HP 3/8" X 196" LG.	HP 3/8" X 256" LG.
2	HP 3/8" X 150" LG.	HP 3/8" X 274" LG.	HP 3/8" X 334" LG.
3	HP 1/4" X 64" LG.	HP 1/4" X 64" LG. HP 1/4" X 188" LG. HP 1/4" X 248" LG.	
4	PLASTIC 3/8" OD X 84" LG.	PLASTIC 3/8" OD X 192" LG.	PLASTIC 3/8" OD X 264" LG.

TABLE 49-1

GRAVITY DOWN PUMP BOX INSTALLATION: REQUIRED HOSES & PLASTIC TUBING			
	20 FT.	28 FT.	
1	HP 3/8" X 316" LG.	HP 3/8" X 412" LG.	
2	HP 3/8" X 394" LG.	HP 3/8" X 490" LG.	
3	HP 1/4" X 308" LG.	HP 1/4" X 404" LG.	
4	PLASTIC 3/8" OD X 324" LG.	PLASTIC 3/8" OD X 420" LG.	

TABLE 49-2

STEP 8 - RUN HYDRAULIC LINES & ELECTRIC CABLES - Continued

TORQUE VALUES FOR HYDRAULIC CONNECTORS

SAE O-RING CONNECTORS

SIZE	TORQUE (LB-FT)	TORQUE (NEWTON-METER)
-4	13-15	17.6-20.3
-6	22-24	29.8-32.5
-8	40-43	54.2-58.3

TABLE 50-1

SAE 37 DEGREE FLARE CONNECTORS

SIZE	TORQUE (LB-FT)	TORQUE (NEWTON-METER)
-4	11-12	14.9-16.3
-6	18-20	24.4-27.1
-8	36-39	48.8-52.8

TABLE 50-2

O-RING FACE-SEAL CONNECTORS

SIZE	TORQUE (LB-FT)	TORQUE (NEWTON-METER)
-4	17-18	23-25.4
-6	25-27	33.9-37.3
-8	38-41	51.5-56.7

TABLE 50-3

STEP 8 - RUN HYDRAULIC LINES & ELECTRIC CABLES - Continued

RUN POWER DOWN HYDRAULIC LINES

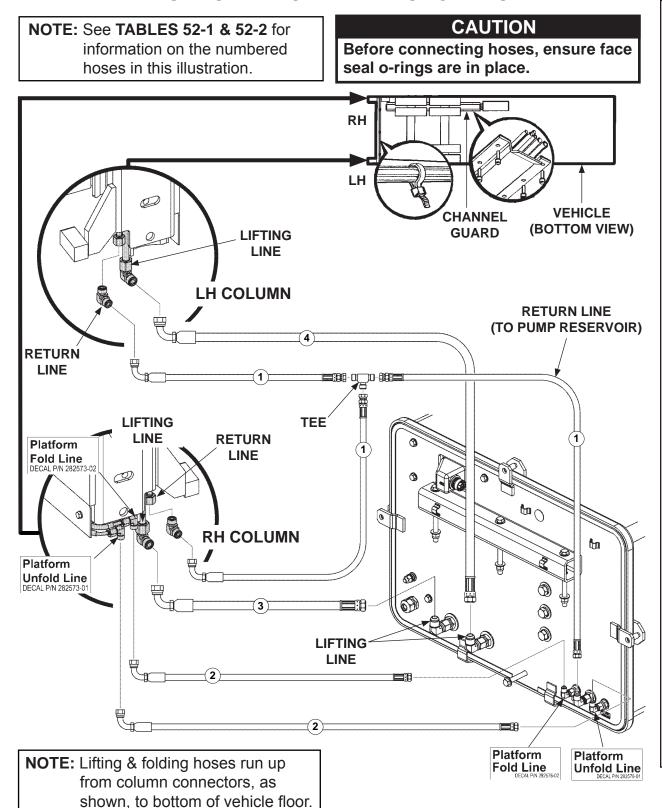


FIG. 51-1

STEP 8 - RUN HYDRAULIC LINES & ELECTRIC CABLES - Continued **RUN HYDRAULIC LINES**

NOTE: Each pump extension kit contains 2 hoses of the same length (item 1). One hose is for the **Platform Fold Line** and the second hose is for the Platform Unfold Line. One hose has a yellow band on each connector to help connect the 2 hoses to the correct fittings. For example, connect hose with yellow bands to the Fold Line on the RH column and the Fold **Line** on the back of the pump box.

NOTE: See TABLES 50-1, 50-2 & 50-3 for hydraulic fittings torque values.

POWER DOWN PUMP BOX INSTALLATION: REQUIRED HOSES			
3 FT. 10 FT. 15		15 FT.	
1	HP 1/4" X 34" LG.	HP 1/4" X 166" LG.	HP 1/4" X 226" LG.
2	HP 1/4" X 64" LG.	HP 1/4" X 188" LG.	HP 1/4" X 248" LG.
3	HP 3/8" X 72" LG.	HP 3/8" X 196" LG.	HP 3/8" X 256" LG.
4	HP 3/8" X 150" LG.	HP 3/8" X 274" LG.	HP 3/8" X 334" LG.

TABLE 52-1

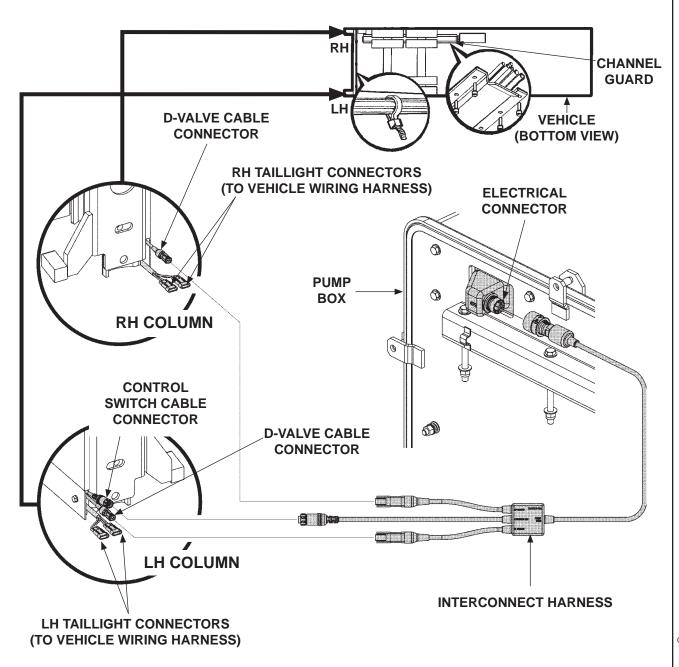
POWER DOWN PUMP BOX INSTALLATION: REQUIRED HOSES			
	20 FT.	28 FT.	
1	HP 1/4" X 286" LG.	HP 1/4" X 382" LG.	
2	HP 1/4" X 308" LG.	HP 1/4" X 404" LG.	
3	HP 3/8" X 316" LG.	HP 3/8" X 412" LG.	
4	HP 3/8" X 394" LG.	HP 3/8" X 490" LG.	

TABLE 52-2

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STEP 8 - RUN HYDRAULIC LINES & ELECTRIC CABLES - Continued

RUN ELECTRIC CABLES



NOTE: Go to next page for more information about connecting & disconnecting twist-lock connectors.

FIG. 53-1

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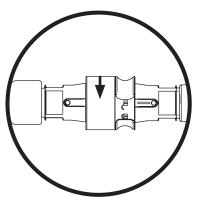
STEP 8 - RUN HYDRAULIC LINES & ELECTRIC CABLES - Continued

WIRING HARNESS TWIST-LOCK CONNECTORS

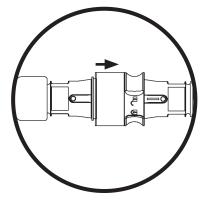
CAUTION

Before connecting, ensure connectors are clean inside. Ensure there is a thin coating of dielectric grease on face of receptacle, and there is no dielectric grease on connector contacts.

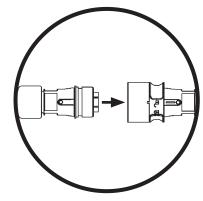
Refer to illustrations below for disconnecting, checking for dielectric grease, and reconnecting twist-lock style connectors.



TWIST COUPLING RING TO UNLOCK FIG. 54-1

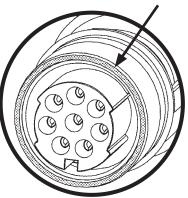


PULL COUPLING RING TO DISENGAGE FIG. 54-2

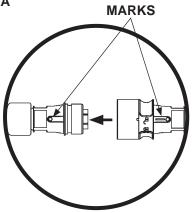


PULL CONNECTORS TO DISCONNECT FIG. 54-3



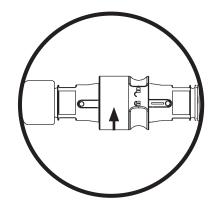


ON RECEPTACLE FIG. 54-4



ALIGN

ALIGN & CONNECT FIG. 54-5



TWIST TO LOCK FIG. 54-6

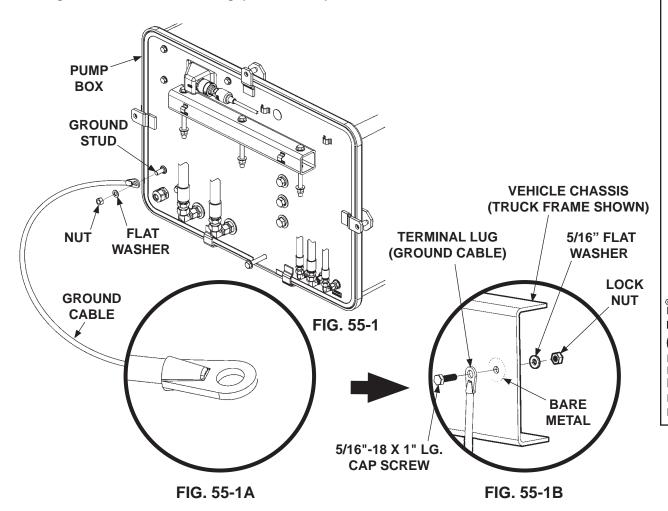
STEP 9 - GROUND PUMP TO VEHICLE FRAME

NOTE: Make sure the Liftgate power unit, all batteries on the vehicle for power unit, and taillights on Liftgate are connected correctly to a common ground.

1. Bolt ground cable to the ground stud on pump box (FIG. 55-1).

NOTE: If there is an existing grounding point on truck frame, use it to connect ground cable and skip the step for drilling a hole.

- **2.** Extend the ground cable to reach vehicle frame **(FIG. 55-1B)** without putting tension on cable (after connection). Connect to an existing grounding point if available.
- **3.** If necessary, drill a 11/32" (0.343") hole in vehicle frame for bolting the ground cable terminal lug **(FIG. 55-1B)**.
 - **NOTE:** Before connecting ground cable to frame, clean connection point on the frame down to bare metal.
 - After connecting ground cable, MAXON recommends sealing the ground connection with galvanized coating for galvanized surfaces, or black paint for painted surfaces.
- 4. Bolt ground cable terminal lug (FIG. 55-1A) to vehicle frame as shown in FIG. 55-1B.



STEP 10 - RUN CHARGE LINES

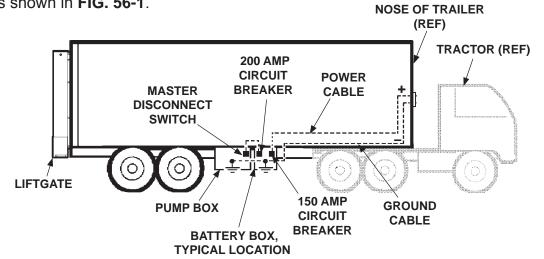
RECOMMENDED POWER CONFIGURATIONS

A CAUTION

Never route an energized wire. Make sure battery is disconnected. Always route electrical wires clear of moving parts, brake lines, sharp edges and exhaust systems. Avoid making sharp bends in wiring. Attach securely. If drilling is necessary, first check behind the drilling surface so you do not damage any fuel lines, vent lines, brake lines or wires.

NOTE: Make sure the power unit for the Liftgate, and all batteries on the vehicle used as the power source, are connected correctly to a common chassis ground.

1. Liftgate, pump box, and battery box are typically installed on trailers as shown in FIG. 56-1.



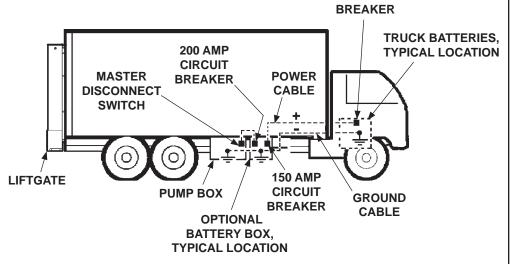
RECOMMENDED LIFTGATE & BATTERY BOX **INSTALLATION ON TRAILER** FIG. 56-1

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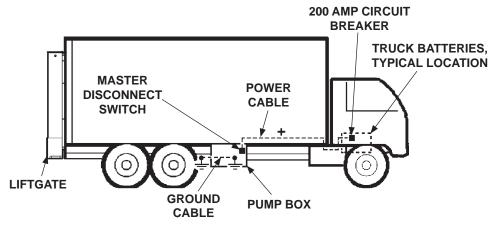
STEP 10 - RUN CHARGE LINES - Continued

2. Liftgate, pump box, and optional battery box are typically installed on trucks as shown in FIG. 57-1 and FIG. 57-2. See the following page for battery and cable connections.



150 AMP CIRCUIT

RECOMMENDED LIFTGATE & BATTERY BOX INSTALLATION ON TRUCK FIG. 57-1



RECOMMENDED LIFTGATE INSTALLATION WITHOUT OPTIONAL BATTERY BOX FIG. 57-2

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STEP 10 - RUN CHARGE LINES - Continued RUNNING CABLE FROM VEHICLE BATTERY

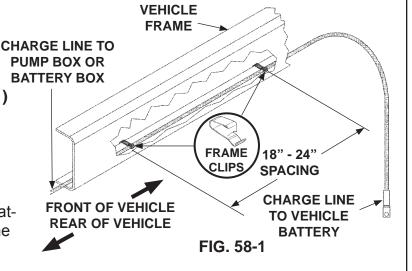
NOTE: Make sure cable is long enough to reach master disconnect switch on Liftgate pump box, or circuit breaker in optional battery box (if equipped), without putting strain on the cable. If equipped with fused cable, ensure the **fuse** end is by the vehicle battery.

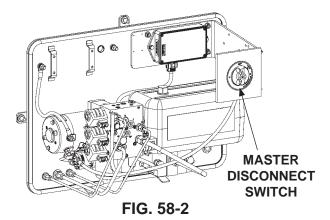
- **1.** Install charge line by running the line along vehicle frame as follows.
 - Inside of truck frame (FIG. 58-1)
 - Bottom of trailer frame
- 2. Run the charge line from truck battery or nose of trailer to one of the following devices.
 - Master disconnect switch on pump box (FIG. 58-2)
 - The 150 amp circuit breaker in optional battery box (FIG. 58-3)

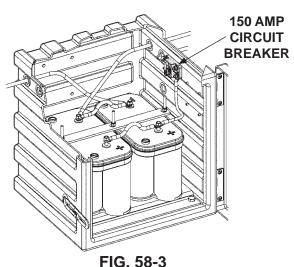
Use frame clips (Parts Box item) (FIG. 58-1) and plastic ties, as required from charge line kit, to secure cable to vehicle.

- 3. If Liftgate comes with:
 - Single Pole Tractor Charge Line Kit
 - Single Pole Trailer Charge Line Kit
 - Dual Pole Tractor Charge Line Kit
 - Dual Pole Trailer Charge Line Kit

Install charge line according to **Instruction Sheet** contained in each kit.







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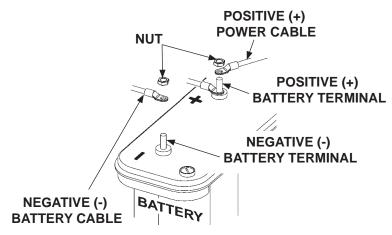
STEP 11 - CONNECT CHARGE LINES & BATTERIES

A WARNING

Prevent injury and equipment damage. Before connecting charge lines or power cables, ensure negative (-) battery cable is disconnected at vehicle battery or battery box (if equipped). Ensure master disconnect switch is turned OFF on the pump box.

NOTE: Ensure batteries are fully charged before operating Liftgate & before delivery to customer.

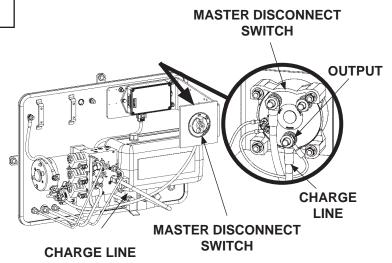
- Remove nut from negative (-) battery terminal. Disconnect negative (-) battery cable from vehicle battery (FIG. 59-1). Start nut on the terminal.
- 2. Remove nut from positive (+) battery terminal. Connect positive (+) power cable (charge line) to positive (+) battery terminal (FIG. 59-1). Reinstall and tighten nut.



CONNECTING CHARGE LINE TO BATTERY FIG. 59-1

NOTE: Skip instruction 3 below if connecting to optional battery box.

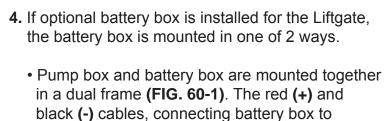
3. If vehicle batteries are used to power the Liftgate, do the following. At the pump box, remove nut from OUTPUT terminal on master disconnect switch (FIG. 59-2). Connect positive (+) power cable (charge line) to OUTPUT terminal on master disconnect switch (FIG. 59-2). Reinstall and tighten nut.



CONNECTING CHARGE LINE TO MASTER
DISCONNECT SWITCH
FIG. 59-2

STEP 11 - CONNECT CHARGE LINES & BATTERIES -Continued

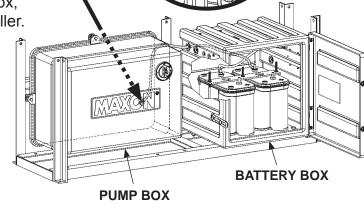
NOTE: Skip instruction 4 below if vehicle battery is connected to master disconnect switch on the pump box.



pump box, are connected at the factory. Go to instruction.

 Pump box and battery box are mounted separately in 2 single frames (FIG. 60-2). The red (+) and black (-) cables, connecting battery box to pump box, need to be connected by the installer.

Go to instruction 5.



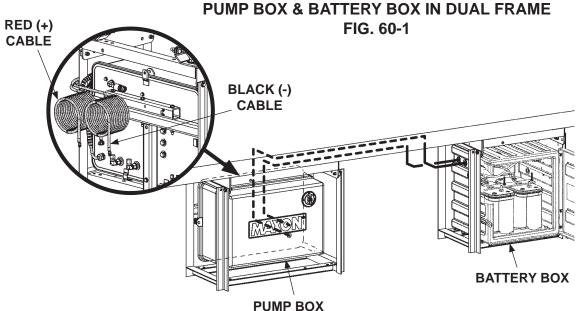
RED (+) CABLE

BLACK (-)

CABLE

GROUND

STUD (REF)

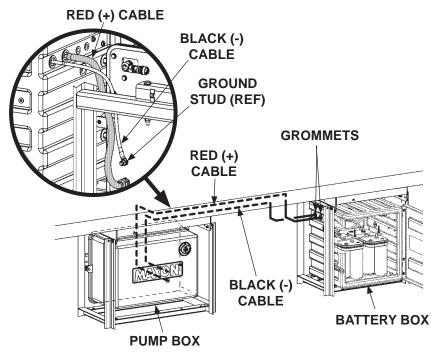


PUMP BOX & BATTERY BOX IN DUAL FRAME FIG. 60-2

STEP 11 - CONNECT BATTERIES TO LIFTGATE - Cont'd

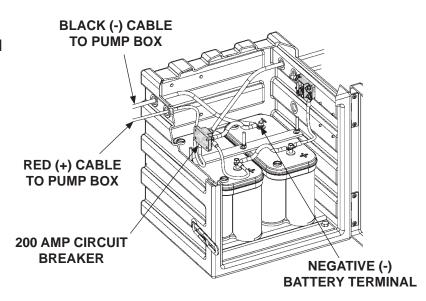
NOTE: The following instructions are only required if Liftgate is equipped with optional battery box, and the pump box and battery box are mounted in separate single frames. In the dual frame shown below, the power cable is connected between pump box and battery box at the factory.

5. Uncoil the red (+) cable from back of the pump box (FIG. 61-1). Next, run cable along vehicle frame, through grommet on battery box, and to the 200 amp circuit breaker inside battery box (FIG. 61-2).



PUMP BOX & BATTERY BOX IN SINGLE FRAMES FIG. 61-1

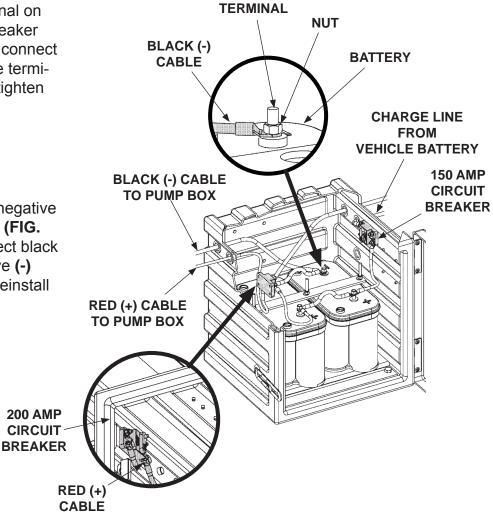
6. Uncoil the black (-) cable from back of the pump box (FIG. 61-1). Next, run cable along vehicle frame, through grommet on battery box, and to the negative (-) battery terminal inside battery box (FIG. 61-2).



ELECTRICAL CONNECTIONS IN BATTERY BOX FIG. 61-2

STEP 11 - CONNECT BATTERIES TO LIFTGATE - Cont'd

- Remove nut and washer from unused terminal on 200 amp circuit breaker (FIG. 62-1). Then, connect red (+) cable to the terminal. Reinstall and tighten nut.
- 8. Remove nut from negative(-) battery terminal (FIG.62-2). Then, connect black(-) cable to negative (-)battery terminal. Reinstall and tighten nut.



NEGATIVE (-)

CONNECTING RED & BLACK CABLES
AND CHARGE LINE
FIG. 62-1

Remove nut and washer from unused terminal on 150 amp circuit breaker (FIG. 62-1). Then, connect charge line to the terminal. Reinstall and tighten nut.

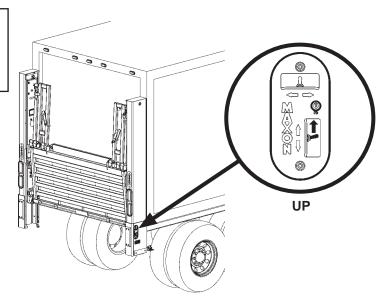
STEP 12 - PRESSURIZE HYDRAULIC SYSTEM

A WARNING

To prevent injury and equipment damage, pressurize hydraulic system before removing lower support fixtures and operating Liftgate.

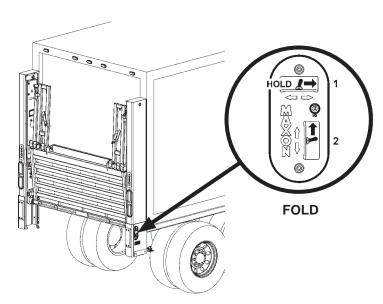
NOTE: Before operating liftgate, read and understand the operating instructions in the Operation Manual.

1. To pressurize lifting cylinders, set control box toggle switch to **UP** for 10-15 seconds as shown in FIG. 63-1.



PRESSURIZING LIFTING CYLINDERS FIG. 63-1

2. To pressurize closing cylinder, set control box toggle switches to FOLD for 10-15 seconds as shown in FIG. 63-2.

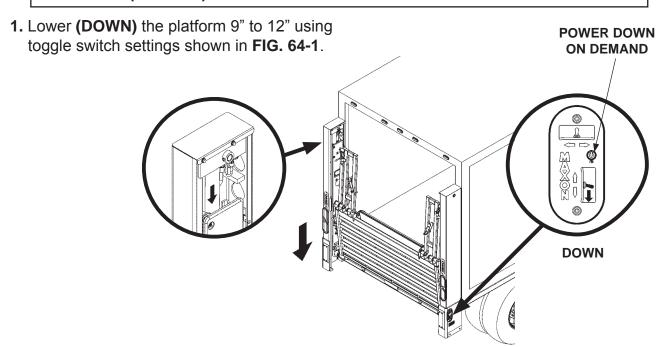


PRESSURIZING CLOSING CYLINDER FIG. 63-2

NOTE: Liftgate is shipped with Exxon Univis HVI-13 hydraulic fluid in the hydraulic cylinders. This fluid is suitable for operation in temperature range of -40° F to +120° F. If necessary, a different brand or higher viscosity hydraulic fluid may be used. Refer to the CHANGING HYDRAULIC FLUID procedure in the **BMR Maintenance Manual.**

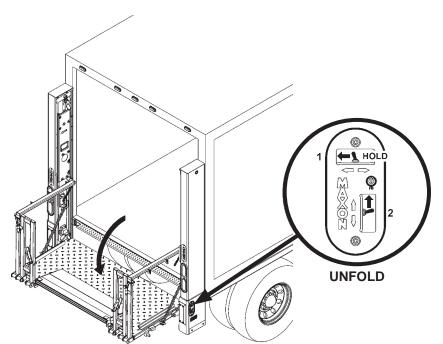
STEP 13 - OPTIMIZE HYDRAULIC FLUID LEVEL

NOTE: If equipped, select power down on demand for optimizing hydraulic fluid level (FIG. 64-1).



LOWERING PLATFORM FIG. 64-1

2. Open (UNFOLD) the platform by setting toggle switches as shown in FIG. 64-2.

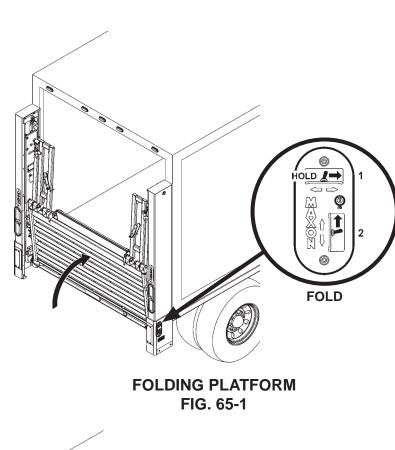


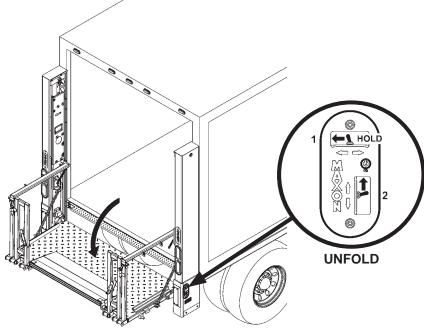
UNFOLDING PLATFORM FIG. 64-2

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STEP 13 - OPTIMIZE HYDRAULIC FLUID LEVEL - Continued

3. Close (FOLD) the platform by setting toggle switches as shown in FIG. 65-1. Then, open (UNFOLD) the platform by setting toggle switches as shown in FIG. 65-2.



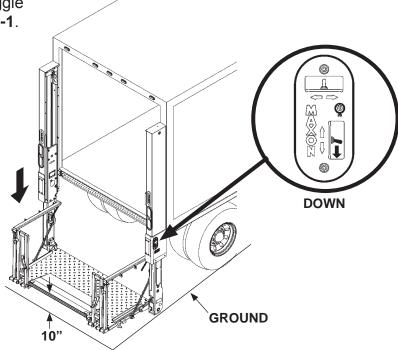


UNFOLDING PLATFORM FIG. 65-2

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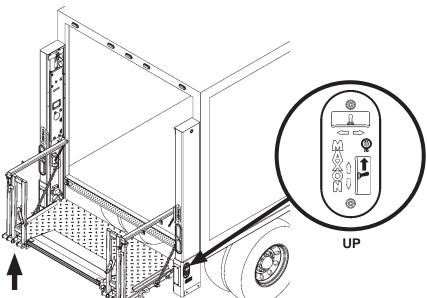
STEP 13 - OPTIMIZE HYDRAULIC FLUID LEVEL - Continued

4. Lower **(DOWN)** the platform to 10" above ground level using the toggle switch settings shown in **FIG. 66-1**.



LOWERING PLATFORM FIG. 66-1

 Raise (UP) the platform to about 6" below bed height using toggle switch setting shown in FIG. 66-2.



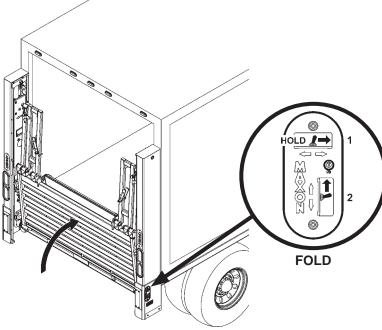
RAISING PLATFORM FIG. 66-2

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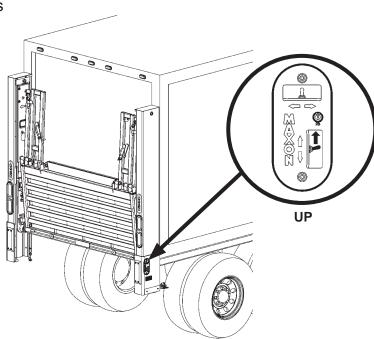
STEP 13 - OPTIMIZE HYDRAULIC FLUID LEVEL -**Continued**

6. Close (FOLD) the platform by setting toggle switches as shown in FIG. 67-1.



FOLDING PLATFORM FIG. 67-1

7. Raise (UP) the runners to stow platform by setting toggle switches as shown in FIG. 67-2.

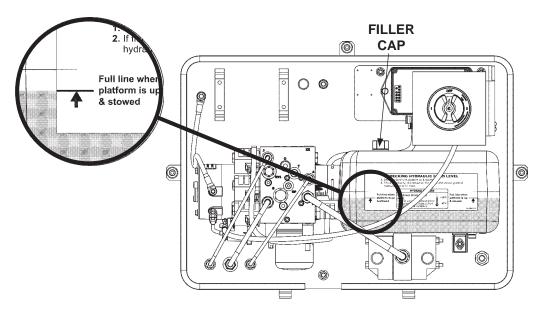


RAISING PLATFORM FIG. 67-2

STEP 13 - OPTIMIZE HYDRAULIC FLUID LEVEL -**Continued**

NOTE: Information for checking hydraulic fluid level is shown on a decal on the pump reservoir.

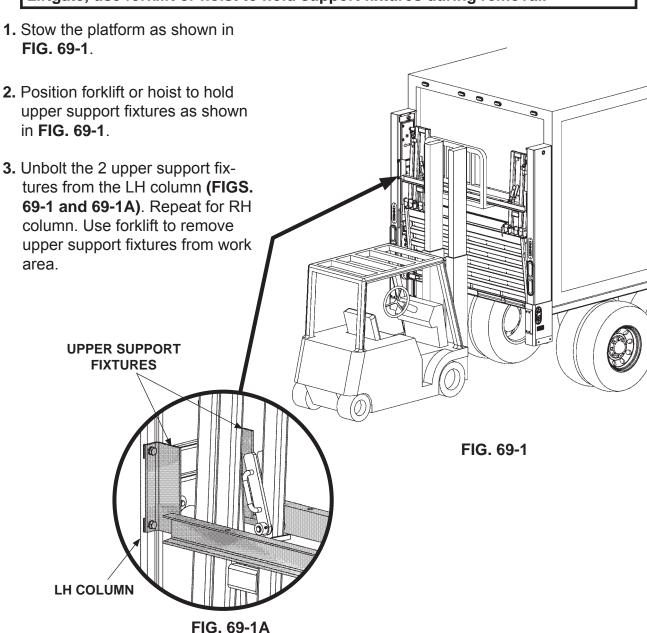
8. Check if hydraulic fluid level is at the full line (FIG. 68-1). If necessary, remove filler cap (FIG. 68-1) and add hydraulic fluid until level rises to the full line (FIG. 68-1). Then, reinstall filler cap (FIG. 68-1).



CHECKING HYDRAULIC FLUID LEVEL FIG. 68-1

STEP 14 - REMOVE UPPER SUPPORT FIXTURES

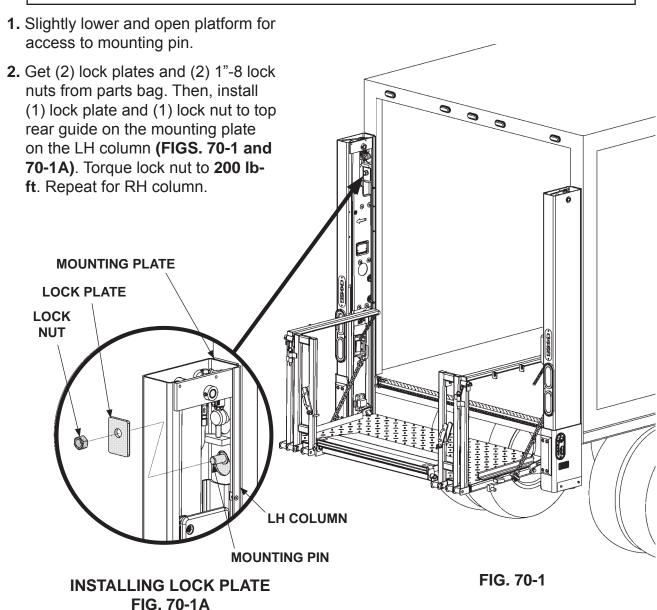
Upper support fixtures are heavy. To prevent injury to installer and damage to Liftgate, use forklift or hoist to hold support fixtures during removal.



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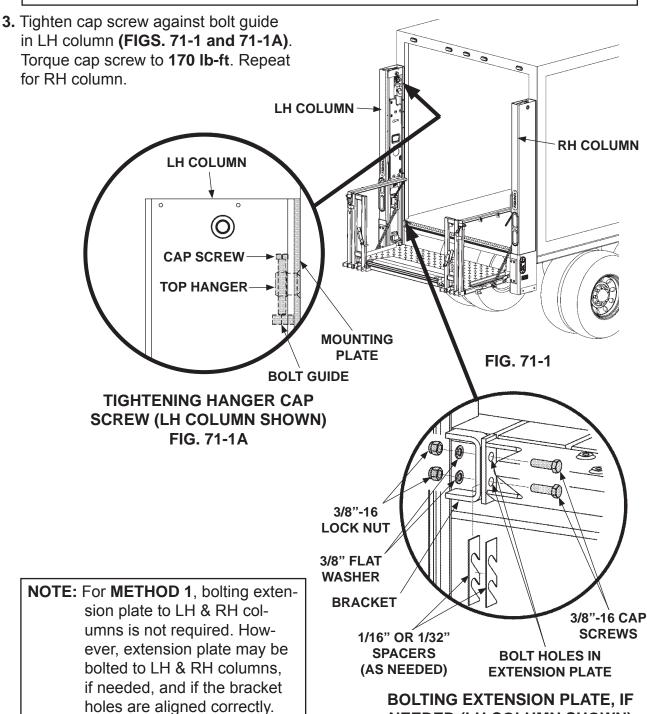
STEP 15 - SECURING COLUMNS METHOD 1 & METHOD 2

NOTE: Skip this step if using the **METHOD 3** weld-on version of installation with no mounting plates.



STEP 15 - SECURING COLUMNS - Continued METHOD 1 ONLY

NOTE: Skip 3 and 4 if using METHOD 2 or METHOD 3 to install Liftgate on vehicle.



4. If needed, fill gap between LH column bracket and extension plate with spacers (FIGS. 71-1 and 71-1B). Then, bolt extension plate to column. Torque 3/8"-16 cap screws and lock nuts 35-52 lb-ft. Repeat for RH column.

NEEDED (LH COLUMN SHOWN)

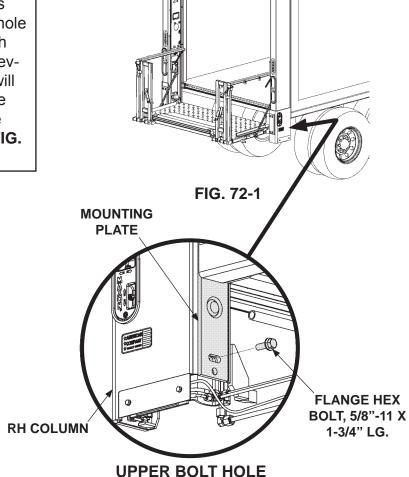
FIG. 71-1B

STEP 15 - SECURING COLUMNS - Continued **METHOD 1 & METHOD 2**

NOTE: Skip this step if using the METHOD 3 weld-on version of installation with no mounting plates.

NOTE: MAXON recommends using the upper bolt hole (FIG. 72-1A) to attach mounting plate. However, if the upper hole will be covered by vehicle corner post, then use the lower bolt hole (FIG. 72-1B).

5. Get (2) flange hex bolts, (2) flange lock nuts (if needed), and (2) flat washers (if needed) from parts bag. Then, install (1) bolt, (1) nut (if needed), and (1) flat washer (if needed) through mounting plate and RH column (FIGS. 72-1, 72-1A and 72-1B) Repeat for LH column.



6. Torque 5/8"-11 bolts to **170 Ib-ft**. Repeat for LH column.

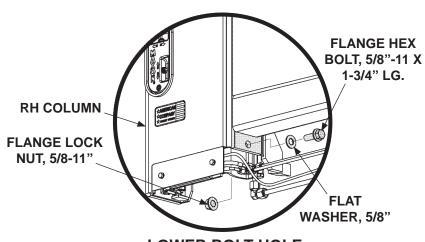
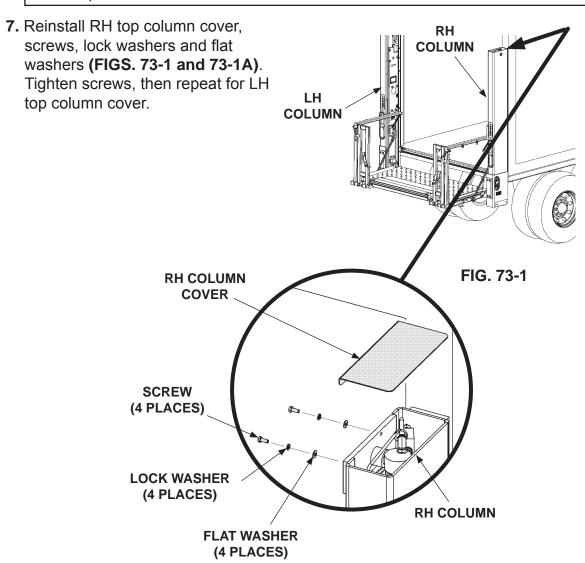


FIG. 72-1A

LOWER BOLT HOLE FIG. 72-1B

STEP 15 - SECURING COLUMNS - Continued METHOD 1 & METHOD 2

NOTE: Skip this step if using the METHOD 3 weld-on installation with no mounting plates.



REINSTALLING RH COLUMN COVER FIG. 73-1A

STEP 16 - FINISH WELDING LIFTGATE TO VEHICLE **METHOD 2 & METHOD 3 - WELD LIFTGATE TO BODY**

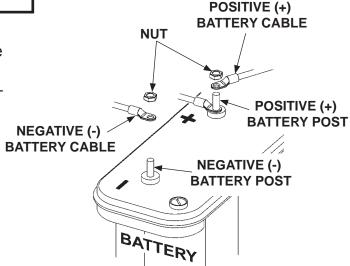
NOTE: Skip this step if using METHOD 1 installation where mounting plates and extension plate are preinstalled on vehicle.

1. Check operation of Liftgate before final welding. See BMR-CS Operation Manual.

WARNING

To prevent accidental personal injury and equipment damage, disconnect (-) battery cable and (+) cable from battery.

2. Disconnect power to the pump by disconnecting negative (-) and positive (+) cables from battery (FIG. 74-1). Reinstall nuts on negative (-) and positive (+) battery terminals.



DISCONNECTING BATTERY POWER FIG. 74-1

STEP 16 - FINISH WELDING LIFTGATE TO VEHICLE METHOD 2 & METHOD 3 - WELD LIFTGATE TO BODY - Continued

A WARNING

Recommended practices for welding on steel parts are contained in the current AWS (American Welding Society) D1.1 Structural Welding Code - Steel. Damage to Liftgate and/or vehicle, and personal injury can result from welds that are done incorrectly.

NOTE: If Liftgate columns cannot be mounted flush against rear of vehicle, a filler such as tubing, channel, or plate stock may be used to bridge gap between vehicle body and Liftgate columns. Make sure the added materials and welds meet the BODY STRENGTH REQUIREMENTS indicated in this manual.

CAUTION

To prevent damage to Liftgate:

- Connect welder ground to vehicle body.
- Protect hydraulic hoses and electrical cables with flame-resistant cover.

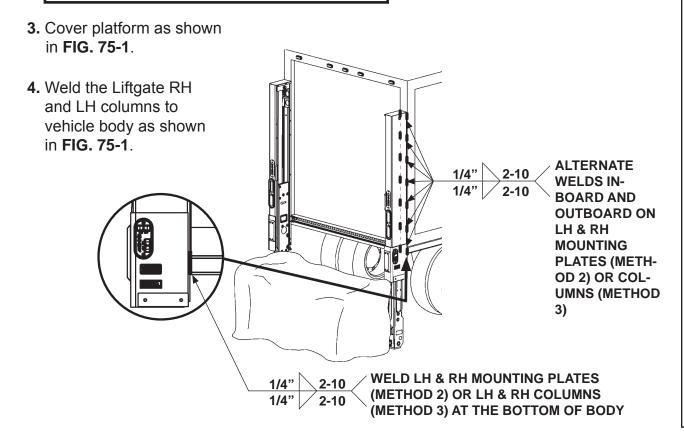


FIG. 75-1

STEP 16 - FINISH WELDING LIFTGATE TO VEHICLE METHOD 2 & METHOD 3 - WELD LIFTGATE TO BODY - Continued

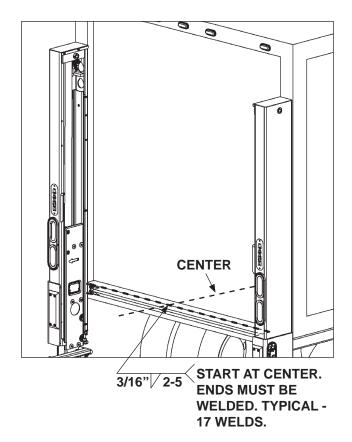
CAUTION

To prevent damage to Liftgate components, welder ground must be connected to Liftgate extension plate.

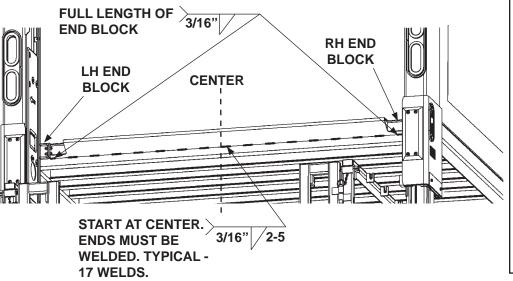
5. Make sure platform is at ground level to provide access to the extension plate.

NOTE: After welding top of extension plate, if you see a gap between bottom of extension plate & vehicle body sill, fill the gap. To fill the gap, use A-36 General Purpose steel and the same welds shown in FIG. 76-2.

- Weld the top and bottom surfaces of extension plate (FIGS. 76-1 & 76-2) to vehicle body sill.
- 7. Weld entire length (FIG. 76-2) on the bottom of LH and RH end blocks.



WELDING TOP OF EXTENSION PLATE FIG. 76-1

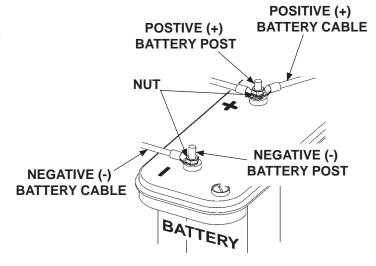


WELDING BOTTOM OF EXTENSION PLATE FIG. 76-2

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STEP 16 - FINISH WELDING LIFTGATE TO VEHICLE METHOD 2 & METHOD 3 - WELD LIFTGATE TO BODY - Continued

8. Reconnect power to the pump by reconnecting positive (+) and negative (-) cables to battery (FIG. 77-1). Reinstall and tighten nut when each battery cable is reconnected.



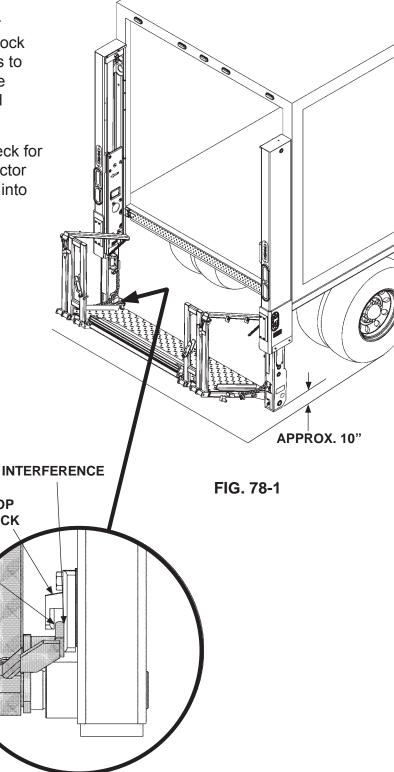
BATTERY POWER RECONNECTED FIG. 77-1

STEP 17 - CHECK CLEARANCE OF CONNECTOR BAR SIDE BRACKETS & STOP BLOCKS

- 1. To check for interference between platform connector bar side bracket and stop block (FIG. 78-1A), lower columns to approximately 10" above the ground, then begin to unfold platform (FIG. 78-1).
- 2. As platform is unfolding, check for interference from the connector bar side bracket as it slides into the stop block (FIG. 78-1A).

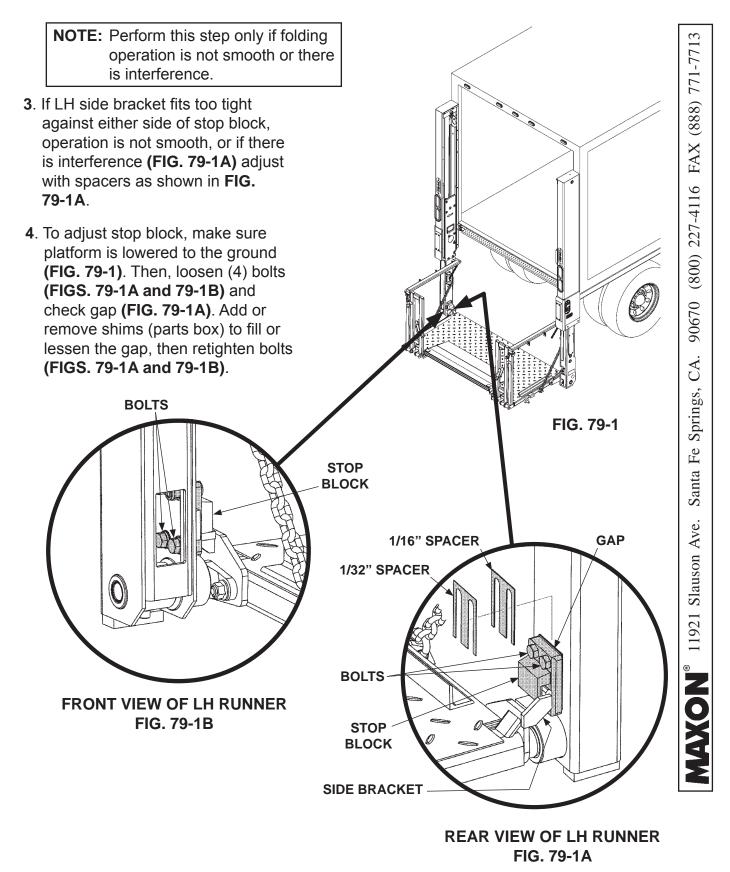
CONNECTOR BAR SIDE BRACKET

STOP **BLOCK**



REAR VIEW OF LH RUNNER FIG. 78-1A

STEP 17 - CHECK CLEARANCE OF CONNECTOR BAR SIDE BRACKETS & STOP BLOCKS - Continued

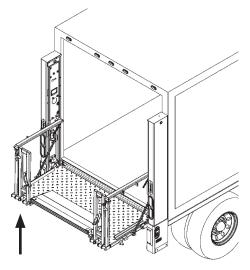


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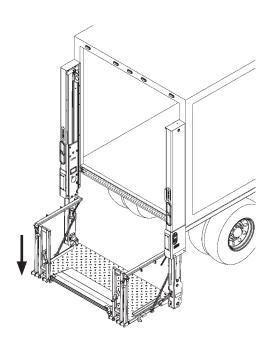
STEP 18 - CHECK CLEARANCE OF RUNNER PADS

NOTE: Perform the following steps with no load on the platform.

- 1. Raise the platform to bed height (FIG. 80-1). Then, lower the platform to the ground (FIG. 80-2). Look for the following conditions:
 - Platform lowers smoothly.
 - Platform lowers evenly on both sides.
 - Platform lowers in 8 to 20 seconds (BMR-CS35/BMR-CS44).



PLATFORM AT BED HEIGHT FIG. 80-1

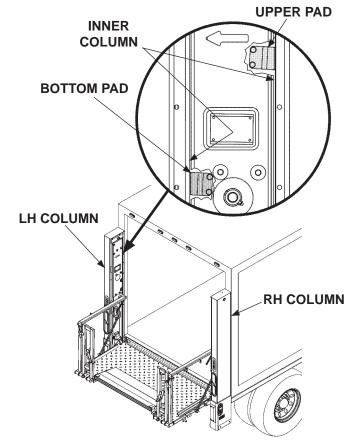


PLATFORM ON THE GROUND FIG. 80-2

STEP 18 - CHECK CLEARANCE OF RUNNER PADS - Continued

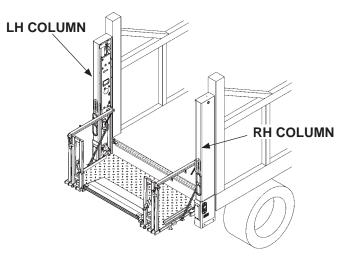
- 2. Raise the platform to bed height (FIG. 81-1). Check clearance of the runner pads as follows:
 - Between upper runner pad and inner LH column.
 - Between bottom runner pad and inner LH column.
 - Between upper runner pad and inner RH column.
 - Between bottom runner pad and inner RH column.

Sufficient clearance is equal to thickness of 2 business cards or .012" to .025" measured with thickness gauge. Leaves of the thickness gauge should be 3" or longer to reach the runner pads.



CHECKING CLEARANCE OF RUNNER PADS WITH PLATFORM AT BED HEIGHT FIG. 81-1

3. Lower the platform half the distance to the ground (FIG. 81-2). Repeat the clearance checks in 2.

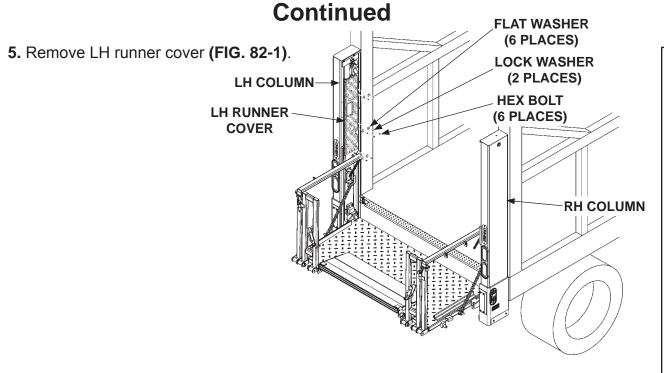


4. If there is no clearance or clearance is not sufficient, continue with adjustment procedure on the next page.

CHECKING CLEARANCE OF RUNNER PADS
WITH PLATFORM BETWEEN BED
HEIGHT & THE GROUND
FIG. 81-2

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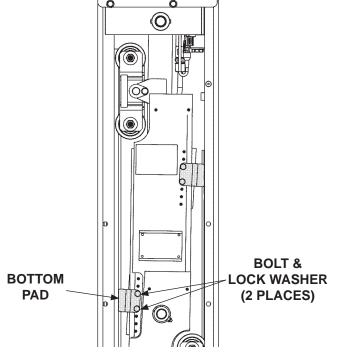
STEP 18 - CHECK CLEARANCE OF RUNNER PADS -



REMOVING RUNNER COVERS FIG. 82-1

NOTE: Keep spacer pad in place between column & runner after unbolting pad from runner.

6. Unbolt bottom spacer pad from LH runner (FIG. 82-2). Keep bolts and lock washers to reinstall.



UNBOLTING PADS (LH COLUMN & RUNNER SHOWN) FIG. 82-2

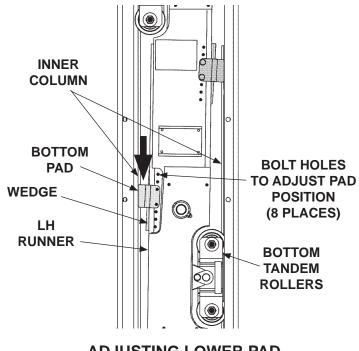
STEP 18 - CHECK CLEARANCE OF RUNNER PADS - Continued

- 7. Ensure the bottom tandem rollers are seated against inner column (FIG. 83-1). Next, slide the bottom pad down against wedge until there is no clearance between inner column and bottom pad (FIG. 83-1). Then, back off (slide up) bottom pad by 1 hole position to create clearance between pad and inner column.
- **8.** Bolt bottom pad to LH runner with 2 bolts and 2 lock washers (**FIG. 83-2**). Torque the 2 bolts to **9-14 lb-ft**.

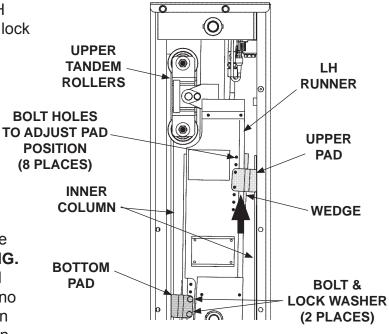
NOTE: Keep spacer pad in place between column & runner after unbolting pad from runner.

 Unbolt upper spacer pad from LH runner (FIG. 83-2). Keep bolts & lock washers to reinstall.

10. Ensure upper tandem rollers are seated against inner column (FIG. 83-2). Next, slide the upper pad up against wedge until there is no clearance between inner column and upper pad (FIG. 83-1). Then, back off (slide down) lower pad by 1 hole position to create clearance between upper pad and inner column.



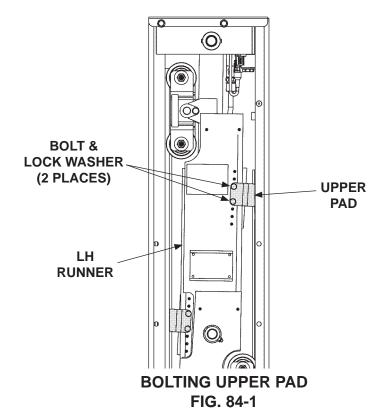
ADJUSTING LOWER PAD FIG. 83-1



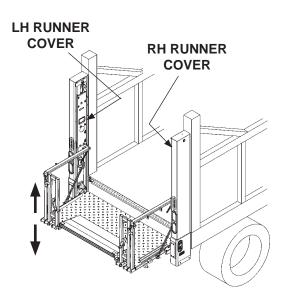
BOLTING LOWER PAD & ADJUSTING UPPER PAD FIG. 83-2

STEP 18 - CHECK CLEARANCE OF RUNNER PADS - Continued

11. Bolt upper pad to LH runner with 2 bolts and 2 lock washers (FIG. 84-1). Torque the 2 bolts to 9-14 lb-ft.



- **12.** Repeat instructions 5 to 11 for RH column.
- 13. Raise the platform to bed height (FIG. 84-2). Then, lower the platform to the ground (FIG. 84-2). Look for the following conditions:
 - Platform lowers smoothly.
 - Platform lowers evenly on both sides.
 - Platform lowers in 8 to 20 seconds (BMR-CS35/BMR-CS44).



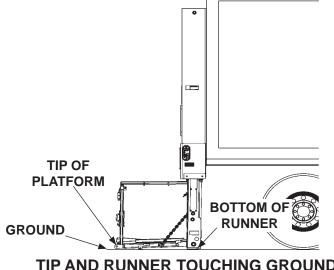
14. When platform raises and lowers correctly, reinstall LH and RH runner covers (FIG. 84-2). Torque 6 bolts on each runner cover to 9-14 lb.-ft.

CHECKING CLEARANCE OF RUNNER PADS
WITH PLATFORM BETWEEN BED
HEIGHT & THE GROUND
FIG. 84-2

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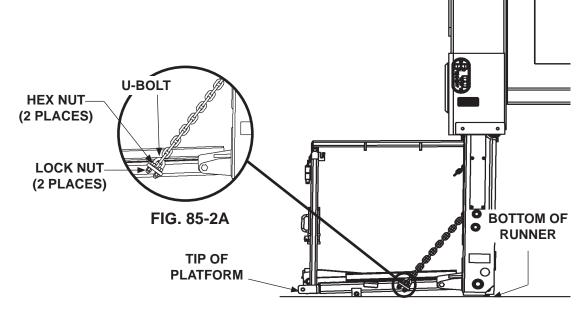
STEP 19 - PLATFORM CHAIN ADJUSTMENT

1. Lower the platform to ground level. Check if tip of the platform and bottom of the runners touch the ground at the same time (FIG. 85-1).



TIP AND RUNNER TOUCHING GROUND FIG. 85-1

2. If tip of platform touches first, tighten the u-bolt by loosening the hex nuts and turning the lock nuts clockwise (FIG.85-2A). Retighten hex nuts. If more adjustment is required, remove one chain link until tip of the platform and bottom of the runners touch the ground at the same time (FIG.85-2).



PLATFORM LOWERED TO GROUND FIG. 85-2

STEP 20 - PLACE "ALIGN ARROWS" DECAL

NOTE: Make sure RUNNERS are raised all the way up (closest to top of COLUMN) before doing the following steps.

Peel backing from alignment tape and place it on LH column as shown in **FIG. 86-1**. Repeat for RH column.

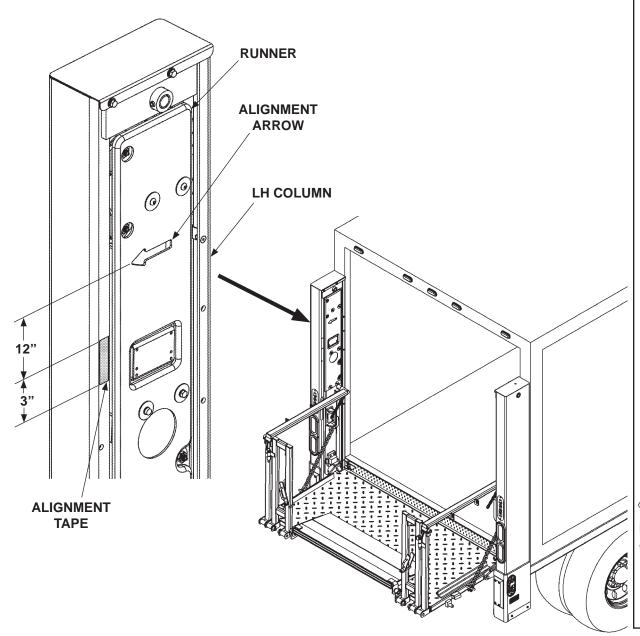


FIG. 86-1

DECALS & PLATES

NOTE: Ensure there is no residue, dirt, or corrosion where decals are attached. If necessary, clean surface before attaching decals.

NOTE: Decals on the Liftgate are attached at the factory.

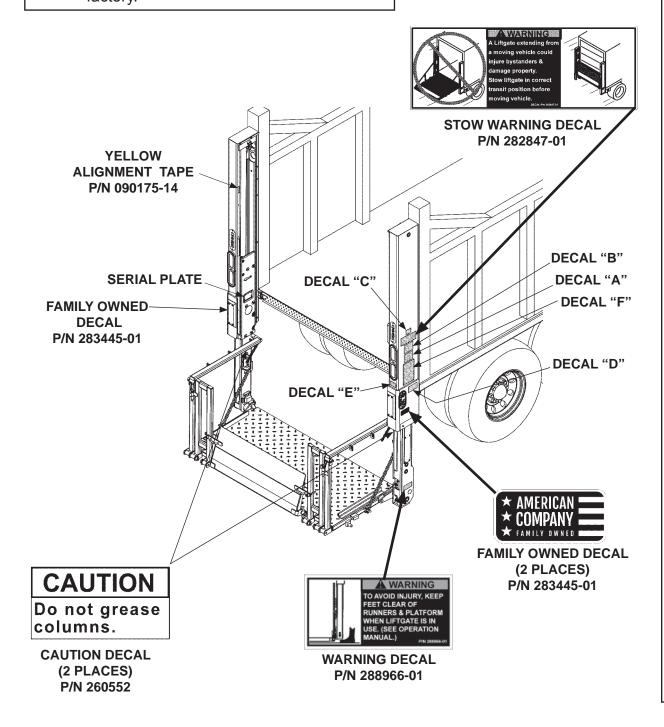


FIG. 87-1

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DECALS - Continued

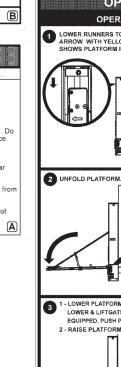
A WARNING

Read this information carefully.

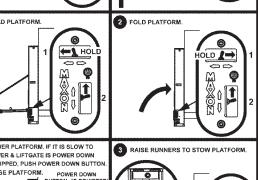
- Improper operation of this Liftgate can result in serious personal injury. If you do not have a copy of the operating instructions, please obtain them from your employer, distributor, or lessor before you attempt to operate Liftgate.
- If there are signs of improper maintenance, damage to vital parts, or slippery platform surface, do not use the Liftgate until these problems have been corrected.
- If you are using a pallet jack, be sure it can be maneuvered safely.
- . Do not operate a forklift on the platform.
- Do not allow any part of yours or your helper's body to be placed under, within, or around any portion of the moving Liftgate, or its mechanisms, or in a position that would trap them between the platform and the ground or truck when the Liftgate is operated.
- If a helper is riding the platform with you, make sure you are both doing so safely and that you are not in danger of coming in contact with any moving or potentially moving obstacles.
- · USE GOOD COMMON SENSE
- If load appears to be unsafe, do not lift or lower it.

For a free copy of other manuals that pertain to this model Liftgate, please visit our website at www.maxonlift.com or call Customer Service at (800) 227-4116.

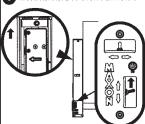




OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS OPERATE STOW LOWER RUNNERS TO LINE UP YELLOW ARROW WITH YELLOW STRIPE. THIS SHOWS PLATFORM IS CLEAR TO UNFOLD. ARROW STRIPE. THIS SHOWS PLATFORM IS CLEAR TO FOLD.







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Read all decals and operation manual before operating liftgate.

- Do not use liftgate unless you have been properly instructed and have read, and are familiar with, the operating instructions.
- Be certain vehicle is properly and securely braked before using the liftgate.
- Always inspect this liftgate for maintenance or damage before using it. Do not use liftgate if it shows any sign of damage or improper maintenance.
- 4. Do not overload
- Make certain the area in which the platform will open and close is clear before opening or closing the platform.
- Make certain platform area, including the area in which loads may fall from platform, is clear before and at all times during operation of liftgate.
- This liftgate is intended for loading and unloading of cargo only. Do not use this liftgate for anything but its intended use.

THE MAXIMUM CAPACITY
OF THIS LIFT IS

_ LB [___ KG]

C

WHEN THE LOAD IS CENTERED ON THE LOAD CARRYING PLATFORM

(REFER TO TABLE 88-1)



DECAL SHEET FIG. 88-1

MODEL	ORDER P/N	DECAL "C"
BMR-CS35	289163-01	3500 LBS. [1600 KG]
BMR-CS44	289163-02	4400 LBS. [2000 KG]

DECAL SHEET PART NUMBERS TABLE 88-1

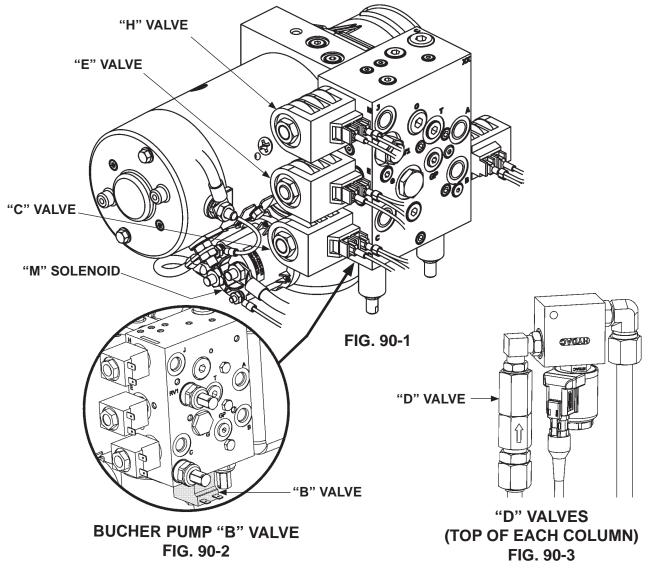
TOUCH UP GALVANIZED FINISH

CAUTION

Damaged cylinder seals and contaminated hydraulic fluid can result from applying cold galvanized spray to the polished portion of the cylinder rod. To prevent damage, protect the exposed polished portion of the cylinder rod while spraying.

• If bare metal is exposed on galvanized portions of the Liftgate, touch up the galvanized finish. To maintain the protection provided by the original galvanized finish, MAXON recommends cold galvanize spray.

HYDRAULIC SYSTEM DIAGRAMS PUMP & MOTOR SOLENOID OPERATION - POWER DOWN

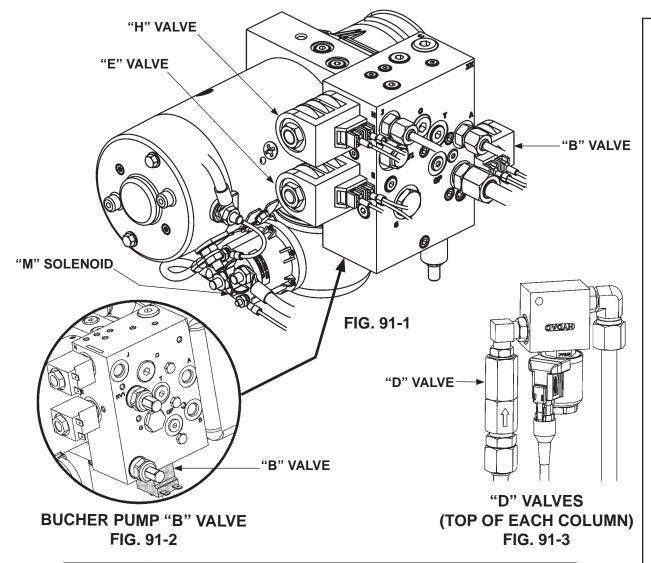


POWER UNIT MOTOR & SOLENOID OPERATION - POWER DOWN									
LIFTGATE	PORT	SOLENOID OPERATION (✓ MEANS ENERGIZED)							
FUNCTION		SWITCH	RELAY	MOTOR	VALVE "B"	VALVE "C"	VALVE "D"	VALVE "E"	VALVE "H"
LIFT	В		-	✓	-	-	-	-	-
LOWER	С	"PD"	-	✓	\checkmark	✓	✓	-	-
OPEN	J	PD	-	✓	-	-	-	✓	✓
CLOSE	Α		-	✓	-	-	-	✓	-
REFER TO VALVES SHOWN ON HYDRAULIC SCHEMATIC									

TABLE 90-1

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HYDRAULIC SYSTEM DIAGRAMS PUMP & MOTOR SOLENOID OPERATION - GRAVITY DOWN



POWER UNIT MOTOR & SOLENOID OPERATION - GRAVITY DOWN								
LIFTGATE	PORT	SOLENOID OPERATION (✓ MEANS ENERGIZED)						
FUNCTION		SWITCH	RELAY	MOTOR	VALVE "B"	VALVE "D"	VALVE "E"	VALVE "H"
LIFT	В		-	✓	-	-	-	-
LOWER	С	"CD"	\	-	✓	✓	-	-
OPEN	J	"GD"	-	✓	-	-	✓	\checkmark
CLOSE	Α		-	✓	-	-	✓	-
R	REFER TO VALVES SHOWN ON HYDRAULIC SCHEMATIC							

TABLE 91-1

HYDRAULIC SYSTEM DIAGRAMS GRAVITY DOWN HYDRAULIC SCHEMATIC

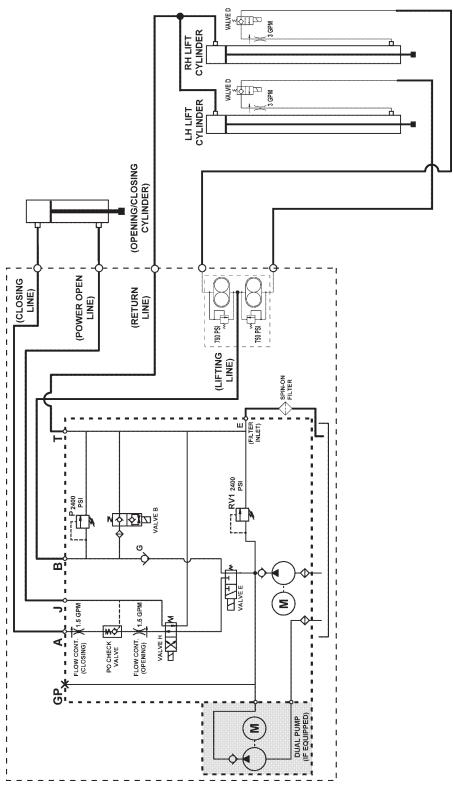


FIG. 92-1

HYDRAULIC SYSTEM DIAGRAMS POWER DOWN HYDRAULIC SCHEMATIC

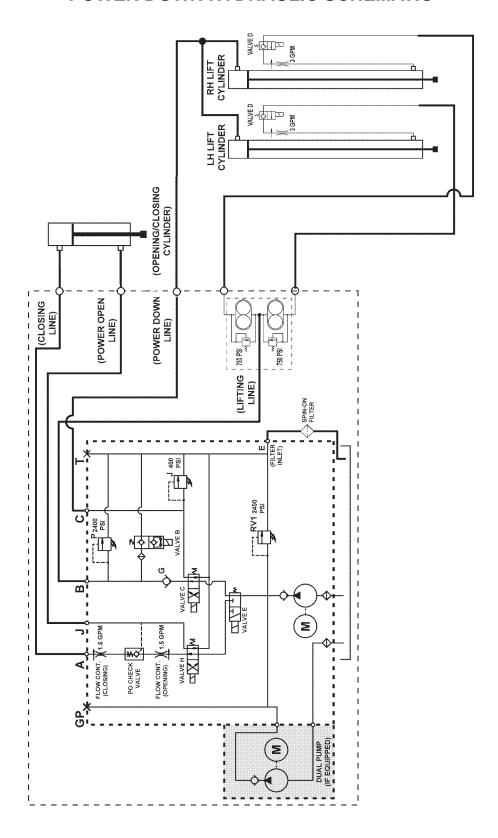


FIG. 93-1

ELECTRICAL SYSTEM DIAGRAMS INTERCONNECTING ELECTRICAL SCHEMATIC - GRAVITY DOWN

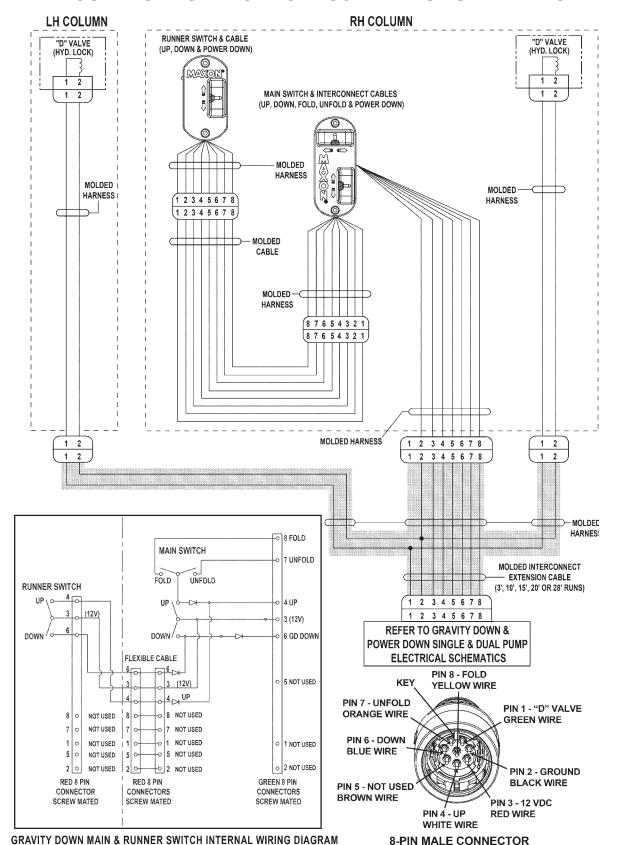


FIG. 94-1

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ELECTRICAL SYSTEM DIAGRAMS GRAVITY DOWN SINGLE & DUAL PUMP ELECTRICAL SCHEMATIC

NOTE: Refer to BMR-CS ELECTRICAL VALUES page.

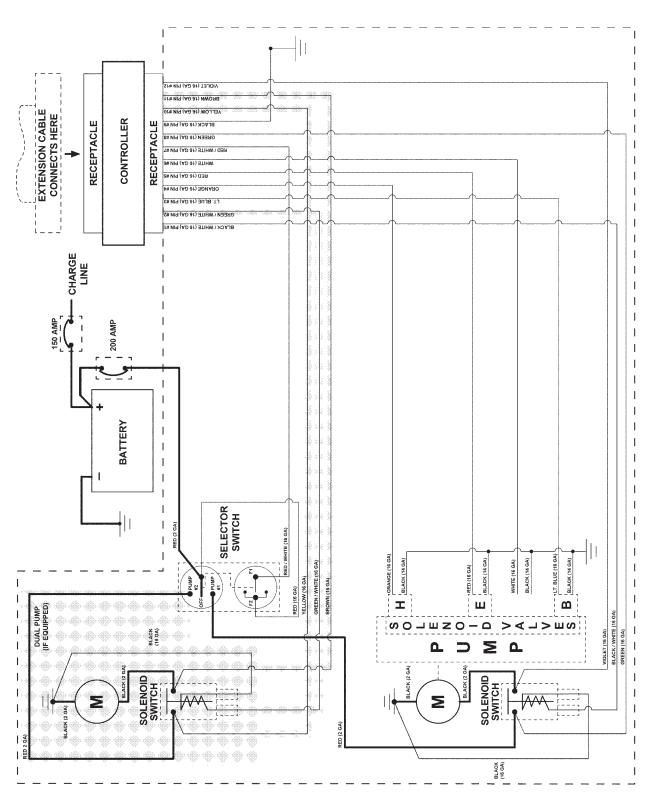


FIG. 95-1

ELECTRICAL SYSTEM DIAGRAMS - Continued INTERCONNECTING ELECTRICAL SCHEMATIC - POWER DOWN

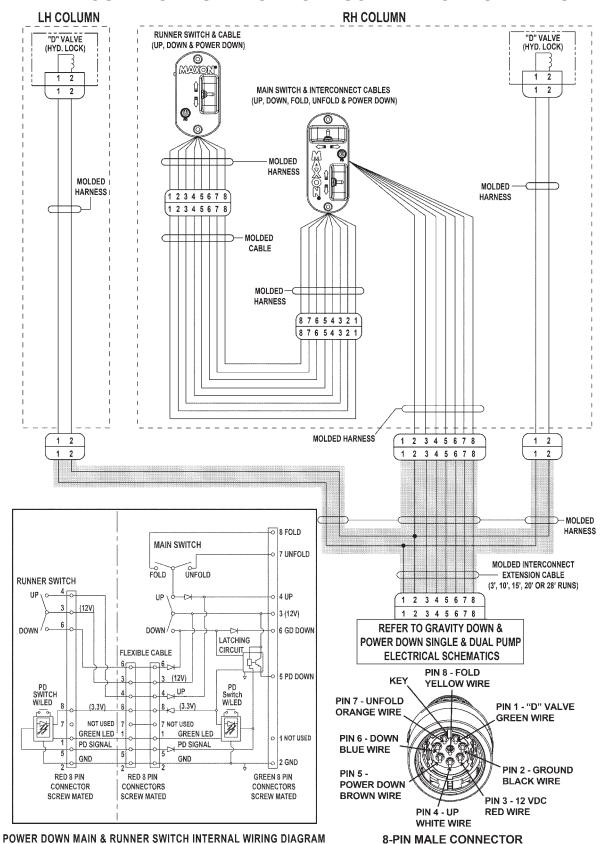


FIG. 96-1

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ELECTRICAL SYSTEM DIAGRAMS POWER DOWN SINGLE & DUAL PUMP ELECTRICAL SCHEMATIC

NOTE: Refer to BMR-CS ELECTRICAL VALUES page.

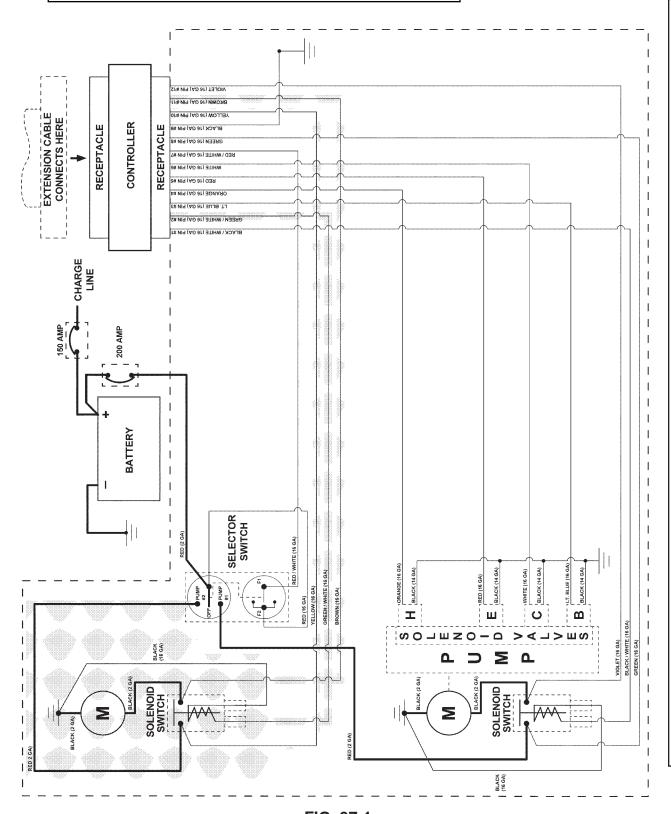


FIG. 97-1

ELECTRICAL SYSTEM DIAGRAMS BMR ELECTRICAL VALUES

MTE PUMP	BUCHER PUMP
Solenoid Switch: • Coil: 5.4Ω @ 70°F. ±15% • Ampere: 2.2A @ 12V • Coil terminal torque: 10-15 lb-in • Contact terminal torque: 30-35 lb-in	Solenoid Switch: • Coil: 5.4Ω @ 70°F. ±15% • Ampere: 2.2A @ 12V • Coil terminal torque: 10-15 lb-in • Contact terminal torque: 30-35 lb-in
Solenoid Valves (H, E, and C):	Solenoid Valves (H, E, and C): • Coil: 4.0Ω @ 70°F. ±15% • Ampere: 2.5A @ 10V • Coil nut torque: 15-45 lb-in
Solenoid Valve (B): • Coil: 7.5Ω @ 70°F. ±15% • Ampere: 1.6A @ 12V • Coil nut torque: 15-45 lb-in	Solenoid Valve (B): • Coil: 4.0Ω @ 70°F. ±15% • Ampere: 2.5A @ 10V • Coil nut torque: 15-45 lb-in
H, E, C & B Valve Cartridge Torque: 25-30 lb-ft maximum • Coil nut torque: 15-45 lb-in	H, E, C & B Valve Cartridge Torque: 25-30 lb-ft maximum Coil nut torque: 15-45 lb-in
Solenoid Valve (D): • Coil: 8.0Ω @ 70°F. ±15% • Ampere: 1.5A @ 12V • Coil nut torque: 3-4.5 lb-ft • Valve cartridge torque: 18.5-22 lb-ft	Solenoid Valve (D): • Coil: 8.0Ω @ 70°F. ±15% • Ampere: 1.5A @ 12V • Coil nut torque: 3-4.5 lb-ft • Valve cartridge torque: 18.5-22 lb-ft
Pump Selector Switch Terminal Stud Torque: 140 lb-in maximum	Pump Selector Switch Terminal Stud Torque: 140 lb-in maximum
Cable Ground Stud Torque: 24 lb-ft maximum	Cable Ground Stud Torque: 24 lb-ft maximum

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PRE-DELIVERY INSPECTION FORM

Model:		Date	e:			
Se	erial Number:	Technician:				
Pre-	Installation Inspection:	Operation Inspection:				
	Correct model	NOTE	E: The following times are for 56" bed			
	Correct capacity		height, aluminum platform and			
	Correct platform size		flipover, 85" W x 42" + 42" L, Exxon Univis HVI-13 oil, & temperature at			
	Correct options		70°F. Times are for reference only			
	Manuals & decals		and may vary for larger platforms,			
Stru	ctural Inspection:	smaller platforms, steel platforms, or temperature changes.				
	Inspect alignment of final assembly					
	Inspect pump box secure mounting		All BMR-CS			
	Inspect all installation welds					
	Check roll pins, bolts and fasteners		Check operation of main control			
	Check for no twists in chain		Check operation of runner control			
	Inspect tightness of hardware used for securing columns to mounting plates		Platform unfolds in 5 to 7 sec.			
	Ensure platform ramp touches ground		Platform folds in 5 to 7 sec.			
Hvd	Hydraulic Inspection:		Unloaded platform lowers in 8 to 20 sec.			
	Proper fluid level (See OPTIMIZE		Platform loaded with 1000 lb (plus) lowers in 8 to 12 sec .			
	HYDRAULIC FLUID LEVEL step in this manual)		Unloaded platform raises in 9 to 21 sec.			
	Check fittings for leaks in pump box		Platform raises and lowers evenly. Maxi-			
	Check fittings for leaks in columns		mum 1" difference from side to side.			
Electrical Inspection:			Platform stores and locks securely behind both column wedges			
	Check power/charge plug and terminal		Check lift operation under load			
	Check for loose wires and terminals		•			
	Circuit breaker		Decals in correct location and legible			
	Battery hookup,12 volt					
	Ensure batteries are fully charged					
	Inspect all solenoid connections					
	Check all wiring harness connections					
	Outside control box location					
	Check electrical cable connections (at the	1				

bottom of the curb-side runner) tight and

secure