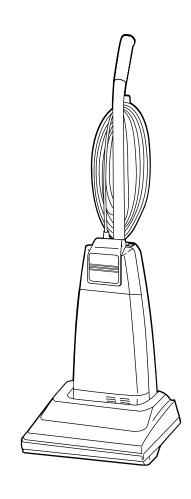
Service Manual

MODEL MC-V120 00



■ SPECIFICATIONS

Model	MC-V120	
Power Source	AC 120V (60 Hz)	
Power Consumption	9.0 Amps	
Cord Length	50 Ft.	
Motor Protector	Yes	
Height Adjust	Auto	
Weight	14.5 lbs.	

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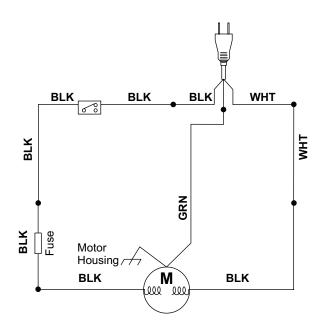
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■ NOTES		

CONDITION	CHECKPOINT	METHOD OF INSPECTION	CAUSE/REMEDY
MOTOR FAILS TO ROTATE, (NO NOISE IS HEARD AT ALL).	Power source (plug socket). Power cord. Motor continuity. Motor carbon brush is in contact with rotor.	Measure power source voltage at plug socket by use of tester. Remove AC plug from the AC wall outlet. Connect ohm-meter across both ends of the power cord plug and operate the ON/OFF switch. If the meter indicates continuity, the AC cord, switch, motor winding are OK. If no continuity is found, proceed as follows: Remove dust cover and the switch cover, short across AC plug ends, open the ON/OFF switch and read across the black and white leads of the AC cord. If continuity, cord is OK. If no continuity, AC cord is open. Check continuity of motor. Remove noise suppressor and check if there is gap between carbon brushes and rotor.	 Power source is fault if voltage is lower than specified. Replace AC cord. If there is no continuity of motor replace motor. If there is gap between carbon brush and rotor, cause is either dust accumulated in brush holder or carbon brush.
	ON/OFF switch continuity.	Remove switch cover, and check continuity across switch terminals.	brush holder or carbon brush worn out. Adjust or replace. • If there is no continuity between both terminals, ON/OFF switch must be defective.
SUCTION POWER IS TOO WEAK.	Dust bag. Filters.	Check quantity of dust accumulated in dust bag. Check for dirty filter.	Replace dust bag if full. (Paper) Empty dust bag. (Cloth) Clean and/or Change Filters.
15 TOO WEAR.	Nozzle hose.	Remove nozzle hose and check.	If clogged, remove clog.
	Dust in motor fan. Carbon brushes.	Check dust accumulated in motor fan. Check uneven wear of carbon brushes.	Clean dust out of motor fan and check filter condition. Replace carbon brushes. (Be sure
NOISE OR VIBRATION.	Agitator roller bearing noise.	Hold bearing units in hand, and turn agitator, check rolling noise the agitator pulley section makes.	to replace both carbon brushes at same time.) • If noise is abnormal, agitator end cap is defective. Replace defective end cap.
	Lower housing agitator grooves.	Agitator should turn freely without any drag or friction.	Lower housing is worn.
AGITATOR DOES NOT ROTATE.	• Belt.	Check condition of belt.	Replace belt if necessary.

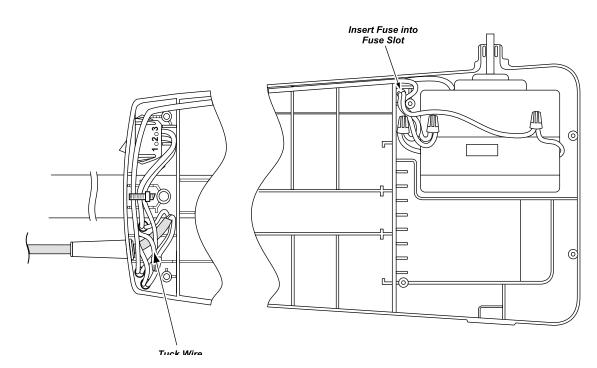
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■ PICTORIAL WIRING DIAGRAM

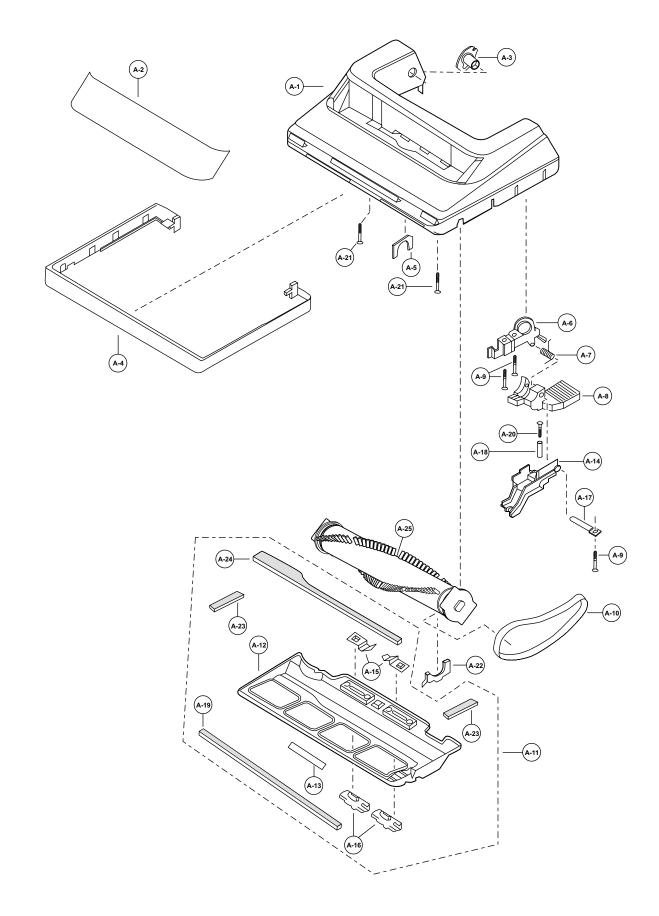


■ WIRING MANAGEMENT DRAWING

NOTE: Do not pinch any wires during reassembly. After servicing any electrical component or electrical enclosure, the unit should be reassembled and checked for dielectric breakdown or current leakage.



■ EXPLODED VIEW (NOZZLE HOUSING)... ABLOCK



■ MOTOR FAN REPLACEMENT

Removal

- **1.** Mark the position of the fan case's location on the motor with a pencil, or score it with a sharp object before disassembly. This will aid you in reassembling the fan case, (*Fig. 15*).
- **2.** The fan case has three (3) crimped sections on it to hold the case onto the motor. These will have to be straightened by using a pair of needle nose pliers and by tapping out on the crimp area with a flat blade screwdriver. Be sure and straighten all three (3) crimped areas, *(Fig. 15)*. Remove the fan case from the motor unit.
- **3.** Tools required to remove the fan from the shaft will be a 1/8 inch Allen wrench, a 1/2 -inch offset box wrench, torque wrench, and a hammer.

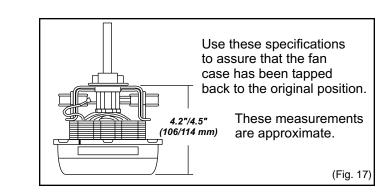
NOTE: Be careful when handling the sheet metal parts as there could be sharp edges. Do not scratch or bend the motor shaft. Scratches will cause belt breakage during operation.

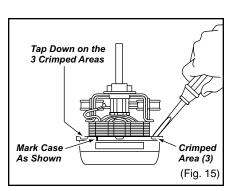
4. Place the 1/2 - inch box wrench over the 1/2 -inch hex nut that holds the fan onto the motor shaft, (*Fig.16*). While holding the wrench on the nut, place the 1/8 -inch Allen wrench into the end of the motor shaft and loosen the nut while holding the Allen wrench still. The nut will have to be turned clockwise as it is a left-hand thread. After removing the nut, remove the fan, (*Fig. 16*). There is a spacer left on the motor that is not required to be removed. If spacer is removed, reassemble per exploded view, (*Fig. 18*).

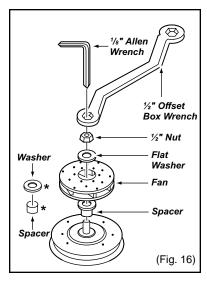
* Some models will have this washer and spacer.

Installation

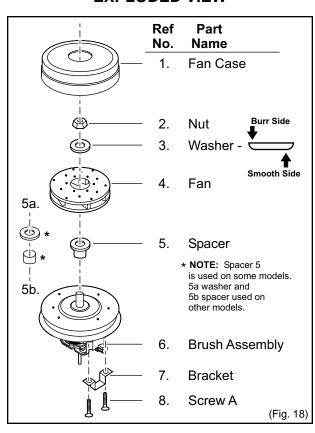
- 1. Place the new fan onto the motor shaft, making sure that the spacer is still on the motor. The large diameter hole, approximately 1 1/8 inch, will be on the top of the fan as you install it.
- 2. Install the flat washer with the burr side of the washer facing away from the fan, (Fig. 18). Screw the nut onto the motor shaft, turning it counterclockwise, left-hand threads, and torque to 20-30-inch pounds. Be sure to hold the motor shaft by placing the 1/8-inch allen wrench into the motor shaft end while torquing the nut, (Fig. 16).
- **3.** Align your marks on the fan case as you put the fan case back on and tap around the case uniformly. Tap the three (3) crimped areas over and then use a flat blade screwdriver to recrimp them.
- 4. See Fig. 17 for reassembly specifications.







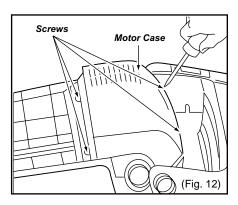
EXPLODED VIEW



■ MOTOR REPLACEMENT

Removal

- **1.** Remove the dust cover by grasping the top near the On/Off switch and pulling sharply out toward you.
- **2.** Remove the lower plate, agitator assembly, belt, the plastic shaft, and the nozzle housing as instructed in the respective removal sections.
- 3. Turn the vacuum over to the front side.
- **4.** Remove the four (4) screws from the motor case and then remove the motor case, (*Fig.* 12).
- **5.** Disconnect the motor leads and remove the motor. Remove the motor support rubber (rear), noise suppressor, and the motor support rubber (front). Place these items on the new motor. See the **C Block** for a view of these.



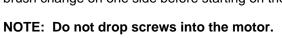
Installation

- 1. Place the motor back into the dust compartment with brushes aligned parallel to the front edge of the dust compartment. The motor support (rear) must also align with the tabs in the same direction.
- 2. Rewire per the Pictorial Wiring Diagram.
- 3. Replace the motor case and the four (4) screws.
- **4.** Turn the vacuum back over and replace the nozzle housing, plastic shaft, belt, agitator assembly, and lower plate according to the respective installation instructions.

CARBON BRUSH REPLACEMENT

Removal and Installation

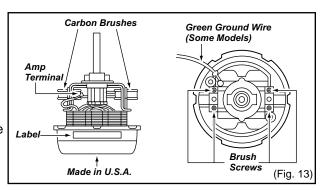
- 1. After removing the motor, see MOTOR REPLACEMENT, make sure that you have properly identified it. Note specifically that this motor is made in the U.S.A. as identified by the label on the side of the motor, or Made in U.S.A. stamped on the bottom.
- **2.** Remove the amp terminals located on each brush end, (*Fig. 13*). Replace the brush assembly which should include the brush holder. Reinstall the amp terminals onto the new brush assembly. Complete brush change on one side before starting on the other side.

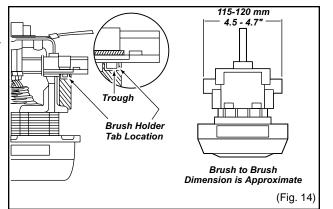


3. There are two (2) brushes located on the motor as identified in *Fig. 13.* A Phillips head screwdriver will be required to remove the four (4) screws that hold the brush holders onto the motor. See *Fig. 13* for screw location.

NOTE: When inserting the brush assembly, be sure that the TAB on the bottom of the brush holder is positioned in the trough as shown in *Fig. 14*.

- **4.** Replace the brush holder bracket with two (2) Phillips screws on each side of the motor.
- **5.** As a final check to assure proper installation of brushes, measure across the brushes for the approximate dimension as shown in *Fig. 14*.



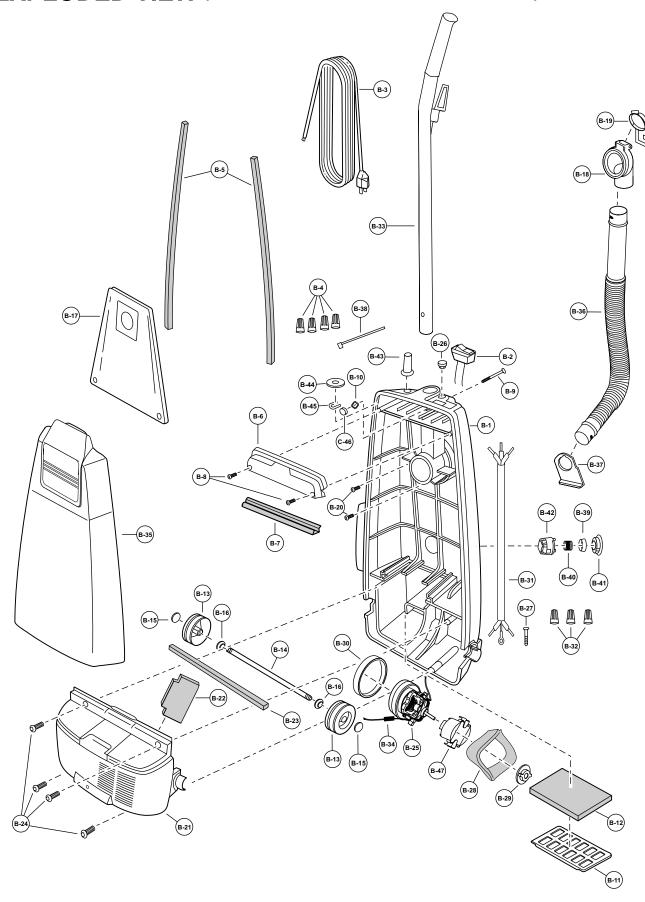


■ PARTS LIST (NOZZLE HOUSING)... A BLOCK

Ref. No.	Part Name & Description	Part No.	Quantity	Remarks
A – 1	Nozzle Housing	ACØ1ABFCZYU2	1	Furniture Guard Glued On
A – 2	Window	AC21H2XZYØ2	1	
A – 3	Shaft (Plastic)	AMC25S-VØØ	1	
A – 4	Furniture Guard	AC1ØA2VZVØ7	1	
A – 5	Packing (Nozzle)	AMC81A-VØØ	1	
A – 6	Frame	AMC43A-2VØ	1	
A – 7	Spring (Pedal)	AMC58A-2VØ	1	
A – 8	Pedal	AMC47A-2VØU	1	
A – 9	Screw (Frame)	AXTN4+16BFY	3	Shipped 10 per package
A – 10	Belt	AC28SJPZØØ	1	
A – 11	Lower Plate Assembly	AC91AARFZØØ	1	
A – 12	Lower Plate	AC27AARFZØØ	1	Includes A-13, A-23, & A-24
A – 13	Warning Label	ACØ7ZADFZØØ	1	
A – 14	Belt Cover (Rear)	AMC11S-2VØW	1	
A – 15	Stop Latch Spring	AC7ØNYUZØØ	2	
A – 16	Latch	AMC68N-V3ØK	2	
A – 17	Pedal Shaft	AMC51A-2VØ	1	
A – 18	Spacer	AMC74S-Z1ØØG	1	
A – 19	Packing (Lower Plate Front)	AC74AAAEZØØ	1	
A – 20	Screw (Spacer)	AXTN4+28BFY	1	Shipped 10 per package
A – 21	Screw (Nozzle)	AMC68A-V3Ø	2	Shipped 10 per package
A – 22	Agitator Holder	AMC82A-2VØ	1	
A – 23	Packing (Lower Plate Sides)	AMC39A-2VØ	2	
A – 24	Packing (Lower Plate Back)	AMC74A-2VØ	1	
A – 25	Agitator Unit	AC84RBZDZØØØ	1	

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EXPLODED VIEW (BODY, MOTOR HOUSING, AND MOTOR)... B BLOCK



■ POWER CORD/ON-OFF SWITCH REPLACEMENT (Cont.)

Installation

- 1. Insert the new power cord (power cord replacement only) into the dust compartment as far as necessary in order to place a new cord retainer in proper location on power cord. The proper location is approximately one and one eighth inches/thirty millimeters (1 1/8"/30 mm) of new power cord outer jacket extending past the cord retainer and washer. The washer goes between the cord retainer and the dust compartment. Attach wires with wire connectors according to the wiring diagram in the front of this manual. **ONLY USE A NEW CORD RETAINER, DO NOT REUSE A CORD RETAINER.**
- **2.** For switch replacement only, insert the new ON/OFF switch with the numbers 1,2,3, facing toward you, into the dust compartment until secured by the retaining tabs. Use a wire tie with the part number listed in the **C Block** parts list and place it in the location shown in *Fig. 9* taking care not to overtighten it. Tuck the wire connectors back into the dust compartment as shown in the close-up view in *Fig. 9*.
- **3.** Ensure that the Insulator Packing is installed correctly, (see Fig. 10).
- **4.** Replace the switch cover, the two (2) switch cover screws, and the dust cover. Care should be taken not to pinch wires and make sure that the switch cover goes on easily and stays flat. If there is resistance to the switch cover lying flat and in place, stop, remove the cover and make sure that no wires are being pinched. **DO NOT USE A POWER SCREWDRIVER TO SECURE THE COVER.**

NOTE: Any service involving the handle or switch cover area should be followed up with a dielectric or current leakage check of the unit. If you do not have the equipment or are not familiar with the test procedures, take the unit to an authorized servicer.

HOSE REPLACEMENT

Removal

- 1. Remove the lower plate as instructed in the LOWER PLATE REMOVAL/INSTALLATION section.
- 2. Pull the hose up out of the nozzle housing. Push the hose out of the back of the nozzle housing.
- 3. Remove the hose from the suction inlet by unscrewing it. The hose has left hand threads so it must be turned clockwise to remove.

Replacement

- 1. Replace the new hose by screwing it counterclockwise into the suction inlet.
- 2. Insert the hose in through the back of the nozzle housing. Push the end of the hose down into the slot in the nozzle.
- 3. Replace the lower plate as described in the LOWER PLATE REMOVAL/INSTALLATION section.

■ MOTOR PROTECTOR REPLACEMENT

Removal

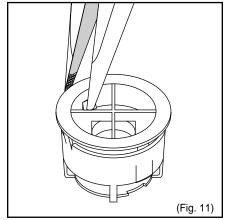
- 1. Remove the dust cover and dust bag.
- 2. Remove the motor protector (shown in the **C Block**) by pushing in, one at a time, on the tabs that secure it to the dust compartment. Push the motor protector out the back of the dust compartment.

Disassembly

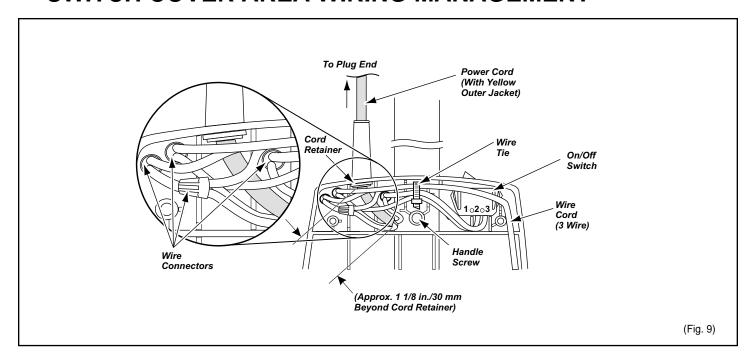
1. Holding a pair of needle nose pliers at an angle and in a position where one side of the pliers is against the locking tab, exert enough pressure on the tab to release it, (see *Fig. 11*). **NOTE:** There are two locking tabs present, but only one needs to be released. For reassembly look at the exploded view in the C Block.

Installation

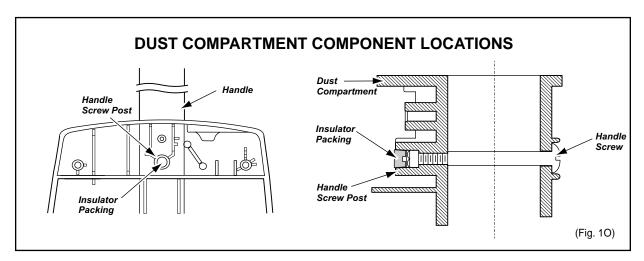
1. Reinstall the motor protector into the dust compartment by aligning the two tabs under the top flange with the slots in the dust compartment and applying pressure until it snaps into place.



■ SWITCH COVER AREA WIRING MANAGEMENT



■ POWER CORD/ON-OFF SWITCH REPLACEMENT



Removal

- **1.** Remove the dust cover and switch cover to expose the electrical connections of the power cord, ON/OFF switch, and wire cord.
- **2.** Pull the power cord into the dust compartment in order to remove the strain relief (for power cord replacement) by prying or cutting, remove the wire connectors, and wire tie, if present.
- **3.** Remove the ON/OFF switch (for ON/OFF switch replacement) by depressing the switch retaining tabs while pushing up out of the dust compartment at the same time.

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4. Pull the power cord out of the dust compartment (for power cord replacement).

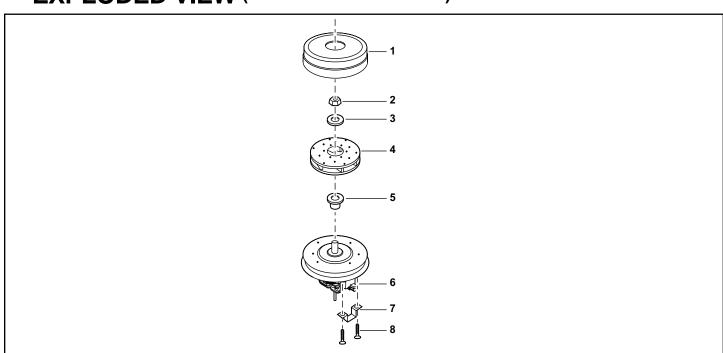
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PARTS LIST (MOTOR HOUSING, MOTOR, HANDLE, AND BODY)... BBLOCK

Ref. No.	Part Name & Description	Part No.	Quantity	Remarks
B - 1	Dust Compartment Unit	AC88KARFZUØ1	1	Incl. C-38, C-44, C-45 & C-46
B - 2	ON/OFF Switch	AC98EARFZØU	1	Includes C-38 & C-46
B - 3	Power Cord	AC94EAPNZYØ2	1	Incl. C-38, C-44, C-45 & C-46
B - 4	Wire Connector	AMC-1CTCE23	4	Shipped 10 per package
B - 5	Packing (Dust Container)	AC66KVØ1VØ6	2	
B - 6	Switch Cover	ACØ3EARFZVØ6	1	Includes C-46
B - 7	Packing (Switch Cover)	AC73KVØZVØ6	1	
B - 8	Screw (Switch Cover)	AXTN4+16BFY	2	Shipped 10 per package
B - 9	Handle Screw	AMC73B-VØØ	1	
B - 10	Nut (Handle Screw)	AMP21B-17Ø	1	
B - 11	Filter Supporter	AMC32K-VØØ	1	
B - 12	Secondary Filter	AMC37K-VØØ	1	
B - 13	Wheel	ACØ1CVØZVØB	2	
B - 14	Shaft (Wheel)	AC16CUSZØØ	1	
B - 15	Stopper (Wheel)	AC74SUSZØØ	2	
B - 16	Washer (Wheel)	AXWG6E115FY	2	Shipped 10 per package
B - 17	Dust Bag (Type U6)	AC16KJYZØØ	1	
B - 18	Suction Inlet	AC6ØHF74VU6	1	
B - 19	Cover (Suction Inlet)	AMCØ2H-F7ØE	1	
B - 20	Screw (Suction Inlet)	AXTN4+16BFY	2	Shipped 10 per package
B - 21	Motor Case	ACØ9FAECZVØ7	1	
B - 22	Packing (Rear Cover)	AMCØ2L-VØØ	1	
B - 23	Packing (Motor Case)	AC19FJPZVØ6	1	
B - 24	Screw (Motor Case)	AXTN4+2ØBFY	4	Shipped 10 per package
B - 25	Fan Motor Unit	AC92FTEZØU	1	
B - 26	Cover Cap	AC38HAPNZØU	1	
B - 27	Screw, Ground	AXYN4+E1ØFFY	1	Shipped 10 per package
B - 28	Noise Suppressor	AC99GAMMZØØ	1	
B - 29	Motor Support (Rear)	AMCØ3F-VØØ	1	
B - 30	Motor Support Rubber (Front)	AMCØ2F-EØØ	1	
B - 31	Wire Cord	AC37GTEZØU	1	
B - 32	Wire Connector	AMC-1CTCE23	3	Shipped 10 per package
B - 33	Handle	AC95BTEZVU7	1	Includes Cord Storage Hook
B - 34	Lead Wire Assembly	AC99WARGZØØ	1	
B - 35	Dust Cover	AC6ØKBFCZUU1	1	
B - 36	Hose	AC34PVØ2VØ6	1	
B - 37	Hose Supporter	AMC24P-2VØ	1	
B - 38	Wire Tie	AMC596-7Ø2	1	Shipped 10 per package
B - 39	Protector	AC69KJMZVØ6	1	
B - 40	Protector Spring - Yellow	AC7ØKAECZYØØ	1	
B - 41	Protector Supporter	AC18MJMZVØ6	1	
B - 42	Protector Case	AC68KJMZVØ6	1	
B - 43	Rubber Protector	AC51E4GZUØ1	1	
B - 44	Flat Washer, Round	AXWE1ØJ223FE	1	
B - 45	Cord Retainer	ACØ6WAPNZØØ	1	
B - 46	Packing (Insulator)	AC61LAGMZØØ	1	
B - 47	Plastic Cover (Motor)	AC93FTEZØU	1	

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EXPLODED VIEW (MOTOR FAN ASSEMBLY)



PARTS LIST (MOTOR FAN ASSEMBLY)

Ref. No.	Part Name & Description	Part No.	Quantity	Remarks
1	Fan Case	AMC53F-AVØØU	1	
2	Nut	AMC33F-ACØØU	1	
3	Washer (a)	AMC62F-AVØØU	1	
4	Fan	AC98FRFZØØ	1	
5	Spacer	AMC6ØF-AVØØU	1	
6	Brush Assembly	AC27FRFZØØ	1 (Set)	
7	Bracket	ACØ2DV3ZØU	2	
8	Screws	AC4ØDV3ZØU	4	

■ NOZZLE HOUSING REPLACEMENT

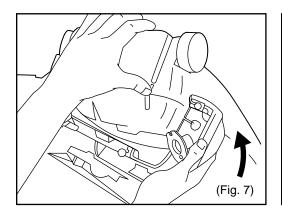
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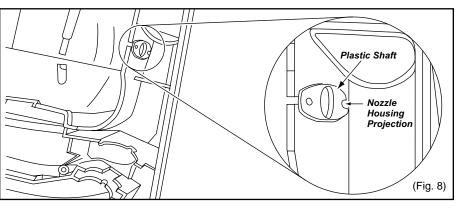
- **1.** Remove the lower plate as outlined in the LOWER PLATE REMOVAL/INSTALLATION section.
- **2.** Remove the belt and agitator assembly as outlined in the respective sections.
- **3.** Remove the nozzle hose by pulling up on the hose to remove it from the nozzle housing. Pull the nozzle hose out of the back of the nozzle housing.
- **4.** Insert a flat blade screwdriver between the nozzle housing and the plastic shaft, pry out the plastic shaft as illustrated, (*Fig. 5*).
- **5.** Remove the nozzle housing as illustrated, (Fig 6).
- 6. Remove the nozzle packing, window and handle release assembly.

NOTE: If the motor case cover is removed, DO NOT turn vacuum over as the motor may fall out.

Installation

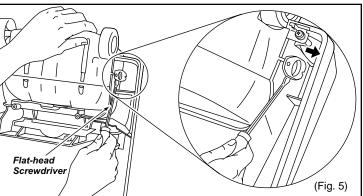
- **1.** Install the nozzle packing, if not already in place, window and handle release assembly in the new nozzle.
- 2. Fit the nozzle from the motor shaft side first, and rotate it into place on the dust container as illustrated, (Fig. 7).
- **3.** Slide the plastic shaft through the nozzle housing and into the dust container. Make sure that the slot on the bottom of the plastic shaft is down and fitted onto the projection, (Fig. 8).
- **4.** Reassemble the nozzle hose by inserting it into the nozzle. Push the nozzle hose down into the slot in the nozzle housing. Make sure that the tab on the hose supporter is inserted into the slot.
- **5.** Install the belt, agitator assembly, and the lower plate according to the respective instructions.





Nozzle

(Fig. 6)



■ AGITATOR ASSEMBLY REMOVAL/INSTALLATION

Removal

The brushes are not replaceable separately. When the brushes need replacing, the agitator assembly, (without end caps), will have to be replaced.

- **1.** Remove the lower plate as outlined in the LOWER PLATE REMOVAL/INSTALLATION section.
- 2. Lift rear belt cover and remove agitator holder.
- **3.** Carefully lift up on the agitator assembly until it clears both sides of the nozzle housing, (*Fig.* 2).
- **4.** Remove the belt from the motor shaft by sliding it off between the end of the shaft and the nozzle housing, (*Fig. 3*).

NOTE: The two (2) end caps may come off as you lift the agitator assembly out. Look at the exploded view of the agitator assembly in the B Block section for correct assembly of parts. The end caps should be reused.

Installation

- 1. Place the belt around the motor shaft, (Fig. 3).
- 2. Start the new agitator assembly back into the nozzle housing by placing the side opposite the belt partially into the slot. This will hold the agitator in place, and leave both hands free to place enough tension on the belt to allow that side

of the agitator to return to the nozzle housing slot.

3. Place the belt around the agitator pulley on the agitator assembly.

Note: There is a place for the belt to fit on one end of the agitator assembly only. This is the agitator pulley.

- **4.** Use both hands to pull the belt tight, (*Fig. 4*), and slide the agitator assembly firmly into the slots on each end of the nozzle housing.
- 5. Rotate the agitator assembly by hand to insure nothing rubs and to check for correct assembly.
- **6.** Replace the agitator holder, and close the rear belt cover.
- **7.** Replace the lower plate as outlined in the LOWER PLATE REMOVAL/INSTALLATION section.

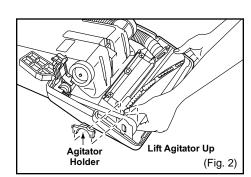
■ BELT REPLACEMENT

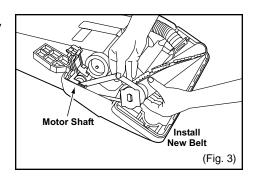
Removal

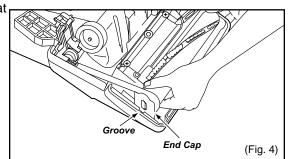
1. Follow all of the instructions outlined in the agitator assembly removal section.

Installation

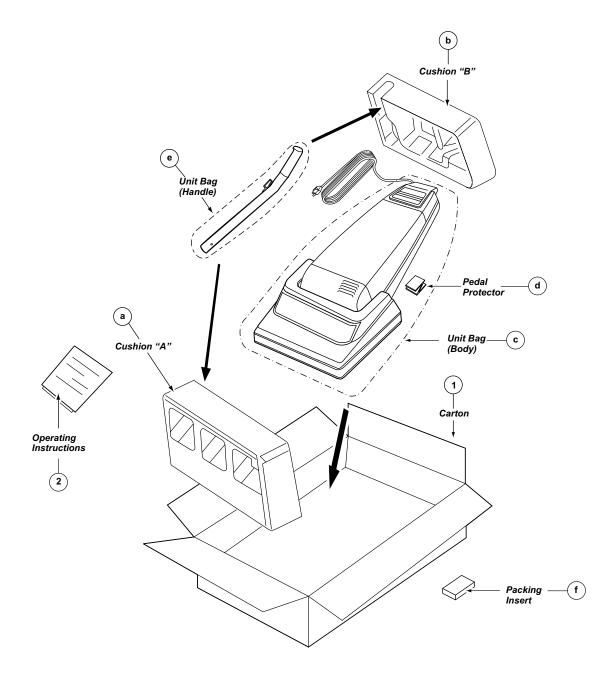
1. Place the new belt around the motor shaft and follow the instructions in the agitator assembly replacement section.







EXPLODED VIEW (PACKING MATERIALS)



■ PARTS LIST (PACKAGING MATERIALS)

Ref. No.	Part Name & Description	Part No.	Quantity	Remarks
1	Packaging Assembly	AC61ZBFCZØUØ	1	Includes 1 and items a-f
2	Operating Instructions	ACØ1ZCDGZØØØ	1	

COMPONENT REMOVAL CHART

COMPONENT TO BE REMOVED	COMPONENTS THAT MUST BE REMOVED	HOW TO REMOVE
Belt	Lower Plate	Release latches, and tilt off.
	Agitator Assembly	Lift out with end caps.
Agitator Assembly	Lower Plate	Release latches, and tilt off.
	Belt	Lift out with agitator.
Motor	Dust Cover Lower Plate	Pull off.
	Lower Plate	Release latches, and tilt off.
	Agitator Assembly/Belt	Lift out with end caps.
	Nozzle Housing	Pull off.
	Motor Case	Remove four screws and pull off.
On-Off Switch/	Dust Cover	Pull off.
Power Cord	Switch Cover	Remove two screws and pull off.
Nozzle Housing	Lower Plate	Release latches, and tilt off.
	Agitator Assembly/Belt	Lift out with end caps.
Motor Protector	Dust Cover	Pull off.
	Dust Bag	Pull out of dust compartment

■ LOWER PLATE REMOVAL/INSTALLATION

Removal

- 1. Place the handle in low position.
- **2.** Turn the vacuum cleaner over exposing the underside. Release the lower plate by pressing the two (2) latches that secure it inward, (*Fig 1*).
- **3.** Separate the lower plate from the vacuum.

Installation

- 1. Close the rear belt cover.
- **2.** Hook the front of the lower plate into the slots on the front of the nozzle housing. Press the lower plate down into place.
- **3.** Fasten the lower plate by pushing the two (2) latches outward.

NOTE: For general servicing, it is necessary to eliminate pinching of any wire during reassembly. After servicing any electrical component or electrical enclosure, the unit should be reassembled and checked for dielectric breakdown or current leakage.

