

**TECHNICAL MANUAL**

**OPERATOR'S, ORGANIZATION, DIRECT SUPPORT  
AND GENERAL SUPPORT MAINTENANCE MANUAL  
INCLUDING REPAIR PARTS LIST**

**FOR**

**POWER HACK SAW  
MODEL 5 HY-DUTY SA  
(KELLER MANUFACTURING)  
(NSN 3405-00-812-1593)**

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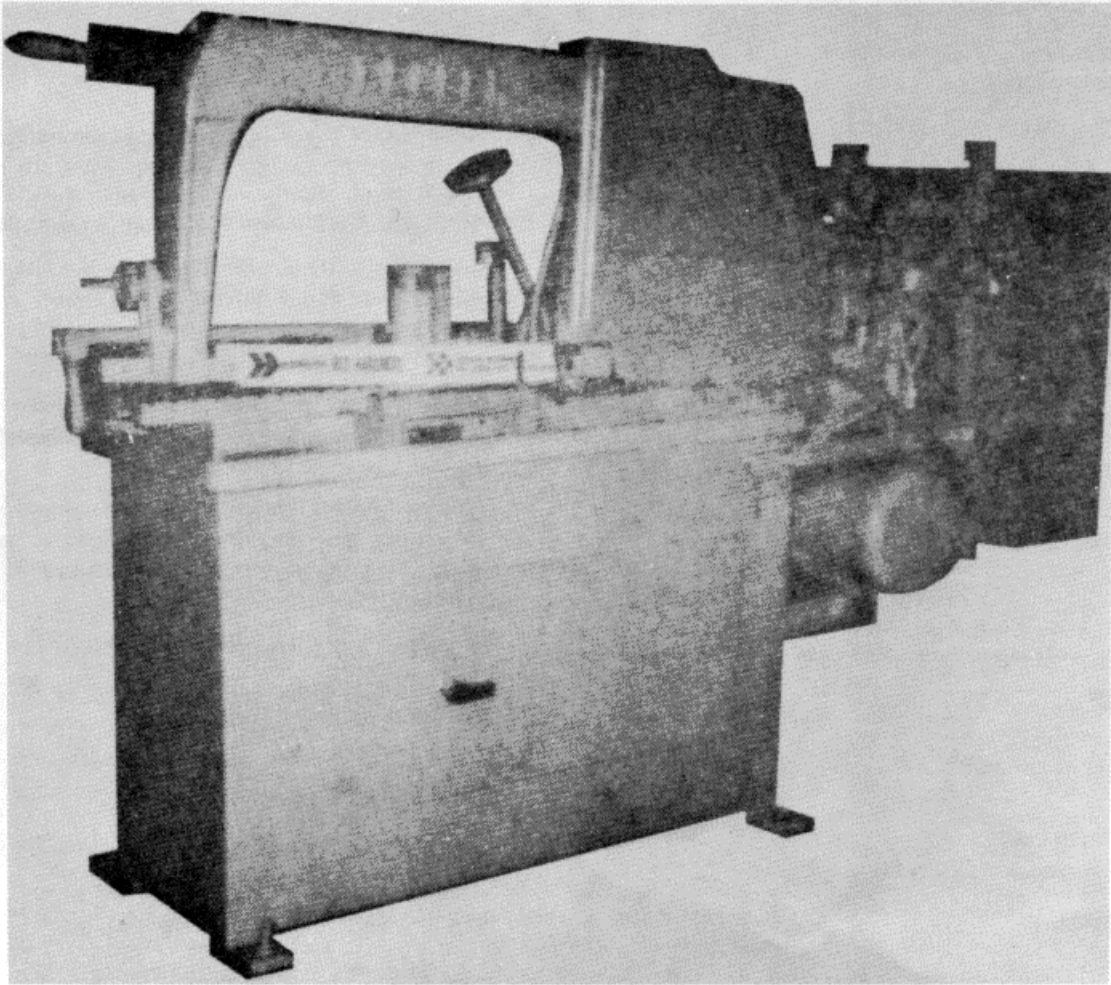
When requisitioning parts not identified by National Stock Number, it is mandatory that the following information be furnished the supply officer.

- 1 - Manufacturer's Federal Supply Code Number - 6A606N
- 2 - Manufacturer's Part Number exactly as listed herein.
- 3 - Nomenclature exactly as listed herein, including dimensions, if necessary.
- 4 - Manufacturer's Model Number - 5HY-Duty SA
- 5 - Manufacturer's Serial Number (End Item)
- 6 - Any other information such as Type, Frame Number, and Electrical Characteristics, if applicable.
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Any other pertinent information such as Frame Number, Type, Dimensions, etc.



## OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Your saw is an extremely simple machine to operate. However, there are just a few general instructions which should be followed. All Saws are completely wired, ready to run. However, when connecting reversible motors, be sure crank disc is revolving in counter-clockwise direction as shown by the arrow.

Oil each hole daily except the motor. Do not drop the saw blade on the work.

### HYDRAULIC INITIAL START UP PROCEDURE

Before using machine for first time, check hydraulic reservoir for proper oil level as indicated on oil sight gauge. Fill oiler on saw frame with #10 non-detergent machine oil. Lubricate all lubricator points for the hydraulic system, use # 30 hydraulic oil.

**ADJUSTABLE BRONZE GIBS.** Guide bar operates on bronze gibs in saw frame. Gibs may be adjusted by take-up screws in the saw frame to compensate for wear and to maintain proper alignment. The bronze gibs are easily and inexpensively replaced. **TEN HOUR CHECK.** After the new saw has been in operation for about ten hours, the bronze gibs should be tightened to compensate for normal wear in of the machine.

**HYDRAULIC LIFT** is standard equipment on all Hy-Duty Power Hack Saws. This hydraulic lift mechanism automatically lifts blade on return stroke. Blades last longer, run cooler and cut better.

**VARIABLE FEED PRESSURE CONTROL.** Simply turn knob on the side of the manifold block to obtain the corresponding pressure on the pressure

gauge. Use heavy pressure for bar stock, etc. Use lighter pressure for sawing thin-wall alloy stock, use a high feed pressure, but the slow feed rate. Do not exceed 400 lbs.

**VARIABLE FEED RATE CONTROL.** The feed rate control is to be used in conjunction with feed pressure control.

Common sense machining practice will yield the most successful cost efficient cut. Refer to the section in the manual on "How to Select and Use Power Hack Saw Blades" for further information.

**FOR ANGLE CUTTING.** Simply swivel the vise up to 45-degrees and tighten, or use the "Quick--Set" Angle Vise Block which automatically provides a 45 degree angle.

**VARI-SPEED DRIVE** provides infinite adjustment of cutting speed from 65 to 170 strokes per minute.

### NOTE:

1. Under normal operation. you may experience surging in the hydraulic system, this is air working its way out of the system.
2. Periodically oil all lubrication points.

### PROBLEM

1. Motor runs, saw frame will not move.
2. Machine leaks oil.
3. Saw frame will not feed up or down.
4. Coolant pump fails to operate.
5. Saw frame stalls in cut.
6. Gauge will not respond to adjustment.

### ANSWER

Check for broken belts.

Check all fittings for leakage.

Check power source for hydraulic solenoids, fuse blown on 110 volt on transformer secondary.

Check coolant level in tank, shut machine down, let machine cool off.

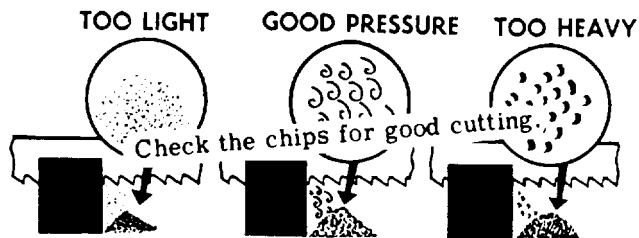
Check for worn belt, excessive feed pressure.

Replace relief valve, check for dirt in hydraulic system, check gauge calibration.

## HOW TO SELECT AND USE POWER HACK SAW BLADES

Power hack saws automatically take a Full Stroke each time, automatically Lift the blade on reverse stroke and apply steady cutting pressure throughout the length of the stroke

The proper tensioning of the power hack saw blade is most important. Insufficiently tensioned blades wear rapidly, cut inaccurately and deliver a blank with a poor finish. A blade tensioned too tightly breaks prematurely or pulls out at the pin hole.



If chips are burned you are feeding too heavy. If chips are fine and powdery you are feeding too light. A free cut with nicely curley chips indicate ideal feeding pressure, fastest cutting time and longer life.

For most cutting jobs, the all-hard blade is first choice for straight, accurate cutting. The all-hard tungsten blade is unexcelled for retaining its sharp teeth. It handles work hardening materials, abrasive material, stainless, high manganese steel and the low machinability bronzes. Molybdenum blades are good for fast accurate cutting, but especially on low or medium alloy steels, iron and most non-ferrous metals.

You gain more by selecting the COARSEST TOOTH for the work. This is necessary for good chip appearance as more pressure can be applied

for a better bite, without clogging. (Of course, the feed per tooth must be kept below the point of fracturing the teeth).

Large Sections and soft materials require coarse teeth. Thin sections and hard-to-machine materials require fine teeth.

### USE HEAVY FEED PRESSURE

Normally you should set the feed pressure as heavy as possible without breaking the teeth or making the blade cut crooked. Excessive pressure and stroke speed increase the cutting rate at the expense of blade wear. (When in doubt, keep pressure at maximum but reduce the stroke speed)

The heaviest practical pressure . . . and the fastest reasonable stroke speed produce the most efficient cutting

A feed-rate that is too light results in rubbing instead of cutting; (tooth point overheat, soften and break down).

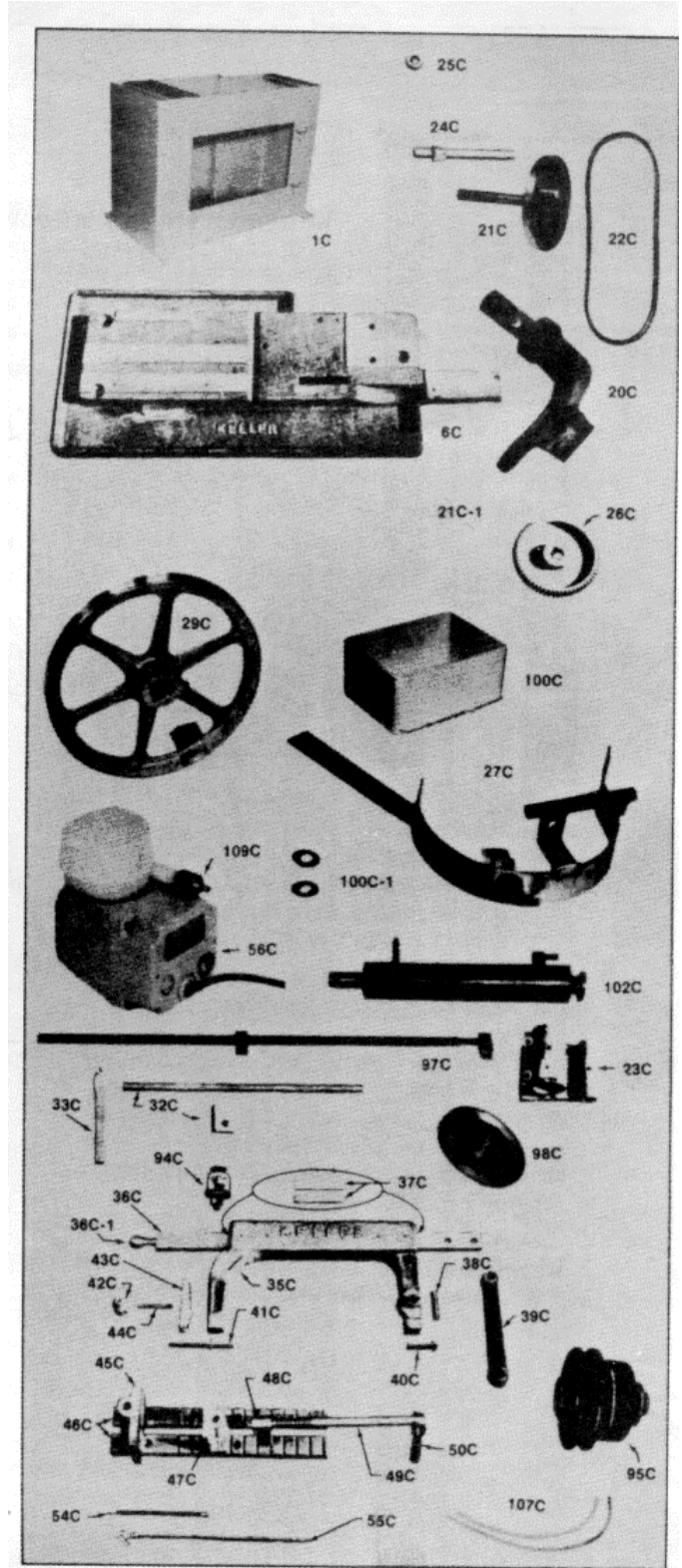
For optimum feed rate: Use heavy feed for hard, very dense material ---light feed for thin soft material. For maximum production, you can increase feed by using coarse blades on soft materials. But remember to use moderate feed when straight, accurate cutting is required.

### USE PLENTY OF COOLANT

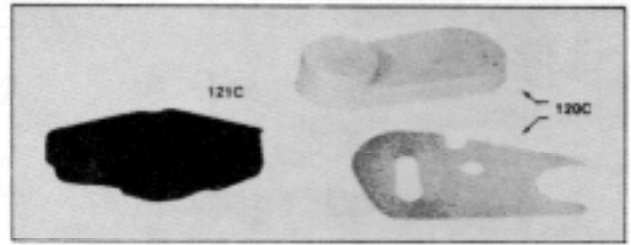
Start the coolant flow before the first cutting stroke. Coolant is needed on materials (except cast iron, copper and some brasses) to reduce friction, blade wear, and chip clogging. Keep coolant flowing until job is finished and the blade is stopped. For best blade life and fastest cutting time use TRIM EP, a product of Master Chemical Corporation.

**REPAIR PARTS FOR # 5 HY DUTY HACK SAW**

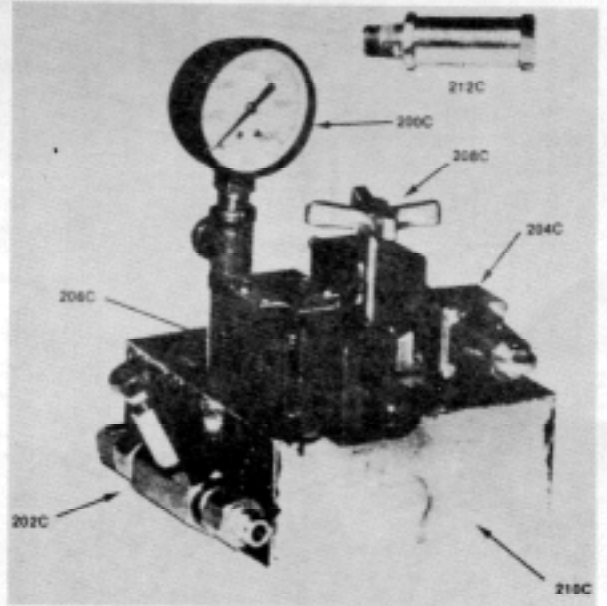
- 1C Cabinet Base
- 6C Saw Table
- 20C Guide Bar Support Arm
- 21C Crank Shaft Disc Assembly
- 22C V-Belt
- 23C Main Bearing
- 24C Drive Shaft Pinion Assembly
- 25C Set Collar
- 26C Drive Gear
- 27C Gear Guard
- 29C V-Drive Pulley
- 32C Gauge Bar Clamp
- 33C Gauge Bar Assembly
- 35C Saw Frame-Only
- 36C Guide Bar
- 36C-1 Guide Bar Handle & Pin
- 37C Brass Gibs for Saw Frame (4 to set)
- 38C Connecting Rod Wrist Pin
- 39C Connecting Rod
- 40C Saw Blade Support Bar
- 41C Saw Blade Tension Bar
- 42C Saw Blade Tension Nut
- 43C Saw Blade Tension Clamp
- 44C Stud Bolt for Saw Frame
- 45C Solid Vise Jaw
- 46C Vise Rails (2 to set)
- 47C Loose Vise Jaw
- 48C Vise Nut
- 49C Vise Screw Assembly
- 50C Vise Complete
- 54C Lower Coolant Line
- 55C Flexible Coolant Tube Assembly
- 56C Coolant Pump
- 94C Automatic Oiler
- 95C Hi-Lo Motor Pulley
- 97C Variable Speed Control Assembly
- 98C Handwheel for Variable Speed Control
- 100C Hydraulic Tank Reservoir
- 102C Hydraulic Cylinder Assembly
- 107C Hydraulic Lines
- 109C Brass Hose Fitting Pump



120C Belt Guard Assembly  
121C Crank Disc Guard



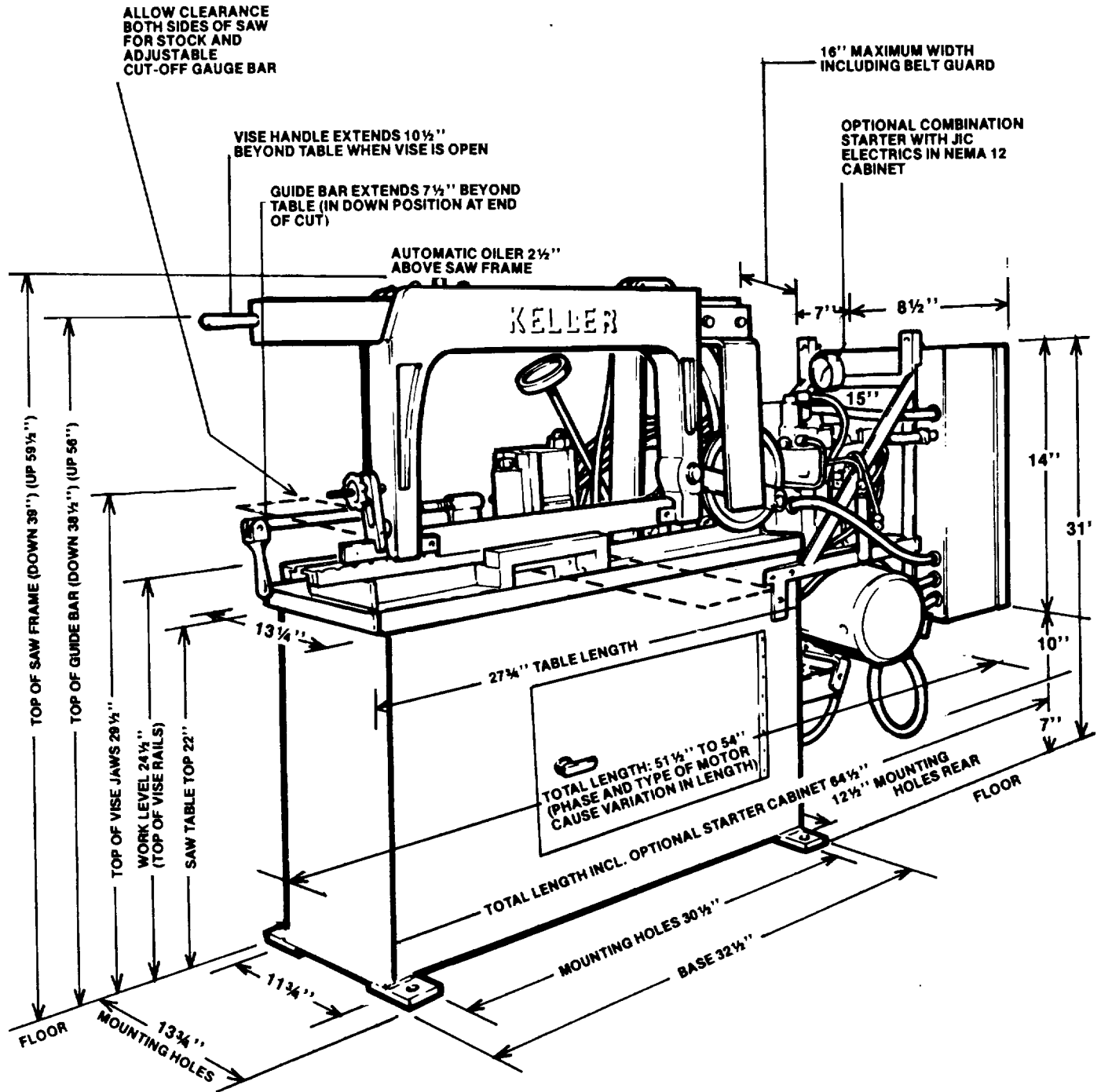
200C Pressure Gauge  
202C Pressure Regulating Valve  
204C Stroke Relief Valve  
206C Directional Control Valve  
208C Feed Rate Valve  
210C Manifold Block  
212C Check Valves (3)





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