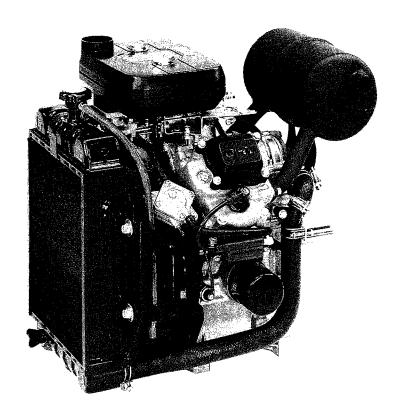


FD501D



4-stroke liquid cooled V-twin gasoline engine

Service Manual Supplement

This supplement is designed to be used in conjunction with the FD440V/FD501V/FD590V base Service manual (99924-2041-01). Service operations, procedures, specifications, figures, and limits put in this supplement are only these that are unique to the FD501D engine. These remain almost identical to these put in the base service manual. Complete and proper service of the FD501D engine therefore requires both this supplement and the base service manual. Use the base service manual to see the FD501V engine corresponding to the FD501D engine.

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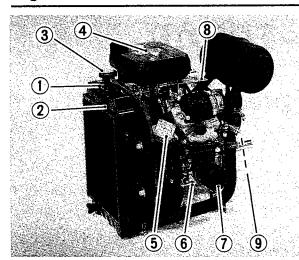
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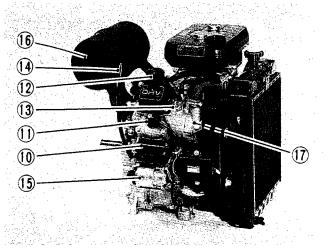
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GENERAL INFORMATION

Engine Profiles



Left-Hand Side Shown



Right-Hand Side Shown

- 1. Radiator
- 2. Radiator Screen
- 3. Pressure Cap
- 4. Air Cleaner
- 5. Fuel Pump
- 6. Oil Pressure Switch
- 7. Oil Filter
- 8. Speed Control Plate
- 9. Coolant Check Valve

- 10. Ignition Coil
- 11. Spark Plug
- 12. Oil Filler Cap
- 13. Coolant Temperature Switch
- 14. Oil Level Gauge
- 15. Electric Starter
- 16. Muffler
- 17. Thermostat

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GENERAL INFORMATION

General Specifications

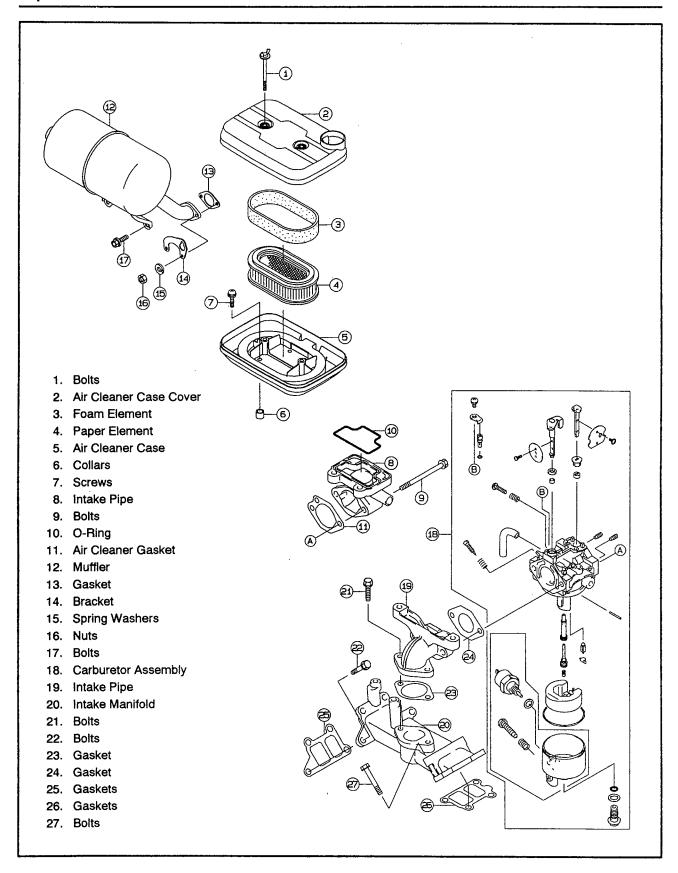
Type of Engine	Liquid-cooled, Horizontal shaft, OHV, 4-stroke, 90°V-twin, gasoline engine
Bore x Stroke	67m x 62 mm (2.64 x 2.44 in)
Piston Displacement	437 mL (26.7 cu-in)
Compression Ratio	9.3:1
Max. Output	11.8 kW (16.0 hp/3600 rpm)
Low Idle Speed	1 550 rpm
Fast Idle Speed	3 600 rpm
Fuel Pump	Pressure/vacuum operated diaphragm pump
Dimensions (L x W x H)	523 x 385 x 481 mm (20.6 x 15.2 x 18.9 in)
Dry Weight (with muffler)	35.2 kg (77.6 lb)

Specifications subject to change without notice

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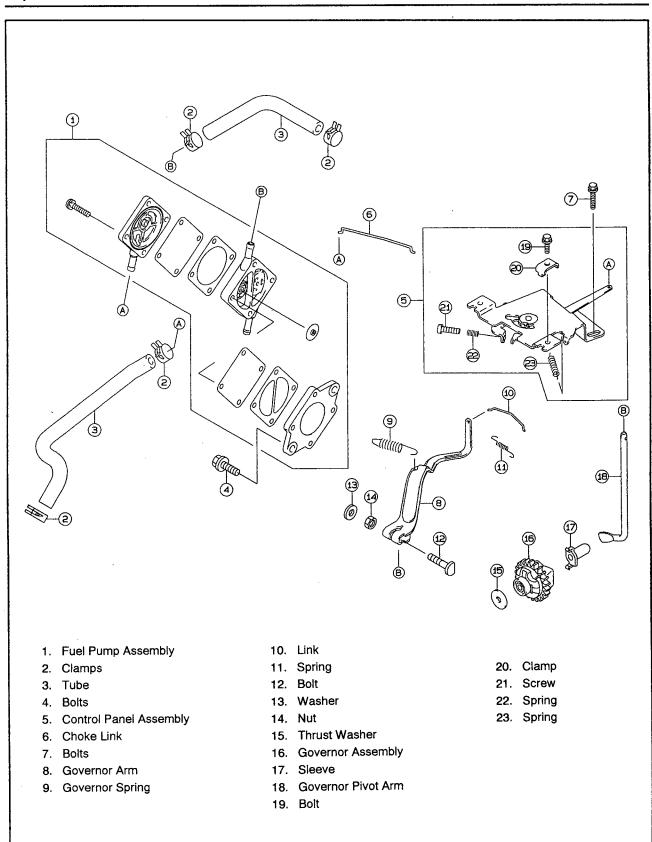
FUEL SYSTEM

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FUEL SYSTEM

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FUEL SYSTEM

Specifications

Items	Standard	
Carburetor Specifications :		
Make/Type	MIKUNI/BV24-18	
Main Bore Diameter	24 mm (0.94 in)	
Venturi Diameter	18 mm (0.71 in)	
Main Jet	#112.5	
Pilot Jet	#47.5	
Main Air Jet	φ 1.2	
Pilot Air Jet	φ 1.0	
Pilot Air Screw (Idle Mixture Screw)	1 - 3/8	
Turning Back		
Low Idle	1 550 rpm	
Fast Idle	3 600 rpm	
Fuel Pump Specifications :		
Type	Pressure/vacuum operated diaphragm pump	
Fuel Minimum Pressure	6.12 kPa (0.9 psi)	
Fuel Minimum Flow	80 mL (2.7 oz/15 seconds)	

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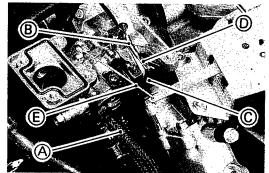
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FUEL SYSTEM

Carburetor

Carburetor Removal

- Remove the air cleaner and related parts (see Air Cleaner).
- ●Turn the fuel shut-off valve on the equipment to the OFF position.
- Drain fuel from the carburetor.
- Disconnect the fuel tube at the fuel inlet joint (A) of the carburetor.
- Disconnect the fuel shut-off valve lead terminal.
- Unscrew the carburetor mounting nuts.
- •Unhook the throttle link spring (B) at the governor arm (C) top end.
- Unhook the throttle and choke link rod (D, E) at the top ends of their arms while lifting off the carburetor.



High Altitude Operation

High Altitude Main JetFD501D

Altitudes		STD
0 ~ 1 000 m	(0 ~ 3 000 ft) (STD)	#112.5
1 000 ~ 2 000 m	(3 000 ~ 6 000 ft)	#110
2 000 m	(6 000 ft) and higher	#107.5

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FUEL SYSTEM

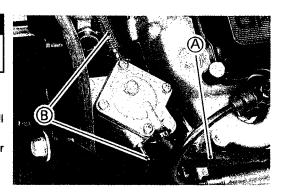
Fuel Pump

The FD440V/FD501V/FD590V engines have a mechanical drive type diaphragm pump. A cam on the camshaft of the engine moves an actuating plunger. This plunger moves a pivot arm which is connected to a diaphragm. In the other hand, the FD501D engine is equipped with a pressure/vacuum operated diaphragm pump. The pump operates using changes in vacuum that occur in the crankcase during engine operation.

AWARNING

Gasoline is dangerous. Avoid fires due to smoking or careless maintenance practices.

- ●Test the fuel pump before removal (see Fuel Pump Test).
- Close the fuel shut-off valve.
- Disconnect the vacuum line (A) and the fuel lines (B). Close all openings using caps and plugs.
- Remove the fuel pump to inspect for wear or damage. Repair o replace as necessary.



Fuel Pump Test

- Start and run the engine at slow idle for 1 minute to fill the carburetor with fuel.
- Stop the engine.
- Disconnect and plug the fuel pump outlet hose.
- Connect a pressure gauge to the fuel pump outlet.
- Start and run the engine at fast idle for 15 seconds, then record pressure reading.
- Stop the engine.

Minimum Specification

Fuel Pressure 6.12 kPa (0.9 psi)

- Remove the fuel pump outlet pressure gauge and connect the hose.
- Disconnect the fuel pump outlet hose (A) from the carburetor and put it in a graduated container.
- Start and run the engine at fast idle for 15 seconds, then stop the engine to record container measurement.
- ★The measurement should be more than 80 mL (2.7 oz)/15 seconds. If the measurement is less than the specification, inspect for:

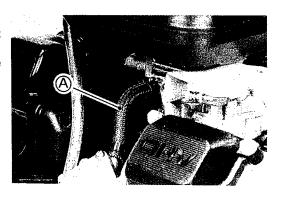
Plugged fuel tank vent, fuel line, or fuel filter Low crankcase vacuum

Damaged or worn fuel pump

Minimum Specification

Fuel Flow

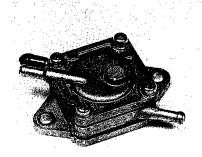
80 mL (2.7 oz)/15 seconds



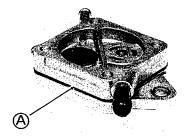
FUEL SYSTEM

Fuel Pump Disassembly

- Remove the fuel pump.
- Remove the screws and washers.
- Remove the cover, gaskets, and the diaphragm. Make sure the vent in the cover is not plugged. Inspect the diaphragm for hairline cracks or wear.



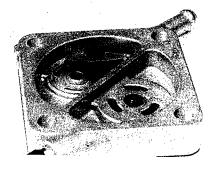
• Remove the pump body and the gasket (A).



- Remove the bottom diaphragm and the gasket. Inspect the diaphragm for holes, wrinkles or wear.
- Inspect all pump mounting surfaces. They must be free of any nicks or burrs. Replace any worn or damaged gaskets or diaphragms.



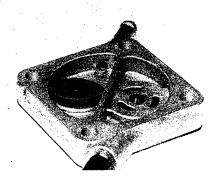
- •When installing inlet and outlet valve assemblies, use a punch or small dull shaft to stretch rubber grommet. Push stretched assembly into the pump body.
- When assembling the pump body, make sure flat area on the bottom plate and the pump body match.



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 Remove the valves by pulling the rubber grommet. Inspect the valves for hairline cracks or wear.



Fuel Pump Assembly

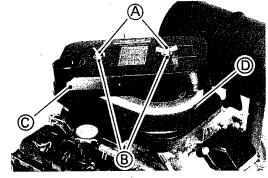
Assembly is the reverse of disassembly.

FUEL SYSTEM

Air Cleaner

Elements Removal

- ●Remove the wing bolts (A), the washers (B), and the cleaner case cover (C) to remove the elements (D).
 - A. Wing Bolts
- C. Cleaner Case Cover
- B. Washers
- D. Elements

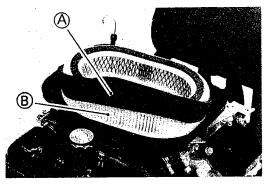


Element Cleaning and Inspection

CAUTION

Do not clean the paper element. Replace if oily, dirty, or damaged in any way or direct light can be seen through paper.

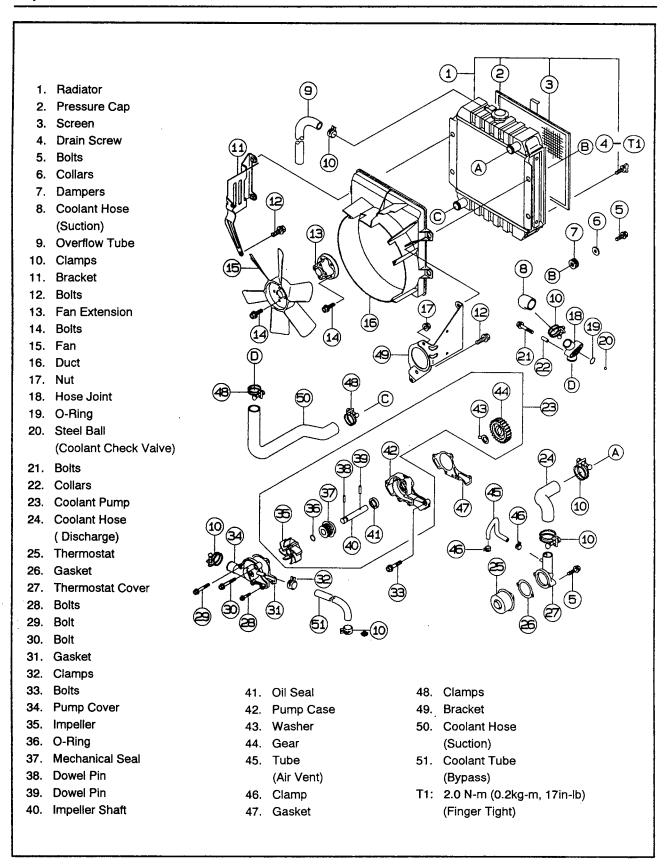
 Remove the air cleaner elements to separate the foam element (A) from the paper element (B).



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COOLING SYSTEM

Exploded View



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COOLING SYSTEM

Specifications

Item	Standard
Coolant:	
Total amount	2.0 L (2.1 qt)

Specification subject to change without notice

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COOLING SYSTEM

Coolant

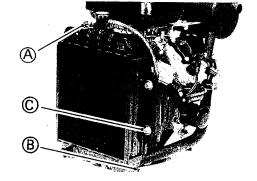
Coolant Draining

- Remove the radiator cap (A) as follows.
- First turn the cap counterclockwise to the first stop and wait there for a few seconds.
- O Push down the cap, then turn the cap counterclockwise to the next stop.
- O Lift off the cap.
- Place a suitable container under the radiator. Turn the drain screw (B) few turns counterclockwise to drain the radiator of coolant.

(A)

Radiator Removal

- Remove the radiator cap and drain the coolant out of the radiator (see Coolant Draining).
- Loosen the hose clamps (A and B) and disconnect the radiator hoses at the top and the bottom of the radiator.
- Unscrew the radiator mounting bolts (C) and carefully remove the radiator.



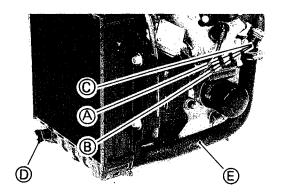
CAUTION

The steel ball will be loose when the hose joint is removed. Do not let it fall out of the engine block.

•Inspect the hose joint O-ring (B) and the steel ball (A). Replace if worn or damaged.

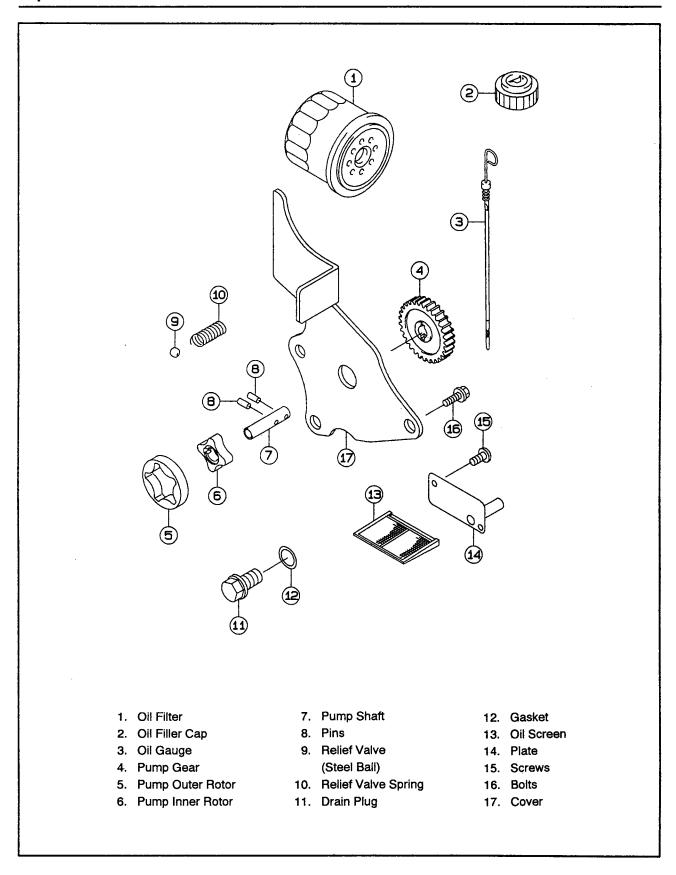
Steel Ball (Coolant Check Valve) Operation

As coolant flow pushes the steel ball (A) against its seat in the hose joint (C) when the engine is running, the steel ball (A) operates as a check valve not to allow suction to short-circuit. As the coolant pump stops, the coolant flow disappears when the engine stops. Static coolant in the cylinder heads, water jackets, and the intake manifold pushes the ball (A) out of the way, draining from the drain (D) through the hose joint (C) and the coolant hose (E).



LUBRICATION SYSTEM

Exploded View



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LUBRICATION SYSTEM

Specifications

ltem	Standard	
Engine Oil:		
Oil Pan Capacity (H)	1.3 L (2.74 US pt)	
Oil Pan Capacity (L)	0.8 L (1.68 US pt)	
Oil Filter Capacity	0.15 L (0.31 US pt)	

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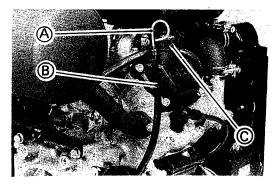
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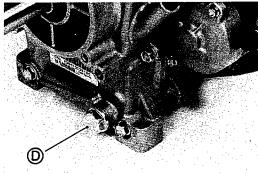
LUBRICATION SYSTEM

Specifications

Oil Level Inspection

- Place the engine on a level surface and check the oil level.
- •Clean area around the dipstick (A) before removing it.
- Remove the dipstick and wipe it with a clean cloth.
- •Insert the dipstick into the tube (B) following the tube bend and let its plug firmly fit into the tube. Then check the oil level.
- ●The oil level should be between "H" and "L" marks on the dipstick.
- ★If the oil level is near or below "L" mark, remove the oil filler cap (C) and add enough engine oil to bring oil level to "H" mark.
- ★If the oil level is too high, remove excess oil by loosening the drain plug (D).

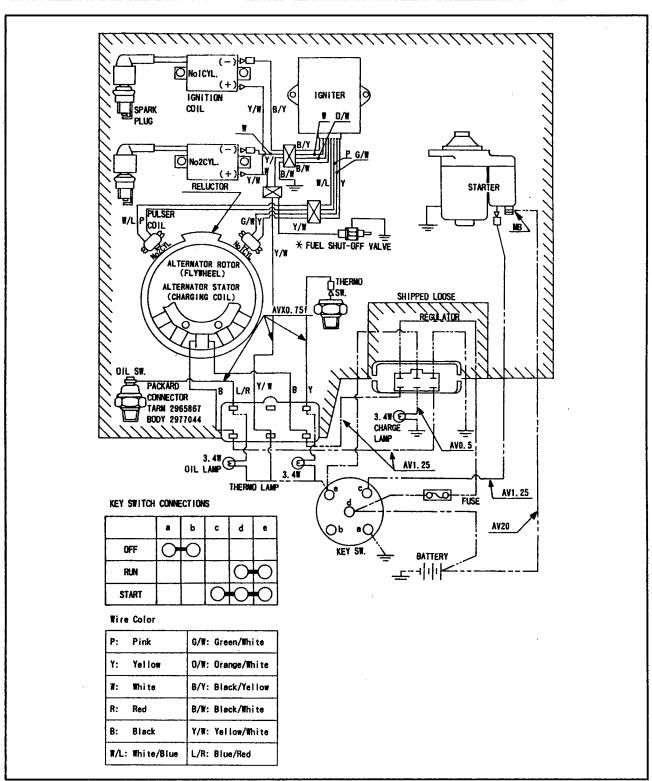




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ELECTRICAL SYSTEM

Wiring Diagram Revised



NOTE: PORTION SURROUNDED BY /// SHOWS KAWASAKI PROCUREMENT PARTS.

* FUEL SHUT-OFF VALVE WITH WHICH FD501V IS EQUIPPED

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