

210-1310 (1) Owner's / Operator's Manual



TO THE OWNER

Thank you for choosing a Yamaha Sport Boat. This Owner's Manual contains information you will need for proper operation, maintenance, and care. A thorough understanding of these simple instructions will help you to obtain maximum enjoyment from your new Yamaha. If you have any questions about the operation or maintenance of your Sport Boat, please consult a Yamaha dealer.

Because Yamaha has a policy of continuing product improvement, this product may not be exactly as described in this Owner's Manual. Specifications are subject to change without notice.

This manual should be considered a permanent part of this Sport Boat and should remain with it even if the boat is subsequently sold.

IMPORTANT MANUAL INFORMATION:

In this manual, information of particular importance is distinguished in the following ways:



The Safety Alert Symbol means ATTENTION! BECOME ALERT! YOUR SAFETY IS INVOLVED!

▲WARNING

Failure to follow WARNING instructions could result in severe injury or death to the machine operator, a bystander, or a person inspecting or repairing the Sport Boat.

CAUTION:

A CAUTION indicates special precautions that must be taken to avoid damage to the Sport Boat.

NOTE: A NOTE provides key information to make procedures easier or clearer.

XR1800Z SPORT BOAT OWNER'S/OPERATOR'S MANUAL

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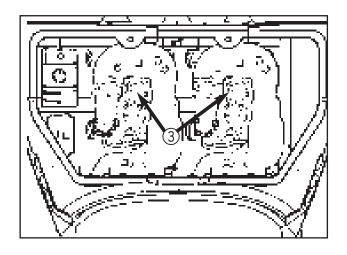
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IDENTIFICATION NUMBER RECORDS

Record your Primary I.D., H.I.N., and engine numbers in the spaces provided to assist you in ordering spare parts from your Yamaha Sport Boat dealer. Also record and keep these I.D. numbers in a separate place in case your Sport Boat is stolen.

PRIMARY I.D. NUMBER

MODEL XRT1200Z	FOR	
YAMAHA MOTOR CORPORATION, U.S.A. ASSEMBLED IN U.S.A. FROM AMERICAN AND JAPANESE COMPONENTS. ASSEMBLÉ AUX ÉTATS-UNIS DE PIÈCES AMÉRICAINES ET JAPONAISES.		

The Primary I.D. number is stamped on a label ① attached to the inside of the engine compartment.

HULL IDENTIFICATION NUMBER (H.I.N.)

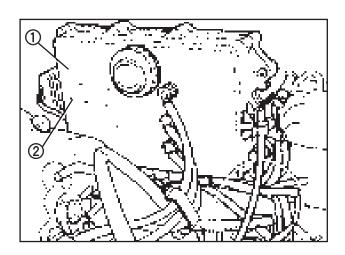
The H.I.N. ② is stamped into the hull on the right rear corner.

ENGINE SERIAL NUMBER PORT

STARBOARD

The Engine Serial Numbers are stamped on a label ③ attached to the top of the engine crankcase.





EMISSION CONTROL INFORMATION

This engine family conforms to U.S. EPA regulations for marine SI engines.

APPROVAL LABEL OF EMISSION CONTROL CERTIFICATE

This label is attached to the electrical box.

1 Emission control information label

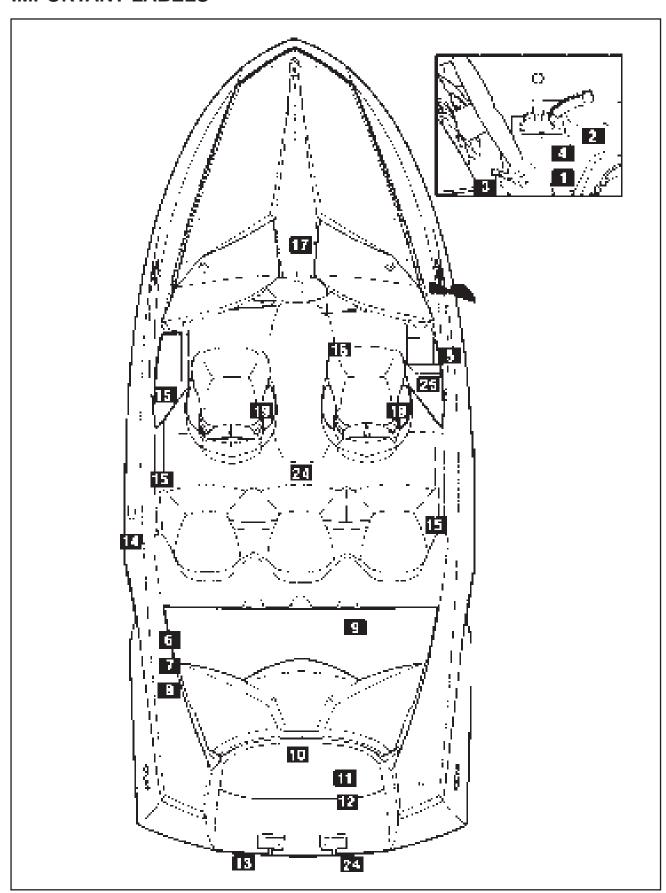
MANUFACTURED DATE LABEL

EMISSION CONTROL INFORMATION			
ENGINE FAMILY: I U.S. EPA R			
FELs L g/low - hr	SPARK PLUG GAP (mm) : [
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② Manufactured date label

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Manufactured:	

IMPORTANT LABELS



SAFETY INFORMATION

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A WARNING

To reduce the risk of SEVERE INJURY OR DEATH:

WEAR A COAST GUARD-APPROVED PERSONAL FLOTATION DEVICE (PFD).

KNOW BOATING LAWS. Yamaha recommends a minimum operator age of 16 years old. Know the operator age and training requirements for your state. A boating safety course is recommended and may be required in your state.

ATTACH ENGINE SHUT-OFF CORD (LANYARD) to your PFD and keep it free of controls so the engines stop if the operator leaves the helm. Failure to attach engine shut-off cord could result in a runaway boat if operator is ejected. After operation, remove engine shut-off cord and keys from boat to avoid unauthorized use by children or others.

PUT THROTTLES IN IDLE POSITION AND SHIFT TO NEUTRAL before starting engines.

OPERATE WITHIN YOUR LIMITS AND AVOID AGGRESSIVE MANEUVERS to reduce the risk of loss of control, ejection, and collision. This is a high-performance boat - not a toy. Sharp turns or jumping wakes or waves can increase the risk of back/spinal injury (paralysis), facial injuries, and broken legs, ankles, and other bones. Do not jump wakes or waves.

DO NOT APPLY THROTTLE WHEN ANYONE IS AT REAR OF BOAT - turn engines off while boarding from the rear, using the swim platform, or when swimming behind the boat. Water and/or debris exiting the jet

thrust nozzles can cause severe injury, including severe internal injuries if water is forced into body cavities (rectum and vagina).

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KEEP AWAY FROM INTAKE GRATES while engines are
on. Items such as long hair, loose clothing, or PFD straps
can become entangled in moving parts resulting in severe injury or drowning.

NEVER RIDE AFTER CONSUMING DRUGS OR ALCOHOL.

READ AND FOLLOW OWNER'S MANUAL.

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WARNING

To reduce the risk of SEVERE INJURY OR DEATH FROM COLLISIONS:

SCAN CONSTANTLY for people, objects, and other watercraft.

Be alert for conditions that limit your visibility or block your vision of others



OPERATE DEFENSIVELY at safe speeds and keep a safe distance from people, objects, and other watercraft.

- . Do not follow directly behind other watercraft.
- Do not go near others to spray or splash them with water.
- Avoid sharp turns or other maneuvers that make it hard for others to avoid you or understand where you are going.
- Avoid areas with submerged objects or shallow water.

TAKE EARLY ACTION to avoid collisions. Remember, boats <u>do not</u> <u>have brakes</u>.

DO NOT PULL THROTTLE LEVERS BACK TO IDLE WHEN TRYING TO STEER away from objects - you need throttle to steer. Always check throttle, shift, and steering controls for proper operation before starting boat.

Follow navigation rules and state and local laws that apply to your boat. See Owner's Manual for more information.

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U.S. COAST GUARD MAXIMUM CAPACITIES

5 PERSONS OR 1300 LBS

1300 LBS PERSONS, GEAR

THIS BOAT COMPLIES WITH U.S. COAST GUARD SAFETY STANDARDS IN EFFECT ON DATE OF CERTIFICATION

MANUFACTURER: YAMAHA MOTOR CORPORATION, U.S.A.
MODEL: XRT1200 CYPRESS, CA

DESIGN COMPLIANCE WITH NMMA REQUIREMENTS BELOW IS VERIFIED. MFGR. RESPONSIBLE FOR PRODUCTION CONTROL

LOAD CAPACITY * COMPARTMENT VENTILATION
STEERING, FUEL AND ELECTRICAL SYSTEMS
INTERNATIONAL LIGHTS * BASIC FLOTATION
MANEUVERABILITY

NATIONAL MARINE MANUFACTURERS ASSN.

UNDERWAY SEATING POSITIONS



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A WARNING

Gasoline vapors can explode.

Operate blower for at least 4 minutes and check engine compartment bilge for gasoline vapors before starting engines.

Do not start engines if there is a fuel leak or loose electrical connection.

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CAUTION

Do not use control levers as grab handles because damage can occur.

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A WARNING

Do not add gasoline to the oil tank. Fire or explosion could result.

RECOMMENDED OIL

YAMALUBE 2-W WATERCRAFT OIL (non- phosphorus) ONLY

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CAUTION

BATTERY REMOVAL:

• Disconnect black lead of the battery first, then red lead.

BATTERY INSTALLATION:

- Connect red to positive (+) terminal.
- Connect black lead to negative (-) terminal.
- · Reversing leads will damage electrical system.

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A WARNING

Do not touch or remove electrical parts when starting or running engine.

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A WARNING

Severe internal injuries can occur if water is forced into body cavities (rectum and vagina) as a result of being near jet thrust nozzles.

- Do not board from rear, use swim platform, or swim behind boat if engines are running.
- When waterskiing, wear a wet suit bottom or clothing that provides equivalent protection against forceful water entry from being near jet thrust nozzles or falling into the water.
 Normal swimwear does not protect against forceful water entry into body cavities (see Owner's Manual).

Do not sit on swim platform or padded engine hatch when engines are running. You could fall overboard.

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SAFETY INFORMATION

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A WARNING

SEVERE INJURY OR DEATH MAY RESULTS IF YOU IGNORE ANY OF THE FOLLOWING.

- Turn off and remove both ignition keys, remove lanyard, and wait for all movement to stop before removing access port caps.
- Never override interlocks to run engines with hatch open.



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CAUTION

Lock access port cap securely in place.

A loose cap could be forced out of the port by water pressure, causing loss of performance and possible damage.

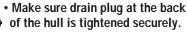
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CAUTION





• See Owner's Manual for draining procedure.

AFTER OPERATION

After removing from the water:

- Flush drive system and hull with fresh water. Open the drain plug at the back of the hull.
- Start the engine and rapidly move throttle lever from idle to half-throttle and back for 10~15 seconds to drain any leftover water in exhaust system.
- Refer to the Owner's Manual for complete maintence and storage information.

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A WARNING

Gasoline is highly flammable and explosive. A fire or explosion can cause severe injury or death.

- Shut off engine. Refuel in well ventilated area away from flames or sparks. Do not smoke.
- Avoid spilling gasoline. Wipe up spilled gasoline immediately.

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A WARNING

Falling Hazard.

Falling on the deck or overboard may cause injury or death.

Hold on to the grips, remain seated and place feet on the deck when the boat is in motion.

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FIRE EXTINGUISHER

• Open canister to remove extinguisher.

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A WARNING

Falling Hazard.

Falling on the deck or overboard may cause injury or death.

Do not sit here when the boat is moving.

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A WARNING

Leaking fuel is a fire and explosion hazard. Inspect system at least annually.

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AVOID SERIOUS OR FATAL INJURY DUE TO ROTATION OF SEAT LOCK SWIVEL WHEN SPEED EXCEEDS 5 MPH

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A WARNING

Stay away from the stern when the engine is running on land. Hot water and steam spurting from exhaust outlet into the air can cause serious burns.

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A WARNING

Do not start the engine on land until everyone is away from the stern. Hot water and steam spurting from exhaust outlet into the air can cause serious burns.

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A WARNING

Hot muffler surfaces can cause serious burns. Do not touch any muffler surface during or after engine operation. The catalytic converter gets hotter after the engine stops.

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CAUTION

Do not run the engine over 4,000 r/min on land. The catalytic convertor could result in serious damage.

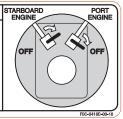
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FUEL SHUT-OFF VALVES

- Pry off cover under center seat cushion.
- Turn valves clockwise (at right angle to fuel hose) to shut off.
- Turn valves counter-clockwise (in line with fuel hose) to turn on.
- See Owner's Manual for more information.





A WARNING

REVERSE SHIFT LEVER OPERATION

Shift only when engine is idling or off.
Reverse is for slow speed maneuvering only.
Do not use reverse function to slow down or stop boat as it could cause you to lose control, be ejected, or impact boat surfaces.



A WARNING

Pinch hazard.

Stay clear of reverse gate during operation.

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ASAFETYINFORMATION

The safe use and operation of this boat is dependent upon the use of proper operating techniques, as well as upon the common sense, good judgment, and expertise of the operator. Every operator should know the following requirements before operating the sport boat.

- Before operating the boat, read the Owner's/Operator's Manual, the Operation Instruction card, and all warning and caution labels on the boat. Also, watch the Basic Orientation Video provided with your Sport Boat. These materials should give you an understanding of the boat and its operation.
- Never allow anyone to operate this boat until they too have read the Owner's/Operator's Manual, the Operation Instruction Card, and all warning and caution labels, and if possible watched the Basic Orientation Video. Showing them the video may help reinforce the information contained in these materials.

LIMITATIONS ON WHO MAY OPERATE THE SPORT BOAT

- Yamaha recommends a minimum operator age of 16 years old.
- Adults must supervise use by minors.

- Know the operator age and training requirements for your state. A boating safety course is recommended and may be required in your state. You can find local rules by contacting the United States Coast Guard (USCG), the National Association of State Boating Law Administrators, or your local Power Squadron.
- This Sport Boat is designed to carry the operator, up to 4 passengers, and cargo. Never exceed the maximum load limit or allow more than 5 persons (or 4 persons if a water skier is being pulled) to ride in the boat at one time. Weight distribution affects performance. Keep weight in the boat low and evenly distributed from side to side and front to back. Remove any unnecessary cargo and store it on shore.

ATTENTION:

Maximum Load Capacity: 1100 lb 499 kg)

Includes weight of operator, passengers, and any cargo.

REQUIRED EQUIPMENT

The U.S. Coast Guard (USCG) has regulations which describe minimum standards of safety. You must comply with these regulations, which apply to boats like your Sport Boat which are less than 26 feet long.

- Personal Flotation Devices (PFDs):
 Type I, II, or III as required for all people on board (see "Operational Requirements" for more information), plus at least one Type IV (throwable type).
- Fire Extinguisher:
 At least one B-1 type hand-held portable fire extinguisher.
- Visual Distress Signals:
 Having USCG-approved visual distress signals on board is recommended under all circumstances, and required if you will be operating on coastal waters, the Great Lakes, territorial seas, and waters connected to them. Contact your dealer or the Coast Guard for more information.
- Sound Signalling Device:
 Your Sport Boat is equipped with a horn that can be used to signal other boats. See "Rules of the Road" for more information.
- Navigation Lights:
 Your Sport Boat is equipped with
 navigation lights for use between
 sunset and sunrise, and during peri ods of reduced visibility, such as
 fog. Be sure these lights are working
 and are turned on when necessary
 (see page 2-13 and 3-9 for more
 information).

ADDITIONAL EQUIPMENT RECOMMENDATIONS

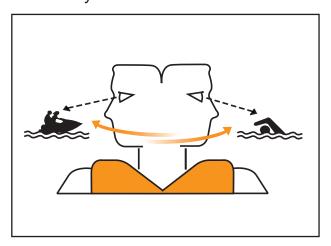
The following equipment can help make your boating experience safer and more enjoyable:

- Mooring fenders and lines
- Anchor with suitable line (a "Danforth" type anchor and line that is at least 6-times the depth of the water where you will drop anchor are recommended)
- Manual-type bilge pump
- First Aid kit
- Waterproof flashlight with extra batteries
- Tool kit with assorted screwdrivers, pliers, wrenches (including metric sizes), and electrical tape
- Oar or paddle (look for one with a boat hook on the other end)
- Spare parts, such as an extra set of spark plugs and fuses
- Navigation charts for the waters where you will be boating
- Tow rope



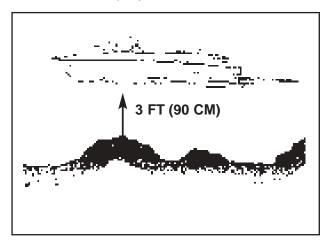
CRUISING LIMITATIONS

 Scan constantly for people, objects, and other watercraft. Be alert for conditions that limit your visibility or block your vision of others.



- Operate defensively at safe speeds and keep a safe distance from people, objects, and other watercraft.
- Do not follow directly behind other boats.
- Do not go near others to spray or splash them with water.
- Avoid sharp turns or other maneuvers that make it hard for others to avoid you or understand where you are going.
- Avoid areas with submerged objects or shallow water.
- Ride within your limits and avoid aggressive maneuvers to reduce the risk of loss of control, ejection, and collision.
- This is a high-performance boat not a toy. Sharp turns or jumping waves or wakes can increase the

- risk of back/spinal injury (paralysis), facial injuries, and broken legs, ankles, and other bones. Do not jump waves or wakes.
- Do not operate the boat in rough water, bad weather, or when visibility is poor; this may lead to an accident causing injury or death. Be alert to the possibility of bad weather. Take note of weather forecasts and the prevailing weather conditions before setting out in your boat.
- Never operate in water that is less than 3 ft (90 cm) deep, otherwise you increase your chance of hitting a submerged object, which could result in injury.



Leave a "float plan" with a responsible person on shore. Tell where you plan to go and when you plan to arrive, and provide a description of your boat. Advise this person if your plans change and also when you arrive to prevent false alarms. A sample float plan is included on page 6-6.

OPERATIONAL REQUIREMENTS

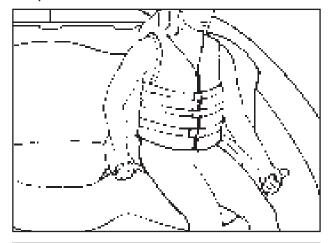
 All riders must wear a Coast Guard approved personal flotation device (PFD).

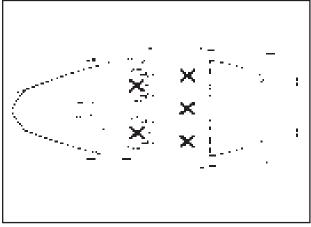


- Eye protection is recommended to keep wind, water, and glare from the sun out of your eyes while you operate your Sport Boat. Restraining straps for eyewear are made which are designed to float should your eyewear fall into the water.
- Footwear and gloves are recommended.
- NEVER operate the boat after consuming alcohol or taking drugs.



- For reasons of safety and proper care of the Sport Boat, always perform the pre-operation checks listed on page 3-4 before operating.
- Passengers must always sit in a designated seating area, place feet on the deck, and use the handgrips provided when the boat is in motion.



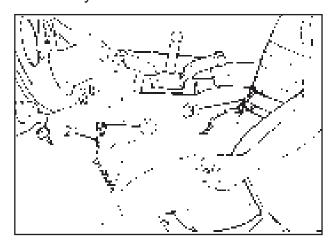


- Always consult your doctor on whether it is safe for you to ride in this boat if you are pregnant or in poor health.
- Do not attempt to modify this Sport Boat! Modifications to your boat may reduce safety and reliability, and render the boat unsafe or illegal to use.

SAFETY INFORMATION

• Attach the engine shut-off cord (lanyard) to PFD and keep it free from steering wheel or other controls so that the engine stops if the operator accidentally leaves the helm. Failure to attach the engine shut-off cord could result in a runaway boat if the operator is ejected.

After operation, remove the engine shut-off cord and the keys to avoid accidental starting or unauthorized use by children or others.



- 1 Engine Shut-Off Switch
- 2 Engine Shut-Off Cord with Clip
- 3 Cord connected to PFD
- Scan constantly for swimmers and stay away from swimming areas.
 Swimmers are hard to see and you could accidentally hit someone in the water.
- Avoid being hit by another boat! You should always take responsibility to watch for other traffic; other boaters may not be watching for you. If they do not see you, or you maneuver more quickly than they expect, you risk a collision.

 Maintain a safe distance from other boats or watercraft, and also watch for boats' ski ropes or fishing lines.
 Obey the "Rules of the Road" (see page 1-16), and be sure to check behind you before making a turn.

HAZARD INFORMATION

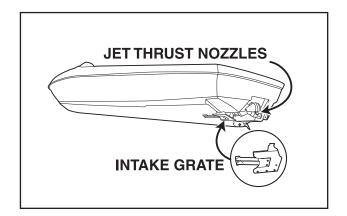
 Never start the engine or let it run for any length of time in an enclosed area. Exhaust fumes contain carbon monoxide, a colorless, odorless gas that may cause death within a short time. Always operate the boat in an open area.

SPORT BOAT CHARACTERISTICS

- Jet thrust turns the Sport Boat. Pulling the throttle levers completely back to idle produces only minimum thrust. If you are traveling at speeds above trolling, you will have rapidly decreasing ability to steer without throttle. You may still have some turning ability immediately after pulling the throttle levers back to idle, but once the engine slows down, the Sport Boat will no longer respond to steering wheel input until you apply throttle again or you reach a trolling speed. Practice turning in an open area without obstructions until you have a good feel for the maneuver.
- Yamaha Sport Boats are water-jet propelled. The pumps are directly connected to the engines. This means that the jet thrust will pro-

duce some movement whenever the engines are running. The Sport boat has a "neutral" position, but since the Sport boat is always producing thrust while the engines are running, some forward or reverse movement may occur.

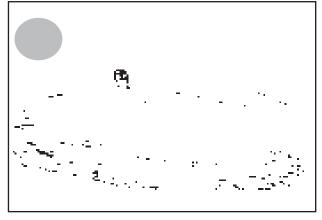
- Do not use the reverse function to slow down or stop the boat as it could cause you to lose control, be ejected, or impact the steering wheel or other parts of the boat. This could increase the risk of serious injury. It could also damage the shift mechanism.
- Reverse can be used to slow down or stop during slow speed maneuvering, such as when docking. Once the engine is idling, shift to reverse and gradually increase engine speed. Make sure that there are no obstacles or people behind you before shifting into reverse.
- Keep away from the intake grates while the engine is on. Items such as long hair, loose clothing, or PFD straps can become entangled in moving parts resulting in severe injury or drowning.

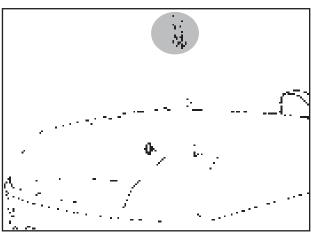


- Stop the engines and remove the clip from the engine shut-off switch before removing any debris or weeds, which may have collected around the jet intakes.
- Never insert any object into the jet thrust nozzle while the engine is running. Severe injury or death could result from coming in contact with the rotating parts of the jet pump.

NIGHT OPERATION

 When using your Sport Boat before dawn or after dusk, you must have both bow and stern lights operating.
 When at anchor in the dark, the stern light must be lit. See page 2-12 for instructions.







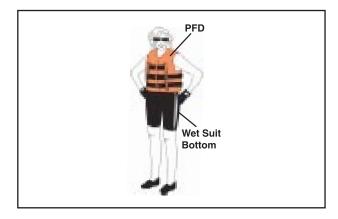
WATERSKIING

You can use the Sport Boat to tow a water skier, using the tow cleat provided.

It is the boat operator's responsibility to be alert to the safety of the water skier and others. Know and follow all state and local water-skiing regulations in effect for the waters in which you will be operating.

The following are some important considerations for minimizing risks while water-skiing.

 The skier should wear an approved PFD, preferably a brightly colored one so boat operators can see the skier.



The skier should wear protective clothing. Severe internal injuries can occur if water is forced into body cavities as a result of falling into the water or while reboarding. Normal swimwear does not adequately protect against forceful water entry into rectum or vagina. The skier should wear a wetsuit bottom or clothing that provides equivalent protection. Such clothing includes thick, tightly

woven, sturdy and snug fitting apparel such as denim, but does not include spandex or similar fabrics like those used in bicycle shorts.

- A second person should be on board as a spotter to watch the skier; in most states it is required by law. Let the skier direct the operator's control of speed and direction with hand signals. The port-side seat swivels for a backward-facing observer. Be sure the seat is locked in place (pg. 2-13) before getting underway.
- When preparing to pull a skier, operate the boat at the slowest possible speed until the boat is well away from the skier and slack in the towrope is taken up. Make sure that the rope is not looped around anything.

After checking that the skier is ready and that there is no traffic or other obstacles, apply enough throttle to raise the skier.

- Make smooth, wide turns. The Sport Boat is capable of very sharp turns, which could exceed the abilities of the skier. Keep the skier at least 50m (150 ft), about twice the distance of a standard towrope, away from any potential hazard.
- Be alert to the hazard of the towrope handle snapping back at the boat when the skier falls or is unable to get up on the skis.

RULES OF THE ROAD

Your Yamaha Sport Boat is legally considered a powerboat. Operation of the Sport Boat must be in accordance with the rules and regulations governing the waterway on which it is used.

Just as there are rules that apply when you are driving on streets and highways, there are waterway rules that apply when you are operating your boat. These rules are used internationally, and are also enforced by the United States Coast Guard and local agencies. You should be aware of these rules, and follow them whenever you encounter another vessel on the water.

Several sets of rules prevail according to geographic location, but are all basically the same as the International Rules of the Road. The rules presented here in this Owner's/Operator's Manual are condensed, and have been provided for your convenience only. Consult your local U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary or Department of Motor Vehicles for a complete set of rules governing the waters in which you will be operating your boat.

STEERING AND SAILING RULES

Whenever two vessels on the water meet one another, one vessel has the right-of-way; it is called the "stand-on" vessel. The vessel that does not have the right-of-way is called the "give-way" or "burdened" vessel. These rules determine which vessel has the right-of-way, and what each vessel should do.

Stand-On Vessel

The vessel with the right-of-way has the duty to continue its course and speed, except to avoid an immediate collision. When you maintain your direction and speed, the other vessel will be able to determine how best to avoid you.

Give-Way Vessel

The vessel which does not have the right-of-way has the duty to take positive and timely action to stay out of the way of the stand-on vessel. Normally, you should not cross in front of the vessel with the right-of-way. You should slow down or change directions briefly and pass behind the other vessel. You should always move in such a way that the operator of the other vessel can see what you are doing.

The General Prudential Rule regarding the right-of-way is that if a collision appears unavoidable, neither boat has the right-of-way. Both boats must avoid the collision.

In other words, follow the standard rules except when a collision will occur unless both vessels try to avoid each other. If that is the case, both vessels become give-way vessels.



RULES WHEN ENCOUNTERING VESSELS

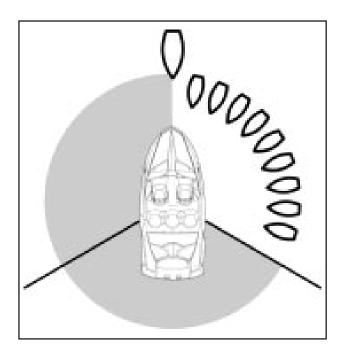
There are three main situations that you may encounter with other vessels which could lead to a collision unless the Steering Rules are followed:

Meeting: you are approaching another vessel head-on

Crossing: you are traveling across another vessel's path

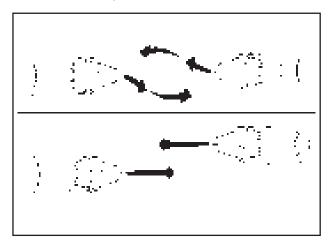
Overtaking: you are passing or being passed by another vessel

In the following illustration, your boat is in the center. You should give the right-of-way to any vessels shown in the white area (you are the give-way vessel). Any vessels in the shaded area must yield to you (they are the give-way vessels). Both you and the meeting vessel must alter course to avoid each other.



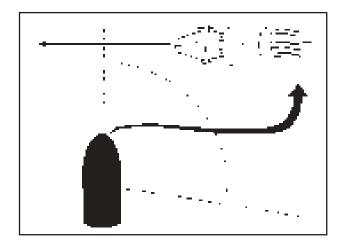
Meeting

If you are meeting another power vessel head on, and are close enough to run the risk of collision, neither of you has the right-of-way! Both of you should alter course to avoid an accident. You should keep the other vessel on your port (left) side. This rule does not apply if both of you will clear one another if you continue on your set course and speed.



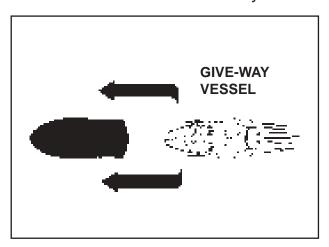
Crossing

When two power-driven vessels are crossing each other's path close enough to run the risk of collision, the vessel which has the other on the starboard (right) side must keep out of the way of the other. If the other vessel is on your starboard (right) side, you must keep out of its way; you are the giveway vessel. If the other vessel is on your port (left) side, remember that you should maintain course and direction, provided the other vessel gives you the right-of-way as it should.



Overtaking

If you are passing another vessel, you are the give-way vessel. This means that the other vessel is expected to maintain its course and speed. You must stay out of its way until you are clear of it. Likewise, if another vessel is passing you, you should maintain your speed and direction so that the other vessel can steer itself around you.



OTHER SPECIAL SITUATIONS

There are three other rules you should be aware of when riding your boat around other vessels.

Narrow Channels and Bends

When navigating in narrow channels, you should keep to the right when it is safe and practical to do so. If the operator of a power-driven vessel is preparing to go around a bend that may obstruct the view of other water vessels, the operator should sound a prolonged blast of four to six seconds on the horn. If another vessel is around the bend, it too should sound the horn. Even if no reply is heard, however, the vessel should still proceed around the bend with caution.

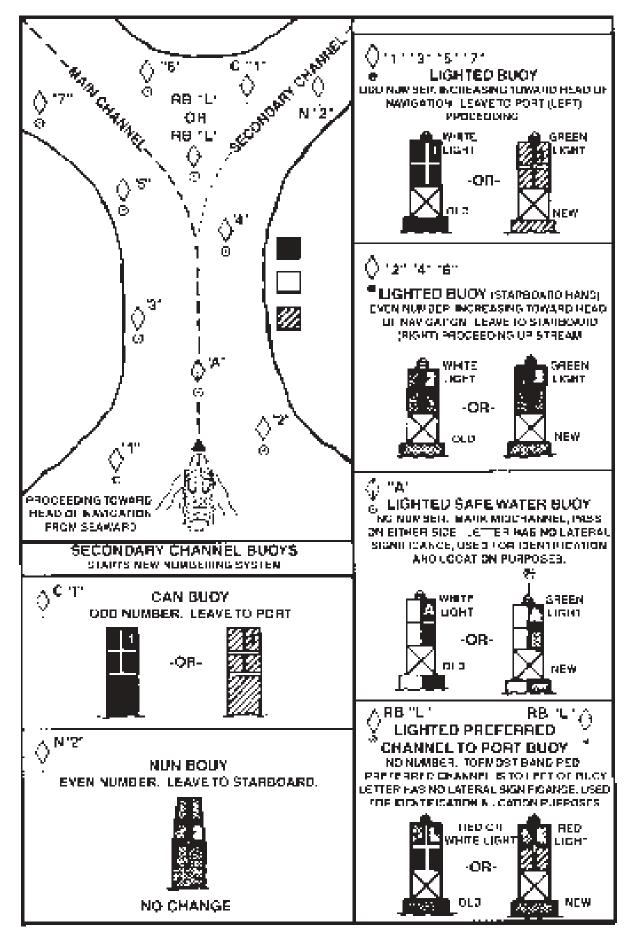
Fishing Vessel Right-of-Way

All vessels fishing with nets, lines or trawls are considered to be "fishing vessels" under the International Rules. Vessels with trolling lines are not considered fishing vessels. Fishing vessels have the right-of-way regardless of position. Fishing vessels cannot, however, impede the passage of other vessels in narrow channels.

Sailing Vessel Right-of-Way

Sailing vessels should normally be given the right-of-way. The exceptions to this are:

- When the sailing vessel is overtaking the power-driven vessel, the power-driven vessel has the rightof-way.
- 2. Sailing vessels should keep clear of any fishing vessel.
- 3. In a narrow channel, a sailing vessel should not hamper the safe passage of a power-driven vessel that can navigate only in such a channel.



Reading Buoys and Other Markers

The waters of the United States are marked for safe navigation by the lateral system of buoyage. Simply put, buoys and markers have an arrangement of shapes, colors, numbers and lights to show which side of the buoy a boater should pass on when navigating in a particular direction. The markings on these buoys are oriented from the perspective of being entered from seaward (the boater is going towards the harbor). Red buoys are passed on your starboard (right) side when proceeding from open water into port, and black buoys are to your port (left) side. An easy way to remember the meaning of the colors is the phrase "red right returning." When navigating out of the harbor, your position with respect to the buoys should be reversed; red buoys should be to port and black buoys to starboard.

Many bodies of water used by boaters are entirely within the boundaries of a particular state. The Uniform State Waterway Marking System has been devised for these waters.

This system uses buoys and signs with distinctive shapes and colors to show regulatory or advisory information. These markers are white with black letters and orange borders. They signify speed zones, restricted areas, danger areas, and general information.

Remember, markings may vary by geographic location. Always consult local boating authorities before riding your boat in unfamiliar waters.

TO GET MORE BOATING SAFETY INFORMATION

Be informed about boating safety. Additional publications and information can be obtained from many organizations, including the following.

United States Coast Guard

Consumer Affairs Staff (G-BC) Office of Boating, Public, and Consumer Affairs **US Coast Guard Headquarters** Washington, D.C. 20593-0001

Boating Safety Hotline:

1-800-368-5647

Other Sources:

You can find local rules by contacting the National Association of State Boating Law Administrators, or your local Power Squadron.

BOAT EDUCATION AND TRAINING

The Online Boating Safety Course, available through the watercraft section of the yamaha-motor.com website, is a free, 50 question learning course available to the public. Upon successful completion of 80 percent or better, the user can request a certificate of completion by mail or can download one immediately. The Online Boating Safety Course, provided by the Boat/US Foundation, is approved by the National Association of State Boating Law Administrators (NASBLA) and recognized by the United States Coast Guard. This course meets the education requirement for those states that recognize non-proctored, NAS-BLA-approved courses.

ACCIDENT REPORTING

Boat operators are required by law to file a Boating Accident Report with their state boating law enforcement agency if their boat has been involved in any of the following boating accidents:

- There is loss of life or probable loss of life.
- 2. There is personal injury which requires medical attention beyond first aid.
- 3. There is damage to boats or other property which exceeds \$500.00.
- 4. There is complete loss of a boat.

Contact local law enforcement personnel if a report is necessary.

ENJOY YOUR SPORT BOAT RESPONSIBLY

You share the areas you enjoy when operating your Sport Boat with others and with nature. So your enjoyment includes a responsibility to treat other people, and the lands, waters, and wildlife with respect and courtesy.

Whenever and wherever you operate your Sport Boat, think of yourself as the guest of those around you. Remember, for example, that the sound of your Sport Boat may be music to you, but it could be just noise to others. And the exciting splash of your wake can make waves others won't enjoy. Avoid boating close to shoreline homes and waterfowl nesting areas or other wildlife areas, and keep a respectful distance from fisherman, other boats, swimmers, and populated beaches. When travel in areas like these is unavoidable, drive slowly and obey all laws.

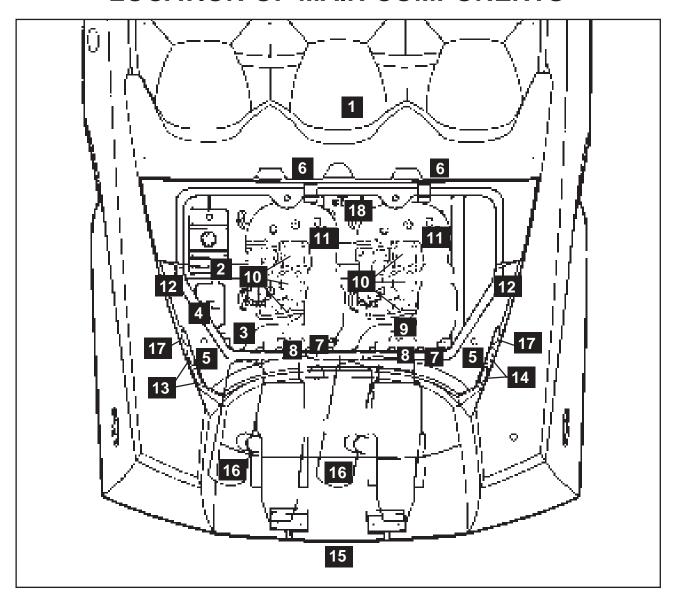
Remember that pollution can be harmful to the environment. Do not refuel or add oil where a spill could cause damage to nature. And keep your surroundings pleasant for the people and wildlife that share the waterways: don't litter!

When you use your Sport Boat responsibly, with respect and courtesy for others, you help ensure that our waterways stay open for the enjoyment of a variety of recreational opportunities.

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LOCATION OF MAIN COMPONENTS



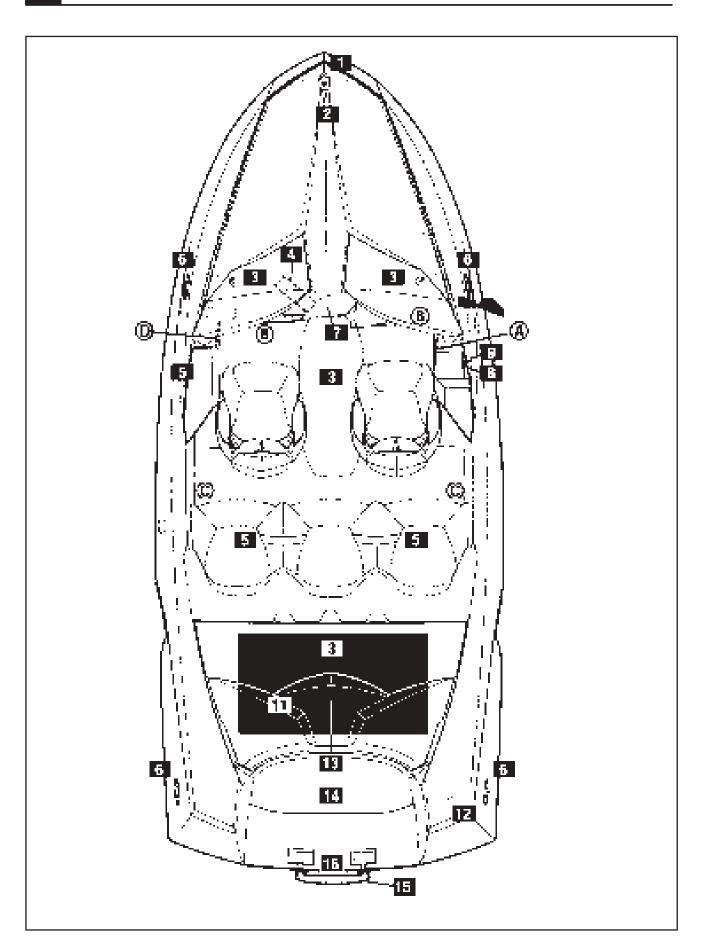
Main Features:

- Fuel Tank
- 2 Oil Tank
- **Blower Motor**
- 4 Battery

Port/Starboard Features:

- 5 Flush Attachments
- Fuel Filters
- **Electrical Boxes**
- Ignition Coil Holders

- **High Tension Cords**
- 10 Spark Plugs
- 11 Silencer Covers
- **12** Hood Supports
- **13** Engine Compartment Vent Outlet
- **14** Engine Compartment Vent Inlets
- 15 Engine Compartment Drain Plug
- 16 Muffler Boxes
- 17 Fuel Tank Compartment Air Ventilation
- 18 Fuel Tank Compartment Drain Plug



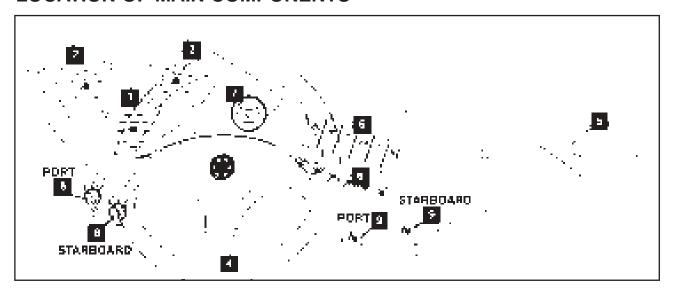
LOCATION OF MAIN COMPONENTS:

- 1 Bow light
- 2 Bow eye
- 3 Storage compartments
- 4 Fire extinguisher holder
- 5 Grab handles
- 6 Cleats
- 7 Courtesy Light
- 8 Throttles
- 9 Shifter
- 10 Stern light storage
- 11 Stern light socket
- **12** Ski tow hook
- 13 Jet pump cleanout access panel
- 14 Pump cleanout interlock switches
- 15 Rear boarding step
- 16 Deck drain

LOCATION OF STEREO COMPONENTS (If Equipped):

- A Remote Control Keypad (optional)
- B Speakers (optional)
- © Speakers (optional)

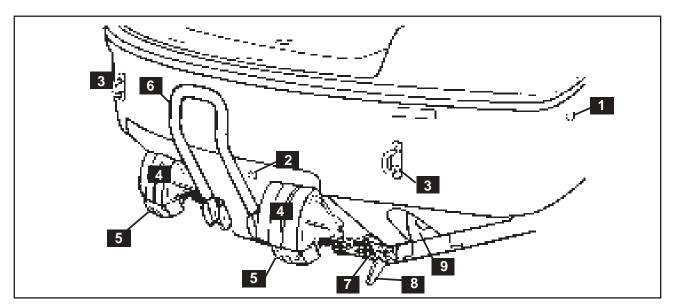
LOCATION OF MAIN COMPONENTS



Control Features:

- 1 Speedometer
- 2 Tachometer
- 3 Warning Indicators
- 4 Steering wheel
- **5** Mirror

- 6 Switches and breakers
- 7 Fuel gauge
- 8 Ignition switch/keys
- 9 Chokes



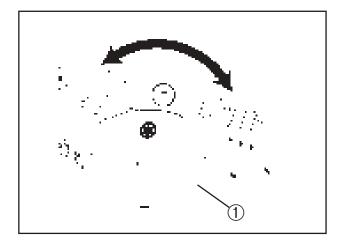
Control Features:

- 1 Bilge outlet
- 2 Clean-out compartment drain
- 3 Trailer strap eyes
- 4 Pump gates
- 5 Steering nozzles

- **6** Folding boarding step on transom
- 7 Hull drain plug
- 8 Speedometer pick-up
- 9 Deck drain

OPERATION OF CONTROLS AND OTHER FUNCTIONS

STEERING



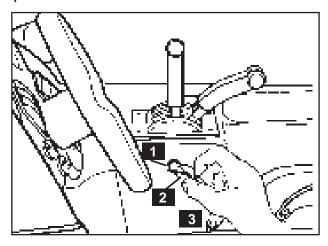
① Steering wheel

Your Sport Boat can be steered by turning the steering wheel the same direction you wish to travel, to the right or left. When the wheel is turned, the angle of the jet (output) nozzles at the rear of the craft is changed, and the change in direction of the nozzles changes the direction of the boat accordingly. Since the strength of the jet thrust determines the speed and direction of a turn, the throttle must always be opened above idle when attempting a turn, except at trolling speed.

Because boats steer from the stern (rear), the stern of the boat swings out in the opposite direction of your turn. If you turn to the starboard (right), for example, the stern of the boat will swing to the left. Keep this in mind when navigating near a person in the water, such as a down skier, or an obstacle, such as a dock.

ENGINE SHUT-OFF SWITCH

The clip on the end of the engine shutoff cord must be attached to the engine shut-off switch for the engines to run. The cord must be attached to a secure place on the operator's personal flotation device (PFD). Should the operator fall overboard or leave the helm, the cord will pull out the clip, stopping ignition to both engines. This will prevent the boat from running away under power.



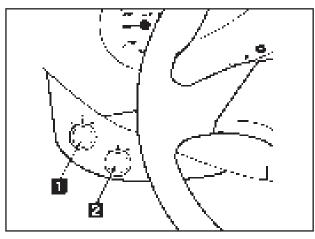
- ① Engine shut-off switch
- 2 Clip
- 3 Engine shut-off cord (lanyard)

▲WARNING

- Always attach the engine shut-off cord to your personal flotation device (PFD) BEFORE starting the engine. Failure to attach the cord could result in a runaway boat if the operator is ejected.
- Do not attach the cord to clothing that could tear loose. Do not route the cord in such a way that it could become entangled, preventing it from functioning.
- Avoid accidentally pulling the cord during normal operation. Once the engine has stopped you have no steering control of the boat which could result in an accident. Also, without engine power, the boat could slow rapidly from planing speed. This could cause people and objects in the boat to be thrown forward, which could cause injury.

MAIN SWITCHES

There is a main switch for each engine. The main switches control the ignition and electrical circuits as follows:



- 1 Port (left) engine
- 2 Starboard (right) engine

OFF:

Ignition circuits are switched off. The engine cannot be started but other switches will operate. (The key can be removed.)

ON:

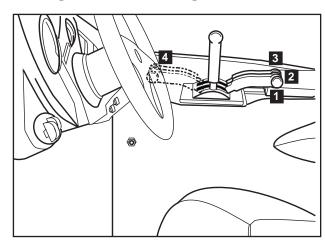
Ignition circuits are switched on. (The key cannot be removed).

START:

The starter motor will turn to start the engine. (When the key is released, it returns automatically to "ON.")

NOTE: The engine will not start when the engine shut-off switch clip is removed from the engine stop switch. The starter motor will turn over without the cord attached.

THROTTLE LEVERS



- 1 Throttle lever, port (left) engine
- 2 Throttle lever, starboard (right) engine
- 3 Idle
- 4 Full speed

▲WARNING

Before starting the engine, always check the operation of each throttle lever. It should move smoothly through its full range of operation. Otherwise, there could be loss of control and an accident.

A separate throttle lever controls each engine. In normal operation the throttle levers are moved together. Moving the throttle levers forward increases engine speed. Move both throttles to the idle position before using the shift lever.

SHIFT LEVER

AWARNING

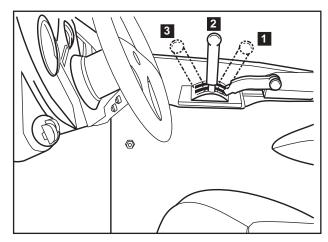
SEVERE INJURY OR DEATH MAY RESULT IF YOU IGNORE ANY OF THE FOLLOWING.

- Check throttle, steering, and shift lever for proper operation before starting the engine.
- Shift into neutral before starting engines.
- Put throttle levers in idle position before shifting.
- Make sure there are no people or objects behind the boat before starting or shifting into Reverse.
- When operating in Reverse, go slowly. Do not open the throttle more than half. Otherwise, the boat may become unstable, which could result in loss of control and an accident.
- Do not shift into Reverse while traveling at planing speeds. Loss of control, boat swamping, or damage to the boat could occur.

CAUTION:

Do not use control levers as grab handles because damage can occur.

NOTE: This Sport Boat is equipped with a mechanical interlock that prevents shift lever movement unless both throttle levers are put in the idle position first. It also has a start-in-gear protection neutral switch that prevents the engines from cranking if the shift lever is not in Neutral.



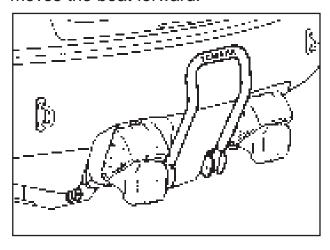
- 1 Reverse
- 2 Neutral
- 3 **Forward**

The shift lever controls the direction of travel.

The drive line on the Sport Boat is direct drive, so jet thrust is always being produced while the engines are running. The direction of the boat is controlled by jet pump gates which direct the flow of the jet thrust as follows:

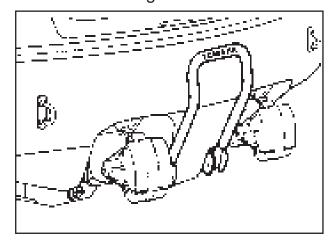
Forward

The jet pump gates are lifted all the way up. All jet thrust is to the rear, which moves the boat forward.



Neutral

The jet pump gates are dropped down part way over the jet nozzles. Some jet thrust is to the rear and some jet thrust is redirected forward. This balance of thrust acts like "neutral" to keep the boat from moving.

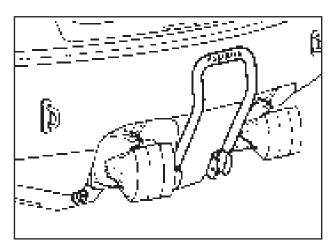


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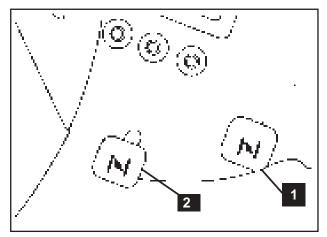
Leave the throttles in the idle position when Neutral is selected. The boat will start moving as if it was in Forward or Reverse if engine speed is increased above idle in Neutral.

Reverse

The jet pump gates are dropped all the way down over the jet nozzles. Jet thrust is redirected toward the bow of the boat, which moves the boat backward.



CHOKE KNOBS



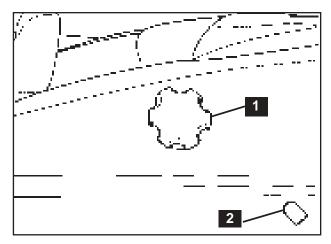
- ① Choke knob (Starboard)
- 2 Choke knob (Port)

Pulling these knobs supplies a rich fuel-air mixture required to start the engines.

NOTE: Refer to Starting The Engines on pages 3-11 to 3-13 for proper operation.

FUEL TANK FILLER CAP

To remove the fuel tank filler cap, turn it counterclockwise.



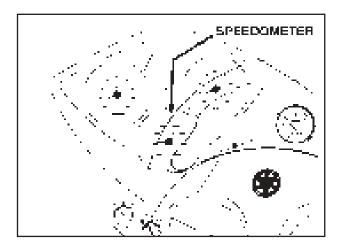
- 1 Fuel tank filler cap
- 2 Fuel tank vent

Be sure to tighten the cap securely before operating.

GAUGES

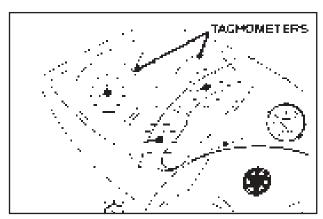
1. Speedometer

This meter shows the boat speed in miles per hour (mph).



2. Tachometers

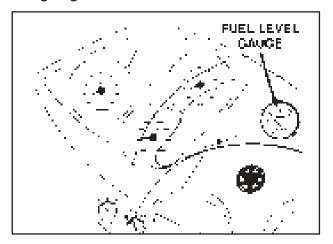
The Sport Boat has two tachometers which display engine rpm. The one on the left is for the port engine. The one on the right is for the starboard engine. For cruising, adjust the throttle levers so both engines are running at the same rpm.



NOTE: Because of the mechanical throttle linkage, the throttle levers may not be exactly even with one another when the engines are running at the same rpm.

3. Fuel Level Gauge

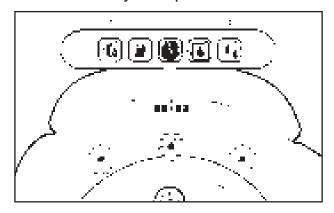
The fuel level gauge shows the amount of fuel in the fuel tank. The starboard ignition switch must be in the "ON" position to activate the gauge.



Always consider the distance you are travelling and the amount of available fuel you have. Be sure you have enough fuel to reach the next fuel stop. Be sure to begin returning to the port before you have consumed a half a tank of fuel.

4. Warning Indicators

The Warning Indicator Panel has lights to alert you about certain conditions on your Sport Boat.



- ① Port Engine Overheat
- 2 Low Fuel
- ③ Low Oil
- 4 Starboard Engine Overheat

Port and Starboard Engine Overheat - If an engine overheats, the warning light (1) or (4) for the affected engine will come on. Refer to Overheat Warning System on this page for more information.

Low Fuel - If the fuel tank is too low to continue normal operation much longer, this warning light ② will come on. Refill the fuel tank as soon as possible (see "Filling the Fuel Tank," page 3-3).

Low Oil - If the oil tank is too low to continue normal operation for much longer, this warning light ③ will come on. Refill the oil tank as soon as possible (see "Filling the Oil Tank," page 3-3).

CAUTION:

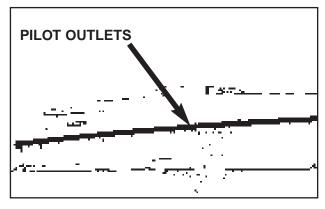
If the oil level warning indicator comes on, refill with engine oil as soon as possible. The engines will be severely damaged if they are run without oil.

OVERHEAT WARNING SYSTEM

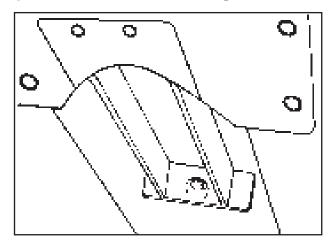
The engines have a cooling and exhaust system overheat warning device. If the cooling water in either engine starts to overheat, the warning indicator on the instrument panel will illuminate and engine speed of the affected engine will be reduced. If the water temperature continues to increase, the engine will stop at a preset point and will not restart until the cooling water temperature in that engine falls to a normal level.

Also, if the exhaust system on either engine experiences very high or very low operating temperatures, the warning indicator will illuminate. This warning, however, does not reduce engine speed or prevent starting.

Each engine is equipped with a pair of cooling water pilot outlets on the star-board side of the hull. Check that water comes out of each outlet while the respective engine is running, particularly while applying throttle. If you do not see any water at the outlets, cooling water may not be circulating in the engine.



NOTE: If the cooling passages on the engines are dry, it will take about 20 seconds for water to reach the pilot outlets after starting.



If water is not circulating, something may be clogging the jet intake grate. Refer to the Jet Pump Clean-Out procedures on page 5-5 for further information.

CAUTION:

If the cause of overheating cannot be found and corrected, take special precautions to avoid major engine damage while you return to shore.

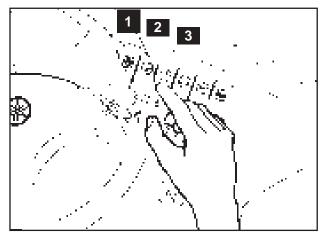
SINGLE ENGINE OVERHEATING — Shut off the overheating engine and use the properly running engine to return to shore. Operate at "nowake" speed to prevent water from flooding the non-operating engine through the cooling water intake.

BOTH ENGINES OVERHEATING — If getting a tow from another vessel not possible, operate both engines just slightly above idle while you return to shore. If you can be towed, refer to "Towing the Sport Boat" on page 5-3.

AWARNING

Hot muffler surfaces can cause serious burns. Do not touch any muffler surface during or after engine operation. The catalytic converter gets hotter after the engine stops.

SWITCHES



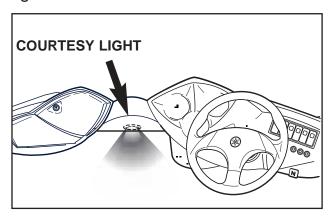
- 1 Stereo
- ② Courtesy Light
- 3 Lights

Stereo

This is the master control for the optional stereo. Press this switch to allow stereo operation.

Courtesy Light

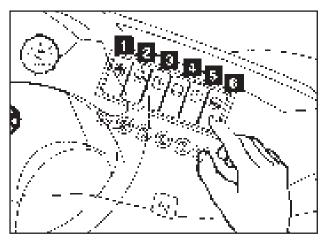
The courtesy light switch activates the light located under the driver's console.



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Lights

This toggle switch controls the required on-board lighting. Press the switch up to turn on both the bow light and stern light for night running. Press the switch down to operate the stern light alone when at anchor. Put the switch in the middle position to turn off lights. See page 3-9 for more information.



- 4 Bilge Pump
- (5) Blower
- 6 Horn

Bilge Pump

Press this switch to activate the bilge pump. See page 3-8.

Blower

Press this switch to turn on the blower to ventilate the engine compartment. See 3-9 for more information.

Horn

Pressing this switch activates the horn. The horn can be used to signal other boats as required by the "Rules of the Road" (see page 1-15).

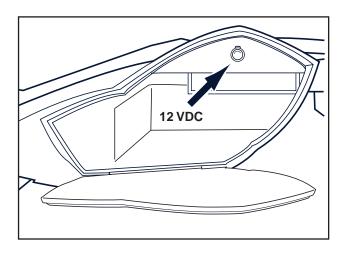
Switch Circuit Breakers

The electrical circuit for each switch is protected by a circuit breaker. If the button below a switch pops out, push it back in with your finger. If it pops out again, ask your Yamaha dealer to inspect the electrical system.

NOTE: There is also an accessory fuse at the battery (see page 4-14).

Accessory Outlet

There is a 12VDC outlet located in the portside console storage compartment.



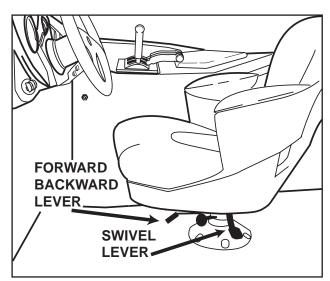
SWIVEL SEAT OPERATION

The driver and front passenger seat are 2-way adjustable.

To move the seat forward or back, pull up on the lever located under the front of the seat. Move the seat to the desired position, then release the lever.

To rotate the seat, first move the seat to its fully forward position. Then, pull up on the lever located under the side of the seat. Release the lever once you begin to pivot. The seat will pivot freely up to 180°, and will automatically lock into the fully front-facing or rear-facing position. Use the rear-facing position of the passenger seat for an observer when someone is water skiing behind the Sport Boat.

The driver must always be locked into the full front-facing position and the passenger must be locked into either the full front-facing or, if observing a water skier, the full rear-facing position before getting underway.



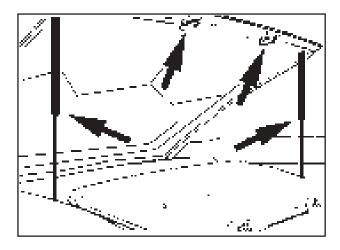
STEREO SYSTEM (Optional)

Your Sport Boat has been fitted from the factory to accept an optional stereo system. Wiring is preinstalled for four speakers and a radio/CD player. See your Yamaha Sport Boat dealer for information, as well as installation of compatible stereo systems and speakers designed for use in your Sport Boat.

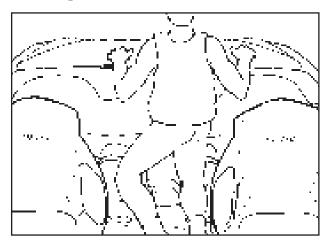
ENGINE HOOD

There are two hood latches located at the top of the rear bench seat. To open the engine hood, lift both latch hooks upward and lift the hood. The hood is supported by gas-filled struts.

Hood Latches and Struts



Closing Hood



To close the hood, push the hood down in the center.

NOTE: Make sure the hood is firmly secured with the latch.

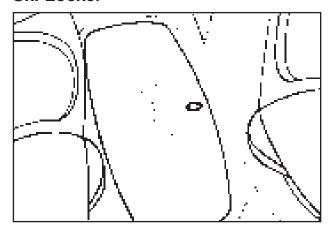
CAUTION:

Do not open or close the hood by lifting or pressing on the sides. Damage to the hood or latches could occur.

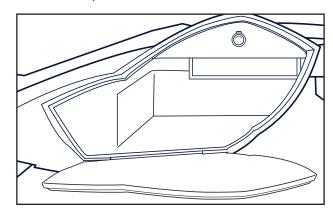
STORAGE COMPARTMENTS

There are five on-board storage compartments.

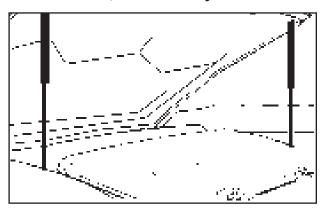
Ski Locker



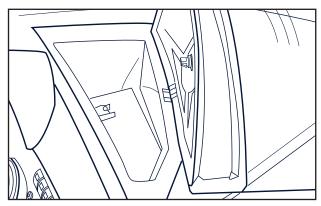
Port Side, in front of console



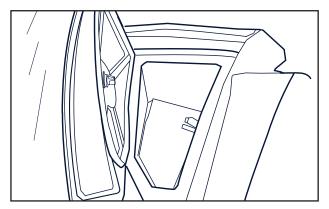
Under Hood, Center Tray



Console Storage Under Windshields, Driver's Side



Console Storage Under Windshields, Port Side



NOTE: Make sure all panels and covers are in place prior to launching or driving the Sport Boat.

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FUEL AND OIL

GASOLINE

Use regular unleaded 87 octane (R+M ÷ 2) gasoline.

AWARNING

GASOLINE AND ITS VAPORS ARE HIGHLY FLAMMABLE AND EXPLOSIVE!

- Do not smoke when refueling, and keep away from sparks, flames, or other sources of ignition.
- Stop engine and turn ignition keys to Off before refueling.
- Refuel in a well-ventilated area. If the Sport Boat is in the water, be sure it is securely moored to the fueling dock. All passengers must be out of the boat during refueling.
- Take care not to spill gasoline. If gasoline spills, wipe it up immediately with dry rags. Always properly dispose of gasolinesoaked rags.
- Avoid overfilling the fuel tank. Stop filling when the fuel level just reaches the bottom of the filler tube. Do not fill up the filler tube because fuel expands as it warms up and could overflow.
- Tighten the filler cap securely after refueling.
- If you should swallow some gasoline, inhale a lot of gasoline vapor, or get gasoline in your

- eyes, get immediate medical attention.
- If any gasoline spills onto your skin, immediately wash with soap and water. Change clothing if gasoline spills on it.

CAUTION:

Use only fresh gasoline that has been stored in clean containers.

Gasohol

There are two types of gasohol: gasohol containing ethanol and that containing methanol. Gasohol containing ethanol can be used if ethanol content does not exceed 10% and the fuel meets minimum octane ratings. Gasohol containing methanol is not recommended by Yamaha because it can cause fuel system damage or engine performance problems.

Ring Free Fuel Additive

Gasoline is a precise blend of many different substances, each chosen to give certain characteristics. Gasoline blends have been changing in recent years in response to concerns about pollution and resulting emissions regulations. One of the most obvious changes has been the elimination of lead from fuels.

As gasoline has changed, the amount of additives such as aromatics and oxygenates has increased. These additives are important for the engines in passenger cars, but they can have detrimental effects in marine engines, particularly 2-cycle engines, because of increased deposits in the combus-

tion chamber. When enough deposits collect, piston rings begin sticking. Performance drops and engine wear increases dramatically.

While many additives available may reduce deposits, Yamaha recommends the use of Ring Free Fuel Additive, available from your Yamaha dealer. Ring Free has repeatedly proven its ability to clean combustion deposits from inside the engine, notably in the critical piston-ring-land area, and fuel system components. Follow product labeling for use instructions.

ENGINE OIL

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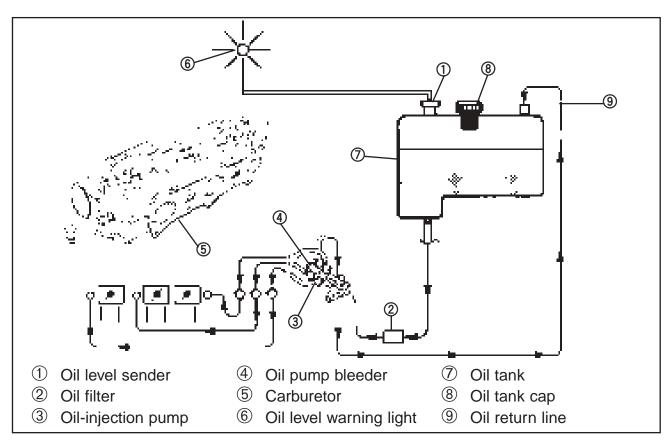
Use only YAMALUBE 2-W oil. Using another oil can seriously damage the catalytic converter and other engine components.

OIL INJECTION SYSTEM

These engines use Yamaha's oil injection system, which provides superior lubrication by ensuring the proper oil ratio for all operating conditions. No fuel premixing is necessary (except during break-in). Simply pour gasoline into the fuel tank and oil into the oil tank.

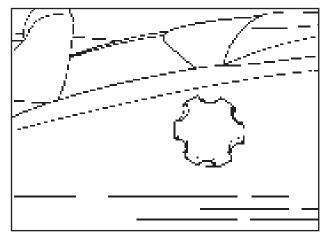
CAUTION:

Do not allow the oil tank to empty completely. The oil injection pump must be bled to ensure proper oil flow after the tank empties. Otherwise, engine damage may occur. Refer to page 4-12, "Bleeding the Oil Injection Pump," for correct procedure.



GASOLINE AND ENGINE OIL FILLING

FILLING THE GASOLINE TANK



Open the fuel tank filler cap, and slowly add fuel to the fuel tank. Be careful not to spill fuel or overfill the tank.

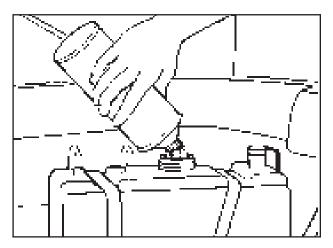
Stop filling when the fuel just becomes visible in the bottom of the filler tube. Do not "top off" the tank, because gasoline could spill out. Be sure to tighten the cap securely.

CAUTION:

Be careful when refueling. Avoid getting water or other contaminants in the fuel tank. Contaminated fuel can cause poor running or engine damage.

Fuel tank capacity: 41 US gal (155.2 lit)

FILLING THE OIL TANK



Open the engine hood, then open the oil tank filler cap. Very slowly add engine oil to the oil tank. Stop pouring when the oil just reaches the bottom of the filler neck. Be sure to tighten the cap securely.

▲WARNING

- Oil in the bilge is a serious fire hazard. Wipe up any spilled oil immediately and properly dispose oil soaked rags.
- Do not add gasoline to the oil tank. Fire or explosion could result.

Oil tank capacity: 3.0 US gal (11.4 lit)

PRE-OPERATION CHECKS

CHECK LIST

Before Operating this Sport Boat, perform the following checks:

▲WARNING

If any item in the Pre-Operation check is not working properly, have it inspected and repaired before operating the Sport Boat. Otherwise an accident could occur.

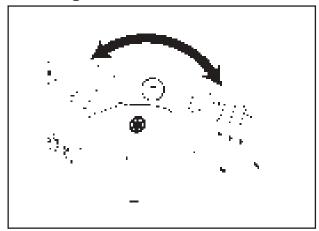
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STEERING	Check for proper steering operation.	3-5
THROTTLE	Check for proper throttle operation.	3-5
SHIFTING	Check for proper shift operation.	3-5
FIRE EXTINGUISHER	Check readiness of the extinguisher.	3-6
HULL	Check the hull for damage or cracks before launching.	
JET (WATER) INTAKES	Check that no debris is in the intakes before launching.	3-7
FUEL SYSTEM	Check fuel system for leaks.	3-7
FUEL AND ENGINE OIL LEVELS	Check fuel and oil level; add as necessary.	3-7
BATTERY	Check battery condition, mounting, and connection.	3-7
DRAINAGE SYSTEM	Check, and remove all water and fuel residue before launching. Be sure drain plugs are tightened.	3-7
ENGINE COMPARTMENT	Operate the blower for at least 4 minutes. Open engine hood and check to be sure no gasoline vapors are present.	3-9
ENGINE HOOD	Check that hood latch is secure.	2-14
LIGHTS AND HORN	Check lights to be sure they operate. Press horn button to be sure it operates.	3-9
AFTER LAUNCH		
SWITCHES	Check operation of the ignition start switches and engine stop switch lanyard.	3-10
COOLING WATER PILOT OUTLETS	Check that water comes out while the engines are running.	3-10

NOTE: Steering and Shifting Pre-Operation Checks will require two persons, one person to operate controls and one person to observe proper operation at the stern.

NOTE: Pre-operation checks should be made each time the boat is used. This procedure can be accomplished thoroughly in a short time. The added safety and reliability the checks assure is worth the time involved.

CHECK POINTS

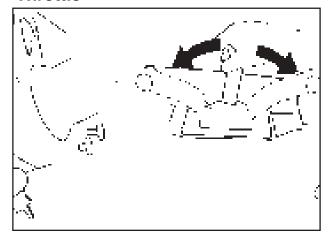
Steering



Make sure the wheel is not loose. There should not be any free play, either inand-out or in rotation. Turn the steering wheel full-right and full-left to make sure operation is smooth and unrestricted throughout the whole range.

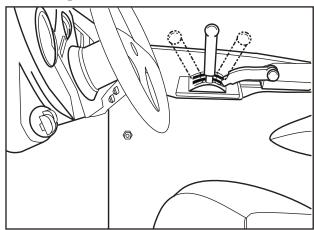
Make sure both jet nozzles change directions as the steering wheel is turned. The jet nozzles should point to starboard (right) when the wheel is turned right. The jet nozzles should point to port (left) when the wheel is turned left. There should not be free play between the steering wheel and the jet nozzles.

Throttle

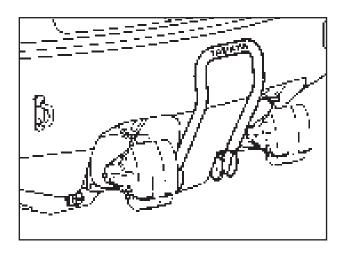


Operate the throttle levers several times to make sure there is no hesitation in their travel. Operation should be smooth over the complete range of motion, and each lever should return completely to the idle position.

Shifting



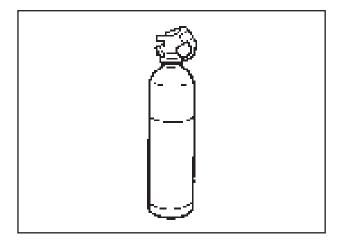
Before launching, make sure both jet pump gates drop down over the jet nozzles to their stopper positions when the shift lever is moved to the "Reverse" position. Also make sure both jet pump gates return to the full up stopper position when the shift lever is moved to the "Forward" position.



AWARNING

Shift only with the engine idling. Do not shift when applying throttle.

Fire Extinguisher



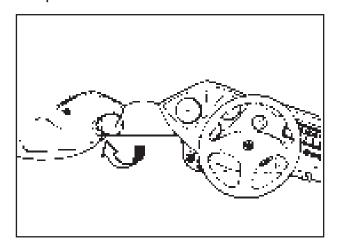
Make sure the fire extinguisher is aboard and full. See the instructions supplied by the fire extinguisher manufacturer to determine proper indication of condition.

AWARNING

Always carry a fire extinguisher on board.

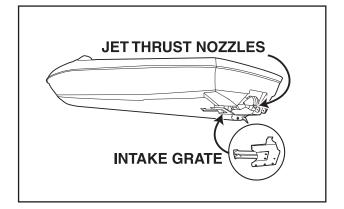
This Sport Boat is included in the Class 1 inboard boat classification of the U.S. Coast Guard. A boat of this type MUST carry a fire extinguisher of a B-1 classification, with a capacity of two pounds or more when navigating in waters under Coast Guard jurisdiction. In addition, most state and local boating laws also require that the craft carry a USCG-approved fire extinguisher wherever the boat is operated.

A fire extinguisher is not standard equipment with this boat. If you do not have one, contact your local Yamaha Sport Boat dealer or a fire extinguisher dealer to obtain one meeting the proper specifications.



The fire extinguisher canister is located under the bow cover between the driver and front passenger consoles. Unscrew the canister to reach the fire extinguisher.

Jet Intakes



Before launching the Sport Boat, carefully check the jet intakes under the boat for weeds, debris, or anything else that might restrict the intake of water. If the intakes are clogged, cavitation could occur, reducing jet thrust, and possibly damaging jet pump parts. In some cases, the engine may overheat because of lack of cooling water, and damage could result. Engine cooling water is fed to the engine by the jet pumps (see pages 2-10).

Refer to **Jet Pump Clean-Out** procedures on page 5-5 before attempting to remove weeds or debris from the jet intake or impeller areas.

AWARNING

Rotating parts could cause severe injury or death. Before attempting to remove weeds or debris from the jet intake or impeller areas; shut off the engines, remove ignition key, then remove the engine shut-off switch cord from the stop switch.

Fuel System

Refer to page 4-11, "FUEL SYSTEM INSPECTION," for correct procedure.

Fuel and Engine Oil Levels

 Turn the main switch key to ON. Wait for the fuel gauge needle to stop moving, then note the fuel level. Add fuel if necessary.

NOTE: The fuel level is most accurate when the boat is sitting level on the trailer or in the water.

Open the engine hatch, remove the center storage tray, then check oil level in the tank. Add as necessary.

Battery

The Sport Boat uses one battery. Check the battery condition and the battery electrolyte level. Make sure connections are tight and that battery is properly secured.

AWARNING

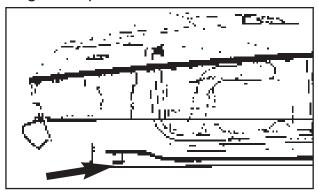
The battery must always be fully charged and in good condition. Loss of battery power may leave you stranded. Never operate the Sport Boat if the battery does not have sufficient power to start the engine or if it shows any other signs of decreased power.

Drainage System

Self-Bailing Deck-

Most water which enters the deck area bails automatically out the stern through the large drain hole in the deck. A one-way check valve in the drain prevents water from traveling back to the deck during mooring or while moving in reverse.

Bilge Pump -

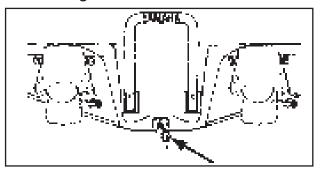


Your Sport Boat is equipped with a drainage system that channels water that enters the boat from the storage compartments to the bilge under the engine compartment. When the bilge pump is turned on (see page 2-11), the pump will sense when there is excessive water in the bilge and will automatically drain most of it. For normal operation, turn the bilge pump switch on during boat use and turn it off when leaving the boat.

CAUTION:

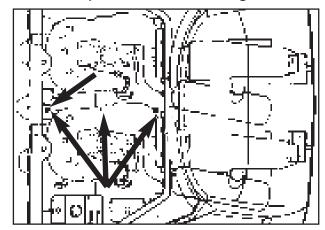
If the Sport Boat is to be left in the water after use, leave the bilge pump switch in the ON position. The pump will activate if needed to drain any water which accumulates in the bilge.

Drain Plug -



A drain plug is located at the center of the stern to allow more complete draining when the boat is removed from the water.

Engine Compartment and Fuel Compartment Drain Plug –



Water will not normally enter the engine compartment or fuel compartment areas during operation. If it does, open the drain plugs and allow water to drain. Also open the engine compartment plug when flushing the engine area with fresh water after salt water operation.

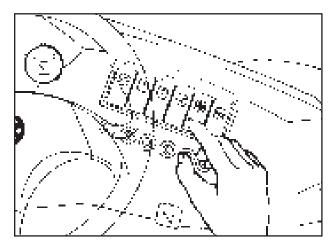
CAUTION:

- Excessive water in the engine compartment bilge can splash into the carburetor and engine. This could cause engine damage.
- Be sure all drain plugs are tightened before operating your Sport Boat.

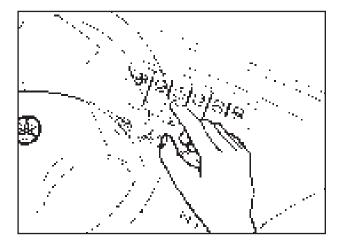
AWARNING

Gasoline and its vapors are highly flammable and explosive. If a fuel or a fuel/water mix drains from the fuel tank compartment drain or is found in the engine compartment, wipe it up immediately with dry rags. Do not operate the boat until the source of the fuel leak is found and corrected. Engine Compartment

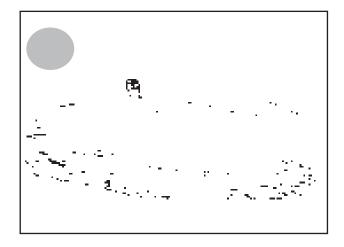
Operate the bilge blower for at least 4 minutes before starting the engines. Open engine hood and check to be sure no gasoline vapors are present. Check for fuel leaks or loose electrical connection.

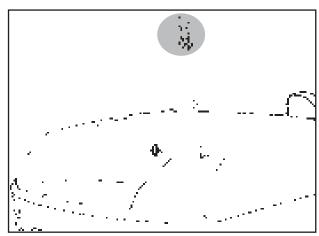


Lights



Check for proper operation of the bow, stern, and instrument lights by pressing the switch on the control panel.





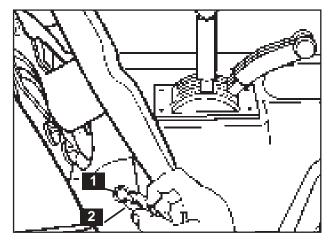
If the stern light is not installed, remove it from the storage area, lift the socket cover, and install it into the socket to check operation.

Horn

Press the horn switch to be sure the horn operates.



Engine Stop Switch



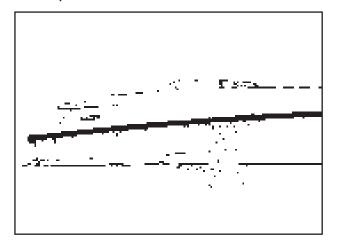
- ① Engine shut-off switch
- 2 Clip

First, place the boat in the water to provide adequate engine cooling. Start the engine, and then remove the engine stop switch lock-plate, and verify that the engine stops.

Refer to pages 3-11 to 3-13, "START-ING THE ENGINES," for information on proper operation of the starter switch.

Cooling-Water Pilot Outlets

Check that water comes out from the pilot outlets while engine is running in the water. Refer to page 2-10 for correct operation of the device.



NOTE: It may take up to 20 seconds for water to reach the pilot outlets when first launching the boat. The amount and force of the exiting water will vary with engine rpm.

CAUTION:

A continuous flow of water from the pilot holes shows that water is flowing through the engine cooling passages. If water is not flowing out of the pilot holes during operation, do not continue to run the engines. Overheating and serious damage could occur. See Overheat Warning System, page 2-10, for more information.

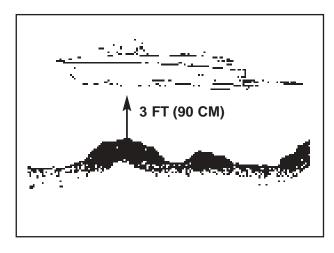
OPERATION

STARTING THE ENGINES

AWARNING

SEVERE INJURY OR DEATH MAY RESULT IF YOU IGNORE ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:

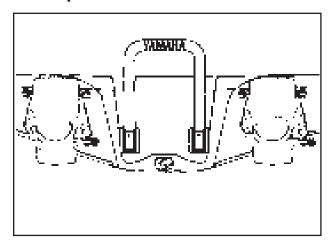
- Before operating your Sport Boat, become familiar with all controls.
 Consult your Yamaha dealer about any control or function you do not fully understand.
- Attach the engine shut-off switch cord to your personal flotation device before operating. Failure to attach cord could result in a runaway boat if operator is ejected.
- Check throttle, steering and shift lever for proper operation before starting the engine.
- Shift into neutral before starting engines. Put throttle levers in idle position before shifting.
- Never start the engine or let it run any length of time in an enclosed area. Exhaust fumes contain carbon monoxide, a colorless, odorless gas that may cause loss of consciousness and death within a short time. Always operate the boat in an open area.



1) Always make sure the boat is launched and used in waters that are free from weeds and debris, and at least 3 ft (90 cm) deep.

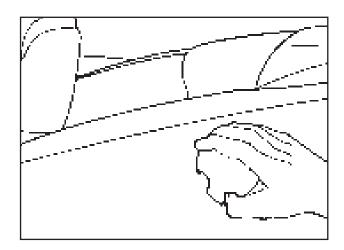
AWARNING

Never operate in water that is less than 3 ft (90 cm) deep. You increase your chance of hitting an underwater obstacle. You could be injured. Pebbles or sand can also be sucked into the jet (water) intake, damaging the impeller.

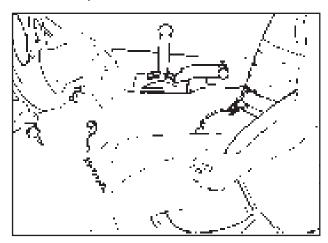


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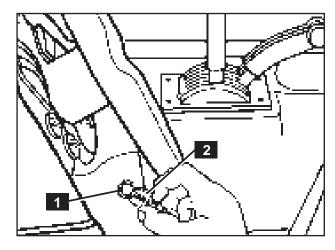
There is a hull drain plug at the bottom of the stern in the center. Be sure it is securely tightened before launching the Sport Boat.



NOTE: Before the first start-up, remove the fuel tank filler cap to release any built-up pressure in the tank because of fuel expansion.



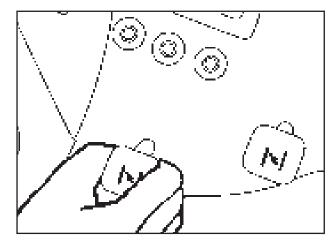
3) Attach the engine shut-off cord to your PFD. Install the cord clip onto the engine shut-off switch by pushing the clip groove over the nut beneath the knob. Be sure the cord is not wrapped around the steering wheel or tangled in the controls.



- ① Engine shut-off switch
- 2 Clip with cord

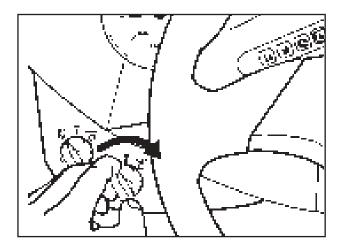
NOTE: It is not possible to start the engine with the clip removed from the engine shut-off switch. However, the starter motor will turn the engine over.

4) Pull the choke knob all the way out.



NOTE:

- It may be necessary to hold the choke knob completely pulled out when starting a very cold engine.
- After the engine has warmed up, push the choke knob in gradually.
 The choke should not be used when the engine is warm.



5) Put the throttle levers in the idle position. Shift into Neutral. Turn the ignition key of one engine to "Start." When the engine starts, release the key. Repeat for the other engine. If the engine will not start or doesn't stay running, move the throttle levers forward slightly and try again.

CAUTION:

Never turn the ignition key to "Start" while the engine is running. Do not keep the starter motor running for more than 5 seconds. If the engine does not start after 5 seconds of cranking, release the starter button. Wait at least 15 seconds before trying to start the engine again. If the starter motor is engaged continuously for more than 5 seconds, the battery will be quickly discharged, and it will be impossible to start the engine. The starter motor may also be damaged if it is engaged continuously for more than 5 seconds.

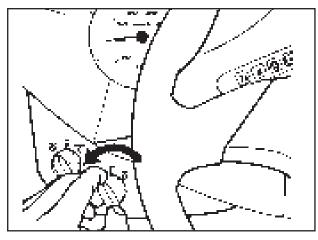
NOTE:

- Be sure the shift lever is put in the Neutral position or the starter motor will not operate.
- On this boat, the engines are connected directly to the drive unit.
 Starting either engine generates some thrust immediately. Only enough throttle should be applied to keep the engine at a fast enough idle to stay running.
- 6) After the engines are warm, gradually push the choke knobs in fully, back to their original position.

CAUTION:

Do not operate the Sport Boat with just one engine running. Severe engine damage could result because water can flood the non-operating engine through the cooling water intake. If single-engine operation is unavoidable, operate the boat at a "no wake" speed only.

STOPPING THE ENGINES



To stop the engine, return the throttle levers to the idle position, then turn the main switches to "Off." The engines can also be stopped by pulling the engine stop switch lanyard.

♠WARNING

Once the engine has stopped, you have NO STEERING CONTROL over the boat. You could collide with another boat, a dock, or other obstacle.

NOTE:

- Remove the ignition keys and the engine stop switch lanyard if the boat will be left unattended.
- Stopping the engines immediately after operating at high rpm is not recommended. Let the engines cool off at idle or low speed for a few minutes first

BREAK-IN PROCEDURE

The engine and other components require a break-in (running in) period to allow surfaces of moving parts to wear in evenly. This ensures proper performance and promotes longer engine life.

CAUTION:

- Failure to follow the break-in procedures may result in reduced engine life, or even engine damage.
- During first full tank of fuel, use 50:1 pre-mix fuel (in addition to oil in oil tank).
- After above period, use straight gasoline for normal operation.
- 1) Before launching: Fill the fuel tank with 50:1 premix fuel. Fill the oil tank with oil (see page 3-3). Launch the boat and start the engine (see page 3-11).
- 2) First 5 minutes: Run the engine at the lowest possible idling speed.
- First tank of fuel: Gradually increase the throttle position during operation, up to a maximum of one-half throttle. Vary engine speed occasionally.
- 4) Following this tank of premix fuel, use straight gasoline in the fuel tank and oil in the oil tank (see page 3-3). Proceed with normal operation.

DRIVING YOUR Sport Boat

GETTING TO KNOW YOUR SPORT BOAT

Operating your Sport Boat requires skills acquired through practice over a period of time. Take the time to learn the basic techniques well before attempting more difficult maneuvers.

Boating with your new Sport Boat can be a very enjoyable activity, providing you with hours of pleasure. But it is essential to familiarize yourself with the operation of the Sport Boat to achieve the skill necessary to enjoy boating safely. Before you begin, be sure you have read this Owner's Manual completely and understand the operation of the controls. Pay particular attention to the safety information in Chapter 1. Read all warning and caution labels on your Sport Boat.

This Sport Boat is designed to carry one operator and up to four passengers, as long as the total weight of people and cargo does not exceed 1100 lb (499 kg). Never have more than five people in the boat.

LEARNING TO OPERATE YOUR SPORT BOAT

Before boating, always perform the Pre-Operation Checks listed on page 3-4. The short time spent checking the machine's condition will reward you with added safety and a more reliable Sport Boat.

Know and follow U.S. Coast Guard, state, and local laws when operating your Sport Boat.

Select a wide area to learn in, where visibility is good and other boat traffic is light. Keep the proper distance from other boats and vehicles. Do not operate where people are swimming.

Always attach the engine stop switch lanyard to your personal flotation device before operating.

You and all other passengers must always wear a U.S. Coast Guard approved personal flotation device when riding in the Sport Boat. You should consider wearing water shoes, eye protection, gloves, and other protective apparel. Water sports increase your risk of injury from contact with your boat, other vessels, docks, rocks, or coral. Waterskiiers must also wear a wetsuit to protect against jet thrust or impact with the water surface, particularly as speeds increase. Normal swimming attire may not adequately protect you.

Grip the wheel firmly and keep both feet on the deck when driving the Sport Boat.

TURNING THE SPORT BOAT

Steering control depends on the combination of steering wheel position and the amount of throttle.

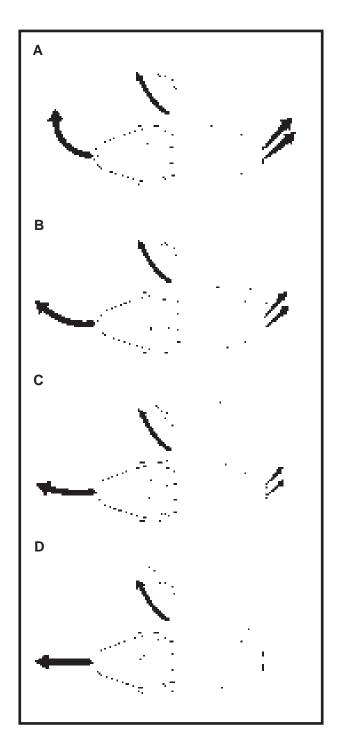
Water sucked in through the intake grate is pressurized by the impeller in the jet pump. As the pressurized water is expelled from the pump through the jet thrust nozzle, it creates thrust to move and steer the Sport Boat. The higher the engine speed, the more thrust is produced.

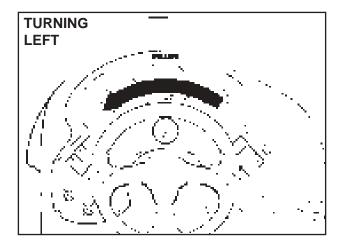
The amount of jet thrust, in addition to the position of the steering wheel, determines how sharply you turn.

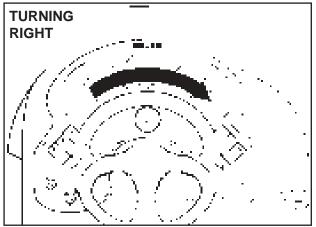
- A. More throttle produces high thrust, so the Sport Boat will turn more sharply.
- B. Less throttle produces low thrust, so the Sport Boat will turn more gradually.
- C. Pulling the throttle levers completely back to idle produces only minimum thrust. If you are traveling at speeds above trolling, you will have rapidly decreasing ability to steer without throttle. You may still have some turning ability immediately after pulling the throttle levers back to idle, but once the engine slows down, the Sport Boat will no longer respond to steering wheel input until you apply throttle again or you reach a trolling speed.

At trolling speed, the Sport Boat can be turned gradually by steering wheel position alone using just the amount of thrust available at engine idle. D. If the engines are stopped, there is no thrust. The Sport Boat will go straight even though the steering wheel is turned.

YOU NEED THROTTLE TO STEER.







▲WARNING

- Do not pull the throttle levers back to idle when trying to steer away from objects – you need throttle to steer.
- Be sure passengers are holding on before making turns. An unprepared passenger could lose balance and fall.

BOATING WITH PASSENGERS

When one or more passengers are on board, the boat may handle differently, so operating it requires a higher degree of skill.

Remember: Your Sport Boat is designed for one operator and up to four passengers only. Never have more than five people in the Sport Boat. Passengers should sit so the weight in the boat is balanced from side to side and bow to stern as much as possible. If the passenger seat in front of the helm is used, be sure the operator's view ahead is not obstructed.

Passengers must sit in one of the seats and hold onto the grips while putting both feet on the deck.

AWARNING

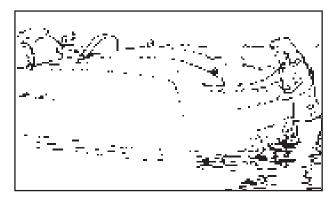
When passengers are on board, make sure they are seated and holding on before you start to accelerate. An unprepared passenger could lose balance and fall.

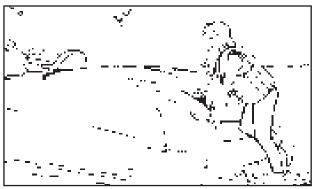
BOARDING FROM THE WATER

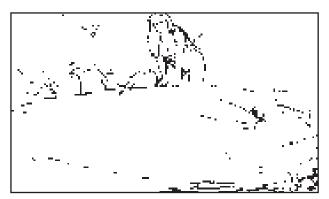
AWARNING

Severe internal injuries can occur if water is forced into body cavities as a result of being near the jet thrust nozzles.

- Do not board from the rear, use swim platform, or swim behind boat if engines are running.
- Stay away from the back of the boat when engines are running.







- Be sure engines are off, then move to the stern of the boat. Put a foot on the fold-down rear boarding step and grab the boarding handles in the swim platform.
- 2) Climb up onto the swim platform, then climb over the engine hatch and sit in one of the seats provided.

CAUTION:

Do not use control levers as grab handles because damage can occur.

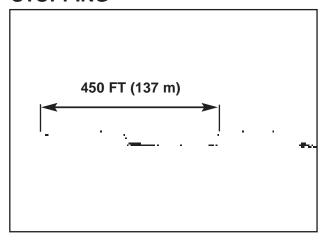
BOARDING FROM A DOCK OR LANDING JETTY

- Board the boat from the side. One person should board at a time by stepping into the boat. Never jump in. Avoid stepping on slick gelcoat surfaces on the boat's gunwales, especially if wet.
- 2) Sit in one of the seats provided and put both feet on the deck.

CAUTION:

Do not use control levers as grab handles because damage can occur.

STOPPING



The Sport Boat is not equipped with a separate braking system. It is stopped by water resistance after the throttle levers are moved back to idle. From full speed, the Sport Boat stops in approximately 450 ft (137 m) after the throttle is moved back to idle. The stopping distance varies depending on gross weight, water surface conditions, and wind direction. The stated straight line stopping distance should be used for a reference. The boat slows down as soon as the throttle levers are returned to idle but will coast for a distance before fully stopping. If you are not sure you can stop in time before hitting an obstacle, apply throttle and turn in another direction.

▲WARNING

You will lose steering control if you completely pull the throttle levers back to idle.

DOCKING

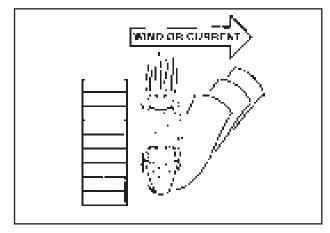
 Make sure no obstructions, boats or swimmers are close to the Sport Boat. Approach the dock from the port side if possible. Come to a stop before you reach the dock.

- Notice how wind and water currents are affecting boat movement as you attach your mooring lines and fenders.
- Approach the dock at idle speed. Use reverse as necessary during slow speed maneuvering to help control speed and direction. Position the boat according to wind and water conditions.

AWARNING

Do not use your hand, arm, or other part of your body to try to keep the boat from hitting the dock. You could be injured if the boat pushes against the dock.

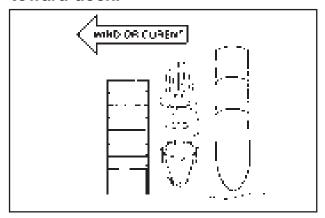
Wind or current pushing boat away from dock:



Slowly approach the dock at about a 45° angle. Secure the bow to the dock, then use engine thrust or a boat hook to gently move the stern to the dock.

3 OPERATION

Wind or current pushing boat toward dock:



Slowly maneuver to a shallow angle and allow the boat to move toward the dock.

No wind or current:

Approach the dock at a shallow angle. Secure the bow to the dock, then use engine thrust or a boat hook to gently move the stern to the dock.

LEAVING A DOCK

Because boats steer from the stern, the stern first moves in the direction opposite your desired turn. It is especially important to understand this characteristic when leaving a dock. If you simply turn the wheel to steer the bow away from the dock, as you would when driving a car out of a parking space, you will drive the stern of the boat into the dock. Following is a basic maneuvering technique which can be used in most circumstances.

 With engines idling and the bow still moored to the dock turn the steering wheel toward the dock. This will start to move the stern of the boat away from the dock. 2) When the stern is out a few feet, release the bow mooring then steer in the direction you want the bow to move. Open the throttle slightly and begin to move away from the dock.

BEACHING

- 1) Make sure no obstructions, boats or swimmers are near the beach.
- 2) Approach the beach slowly and stop the engines when the water is about 3 ft (90 cm) deep. Remember: turning is impossible with the engine stopped.
- 3) Get out of the boat and pull the bow up on the beach.
- 4) When leaving the beach, push the boat out into water that is at least 3 ft (90 cm) deep before starting the engines.

CAUTION:

- Small pebbles, sand, seaweed, and other debris can be ingested into the jet intake and impair or damage the impeller. Always stop the engines before beaching the boat. Be sure the boat is in water 3 ft (90 cm) deep before starting the engines again.
- Do not beach the boat on rocky beaches. The hull gelcoat and exposed pump housings can be damaged.
- Pay attention to shifts in tides.
 Beaching at high tide may make it impossible to re-launch the boat if the tide recedes.

ANCHORING

AWARNING

Always anchor from the bow. Anchoring from the stern will make the boat unsteady. A strong current can pull a stern-anchored boat underwater.

Select an anchor appropriate for your boat and water conditions. A "danforth" (or fluke) type anchor is suitable for most applications; your dealer can help you choose an anchor.

- Make sure the anchor line is securely tied to the anchor and to the bow eye
- Move the boat to the spot where you want to lower the anchor, heading the boat into the wind or current.
 Stop the boat, then lower the anchor until it hits bottom.
- 3) While keeping tension on the line, slowly back up the boat until you have let out line that is 4 to 6 times the depth of the water. For example, if you are anchoring in 10 feet of water, let out 40 to 60 feet of line. Secure the line.

- 4) Pull on the line to be sure the anchor is holding. Also, periodically check your boat's position against the shoreline to make sure it is not drifting and dragging the anchor. Reset it if necessary.
- 5) To pull in ("weigh") the anchor, start the engines and move forward, keeping tension on the line as you pull it in. When the anchor line is straight up and down, pull hard to lift the anchor from the bottom material.
- 6) If the anchor is stuck on the bottom, try this: Let out a few feet of anchor line and secure the line to the boat again. Slowly maneuver the boat around the anchor until the anchor pulls loose. Keep the line taut during this procedure.

3 OPERATION

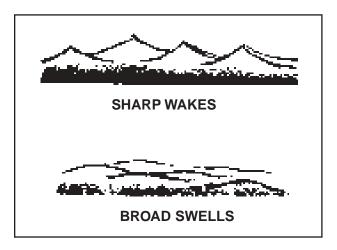
CROSSING WAKES

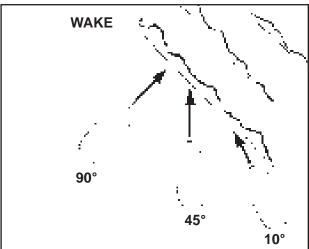
You will not always have flat, smooth water to ride on. There will be swells, wakes from other boats, etc.

The best way to cross wakes and swells is with the least jolt to you and the boat. Small swells are not as difficult to cross as larger swells or wakes. Crossing a sharp wake gives more of a jolt than a broad swell.

To cross a wake or swell, change your speed and choose the angle at which you cross the wake or swell. Usually, a slower speed and "quartering" the wake (crossing at an angle) will reduce the jolt.

Two other things you may notice as you ride. The first is that crossing a group of wakes or swells is not as easy or smooth as crossing just one wake. The second is that when you quarter the wake or swell the watercraft will try to steer away from the wake or swell. When crossing at a 45° angle, you may not notice this, but at a smaller angle, say10°, it can be very strong. Be prepared to steer and balance as necessary.





POST-OPERATION CHECKS

POST-OPERATION CHECKS

These post-operation procedures are developed to help preserve the long-term appearance and reliability of your Sport Boat. Perform these procedures as soon as possible after the boat is loaded back on the trailer after the day's use.

Some owners plan to moor their boat seasonally, rather than keeping it on the trailer between uses. The procedures described in this section may not be possible if your Sport Boat is moored in the water. Boats which are moored will require periodic removal from the water to clean the hull and jet pump area. The frequency of this maintenance will depend upon whether the water is salt or fresh, as well as other local water conditions.

CAUTION:

Leaving the boat in the water for extended periods will accelerate the rate of normal deterioration of the jet pump components and hull finish. Stray electrical voltage in the water, marine organisms, and saltwater corrosion are a few of the conditions that can adversely affect the life of many Sport Boat components.

- After putting the Sport Boat on the trailer, flush cooling system on each engine to prevent the cooling system from clogging up with salt, sand, or dirt. Refer to page 4-1 for the cooling system flushing procedure.
- 2) Drain residual water from the exhaust system by running the engine at 4,000 rpm for a period of 10 to 15 seconds.

AWARNING

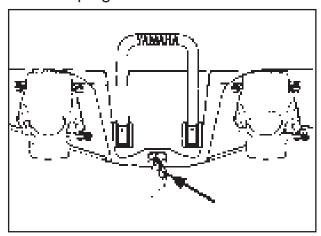
Stay away from the stern when the engine is running on load. Hot water and steam spurting from exhaust outlet into the air can cause serious burns.

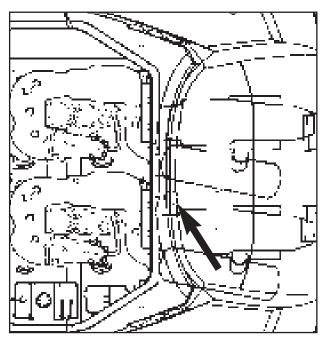
CAUTION:

Do not run the engine over 4,000 rpm on land. The catalytic converter could result in serious damage.

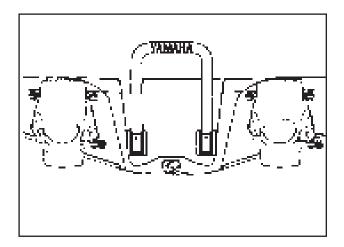
3) Wash down the hull, helm, and both jet drive units with fresh water.

4) Remove hull drain plug and the engine compartment drain plugs. Rinse the engine compartment with a small amount of fresh water. Be careful not to get water on the carburetor or electrical components. Allow any water in the bilge to drain out. After the water has drained, wipe the engine compartment and bilge with dry rags. Reinstall all drain plugs.





NOTE: This boat is equipped with an electric bilge pump that automatically removes excess water from the bilge while you are underway. However, some residual water remains that must be drained by removing the drain plug.



CAUTION:

Tighten the hull drain plug securely before launching the Sport Boat. Clean any foreign material, such as dirt or sand, from the threads before installing the drain plug.

5) Spray a rust inhibitor, such as Yamaha Silicone Protectant and Lubricant, on metallic parts to minimize corrosion.

TRAILERING

AWARNING

Avoid accident and injury from improper trailering:

- The trailer must be matched for the Sport Boat's weight and hull.
- The towing vehicle must have the capacity of pulling the load. Pulling a load that exceeds the Sport Boat's towing capacity may cause loss of control.
- Be sure the boat is secured to the trailer and the trailer is properly hitched to the towing vehicle before towing.
- Always place the fuel cocks in the "OFF" position when transporting or storing the Sport Boat. Otherwise, fuel could leak out into the engine or engine compartment, which could create a fire or explosion hazard.

Select a trailer that is manufactured to carry a boat of the size and weight of your Sport Boat. Check the certification label on the left forward side of the trailer. This label is required to show the Gross Vehicle Weight Rating (GVWR), which is the load carrying capacity of the trailer plus the trailer's weight. Be sure that the total weight of your boat, any cargo, and the trailer weight itself does not exceed the GVWR.

HITCH

The trailer hitch ball must match the size of the socket on the trailer hitch coupler. Hitches are divided into classes that specify the gross trailer weight (GTW) and the maximum tongue weight. Always use a hitch rated for the same or higher class. Use a bolted-on or welded-on hitch; clamp-on bumper hitches are not recommended. Be sure the trailer hitch's release handle is latched with the lock pin installed before towing.

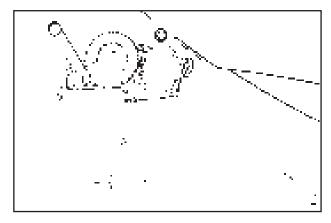
Use safety chains between the towing vehicle and the trailer so the trailer will not detach completely from the towing vehicle if it accidentally comes loose from the hitch ball. Crisscross the chains under the trailer tongue so the tongue will not hit the road surface if it falls loose. Rig the chains as tightly as possible while allowing just enough slack to permit tight turns.

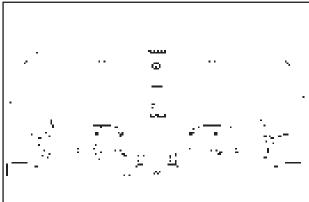
Be sure the tongue weight (vertical weight on the hitch point) is correct. Generally, 5% to 10% of the combined weight of the boat and trailer should be on the tongue. Too much or too little weight can cause difficult steering or trailer swaying.

TRAILERING CHECKLIST

- Check your state laws to be sure your trailer meets all regulations, such as proper licensing, brake, axle load, and safety chain requirements.
- Check trailer for any loose fasteners or damaged parts.
- Check tires for proper inflation.

- Check wheel bearings and wheel lug nuts before each trip.
- Check tail, brake, and turn signal lights for proper operation.
- Secure the bow of the boat to the trailer with the winch line and also with a separate bow tie-down to the winch stand and frame crossmember. Secure the stern cleats to the trailer with tie-downs.





- Carry a spare tire for the trailer, along with sufficient tools to change the tire.
- While traveling, check the wheel hubs on the trailer whenever you park. If the hub feels abnormally hot, have the bearing inspected before continuing your trip. On longer trips, it is a good idea to carry a set of spare wheel bearings, seals, and races.

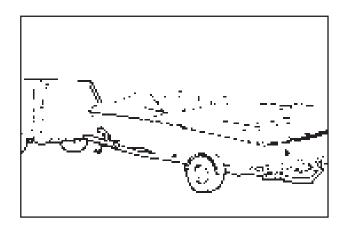
- When making a turn, do not cut corners. The trailer has a smaller turning circle so it turns more sharply around the corner than the towing vehicle.
- Before backing your trailer into the water, disconnect the light plug from the towing vehicle. This will reduce the likelihood of the lights blowing out when submerged.

BACKING YOUR TRAILER

It takes practice to back a trailer successfully. If you are not familiar backing up with a trailer, practice first in an open area away from obstacles.

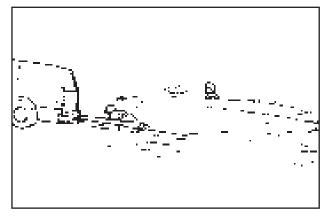
Keep the following points in mind:

 Back slowly. Make steering adjustments in small steps.



- Turn the towing vehicle's wheels opposite the direction you want the trailer to go.
- After the trailer begins moving, turn the towing vehicle to follow it.
- Have a second person stand by to help direct you with hand signals.

LAUNCHING



As a courtesy to other boaters, prepare your Sport Boat for launching before using the ramp.

Each launch may have particular differences, such as ramp angle, prevailing wind, waves, and water currents. If possible, watch a couple of boaters launch their boats first to notice any problems. While every boater develops a preferred launch procedure, here is a recommended general procedure:

- Perform the Pre-Operation Checks shown on page 3-4 that can be performed on land, including operating the blower for at least 4 minutes.
- 2) Remove all trailering tie-down lines from the boat and attach your docking lines and fenders, if used.
- 3) Disconnect the trailer lights from the towing vehicle.
- 4) Back the trailer down the ramp as close to 90° to the shoreline as you can. If possible, have a second person stand aside as an observer. Stop when the wheels are at least halfway submerged. Set the parking brake.

- 5) Remove the bow line from the bow eye.
- 6) Back the trailer farther into the water until just the tops of the fenders show, then reset the parking brake. Board the boat and start it. If possible, remain on the trailer until the engines are warm and are responding to throttle.
- Back the boat out into the water, watching carefully for other boats or obstacles.

LOADING

- 1) Disconnect the trailer lights from the towing vehicle.
- 2) Back the trailer down the ramp as close to 90° to the shoreline as you can. If possible, have a second person act as an observer while standing to the side of the boat. Stop when the tops of the trailer's fenders are about 3 inches above the waterline.
- 3) With the boat moving at the slowest idle speed. Use throttle only if necessary for steering ability. Guide the boat onto the support rails.

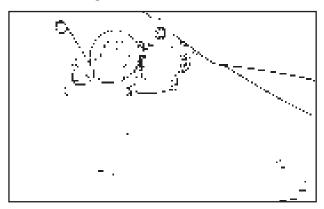
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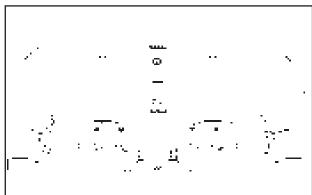
Using too much throttle can cause the boat to jump over the front of the trailer which can result in injury to the boat operator and bystanders. Use only enough throttle to maneuver the boat into the correct position.

- 4) Make sure the boat is centered on the support rails and is headed straight for the bow stop (bumper board). Ease the boat forward until the bow rests against the bow stop.
- 5) Attach and tighten the winch line.

CAUTION:

- The winch line is not designed to pull the boat onto the trailer.
- The winch line should not be the only line securing the bow during trailering. Use a separate bow tiedown line along with the winch to secure the boat to the trailer.
- 6) Pull the trailer up the ramp out of the way of other boaters. Attach the bow and stern tie-downs. Reconnect the trailer lights.





7) Follow the Post-Operation Checks on page 3-22.

LIFTING

CAUTION:

Do not attach lifting cables to the bow eye, cleats, waterski tow eye, or grab handles. Serious damage to the boat can occur. Use only a sling designed specifically for lifting boats.

If you need to remove the Sport Boat from the water without a trailer, use these guidelines:

- Use a sling-type lifting mechanism designed for lifting boats. The sling should be covered with a protective material to prevent damage to the hull gelcoat.
- Use spreader bars to avoid side stress to the hull that may cause cracks in the gelcoat and fiberglass.
- Attach guidelines to the bow eye and stern tie-down cleats to control movement of the boat during lifting.
- Remove all people and all cargo from the boat. Drain any excess water from the bilge using the bilge pump.
- Be sure all people are standing clear, then lift boat slowly and just far enough to verify that the boat is securely held and properly balanced. If necessary, lower the boat again and adjust the slings.
- When ready, lift the boat slowly and carefully.

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STORAGE

Storing your Sport Boat for prolonged periods of time, such as winter storage, requires preventative maintenance to ensure against deterioration. It is advisable to have the Sport Boat serviced by an authorized Yamaha Sport Boat dealer before storage. However, the following procedures can be performed by the owner with a minimum of tools.

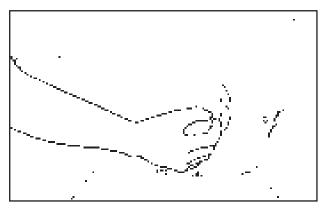
FUEL SYSTEM

Top off the fuel tank with fresh fuel, adding one ounce of Yamaha Fuel Conditioner and Stabilizer or an equivalent to each gallon of fuel. A full fuel tank is less likely to allow condensation to collect in the tank, reducing the chance of contaminated fuel. Running the engines with treated fuel during cooling system flushing will also help protect carburetors and fuel lines.

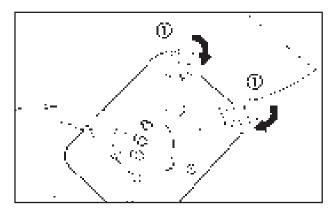
NOTE: Use of Yamaha Fuel Conditioner and Stabilizer eliminates the need to drain the fuel system. Consult your Yamaha dealer or other qualified mechanic if the fuel system is to be drained instead.

FUEL SHUT-OFF PROCEDURE

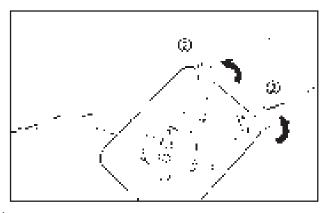
Your Sport Boat is equipped with fuel supply shut-off valves. When storing your boat for more than 30 days, it is recommended that you turn off the fuel supply valves. This isolates fuel in the fuel tank and helps prevent contamination of the fuel system during storage.



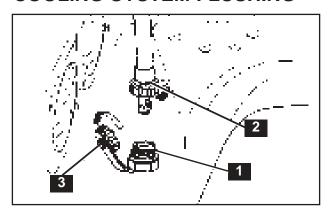
To turn the fuel supply off, lift the center passenger seat base cushion. Remove the fuel shut-off valve access cover by inserting a flat-bladed screwdriver or other suitable tool in the cover slot and prying the cover up. Once the cover is off, turn both fuel valve levers clockwise 90° until they are perpendicular to the fuel lines ①.



To turn the fuel supply on, turn each lever counter clockwise to the in line position ②. Remember that both valves must be on for both engines to receive fuel from the fuel tank.



COOLING SYSTEM FLUSHING



- 1 Flush Hose Connector
- 2 Garden Hose Adapter
- 3 Cap

Cooling system flushing is essential to prevent the cooling system from clogging up with salt, sand, or dirt.

- Open the cap for the engine you are going to flush. Press the flush kit garden hose adapter into the flush hose connector and turn until they are securely connected.
- 2) Start the engine, then immediately turn on the water supply fully.

CAUTION:

- Never turn on the water before starting the engine. The water could flow back through the muffler into the crankcase causing severe engine damage.
- Be sure to turn on the water immediately after starting the engine to prevent engine overheating.
- 3) Run the engine at a fast idle for 10~15 minutes.

4) Turn off the water supply and force the remaining water out of the cooling system by running the engine at 4,000 r/min for 10 to 15 seconds.

AWARNING

Do not start the engine on land until everyone is away from the stern. Hot water and stern spurting from exhaust outlet into the air can cause serious burns.

CAUTION:

- Do not run the engine for more than 15 seconds after the water supply has been turned off to avoid engine overheating.
- Do not run the engine over 4,000 r/min on land. The catalytic converter could result in serious damage.
- 5) After stopping the engine, remove the garden hose adapter.
- 6) Replace the cap securely.
- 7) Repeat the flushing procedure for the other engine.

LUBRICATION

CAUTION:

Do not attempt to run the engine at full throttle or for more than 15 seconds while the boat is out of the water. The engine may overheat and/or seize.

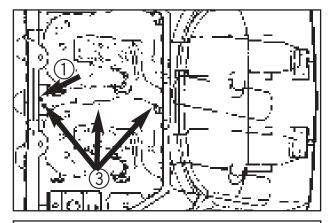
- 1) Remove the spark plugs and pour approximately one tablespoon of oil into each cylinder.
- 2) Lightly grease the spark plug threads and reinstall the spark plugs. See Spark Plus installation instructions on page 4-7.
- 3) Lubricate all cables such as the throttle choke, and steering cables.
- 4) Grease the areas of the Sport Boat specified in "Grease Points" in the Adjustment And Maintenance section.

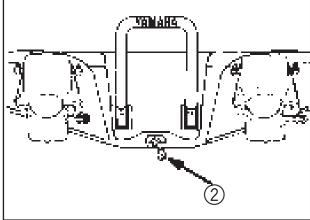
BATTERY

- 1) When the Sport Boat is not to be used for a month or more, remove the battery and store it in a cool, dark place. Clean the battery's casing and terminals using a mixture of baking soda and water (one tbsp. of baking soda to one cup of water). Apply dielectric grease or petroleum jelly to the battery terminals and to all exposed connectors.
- 2) If the battery will be stored for a longer period, check the specific gravity of the fluid at least once a month and recharge the battery if they get too low.

Specific gravity: 1.28 at 20°C (68°F)

CLEANING





1) Remove the fuel tank compartment drain ① and allow any water to drain into the engine compartment. Reinstall the drain plug.

AWARNING

Gasoline and its vapors are highly flammable and explosive. If fuel or a fuel/water mix drains from the fuel tank compartment drain, wipe it up immediately with dry rags. Do not operate the boat until the source of the fuel leak is found and corrected.

Remove the drain plugs in the stern
 and engine compartment
 Wash down the hull, boat interior, and drive units with fresh water.

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- Rinse the engine and bilge areas with fresh water. Drain off all water and wipe up remaining moisture with clean, dry rags. Reinstall the drain plugs.
- 4) Spray the exterior of the engines with Yamaha Silicone Protectant and Lubricant.
- 5) Wax the hull with a non-abrasive wax such as Yamaha Ultra Gloss Cleaner Wax or other wax designed for marine gelcoat.

AWARNING

Slippery surfaces can cause falls and injury. Be careful not to apply too much wax on deck and gunnel stepping surfaces. This will make them slippery.

 Wipe all vinyl and rubber components, such as the seats and engine compartment seals, with a vinyl protectant such as Yamaha Protectant.

ADJUSTMENT AND MAINTENANCE

Periodic inspection, adjustment, and lubrication will keep your Sport Boat in the safest and most efficient condition possible. Safety is an obligation of the Sport Boat owner. The most important points of boat inspection, adjustment and lubrication are explained on the following pages.

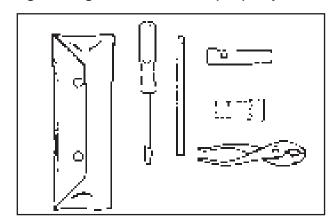
AWARNING

- Be sure to turn off the engines when you perform maintenance unless otherwise specified. Otherwise, accident or injury could result from unexpected operation, moving parts, or electric shock.
- If the owner is not familiar with machine servicing, this work should be done by a Yamaha dealer or other qualified mechanic. Improperly serviced components could fail or stop operating correctly, which could result in an accident.

TOOL KIT

It is advisable always to carry the Owner's Manual and tool kit with you whenever you use the Sport Boat. To protect these articles from water, it would be a good idea to put them in a waterproof bag. If your Owner's Manual is damaged, order a replacement from a Yamaha Dealer

The service information included in this manual is intended to provide you, the owner, with the necessary information for completing your own preventive maintenance and minor repairs. The tools provided in the owner's tool kit are sufficient for this purpose, except that a torque wrench is also necessary for tightening nuts and bolts properly.



♠WARNING

Do not attempt to modify this Sport Boat! Modifications to your boat may reduce safety and reliability, and may make the boat illegal for use.

PERIODIC INSPECTION CHART

Frequency of maintenance operations may be adjusted according to the operating conditions, but the following table gives general guidelines.

- Indicates the checkups which you may do yourself.
- Indicates work to be done by your Yamaha dealer.

	Maintenance interval		Initial		Thereafter Every		Page
	_	10 hours	50 hours	100 hours	100 hours	200 hours	
		Hours	3 months	6 months	6 months	12 months	
Spark plug	Inspection/Cleaning/ Adjustment	•	•	•	•		4-7
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Carburetor throttle shaft	Inspection						
Cooling-water passages	Cleaning/Flushing	(after every use)					4-2
Bilge strainer	Cleaning		•	•	•		
Impeller	Inspection						
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Throttle cable and choke cable	Inspection/Adjustment			•	•		4-13
Reverse gate mechanism	Inspection			•	•		4-14
Drain plugs	Inspection/Replacement					•	
Battery	Inspection	(inspect fluid level before every launch)					4-15
Rubber coupling	Inspection						
Bolts and nuts	Retightening						

^{*1} Grease capacity: $33.0 \sim 35.0 \text{ cm}^3 (1.11 \sim 1.18 \text{ oz.})$

^{*2} Grease capacity: $6.0 \sim 8.0 \text{ cm}^3 (0.20 \sim 0.27 \text{ oz.})$

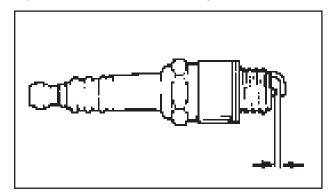
SPARK PLUG CLEANING AND ADJUSTMENT

The spark plug is an important engine component and is easy to inspect. The condition of the spark plug can indicate something about the condition of the engine. For example, if the center electrode porcelain is very white, this could indicate an intake air leak or carburetion problem in that cylinder.

Do not attempt to diagnose any problems yourself. Instead, take the Sport Boat to a Yamaha Sport Boat dealer. You should periodically remove and inspect the spark plug because heat and deposits will cause the spark plug to slowly break down and erode. If electrode erosion becomes excessive. or if carbon and other deposits are excessive, you should replace the spark plug with another of the correct type.

Standard spark plug: **BR8ES-11**

Before installing the spark plug, measure the electrode gap with a wire thickness gauge; adjust the gap to specification if necessary.



Spark plug gap: 1.0~1.1mm

(0.039~0.043 in)

When fitting the plug, always clean the gasket surface and use a new gasket. Wipe off any dirt from the threads and screw in the spark plug to the correct torque.

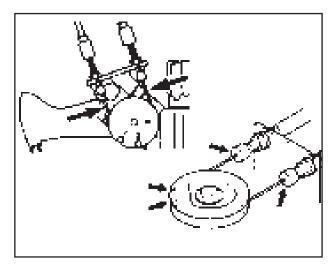
Spark plug torque: 25 Nm (2.5 m-kg, 18 ft-lb)

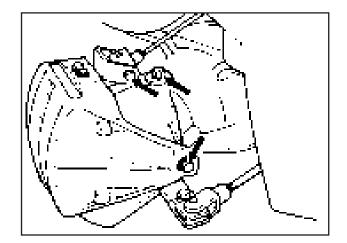
NOTE: Before installing the spark plug cap, be sure to wipe off any water on the spark plug or inside the cap. Push the spark plug cap down until it clicks.

NOTE: If a torque-wrench is not available when you are fitting a spark plug, a good estimate of the correct torque (with a new gasket) is 1/4 to 1/2 turn past finger-tight. Have the spark plug adjusted to the correct torque as soon as possible with a torque wrench.

AWARNING

When removing or installing a spark plug, be careful not to damage the insulator. A damaged insulator could allow external sparks, which could lead to explosion or fire.





GREASE POINTS

To keep moving parts sliding or rotating smoothly, coat them with water resistant grease such as Yamaha Marine Grease (ACC-GREAS-14-CT), YAMAHA grease A, or an equivalent.

Throttle cable and choke cable

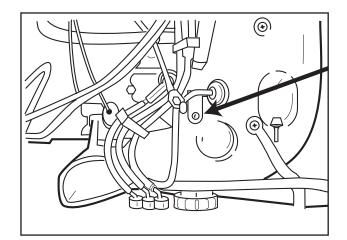
Grease the throttle-cable and choke-cable inner wires at the carburetors.

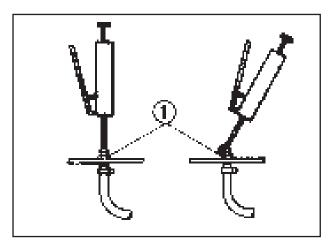
Steering cable ball joints and inner wire

Grease the steering cable and shift cables ball joints at the steering nozzles. Extend the steering cable and shift cable inner wires and apply a thin coat of grease to them.

Pivot points

Grease all pivot points of the steering and shift mechanism at the pump end.





Bearing housing

① Bearing housing grease nipple

Grease the bearing housing through the grease nipple.

Recommended water resistant grease: YAMAHA Marine Grease (ACC-GREAS-14-CT), or YAMAHA Grease A

The first service should be done after 10 hours or 1 month by your YAMAHA dealer.

Fill the bearing housing with water resistant grease through the grease nipple.

Grease capacity: 33.0~35.0 cc $(1.11 \sim 1.18 \text{ oz})$

After first service: Every 100 hours or 6 months (you may do this yourself)

Grease capacity: 6.0~8.0 cc $(0.20 \sim 0.27 \text{ oz})$

CAUTION:

Fill the grease slowly and carefully, because it can damage the hose and the joints.

FUEL SYSTEM INSPECTION

▲WARNING

Gasoline and its vapors are highly flammable and explosive.

Failure to check for and repair fuel leakage may result in fire or explosion.

Check the fuel system for leaks, cracks, or malfunctions. If any problem is found, do the necessary repair or replacement as required. If repair is necessary, consult your nearest Yamaha Sport Boat dealer.

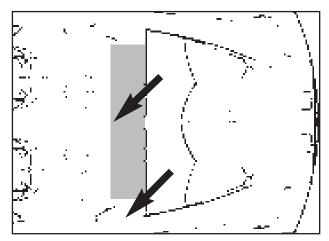
AWARNING

Always properly dispose of gasoline soaked rags. They can spontaneously ignite.

Checking points:

- 1. Carburetor leakage.
- 2. Fuel pump malfunction or leakage.
- 3. Fuel tank leakage.
- 4. Fuel hose joint leakage.
- 5. Fuel hose cracks or other damage.
- 6. Fuel filter leakage.
- 7. Fuel valve leakage.
- 8. Air vent check valve leakage.
- 9. Fuel filler clamps and hoses.

The United States Coast Guard requires that all inboard boats like your Sport Boat have visual access to fuel filler clamps and hoses. The Sport Boat has two access panels for this purpose.



One access panel is located on the upper deck wall on the port side, visible when the rear seat back is removed.

The lid for the fuel tank compartment is the other access panel. Remove the center portion of each seat cushion and then the bench seat. Remove the screws holding the lid to inspect the fuel tank area.

Fuel valves to shut off or turn on the fuel supply are located under an access port under the center rear seat. See page 4-1 for more information.

FUEL FILTER

The fuel filter is a one-piece, disposable type. The filter should be replaced once a year or after every 200 hours of operation, or if water is found in the filter. Take the Sport Boat to your Yamaha dealer if fuel filter replacement is required.

♠WARNING

Do not try to change the fuel filter yourself. An incorrectly installed filter can leak gasoline, which could lead to fire or explosion. Take the Sport Boat to your Yamaha dealer for fuel filter replacement.

FUEL TANK

If the fuel tank needs to be cleaned or when any water is found in the fuel system, take the Sport Boat to your Yamaha dealer for service.

OIL INJECTION SYSTEM INSPECTION

Check the oil injection system for leaks, cracks, or malfunctions. If any problem is found, do the necessary repair or replacement as required. If repair is necessarv. consult your nearest Yamaha dealer.

Check points

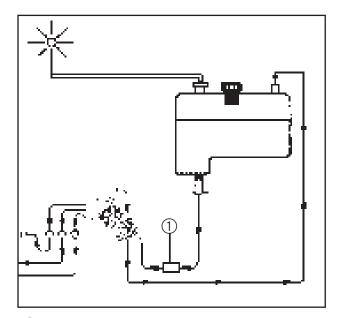
- 1. Check the oil tank for damage or cracks.
- 2. Check for water or dirt in the oil tank.
- 3. Check the oil hose and joint.
- 4. Check the oil filter.

Oil tank

Check for oil tank damage or cracks. Check the oil hose and joint. When the oil tank needs to be cleaned, or when any water or dirt is found in the oil tank, take the Sport Boat to your Yamaha dealer for service.

Oil filter replacement

If the in-line oil filter becomes contaminated, see your Yamaha dealer for service.

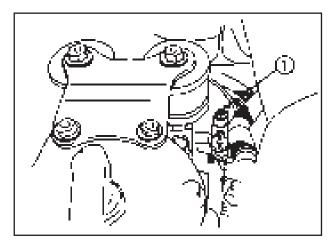


1 Oil filter

CAUTION:

Air enters the oil delivery line when the oil filter is removed, so the oil system must be bled properly after the filter is replaced. Air in the system will prevent oil from flowing properly to the engine, and severe engine damage will result. Your Yamaha dealer has the professional knowledge and experience to bleed the oil pump properly.

BLEEDING THE OIL INJECTION PUMP



① Air bleeding screw

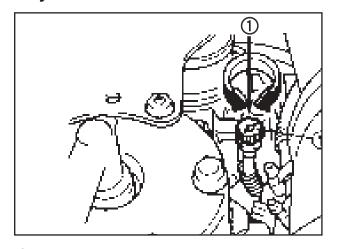
To bleed the oil injection pump, loosen the air bleeding screw on the bleed hose. Oil will flow into the oil injection pump. Hold a rag under the screw hole to catch oil as it spills out. Keep letting oil run out until there are no bubbles in the oil. Tighten the screw firmly and wipe up any spilled oil completely. Properly dispose of oil-soaked rags.

CARBURETOR ADJUSTMENT

The carburetors are vital parts of the engine and require very sophisticated adjustment. Most adjusting should be left to a Yamaha Sport Boat dealer who has the professional knowledge and experience to do so. However, the following point may be serviced by the owner as part of his usual maintenance routine.

CAUTION:

The carburetor was set at the Yamaha factory after many tests. If the settings are disturbed without having technical knowledge, poor engine performance and damage may result.



1 Throttle stop screw

Trolling Speed (Idle)

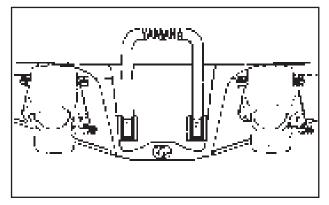
NOTE: A diagnostic tachometer is useful for this procedure.

Place the Sport Boat afloat. Start the engine and warm it up for one or two minutes.

Using a diagnostic tachometer, adjust one engine's speed to specification. Turn the throttle stop screw clockwise to increase engine speed or counterclockwise to decrease engine speed. Repeat the procedure on the other engine.

Trolling speed: 1,300~1,400

STEERING CABLE INSPECTION

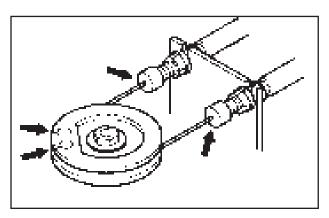


Be sure to check:

- 1) Check for smooth operation of the wheel and steering nozzles.
- 2) Check for proper steering adjustment. The nozzles should both point straight back when the steering wheel is centered.

If steering is stiff or misadjusted, ask your Yamaha dealer to service it.

THROTTLE CABLE INSPECTION

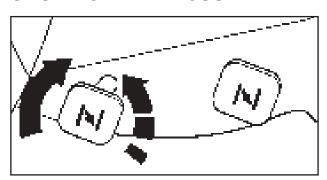


Push and pull the throttle levers through their full range with the shift lever in Neutral. Repeat with the shift lever in Forward, and again in Reverse. Both throttle levers should move smoothly from idle to full throttle and back. If not, ask your Yamaha Sport Boat dealer for service.

▲WARNING

Improper throttle operation could result in an accident. Check for proper throttle operation before starting the engines.

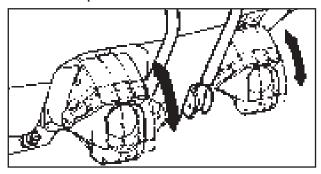
CHOKE CABLE ADJUSTMENT



Pull the choke knob out until it stops. Release the knob. The knob should not move. If it moves back on its own, tighten the friction adjustment slightly. If the knob is difficult to move, loosen the friction adjustment slightly.

REVERSE GATE MECHANISM INSPECTION

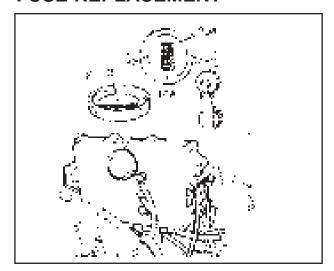
- 1) Remove the engine stop switch lanyard and ignition keys.
- 2) Put the throttle levers in the idle position (otherwise the shift lever will not move).
- 3) Push the shift lever to Forward from the Neutral position while a second person observes shift gate movement from outside the boat. Both shift gates should lift completely to the stops.



4) Pull the shift lever back from Forward through Neutral to Reverse. The observer should check for proper movement of the shift gates. Both gates should drop down over the nozzles to the stops.

If reverse gates do not operate smoothly or correctly, ask your authorized Yamaha Sport Boat dealer for service.

FUSE REPLACEMENT



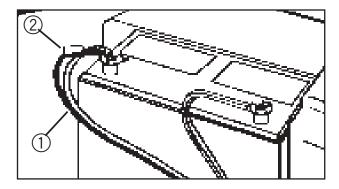
The fuse is in the electrical box. To replace the fuse, unscrew the cap, then remove the fuse using the fuse puller. Replace the fuse with one of the correct amperage.

- ① Electrical Box ④ Spare fuse
- 2 Cap 5 Fuse puller
- ③ Fuse

▲WARNING

Do not use fuses of higher amperage that those recommended. Substitution of a fuse of improper rating can cause extensive electrical system damage and possible fire.

Accessory Fuse



- ① Fuse (20A)
- 2 Accessory lead

The fuse is on the battery lead wire (red with black stripe). Open the fuse box and replace the fuse.

BATTERY

NOTE: These general guidelines apply to many commonly used battery types (but not, for example, to maintenancefree batteries). Consult the battery manufacturer's instructions before performing battery maintenance.

Check the level of the battery fluid and see if the terminals are tight. Add distilled water if the fluid level is low.

CAUTION:

- Be careful not to place the battery on its side.
- Remove the battery from the boat before adding distilled water or recharging.

AWARNING

Battery electrolyte is poisonous and dangerous, causing severe burns, etc. It contains sulfuric acid. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing.

Antidote:

EXTERNAL-Flush with water.

INTERNAL-Drink large quantities of water or milk. Follow with milk of magnesia, beaten egg or vegetable oil. Call physician immediately.

EYES: Flush with water for 15 minutes and get prompt medical attention.

A battery produces explosive gases. Keep sparks, flame, cigarettes, etc., away. Ventilate when charging or using in enclosed space. Always shield eyes when working near batteries.

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.

Replenishing the battery fluid

A poorly maintained battery will deteriorate guickly. The battery fluid should be checked before every outing.

Fill to the manufacturer's recommended level when necessary. Top up only with distilled water (or pure de-ionized water) suitable to use in batteries.

CAUTION:

Normal tap water contains minerals which are harmful to a battery; therefore, refill only with distilled water.

4 MAINTENANCE & CARE

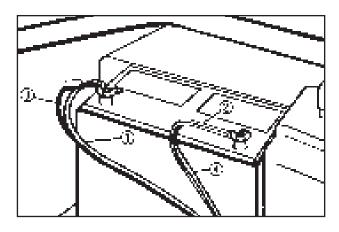
Recharging

AWARNING

- When charging the battery, keep it well away from sparks and open flames, as it gives off explosive gases.
- When using a battery charger, connect the battery to the charger before you turn on the charger. This will prevent sparking at the terminals that could ignite battery gases.
- If jump-starting the engine is necessary in an emergency, follow the instructions on page 5-4.
 Improper jump-starting could cause sparking and explosion.
- Remove the caps from the cells. Add distilled water if necessary to top up the electrolyte to the proper level.
- 2) Follow the battery manufacturer's instructions for charging.

Connecting The Battery Terminals

Always make sure the connections are correct when you install the battery in the Sport Boat. Make sure that the breather pipe are properly connected and that it is not damaged or obstructed.



- ① Positive (+) Battery cable (Red)
- 2 Negative (–) Battery cable (Black)
- 3 Accessory (+) Lead (Red/Black)
- 4 Accessory (-) Lead (Black)

CAUTION:

BATTERY REMOVAL: Disconnect battery leads before removing the battery. Disconnect the negative (–) lead first.

BATTERY INSTALLATION: Connect the red (+) lead and accessory red (+) lead to the positive (+) terminal of the battery. Connect the black (-) lead and the black (-) accessory lead to the negative (-) terminal of the battery.

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Chapter 5

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TROUBLESHOOTING

If any trouble happens on your Sport Boat, use this section to check for possible cause. If you cannot find the cause or if the procedure for replacement or repair is not described in this owner's manual, ask your Yamaha Sport Boat dealer or qualified mechanic for the proper service.

The Troubleshooting Chart contains "TROUBLE", "POSSIBLE CAUSE", "REMEDY", "REFER PAGE".

Check the possible cause and remedy, and also the referred page for the maintenance steps to solve the trouble.

TROUBLESHOOTING CHART

TROUBLE	POSSIBL	E CAUSE	REMEDY	Page
Starter motor does not turn	• Fuse	Burned out	Replace the fuse and check wiring	4-14
over		Run down	Recharge	4-16
	Battery	Poor terminal connections	Tighten as required	4-16
	Jet pump cleanout hatch	Not latched	Latch securely	5-5
	Starter component	Faulty	Have serviced at Yamaha dealer	
	Shift lever	Not in Neutral	Shift to Neutral	2-7
Starter motor turns over/ engine does	Stop switch	Clip is not in place	Install clip	2-5
not start		Empty	Refill as soon as possible	3-3
	• Fuel	Stale or contaminated	Have serviced at Yamaha dealer	
	• Fuel tank	Water or dust collected	Have service at Yamaha dealer	
	Fuertank	Built-up pressure	Open the fuel tank filler cap and release pressure	3-12
	Spark plug	Fouled or defective	Clean or replace	4-7
	Spark plug cap	Not fitted or loose	Fit properly	4-7
		Filled with fuel	Have serviced at Yamaha Dealer	
	Crankcase	Filled with water	Crank engine with spark plug out until clean	
	• Fuel filter	Clogged or water collected	Have serviced at Yamaha Dealer	4-11
	Choke	Knob automatically returns	Tighten the choke cable tension, adjust nut	4-13

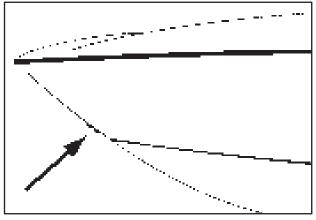
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TROUBLE	POSSIBL	E CAUSE	REMEDY	Page
Engine runs		Empty	Refill as soon as possible	3-3
irregularly or stalls	• Fuel	Stale or contaminated	Have serviced at Yamaha dealer	
		Oil and gasoline mixture is too rich	Have serviced at Yamaha dealer	
	Choke	Knob is left pulled	Push it in fully	2-8
	• Fuel filter	Water or dust collected	Have serviced at Yamaha dealer	
		Fouled or defective	Replace	4-7
	 Spark plug 	Incorrect heat range	Replace	4-7
		Gap incorrect	Adjust	4-7
		Loose	Fit properly	4-7
	Spark plug cap	Loose electrical connections	Tighten or connect properly	4-7
		Cracked, torn or damaged	Replace	
	Carburetor	Incorrect idle Adjustment	Adjust	4-12
	Carbarotor	Clogged	Have service at Yamaha dealer	
Engine won't run	• Engine overheat**	Jet intake clogged	Clean	5-5
over 3,500 rpm		Cooling system clogged	• Clean	4-2
Sport Boat speed	Cavitation	Jet intake clogged	Clean	5-5
too slow or loses power	. Engine	Jet intake clogged	Clean	5-5
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	Spark plug	Incorrect heat range	Replace	4-7
		Gap incorrect	Adjust	4-7
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^{**} Engine speed will be limited to mid rpm by the overheat warning device.

EMERGENCY PROCEDURES

TOWING THE SPORT BOAT



① Bow eye

The Sport Boat should be towed only if it becomes inoperative.

The towing rope should be long enough so that the Sport Boat will not collide with the towing boat when slowing down. A good rule of thumb is a tow rope which is three times the combined length of the towing boat and the Sport Boat.

Tow the Sport Boat using the bow eye only. Tow the boat at a "no wake" speed.

CAUTION:

Do not tow the Sport Boat at speed fast enough to leave a wake. Severe engine damage could result because water can flood the non-operating engines through the cooling water intake.

AWARNING

The operator of the towing boat must keep speed to a minimum and avoid traffic or obstacles which could be a hazard to the driver on the Sport Boat.

RUNNING ON ONE ENGINE

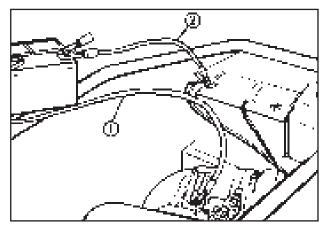
If one engine becomes inoperative, the properly running engine can be used to return to shore. Operate at a "no wake" speed to prevent water from flooding the non-operating engine through the cooling water intake.

CAUTION:

Sport Boat above a "no wake" speed with just one engine. Severe engine damage could result because water can flood the non-operating engines through the cooling water intake.

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JUMP STARTING



- ① Negative (-) jumper cable
- 2 Positive (+) jumper cable

If the boat batteries run down, the engines can be started in an emergency using a 12-volt battery and jumper cables.

AWARNING

SEVERE INJURY OR DEATH MAY RESULT IF YOU IGNORE ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:

- If blower will not operate, ventilate engine compartment by opening engine compartment hatch for several minutes before attempting jump starting.
- Do not connect the negative (-) jumper cable to the negative (-) terminal of the dead battery. Sparks could ignite battery or fuel vapors, which could cause an explosion.

To connect the jumper cables:

- Connect the positive (+) terminal of the dead battery to the positive terminal (+)of the booster battery with the positive jumper cable.
- 2) Connect one end of the negative (–) jumper cable to the negative (–) terminal of the booster battery.
- 3) Connect the other end of the negative (–) cable to an unpainted bolt on the cylinder head.

CAUTION:

Be sure all connections are secure and correct before attempting to start the engine. Any wrong connection may damage the electrical system.

 Start the engine, then disconnect the cables by reversing the above steps.

CAUTION:

Do not turn the starter motor for more than 5 seconds. If the engine does not start in 5 seconds, release the starter switch and try again after 15 seconds. Continuous cranking for more than 5 seconds will discharge the battery and the engine will not start. The starter motor may also be damaged if it is engaged continuously for more than five seconds.

JET PUMP CLEAN-OUT PROCEDURE

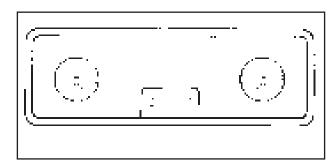
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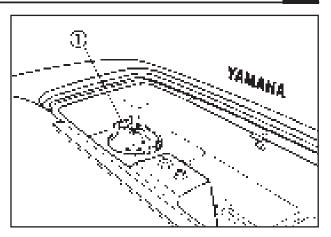
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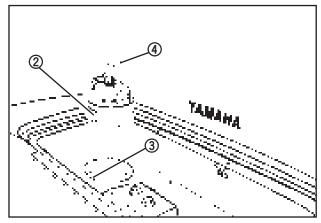
- Turn off and remove both ignition keys, remove lanyard, and wait for all movement to stop before removing access port caps.
- Never override interlocks to run engine with hatch open.
- The impeller has sharp edges. Be careful when reaching into jet pump area.

If weeds or debris get caught in the intake or impeller, cavitation can occur, and though the engine speed rises, forward thrust will decrease. If this condition is allowed to continue, pump damage can occur and the engines may overheat and seize. If there is any sign that the jet intake or impeller is clogged with weeds or debris, follow this cleanout procedure.

- 1) Turn off and remove ignition keys, remove lanyard, and wait for all movement to stop.
- 2) Lift the hatch on the rear platform.







- 3) Press the release button ① and lift the cap up out of the port. Set the cap where it cannot be accidentally knocked overboard.
- 4) Remove any weeds or debris from the drive shaft, impeller, pump housing, and steering nozzle. If you cannot remove the debris, consult your Yamaha Sport Boat Dealer.
- 5) To reinstall the access port cap, first clean any debris from the opening in the port. Align the slot ② on the cap with the tab ③ in the port, then slide the cap down until it is seated.
- 6) Firmly press the T-handle 4 down until it locks. Pull up on the handle to ensure that the cap is locked in place.

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CAUTION:

- Be sure the caps are locked securely in place. Otherwise the cap could be forced out of the access ports by water pressure, causing loss of performance and possible damage.
- The hatch cover has interlocks to shut off the engines should the hatch be accidentally opened during operation. The engines will not restart unless the hatch is closed and latched.

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YAMAHA MOTOR CORPORATION, U.S.A. SPORT BOAT LIMITED WARRANTY

Yamaha Motor Corporation, U.S.A. hereby warrants that new Yamaha Sport Boats will be free from defects in materials or workmanship for the period of time stated herein, subject to certain stated limitations.

PERIOD OF WARRANTY: The hull and deck on any new Yamaha Sport Boat purchased for pleasure use from an authorized Yamaha Sport Boat dealer in the United States will be warranted against major structural defects for a period of five (5) years in pleasure use, or for one (1) year in commercial applications. All other Yamaha Sport Boat components will be warranted against defects in material or workmanship, subject to exclusions noted herein, for a period of one (1) year from date of purchase in pleasure use, or ninety (90) days from the date of purchase in commercial applications.

Replacement parts used in warranty repairs will be warranted for the balance of the applicable warranty period.

The warranty described here applies to Sport Boats purchased and registered for use in the United States only. For warranty provisions outside the United States, contact that particular country's local Yamaha distributor.

OBTAINING REPAIRS UNDER WARRANTY: During the period of warranty, any authorized Yamaha Sport Boat dealer will, free of charge, repair or replace, at Yamaha's option, any parts adjudged defective by Yamaha due to faulty workmanship or material from the factory. All parts replaced under warranty will become the property of Yamaha Motor Corporation, U.S.A.

CUSTOMER'S RESPONSIBILITY: Under the terms of this warranty, the customer will be responsible for ensuring that the Sport Boat is properly operated, maintained, and stored as specified in the applicable Owner's Manual.

The owner of the Sport Boat shall give notice to an authorized Yamaha Sport Boat dealer of any and all apparent defects within ten (10) days of discovery and make the boat available at that time for inspection and repairs at the dealer's place of business.

GENERAL EXCLUSIONS FROM WARRANTY: This warranty will not cover the repair of damage if the damage is a result of abuse or neglect of the product. Examples of abuse and neglect include, but are not limited to:

- 1. Racing or competition use, modification of original parts, abnormal strain.
- 2. Lack of proper maintenance and off season storage as described in the Owner's Manual, installation of parts or accessories that are not equivalent in design and quality to genuine Yamaha parts.
- 3. Use of lubricants, oils, and fuel/oil mixtures that are not suitable for Sport Boat motor use.
- 4. Damage as a result of accidents, collisions, contact with foreign materials, or submersion.
- 5. Growth of marine organisms on motor or hull surfaces.
- 6. Normal deterioration.
- 7. Gel coat stress cracks.

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SPECIFIC PARTS EXCLUDED FROM WARRANTY; Parts replaced due to normal wear or routine maintenance such as oil, spark plugs, fuel filters, impeller and liner, and anodes are not covered by warranty. Charges for transporting the Sport Boat to and from an authorized Yamaha Sport Boat dealer are excluded from warranty coverage.

TRANSFER OF WARRANTY: Transfer of the warranty from the original purchaser to any subsequent purchaser is possible by having the boat inspected by an authorized Yamaha Sport Boat dealer and requesting the dealer to submit a change of registration to Yamaha Motor Corporation, U.S.A. within ten (10) days of the transfer.

YAMAHA MOTOR CORPORATION, U.S.A. MAKES NO OTHER WARRANTY OF ANY KIND, EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED. ALL IMPLIED WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY AND FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE WHICH EXCEED THE OBLIGATIONS AND TIME LIMITS STATED IN THIS WARRANTY ARE HEREBY DISCLAIMED BY YAMAHA MOTOR CORPORATION, U.S.A. AND EXCLUDED FROM THIS WARRANTY.

SOME STATES DO NOT ALLOW LIMITATIONS ON HOW LONG AN IMPLIED WARRANTY LASTS, SO THE ABOVE LIMITATION MAY NOT APPLY TO YOU. ALSO EXCLUDED FROM THIS WARRANTY ARE ANY INCIDENTAL OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES INCLUDING LOSS OF USE. SOME STATES DO NOT ALLOW THE EXCLUSION OR LIMITATION OF INCIDENTAL OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES. SO THE ABOVE EXCLUSION MAY NOT APPLY TO YOU.

THIS WARRANTY GIVES YOU SPECIFIC LEGAL RIGHTS, AND YOU MAY ALSO HAVE OTHER RIGHTS WHICH VARY FROM STATE TO STATE.

YAMAHA MOTOR CORPORATION, U.S.A. Post Office Box 6555 Cypress, California 90630

WARRANTY QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

- Q. What costs are my responsibility during the warranty period?
- A. The customer's responsibility includes all costs of normal maintenance services, non-warranty repairs, accident and collision damages.
- Q. What are some examples of "abnormal" strain, neglect, or abuse?
- A. These terms are general and overlap each other in areas. Specific examples include: Running the Sport Boat out of oil, operating the boat with a broken or damaged part which causes another part to fail, and so on. If you have any specific questions on operation or maintenance, please contact your Yamaha Sport Boat dealer for advice.
- Q. Does the warranty cover incidental costs such as transportation due to a failure?
- A. No. The warranty is limited to repair of the Sport Boat itself.
- Q. May I perform any or all of the recommended maintenance shown in the Owner's Manual instead of having the dealer do them?
- A. Yes, if you are a qualified mechanic and follow the procedures specified in the Owner's and Service Manual. We do recommend, however, that items requiring special tools or equipment be done by a Yamaha Sport Boat dealer.

- Q. Will the warranty be void or cancelled if I do not operate or maintain my new Sport Boat exactly as specified in the Owner's Manual?
- A. No. The warranty on a new Sport Boat cannot be "voided" or "cancelled." However, if a particular failure is caused by operation or maintenance other than as shown in the Owner's Manual, that failure may not be covered under warranty.
- Q. What responsibility does my dealer have under this warranty?
- A. Each Yamaha Sport Boat dealer is expected to:
 - 1. Completely set up each new Sport Boat before sale.
 - 2. Explain the operation, maintenance, and warranty requirements to your satisfaction at the time of sale, and upon your request at any later date. In addition, each Yamaha Sport Boat dealer is held responsible for his setup, service and warranty repair work.
- Q. Is the warranty transferable to second owners?
- A. Yes. The remainder of the existing warranty can be transferred upon request. The unit has to be inspected and re-registered by an authorized Yamaha Sport Boat dealer for the policy to remain effective.

CUSTOMER SERVICE

If your Sport Boat requires warranty service, you must take it to any authorized Yamaha Sport Boat dealer within the United States. Be sure to bring your warranty registration card or other valid proof of the original date of purchase. If a question or problem arises regarding warranty, first contact the owner of the dealership. Since all warranty matters are handled at the dealer level, this person is in the best position to help you. If you are still not satisfied and require additional assistance, please write:

YAMAHA MOTOR CORPORATION, U.S.A. CUSTOMER RELATIONS DEPARTMENT P.O. Box 6555 Cypress, California 90630

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

The federal government requires each manufacturer to maintain a complete, up-to-date list of all first purchasers against the possibility of a safety-related defect and recall. This list is compiled from the purchase registrations sent to Yamaha Motor Corporation, U.S.A. by the selling dealer at the time of your purchase.

If you should move after you have purchased your new Sport Boat, please advise us of your new address by sending a postcard listing your Yamaha model name, engine number, dealer number [or dealer's name] as it is shown on your warranty card, your name and new mailing address.

Mail to:

YAMAHA MOTOR CORPORATION, U.S.A. WARRANTY DEPARTMENT P.O. Box 6555 Cypress, California 90630

This will ensure that Yamaha Motor Corporation, U.S.A. has an up-to-date registration record in accordance with federal law.







YAMAHA EXTENDED SERVICE

Keep your Yamaha Sport Boat protected even after the 1-year warranty coverage provisions expire with genuine Yamaha Extended Service (Y.E.S.).

Y.E.S. is designed and administered by Yamaha Motor Corporation to provide maximum owner satisfaction. You get uninterrupted factory-backed coverage for extra peace of mind.

- Y.E.S. is flexible. You choose the plan that's right for you: 12 months, 24 months, 36 months, or 48 months beyond the 1year warranty coverage period. That means you can get up to 5 years of coverage on the power train, controls, and other components to match the comforting 5year standard protection on the hull.
- Y.E.S. is designed and administered by the same Yamaha people who handle your warranty – and it shows in the comprehensive coverage benefits. There are no limitations on hours of use. Coverage isn't limited to "moving parts" or the "drive train" like many other plans. And Y.E.S. covers manufacturing defects just like the warranty. See the sample contract at your Yamaha dealer to see how comforting uninterrupted factory-backed protection can be.
- You don't have to pay anything for covered repairs. There's no deductible to pay, and repairs aren't "prorated." You don't have any "out-of-pocket" expenses for covered repairs.
- In addition, Travel and Recreation Interruption Protection (TRIP) is included at no extra cost. TRIP gives you up to \$150 reimbursement per occurrence for any reasonable expenses you incur because your Yamaha needs covered service:

replacement vehicle rental, emergency towing, phone calls, even food and lodging when you are away from home. This superb coverage goes into effect when you purchase Y.E.S., so it applies to any warranty repairs as well as covered repairs during your entire Y.E.S. plan period.

- Y.E.S. coverage is honored at any authorized Yamaha dealer nationwide.
- Y.E.S. coverage is transferrable to a new owner if you sell or trade-in. That can make your Yamaha Sport Boat much more valuable!

This excellent Y.E.S. plan coverage is only available to Yamaha owners like you, and only while your Yamaha is still within the first year of the Yamaha Limited Warranty period. So visit your authorized Yamaha dealer to get all the facts. He can show you how easy it is to protect your investment with Yamaha Extended Service. We urge you to act now. You'll get the excellent benefits of TRIP coverage right away, and you'll rest easy knowing you'll have strong factory-backed protection even after your Yamaha Limited Warranty expires. See your dealer today!

A special note:

If visiting your dealer isn't convenient, contact Yamaha with your Primary ID number or Hull Identification Number. We'll be happy to help you get the Y.E.S. coverage you need.

> Yamaha Service Marketing P.O. Box 6555 Cypress, CA 90630 (714) 761-7632

BOATING TERMS

TERM	DEFINITION
Bow	The front part of the boat.
Deck	The "floor" or upper structure which covers the hull.
Give-Way	The vessel which must yield the right-of-way when two boats meet.
Gunwale	The meeting junction of the deck and hull; the upper edge around the boat. Pronounced "gun'l"
Hatch	An opening in the deck which provides access below.
Helm	The steering console.
Hull	The basic part of the boat; the under side.
Lanyard	The cord or tether that connects the operator to the engine stop switch so the engines will stop if the operator accidentally leaves the helm.
PFD	A Personal Flotation Device, also known as a "life jacket."
Planing	Traveling at a speed fast enough so the boat has leveled out and is skimming on top of the water. There is a wake.
Port	The left side of the boat.
Stand-On	The vessel with the right-of-way when two boats meet.
Starboard	The right side of the boat.
Stern	The back part of the boat.
Sub-Planing	Traveling at a medium speed. The bow of the boat is out of the water, but you are still traveling through the water. There is a wake.
Transom	The vertical part of the stern.
Trolling	Traveling at idle speed, using little or no throttle. The boat is down in the water and it is not leaving a wake.
Wake	The visible track of disturbed water that the boat leaves behind as it moves in the water.

SAMPLE FLOAT PLAN

Leave a float plan with a responsible person on shore before boating. The example below can be copied and used.

FLOAT PLAN			
	VESSEL II	NFORMATION	
BOAT MAKE: Y	′amaha	MOTOR TYPE: Jet	
MODEL: X	(R1800		
LENGTH.: 1	7'7"	REGISTRATION NO:	
DECK COLOR: V	Vhite	HULL COLOR: White)
	PAS	SENGER	
OPERATOR ADDRESS:		EMERGENCY PHON	IE:
PASSENGER #1: ADDRESS:		EMERGENCY PHON	IE:
PASSENGER #2: ADDRESS:		EMERGENCY PHON	IE:
PASSENGER #3: ADDRESS:		EMERGENCY PHON	IE:
PASSENGER #4: ADDRESS:		EMERGENCY PHON	IE:
	DEPARTURE	E INFORMATION	
POINT OF DEPARTURE:		DATE/TIME:	
TOW VEHICLE MAKE/MODEL	LICENSE:	TRAILER LICENSE:	
	DESTINATIO	N INFORMATION	
DESTINATION:	LORAN OR GPS C	OORDINATES:	INTENDED ACTIVITY:
EXPECTED RETURN	DATE:		TIME:
LOCAL U.S. COAST GUARD PHONE #:			
NOTES:	HULL COLOR: Whi	te	
OPERATOR ADDRESS:		EMERGENCY PHON	IE:
PASSENGER #1: ADDRESS:		EMERGENCY PHON	IE:

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