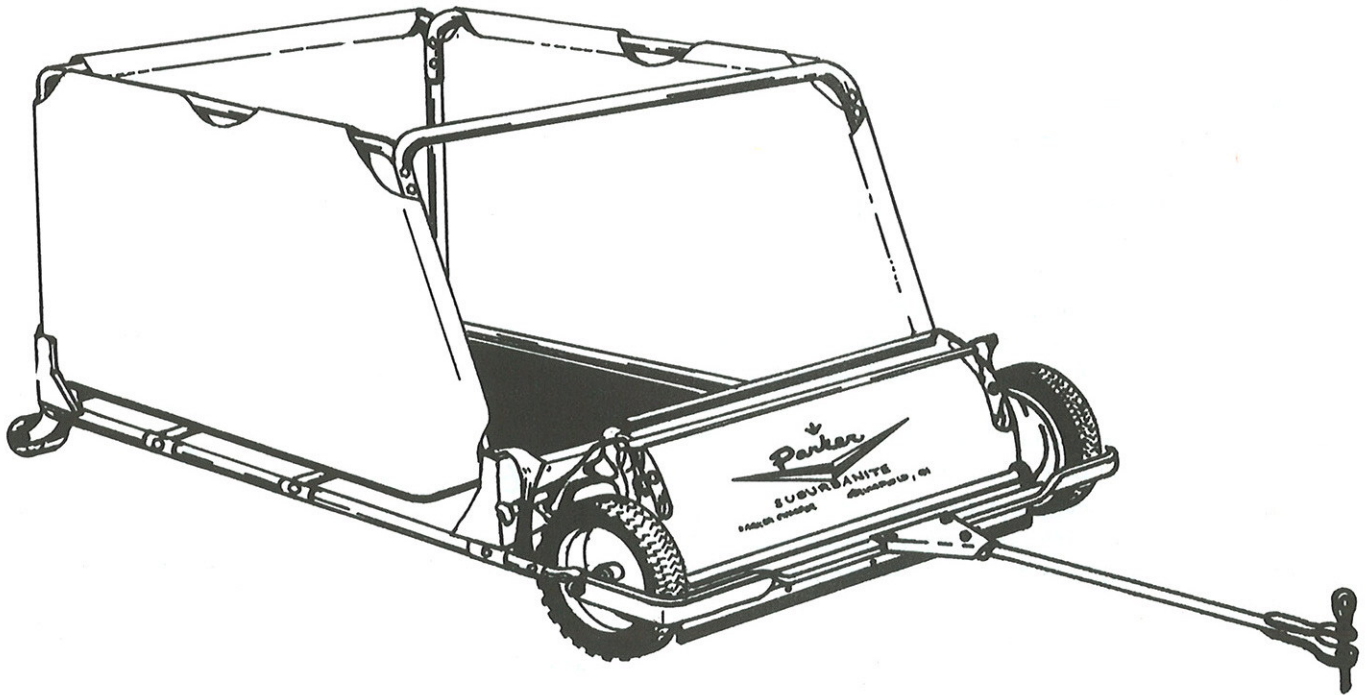


OWNER'S GUIDE



SU-8336 SUBURBANITE 36" TRAILING LAWN SWEEPER



**BE SAFE. PROTECT YOUR FAMILY, YOUR FRIENDS, YOURSELF.
OBSERVE ALL SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS.**

**READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE SETTING UP
AND OPERATING MACHINE.**

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ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS

YOUR SAFETY IS OUR CONCERN, READ ALL SAFETY RULES AND OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE ATTEMPTING TO OPERATE THIS EQUIPMENT. FAILURE TO FOLLOW SAFETY RULES AND OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS MAY RESULT IN SERIOUS INJURY.

The unit covered by this owner's guide is shipped complete in one carton and will take a minimum amount of time and effort to assemble. Follow all assembly instructions carefully. Whenever the terms left hand, right hand or L.H., R.H. are used, it should be understood to mean from a position behind the unit in the direction of forward travel. All hardware is on the unit in its proper location. If something is missing, notify the dealer/distributor where unit was purchased. If unable to obtain parts locally, contact the Parker Sweeper Company.

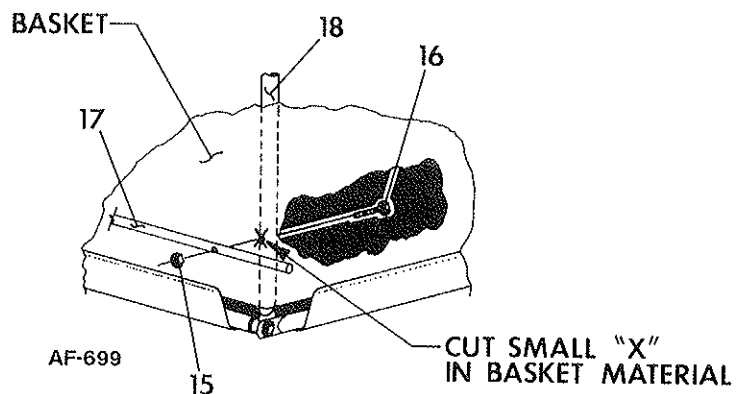
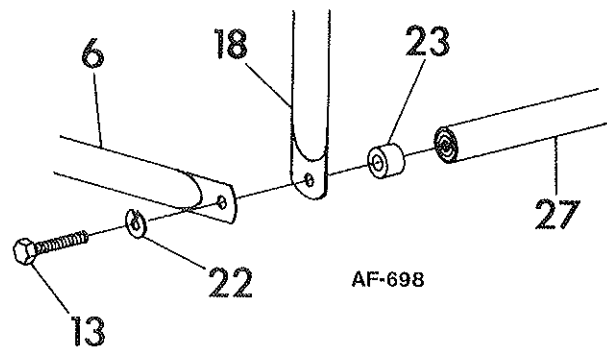
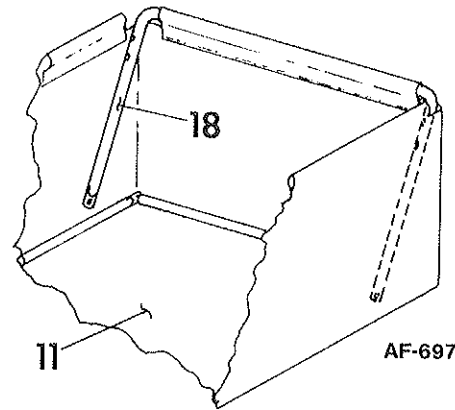
GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Remove the unit from carton. Do Not discard the carton or any of it's inserts or packing until the unit is completely assembled.
2. All parts will be identified in instructions at point of assembly.
3. Read through the owner's guide once to familiarize yourself with the assembly procedure, maintenance and operation of the unit.
4. Many times the exploded views at the back of this owner's guide can aid in the assembly of the unit.

ASSEMBLING BASKET

NOTE: The numbers in parenthesis refer to those used in the adjoining AF-697, AF-698, AF-699, AF-700 and exploded view for BASKET ASSEMBLY on plate number 739 at the back of this owner's guide.

1. Remove basket assembly from frame of unit and set to one side.
2. Remove the rear basket frame (18), two basket side frames upper (19) and the rear support rod (17) taped to the under side of frame on unit.
3. Remove the contour hd. bolts (3), lockwashers (4) and hex nuts (5) from the upper sides of rear basket frame (18). Also remove the hex hd. bolts (16) and hex lock nuts (15) from the lower ends.
4. Slide rear basket frame (18) through the loop in the rear of the basket assembly (11), making sure that the two ends of frame are to the inside of basket assembly (11).
5. Loosen the hex hd. bolts 13 until unthreaded from the basket bottom support (27). Do Not Remove.
6. On one side of basket, pull hex hd. bolt (13) out just beyond spacer (23). Place end of rear basket frame (18) between spacer (23) and basket side frame bottom (6) or (12).
7. Align holes and reinsert bolt (13) through rear basket frame (18), spacer (23) and reassemble into basket bottom support (27) but Do Not Tighten.
8. Repeat for opposite side and tighten both bolts (13).
9. Insert hex hd. bolts (16), removed in Step 3, into the holes in lower ends of rear basket frame (18) from the inside of the basket.
10. At the point the bolts (16) hit the basket material, mark a spot on the back side of basket.
11. Using a utility knife or other sharp instrument, cut a small "X" in the basket material to allow the bolts (16) to extend through basket material.
12. With bolts (16) in place, assemble rear support rod (17) onto bolts (16) and secure with hex lock nuts (15).



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ASSEMBLING BASKET (CONTINUED)

13. Slide one basket side frame upper (19) through the two loops in the top of basket assembly (11) on both sides.

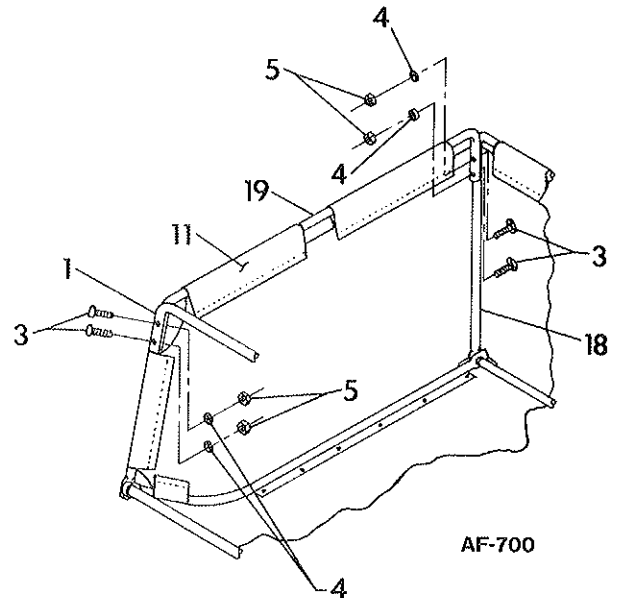
NOTE: 90° bend in basket side frames upper (19) must be to the back of basket.

14. Assemble contour hd. bolts (3), removed in Step 3, into upper holes in rear basket frame (18) by pushing basket material away from frame and inserting bolts through holes from rear side of frame.

15. Assemble back of basket side frames upper (19) onto contour hd. bolts (3) and secure with lockwashers (4) and hex nuts (5).

16. Remove hex nuts (5) and lockwashers (4) from top sides of front basket brace (1). Do Not remove contour hd. bolts (3).

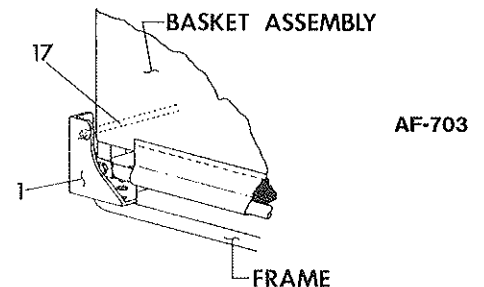
17. Assemble front of basket side frames upper (19) onto contour hd. bolts (3) and secure with lockwashers (4) and hex nuts (5).



ASSEMBLING BASKET TO UNIT

NOTE: The numbers in parenthesis refer to those used in the adjoining AF-703 and exploded views for BASKET ASSEMBLY on plate number 739 and FRAME ASSEMBLY on plate number 740 at the back of this owner's guide.

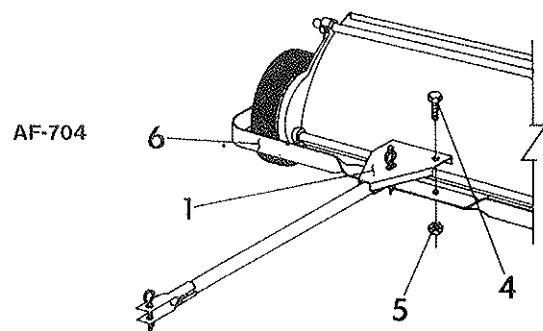
1. Set basket assembly on frame of unit.
2. Check all four corners to make sure the front and rear support rods (10) & (17) are properly seated in the corner supports (1).



ASSEMBLING HITCH

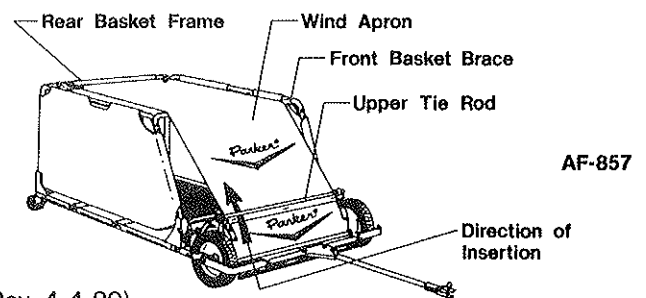
NOTE: The numbers in parenthesis refer to those used in the adjoining AF-704 and the exploded view for HITCH ASSEMBLY on plate number 741 at the back of this owner's guide.

1. Remove hitch assembly from adjusting tube on sweeper head.
2. Remove the two hex hd. bolts (4) and hex locknuts (5) from hitch plate (1) on hitch assembly.
3. Place hitch assembly in front of unit with hitch plate (1) resting on top of yoke (6).
4. Align holes in hitch plate (1) with those in yoke (6) and reassemble hex hd. bolts (4) and hex locknuts (5).



ASSEMBLING WIND APRON

1. Lay Wind Apron out on floor with silkscreen upward.
2. Start end of Wind Apron with Hooks up through space between Hood and Upper Tie Rod.
3. Pull Wind Apron up over Front Basket Brace and attach Hooks to Rear Basket Frame.
4. Dowel Rod in Wind Apron will stop against Side Plate.



OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE INSTRUCTIONS

READ SAFETY & OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE OPERATING EQUIPMENT

CAUTIONS

- A. The basket has been designed for holding a large capacity of dry grass clippings. When grass clippings are wet or freshly cut, caution should be exercised on the amount picked up. The Basket could be overloaded and make dumping difficult.
- B. **CAUTION!** This sweeper is not designed to haul people, animals or equipment. Severe damage to the sweeper and possible injury to people or animals may result if this warning is ignored.
- C. **NOTE:** When basket is empty caution must be taken on rough (uneven) terrain. Travel slowly to prevent possible upsetting of the sweeper (tipping forward) when moving over gravel driveways, rutted turf, curb areas, bits of broken tree limbs, twigs, mole runs or other interferences. Traveling too fast over rough areas may cause the sweeper wheels to be blocked causing the sweeper to upset.

BRUSH HEIGHT ADJUSTMENT

- A. To raise Brushes to extreme height, loosen the plastic knob, pull Sweeping Unit forward as far as slots in Brush Adjustment Brackets will permit. To lower Brushes to lowest position push Sweeping Unit backwards as far as slots will permit. Secure knob when desired brush adjustment is obtained.
- B. The most efficient operating height is when brushes just contact the top of the grass or make light contact with paved surfaces. When brushes are set too low, the sweeper will pull hard. This will lead to excessive brush wear and require premature brush replacement. Always have brushes in the raised position when transporting sweeper.
- C. **NOTE:** If the Brushes do not rotate and the Wheels slide when the Sweeper is being pulled, the Brushes are set too low.

HOOD ADJUSTMENT

- A. The hood can be adjusted to change the deflection of the material being handled by loosening the wing nuts on both sides of the hood and sliding the hood up or down.
- B. If sweeping at a high rate of speed the hood should be raised to deflect the material to the back of basket.
- C. If sweeping at a low rate of speed the hood should be set lower until material goes to the back of basket.

SWEEPING TIPS

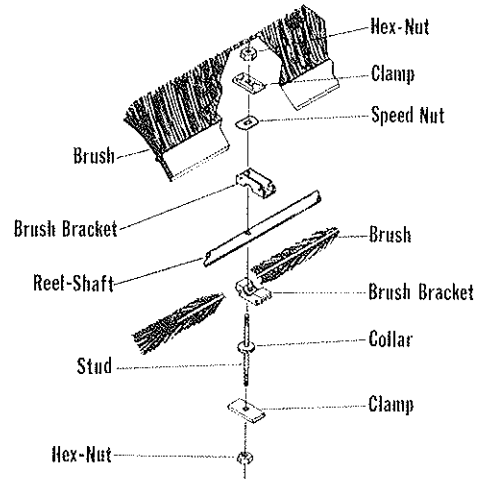
- A. Use sweeper in early spring to give your lawn a healthful cleaning.
- B. Use sweeper after mowing to remove turf clippings and give the lawn a blanket like effect.
- C. Sweep often in fall as leaves are dropping. Do not wait until leaves are all off trees.
- D. To reduce the number of loads required when picking up leaves, it may be easier to mow over the leaf area at your normal mowing height before using the sweeper. The mowing will break up the leaves allowing them to compact when picked up with the sweeper. This may reduce your leaf loads to approximately one quarter the number required when picking up whole leaves.

BRUSH CARE AND REPLACEMENT

Brush Removal

Should the bristles take a set from use, reverse the brushes on the Reel Shaft. Never allow the brush bristles to remain in a bent position on any object for any length of time as they can take a set.

- A. Turn the sweeper upside down on a workbench or the ground.
- B. Notice the brush stud has a collar fitting against one of the brush brackets holding it against the reel shaft.
- C. Remove the hex nuts and brush clamps from the end of the studs, on the sides with the collar.
- D. Remove the brushes from the brush bracket slots.
- E. Remove the hex nuts and brush clamps from the opposite end of the studs, but **DO NOT** remove the speed nut (this would allow the stud to fall out of reel shaft releasing the brush brackets).



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To Replace Brushes

- A. Turn the reel shaft to position the brush strips in the slots of the brush brackets that are held on the stud by the speed nut.
- B. Position the brush clamps and finger tighten hex nuts. Be sure brushes are all the way down in all the brush brackets.
- C. Brushes will be staggered with a slight overlap. Tighten lock nuts to assure brushes will be held firmly in place.
- D. Turn the reel shaft so the installed brush strips are on the bottom.
- E. Repeat the sequence of installation for the remaining four brushes.
- F. Tighten all nuts, torque to 50 to 55 inch pounds.

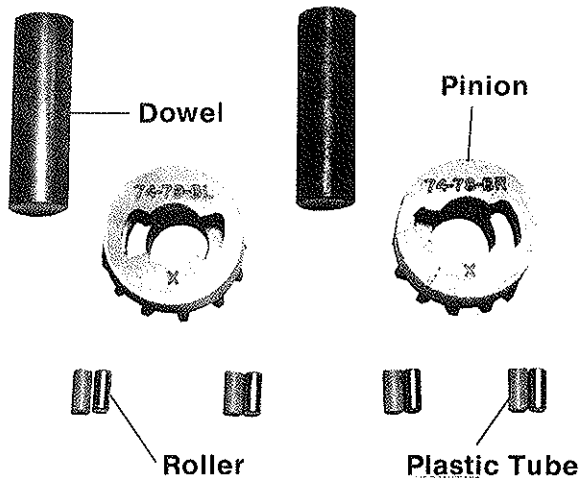
LUBRICATION

- A. Occasional lubrication of the Sweeper will lengthen the service life.
- B. Check grease in wheels before operating unit. Each wheel has a grease fitting in the hub near axle. Add grease until it is forced through gap of hub at axle.
- C. Place a few drops of oil in the Swivel Bearings and Axle of the Casters every time the machine is used.

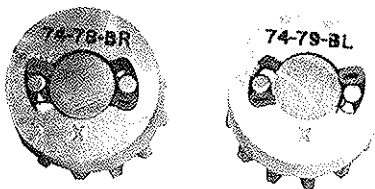
HOW TO RE-INSTALL PINIONS IN MANUAL OR TRAILING SWEEPERS

If for some reason you have found it necessary to remove the pinions, you should carefully follow these instructions. All parts must be clean before assembling.

- (1) To assist you, we suggest using a piece of wood doweling or plastic material $\frac{5}{8}$ " diameter, 2" long as shown. Each pinion is different as indicated by the part number and must be returned to the correct side of the shaft.

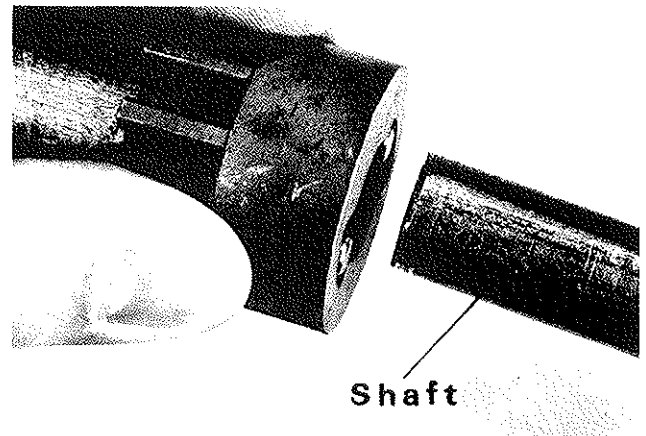


- (2) Insert the wooden dowel into the pinion.
- (3) Identify your pinion part number and insert the metal rollers. Place the plastic tubing in the cavity between the metal roller and the wall of the cavity. You may have to force the plastic tubing into this space but it is resilient and is supposed to fit tightly.

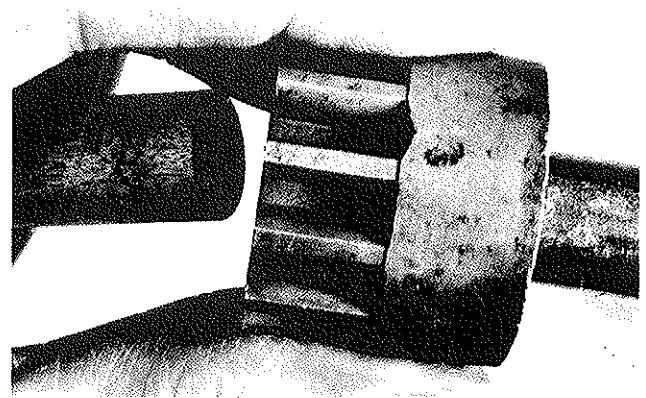


NOTE! The right and left side are determined from the operators position.

- (4) Pinion with part number 74-79 BL is to be replaced on the **left side** of the shaft. Part number 74-78 BR is for the **right side**. Line up the pinion (leaving the dowel in place) with the shaft as shown.

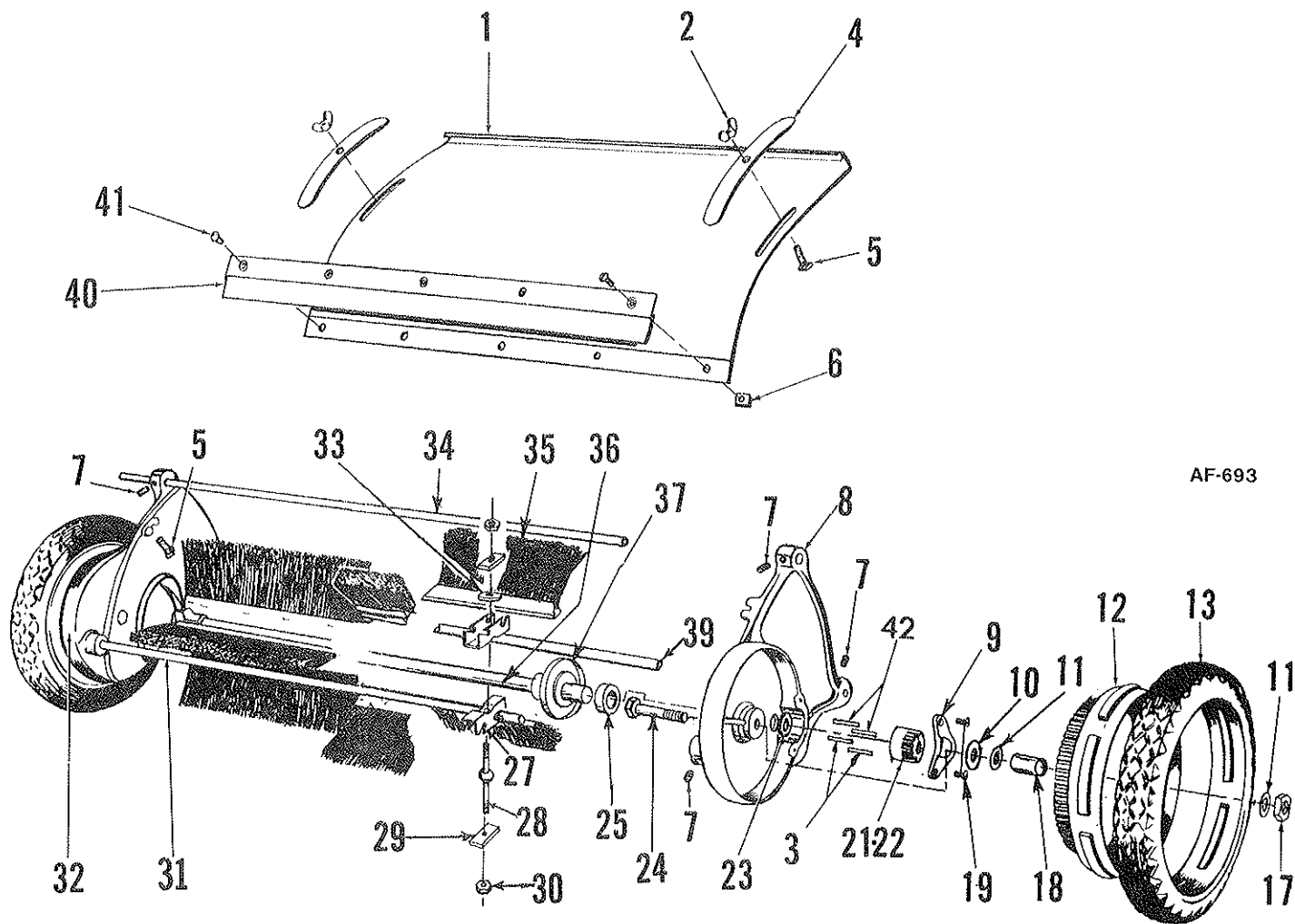


- (5) Push the pinion onto the shaft which will force the dowel to back out of the pinion. This will leave the rollers and plastic tubes in their proper position.



- (6) Apply a coating of grease on the outside of the wheel gear teeth. Do not grease inside pinion as this will cause pawl springs to be ineffective.

SWEEPER UNIT ASSEMBLY



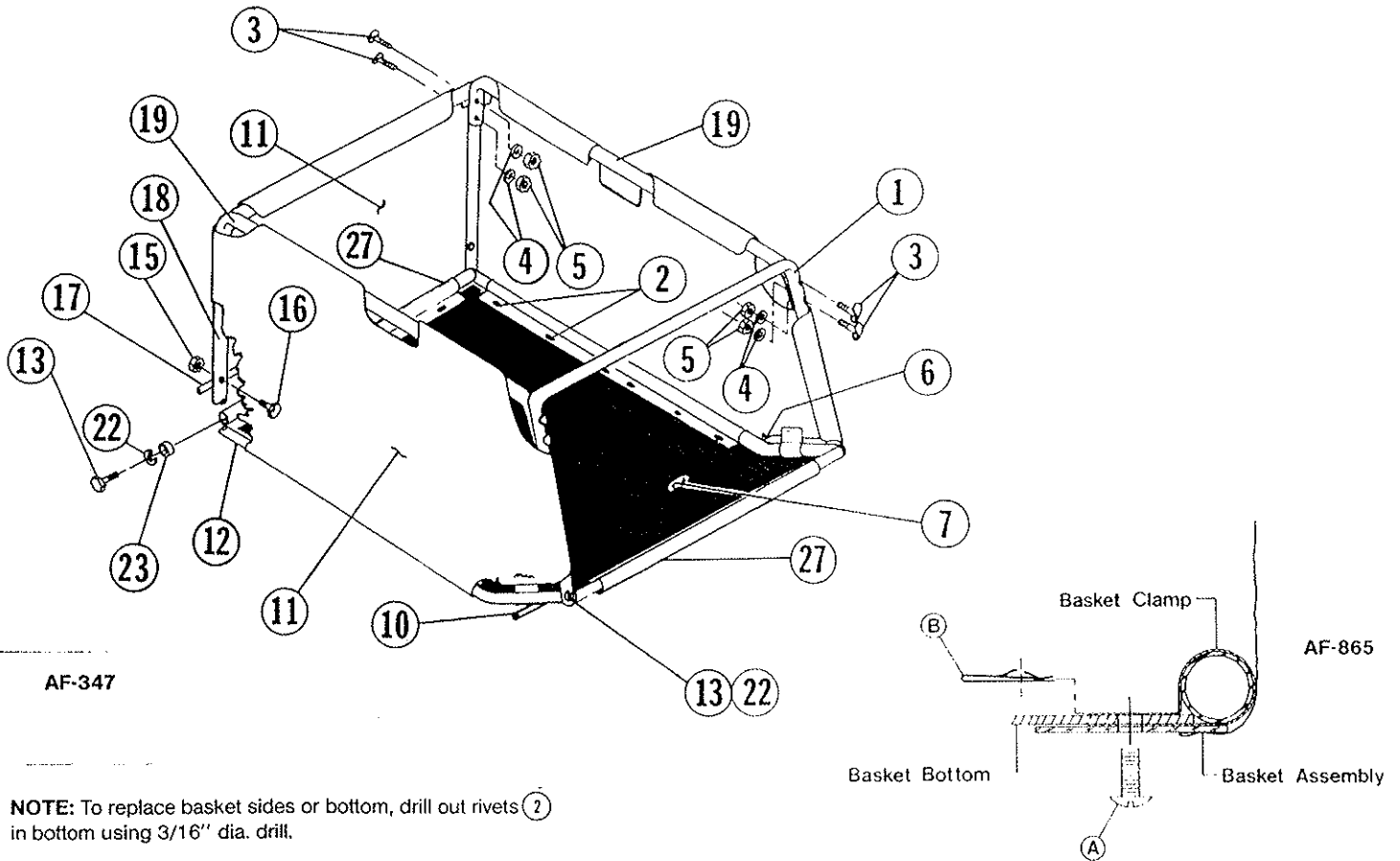
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PARTS LIST

Ref. No.	Part No.	Qty. Per Unit	Description	Ref. No.	Part No.	Qty. Per Unit	Description
1	80-152-D	1	Hood & Silkscreen	24	53-35-A	2	Axle
2	351-516-20	2	Wing Nut 5/16-18	25	68-60-A	2	Ball Bearing
3	76-37-A	4	Pawl Spring	27	74-13-A	8	Brush Bracket
4	49-11-A	2	Hood Clamp	28	74-16-A	4	Brush Stud
5	65-516-12	2	Bolt, Hex Hd. 5/16-18 x 3/4	29	69-04-A	8	Brush Clamp
6	346-10	5	Speed Nut #10-24	30	362-416	8	Nut, Hex Lock 1/4-20
7	560-C-516-10	6	Set Screw 5/16-18 x 5/8	31	68-33-A	1	Front Tie Rod
8	78-339-LD	1	Left Hand Side Plate	32	76-338-RD	1	Right Hand Side Plate
9	80-01-B	2	Pinion Cover	33	75-89-A	4	Retainer
10	946-816-16	2	Fiber Washer	34	68-34-A	1	Top Tie Rod
11	58-05-A	4	Special Washer	35	1200-17-B	8	Brush Strip
12	58-14-D-1	2	Wheel	36	79-103-B	1	Reel Shaft
13	75-88-C	2	Tire	37	74-166-B	2	Dust Cover
17	326-816	2	Nut, Hex Thick 1/2-20	39	80-141-A	1	Adjusting Tube
18	58-06-C	2	Sleeve	40	68-37-B	1	Hood Extension
19	61-416-6	4	Bolt Hex. Hd. 1/4-20 x 3/8	41	515-10-8	5	Screw, Rd. Hd. Mach #10-24 x 1/2
21	74-79-LB	1	Left Hand Pinion	42	74-80-A	4	Pawl
22	74-78-RB	1	Right Hand Pinion				
23	50-33-A	2	Special Washer				

* RW SA-1580-B

BASKET ASSEMBLY



NOTE: To replace basket sides or bottom, drill out rivets (2) in bottom using 3/16" dia. drill.

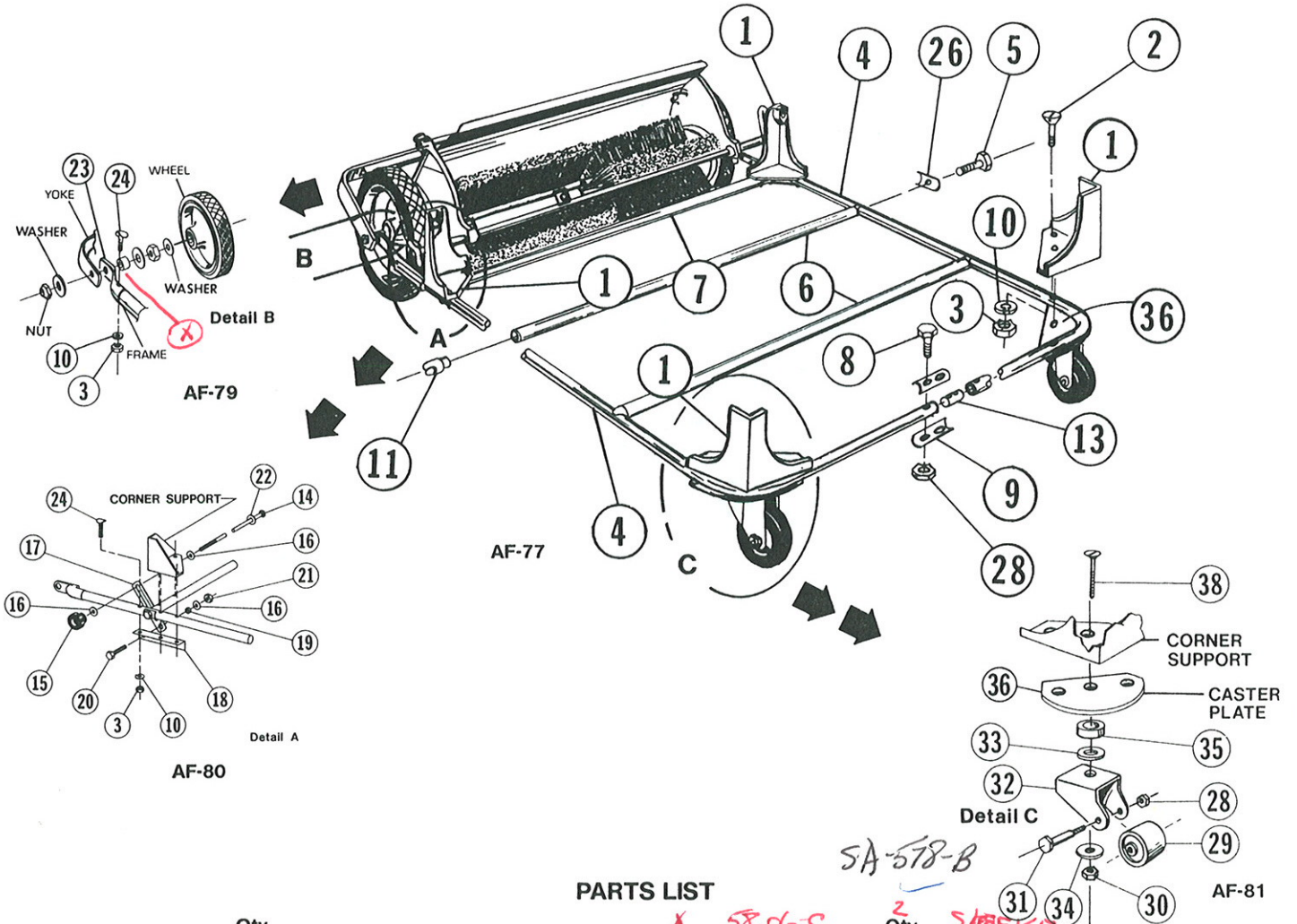
BASKET REPLACEMENT PARTS

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Ref. No.	Part No.	Qty. Per Unit	Description	Ref. No.	Part No.	Qty. Per Unit	Description
1	82-87-B	1	Front Basket Brace	12	SA-1594-B	1	Basket Clamp Assembly (R.H.), Replacement
2	82-35-A	20	Rivot, Bulb-Tite	A		5	• Bolt, Truss Hd. 10-24 x 1/2
3	69-416-32	8	Bolt, Contour Hd. 1/4-20 x 2	B		5	• "U" Type Speed Nut
4	935-416	8	Lockwasher, Spring 1/4	13	65-516-16	4	Bolt, Hex Hd. 5/16-18 x 1
5	335-416	8	Nut, Plain Hex 1/4-20	14	410-6-402-AA	9	Pop Rivet
6	SA-1595-B	1	Basket Clamp Assembly (L.H.), Replacement	15	365-416	4	Nut, Hex Lock 1/4-20
A		5	• Bolt, Truss Hd. 10-24 x 1/2	16	65-416-24	4	Bolt Hex. Hd. 1/4-20 x 1-1/2
B		5	• "U" Type Speed Nut	17	86-105-B	1	Support Rod (Rear)
7	SA-1593-B	1	Basket Bottom, Replacement	18	82-86-B	1	Frame, Rear Basket
A		20	• Bolt, Truss Hd. 10-24 x 1/2	19	80-137-B	2	Frame, Basket Side - Upper
B		20	• "U" Type Speed Nut	20	SA-1556-D	1	Wind Apron (not shown)
10	80-139-B	1	Support Rod (Front)	22	935-516	4	Lockwasher, Spring 5/16
11	SA-1592-C	1	Basket Assembly, Replacement	23	81-120-A	2	Spacer
A		15	• Bolt, Truss Hd. 10-24 x 1/2	27	SA-1093-B	2	Basket Clamp Assembly, Replacement
B		15	• "U" Type Speed Nut	A		5	• Bolt, Truss Hd. 10-24 x 1/2
				B		5	• "U" Type Speed Nut

SA-1025-A Hook & Cord Assy

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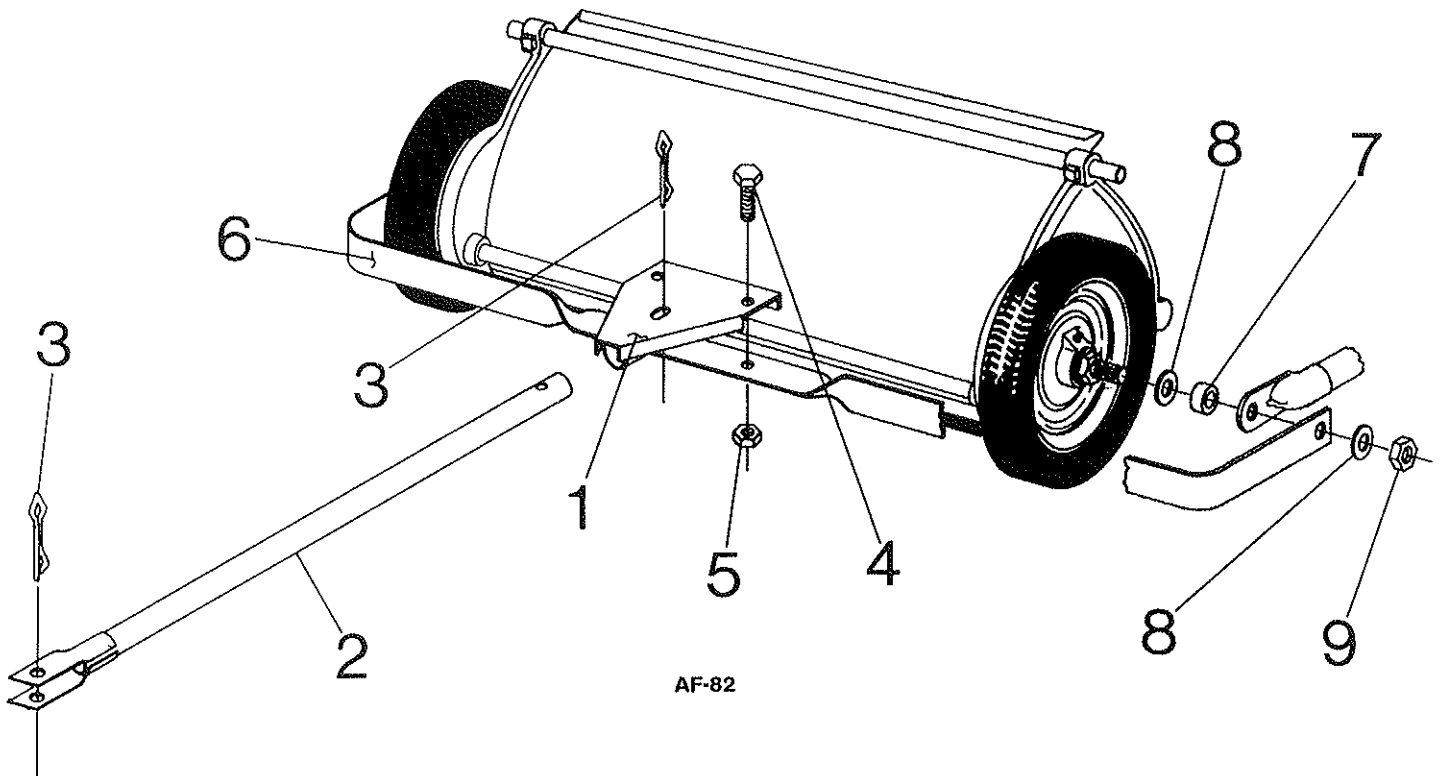


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1	80-130-B	4	Corner Support	20	65-516-12	2	Bolt Hex Hd. 5/16-18 x 3/4
2	505-416-32	10	Screw, Flat Hd. 1/4-20 x 2	21	365-516	2	Nut, Hex Lock 5/16-18
3	335-416	14	Nut, Plain Hex 1/4-20	22	945-616	2	Flatwasher, Plain 3/8
4	80-126-B	2	Frame	DETAIL B			
5	65-416-36	6	Bolt, Hex Hd. 1/4-20 x 2 1/4	23	81-116-A	2	Tubing End Cap
6	SA-834-B	2	Cross Brace	24	69-416-24	4	Bolt, Contour Hd. 1/4-20 x 1 1/2
7	SA-835-B	1	Cross Brace	26	80-181-A	6	Bracket Clamp
8	65-416-24	2	Bolt Hex Hd. 1/4-20 x 1 1/2	DETAIL C			
9	82-12-B	2	Clamp	28	365-416	4	Nut, Hex Lock 1/4-20
10	935-416	14	Lockwasher, Spring 1/4	29	76-58-A	2	Roller
11	81-172-A	6	Round to Round Connector	30	365-516	2	Nut, Hex Lock 5/16-18
13	80-147-A	1	Tube Insert	*31	76-202-A	2	Axle
DETAIL A				*32	76-136-B	2	Fork
14	80-158-A	1	Bolt, Special	33	78-130-A	2	Bearing
15	79-94-A	1	Knob	34	50-230-A	2	Washer
16	945-516	4	Flatwasher, Plain 5/16	35	57-105-A	2	Spacer
17	59-59-A	2	Bracket, Brush Adjustment	36	81-95-B	2	Caster Plate
18	81-105-A	2	Angle Bracket	38	505-516-40	2	Screw Flat Hd. 5/16-18x2 1/2
19	54-227-A	2	Spacer				

Heavy Duty Roller
81-79-A / Comp. Assy - SA-962-B

HITCH ASSEMBLY



PARTS LIST

Ref. No.	Part No.	Qty. Per Unit	Description	Ref. No.	Part No.	Qty. Per Unit	Description
1	75-40-B	1	Hitch Plate	6	75-134-B	1	Yoke
2	75-32-B	1	Tongue Weldment	7	68-44-A	2	Axle Spacer
3	81-14-A	2	Pin-Clinch	8	945-816	4	Flatwasher, Plain 1/2
4	65-516-16	2	Bolt, Hex. Head 5/16-18 x 1	9	368-816	2	Nut, Hex Jam 1/2-20
5	365-516	2	Nut, Hex Lock 5/16-18				

IMPORTANT!

ALWAYS GIVE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION WHEN ORDERING REPAIR PARTS

- 1. PART NUMBER (Not Ref. No.)
- 2. QUANTITY NEEDED

- 3. DESCRIPTION OF PART
- 4. MODEL NO. SU-8336

If unable to obtain parts locally, write down the above information and send to:
PARKER SWEEPER CO., Box 1728, Springfield, Ohio 45501-1728

Your unit is right hand (R.H.) or left hand (L.H.) as you stand behind it.

