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Operation & Maintenance Manual

For Commercial Use Only



12 Gallon CarpetRinser/Dryer®

Catalog # Model 98244 2-500 Professional

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This instruction book covers:

CATALOG NO.	98244
SERIES	Α
VOLTS	115 VAC
AMPS, VAC MOTOR	17
CERTIFICATION	Pending

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Tornado® Standard Warranty Program*

Warranties do not cover components subject to normal wear or abuse and misuse, and have other limitations not specified here. For full details, contact your Authorized Tornado Distributor, Service Center, or the Tornado Technical Service Department.

Tornado sales and services representatives are not authorized to waive or alter the terms of this warranty, or to increase the obligations of Tornado under the warranty.

10 Years:

All plastic tanks and rotationally-molded bodies 1) 5)

2 Years:

Parts on all Tornado and Tornado/Karcher cleaning equipment 1) 2) 3) 5)

1 Year:

Labor on all Tornado and Tornado/Karcher cleaning equipment 2) 5)

1 Year:

Warranty on batteries and chargers, One year pro-rated.

Thank you for choosing Tornado Products. We are proud to offer the most complete line of commercial and industril cleaning equipment in the industry. Our reputation for quality, innovation and durability is unsurpassed.

- * Effective January 1st, 2001. Terms subject to change without notice.
- 1) Windshear™ Blower-Dryer, Insulation Blowers, T191, T201, CV 30, CV 38, CW 50, CW 100, Pro PAC Vacs, Duo-Upright Carpetkeepers™, and all chargers are warranted for 1 (one) year for both parts and labor.
- 2) Warranties on the EB30 are 90 days (batteries, charger, parts, accessories).
- 3) Warranties on all riding sweepers including the ICC1, KM 100/100 R, KMR 1250, and KMR 1700 are 24 months parts/6 months labor <u>OR</u> 1000 hours of operation, whichever comes first. Warranties on the 75/140 & 90/140 are 24 months parts/12 months' labor <u>OR</u> 1000 hours of operation, whichever comes first.
- 4) All non-wear item parts purchased after warranty expiration are warranted for 90 days.
- 5) Warranty starts from date of sale to the consumer or, at Tornado's discretion, 6 months after dealer purchased the unit from Tornado, whichever comes first.

Note: Tornado, The Latest Dirt, Floorkeeper, Carpetkeeper, Carpetrinser, Carpetrinser/Dryer, Headmaster, Taskforce, PAC-VAC, T-Lite, Glazer, Windshear, Max-Vac, CV 30, CV 38, and Trot-Mop are trademarks of Tornado Industries.

<u>Inspection</u>

Unpack and inspect your extractor for shipping damage. Each unit is tested and inspected prior to shipping. For any concerns regarding shipping damage, contact your dealer immediately. All returns must have a Return Authorization (RA) number.

Grounding Instructions

The extractor **MUST BE GROUNDED**. If the machine should stop working or malfunction, grounding offers a path of least resistance for electrical current, reducing the risk of electrical shock. This machine is equipped with a cord that has an equipment grounding conductor and a grounding plug. The plug must be inserted into an appropriate outlet that is properly installed and grounded in accordance with all local codes and ordinances. Cutting off the ground wire or using a cord that is not properly grounded will void the manufacturers warranty on this machine.

Safety

Warning - To reduce the risk of fire, electrical shock or Injury:

- READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE USING.
- Use only as described in this manual.
- Plug power cord Into the nearest outlet (20A preferred).
- Never attempt any adjustments or repairs while the machine is plugged in.
- Do not use outdoors, in standing water, or on wet surfaces.
- Pay close attention when using unit near children.
- Do not leave unit outdoors, or in extreme heat or cold. Harsh weather elements will damage components and void warranty.
- Lift using only the appropriate handles.
- Always wear appropriate clothing and safety equipment when operating unit.
- Keep all body parts, hair, and loose clothing away from openings and moving parts
- Use extra care when cleaning on stairs. Do not move up or down stairs with fluid in the unit.
- Use common sense to protect yourself and others from injury when using an extractor.

<u>Warnings</u>

- Do not run the pump without water in the solution tank.
- Do not use hot liquids in the solution tank.
- Do not pick up combustible or flammable materials.
- Do not use your extractor with a damaged cord.
- Do not operate without the float shut-off assembly in place.

Precautions

- Do not run the pump dry. This will void the manufacturer warranty.
- Do not run hot fluids through the pump. This can cause pump cavitation and will void the warranty. This is a water-cooled pump.
- Always be sure the solution tank and hoses and filters are clear of debris. Running the pump with clogged filters or hoses can cause pump damage.
- Replace any damaged cords or hoses before use.

Chemical Use

- Only use chemicals approved for use with extraction.
- Keep the appropriate MSDS sheets on hand at all times.
- Flush the solution pump with clean water after each use to extend the life of the pump.

Electrical

- Do not pull your machine by, close a door on, or run over the cord, and keep it away from heated surfaces.
- Do not pull on the cord to unplug the machine.
- Turn all machine switches to OFF before unplugging.
- Connect to a properly grounded outlet only.

Special Electrical Requirements for the 98244 2-500 Professional

Locate and use separate 20-amp outlets in good condition, each controlled by separate 20-amp circuit breakers. Use only the two 25' extension cords supplied with the unit, and temporarily disconnect all other devices on those circuits if possible.

The 98244 is a super-high performance industrial model using two vac motors and a large 500psi pump. Because of high total amp draw, two independent power cords supply power for these components. These cords are intended to be plugged into two separate wall outlets, and these outlets should also be on *separate* 20-amp circuits having independent circuit breakers. For best performance, each of these circuits should be as free of other appliances and equipment as possible.

If both cords are plugged into the same circuit, the circuit breaker will trip and/or the heater will not power up properly. Since in commercial buildings it may be more difficult to know if particular outlets are on different circuits, a red indicator light has been added to machines produced since 2004. If this light comes on as a steady, strong red, then the plugs are on two different circuits and the unit should run properly. If the light does not come on, is a very faint red color, or flickers on and off, then the unit is on the same circuit or too many other devices are on one (or both) of the circuits.

Two 25' extension cords are supplied with the unit. The use of longer extension cords, additional cords, or worn/loose wall outlets can lower voltage and raise amp draw, resulting in a tripped circuit breaker and/or overheating of any worn outlets. If the unit is being used in a residential setting, look for independent 20-amp wall outlets in good condition. These are most often found at the garbage disposal, washer and dryer, and in a bathroom.

Priming the 2-500 Professional Extractor

(Note: 2-100 & 2-100 H Extractors are self-priming)

- Fill the solution tank with clean water/solution at least 3/4 full.
- Turn on the vacuum motor.
- Turn the Auto Prime Lever (located on the back of the machine close to the left cord) to the ON position (vertical).
- Cover the vacuum inlet (where the wand normally attaches) with your hand for about 5-10 seconds.
- Turn the Auto Prime Valve to the OFF position and remove your hand from the vacuum inlet.
- Turn ON the solution pump. The pressure should rise to about 500psi. If pressure does not rise, repeat this process.
- Attach the wand purchased with your extractor. You are ready to use the machine.
- Flush the extractor with clean water after every use.
- Do not run the solution pump dry, or you will need to prime it again.

Operational Instructions

- Use only a (20 amp) electrical outlet, usually found In Bathroom, Kitchens, or Laundry rooms. Plug your machine in.
- Attach vacuum and solution hoses to appropriate connections on the machine and your wand. As
 you do this, always inspect hoses for cracks or fraying. Do not use if hoses are cracked or frayed.
- Mix water and approved extractor detergent in the solution tank at the front of the machine. Use a clean hose to fill the solution tank. If a hose is not available, use a clean bucket. DO NOT OVERFILL.

Machine Maintenance

- 1. Regular daily maintenance is required to keep this equipment In the best working condition. A detailed list of preventative maintenance is outlined below. Thoroughly clean all equipment and accessories after each use:
 - Rinse solution and vacuum recovery tank with clean water.
 - Flush entire pumping system with clean water. This includes all solution hoses and wand(s). Do not allow liquids to remain in equipment after use.
 - Clean all filters, dump valve and wand jet.
- 2. The solution system has one filter located in the solution tank, and high-pressure machines (200psi and higher) have an in-line filter in the pump compartment. Check filters daily and clean when dirty in order for them to properly filter debris from the solution tank. If the filter is missing or becomes damaged, it must be replaced before the machine is used.
- 3. Lubricate all quick disconnects with a quality silicone lubricant.
- 4. Do not use the same pail to fill the solution tank that is used to empty the waste tank. This would introduce dirt and debris into the solution lines, block the fitters, orifices, and generally degrade the pumping system.

Winterizing Your Extractor

This unit should be winterized between uses if it is to be exposed to freezing temperatures. To winterize your machine; pour a 50/50 mix of anti-freeze and water into the empty solution tank. Aim the spray gun into the solution tank. Run the pump and spray the gun into the solution tank until the fluid flows from the gun into the tank.

Serial #'s

The serial number is located on the back of the machine just above the dump valve.

ACCESSORIES FOR ALL MODELS



12 GALLON CARPETRINSER/DRYERS

14 #	Ot.	D4 #	Description	
Item #	Qty	Part #	Description	
1	2	20002	Vac Motor 2-Stage	
2	2	20003	Gasket Vac Motor	
3	1	20004	Plate-Pump	
4	As Req.	20006	Screws for Pump Mounting	
5			NOT USED – INTENTIONALLY LEFT BLANK	
6	1	20008	Pump-Adjustable 50-500	
8	1	20010	Hose-Vacuum 1.5" (Blk)	
9	1	20011	Standpipe1-1/2" X 20' Blk	
(10)	As Req.	20012	Spade (Insul) Disconnect	
(11)	As Req.	20013	Flat Washer	
(12)	As Req.	20014	Rivet	
13	2	20015	Elbow-90 Deg (Vac Hose)	
(14)	2	20016	Extension Cord-25'	
15	1	20017	Strainer 1/2" (Sol. Tank)	
16	2	20018	Nut-Strain Relief Pigtail	
(17)	As Req.	20020	PigtailCarpet Rinser/Dryer	
(18)	As Req.	20021	ConnectorButt (Insul)	
19	1	20022	Adapter-Pipe (Recovery Tank)	
(20)	As Req.	20023	Washer	
21	2	20024	Bolt-Top Tank	
22	6	20025	Bolt-Motor Manifold	
23	4	20026	Bolt-Tank Strap	
24	2	20027	Strap-Tank	
25	1	20028	Screen-Float Assembly	
26	1	20029	Clamp-Vac Hose	
27	1	20030	Ball-Float Assembly	
(28)	As Req.	20031	Rivet	
29	2	20034	Hinge Keeper	
30	4	20040	Screw-Control Panel	
31	2	20041	Clamp-Cooling Duct Hose	
(32)	As Req.	20044	ConnectorSolderless	
33	As Req.	20047	Service Use #20046 Cooling Duct 3" X 30"	
34	3	20048	Exhaust Grate	
35	2	20049	Lock Washer-Caster	
36	2	20050	Hinge	
37	2	20051	Bolt-Caster	
38	2	20052	Axle	
39	2	20053	End Cap-Axle	
40	2	20054	Pigtail	
41	3	20055	Switch-Splash Proof	
42	1	20056	Valve-Dump	
43	1	20057	Plate-Switch (3) Holes	
44	1	20058	Hatch-Cover	
45	1	20059	Gasket-Hatch Cover	
46	2	20060	Caster	
47	2	20061	Wheel	
48	1	20062	Hose-Black Lined Gray	
49	1	20063	Prime Hose	
51	1	20065	1/4"MPT Nipple	
52	1	20066	Priming Valve	
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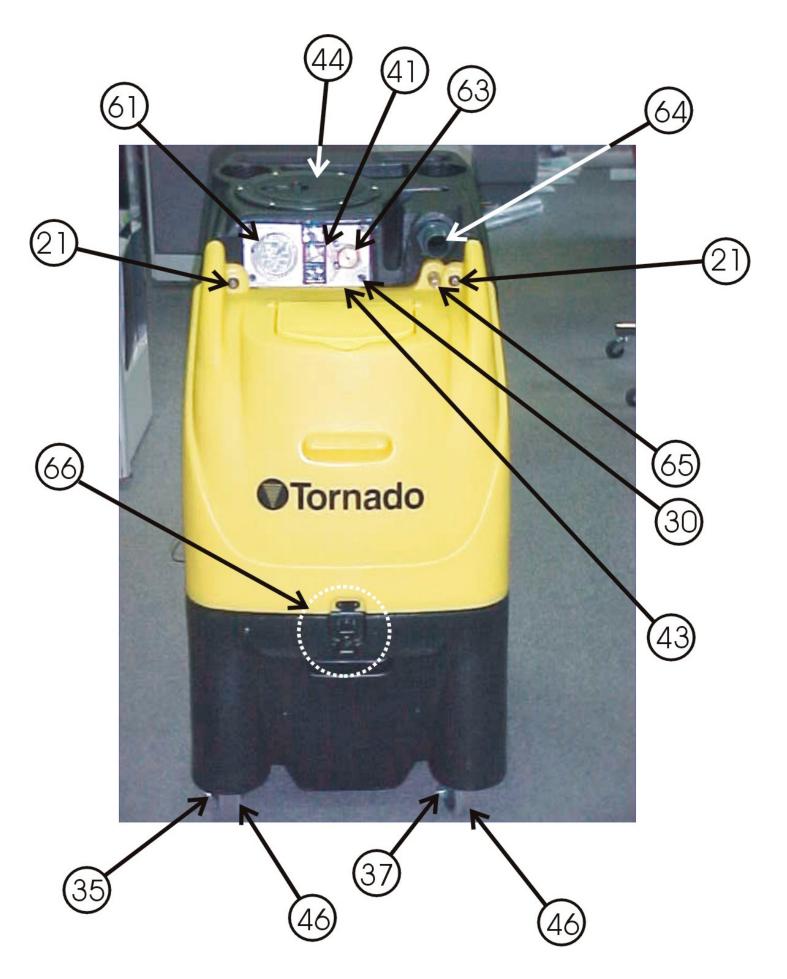
1	20068	1/4" F Bulkhead Fitting	
1	20070	90 Deg. 1/4"MPT X 1/2"Barb	
1	20071	3/8"MPT X 1/2"Barb	
As Req.	20072	Hose	
2	20074	3/8"Barb X 3/8"MPT	
As Req.	K63903240	Hose	
1	22189	Gage-Pressure	
1	24520	1/4"MPT X 3/8"MPT Nipple	
1	24521	200-500 PSI Regulator Valve	
1	24522	Vacuum Hose Adapter	
1	24523	Use 14881—Fitting-Brass Nipple 1/4" FPT x 1/4" QC	
1	24524	Latch Assembly	
1	24525	Exhaust Adapter	
1	24526	Water Filter	
1	22007	Kit-High Pressure Hose	
2		90 Deg. 1/4"MPT X 1/4"Compress Fitting	
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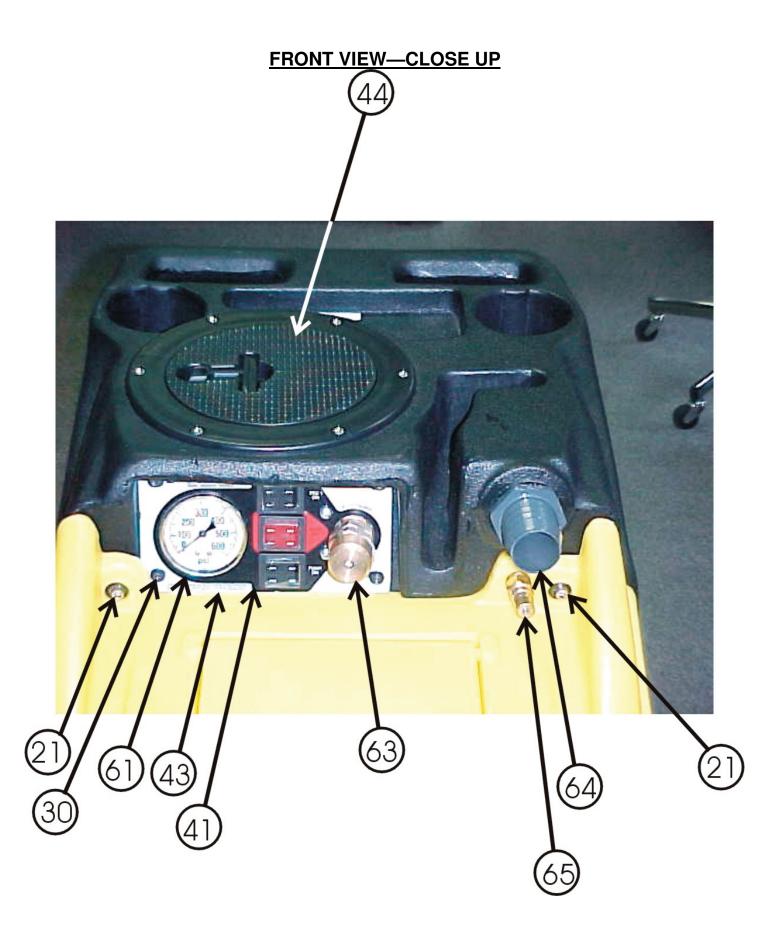
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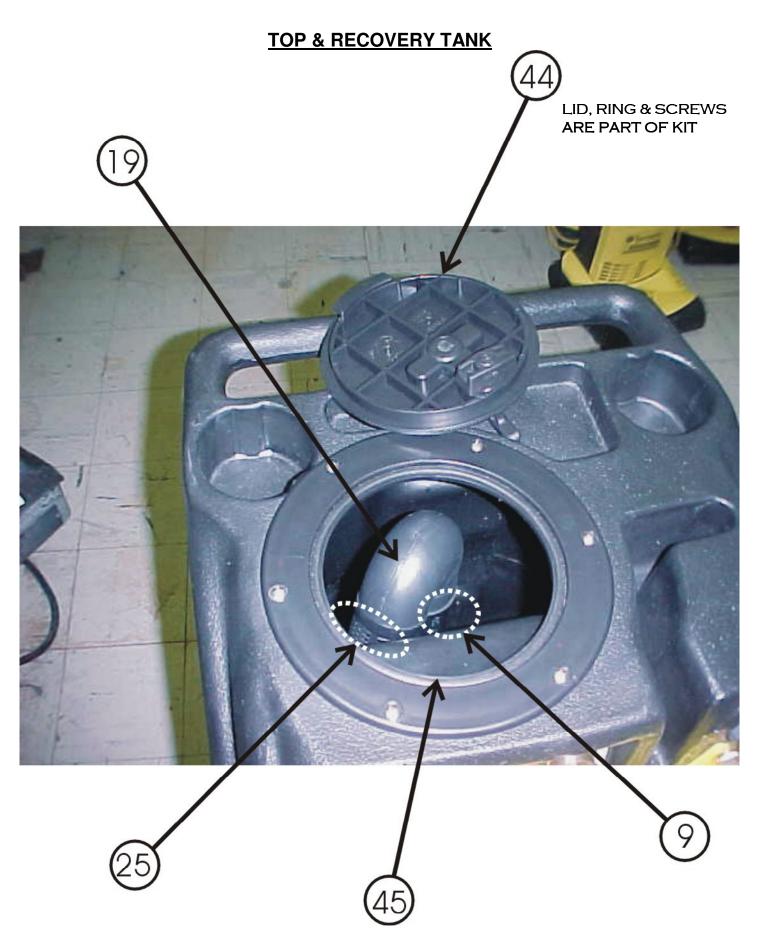
Troubleshooting Guide

SYSTEM	PROBLEM	POSSIBLE CAUSE	REMEDY
Vacuum	No Vacuum /	Vac tank full	Empty tank
System	Weak	Float shut-off screen dirty	Spray off screen
	Vacuum	Float ball stuck	Tap float and clean
		 Damaged or loose vac hose 	Attach or replace
		Dump valve open	Close valve
		Access lid not sealed	Replace gasket
		Vac hose clogged	Clear debris
		Air intake grid clogged	Clean
		Leak in recovery tank	Clean and dry area and silicone
Electrical	No Power to	Unit not plugged in	Plug In machine
System	Pump or	Switch not "ON"	Check switches
	Vac motor	Building circuit overloaded	Reset circuit
		Wiring connections loose	Unplug machine, check for loose wires
	Burning smell	Vac motor hung up	Replace vac motor
		Pump motor hung up	Release pressure on hose and jog or
			replace pump
Pumping	No Flow /	No power to pump	Check electrical
System	Weak Flow •	Sot on Warla diaggoa	Clean jet filter
		H2O filter clogged	Clean filter
		Debris in solution tank covering inlet	·
		Hose kinked or loose	Check hoses
		Pump failed	Replace pump

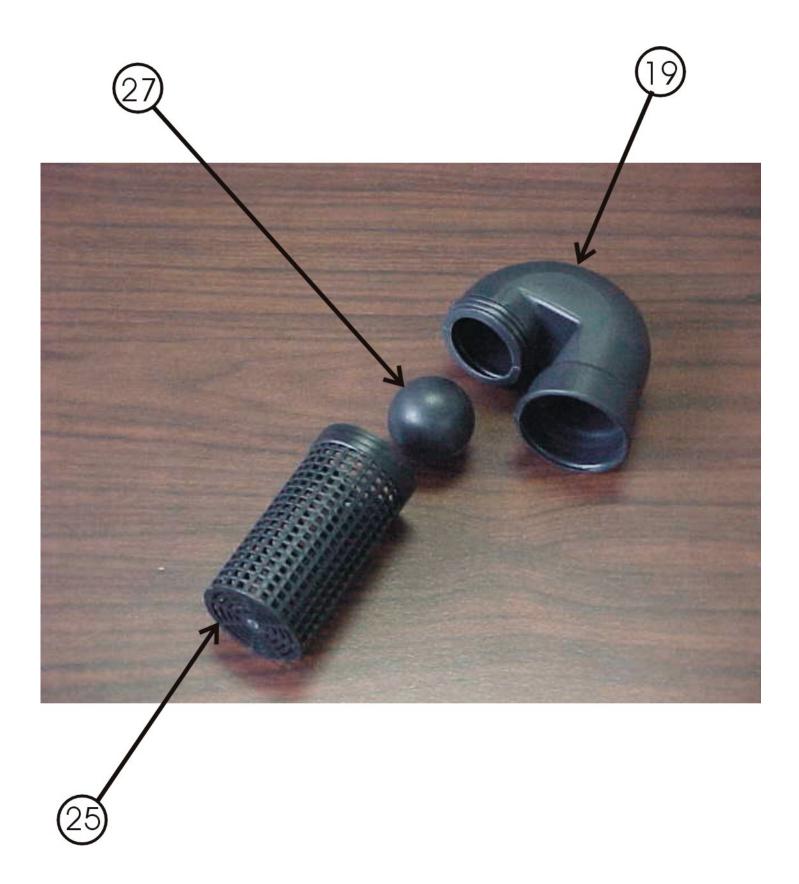
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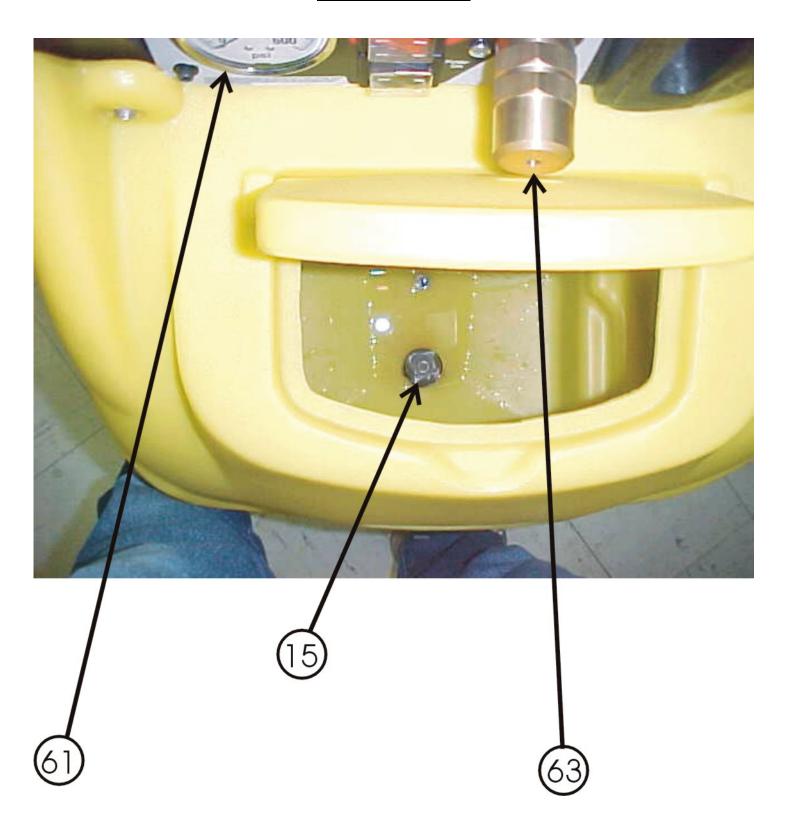


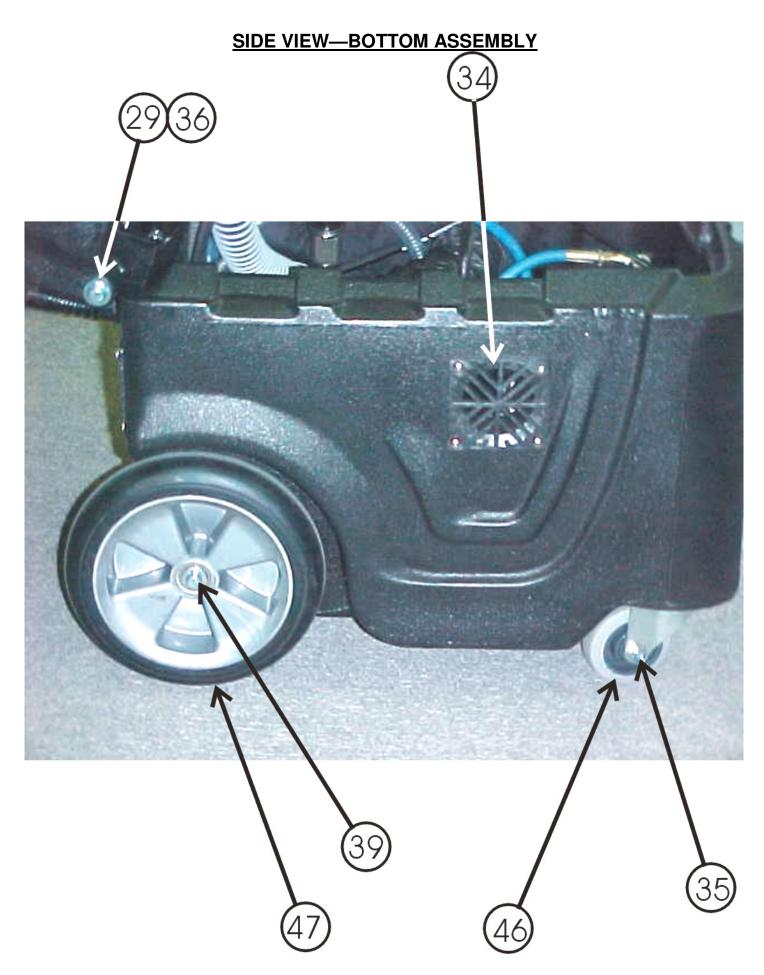


RECOVERY TANK PARTS

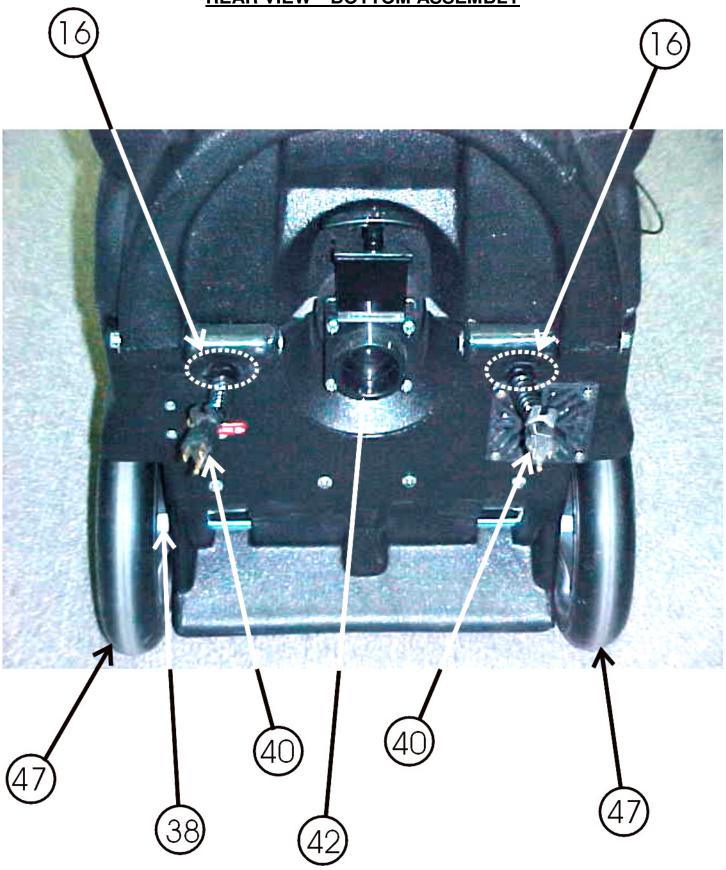


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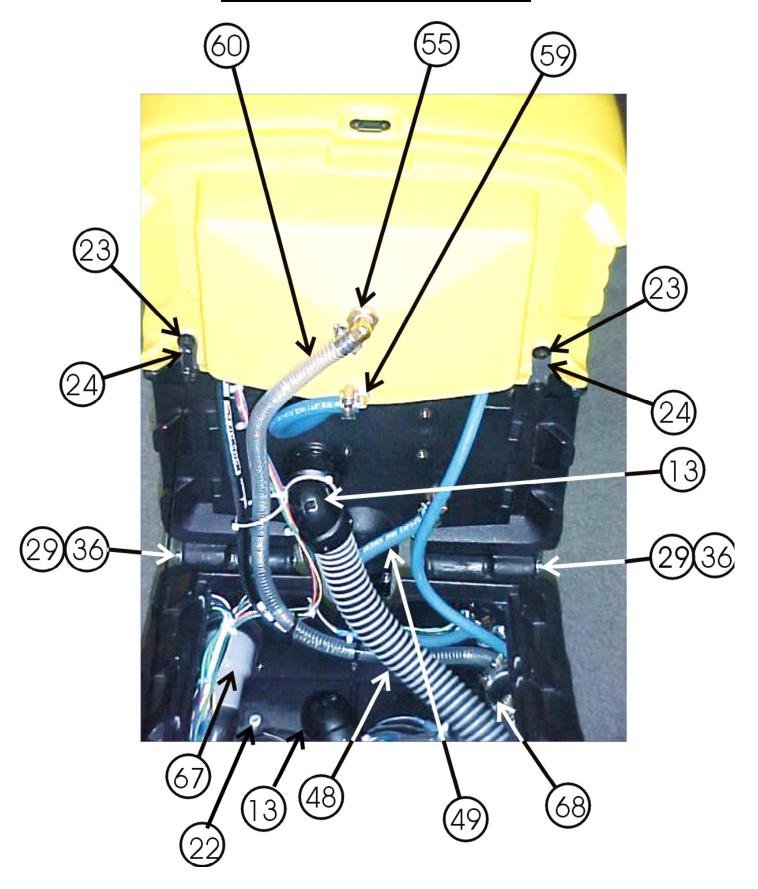




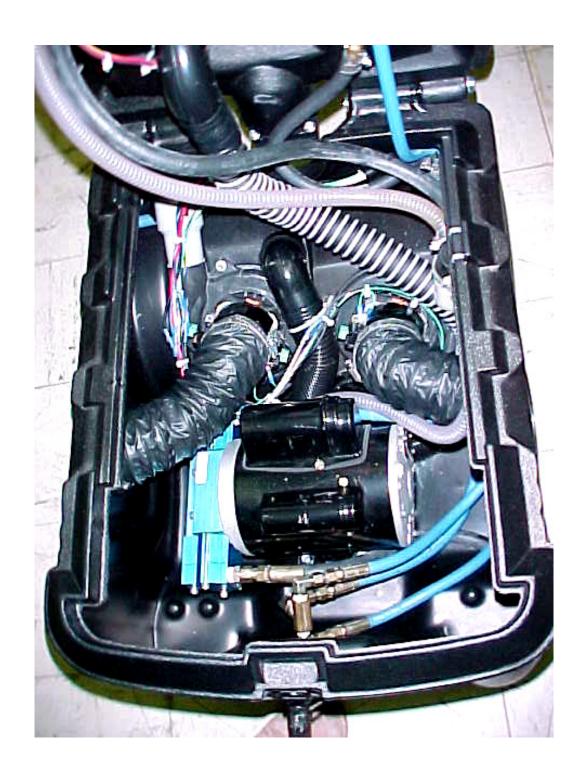
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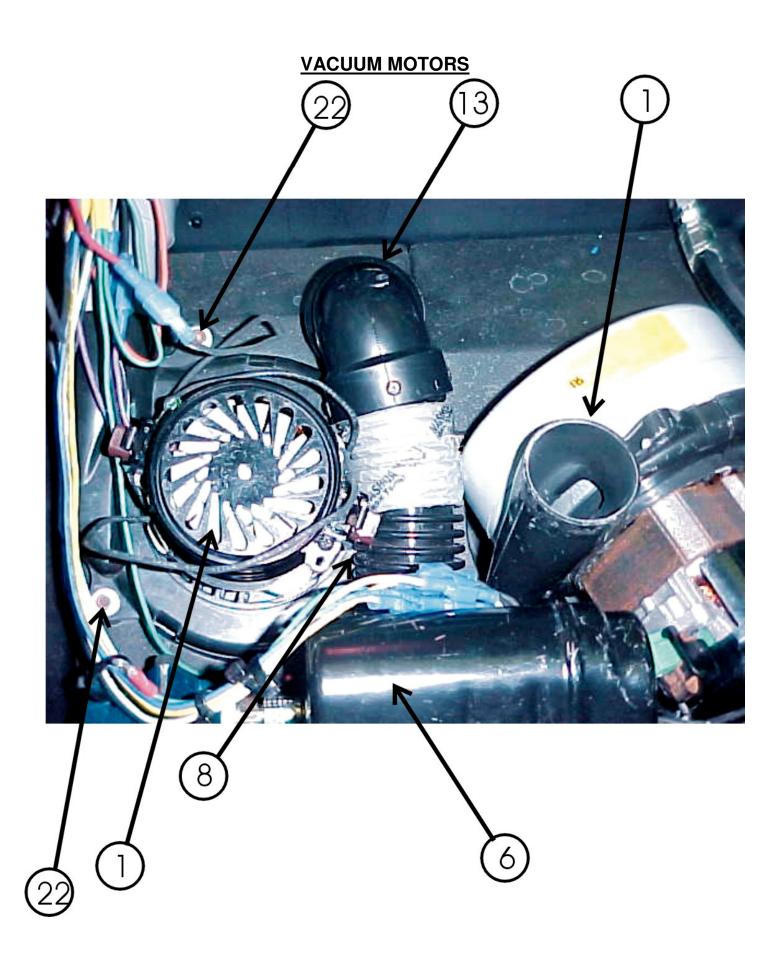


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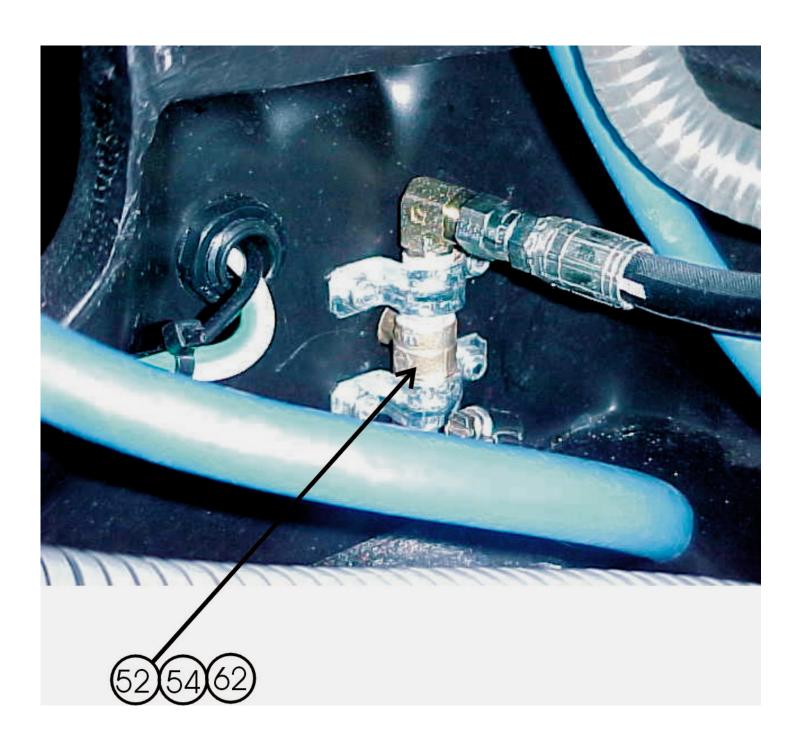


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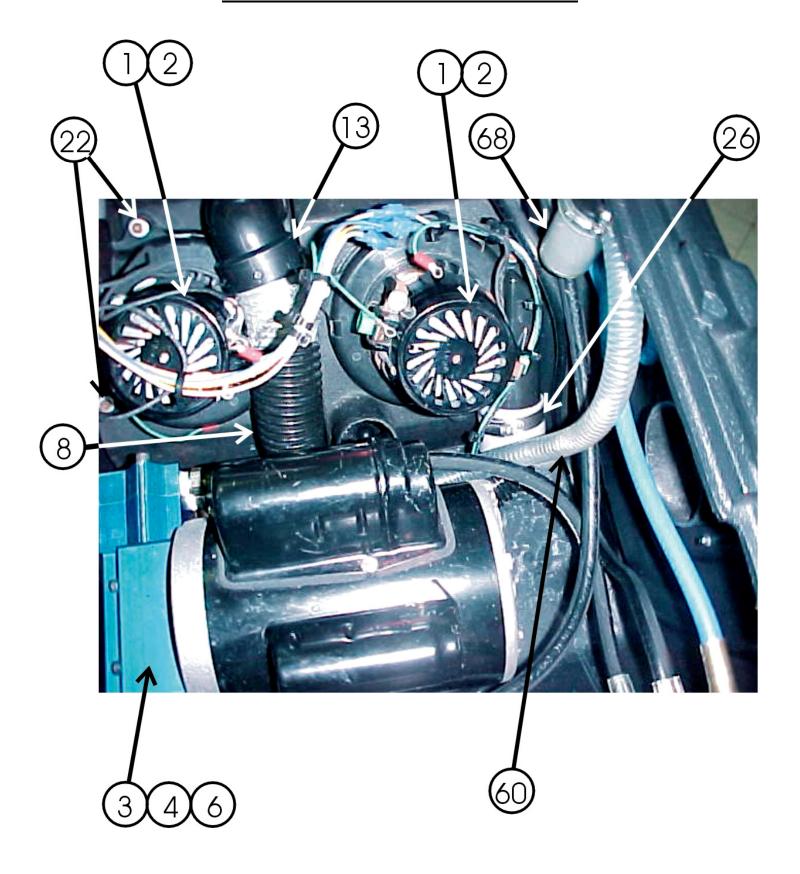




INTERNAL VIEW OF FITTINGS—BOTTOM ASSEMBLY



INTERNAL VIEW—BOTTOM ASSEMBLY



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