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# **Owners Manual**



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Your MakoShark 2, which has been manufactured, tested and inspected in accordance with carefully specified engineering requirements, is warranted to be free from defects in material and workmanship.

# DURATION OF WARRANTY AND TO WHOM EXTENDED (USA only)

One Year ALL GENERAL PARTS

One Year POWER TRAIN WARRANTY (Motor, Cord and Gear Box).

This unconditional warranty includes both parts and labor for the periods above noted. This warranty is available to such first consumer purchaser and members of his or her immediate family or household for the personal household use of the MakoShark 2 by or on behalf of such first consumer purchaser.

#### **WARRANTY REQUIREMENTS**

The MakoShark 2 is required to be used on electric current as indicated on the nameplate. Otherwise, damage, defects, malfunctions, or other failures of the MakoShark 2 arising from use on electric current not as indicated are excepted and excluded from this warranty.

Defects, malfunctions, failure, or damage of the MakoShark 2 caused by improper, unreasonable, or negligent use or abuse while in the possession of the consumer are likewise excluded from this warranty.

Defects, malfunctions, failure, or damage of the MakoShark 2 due to commercial use are excluded from this warranty.

If repair is done on your MakoShark 2 by anyone other than those designated as authorized to perform such work without first having obtained factory instructions, Aqua Vac Systems, Inc., at its sole option, may determine that this warranty will not apply and that reimbursement for such repair will not be made because of the failure to comply with such factory specified instructions.

#### **WARRANTY REPAIR PROCEDURE**

To secure repair of the MakoShark 2 or any warranted parts under this warranty, the following procedure should be used. After making prior arrangements with the facility involved, the inoperable MakoShark 2 or warranted parts, together with two extra photocopies of satisfactory evidence of the purchase date, must be delivered, with shipping and delivery charges prepaid, to the nearest Aqua Vac Systems Factory Authorized Service Center. If you are unable to locate the foregoing, you may call, write, or otherwise communicate with Aqua Vac Systems, Inc., telephone 1-800-327-0141 for the nearest location.

Upon compliance with the above procedure, and if claim is made within one-year from date of purchase, defective warranted parts will be replaced at no charge and the machine sent back to you freight collect.

In following the procedures above set forth, PLEASE MAKE CERTAIN to state the serial number as shown on the base plate of the MakoShark 2.

#### REPLACEMENT

In the event of a defect, malfunction, or failure of your MakoShark 2, or any warranted part to conform with this warranty, Aqua Vac Systems, Inc. may at its sole option and own expense, replace the MakoShark 2 or any warranted part with another new or factory rebuilt identical or reasonably equivalent unit or part in lieu of repairing the defect.

#### WARRANTY REGISTRATION CARD FOR YOUR MakoShark 2 AND REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION

Please fill out the warranty registration card accompanying your MakoShark 2, giving complete information as requested on the card and return to the factory.

Any information or questions you may have concerning your MakoShark 2 or this warranty may likewise be secured from the factory.

No dealer, distributor, or other similar person has any authority to make any warranties or representations concerning Aqua Vac Systems, Inc.'s products or to extend this warranty beyond the express items contained herein. Accordingly, Aqua Vac Systems, Inc. assumes no responsibility for any such warranties or representations beyond the express items contained in this unconditional warranty. This unconditional warranty is valid and enforceable only in the United States of America on MakoShark 2's owned and normally operated in the United States of America. This warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may also have other rights which vary from state to state.











#### **SAFETY PRECAUTIONS**

The MakoShark 2 automatic swimming pool vacuum cleaner has been manufactured to the standards of CSA (Canadian Standards Association) and ETL (Edison Testing Laboratories) with the highest degree of care and concern for safety. We suggest the following safety precautions become part of your pool safety regulations:

- 1. ALWAYS PUT THE MACHINE INTO THE WATER BEFORE CONNECTING IT TO THE ELECTRICAL OUTLET.
- 2. IT IS IMPORTANT FOR SWIMMERS' SAFETY TO REMOVE THE UNIT IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING USE. THIS CAN ALSO IMPROVE THE OPERATING LIFE OF YOUR MAKOSHARK 2.
- 3. BE CERTAIN THE MACHINE IS ONLY PLUGGED INTO A GROUNDED ELECTRICAL OUTLET EQUIPPED WITH AN APPROVED GROUND FAULT CIRCUIT INTERRUPTER (GFCI).
- 4. DO NOT HANDLE MACHINE WHILE IT IS PLUGGED INTO THE ELECTRICAL OUTLET.
- 5. DO NOT USE AN EXTENSION CORD. THIS COULD CREATE A SAFETY HAZARD AND/OR DAMAGE YOUR UNIT.
- 6. ALWAYS STAY OUT OF THE POOL WHILE CLEANER IS IN OPERATION.
- 7. NEVER ALLOW PLUG TO ENTER THE POOL.
- 8. DO NOT OPERATE THE MACHINE OUT OF WATER. THIS WILL DAMAGE THE MOTOR SEAL AND VOID THE WARRANTY.
- 9. DO NOT DRAG THE MACHINE OUT OF THE POOL AGAINST THE SIDE WALL. THIS COULD DAMAGE UNIT AND/OR YOUR POOL WALL.
- 10. SOME POOLS HAVE A CORNER OR A CORNER STEP CONFIGURATION THAT MAY CAUSE THE UNIT TO "HANG-UP;" THEREFORE, DO NOT LEAVE THE UNIT COMPLETELY UNATTENDED FOR MORE THAN 1/2 HOUR. OCCASIONAL OBSERVATION AND ATTENDANCE CAN ALSO REDUCE ANY TENDENCY FOR THE CORD TO TWIST.

While the MakoShark 2 has been made to operate as safely as possible, we suggest you exercise reasonable care in the handling of the vacuum and inspect the electrical cord frequently for damage or wear, as with any other electrical appliance. After use, remove the unit and rinse with fresh water and remove any twists that may be present in the cord.







#### GENERAL INFORMATION

You have purchased the finest piece of equipment in the pool cleaner industry. If you treat it as such, your MakoShark 2 automatic swimming pool vacuum cleaner will give you long, satisfactory service. We suggest the unit be stored in the original shipping container for safe-keeping during the off-season.

#### **ADJUSTMENT**

There is one adjustment that **may be** necessary for use in some pools. Please take the few minutes necessary to make it.

The height of the sensor bar #1710 (Page 10, Key 37) is preset at the factory for average pools. It may be necessary to readjust the height of the sensor bar for the machine to operate satisfactorily in your pool.

In "Free Form" or "Bowl Shaped" pools, the sensor bar may have to be raised to a higher setting allowing the machine to climb out of the deep end and clean up the radius or slope as far as possible without the machine turning over.

10, Key 37) is made by loosening adjusting arm nut #1722 (Page 10, Key 30) located just ahead of the intake. Make adjustments in 1/4" increments. The nut is shaped as a thumb screw for your convenience.

With the machine sitting on a level surface, loosen adjusting arm nut, and move sensor bar to desired position. Make certain the sensor bar is parallel to the level surface and retighten the adjusting arm nut one-half to three-quarter turn past the hand tight. Do not overtighten.

It may be necessary to reset the sensor bar several times to find the best position for operation in your pool.

#### **OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS**

- 1. Lower the unit into the shallow end of pool (do not drop or throw). Plug cord into a GROUNDED OUTLET. Observe machine as it travels over bottom of pool.
- 2. Select nearest grounded outlet supply of correct 110/115/220/240 voltage.

CAUTION: Avoid overloaded circuits as low or high voltage can damage your motor. A connected ground is most important.

- 3. Allow machine to travel around the pool until it is clean. Average 16' x 32' pool will require one hour or less. If the pool has a heavy accumulation of debris, it may be necessary to clean the filter several times during the vacuuming period.
- 4. Upon completion of vacuuming the pool, allow the unit to travel to the shallow end of the pool. Before it reaches the pool wall, disconnect the cord from the outlet, raise the unit by the







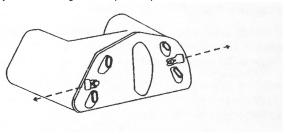




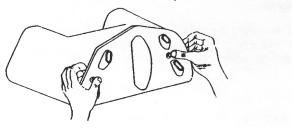
#### **OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS Cont'd.**

cord, then remove the unit from the water by use of the handle. Allow excess water from the filter to drain into the pool with the MakoShark 2 resting on the edge or coping. Do not leave the machine in the water after disconnecting.

- 5. When opening the filter for cleaning, move the machine away from the pool edge so that when filter casing is opened the vacuumed debris will not spill in the pool.
- 6. Cleaning the filter after each use is the most important part of maintaining your MakoShark 2. Clean filters will allow the machine to function most efficiently.
- 7. Remove the filter by first removing the two push clips as shown below.



Following the removal of the push clips, gently grasp the rear filter plate with the thumbs pressed firmly against the tie rod ends and remove rear plate.



- 8. Wash the cartridges with a water hose, using a pressure nozzle. Wash outside—then back wash from the inside.
- 9. Use the MakoShark 2 on a regular basis to keep your pool clean.

#### **MOTOR INFORMATION**

The Motor in your MakoShark 2 has automatic overload protection. The overload switch will protect the motor against burning out when an obstruction stops the machine. When an obstruction stops the machine, **UNPLUG THE CORD FROM THE OUTLET** and remove the unit from the pool. Turn the machine over and with the aid of a long screw driver or needlenose pliers, rotate the impeller and dislodge any foreign object. All large objects should be removed from the pool before the MakoShark 2 is put into operation.







#### **TROUBLE SHOOTING**

#### Machine hangs up or hesitates on pool drain:

Order accessory P/N 1730 (raised drain intake assy.) from Service Center or Factory

### Machine fails to come out of deep end:

· Raise sensor bar to allow machine to climb up incline.

## Machine turns away from curved wall too soon:

 Raise sensor bar to allow machine to clean higher on curved portion, but still turn away before tipping over.

# Machine tips over before tripping or sensing wall:

Lower sensor bar until it trips. However, a slight adjustment might have to be made
by clipping one or two coils off the spring #2207L (Page 10, Key 34) that is located
directly behind sensor bar slide #1707 (Page 10, Key 33). This will allow optional
weights to overcome the lesser spring tension and operate reversing mechanism.

#### Machine turns in circles and twists cord:

- Sensor bar too high, hitting hood.
- Thread on reversing arm #1703 (Page 10, Key 50) is worn or stripped, not allowing reversing mechanism to disengage.
- · Sensor bar cable screws are loose.
- Drive wheel broken.
- · Drive belt broken.
- Because of various pool designs, especially those with a gradual slope up the sides, the unit has a tendency to attempt to make the climb. To prevent the machine from turning over, a sensor bar weight is attached to both sides. These optional weights are automatically activated when the machine has reached a maximum point of ascension, reversing the unit—causing it to reverse or turn.
   Remember the basic rule:
- Sensor Bar must always be level to avoid cord twisting!
- Is the unit being run in the pool for too great a length of time? One hour in operation in a 16' x 32' pool should be sufficient with not more than a few twists in the cord set, which should be straightened out after each vacuuming.

## Machine does not pick up:

- Filter may be clogged and does not permit the flow of water through the filter cartridge.
- Large object lodged in the intake or in the impeller housing. See motor information, page 5.

#### Machine does not move:

- · Not connected to live outlet.
- Object lodged in impeller.







### TROUBLE SHOOTING cont'd.

- A short in the motor; check the ground fault interrupter.
- Unit runs for short distance but stops. Check for overloaded circuit or possible faulty motor. (Do Not Use Extension Cords.)
- Motor runs but unit becomes motionless (gear box worm is worn or the drive pin is sheared).

## Machine tips over backwards before sensing wall:

- · Filter overloaded with sand.
- Improper sensor bar adjustment (too high).
- One or two coils should be removed from sensor bar spring to allow optional weights to operate reversing mechanism.
- Cord too short for pool length.

# FOR MAXIMUM PERFORMANCE, PLEASE REMEMBER TO KEEP SENSOR BAR LEVEL AT ALL TIMES

# **NOTES**









### **PREVENTATIVE MAINTENANCE**

In order to maximize efficiency and receive long term service of your unit, we suggest the following:

- Thoroughly rinse entire unit after use.
- Clean filters thoroughly after each use—a clogged filter can decrease efficiency dramatically.
- Remove any twists in the cord after each use. Twisting should be minimal if the unit is functioning properly. Stretching cord in sunlight is helpful.
- Avoid allowing the unit to "cool down" in the water.
- Inspect belts and filter frequently. Replace when necessary.
- Always keep your Sensor Bar level (a non-level Sensor Bar can cause the cord to twist).

#### **Protect Your Investment!**

Following these quick and easy steps will extend the life and efficiency of your MakoShark 2. If you have any questions, contact your local Service Center or call us at 1-800-327-0141, Monday - Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. EST.

#### **PARTS ORDERING INSTRUCTIONS**

Should you desire to order repair parts, follow this simple procedure:

- 1. Determine each of the parts you will need and identify them by part number. Use this book as a guide, be sure to note that in some cases, due to continual product improvement, parts may vary depending on the year of manufacture.
- 2. Contact your local Factory Authorized Service Center with the list of parts you will need. Be sure to advise the Service Center of the MakoShark 2 serial number and the date of purchase. If you need the location of your nearest Service Center, please call Aqua Vac Systems, 1-800-327-0141 or 561-688-0211.
- 3. All parts under unconditional warranty are confined to the specific limitations as stated.







#### **SPECIFICATIONS**

**MOTOR:** 

Type Submersible
Gallons Circulated 40 GPM/2400 GPH

Voltage 110/115 Volts 220/240 Volts (Export Only)

Frequency 60 Cycle-50 Cycle
Speed 1725/1425 RPM
Bearing Ball Bearing

Housing Aluminum Anodized Motor Seals Double Lip Wave Overload Protection Thermal Overload

Electrical Cord #16 Wire Encased in Flotation Jacket:

55' & 75' in length

**DRIVE:** 

Reduction 80:1

Reduction Unit Worm Gear-Bronze Gear

Reduction Gear Lubrication Permanent

Reduction Unit Housing
Rear Wheel Drive
Planetary Gear System
Front Wheel Drive
Continuous Belt

FILTER:

Type Self Contained and Attached to Cleaner Filter Media Corrugated Resin Impregnated Element

Porosity 50 Microns
Filter Area 20 Square Feet
Housing Molded Plastic

**CASTINGS**:

All castings are corrosion resistant Aluminum Alloy.

**SHAFT and AXLE:** 

All parts such as axle, shafts, pins, fasteners, rods, etc., are corrosion resistant.

#### FLOATING ELECTRICAL CONDUCTOR:

Standard lengths are 55' and 75'.

**DIMENSIONS:** 

Height 161/2" (41.9 cm)
Width 16" (40.6 cm)
Length 18" (45.7 cm)

WEIGHT:

Net Weight of MakoShark 2 with 60' Cord 34 lbs. (17.2 kg)
Gross Shipping Weight 38 lbs. (19.5 kg)
Net Weight of MakoShark 2 with 80' Cord 36 lbs. (19.5 kg)
Gross Shipping Weight 40 lbs. (21.7 kg)

**SHIPPING CARTONS:** 

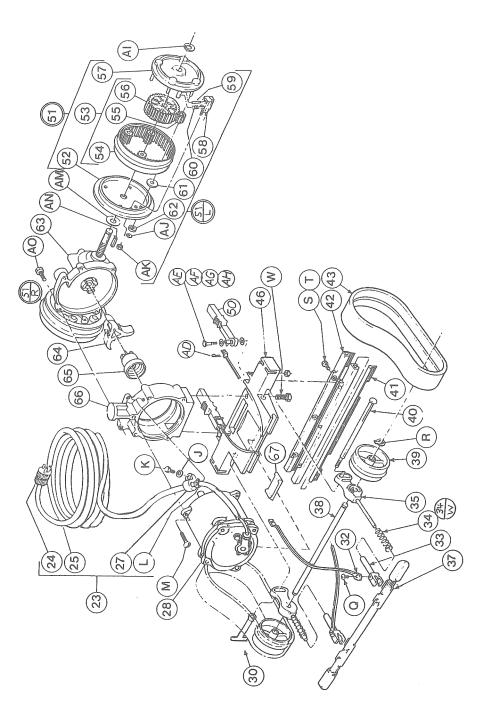
Cleaner 191/2" x 171/2" x 16" (49.5 cm x 44.5 cm x 40.6 cm)







# **1993 TO PRESENT**







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NUT LOCK HEX 10-24 SS LOW PROFILE

COLLAR - IMPELLER FLEX DRIVE

HOUSING - PUMP PLASTIC PAD - MOTOR RUBBER NS

4148P-82 4209

1102A

BOLT HEX HD 1/4-20 X 1 1/4" SS

IMPELLER - 3 BLADE

GEAR BOX ASSEMBLY - FLEX

KEY 1/8" SS - DRIVE WHEEL

WASHER FLAT 7/16" SS

1814C 1800F 1104A

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PART DESCRIPTION

KEY | PART NO.

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HAIR PIN COTTER 1/16 X 1/2" SS

ARM - REVERSING L & R

1720 1700–89 1703 1703D

BASE - PLATE N/S

BOLT HEX HD 5/16-18 X 1" SS

DRIVE BELT - SHORT

1307V

BOLT HEX HD 10-32 X 1 1/2" SS

WHEEL - DRIVE ASSEMBLY RIGHT

GEAR - PLANETARY (REF. ONLY)

GEAR - RING (REF. ONLY)

1610B 1600A 1600A 1602B 1602B 1604 1604 1601 1814D 1606 1607A

LOCK - WHEEL DRIVE W/ STUD

PLATE - WHEEL OUTSIDE

RING SNAP 1/2"

GEAR - SUN (REF. ONLY)

SPRING - WHEEL LOCK SS WASHER - WHEEL PLASTIC

**BUTTON - WHEEL** 

1607 1605 1114A

CLIP "E" 1/4" SS

PISTON - WHEEL LOCK SS

GEAR - PLANETARY ASSEMBLY

PLATE - SIDE WHEEL

WHEEL - DRIVE ASSEMBLY LEFT

NUT LOCK HEX 10-32 SS

SLEEVE - GUIDE PIN SS

WASHER FLAT #10 SS

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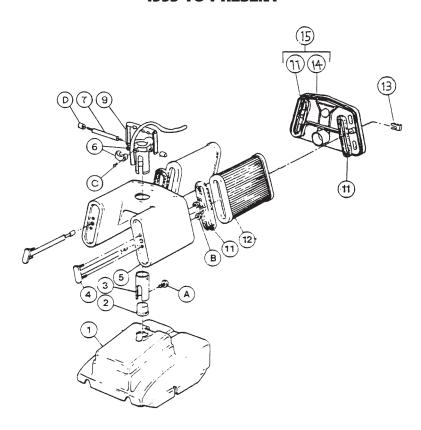








# HOOD & FILTER ASSEMBLY 1993 TO PRESENT



KEY	PART NO.	PART DESCRIPTION	REQ	L/H	R/H
1	1303	HOOD	1		
2	7802B	HAT - RISER	1		
3	7802	ADAPTER - HANDLE RISER	1		
Α	2302A	BOLT HEX HD 1/4-20 X 5/8" SS	1		
4	7815	TIE ROD - NEW STYLE	2	1	1
В	1610A	HEX NUT 10-32 SS	4	2	2
5	7801	BODY - FILTER ASSEMBLY	1		
6	7825	RING - ADAPTER W/ CLAMP	1		
С	7804A	SCREW PAN HD 8-32 X 1" SS	2	1	1
7	7806	PIN - HANDLE	1		
D	1610B-82	NUT - SLOTTED SS	2	1	1
9	7805	HANDLE	1		
11	7813	GASKET FOAM 1/4" OVAL	4	2	2
12	7807	FILTER - CARTRIDGE	2	1	1
13	7803	TIE ROD PUSH CLIP	2	1	1
14	REF. ONLY	PLATE - FILTER BACK	1		
		(MUST BUY #7810-93)			
15	7810-93	COVER - FILTER ASSEMBLY	1		

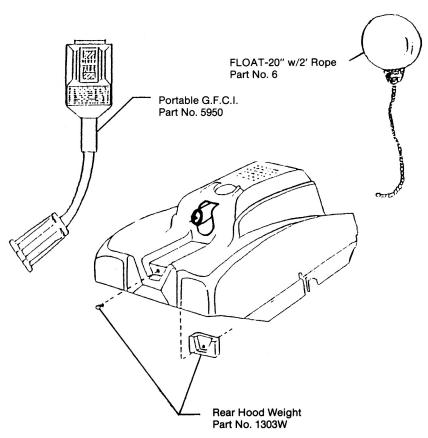


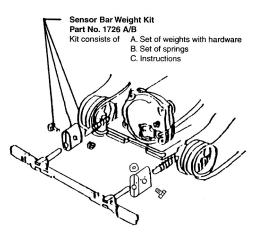






# **ACCESSORIES**





Part #99385 Caddy Cart Available as option









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