

It is of vital importance, before attempting to operate your engine, to read the general 'SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS AND WARNINGS' in the following section and to strictly adhere to the advice contained therein.

• Also, please study the entire contents of this instruction manual, so as to familiarize yourself with the controls and other features of the engine.

SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS AND WARNINGS ABOUT YOUR O.S. ENGINE

Remember that your engine is not a "toy", but a highly efficient internal-combustion machine whose power is capable of harming you, or others, if it is misused. As owner, you, alone, are responsible for the safe operation of your engine, so act with discretion and care at all times. If at some future date, your O.S. engine is acquired by another person, we would respectfully request that these instructions are also passed on to its new owner.

■ The advice which follows is grouped under two headings according to the degree of damage or danger which might arise through misuse or neglect.

⚠ WARNINGS

These cover events which might involve serious (in extreme circumstances, even fatal) injury.

⚠ NOTES

These cover the many other possibilities, generally less obvious sources of danger, but which, under certain circumstances, may also cause damage or injury.

⚠ WARNINGS

Never touch, or allow any object to come into contact with, the rotating parts.

Model engine fuel is poisonous. Do not allow it to come into contact with the eyes or mouth. Always store it in a clearly marked container and out of the reach of children.

Notes on installing cooling fan and clutch

Do not use a tool which locks piston when installing a cooling-fan and clutch, or top of the piston may be damaged. Also, do not insert a screw driver or the similar into the exhaust port.

It is recommended to use Crankshaft Clamp 37 (Code No.71530600) available as an optional tool.

Do not grip the engine mounting beams with a vise, or the crankcase will be distorted which will result in engine breaking.

NOTES WHEN APPLYING AN ELECTRIC STARTER

Because of this initial tightness, a standard electric starter may have difficulty in rotating the engine when cold, before it has been adequately run-in. In this case, use a high-torque type starter.

Do not over-prime. This could cause a hydraulic lock and damage the engine on application of the electric starter.

If over-primed, remove glowplug, close needle-valve and apply starter to pump out surplus fuel. Cover the head with a rag to prevent pumped out fuel from getting into your eyes.

Model engine fuel is also highly flammable. Keep it away from open flame, excessive heat, sources of sparks, or anything else which might ignite it. Do not smoke or allow anyone else to smoke, near to it.

Model engines generate considerable heat. Do not touch any part of your engine until it has cooled. Contact with the muffler (silencer), cylinder head or exhaust header pipe, in particular, may result in a serious burn.

• Never operate your engine in an enclosed space. Model engines, like automobile engines, exhaust deadly carbon-monoxide. Run your engine only in an open area.

⚠ NOTES

- This engine was designed for model helicopters. Do not attempt to use it for any other purpose.
- Mount the engine in your model securely, following the manufacturers' recommendations, using appropriate screws and locknuts.
- Install an effective silencer (muffler). Frequent close exposure to a noisy exhaust (especially in the case of the more powerful high-speed engines) may eventually impair your hearing and such noise is also likely to cause annoyance to others over a wide area.
- Check the linkage to the throttle arm before each flight.
- Avoid sudden high r.p.m. immediately after the engine is started, as the clutch will engage and you may be struck by the rotor.

Linking the throttle servo to the carburetor

Link the throttle servo to the carburetor using the throttle lever supplied. Throttle control rod A and B should be equal length. Set the linkage so that the servo output lever and throttle lever are parallel when the throttle stick on the transmitter is at middle position. Installing hole intervals on the F lever and on the J lever are different. Decide the lever to use according to the servo used. Be sure to cut off another lever to avoid any interference.

■ INTRODUCTION

This is a high performance engine designed for small-sized radio-controlled helicopters. Since the mounting bolt pattern of the engine as well as silencer is the same as those of the 32SX-H, it can be directly replaced with the 32SX-H and most of other 32-39 size engines. This powerful engine is suitable for sport flight as well as 3D flight.

With some models, needle interferes the body and working on the body to avoid this would be required.

STANDARD ACCESSORIES

- Glow Plug No.8
O.S. No.8 glowplug is supplied with the engine
- Throttle Lever Assembly

NOTE

Throttle lever is not installed on the carburetor when the engine leaves the factory. Install it before using the engine.

• After starting the engine, carry out any needle-valve readjustments after stopping the rotor by closing the throttle to the lowest r.p.m.. Stop the engine before attempting to make other adjustments to the carburetor.

• Use an electric starter. The wearing of safety glasses is also strongly recommended. Press the rotor head down securely.

• Take care that the glow plug clip or battery leads do not come into contact with rotating parts.

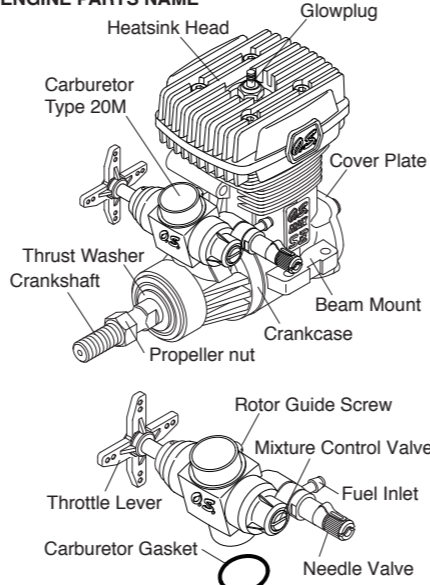
• Adjust the throttle linkage so that the engine stops when the throttle stick and trim lever on the transmitter are fully retarded. Alternatively, the engine may be stopped by cutting off the fuel supply. Never try to stop the engine physically.

• Take care that loose clothing (ties, shirt sleeves, scarves etc.) do not come into contact with the rotor. Do not carry loose objects (such as pencils, screwdrivers, etc.) in a shirt pocket from where they could fall through the rotor disc.

• For their safety, keep all onlookers (especially small children) well back (at least 20 feet or 6 metres) when preparing your model for flight. If you have to carry the model to the take-off point with the engine running, be especially cautious. Hold the rotor securely and keep well clear of spectators.

• Warning! Immediately after a glowplug-ignition engine has been run and is still warm, conditions sometimes exist whereby it is just possible for the engine to restart when turned over WITHOUT the glowplug battery being reconnected. Remember this if you wish to avoid the risk of accidents.

■ ENGINE PARTS NAME



■ BEFORE STARTING

Tools, accessories, etc. The following items are necessary for operating the engine.

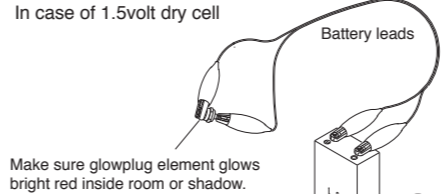
Items necessary for starting

Battery leads

These are used to conduct current from the battery to the glowplug. Basically, two leads, with clips, are required, but, for greater convenience, twin leads with special glowplug connectors, as shown on the right, are commercially available.

Glowplug battery

The power source for heating the glowplug may be either a large heavy-duty 1.5volt dry cell, Ni-cd battery or glowplug Igniter.



Hexagon starting shaft

This shaft mounted on an electric starting motor is driven into the shaft cup to turn the engine.

Electric starter and starter battery

An electric starter is recommended for starting.

Fuel

Select, by practical tests, the most suitable fuel from among the best quality fuels available in your country for helicopter use. For the best throttle response, a fuel containing 10% to 30% nitromethane is preferable. Lubricants may be either castor-oil or a suitable synthetic oil (or. a blend of both) provided that they are always of top quality. For consistent performance and long engine life, it is essential to use fuel containing AT LEAST 18% lubricant by volume. Some fuels containing coloring additives tend to deteriorate and may adversely affect running qualities. If in doubt compare to a fuel known to be good.

Fuel Pump

Alternatively, one of the purpose-made manual or electric fuel pumps may be used to transfer fuel directly from your fuel container to the fuel tank.

O.S. Super Filter (Fuel Can Filter)

Install a filter to the outlet tube of your refueling container to prevent entry of foreign matter into fuel tank. O.S. 'Super Filters' (large and small) are available as optional extras.

Fuel Filter

It is recommended to install a good in-line filter between the fuel tank and carburetor to prevent entry of foreign matter into the carburetor.

Silicone Fuel Line

Heatproof silicone tubing of approx. 5mm o.d. and 2.5mm i.d. is required for the connection between the fuel tank and engine.

■ TOOLS

Hex Drivers Necessary for engine installation. 1.5mm, 2mm, 2.5mm, 3mm

Phillips Screwdriver No.1, No.2, etc.

Screwdriver Necessary for carburetor adjustments. No.1, No.2, etc

Socket Drivers 5mm, 5.5mm, 7mm

Long Socket Wrench With Plug Grip Recommended for easy removal and replacement of the angled and recessed glowplug, the O.S. Long Socket Wrench incorporates a special grip.

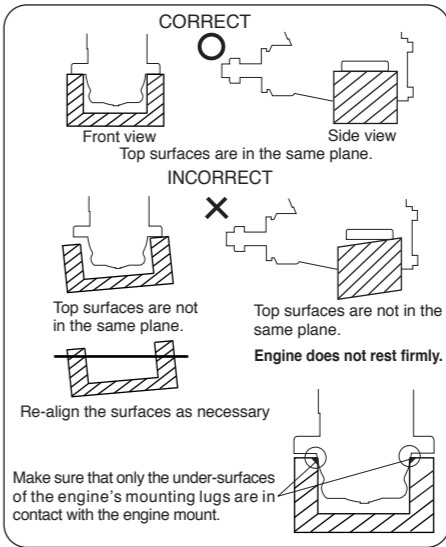
End Wrenches 8mm, 13mm, 14mm, etc.

Needle Nose Pliers

■ INSTALLATION OF THE ENGINE

The under-surfaces of all O.S. engine beam mounting lugs are precision machined flat and exactly parallel to the engine's horizontal axis. It is essential that the engine mounts in the model are also accurately made and aligned. If they are not, they will cause stress and distortion within the engine itself, probably resulting in loss of performance and internal damage. The recommended screws for securing the engine to the engine mounts in the model are 3mm or 4-40 steel Allen type. It is also advisable to use lock washers or LOCTITE to prevent nuts from loosening.

Make sure that only the under-surfaces of the engine's mounting lugs are in contact with the engine mount. Please note that crankcase volume of the 37SZ-H is a little larger than the 32SX-H's. If the crankcase body touches the mount, chamfer the edges of the mount.



INSTALLING THE GLOWPLUG

Install washer on glowplug and insert carefully into Heatsink-head, making sure that it is not cross-threaded before tightening firmly.

■ INSTALLATION OF THE STANDARD ACCESSORIES

INSTALLATION OF THE THROTTLE LEVER

Throttle lever is not installed on the carburetor when the engine leaves the factory. Install it before using the engine referring to the sketch below.

■ CARBURETOR CONTROLS

With a fixed-wing model, power failure is rarely a serious threat to the safety of the aircraft since it can usually glide down to a safe landing. In a helicopter, on the other hand, it is vitally important that the engine keeps running and that there is a quick and reliable response to the throttle in order to ensure safe ascent and descent of the model.

Two adjustable controls are provided on this carburetor.

• **The Needle Valve:**

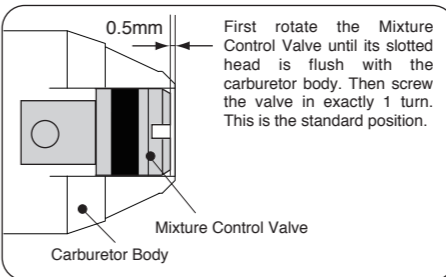
When set to produce maximum power at full throttle, this establishes the basic fuel/air mixture strength. This is then maintained by the carburetor's automatic mixture control system to cover the engine's requirements at reduced throttle settings.

• **The Mixture Control Valve**

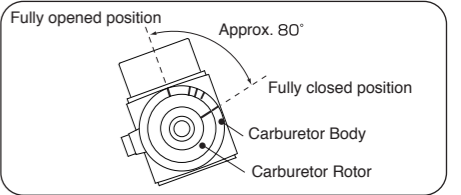
For adjusting the mixture strength at part-throttle and idling speeds, to obtain steady idling and smooth acceleration to medium speeds. The Mixture Control Valve has been factory set for the approximate best result. First, run the engine as received, and re-adjust the Mixture Control Valve only when necessary.

■ REALIGNMENT OF MIXTURE CONTROL VALVE

In the course of making carburetor adjustments, it is just possible that the Mixture Control Valve may be inadvertently screwed in or out too far and thereby moved beyond its effective adjustment range. Its basic setting can be reestablished as follows :



■ GRADUATIONS ON THE CARBURETOR BODY



As shown in the sketch, the carburetor has graduation marks. When the triangle mark on the carburetor rotor meets the most right mark, throttle is fully closed. When the triangle mark meets the top mark, throttle is fully open. The range is approximately 80 degrees. You may use other three marks as the reference marking of throttle opening to your preference when hovering.

WARNING!

Never try to check the triangle mark position while the engine is running and rotor is rotating, or you may be hit by rotating rotor which results in serious injury. Stop the engine and rotor before checking the triangle mark position.

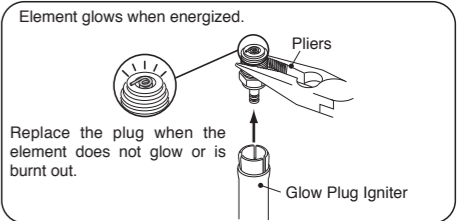
■ STARTING

Be sure to use an electric starter to start the engine.

Be sure to use a muffler pressurized fuel feed. Use the same fuel as you intend to employ for actual operation of your model.

Starting procedure is as follows:

1. Fill the fuel tank with fuel. When filled, prevent the fuel from flowing into the carburetor with a commercially available fuel stopper, etc. Release the stopper before starting the engine.
2. Make sure that plug element glows red, and install the plug in the cylinder head.



1. Opening and closing of the Needle-Valve

Turn the needle clockwise to close the needle-valve, and turn the needle counter-clockwise to open the needle-valve as shown in the sketch.

2. Opening the needle-valve

Firstly, turn the needle clockwise slowly until it stops. The position it stops is the fully closed position of the needle-valve. Make note this position for reference.. Open the needle-valve 1.5 turns.

3. Preparation of the starter

Install the starting shaft to the starter securely. Poor installation swings the starting shaft, which is dangerous.

4. Checking the rotating direction of the starter

Make sure that the starter rotates to the direction shown in the sketch. If the direction is reverse, reverse the leads on battery.

5. Inserting the starter shaft

Insert the starting shaft into the shaft cup securely.

6. Priming

Without heating the glowplug, open the throttle a little from the idle position. Turn the engine using the starter until the fuel is seen to reach carburetor.

