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Instruction Manual

20 SECOND SOAP CARBURETOR FOR BRIGGS & STRATTON ENGINE MODELS 128T02-3124-B1 AND 128T02-3125-B1

1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential information for the proper installation, operation, and maintenance of your 20 SECOND SOAP Carburetor. This carburetor is specifically designed to optimize engine performance for 6.5 HP Briggs & Stratton engines, ensuring efficient operation and consistent power output for various outdoor equipment and machinery tasks. It is compatible with Briggs & Stratton engine models 128T02-3124-B1 and 128T02-3125-B1.

The carburetor features durable construction to resist wear and tear from regular engine use, maintaining reliable fuel flow and combustion efficiency to extend engine life in demanding working environments. Proper use and maintenance, as outlined in this guide, will help ensure the longevity and optimal performance of your engine.

2. SETUP AND INSTALLATION

Before beginning installation, ensure the engine is cool and disconnected from any power source (e.g., spark plug wire removed). Always refer to your engine manufacturer's specific service manual for detailed instructions and safety precautions.

Compatibility:

- Briggs & Stratton 6.5 HP Engines
- Engine Model 128T02-3124-B1
- Engine Model 128T02-3125-B1

General Installation Steps:

1. **Safety First:** Disconnect the spark plug wire and ensure the engine is cool. Drain the fuel tank if

necessary.

2. **Remove Air Filter Assembly:** Carefully detach the air filter housing and filter element.
3. **Disconnect Fuel Line:** Pinch off the fuel line to prevent fuel leakage and disconnect it from the old carburetor.
4. **Remove Old Carburetor:** Unbolt the old carburetor from the engine, noting the position of any linkages or gaskets.
5. **Install New Carburetor:** Place new gaskets (supplied with the carburetor) in their correct positions. Mount the new 20 SECOND SOAP carburetor, ensuring all linkages are properly connected.
6. **Reconnect Fuel Line:** Reconnect the fuel line and remove the pinch-off clamp.
7. **Reinstall Air Filter Assembly:** Attach the air filter housing and filter element.
8. **Reconnect Spark Plug:** Reconnect the spark plug wire.



Image: The 20 SECOND SOAP Carburetor, showing the main body and included gaskets for installation. This component is crucial for fuel-air mixture in compatible Briggs & Stratton engines.

3. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

After successful installation, the carburetor is designed to deliver consistent air-fuel ratios, supporting efficient combustion and reducing fuel waste. Follow your engine manufacturer's guidelines for starting and operating your equipment.

- **Fuel Quality:** Always use fresh, clean fuel as recommended by your engine manufacturer. Stale or contaminated fuel can lead to poor performance and carburetor issues.
- **Choke Operation:** Use the choke as necessary for cold starts, as per your engine's operating instructions. The carburetor is designed to work seamlessly with the engine's existing choke mechanism.
- **Throttle Response:** This carburetor is engineered to improve throttle response and fuel economy, providing smooth acceleration and consistent power during operation.

4. MAINTENANCE

Regular maintenance of your carburetor and fuel system is vital for extending engine life and ensuring optimal performance. Perform these checks periodically or as recommended by your engine manufacturer.

- **Fuel System Inspection:** Regularly check fuel lines for cracks, leaks, or deterioration. Ensure the fuel filter (if present) is clean and free of debris. Replace components as needed.
- **Carburetor Cleaning:** Over time, fuel deposits can accumulate in the carburetor. If performance issues arise, the carburetor may need cleaning. This typically involves removing the fuel bowl and cleaning jets with carburetor cleaner. *Consult a qualified technician if you are unsure about this procedure.*
- **Air Filter:** A clean air filter is crucial for proper air-fuel mixture. Inspect and clean or replace the air filter regularly according to your engine manual.
- **Storage:** Before long-term storage, drain the fuel system or use a fuel stabilizer to prevent fuel degradation and carburetor clogging.

5. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you experience issues with your engine after carburetor installation, consider the following common problems and solutions:

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Engine will not start	No fuel flow, clogged fuel filter, clogged carburetor jet, incorrect choke setting, stale fuel.	Check fuel level and quality. Inspect fuel lines and filter. Clean carburetor jets. Adjust choke.
Engine runs rough or stalls	Clogged carburetor jet, air leak around carburetor gaskets, improper fuel mixture, dirty air filter.	Clean carburetor. Inspect and replace gaskets if damaged. Check air filter.
Poor engine performance / Lack of power	Partially clogged carburetor, dirty air filter, incorrect engine adjustments (not carburetor related).	Clean carburetor. Replace air filter. Consult engine manual for other adjustments.
Fuel leaks	Loose fuel line connection, damaged fuel bowl gasket, cracked fuel line.	Tighten connections. Replace fuel bowl gasket. Replace damaged fuel lines.

If troubleshooting steps do not resolve the issue, it is recommended to consult a certified small engine mechanic.

6. SPECIFICATIONS

- **Brand:** 20 SECOND SOAP
- **Model Number:** 128T02-3124-B1
- **UPC:** 670094441210
- **GTIN:** 670094441210
- **Compatibility:** Designed for Briggs & Stratton 6.5 HP engines, specifically models 128T02-3124-B1 and 128T02-3125-B1.

- **Function:** Optimizes fuel and engine performance by delivering consistent air-fuel ratios.