

# SERVICE BULLETIN

# MERCURY OUTBOARDS

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CIRCULATE TO:	SERVICE MGR.	PARTS MGR.	MECHANICS	Place in Your "Service Bulletins Binder"
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A. Merc V200 (V-2000) - Lean Running

B. Distributor Housing Assemblies A-393-3736A77 and A-332-4797A9

## A. MERC V200 (V-2000) - LEAN RUNNING

*(Attach Service Bulletin Sticker on PP IB-2 and IB-4 in Your Service Manual.)*

Occasionally, a Merc **V200** (Merc V-2000) may show evidence of, 1) lack of throttle response or 2) engine dying during slow acceleration.

Should either of these occur, it will be necessary to correct or change the following items one-at-a-time, starting with No. 1:

1. Check for correct throttle synchronization and primary pickup of 10° ATDC.
2. Replace the .046 idle air bleed jets with .044 jets (Part No. 1395-7394) for all carburetors.
3. Replace the .078 main jets with .082 jets (Part No. 1399-3518) in all carburetors.

## B. DISTRIBUTOR HOUSING ASSEMBLIES A-393-3736A77 and A-332-4797A9

*(Attach Service Bulletin Sticker on P. 3A-15 in Your Service Manual.)*

Distributor housing assemblies A-393-3736A77 and A-332-4797A9 are shipped with a round, protective plastic disc that is secured with tape. Since this plastic disc is intended to prevent storage and shipping damage only, it should be discarded when the assembly(s) is used.