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## RF Interference Between MotorGuide Excel Sonar-Ready Motors and Pinpoint Sonar Displays

#### **Models Affected**

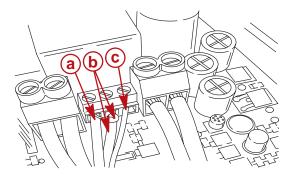
All 2000-2003 MotorGuide Excel sonar-ready motors (model numbers EX82SP & EX109SP)

#### Situation

Under certain circumstances, RF interference may occur between the MotorGuide Excel motor and the Pinpoint sonar display.

#### Correction

Should you encounter RF interference between the Excel motor and the Pinpoint sonar display, inspect the 24 AWG (0.8 mm²) white ground wire coming from the transducer to the TB3 green terminal block on the circuit board. There should be one 24 AWG (0.8 mm²) white transducer ground wire on terminal C, an 18 AWG white return ground wire on terminal B and an 18 AWG blue pulse-width modulation (PWM) wire connected to terminal A. Also inspect for the presence of the blue .22 uf 50v capacitor connected to terminal B with the white return ground wire and to terminal A with the blue PWM gate lead. The 24 AWG (0.8 mm²) white transducer ground wire must be connected to terminal C and the capacitor must be present. If the capacitor is damaged or missing it must be replaced. If the ground wire is missing, replace the magnet housing.



- a 18 AWG PWM wire
- **b** 18 AWG return ground wire with .22 uf 50v capacitor
- c 24 AWG transducer ground wire

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#### **Parts Required**

Qty. 1 MXS05002 22UF, 50v monolithic ceramic capacitor

Qty. 1 Magnet housing (see parts catalog for the specific

part number)

### Warranty

Model/Serial Number.

Quantity, part number and description of part(s). 1 MXS05002

Labor Time. Five tenths (0.5) replacement of capacitor

Flat Rate Code: ET80 for capacitor

Part Code: 930 Failure Code: 02

US and Canada: Complete/process claim via MercNet or a warranty claim form.

Fax: 1-920-929-5893

Mail to: Mercury Marine

Attn: Warranty Department

P.O. Box 1939

Fond du Lac, WI 54936

International: Follow instructions issued by the Marine Power International office or by your distributor.

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