

INSTALLER: THESE INSTRUCTIONS CONTAIN IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION AND MUST BE FORWARDED TO THE BOAT OWNER.


INSTALLATION AND OPERATION OF MV-3 SERIES SIDE MOUNT CONTROL

OWNER'S MANUAL



For Single Station Only

NOTICE

Throughout this manual, Warnings and Cautions, accompanied by the International Hazard Symbol , are used to alert the manufacturer or installer to special instructions concerning a particular service or operation that may be hazardous if preformed incorrectly or carelessly.

Warnings alone do not eliminate dangers, nor are they a substitute for safe boat handling and proper accident prevention measures. **Observe these alerts carefully!**

*These "saftey alerts" alone cannot eliminate the hazards they signal. **Strict compliance to these special instructions** when installing, operating or performing maintenance and using common sense are the most effective accident prevention measures.*

DANGER

*Immediate Hazards which **WILL** result in severe personel injury or death.*

WARNING

*Hazards or unsafe practices which **COULD** result in sever personel injury or death.*

CAUTION

*Hazards or unsafe practices which **COULD** result in injury, product and/or property damage.*

NOTICE

Information that is important to the proper installation, operation and maintenance, but is not hazard related.

NOTICE

Before starting installation, read these instructions and the engine maker's instructions thorough or incorrect assembly can result in loss of control and cause property damage or injury.

Do not substitute parts from other manufacturers. They may cause a safety hazard which Teleflex Inc. (USA) cannot accept responsibility.

Cable installation and connections must be made in accordance with the motor manufacturer's instructions.

To insure best performance and free operation of all linkages and the remote control is essential. Follow the manufacturer's recommended procedures for adjustment and lubrication.

All specifications and features are subject to change without notice.

NOTICE

TELEFLEX MARINE HIGHLY RECOMMENDS THE INSTALLATION, AND USAGE OF AN ENGINE SHUT OFF SWITCH (SOMETIMES CALLED A "KILL" SWITCH) AS AN IMPORTANT EMERGENCY SAFETY FEATURE FOR BOATS. THIS SWITCH SHOULD BE CONNECTED BY A CORD TO THE BOAT DRIVER. SHOULD THE DRIVER BE THROWN FROM THE HELM POSITION, THE ENGINE WILL AUTOMATICALLY SHUT OFF.

THIS SHUT OFF SWITCH IS NOT A STANDARD PART OF THE CONTROL YOU ARE USING.

Introduction

The Morse MV-3 Control is designed to provide convenient, one hand, single lever operation of shift and throttle for most popular outboards, sport jets, inboards equipped with hydraulic reverse gears and Berkeley or similar jet pumps.

A safety feature of the MV-3 is a Neutral Locking Hand Lever. It can only be disengaged from Neutral by raising the lifter under the ball knob. The MV-3 accepts Teleflex Marine 3300 Cables or 3300 TFXtreme cables. Some jet models use a 4300 Shift cable.

A neutral safety switch is standard, except on MV-3 controls assembled for inboard ski boats and Berkeley Jet controls.

NOTICE

The following information shows the procedures necessary to make a correct installation.

General operation and adjustment information is provided, along with periodic maintenance information.

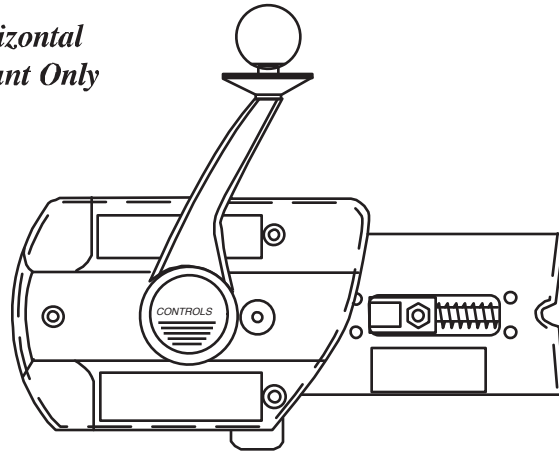
A replacement part availability for the control is provided should the need for replacements become necessary.

Control Configuration

The MV-3 Control can only be mounted in a horizontal position.

Figure 1

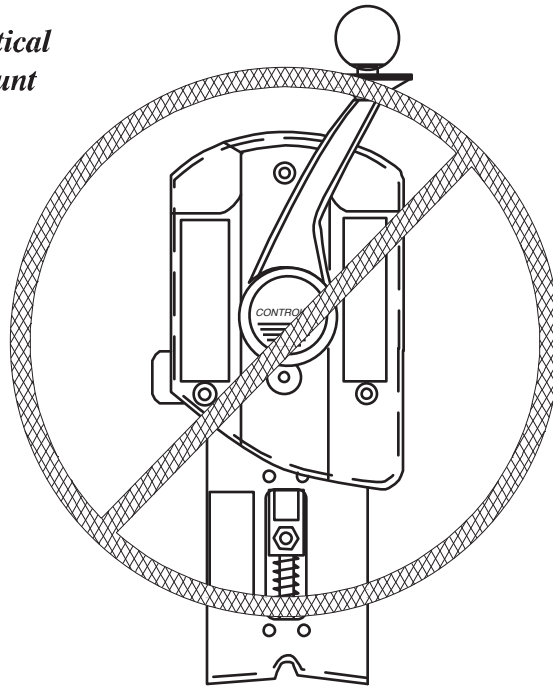
*Horizontal
Mount Only*



CAUTION

**DO NOT REMOVE HAND LEVER TO
CHANGE POSITION.**

*Vertical
Mount*



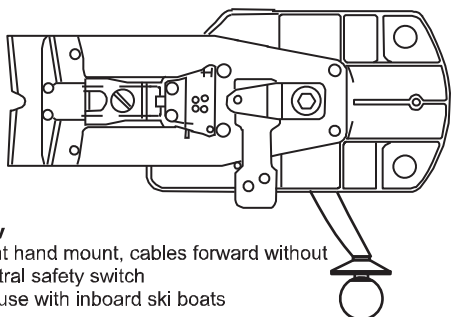
The next page is provided to make sure that you have the correctly configured control for your application.

Operate MV-3 control hand lever to see how the shift and throttle levers move. If they move in the right direction, you do not have to change them. If control is not assembled for proper action of shift and throttle function required by engine or left hand configuration is required, reassemble control as shown in following instructions of this section.

Control Configuration

Figure 2

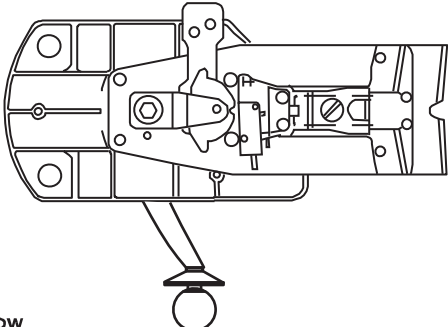
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Bow

Right hand mount, cables forward without
Neutral safety switch
For use with inboard ski boats

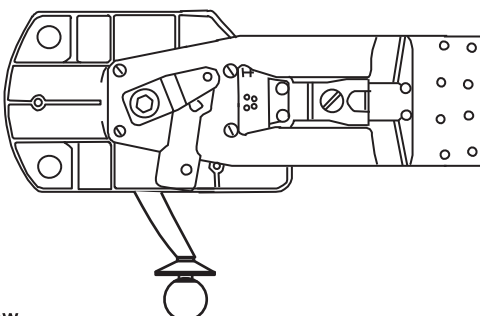
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Bow

Right hand mount, cables aft with
Standard neutral safety switch
For use with inboards, outboards and I/O's

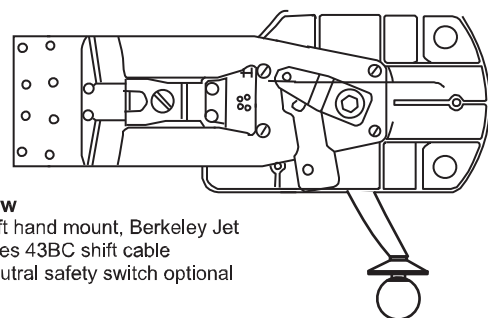
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Bow

Right hand mount, Berkeley Jet
Uses 43BC shift cable
Neutral safety switch optional

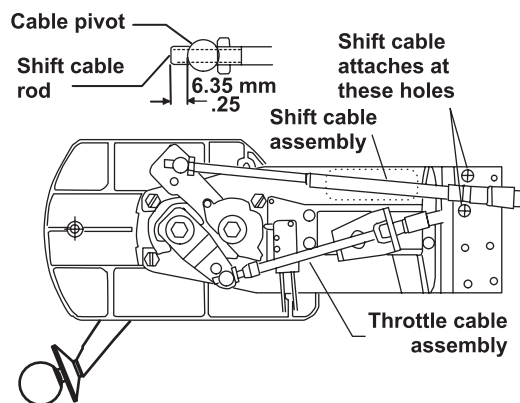
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Bow

Left hand mount, Berkeley Jet
Uses 43BC shift cable
Neutral safety switch optional

**Part
Number
311508**



BOW

Right hand mount, cables aft with
Immersion proof safety switch, warm-up
limiter and heavy duty shift cable for
Mercury Marine 175 horsepower jet drive.
Cables must be installed to the 311508
control as shown above when used with
the Mercury 175 horsepower
Sport Jet engine.

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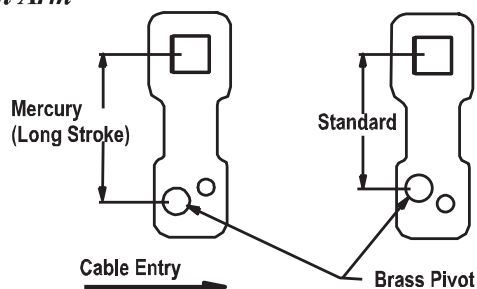
TO DETERMINE THE CORRECT CONTROL ASSEMBLY FOR INBOARDS WITH HYDRAULIC TRANSMISSIONS, YOU MUST DETERMINE IF THE SHIFT CABLE "PULLS" OR "PUSHES" TO GO INTO FORWARD AND IF THE THROTTLE CABLE "PULLS" OR "PUSHES" TO OPEN THE THROTTLE.

Repositioning Shift Arm

If the transmission shift function is different than the control shift arm, reposition the arm by removing hex head screw and rotate the shift arm 180 degrees. Pay attention to the 2-hole pattern on the shift arm for mounting pivot. See Figure 3.

Figure 3

Shift Arm

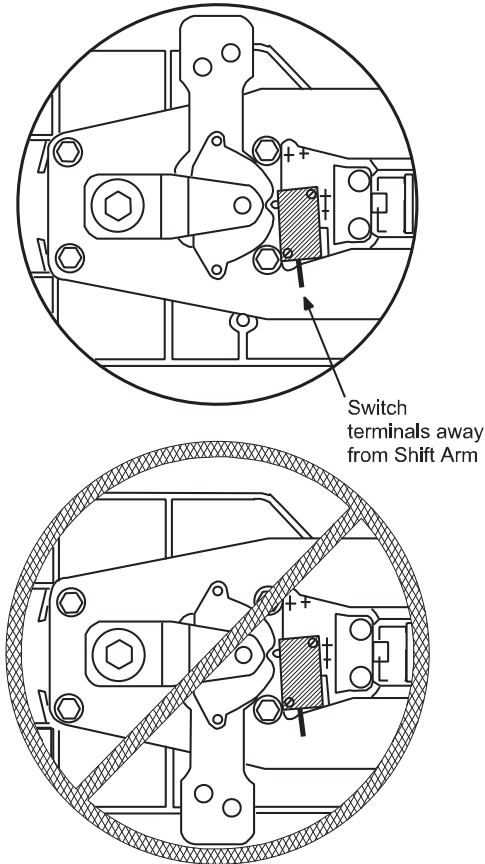


CAUTION

IF THE SHIFT ARM IS REPOSITIONED, THE NEUTRAL SAFETY SWITCH MUST ALSO BE REPOSITIONED OR THE SWITCH WILL BE DAMAGED. (SEE FIGURE 4.)

Figure 4

Neutral Safety Switch



Reversing Throttle Action

All MV-3 controls are assembled to give a "PULL" action on the cable. If cable action is incorrect, reverse throttle arm by removing Hex Head Screw and large flat washer. Remove arm and reassemble in opposite position as shown in Figure 5. Also, reverse position of dwell block and spring by removing screw, flat washer and nut. Reassemble in opposite position (see Figure 5).

Figure 5

Throttle Cable Connection

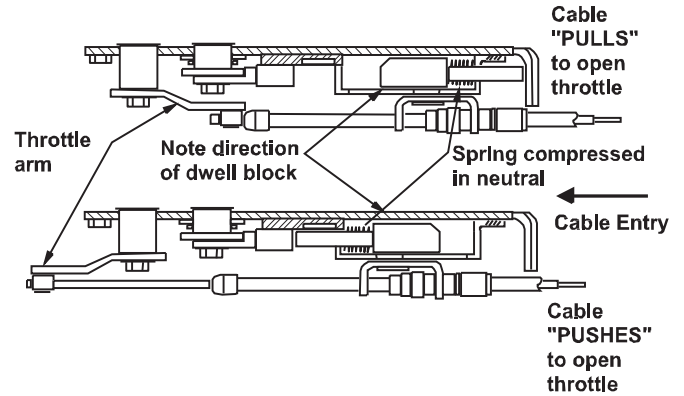
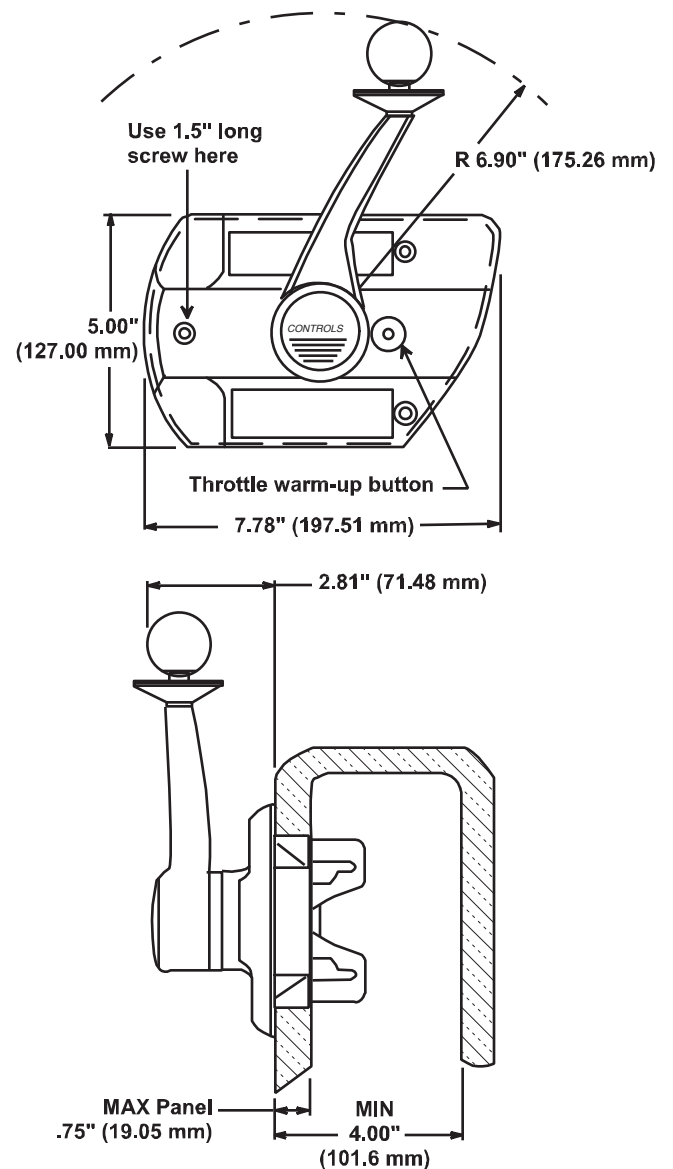


Figure 6

Control Connection and Recommended Clearance



Choosing Control Location

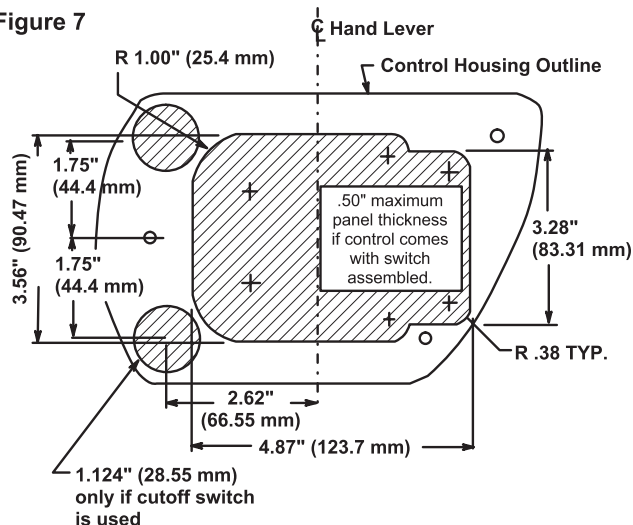
⚠ CAUTION

WHEN CONTROL COMES WITH CUTOFF SWITCH INSTALLED, PANEL THICKNESS MUST BE .50" (12.7 MM) MAXIMUM. IF CUTOFF SWITCH IS NOT USED, THE PANEL THICKNESS MAY BE .75" (19.05 MM) MAXIMUM.

Choose a mounting location for the control head which will provide comfortable operation of the hand lever, unobstructed movement of mechanism arms and a clear path for cables to engine. Figure 6 shows the control dimensions and the recommended clearance behind the mounting surface.

Using the template provided, cut the appropriate mounting hole in the panel as shown in Figure 7.

Figure 7



Measuring Cable Length

Measure from the control head position along an unobstructed path to the shift and throttle connections. Cable lengths are overall length. When a measurement is in feet and inches, specify the next whole foot.

Connecting Shift Cable

⚠ CAUTION

THE PIVOT MUST BE IN THE HOLE NEAREST TO CABLE ENTRY END OF THE CONTROL. USING THE HOLE IN THE SHIFT ARM FURTHER MOST AWAY FROM THE CABLE MOUNTING SUPPORT WILL PRODUCE UNEQUAL SHIFT TRAVEL BETWEEN "NEUTRAL TO FORWARD" AND "NEUTRAL TO REVERSE", RESULTING IN IMPROPER SHIFT ACTION. (SEE FIGURE 3.)

NOTICE

THE CONTROL SHIFT LEVER AND THE TRANSMISSION SHIFT LEVER MUST COINCIDE AT THE FORWARD, NEUTRAL AND REVERSE POSITIONS. DIFFERENT MAKES OF TRANSMISSIONS MAY REQUIRE DIFFERENT AMOUNTS OF SHIFT TRAVEL. FOR THIS REASON, THE CONTROL SHIFT LEVER IS PROVIDED WITH TWO (2) POSITIONS FOR ATTACHING THE SHIFT CABLE: ONE FOR THE STANDARD TRAVEL AND ONE FOR THE LONGEST TRAVEL. (SEE FIGURE 3)

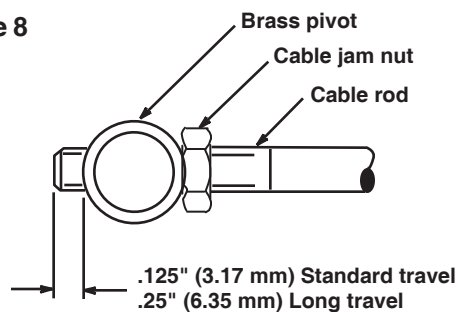
Connect Shift Cable To Control

Insert shift cable through opening in hanger assembly in line with shift arm pivot attachment hole and lock cable in hanger slot.

Screw pivot onto cable rod, allowing threads to protrude through pivot 1/8" for standard travel or 1/4" for long travel.

Lubricate pivot with grease, then insert into required hole in shift arm (see Figure 8). Fasten with cotter pin. Tighten cable nut against pivot.

Figure 8



To obtain standard (2 3/4") cable shift travel at engine, use shift arm on control at short pivot hole location as shown in Figure 3. For Mercury, long (3 inch) cable shift travel at engine is necessary. Assemble shift arm to control using longest pivot hole location.

Connect Throttle Cable

With opening in swivel bracket nearest to the cable entry end of the control, insert throttle cable through opening in swivel bracket and secure cable hub in bracket slot. Screw pivot onto cable rod and allow cable rod threads to protrude through pivot 1/8 inch (3.17mm). Lubricate pivot with grease, then insert into hole in throttle arm. Fasten with cotter pin. Tighten cable nut against pivot.

NOTICE

TELEFLEX MARINE CONTROLS STRONGLY RECOMMENDS THAT THE SWITCH BE CONNECTED TO ASSURE SAFE BOATING OPERATION.



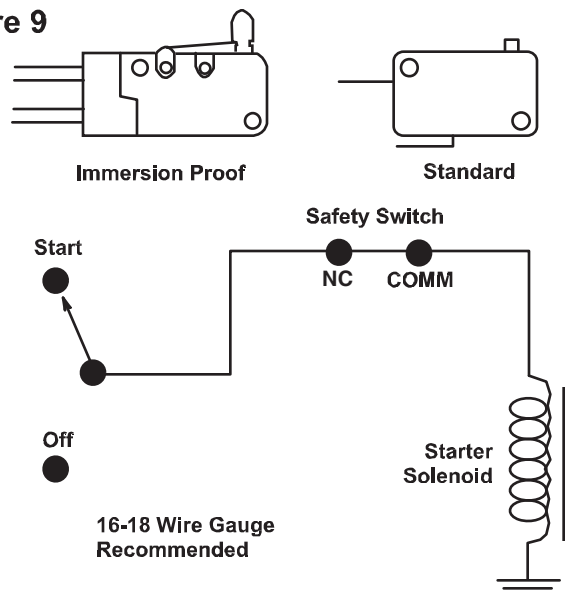
CAUTION

CHECK TO MAKE SURE THAT THERE IS ELECTRICAL CONTINUITY ONLY WHEN THE CONTROL IS IN NEUTRAL. WHEN THE CONTROL IS IN GEAR, THERE MUST NOT BE ANY ELECTRICAL CONTINUITY.

Neutral Safety Switch

Most MV-3 controls are equipped with a neutral safety switch.

Figure 9



With the Control in NEUTRAL, connect one wire of the tester to the common terminal and one wire to the "NC" (Normally Closed) Terminal. The test light MUST light.

Connect the Neutral Safety Switch between the ignition switch (start lead) and the starter solenoid. (See Figure 9.) Use terminals with insulators to insure against an electrical short circuit.

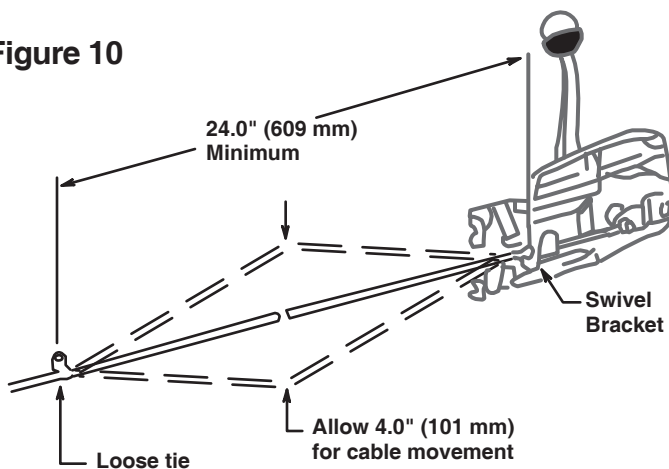
Mount Control

Cable Path

Run the cables, which are connected to the control, back to the throttle and shift location of the engine and drive.

The cables should run as straight as possible, avoiding any sharp bends. Make no bends in the cable of less than 8 inch (203.2 mm) radius.

Figure 10



⚠ CAUTION

DO NOT USE CABLE HANGERS OR CLAMPS WHICH MAY CRUSH OR STRESS THE CABLES IN ANY WAY. DOING SO MAY IMPAIR THE FUNCTION OF THE CABLES.

DO NOT RESTRICT MOVEMENT OF THE THROTTLE CABLE WITHIN 2 FEET OF THE CONTROL. (SEE FIGURE 10.) TO DO SO MAY DAMAGE OR IMPAIR PROPER OPERATION OF THE THROTTLE CABLES.

Installation of Control

Shift control into forward to move shift arm out of the way. This allows the control to be inserted into the cut out.

When satisfied with the position of the control, fasten housing to mounting surface with three (3) #10 thread cutting screws. One screw is 1.50 inches (38.1mm) long and it is used in the single hole (see Figure 6).

Connecting Cables to Engine

⚠ CAUTION

OVER JAMMING THE TRANSMISSION STOP ON EITHER END OF THE SHIFT TRAVEL MAY:

1) CAUSE EXCESSIVE WEAR OF THE DRIVE AND SHIFT GEAR;

2) RESULT IN A "HEAVY" FEEL OF THE HAND LEVER; AND/OR

3) OVER STRESS AND DAMAGE THE CABLE.

THE THROTTLE CABLE MUST BE DISCONNECTED FROM THE MOTOR BEFORE MAKING MOTOR IDLE ADJUSTMENTS. ADJUSTMENT OF THE MOTOR IDLE WHILE THE THROTTLE CABLE IS STILL CONNECTED TO THE MOTOR MAY CAUSE A JAMMING ACTION AGAINST THE IDLE STOP. AS A RESULT, THE CONTROL MAY NOT FUNCTION PROPERLY AND DAMAGE TO THE CONTROL, THE CABLE AND/OR THE MOTOR COULD RESULT.

Connect the shift and throttle cables to the throttle and shift levers at the engine following the instructions provided with the appropriate connection kit or with the engine.

Shift Cable Connection and Adjustment

The shift cable must be connected so that the "FORWARD", "NEUTRAL" and "REVERSE" positions of the control shift lever will coincide with the forward, neutral and reverse positions of the transmission lever. Readjust the cable terminals until the correct function of the shift lever is achieved. Proper adjustment of the shift cable will result in a much better operating control.

Throttle Cable Connection and Adjustment

Proceed As Follows:

- a) Adjust the motor to a smooth idle as recommended by the motor manufacturer. This must be done BEFORE connecting the control throttle cable to the carburetor.
- B) Place the hand lever of the control into the forward detent position.
- C) Place the carburetor arm lightly against the idle stop.
- D) Adjust the throttle cable terminal (at the motor end) to line up with the hole (or pin) on the carburetor arm, then connect the terminal to the arm.

Proper adjustment of the throttle cables will assure having long life from this control. When the throttle cable is correctly adjusted, the motor speed will remain at idle while the control is shifted and will increase only when the hand lever is moved beyond the shift detent.

⚠ CAUTION

UNLESS THE AFORE PROCEDURE “A” THROUGH “D” IS FOLLOWED, ENGINE R.P.M. WILL RAISE EXCESSIVELY DURING THE SHIFT CYCLE. FOR THIS REASON, THERE IS A COMPRESSION SPRING-TYPE THROTTLE DWELL BUILT INTO THE CABLE ANCHOR ASSEMBLY WHICH ALLOWS THROTTLE CABLE ACTION TO REMAIN STATIONARY DURING THE SHIFT CYCLE. (SEE FIGURE 5.)

AS A RESULT, THE HAND LEVER MUST BE IN THE FORWARD DETENT POSITION AND THE CARBURETOR THROTTLE ARM MUST BE AT IDLE POSITION WHILE CONNECTING THE THROTTLE CABLE TO THE ENGINE.

Operation and Adjustment

⚠ CAUTION

DO NOT FORCE SHIFT WHEN THE MOTOR IS NOT RUNNING. TO DO SO MAY DAMAGE THE CONTROL, THE CABLES AND/OR THE MOTOR, ESPECIALLY OUTBOARDS.

⚠ WARNING

DO NOT SHIFT TOO QUICKLY FROM FORWARD TO REVERSE. STAY IN THE NEUTRAL OR IDLE POSITION UNTIL THE B O A T HAS LOST MOST OF ITS HEADWAY BEFORE COMPLETING THE SHIFT TO REVERSE. SOME MODELS ARE DESIGNED TO LIMIT THE THROTTLE R.P.M.

The MV-3 Control is equipped with a throttle “warm-up” feature.

Operation: Shift and Throttle

For starting or warm-up, place the control in Neutral Detent position, then grasp button beside the hand lever hub and pull out (approximately .20”) to disengage shift. Lift collar under hand lever knob and move hand lever ahead of the forward shift detent to advance throttle for neutral warm-up.

When warm-up is completed, return hand lever to neutral detent. The “warm-up” button is spring loaded and it will snap back in place when hand lever is brought back to neutral. Push in on the button to make sure it is fully in. The control is ready for shift and throttle operation.

Maintenance

NOTICE

TELEFLEX MARINE CONTROLS STRONGLY RECOMMENDS THAT THE BOAT OWNER OPERATOR SET UP AND FOLLOW A STRICT MAINTENANCE PROCEDURE.

Corrosion Protection

For maximum protection, especially in salt water areas, wipe all metallic parts, such as screw heads, cable sleeves, etc. with oil or light marine grease.

Hand lever should be washed with fresh water and waxed regularly.

Mechanical Performance

- Periodically check the control mechanism for loose fastenings and signs of wear on moving parts, particularly the cable terminals. Lubricate all moving parts with a good quality marine grease.
- Periodically examine the cables and engine connections for signs of physical damage, wear and/or corrosion. Replace all faulty or damaged parts as required.

Electrical Performance

- Periodically check the switch for proper electrical function.
- Periodically check the wiring for abrasion which may cause a short circuit.

Berkeley Jet Control

⚠ CAUTION

THE SHIFT AND THROTTLE ARMS HAVE BEEN OFFSET 15 DEGREES TO ASSURE PROPER GATE OPERATION. DO NOT ATTEMPT TO CHANGE THIS POSITION. TO DO SO WILL RESULT IN IMPROPER SHIFT ACTION (SEE FIGURE 11).

NOTICE

CONNECT THE SHIFT CABLE TO THE JET GATE AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JET MANUFACTURER..

⚠ CAUTION

VERY IMPORTANT!
THIS CONTROL CAN BE USED ONLY WITH NON-SPRING LINK THROTTLE CONNECTION KITS.

BECAUSE THE SPRING DWELL IS BUILT INTO THE THROTTLE CABLE ANCHOR ASSEMBLY, THE CONTROL HEAD HAND LEVER MUST BE IN THE FORWARD POSITION AND THE CARBURETOR THROTTLE ARM MUST BE AT THE IDLE POSITION WHILE CONNECTING THE THROTTLE CABLE TO THE ENGINE.

DO NOT USE CABLE HANGERS OR CLAMPS WHICH MAY CRUSH OR STRESS THE CABLES IN ANY WAY. DOING SO MAY IMPAIR THE FUNCTION OF THE CABLES.

DO NOT RESTRICT MOVEMENT OF THE THROTTLE CABLE WITHIN 2 FEET OF THE CONTROL. TO DO SO MAY DAMAGE OR IMPAIR PROPER OPERATION OF THE THROTTLE CABLES (SEE FIGURE 10).

Installation of the Berkeley Jet Control closely follows that of the other MV-3 Controls made by Teleflex Marine Controls. Follow the instructions in this booklet plus these few added instructions:

Neutral Safety Switch Option

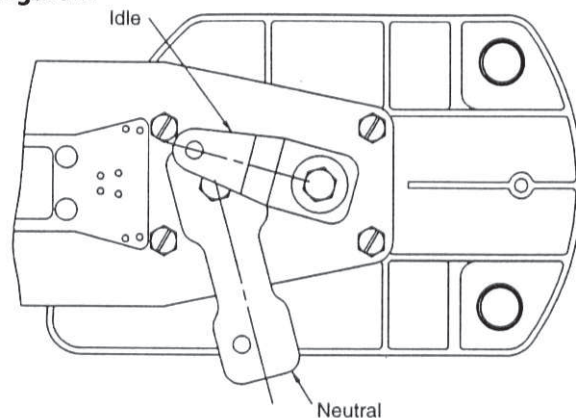
A neutral safety switch kit is available for use with Berkeley jet versions (Part Number 311453). Follow the procedures for installation of the Neutral Safety Switch as outlined page 5.

Routing Control Cables

Run the cables through the panel cutout back to the location of the engine and jet drive, then attach the cables to the carburetor and jet gate.

To install the throttle cable to the engine, refer to the installation instructions provided with the throttle connection kit.

Figure 11



This provides a means for absorbing the slight movement of the Control Head Throttle Arm during the shift cycle.

When the Throttle Cable is correctly adjusted, the engine speed will remain at idle while the Control is shifted and will increase ONLY after the Gate is full open or closed.

Control Installation Completion

Place the Hand Lever in the FORWARD position so that, as a result, the Shift Arm and Throttle Arm will take the smallest amount of space to feed the Hanger Bracket through the panel cutout. Fastening recommendations are as follows:

For Normal Mounting:

2 each, Oval Head #10 x 1-1/4" long Self-Tapping Screws.

1 each, #10 x 1-1/2" long Self Tapping Screws.

Engine Cable Connections:

Connect the Shift and Throttle Cables to the Shift and Throttle levers at the engine, following the instructions provided with the appropriate Connection Kit or with the engine.

9.4 Final Adjustments

Operate the Hand Lever several times. The Jet Gate should be FULLY OPEN or FULLY CLOSED before the carburetor arm leaves the Idle Stop. Adjust the Cable Terminal at the carburetor, if necessary, to obtain this result.

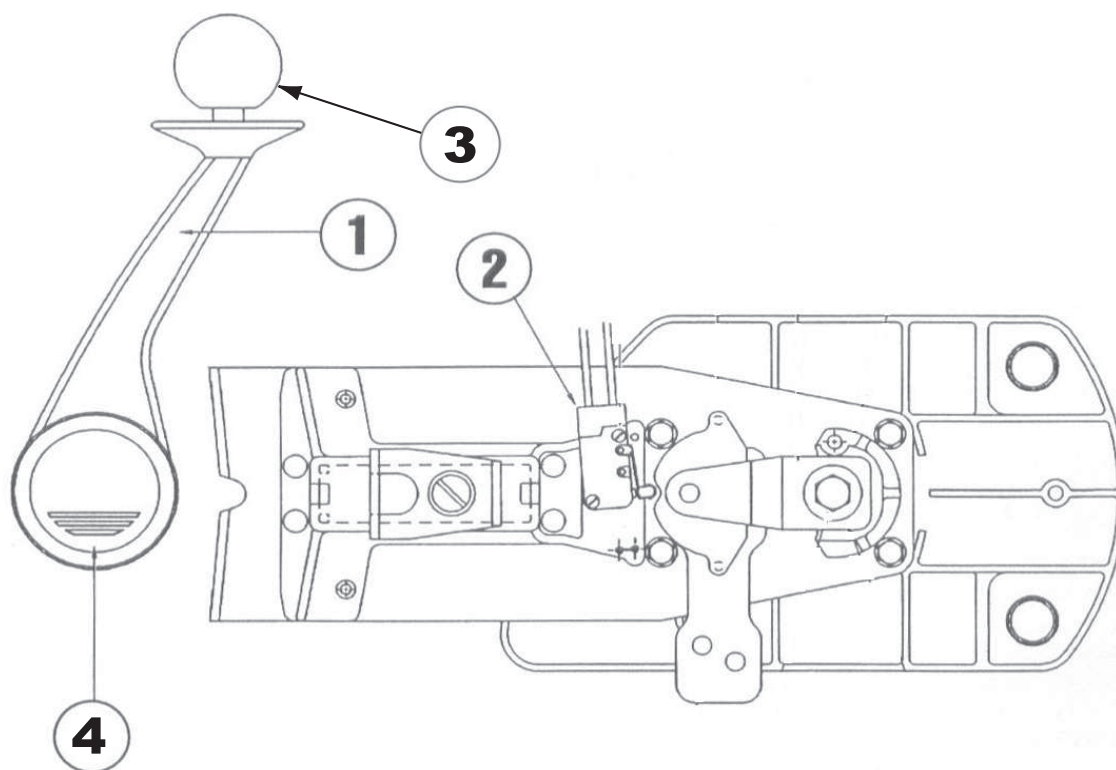
NOTICE

WHEN THE THROTTLE CABLE IS CORRECTLY ADJUSTED, THE ENGINE SPEED WILL REMAIN AT IDLE WHILE THE CONTROL IS SHIFTED AND WILL INCREASE ONLY AFTER THE GATE IS FULLY OPEN OR FULLY CLOSED.

MV-3 For Sport Boats

FOR INBOARDS AND OUTBOARDS

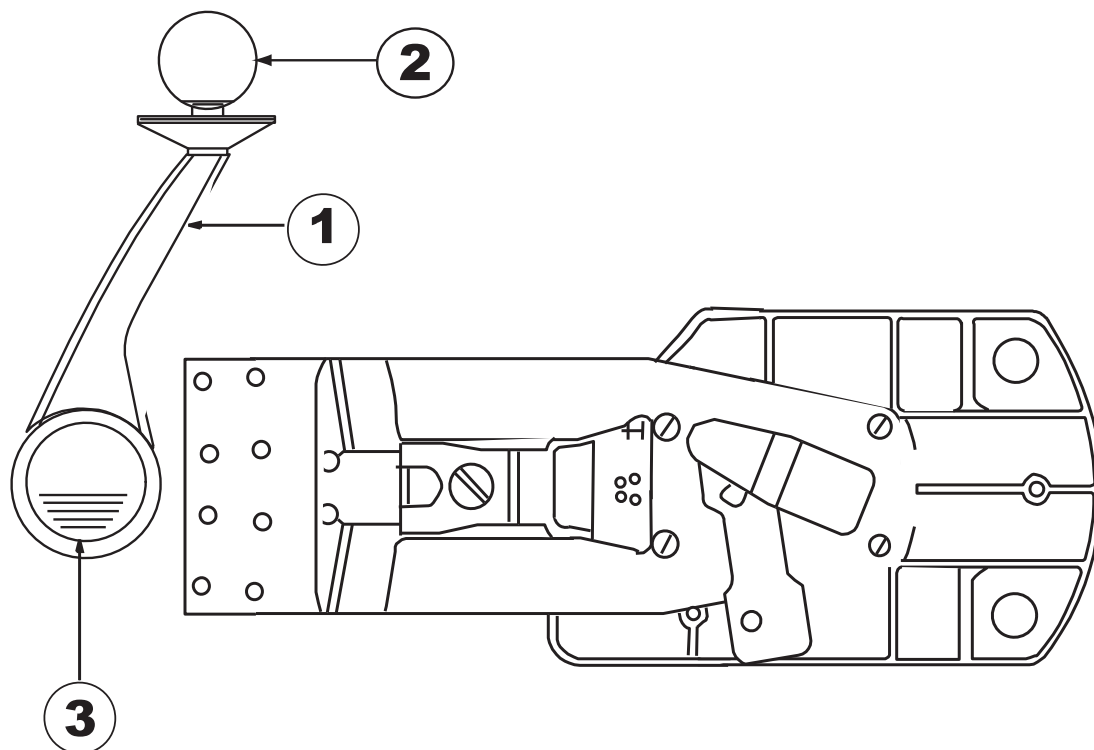
PARTS AVAILABLE



INBOARD & OUTBOARDS CONTROL		CONTROL MODEL NUMBER	ITEM PART
ITEM	DESCRIPTION	(See Page 4, Figure 2)	NUMBER
1	HAND LEVER ASSEMBLY WITH KNOB	ALL MODELS	311354
2	NEUTRAL SAFETY SWITCH - STANDARD	311364	300928
	N.S. SWITCH - IMMERSION PROOF	311508	51801-031
3	HAND LEVER BALL KIT	ALL MODELS	68287K
4	HUB INSERT	ALL MODELS	311352
5	MOUNTING HARDWARE (not shown)	ALL MODELS except 311508	311336
			311510

MV-3 For Berkeley Jets

PARTS AVAILABLE



ITEM	DESCRIPTION	CONTROL MODEL NUMBER (See Page 4, Figure 2)	ITEM PART NUMBER
1	HAND LEVER ASSEMBLY W/KNOB	311412 and 311413	311354
2	HAND LEVER BALL KIT	311412 and 311413	68287K
3	HUB INSERT	311412 and 311413	311352
4	MOUNTING HARDWARE (not shown)	311412 and 311413	311411
5	NEUTRAL SAFETY for BERKELEY	311412 and 311413	311453

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