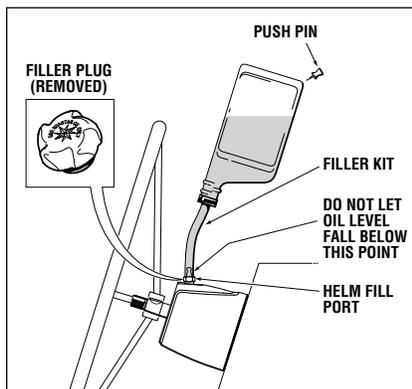


**HYDRAULIC FLUID****⚠ WARNING**

HA5430-1L, HA5440-1G, HA5458-5G.

**Optional Filler Kit**

Part# HA5438

**⚠ WARNING****⚠ WARNING****NOTICE****NOTICE**

**ANY NON-APPROVED FLUID MAY CAUSE SERIOUS DAMAGE TO THE STEERING SYSTEM RESULTING IN POSSIBLE LOSS OF STEERING, CAUSING PROPERTY DAMAGE, PERSONAL INJURY AND/OR DEATH.**

Due to recent upgrades in our steering system components, SeaStar Solutions recommends use of SeaStar Steering Fluid **ONLY** in our hydraulic steering systems. SeaStar Steering Systems have been engineered and validated using our proprietary SeaStar Hydraulic Steering Fluid. SeaStar Steering fluid is engineered with a special additive package that contains anti-foaming and anti-rusting agents, anti-oxidants, viscosity stabilizers, corrosion inhibitors, wear additives as well as water emulsification additives. It is highly recommended that SeaStar Steering Fluid be used to ensure optimum system performance and safety.

**Use of any non-approved fluid may result in the following;**

- Higher steering effort, particularly at ambient or lower temperatures and/or over time due to steering fluid degradation and breakdown
- Increased steering slip and/or drift resulting in lost motion
- Foaming or air entrapment causing a bumpy feel during steering
- High rates of moisture absorption causing internal component corrosion
- Scratched steering cylinder bores and shafts due to contamination or elevated wear rates
- Seal degradation – incompatibility with various proprietary seal compounds used in our products

In an emergency, SeaStar EPS Fluid, any MD-3/4 rated ATF or MIL-PRF-5606H equivalent fluid that is filtered through a fine mesh screen can be used. The system **MUST** be thoroughly flushed as soon as possible with genuine SeaStar Steering Fluid after using an emergency fluid.

In an **EXTREME** emergency, any non-toxic, non-flammable fluid that is filtered through a fine mesh screen may provide temporary steering.

**Use of non-standard fluids will require an immediate and complete system flush using approved fluids, by an approved steering technician.**

**NEVER FILL OR MIX BRAKE FLUIDS, TRIGLYCERIDES OR POLYALKYLENE GLYCOLS WITHIN A HYDRAULIC STEERING SYSTEM.**

*SeaStar Hydraulic Steering Fluid can be used in Hynautic, BayStar and BayStar Plus steering systems.*

*Help protect your boating environment by ensuring that all used steering fluid is disposed of properly.*