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QUICK START GUIDE

4750W GAS POWERED GENERATOR

MODEL 56475

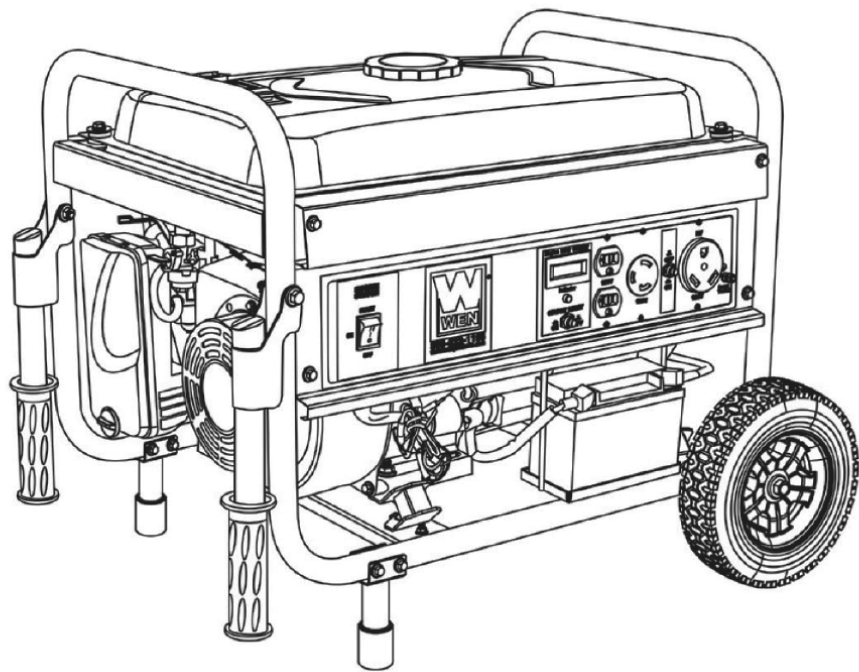
Rated Wattage: 3750W

Surge Wattage: 4750W

Rated Voltage: 120V

Frequency: 60Hz

Read the entire user manual before attempting to use the generator.



IMPORTANT:

⚠ DANGER: CARBON MONOXIDE. NEVER use a generator inside homes, garages, crawl spaces, or other partially enclosed areas. ONLY use a generator outside and far away from windows, doors, and vents.

⚠ WARNING: Do not operate near open flame. This generator may emit highly flammable and explosive gasoline vapors.

- Take out all accessories packaged underneath the generator.
- Add oil to crankcase before operating. Never tilt the generator to fill.
- Follow proper startup procedures. Read the user manual before operating.

PREPARING THE GENERATOR

Place the generator on a firm, level surface before proceeding.

1. ADD OIL

Engine crankcase oil capacity: 17 fl. oz.
Recommend using 30W, 4-stroke engine oil above 40° F

Remove the dipstick, add oil slowly to fill crank case to the bottom thread of the fill hole. Be careful not to overfill. **Never tilt the generator to fill, always keep it level.** Check for oil leaks and firmly tighten the dipstick.

Check oil level before each use. Add oil if oil level is below the bottom thread.

2. ADD GASOLINE

Fuel tank capacity: 4 gallons
Use fresh (within 30 days from purchase), lead-free gasoline with a minimum of 87 octane rating. **Never use an oil/gasoline mixture.**

Unscrew fuel cap. Slowly add unleaded gasoline and do not fill to the very top to allow for expansion. Reinstall fuel cap and wipe clean any spilled gasoline with a dry cloth.

Always turn off generator and allow to cool before refueling. Check for spilled fuel before operating. Avoid getting dirt or water into the fuel tank.

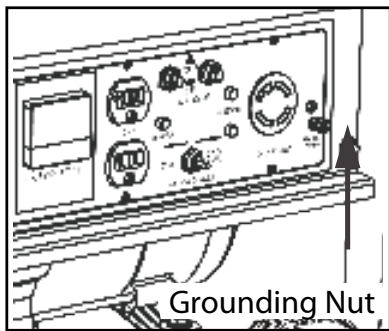
3. CONNECT THE BATTERY

Remove the protective covering from the free end of the negative battery cable. Attach it to the battery and secure the connection.

4. GROUND THE GENERATOR

For increased safety, tighten the grounding nut on the front control panel against a grounding wire and connect the other end to a copper, brass, or steel-grounding rod that is driven into the earth. A generally acceptable grounding wire is a No. 12 AWG (American Wire Gauge) stranded copper wire.

Grounding codes can vary by location.
Contact a local electrician to check the area codes.



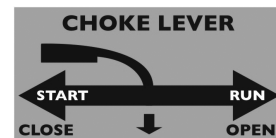
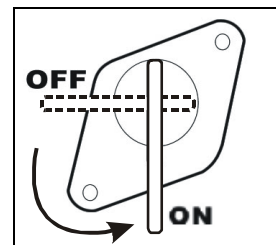
STARTING THE GENERATOR

1. CHECK

- Generator is properly grounded.
- Oil and fuel are filled to the right amount.
- No electrical device is plugged in.

2. PREPARE

- Turn the Fuel Valve to the "ON" position.
- Move the Choke Lever to the "CLOSE/START" position.
- Set the ON/OFF Switch to the "ON" position.



3. START ENGINE

Press the Engine Switch to the "START" position for 2-3 seconds then release switch. Repeat until engine starts.

FOR MANUAL START: pull on the recoil starter handle slowly until a slight resistance is felt, then pull quickly to start the engine. Return cord gently, never allowing the cord to snap back. **Do not pull the cord from underneath the panel.**

4. RUN ENGINE

Once the engine has started, slowly move the Choke Lever to "OPEN/RUN" position. Allow the engine to run for several minutes to stabilize speed before attempting to connect any electrical devices.

USING THE GENERATOR

1. PLUG IN

Plug in each electrical device. Make sure that the devices are turned off.

NOTE: The total running wattage of the generator's load should not exceed 3750W. An easy way to approximate your draw is that 1 amp equals roughly 120 watts. It is not recommended to draw more than 2400W from any single 120 volt receptacle.

2. CHECK

Check the overload light and power indicator light. If the overload light is on, disconnect the entire load, and press the power reset button before plugging the loads back in. If the reset button does not reset, wait several minutes and try again.

STOPPING THE GENERATOR

⚠ WARNING: Allow the generator to cool for several minutes before touching HOT areas.

1. TURN OFF

- Turn off all electrical devices and then unplug them from the generator.
- Turn the "ON/OFF" switch to the "OFF" position.
- Turn the Fuel Valve to the "OFF" (horizontal) position.

2. DRAIN CARBURETOR

Unscrew and drain the carburetor after each use. Store with a dry carburetor to make sure the generator can properly function next time.



STORING THE GENERATOR

⚠ CAUTION: Do not store fuel for more than 3 months.

FOR SHORT PERIODS OF TIME (30 TO 60 DAYS):

- Drain the carburetor.
- Add fuel stabilizer to the fuel tank half-way. Run the engine for 5-10 minutes allowing stabilized fuel mixture to circulate through the carburetor, then top off with fuel.

FOR EXTENDED PERIODS OF TIME:

- Drain the carburetor and fuel tank (see Draining the Fuel Tank on Manual page 24).
- Change oil (see Changing/Draining the Oil on Manual page 21).
- Disconnect the negative battery cable and cover free end with insulator
- Do not obstruct any ventilation openings.
- Keep the generator in a cool dry area.
- Place battery on a trickle charger to make sure battery is charged

Run generator once a month for 45 minutes. Plug in electrical devices and run for 10 minutes. Shut off the gas and drain gas from the fuel tank and carburetor.

**PLEASE REMOVE ALL ACCESSORIES PACKAGED UNDERNEATH
THE GENERATOR BEFORE DISCARDING THIS BOX.**



**TO MAXIMIZE THE LIFESPAN OF THE GENERATOR,
MAKE SURE TO FOLLOW THESE THREE SIMPLE RULES:**

- 1. Drain the carburetor after every use.**
- 2. Run the generator at least once a month.**
- 3. Do not store the generator for extended periods
with fuel inside the gas tank.**