2014 Cowboy Classic
Agricultural Technology and Mechanical Systems
Energy Systems – Small Gas Engine Skill

You are in your junior year of high school and just prior to the summer, you started your own lawn care and landscape Maintenance Company. As a result of the generosity of a retired landscaper in the community, you have received the equipment necessary to start your business in exchange for lawn services at his home. In addition to the standard lawn service equipment you were given, you received a 300-gallon skid sprayer for lawn pesticide applications. All of the equipment has been out of service, so the first thing you must do is provide seasonal maintenance to the machinery (Show all work in standard measurement units)

At Station 1, In order to obtain the proper specifications from the repair manual you must first identify the specific model, type, and code for your engine.

Model: ___________ Type: ___________ Code: ___________

1. At station 2, Using the tools provided, determine the cylinder displacement (CD) for the cylinder provided. The answer must be expressed in cubic inches (Show all work). 5 Pts.

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CD = \frac{\pi \times Bore^2 \times Stroke}{4}
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Bore = ___________ Stroke = ___________

2. At station 3, check the Piston Ring end gap to determine if the ring needs to be replaced. 4 Pts.

Piston ring end gap measurement ___________ Reject? YES NO

3. At station 4 and 5, Check the armature gap and spark plug gap. 4 Pts. Ea.

Armature gap_________ Reject? YES NO
Spark plug gap_________ Reject? YES NO

Tool and Part ID – 10 Pts.

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Questions (1 & 2) | 17 | |
Matching | 10 | |
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