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Section 0 Introduction

0.4 Scope

The following information is necessary to carry out the service, maintenance, and inspection of the Cargo Hook Swing Suspension System Retrofit Kit P/N 200-286-01.

0.5 Purpose

The purpose of this Instructions for Continued Airworthiness (ICA) manual is to provide the information necessary to inspect, service, and maintain in an airworthy condition the P/N 200-286-01 Cargo Hook Swing Suspension System Retrofit Kit.

0.6 Arrangement

This manual contains instructions for the service, maintenance, inspection and operation of the Cargo Hook Swing Suspension System Retrofit Kit P/N 200-286-01 on Airbus Helicopters Model AS350 series helicopters. The manual is arranged in the general order that maintenance personnel would use to maintain and operate the Cargo Hook Swing Suspension System in service.

The arrangement is:

Section 0 Introduction.

Section 4 Airworthiness limitations (None apply to this system.)

Section 5 Inspection and overhaul schedule

Section 11 Placards and Markings

Section 12 Servicing

Section 25 Equipment and Furnishings

0.7 Applicability

These Instructions for Continued Airworthiness are applicable to Cargo Hook Swing Suspension System Retrofit Kits P/N 200-286-01 (with Cargo Hook P/N 528-023-01) for the Airbus Helicopters AS350 Series Helicopters. Refer to the appropriate Airbus Helicopters maintenance documentation for instructions regarding parts of the aircraft that interface with these kits.

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0.9 Abbreviations

FAA Federal Aviation Administration

FAR Federal Aviation Regulation

ICA Instructions for Continued Airworthiness

0.12 Precautions

The following definitions apply to precaution flags used in this manual.



Indicates a hazardous situation which, if not avoided, will result in death or serious injury.



Indicates a hazardous situation which, if not avoided, could result in death or serious injury.



Indicates a hazardous situation which, if not avoided, could result in minor or moderate injury.



Draws the reader's attention to important or unusual information not directly related to safety.



Used to address practices not related to personal injury.

0.19 Distribution of Instructions for Continued Airworthiness

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Section 4

Airworthiness Limitations

4.2 No airworthiness limitations

The Airworthiness Limitations section is FAA approved and specifies inspections and other maintenance required under Secs. 43.16 and 91.403 of the Federal Aviation Regulations unless an alternative program has been FAA approved.

No airworthiness limitations are associated with this type design change.

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Section 5

Inspection and Overhaul Schedule

5.1 Cargo Hook Swing Suspension System Inspection

The scheduled inspection intervals noted below are maximums and are not to be exceeded. If the system is subjected to unusual circumstances, extreme environmental conditions, etc., it is the responsibility of the operator to perform the inspections more frequently to ensure proper operation.

Annually or 100 hours of external load operations, whichever comes first, inspect the cargo hook swing suspension system per the following.



Hours of external load operations should be interpreted to be (1) anything is attached to the primary cargo hook (whether or not a useful load is being transported) and (2) the aircraft is flying. If these conditions are **NOT** met, time does **NOT** need to be tracked.

1. Activate the electrical system and press the Cargo Release button to ensure the cargo hook electrical release system is operating correctly. The cargo hook must release. Reset the hook by hand after release. If the hook does not release or re-latch, do not use the unit until the problem is fixed.

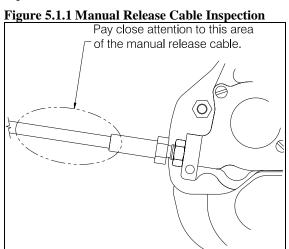


Depressing the electrical release button continuously in excess of 20 seconds will cause the cargo hook release solenoid to overheat, possibly causing permanent damage.

- 2. Activate the manual release system by pulling the release lever on the collective in the cockpit. The mechanism should operate smoothly and the cargo hook must release. Reset the hook by hand after release. If the hook does not release or re-latch, do not use the unit until the problem is resolved.
- 3. Visually inspect for corrosion on the exterior of cargo hook, load cell and swing suspension components.
- 4. Move the cargo hook and the swing suspension throughout their full ranges of motion and observe the manual release cable, electrical harnesses, and ground strap to ensure that they have enough slack. The release cable, harnesses, and ground strap must not be the stops that prevent the cargo hook or suspension from moving freely in all directions.

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- 5. Swing the cargo hook and the swing suspension and ensure all pivot points rotate freely without binding.
- 6. Visually inspect for presence and security of fasteners and electrical connections.
- 7. Visually inspect the external wire harnesses for damage, chafing and security.
- 8. Visually inspect the manual release cable for damage, paying close attention to the flexible conduit at the area of transition to the cargo hook end fitting (refer to Figure 5.1.1). Inspect for splitting of the outer black conduit in this area and separation of the conduit from the steel end fitting.

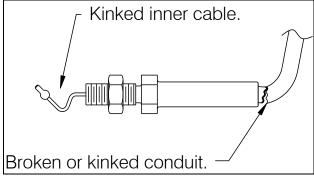


9. Remove the manual release cover from the cargo hook and inspect the visible section of the inner cable for kinks or frays.



Manual release cables are wearable items and must be replaced as condition requires. Broken or kinked conduit, inner cable kinks (ref Figure 5.1.2), frays, or sticky operation are each cause for immediate replacement.



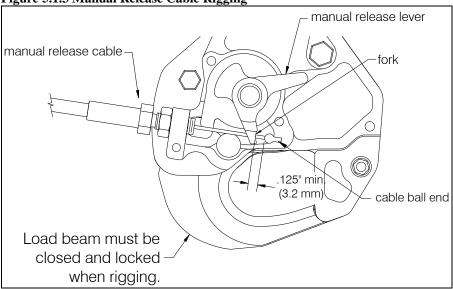


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10. Remove the manual release cover from the cargo hook. With the cargo hook closed and locked, rotate the release lever in the clockwise direction to remove free play (this is felt as the lever rotates relatively easily for several degrees as the free play is taken up) and measure the gap between the cable ball end and the release lever fork with the manual release lever in the cockpit in the non-release position. This gap should be a minimum of .125 inches (3.2 mm) as shown in Figure 5.1.3.

If the gap does not measure at least .125", make adjustments at the cargo hook or at the manual release lever on the collective. Adjustments at the hook are done by disconnecting the manual release cable at the interface with the fixed manual release cable, loosening the jam nut, and rotating the manual release cable in the required direction.





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- 11. Verify calibration of the load cell by lifting a load of known weight (see applicable Owner's Manual for instructions).
- 12. Visually inspect the cargo hook and swing frame assembly bumpers for damage and security.
- 13. Visually inspect for cracks in suspension frame. Pay special attention to the areas around the welds. The frame tubes contain a corrosion preventative compound, which may leak out through a crack and provide an indication. At any sign of cracking, remove and replace discrepant part.
- 14. Inspect suspension cables for broken strands. Pass a cloth over the cables. This will clean the cables for a visual inspection and detect broken wires if the cloth snags on the cable. Ten randomly distributed broken strands in one cable lay (one complete rotation around the wire) or five broken strands in one strand in cable rope lay are considered unacceptable.

If fuel drain guard (included with kits shipped after August 2010) is installed perform the following.

- 15. Inspect all fuel drain guard parts for corrosion, gouges, nicks, and dents. If depth of corrosion pits, gouges, nicks, or dents exceed .060", remove and replace damaged part(s).
- 16. Inspect Guard for damage that causes lever to bind or rub. Remove and replace Guard if it is obstructing free operation of lever.
- 17. Inspect for fuel leakage. If leakage is noted, re-apply sealant to Retainer as described in Section 25. Refer to Airbus Helicopters maintenance instructions for other possible causes.

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Every 1000 hours of external load operations or 5 years, whichever comes first, inspect the cargo hook swing suspension system per the following.

Remove the suspension assembly from the helicopter (see section 25.17).

Remove the Shackle Assemblies from the helicopter hard points. Bushings do not need to be pressed out unless they need to be replaced, see Table 5.1.6 for replacement criteria.

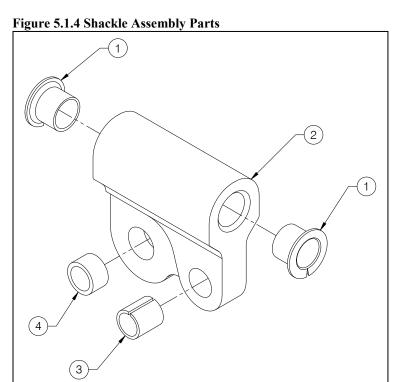


Table 5.1.1 Shackle Assembly Parts

Item	Part No.	Description	Qty
1	517-047-00	Bushing	2
2	290-850-00	Shackle	1
3	517-016-00	Bushing	1
4	290-750-00	Bushing	1

Disassemble and inspect the component parts per the following instructions.

Remove the suspension cable assemblies from the swing frame (not shown in figure below) by removing the cotter pin (item 6), nut (item 5) washer (item 4) and sliding out the bolt (item 7). Remove the remaining washer and the Standoff Bushings (item 9).

Separate the Gimbal Assembly (item 8) from the Fork Fitting (item 1A) by removing the cotter pin (item 6), nut (item 5), washer (item 4) and bolt (item 3).

Figure 5.1.5 Cable Assembly Parts

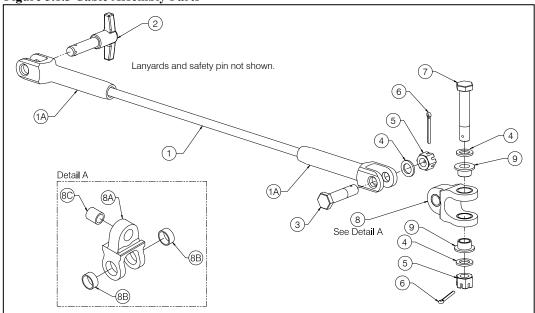


Table 5.1.2 Cable Assembly Parts

Item	Part No.	Description	Qty
1	232-178-00	Aft Attach Cable Assembly	1
	232-177-00	Fwd Attach Cable Assembly	1
1A	290-849-00	Fork Fitting	2
2	290-851-00	Quick Release Pin	1
3	510-438-00	Bolt	1
4	510-221-00	Washer	3
5	510-440-00	3/8" Castellated Nut	2
6	510-178-00	Cotter Pin	2
7	510-439-00	Bolt	1
8	232-142-00	Lower Attach Gimbal Assembly	1
8A	290-746-00	Gimbal	1
8B	517-048-00	Bushing	2
8C	517-016-00	Bushing	1
9	290-749-00	Standoff Bushing	2

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1. At each foot of the swing frame remove the nut (item 4) and the bolt (item 3) that secure the rod end fittings.

Figure 5.1.6 Strut/Frame Disassembly

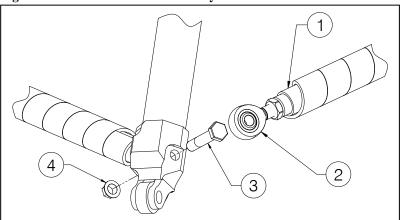


Table 5.1.3 Strut/Frame Assembly Parts

Item	Part No.	Description	Qty (total)
1	235-116-00	Frame Strut	2
2	517-055-00	Rod End Fitting	4
3	510-762-00	Bolt	4
4	510-104-00	Nut	4

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- 1. Remove the cotter pin (item 10) and the nut (item 7) from the frame assembly.
- 2. Remove the Shaft Cap (item 3).
- 3. Slide the frame weldment (item 1) off of the Pivot Shaft (item 2).
- 4. Remove the Pivot Shaft from the opposite frame weldment and remove the Thrust Washers (item 6), Bumper (item 9), Shaft Cap (item 3), and Bolt (item 8). Be sure to support the Cargo Hook/Load Cell assembly during this step.

Figure 5.1.7 Upper Gimbal Disassembly

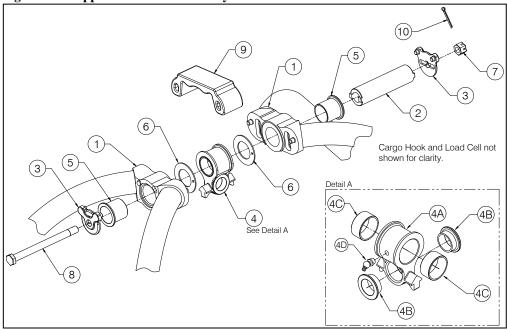


Table 5.1.4 Upper Gimbal Assembly Parts

Item	Part No.	Description	Qty
1	235-117-00	Swing Frame Weldment	2
2	290-842-00	Pivot Shaft	1
3	290-843-00	Shaft Cap	2
4	232-143-01	Gimbal Assembly	1
4A	290-841-00	Gimbal	1
4B	517-046-00	Flange Bushing	2
4C	517-056-00	Bushing	2
4D	518-003-00	Grease Fitting	1
5	517-057-00	Flange Bushing	2
6	517-058-00	Thrust Washer	2
7	510-440-00	Nut	1
8	510-506-00	Bolt	1
9	290-862-00	Bumper	1
10	510-178-00	Cotter Pin	1

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- 1. Remove the cotter pin (item 6), nut (item 5), washer (item 4), thrust washer (item 2) and remove the bolt (item 1) and other thrust washer.
- 2. Slide the Shaft (item 3) out to separate the Load Cell Assembly (item 9) from the Gimbal.
- 3. Cut ty-wraps that secure the electrical harnesses to the Bumper (item 13) and separate the Cargo Hook (item 14) and Bumper from the Load Cell Assembly by removing the Cotter Pin (item 12), nut (item 11), washers (items 8 and 10) and Attach Bolt (item 7).

Table 5.1.5 Load Cell/Gimbal Assembly Parts

Item	Part No.	Description	Qty
1	510-443-00	Bolt	1
2	290-740-00	Thrust Washer	2
3	290-739-00	Gimbal Shaft	1
4	510-220-00	Washer	1
5	510-320-00	Nut	1
6	510-115-00	Cotter Pin	1
7	290-775-00	Attach Bolt	1
8	510-183-00	Washer	2
9	210-249-03*	Load Cell Assembly	1
10	510-174-00	Washer	1
11	510-170-00	Nut	1
12	510-178-00	Cotter Pin	1
13	290-774-00	Bumper	1
14	528-023-01	Cargo Hook	1

^{*} Supersedes P/Ns 210-249-00, 210-199-01 and 210-199-00. These P/Ns are interchangeable.

Return the Load Cell Assembly (P/N 210-199-00, 210-199-01, 210-249-00, or 210-249-03) to the factory for inspection and calibration. The factory will inspect the condition of the load cell and perform acceptance test procedures including calibration and zero balance, repairing as necessary.

In addition, carefully inspect, and if necessary repair or replace, the detail parts in accordance with the instructions in Table 5.1.6. Inspect the parts in a clean, well-lit room.

Overhaul Kit P/N 212-040-00 is recommended to use for re-assembly of the swing suspension. The overhaul kit contains fasteners, bushings and other recommended items to be replaced. The cargo hook has its own Overhaul Kit, refer to its CMM.

Table 5.1.6 Suspension System Inspection Criteria

Component	Damage Permitted without	Repair	Maximum Damage which Causes
_	Repair	_	Replacement
Bushing	These bushings have a Teflon	None.	If copper is visible over more than 50% of the
P/N 517-047-00	type film overlaid on a layer of		bushing wear area, remove and replace the
(item 1, Figure 5.1.4)	sintered copper. Teflon film still		bushing.
	covers more than 50% of the		
	bushing wear area.		
Shackle	Dents, gouges, scratches, and	Blend at 20:1 ratio, length to depth, to	Dents, gouges and scratches greater than .020"
P/N 290-850-00	corrosion less than .010" deep.	provide smooth transitions.	deep.
(item 2, Figure 5.1.4)			
		Protect affected surfaces with MIL-PRF-	Cracks.
		23377 Type 1 epoxy primer or equivalent	
		and MIL-PRF-85285 Type 1 polyurethane	
		coating or equivalent.	
Bushing	Teflon film still covers more than	None.	If copper is visible over more than 50% of the
P/N 517-016-00	50% of the bushing wear area.		bushing wear area, remove and replace the
(item 3, Figure 5.1.4)			bushing.

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Table 5.1.6 Suspension System Inspection Criteria continued

Component	Damage Permitted without	Repair	Maximum Damage which Causes
	Repair		Replacement
Fork End Fitting P/N 290-849-00	Wear on inside diameter of lug holes, diameter less than .397".	None.	Wear on inside diameter of clevis holes, diameter greater than .397".
(item 1A, Figure 5.1.5)	Dents, gouges, and scratches less than .020" deep outside lug areas.	Blend at 20:1 ratio, length to depth, to provide smooth transitions.	Dents, gouges, and scratches greater than .030" deep outside lug areas.
	Dents, gouges, and scratches less than .010" deep around lugs.		Dents, gouges, and scratches greater than .020" deep around lugs.
			Cracks.
Quick Release Pin P/N 290-851-00	Wear on outside diameter, diameter greater than .362".	None.	Wear on outside diameter, diameter less than .362".
(item 2, Figure 5.1.5).			Cracks.
Gimbal P/N 290-746-00	Dents, gouges, and scratches less than .010" deep.	Blend at 20:1 ratio, length to depth, to provide smooth transitions.	Dents, gouges, and scratches greater than .020" deep.
(item 8A, Figure 5.1.5)			Cracks.
Bushing P/N 517-048-00 (item 8B, Figure 5.1.5)	Teflon film still covers more than 50% of the bushing wear area.	None.	If copper is visible over more than 50% of the bushing wear area, remove and replace the bushing.
Bushing P/N 517-016-00 (item 8C, Figure 5.1.5)	Teflon film still covers more than 50% of the bushing wear area.	None.	If copper is visible over more than 50% of the bushing wear area, remove and replace the bushing.
Standoff Bushing P/N 290-749-00 (item 9, Figure 5.1.5)	Wear on shoulder diameter, diameter greater than .487".	None.	Wear on shoulder diameter, diameter less than .487".

Table 5.1.6 Suspension System Inspection Criteria continued

Component	Damage Permitted without	Repair	Maximum Damage which Causes
	Repair		Replacement
Frame Strut P/N 235-116-00 (item 1, Figure 5.1.6)	Dents, gouges, and scratches less than .010" deep.	Blend at 20:1 ratio, length to depth, to provide smooth transitions. Protect affected surfaces with MIL-PRF-23377 Type 1 epoxy primer or equivalent	Dents, gouges and scratches greater than .020" deep. Cracks.
		and MIL-PRF-85285 Type 1 polyurethane coating or equivalent.	
Rod End Fitting P/N 517-055-00	Wear on or elongation of inside diameter of spherical bearing,	None.	Wear on or elongation of inside diameter of spherical bearing, diameter greater than .330".
(item 2, Figure 5.1.6)	diameter less than .330". Dents, gouges, corrosion and		Dents, gouges, corrosion and scratches greater than .020" deep.
	scratches less than .020" deep.		Binding of spherical bearing in its housing.
Swing Frame Weldment	Dents, gouges, scratches, and corrosion less than .010" deep.	Blend at 20:1 ratio, length to depth, to provide smooth transitions.	Dents, gouges and scratches greater than .020" deep.
P/N 235-117-00 (item 1, Figure 5.1.7)		Protect affected surfaces (as noted above for P/N 235-116-00).	Cracks.
	Bent lateral tube, gap measured alongside a straight edge is less than or equal to .35" (see sketch below).	None.	Bent lateral tube, gap measured alongside a straight edge greater than .35" (see sketch below).
		.35 in (9 mm) max.	

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Table 5.1.6 Suspension System Inspection Criteria continued

Component	Damage Permitted without	Repair	Maximum Damage which Causes
	Repair		Replacement
Pivot Shaft	Wear on outside diameter,	None.	Wear on outside diameter, diameter less than
P/N 290-842-00	diameter greater than .990".		.990".
(item 2, Figure 5.1.7).			
			Cracks.
Shaft Cap	Dents, gouges, and scratches less	Blend at 20:1 ratio, length to depth, to	Dents, gouges, and scratches greater than .060"
P/N 290-843-00	than .030" deep.	provide smooth transitions.	deep.
(item 3, Figure 5.1.7)			
		Part is 15-5 stainless steel, no touch up	Cracks
		paint required.	
Gimbal,	Dents, gouges, and scratches less	Blend at 20:1 ratio, length to depth, to	Dents, gouges, and scratches greater than .020"
P/N 290-841-00	than .010" deep.	provide smooth transitions.	deep.
(item 4A, Figure 5.1.7).			Cracks.
Bushing	Teflon film still covers more than	None.	If copper is visible over more than 50% of the
P/N 517-046-00	50% of the bushing wear area.		bushing wear area, remove and replace the
(item 4B, Figure 5.1.7)			bushing.
Bushing	Teflon film still covers more than	None.	If copper is visible over more than 50% of the
P/N 517-056-00	50% of the bushing wear area.		bushing wear area, remove and replace the
(item 4C, Figure 5.1.7)			bushing.
Flange Bushing	Teflon film still covers more than	None.	If copper is visible over more than 50% of the
P/N 517-057-00	50% of the bushing wear area.		bushing wear area, remove and replace the
(item 5, Figure 5.1.7).	-		bushing.
Thrust Washer	Teflon film still covers more than	None.	If copper is visible over more than 50% of the
P/N 517-058-00	50% of the wear area (the wear		washer wear area, remove and replace the
(item 6, Figure 5.1.7)	area is the side which faces the		washer.
	Gimbal Assembly).		
Bumper	Gouges and scratches less than	None.	Gouges and scratches greater than .060" deep.
P/N 290-862-00	.060" deep.		Splitting.
(item 9, Figure 5.1.7).			Spirmig.

Table 5.1.6 Suspension System Inspection Criteria continued

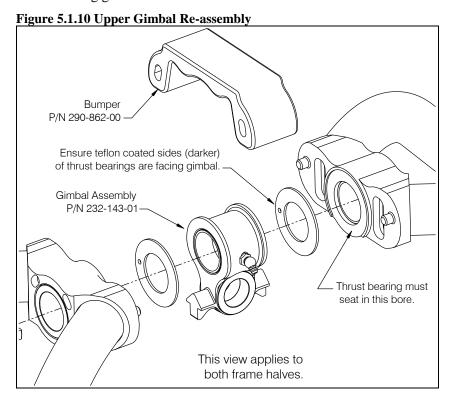
Component	Damage Permitted without Repair	Repair	Maximum Damage which Causes
Gimbal Shaft, P/N 290-739-00 Item 3 (Figure 5.1.8).	Wear on outside diameter, diameter greater than .732".	None.	Replacement Wear on outside diameter, diameter less than .732". Cracks.
Attach Bolt, P/N 290-775-00 (Item 7, Figure 5.1.8).	Wear on outside diameter, diameter at or greater than .495".	None.	Wear on outside diameter, diameter less than .495". Cracks.
Load Cell Assembly P/N 210-249-03 or P/N 210-249-00 or P/N 210-199-01 or P/N 210-199-00 Or Link Assembly P/N 232-436-00 or P/N 232-436-01. (item 9, Figure 5.1.8)	Dents, gouges, and scratches less than .010" deep in the load link.	Blend at 20:1 ratio, length to depth, to provide smooth transitions. Part is 15-5 stainless steel, no touch up paint required.	Dents, gouges, and scratches greater than .020" deep in the load link. Cracks.
	Wear on inside diameter of upper lugs, diameter less than .759".	None	Wear on inside diameter of upper lugs, diameter greater than .759".
	Dents, gouges, and scratches less than .030" deep in the covers.	Blend at 20:1 ratio, length to depth, to provide smooth transitions. Protect affected surfaces with MIL-PRF-23377 Type 1 epoxy primer or equivalent.	Dents, gouges, and scratches greater than .060" deep in the covers.
Bumper, P/N 290-774-00 (item 13, Figure 5.1.8)	Gouges less than .060" deep.	None.	Gouges greater than .060" deep.
Threaded fasteners	N/A	It is recommended to replace the self-locking nuts (item 4, Figure 5.1.6).	Wear, corrosion or deterioration.

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Swing Frame Re-assembly

Re-assemble the suspension frame per the following (refer to Figures 5.1.6, 5.1.7, 5.1.8, 5.1.9 and Figure 5.1.10 below).

- 1. If replacing bushings press in replacement bushings with wet zinc chromate primer (TTP1757-1CY is recommended) applied to the inside diameter of the mating hole.
- 2. Insert Pivot Shaft (P/N 290-842-00) through one bushing, thrust washer* (P/N 517-058-00), Gimbal Assembly, thrust washer* (P/N 517-058-00) and through second frame half bushing.
 - * Ensure Teflon impregnated wear surfaces (darker sides) of thrust washers are facing gimbal.



- 3. Rotate the pivot shaft so that the raised "keys" at each end are horizontal.
- 4. Align the rod ends to seat in the pockets of the frame feet.
- 5. Before fully seating and securing the frame halves together install the bumper (P/N 290-862-00) and insert the rod ends of the frame struts into the slots at each of the 4 frame feet.
- 6. Capture each end of pivot shaft with Shaft Caps (P/N 290-843-00) and install bolt (P/N 510-506-00), and nut (P/N 510-440-00). Ensure that the rod ends are aligned with the holes in both feet.
- 7. Torque the nut to 20 ft-lbs. Rotate the nut to the next castellation if necessary to insert cotter pin, not to exceed 30 ft-lbs.
- 8. Install and secure cotter pin (P/N 510-178-00).

- 9. Secure rod ends to frame feet with bolt (P/N 510-762-00) and nut (P/N 510-104-00). Torque to 8 - 12 ft-lbs.
- 10. Ensure the rod ends at each end of the frame struts are parallel, i.e.- the rod ends should be able to be rotated within the limits of the pockets in the frame feet. If necessary loosen a jam nut, rotate the strut so the tightened rod end is against the pocket, rotate other rod end in the same direction (to be parallel), and tighten its jam nut.
- 11. Slide Load Cell Assembly* over Gimbal Assembly, align holes, and then insert Gimbal Shaft (P/N 290-739-00) through. Place Shaft Retaining Bushings (P/N 290-740-00) over each end of Gimbal Shaft, insert bolt (P/N 510-443-00) through, and secure with washer (P/N 510-220-00) and nut (510-Tighten nut to 60-70 in-lbs and rotate to next castellation if necessary to insert cotter pin.

CAUTION

The Load Cell Assembly must pivot freely about its upper attach point independently of the bolt (P/N 510-443-00) and nut, back the nut off to previous castellation if necessary to achieve this.

*Note the orientation of Load Cell Assembly with respect to Cargo Hook in Figure 5.1.9, Cargo Hook load beam must point to the left when installed on the aircraft.

- 12. Slide the Bumper over the Cargo Hook, align the holes and insert the Attach Bolt (P/N 290-775-00) through a washer (P/N 510-183-00) and then through the Bumper and Cargo Hook.
- 13. Place a washer (P/N 510-183-00) over the shoulder of the Attach Bolt and a second washer (P/N 510-174-00) over the threaded portion and secure with nut (P/N 510-170-00). Tighten nut finger tight only until fully seated and if necessary back off to previous castellation to insert cotter pin (P/N 510-178-
- 14. Attach the Cable Assemblies (the shorter Cable Assemblies are attached to the forward frame feet) to the frame feet with hardware as illustrated in Figure 5.1.5. Tighten nuts to 95-110 in-lbs and rotate to next castellation if necessary to insert cotter pin. Ensure each Cable Assembly pivots freely on frame foot and the bolt does not rotate.

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5.2 Cargo Hook Overhaul Schedule

Time Between Overhaul (TBO) for the cargo hook: 1000 hours of external load operations or 5 years, whichever comes first.



For purposes of TBO, hours of external load operations should be interpreted to be (1) anything is attached to the primary cargo hook (whether or not a useful load is being transported) and (2) the aircraft is flying. If these conditions are NOT met, time does NOT need to be tracked.

Overhaul instructions for the cargo hook are contained in Component Maintenance Manual 122-005-00. Contact Onboard Systems for guidance to locate authorized overhaul facilities.

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Section 11 **Placards and Markings**

11.1 Placards

The 200-286-01 Cargo Hook Swing Suspension System Retrofit Kits include the following placards shown in Table 11.1.

Table 11.1 Cargo Hook Suspension System Placards				
Placard part number	Location			
and appearance				
P/N 215-166-00	Located on the belly of the aircraft near the			
WARNING	cargo hook suspension in clear view of the ground support personnel.			
MAX HOOK LOAD				
3086 LB (1400 KG)				
or P/N 215-168-00				
AWARNING				
EXTERNAL LOAD LIMIT 2557 LB (1160 KG)				
dependent on the model of AS350 on which the system is installed.				
P/N 215-271-00 A WARNING Frame may contact fuel drain lever during use. Use fuel drain guard to prevent inadvertent loss of fuel.	Located on the swing suspension frame near the serial number plate.			
P/N 215-272-00 AWARNING AWARNING	Located on the manual release cable, near the cargo hook.			
Route to avoid strain Rig with proper free play Replace as condition requires (See reverse) See manual for complete instructions				
One Side Opposite Side				

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Section 12 Servicing

12.2 Lubrication Information

Lubrication of the Cargo Hook Swing Suspension system is required every 500 hours of operation. To obtain maximum life under severe duty conditions such as logging or seismic work, it is recommended to lubricate the Swing Suspension every 250 hours. Recommended types of lubricants are AeroShell 17 (MIL-G-21164) or Mobilgrease 28 (MIL-G-81322).

Lubricate the Cargo Hook Swing Suspension at points noted in Figure 12.1 and 12.2.

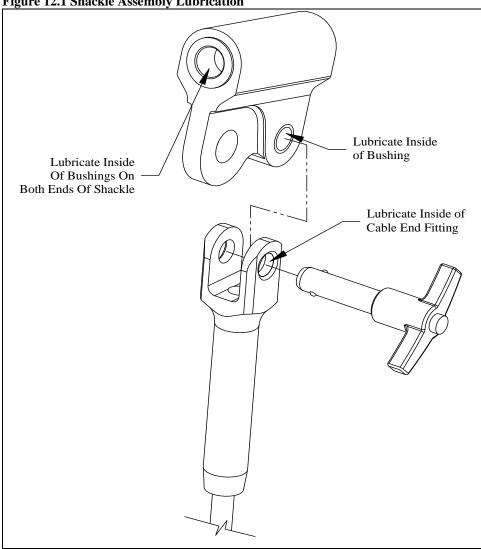
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12.2 Lubrication Information, continued

Shackle Assembly Lubrication

Remove the Shackle Assemblies from the aircraft hard points and lubricate them and the mating fittings on the suspension cables as shown in Figure 12.1. This applies to all four Shackle Assemblies on the helicopter.



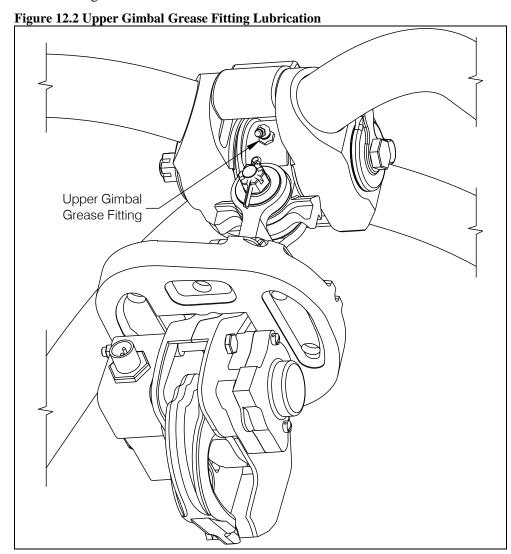


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12.2 Lubrication Information, continued

Upper Gimbal Grease Fitting

Lubricate Upper Gimbal Assembly at the grease fitting located as shown in Figure 12.2. You may have to rotate the hook slightly to access the grease fitting.



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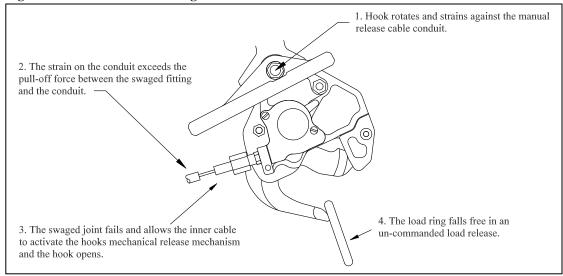
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Equipment and Furnishings



Un-commanded cargo hook release will happen if the manual release cable is improperly restrained. The cable must not be the stops that prevent the Cargo Hook from swinging freely in all directions. If the Cargo Hook loads cause the hook to strain against the manual release cable the swaged end of the cable may separate allowing the inner cable to activate the cargo hook manual release mechanism. The result is an un-commanded release. Ensure that no combination of collective stick or Cargo Hook position is restrained by the manual release cable.

Figure 25.1 Un-commanded Cargo Hook Release



25.1 Cargo Hook Connector

Listed below is the pin out for the cargo hook connector.

Table 25.1 Cargo Hook Connector

Pin	Function
A	Ground
В	Positive

25.2 Description

The P/N 200-286-01 Swing Retrofit Kit is a conversion kit for AS350 operators with an existing Airbus Helicopters cargo hook swing system. This kit utilizes some of the existing system's fixed components, i.e. – those which are compatible. These components include the fixed manual release cable, miscellaneous supporting brackets and miscellaneous hardware.

The Cargo Hook Swing Suspension System Retrofit Kit consists of four primary subsystems, these are the Swing Suspension Assembly, Manual Release System, Electrical Release System, and Load Weighing System.

The Swing Suspension Assembly is attached to hard points and suspended below the belly of the helicopter by its four cable assemblies. The cable assemblies are attached to a frame, which supports the cargo hook and a load cell through a gimbal (ref. Figure 25.2).

The Electrical Release System provides a means to release a cargo hook load through the use of an existing switch in the cockpit.

The Manual Release Cable System consists of a removable adapter cable that connects the cargo hook to the existing Airbus Helicopters fixed manual release cable. This system provides an additional means to release a cargo hook load.

The Load Weigh System consists of an indicator mounted within the cockpit, the load cell on the suspension, and associated wiring.

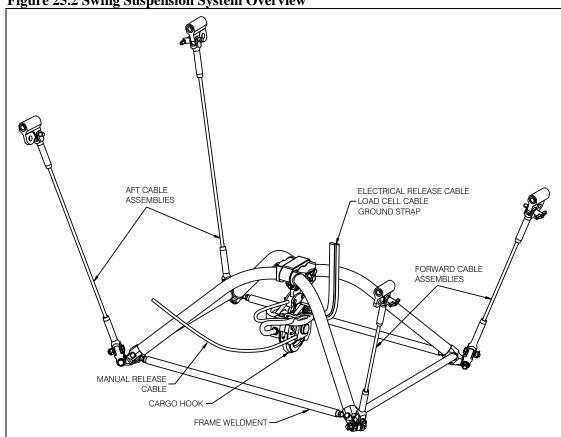


Figure 25.2 Swing Suspension System Overview

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25.2 Description continued

The Fuel Drain Guard protects the fuel drain valve on AS350 helicopters from accidentally being opened. The fuel drain valve is located on the bottom of the fuel tank and extends below the belly of the helicopter. This location makes it vulnerable to damage or un-commanded fuel drainage on helicopters equipped with a cargo hook swing suspension. The most common occurrence of the cargo hook swing suspension striking the fuel drain valve happens when the helicopter lands on snow or on uneven terrain. The swing suspension has limited ground clearance and when the skid gear sinks into the snow, the swing suspension is pushed upward into the fuel drain valve, opening it and causing fuel to drain. The fuel drain valve can also be opened in flight by the swing suspension flying vertically due to aerodynamics when ferrying with no load or from recoil effects from releasing large cargo hook loads.

The Fuel Drain Guard provides mechanical protection for the fuel drain valve to prevent accidental contact while interfacing with Airbus Helicopters' existing valve, lever and control cable. The kit includes a Bracket, which replaces Airbus Helicopters' bracket and provides an optimized mounting point for the control cable.

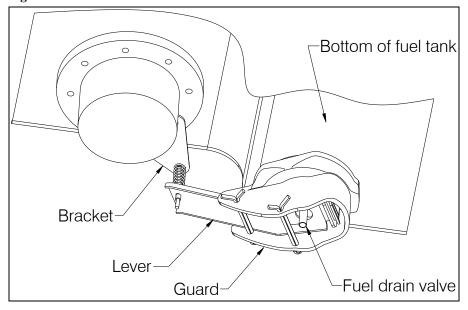


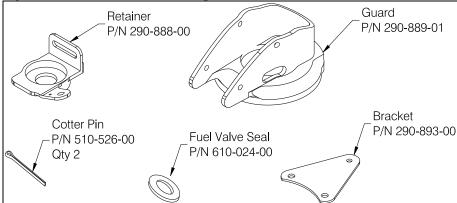
Figure 25.3 Fuel Drain Guard Overview

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25.2 Description continued

Figure 25.4 shows the components of the Fuel Drain Guard installation.

Figure 25.4 Fuel Drain Guard Components



25.5 Component Weights

The weights and cgs of the systems are listed in Table 25.2.

Table 25.2 Component Weights and CGs

Item	Weight	Station
200-286-01 Retrofit Kit		
Removable Provisions*	30.0 lbs (13.6 kg)	133 in (3375 mm)
Fixed Provisions**	4.5 lbs (2.0 kg)	110 in (2794 mm)
Fuel Drain Guard***	0.40 lbs (.18 kg)	135 in. (3430 mm)
Total	34.9 lbs (15.8 kg)	130 in (3302 mm)

^{*} The removable provisions include the swing suspension w/ hook, external manual release cable, and external electrical release cable. These items are easily removed if they are not needed on the helicopter's mission. Refer to Suspension System Removal in Section 25.16 for removal instructions.

25.12 Storage Instructions

Refer to CMM 122-005-00 for storage instructions for the Cargo Hook. Clean the exterior suspension components thoroughly of dirt and grease with a rag before packaging. Pack the unit in a heat-sealable package. If the unit is to be stored for long periods in a tropical climate it should be packed in a reliable manner to suit local conditions. Refer to MIL-PRF-23199 and MIL-STD-2073-1 for additional guidance.

Package the unit in a suitable fiberboard box and cushion the unit to prevent shifting. Seal the fiberboard box with tape and mark the box with the contents and date of packaging.

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^{**} The fixed provisions are those items of the kit that remain on the aircraft. These include the internal electrical wire harnesses, the load weigh indicator, fuel drain guard, and miscellaneous brackets.

^{***} Included with newer kits (kits shipped after August 2010).

25.15 Troubleshooting

Table 25.3 is provided with the intention of isolating the cause of malfunctions within the system. Sections 25.16 and 25.17 include instructions for removing and replacing defective components. Refer to the appropriate Airbus Helicopters maintenance documentation for guidance on procedures relating to Airbus Helicopters parts that interface with this suspension system.

Table 25.3 Troubleshooting

MALFUNCTION	PROBABLE CAUSE	CORRECTIVE ACTION
Cargo hook does not operate electrically or manually.	Defective internal mechanism.	Remove and replace cargo hook (see sections 25.16 and 25.17).
Cargo hook does not operate	Open electrical circuit, faulty	Disconnect cable from electrical
electrically, manual cable release	wiring, fuse, switch or solenoid.	connector on cargo hook.
operates normally.		Using multi-meter, check for 3.0 to 4.0
		ohms between pins A and B of electrical
		connector (see note 1 below). If open
		indication is obtained, remove and
		replace cargo hook (see sections 25.16
Cargo hook operates electrically,	Defective manual release cable.	and 25.17). Check wiring per Note 2. Inspect manual release cable and cable
but not manually.	Defective manual release cable. Defective manual release system.	connection to Cargo Hook. Remove and
out not manuary.	Beleetive manual feleuse system.	replace manual release adapter cable or
		remove and replace cargo hook (see
		Sections 25.16 and 25.17).
		Refer to Airbus Helicopters maintenance
		documentation for fixed section of release
		cable.
Load beam fails to re-latch after	Defective latch mechanism.	Remove and replace cargo hook (see
being reset. Force required to release hook	High poble friction or friction in	sections 25.16 and 25.17). Remove cable from hook and check cable
with lever on collective exceeds	High cable friction or friction in internal mechanism of hook.	and hook independently (see below) to
14 lbs.	internal mechanism of nook.	isolate problem. Refer to Airbus
1.135.		Helicopters maintenance documentation
		for fixed section of release cable.
With release cable disconnected at	Kinks or wear in cable, frozen	Inspect individual components to isolate
hook, the force required to move	water in cable, debris or damage to	problem. Remove and replace defective
manual release lever on collective	cable quick disconnect fitting or	parts (see Sections 25.16 and 25.17 for
exceeds 6 lbs.	lever mechanism on cyclic	remove and replace instructions for
		manual release adapter cable). Refer to Airbus Helicopters maintenance
		documentation for fixed section of release
		cable.
Cargo hook manual release cable	Friction in internal mechanism.	Remove and replace cargo hook (see
pull-off force exceeds 8 Lbs. (at		Section 25.16 and 25.17)
the hook).		
Cargo hook fails to open or re-	Defective internal mechanism.	Remove and replace cargo hook (see
lock properly.		Sections 25.16 and 25.17).
Fuse opens when cargo hook is energized.	Short in the system, faulty wiring, fuse or solenoid.	Check for shorts to ground along length of wire harness (see note 2). Check
energized.	Tuse of solelloid.	solenoid resistance (see note 1), repair or
		replace defective parts.
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Table 25.3 Troubleshooting continued

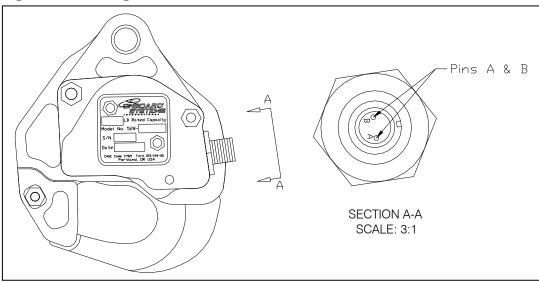
MALFUNCTION	PROBABLE CAUSE	CORRECTIVE ACTION
Load Weigh Indicator does not	Faulty wiring or fuse.	Check the fuse (refer to Airbus
light up.		Helicopters maintenance documentation)
		and wiring (see Note 2). If this doesn't
		help, remove and replace indicator per
		sections 25.16 and 25.17.
The displayed load on the Load	Incorrect calibration code.	Ensure the correct calibration code has
Weigh Indicator is incorrect.		been entered (see Note 3).
Indicator displayed load is not	Dampening level is too small.	Adjust the dampening level to a larger
stable.		number (see Note 4).
Indicator displayed load takes too	Dampening level is too large.	Adjust the dampening level to a smaller
long to change the reading when		number (see Note 4).
the load is changed.		
Indicator does not change with	Defective load cell, indicator failure	· ·
changing hook loads.	or damaged wire harness.	2), remove and replace wire harness
		assembly or load cell (see sections 25.16
		and 25.17).

Notes:

1. Checking resistance at pins A and B.

Disconnect electrical release cable from cargo hook. Check for 3.0 to 4.0 ohms between pins A and B of electrical connector located on the cargo hook (see below).

Figure 25.5 **Cargo Hook Electrical Connector**



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Table 25-3 Troubleshooting notes continued:

2. Checking Wire Harnesses.

As appropriate, before working on a circuit, e.g. - inspection, removal-installation of components, check that the aircraft system is not energized:

- "EXT. PWR. BAT." push-button is released.
- External power connector is not supplied
- Further precaution: remove the fuse(s) from the corresponding circuits (refer to Figure 25.7)

The wire harnesses are routed with and secured to existing wire bundles and are located approximately as shown below. Remove lower fairings to inspect wiring underneath the cabin floor. Inspect for general condition and chafing along length of wire runs. See Figure 25.7 for electrical wiring schematic.

Figure 25.6 Wire Harness Routing

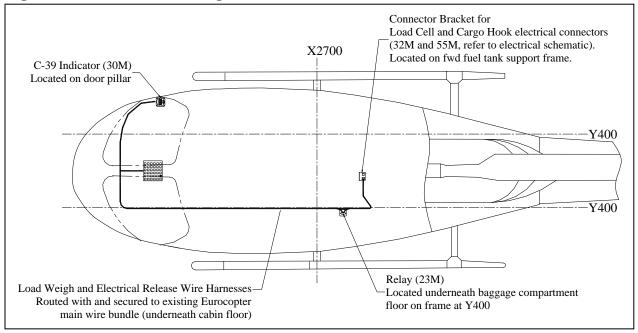
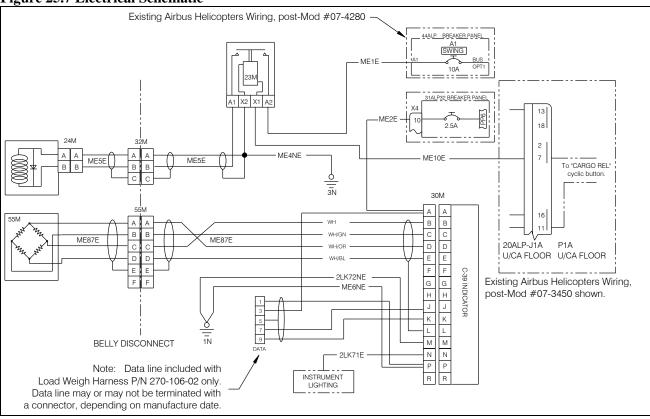


Table 25-3 Notes continued:

2. Checking Wire Harnesses continued

The electrical schematic for the electrical release system and the load weigh system is shown below. Airbus Helicopters modification #'s 07-3450 and 07-4280 are reflected below. Earlier Airbus Helicopters configurations which affected how and where wire numbers ME1E, ME2E and ME10E of the electrical release harness and load weigh harness interface with the helicopter are shown on the following page. Refer to applicable Airbus Helicopters Wiring Diagrams Manual for additional information.

Figure 25.7 Electrical Schematic



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Table 25-3 Notes continued:

2. Checking Wire Harnesses continued

Figure 25.7 Electrical Schematic, continued

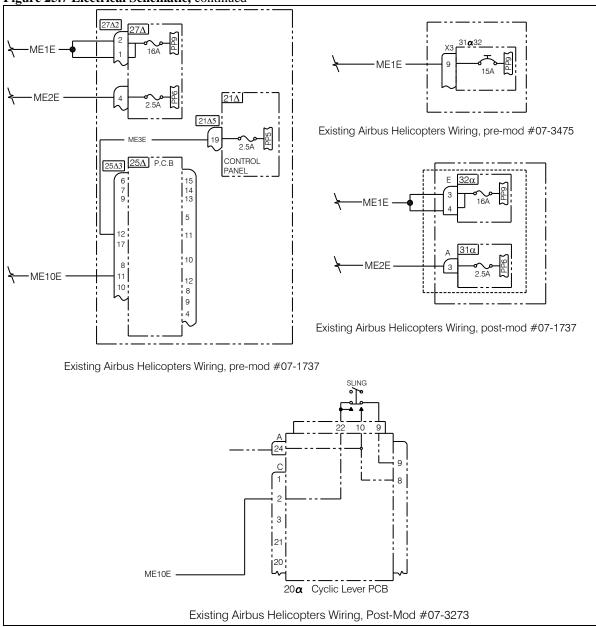
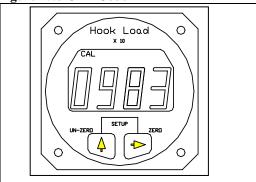


Table 25-3 Notes continued:

3. Checking Load Weigh Indicator calibration code:

With the Indicator powered up and in the Run Mode, press both buttons at the same time to go to Setup. Scroll through the menu until the word CODE is displayed, then press the Right button. The display should look like this:

Figure 25.8 CAL Code

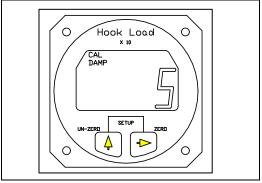


This code should match the code printed on the tag attached to the load cell cable. If this code does not match, contact Onboard Systems for further guidance.

4. Adjusting dampening level:

With the Indicator powered up and in the Run Mode, press both buttons at the same time to go to Setup. Scroll through the menu, using the Left button, until the word DAMP is displayed. To look at or change the Dampening Level press the Right button. The display should look like this:

Figure 25.9 Changing Dampening Level



The CAL and the DAMP legend is turned on and the previously set dampening level is displayed. To return to Run without changing the current dampening level press both the Right and Left buttons at the same time. To change the dampening number, use the Left button to scroll the blinking digit to the desired number. Ten dampening levels are available, from 0 through 9. At level 0 the display responds to the slightest change in weight. However, if the load bounced even slightly, the display digits would respond instantly, making the display look unstable. With a dampening level of 9, the display would be stable under the most turbulent conditions, however, it would take several seconds for the display to respond to a change in weight. The ideal dampening level will depend on the flying conditions. A mid range setting of 5 or 6 is usually adequate. After the selection has been made press both the Right and Left buttons at the same time to return to Run.

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25.16 Component Removal

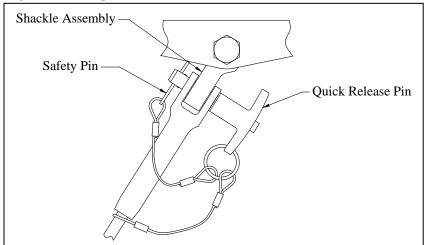
Cargo Hook Removal

- 1. Cut and remove all lockwire.
- 2. Remove manual release cover by removing two screws.
- 3. Remove the manual and electrical release cables from the Cargo Hook.
- 4. Remove the cotter pin (P/N 510-178-00) from the Extended Load Bolt (P/N 290-775-00). Refer to Figure 25.17.
- 5. Remove the castellated nut (P/N 510-170-00) from the Extended Load Bolt.
- 6. Remove Extended Load Bolt and all washers.
- 7. Remove the Cargo Hook from suspension system.
- 8. Remove the Hook Bumper (P/N 290-774-00) from the cargo hook.

Suspension System Removal

- 1. Disconnect the load cell cable at the bulkhead connector on the belly of the aircraft.
- 2. Disconnect the electrical release cable at the bulkhead connector on the belly of the aircraft.
- 3. Disconnect the ground strap at the quick disconnect near the bulkhead connector on the belly of the aircraft.
- 4. Disconnect the manual release cable at the quick release fitting.
- 5. Remove the Safety Pins (P/N 510-464-00) and Quick Release Pins (P/N 290-851-00) at the 4 joints where the suspension cable ends mate with the Shackle Assemblies (P/N 232-137-01) as illustrated below.

Figure 25.10 Suspension Attachment Hardware



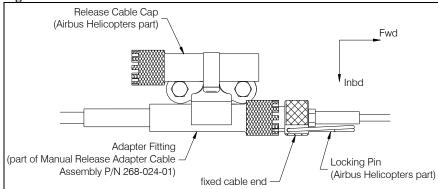
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Manual Release Cable Removal

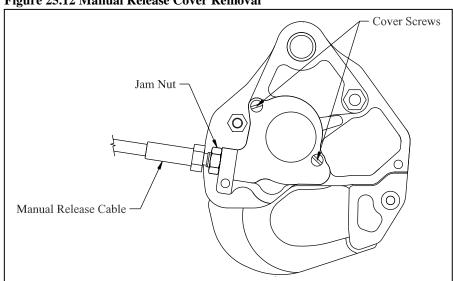
- 1. Unclip the fwd end from the bracket on the belly of the helicopter.
- 2. Disengage the locking pin and unthread the Adapter Fitting.
- 3. Unclip the Release Cable Cap (see below) from the bracket and thread it over the open end of the fixed cable and clip it into the inboard spring clip on the bracket.

Figure 25.11 Manual Release Cable Connection



4. At the other end of the cable (at the cargo hook) remove the two screws that secure the manual release cover to the hook (see below) and unhook the cable ball end from the fork fitting.





5. Loosen the jam nut and unthread the release cable from the hook.

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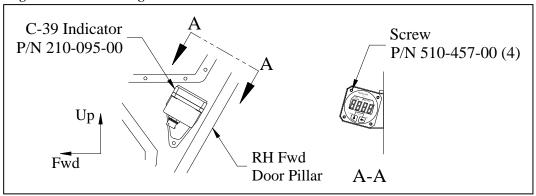
25.16 Component Removal continued

Load Weigh Indicator Removal

The C-39 Load Weigh Indicator is located on the RH forward door pillar.

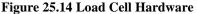
- 1. Disconnect electrical connector from the back of indicator.
- 2. Remove the four screws (P/N 510-457-00) that secure the indicator to the mounting bracket and remove the indicator.

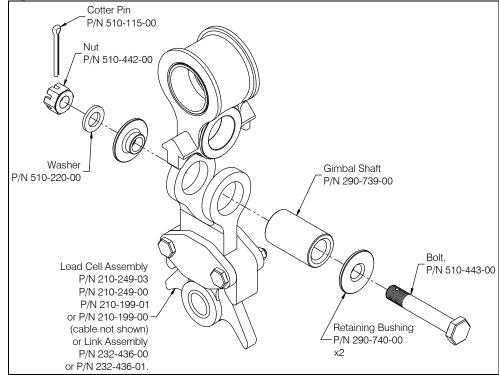
Figure 25.13 Load Weigh Indicator



Load Cell Removal

- 1. Disconnect the electrical connector on the belly of the helicopter.
- 2. Remove the Cargo Hook per the above instructions.
- 3. Remove the Load Cell Assembly from the gimbal on the suspension frame (not shown) by removing the hardware as illustrated below.





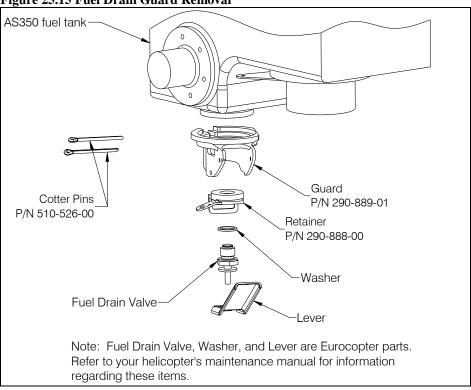
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25.16 Component Removal continued

Fuel Drain Guard Removal

- 1. Drain fuel tank.
- 2. Remove cotter pins from Guard.
- 3. Remove lever.
- 4. Remove safety wire between fuel tank valve and retainer tab.
- 5. Remove ground strap from Retainer.
- 6. Unthread fuel drain valve from tank and remove it and washer.
- 7. Remove Guard and Retainer.
- 8. Remove Bracket.

Figure 25.15 Fuel Drain Guard Removal



Self Lubricated Bushing Removal

All self-lubricated bushings use an interference fit to hold them in place. Use an arbor press or similar to press the bushings out of bore they are mounted in.



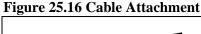
Do not use heat on any of the parts when removing the self-lubricated bushings. parts are all heat-treated and using heat may affect their mechanical properties.

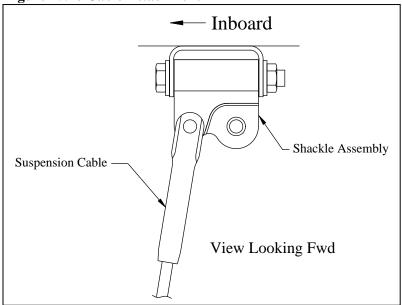
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25.17 Component Re-installation

Suspension Re-installation

- Inspect the Suspension for evidence of damage, corrosion, cable fraving, freedom of rotation at all pivot points, and security of fasteners. If damage is evident, do not use the items until they are repaired.
- Verify that the part number of the cargo hook removed matches one of the numbers on the list in the Applicability section of this manual. If it does not, do not attempt to use the cargo hook, contact the factory for clarification
- 3. Install the Suspension by securing the four suspension cable ends to the shackles with the quick release pins. Note: Install the Suspension such that the longer cables attach to the rear attach points and are pinned to the inboard holes of the Shackle Assemblies (as illustrated below).
- 4. Connect the load cell cable connector at the bulkhead connector at the belly of the aircraft.
- Connect the ground strap attached to the cargo hook to the ground strap connection at the belly of the aircraft.
- 6. Connect the electrical release cable at the bulkhead connector at the belly of the aircraft.
- Connect the manual release cable at the quick release fitting.



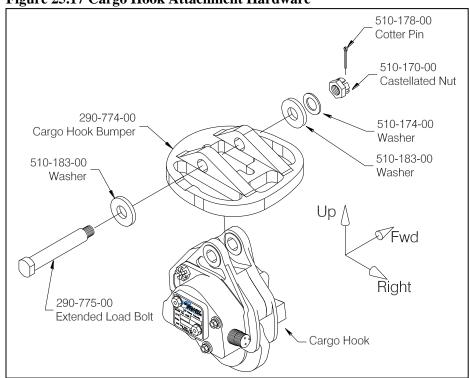


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Cargo Hook Re-installation

- 1. Inspect the Cargo Hook for evidence of damage, corrosion and security of lock wire and fasteners. If damage is evident, do not use the items until they are repaired.
- 2. Inspect the suspension system to ensure that all components are in serviceable condition before re-installing the cargo hook to the suspension system.
- 3. Attach the Cargo Hook, P/N 528-023-01 to the suspension system by installing the Bumper P/N 290-774-00 over the Cargo Hook.
- 4. Install the load bolt P/N 290-775-00 and washer P/N 510-183-00 as illustrated in Figure 25.17.
- 5. Install washer P/N 510-183-00 and washer P/N 510-174-00 over bolt end.
- Tighten nut P/N 510-170-00 on bolt to finger tight until seated, then rotate nut to previous castellation (if necessary) to install and secure cotter pin P/N 510-178-00.

Figure 25.17 Cargo Hook Attachment Hardware





The cargo hook load beam must point to the left side of the helicopter when looking from the rear (as shown above).

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Manual Release Cable Re-installation

Connect the removable manual release cable (P/N 268-024-02) to the cargo hook first, per the following instructions:

Remove the manual release cover from the cargo hook. Thread the fitting at the end of the manual release cable into the manual release boss on the hook side plate until the threads protrude approximately .125" inch beyond the boss and secure with jam nut (as shown in Figure 25.18).

Leave the cover off of the cargo hook until the other end of the release cable is connected, in order to verify proper setting.

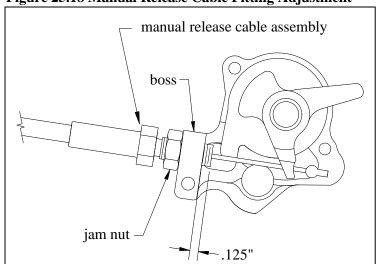


Figure 25.18 Manual Release Cable Fitting Adjustment

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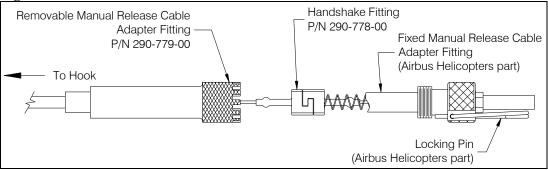
Manual Release Cable Re-installation continued

Connect the other end of the removable cable assembly to the end of the fixed cable by sliding the Adapter Fitting back to expose the Handshake Fitting and connecting this fitting to the Handshake Fitting on the fixed cable as shown below.

Thread the Adapter Fitting on the removable cable onto the fixed cable adapter fitting and lock in position by engaging a castellation with the Locking Pin.

Snap the removable cable Adapter Fitting into the inboard spring clip on the bracket on the lower rear RH fairing.





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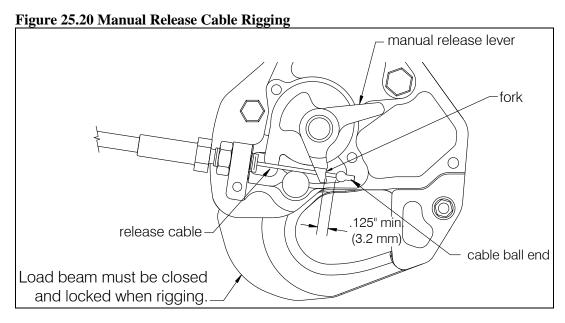
Manual Release Cable Re-installation continued

Verify proper setting at the hook:



The cargo hook must be closed and locked (see below) when verifying and adjusting the manual release system.

Place the cable ball end fitting into the hook manual release fork fitting as illustrated in Figure 25.20. Move the manual release lever in the clockwise direction until it is against the cam stop. Measure the cable ball end free play with the manual release handle in the cockpit in the non-release position. The gap must measure a minimum of .125" (3.2 mm) (see below).



If the gap does not measure at least .125", make adjustments at the hook only. This is done by disconnecting the cable at the interface with the fixed manual release cable (Figure 25.19), loosening the jam nut, and rotating the cable in the required direction.

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Load Weigh Indicator Re-installation

- 1. Place the Load Weigh Indicator into the mounting bracket on the RH door pillar and secure with four screws (P/N 510-457-00).
- 2. Connect the electrical connector on the wiring harness to the connector on the back of the indicator.

Load Cell Re-installation

- 1. Attach the load cell assembly to the gimbal fitting on the suspension frame with hardware as illustrated in Figure 25.14.
- 2. Tighten nut to 60-70 in-lbs and rotate to next castellation if necessary to insert cotter pin.



The Load Cell Assembly must pivot freely about its upper attach point independently of the bolt (P/N 510-443-00) and nut, back the nut off to previous castellation if necessary to achieve this.

3. Connect the load cell electrical cable connector on the load cell cable to the connector on the belly of the helicopter.

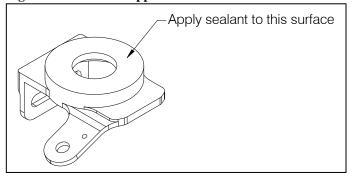
Self-Lubricated Bushing Re-installation

- 1. Install bushings with wet zinc chromate primer on the outside diameter.
- 2. Use an arbor press and an appropriately sized press tool to push the bushing into the hole until it is fully seated.

Fuel Drain Guard Re-installation

- 1. Remove residual sealant from the tank and Retainer, P/N 290-888-00, taking care not to mar the sealing surfaces. Prepare the areas for sealing per Airbus Helicopters Standard Practices Manual.
- 2. Prepare PR1422-B or equivalent sealant per Airbus Helicopters Standard Practices Manual. Apply sealant to Retainer.

Figure 25.21 Sealant Application Location

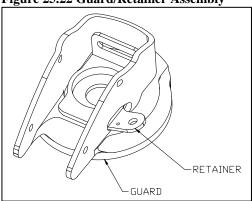


Place the Retainer (P/N 290-888-00) inside the Guard (P/N 290-889-01), by inserting the tab through the slot. See Figure 25.22.

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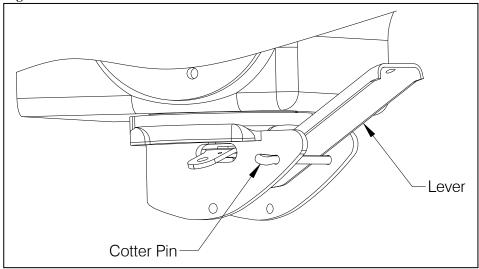
Fuel Drain guard Re-installation continued

Figure 25.22 Guard/Retainer Assembly



- 4. Place these two items onto the boss on the bottom of fuel tank, aligning the notch in the Guard with the key on the bottom of the fuel tank.
- 5. Secure the Guard and Retainer by re-installing the Fuel Drain Valve with new Fuel Valve Seal, 610-024-00. Use a flat-blade screwdriver to prevent the Retainer from twisting when tightening the Fuel Drain Valve. Torque per Airbus Helicopters specifications.
- 6. Secure the Fuel Drain Valve with safety wire using the small hole in the retainer tab.
- 7. Re-install the electrical connections to the Retainer tab per Airbus Helicopters Electrical Bonding Procedure. Refer to Airbus Helicopters Standard Practices Manual, 20.02.07.
- 8. Install the Lever by placing it in Retainer slot and rotating upwards. Secure with cotter pin (P/N 510-526-00). See Figure 25.23.

Figure 25.23 Lever Installation



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Fuel Drain Guard Re-installation continued

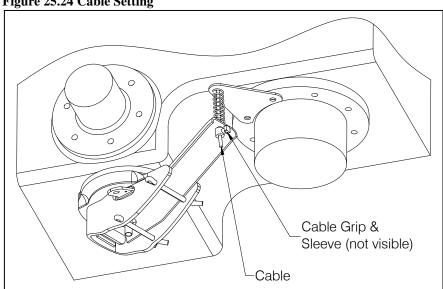
- 9. Install a second cotter pin through the other holes in the Guard (this cotter pin is for valve protection only and is not used for rigging purposes).
- 10. Prepare to install Bracket (P/N 290-893-00) by threading the control cable through the Bracket hole. Install Bracket using the two screws removed previously.
- 11. Pass the cable through the Spring (Airbus Helicopters P/N 350A55-1044-21) and Lever (Airbus Helicopters P/N 350A55-1043-21). Slide the Sleeve (Airbus Helicopters P/N N1-5ALU) over the cable and secure with Cable Grip (Airbus Helicopters P/N 58-2-009).



To avoid inadvertent fuel loss, Airbus Helicopters P/N 58-2-009 Cable Grip must be used with this installation.

12. Adjust the cable travel by doing the following: allow the lever to rest against the cotter pin stop. Slide the Cable Grip up to the bottom of the lever and secure (see Figure 25.24). Trim excess cable to within .25" of cable grip.

Figure 25.24 Cable Setting



- 13. Allow the sealant to cure per Airbus Helicopters Standard Practices Manual before adding fuel. Verify proper cure of unused sealant.
- 14. Refill fuel tank and check for leaks.

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25.18 General Procedural Instructions-Testing

After re-installation of the cargo hook, perform the following:

1. Activate the electrical system and press the Cargo Hook release button to ensure the cargo hook electrical release is operating correctly. The mechanism should operate smoothly and the Cargo Hook must release. Reset the hook by hand after the release. If the hook does not release or re-latch, do not use the unit until the difficulty is resolved.



The cargo hook release solenoid is intended to be energized only intermittently. Depressing the electrical release button continuously in excess of 20 seconds will cause the release solenoid to overheat, possibly causing permanent damage.

- 2. Activate the release handle located on the collective to test the cargo hook manual release mechanism. The mechanism should operate smoothly and the Cargo Hook must release. Reset the hook by hand after release. If the hook does not release or re-latch do not use the unit until the difficulty is resolved.
- 3. Swing the installed Cargo Hook and the suspension to ensure that the manual release cable assembly and the electrical release cable have enough slack to allow full swing of each component without straining or damaging the cables. The cables must not be the stops that prevent the Cargo Hook or the suspension from swinging freely in all directions.
- 4. Visually check for presence and security of fasteners, and condition of cables. Swing the Cargo Hook and the suspension in fore and aft and side to side directions to check for freedom of rotation at all joints.

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