- See Figure 5-18. Check for SHORTED ARMATURE with a growler.
 - a. Place armature on growler (1).
 - Hold a thin steel strip (2) (hacksaw blade) against armature core and slowly turn armature.
 - A shorted armature will cause the steel strip to vibrate and be attracted to the core. Replace shorted armatures.
- See Figure 5-19. Check for a GROUNDED ARMATURE with an ohmmeter or continuity tester.
 - a. Touch one probe to any commutator segment (1).
 - b. Touch the other probe to the armature core (2).
 - There should be no continuity (infinite ohms). If there is continuity, then the armature is grounded. Replace grounded armatures.
- See Figure 5-20. Check for OPEN ARMATURE with an ohmmeter or continuity tester.
 - a. Check for continuity between all commutator segments (1).
 - There should be continuity (0 ohms) at all test points. No continuity at any test point indicates armature is open and must be replaced.

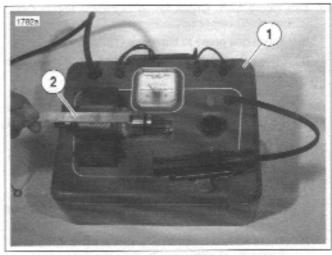


Figure 5-18. Shorted Armature Test Using Growler

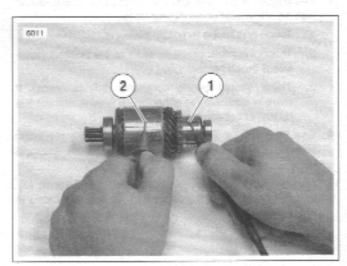


Figure 5-19. Grounded Armature Test

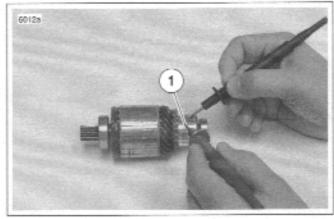


Figure 5-20. Open Armature Test

- 12. See Figure 5-21. Check for GROUNDED FIELD COIL with an ohmmeter or continuity tester.
 - Touch one probe to the frame (1).
 - Touch the other probe to each of the brushes (2) b. attached to the field coll.
 - There should be no continuity (infinite ohms). If there is any continuity at either brush, then the field coil(s) are grounded and the field frame must be replaced.
- 13. See Figure 5-22. Check for OPEN FIELD COILS with an ohmmeter or continuity tester.
 - Touch one probe to the field wire (1).
 - b. Touch the other probe to each of the brushes attached to the field coil(s) (2).
 - c. There should be continuity (0 ohms). If there is no continuity at either brush, then the field coll(s) are open and the field frame must be replaced.
- 14. See Figure 5-23. Test BRUSH HOLDER INSULATION with an ohmmeter or continuity tester.
 - Touch one probe to holder plate (1).
 - Touch the other probe to each of the positive (insub. lated) brush holders (2).
 - c. There should be no continuity (infinite ohms), If there is continuity at either brush holder, replace the brush holder assembly.
- 15. See Figure 5-24. Remove two drive housing mounting screws (6). Remove drive housing (5) from solenoid housing.
- 16. Remove drive (1), idler gear (2), idler gear bearing (3), and O-ring (4) from drive housing (O-ring is located in drive housing groove).

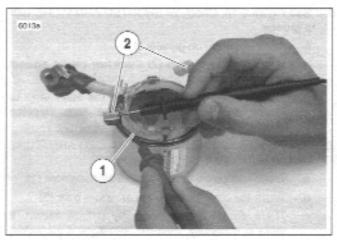


Figure 5-21. Grounded Field Test

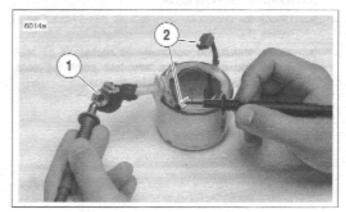


Figure 5-22. Open Field Test

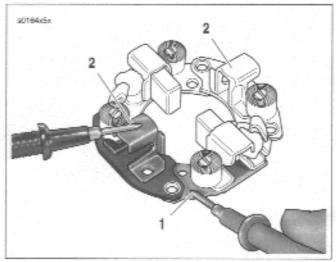


Figure 5-23. Brush Holder Insulation Test