# **Inverter Generator**

KS 2100i S

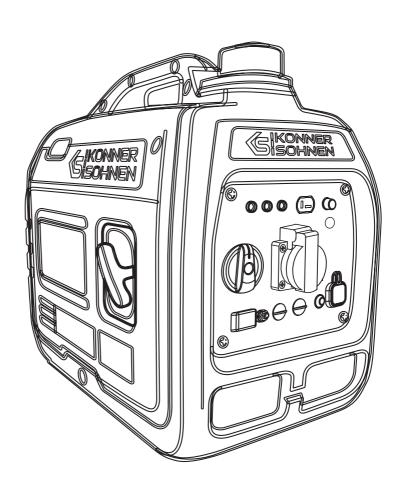
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# **INTRODUCTION**



Thank you for your purchase of Könner & Söhnen® products. This manual contains a brief description of safety, use and debugging. We care about the environment, therefore, we consider it expedient to save paper and leave in print a short description of the most important sections. Please, read full and the latest version of manual of the web-site of official importer of **Könner & Söhnen®** products: uk.koenner-soehnen.com



#### Be sure to read the full version of the manual before getting started!



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Failure to follow the recommendations marked with this sign may lead to serious injury or death of the operator or third parties.



IMPORTANT!



Useful information while operating the machine.

### SAFETY INFORMATION

#### WORKING AREA



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When installing the generator, pay attention to the capacity of electrical appliances and their starting current, which may be several times higher than the rated current. The generator cannot run in overload conditions when starting consumers with an inrush current higher than the generator's maximum output.



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As exhaust gases contain poisonous carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>) and carbon monoxide (CO) gases which are dangerous for life, it is strictly forbidden to install the generator in residential buildings, premises connected to residential buildings by a common ventilation system, other rooms from which exhaust gases may enter living premises.

- Do not use generator in the rain, snow and high humidity conditions, do not touch the generator with wet hands. It's prohibited to leave it in direct sunlight in summer for a long time. It is recommended to store and use the generator under a canopy or in a well ventilated area.
- Place the generator on a flat, hard surface, away from flammable liquids/gases (at a minimum distance of 1 m). Install the generator at a distance of not less than 1 m from the front control panel and not less than 50 cm on each side, including the upper part of the generator. To reduce vibration during operation and to avoid damage to the surface, where the generator is installed, it is equipped with dampers.
- Please don't use the generator near flammable gases, liquids or dust. When using the generator exhaust system gets very hot. This may cause fire or explosion of these materials.
- Be sure to follow cleanliness and good lighting in the work area. Clutter and poor lighting may cause an injury.

- Do not let the presence of unauthorized persons, children or animals when working with generator. If necessary, make sure to fencing the working area.
- Please use safety shoes and protective gloves when working with generator.

#### **ELECTRICAL SAFETY**



The device generates electricity. Follow safety precautions to avoid electric shock.



#### IMPORTANT



The generator should be used as an IT or TN system based on the application. Earthing and additional protective measures such as insulation monitoring or protection against accidental contact (residual current device) must be provided based on the application and the system used.

- The generator produces electricity that may lead to an electric shock while neglecting compliance regulations.
- Könner & Söhnen generators were initially designed as an IT system with basic protection by insulation of hazardous live parts according to DIN VDE 0100-410. The generator housing is insulated from the current-carrying L and N conductors. The generator must be grounded in all cases, except for an IT system with an insulated neutral wire and bonding. A grounded IT system requires the use of an insulation monitoring device. Further details regarding the use of the generator in IT and TN systems can be found on our website or requested from our technical support.
- All connecting the generator to the network must be made by certified electrician in accordance with all electrical rules and regulations.
- It is not allowed to supply current from the electrical network to the generator when the power supply is restored.
- Do not allow moisture in the generator. The water inside the device increases the risk of an electric shock.
- In the high humidity level conditions generator exploit is prohibited. Keep the generator in a dry place only.
- Avoid direct contact with grounded surfaces (pipes, radiators, etc.).
- Be careful when working with power cables. Immediately replace it in case of damage, as damaged wire increases the risk of electric shock.
- Network connection should only be carried out by a qualified technician
- Connect the generator to the protective ground before operation.
- Do not connect or disconnect a generator to electricity consumers, which are placed in water on a wet or damp soil.
- Do not touch parts of the generator under voltage.
- Connect the generator to those customers only which meet the electrical characteristics and the rated power of the generator.
- Store all electrical equipment dry and clean. Wires with damaged or spoiled insulation should be replaced. You should also replace worn, damaged or rusty contacts.



### IMPORTANT!



It is forbidden to connect to the generator devices which can generate current pulses and direct energy towards the generator (voltage stabilizers, devices with electronic brakes, on-grid and hybrid inverters, etc.).

The generator and power consumers form a closed system, with elements affecting each other. This system is physically different from the public network since it is significantly affected by factors such as unbalanced phase load and non-linear current consumption by power consumers that can cause damage to the generator and power consumers connected to it.



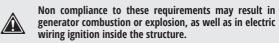


Using device for other purposes deprives the right for free warranty.

#### PERSONAL SAFETY

- Be careful. Do not operate the generator, if you are tired, under the influence of drugs or alcohol. Inattention may cause a serious injury.
- Avoid inadvertent start. Make sure to set the switch to Off when you turn off the generator.





- To avoid inhaling exhaust gas, the generator does not have to work in conditions of poor ventilation. Exhaust gas contains poisonous carbon monoxide.
- Make sure no outsider objects are on the generator when it is turned on. Using device for other purposes deprives the right for free warranty. It is not allowed to sit or stand on the generator.
- Always keep a stable position and balance when starting the generator.
- Do not overload the generator, use it only for the purpose.

#### PRECAUTIONS WHEN WORKING WITH PETROL GENERATOR

- Do not start the generator operation upon presence of electric load. Disconnect the load before you stop the engine.
- Generator installation is to be performed at minimum 1 meter safety distance from flammable objects. All explosive and flammable materials or substances are to be kept away from the generator, for its engine produces heat during operation.
- Do not refuel the running generator.
- It is forbidden to smoke during generator refuelling operations.
- Only unleaded petrol is recommended for the generator. After filling the tank, all excessive fuel spillage are to be removed from the surface. It is forbidden to use kerosene or other fuel types.
- Observe the fuel tank refilling. Do not allow overfilling.
- It is forbidden to touch the exhaust system during the generator start and in process of its running.
- It is forbidden to run the generator in cases when its exposure to rain, snow and possibility of soakage exist.
- Before running the generator, it is necessary to define the place and means of its emergency stop.



Fuel contaminates the land and groundwater. Do not allow the leaking petrol from the tank!

### PRECAUTIONS WHEN WORKING WITH HYBRID GENERATOR



IMPORTANT!



Könner & Söhnen® duel fuel generators can use the following types of gas as fuel when working on gas: propane, propane-butane and butane (butane can be used only in the warm season. When the ambient temperature is above +10 °C).

Do not start the generator operation upon presence of electric load! Disconnect the load before you stop the engine.

- You are allowed to connect all the power consuming supplies only after generator got warmed up. If you start generator with appliances being connected the engine may work unstable due to the fuel remains in the carburetor.

- Disconnect the load before you stop the engine, disconnect all the connected devices first, then close the gas valve, then turn off the engine. After that set the starter switch to OFF position and turn off the gas supply valve.
- Before usage make sure, that all the hoses are connected properly.
- In case of gas leakage, stop the gas flow from the source to generator and switch off all the electric appliances connected as soon as possible.
- For stopping gas powered engine: disconnect all the connected devices first, then close the gas valve, then turn off the engine. After that set the starter switch to OFF position and turn off the gas supply valve.



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Do not allow sparks near gas powered generator during



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The gas cylinder valve must not be closed when the generator is not running. The generator must not be operated on gas in basements.

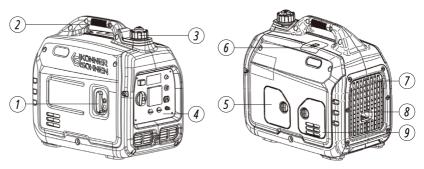


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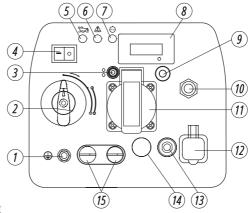
Pay attention! Usage of petrol together with liquefied gas is forbidden! When you operate using petrol, you must stop LPG supply. When you operate generator using LPG - you must stop petrol supply.

# MODELS KS 2100i S, KS 2100iG S, KS 3100i S, KS 3100iG S



- 1. Manual starter
- 2. Carrying handles
- 3. Fuel tank cap air vent
- 4. Control panel
- 5. Air filter service cover

- 6. Spark plug service cover
- 7. Ventilation grille
- 8. Muffler
- 9. Service cover (for motor oil change)



- 1. Earthing bolt
- 2. Multifunctional engine switch
- 3. Fuel indicator. Green indicator is used for LPG and the blue one for petrol.
- 4. Economy mode switch (ECON)
- 5. Oil level indicator
- 6. Overload indicator
- 7. Voltage indicator
- 8. LED display

- 9. Reset button
- 10. LPG input

(for models KS 2100iG S, KS 3100iG S)

- 11. 1x13A AC outlet
- 12. 2 USB-Outputs
- 13. 12V DC fuse
- 14. 12V/8.3A DC outlet
- 15. Generator parallel outputs

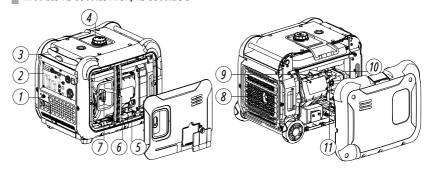


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# MODELS KS 5500iES ATSR, KS 5500iEG S



- 1. LPG input (for model KS 5500iG S)
- 2. Control panel
- 3. Carrying handles

- 4. Fuel tank cap
- 5. Oil filler neck
- 6. Oil drain pipe

- 8. Muffler
- 9. Spark plug 10. Carburetor
- 11. Air filter

- 1. LED display
- 2. ATS output (for model KS 5500iES ATSR)
- 3. Reset button
- 4 230V AC fuse
- 5. Economy mode switch (ECON)
- 6. Electric start
- 7. Engine start button

- 7. Manual starter
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8. Fuel type switch (for model KS 5500iEG S), fuel valve (for model KS 5500iE ATSR)

- 9. 12V DC fuse
- 10. 12V/8.3A DC outlet
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- 12. Earthing bolt
- 13. 2 USB-Outputs
- 14. Generator parallel outputs
- 15. 1x13A AC outlet
- 16. 1x32A AC outlet



The package includes everything you need to use LPG as fuel:

- 1. The hose is equipped with an additional reducer that is mounted on the cylinder to increase the reliability of the gas line.
- 2. Gas cylinder connection hose (1.5 m).
- 3. Built-in reducer that provides gas supply during engine operation, prevents gas leakage, as well as terminates gas supply when the generator is off.

Model	KS 2100i S	KS 2100iG S	KS 3100i S	KS 3100iG S
Voltage, V	230			
Maximum power, W	2000	2000*	3100	3100*
Nominal power, W	1800	1800*	2800	2800*
Frequency, Hz	50			
Current, A (max.)	8.7	8.7	13.5	13.5
Outlets	1*13A	1*13A	1*13A	1*13A
Engine start	manual	manual	manual	manual
Fuel tank volume, l	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
Working time at 50% load (petrol fuel)**, h	4.5	4.5	2.7	2.7
LED display	voltage, frequency, working hours			
Noise level Lpa (7m)/Lwa, dB	66/91	66/91	69/94	69/94
Output 12V, A	12V/8.3A	12V/8.3A	12V/8.3A	12V/8.3A
USB-Outputs	5V/1A, 5V/2.1A	5V/1A, 5V/2.1A	5V/1A, 5V/2.1A	5V/1A, 5V/2.1A
Engine model	KS 110i	KS 110i	KS 160i	KS 160i
Engine volume, cm <sup>3</sup>	79.7	79.7	145	145
Engine type	petrol, 4 stroke cycle engine	LPG/petrol 4 stroke cycle engine	petrol, 4 stroke cycle engine	LPG/petrol 4 stroke cycle engine
Engine power, hp	3.3	3.3	4.6	4.6
Generator parallel socket	+	+	+	+
Crankcase volume, I	0.35	0.35	0.45	0.45
Power factor, cos φ	1	1	1	1
ATS input	-	-	-	-
Dimensions (LxWxH), mm	510x320x475	510x320x475	510x320x475	510x320x475
Lithium battery, Ah	-	-	-	-
Net weight, kg	18.5	19	21.5	22
Protection class	IP23M			

<sup>\*</sup>LPG operation reduces generator power by 10%.

The optimal operating conditions are ambient temperature of 17-25°C, barometric pressure of 0.1 MPa (760 mm Hg), and relative humidity of 50-60%. Under these environmental conditions, the generator can provide maximum performance in terms of the declared specifications. In the event of deviations from these environmental indicators, the generator performance may vary.

Please note that continuous loads exceeding 80% of the generator's rated power are not recommended in order to extend its service life.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Fuel consumption depends on many factors, such as load, fuel quality, season, altitude, technical condition of the generator.

Model	KS 5500iES ATSR	KS 5500iEG S	
Voltage, V	230		
Maximum power, W	5500	5500*	
Nominal power, W	5000	5000*	
Frequency, Hz	50		
Current, A (max.)	23.9	23.9	
Outlets	1*13A, 1*32A	1*13A, 1*32A	
Engine start	manual/electric	manual/electric	
Fuel tank volume, l	13.5	13.5	
Working time at 50% load (petrol fuel)**, h	8.4	8.4	
LED display	multifunctional***		
Noise level Lpa (7m)/Lwa, dB	70/95	70/95	
Output 12V, A	12B/8.3A	12B/8.3A	
USB-Outputs	5B/1A, 5B/2.1A	5B/1A, 5B/2.1A	
Engine model	KS 330i	KS 330i	
Engine volume, cm <sup>3</sup>	312	312	
Engine type	petrol, 4 stroke cycle engine LPG/petrol 4 stroke cycle engi		
Engine power, hp	9.5	9.5	
Generator parallel socket	+	+	
Crankcase volume, l	0.85	0.85	
Power factor, cos φ	1	1	
ATS input	+	-	
Dimensions (LxWxH), mm	680x510x605	765x510x605	
Lithium battery, Ah	1.6 1.6		
Net weight, kg	52 52.5		
Protection class	IP2:	ВМ	
Nominal voltage tolerance – max. 5%			

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<sup>\*\*\*</sup>Multifunctional LED-display: load, fuel level, voltage, frequency, working hours; overload indicator, voltage indicator, oil level indicator.

It is recommended to ground the generator before operating it for the first time. Before starting the device, remember that the total power of the connected power consumers should not exceed the nominal power of the generator.



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IMPORTANT!



Make sure that the control panel, the blinds and the underside of the inverter are well cooled and protected against the ingress of small solids, dirt, and water. Improper operation of the cooler can cause damage to the motor, inverter or alternator.

# **GENERATOR OPERATION**

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#### OIL LEVEL INDICATOR

When the oil level falls below the level required for operation, the oil level indicator lights up, and then the engine stops automatically. The engine will not start until oil is added.

#### AC INDICATOR

When the generator is running and producing electricity, the AC indicator light is on.

#### OVERLOAD INDICATOR

The overload indicator lights up when the generator is overloaded, the inverter control unit overheats or the AC output voltage rises.

If the overload indicator goes on, the engine will continue to operate, but the generator will no longer produce electricity. In this case, you must perform the following steps:

- 1. Turn off all connected electrical appliances and stop the engine.
- 2. Reduce the total power of the connected devices until the nominal power of the generator is reached.
- 3. Check if the vent grid is clogged. Remove excess dirt or debris, if any.
- 4. After checking, start the engine.



IMPORTANT!



The overload indicator may light up within several seconds after start-up or when connecting electrical devices requiring a high starting current, such as a compressor or voltage indicator. However, this is not a malfunction.

# FUEL INDICATOR (FOR DUAL-FUEL GENERATORS)

The indicator shows the type of fuel used to run the generator: green for LPG and blue for petrol.

#### DC FUSE

The DC protector automatically switches to "OFF" when the current of the operating electrical device is higher than the rated current. To use this equipment again, turn on the DC fuse again by pressing the "ON" button.

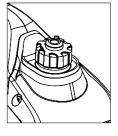




If the DC fuse turns off, reduce the load of the connected electrical device. If the DC protector turns off again, stop operation and contact your nearest Könner & Söhnen® service center.

# FUEL TANK CAP AIR VENT (EXPECT FOR MODELS KS 5500iES ATSR, KS 5500iEG S)

The fuel cap is equipped with a vent for air supply to the fuel tank. When the engine is running on petrol, the vent must be in the "ON" position (OPEN). This will allow fuel to enter the carburetor for engine operation. After the generator stops, allow it to cool down and close the air vent on the fuel cap. When the generator is not in use, close the vent to the "OFF" position.



#### EARTHING BOLT

In all cases, except for an IT system with an insulated neutral wire and bonding, the generator earthing bolt must be connected to the grounding circuit with a flexible copper conductor with a cross-sectional area of at least 6 mm<sup>2</sup>.

# **CHECK BEFORE GETTING STARTED**

#### CHECKING THE FUEL LEVEL

- 1. Unscrew the fuel cap and check the fuel level in the tank.
- 2. Fill the fuel tank to the fuel filter level.
- 3. Tighten the fuel cap securely.
- 4. For models in a housing of inverter generator, open the air intake vent on the fuel cap.

Recommended fuel: unleaded fuel. **Fuel tank volume:** see specifications table.



IMPORTANT!



Wipe up spilled fuel immediately with a clean, dry, soft cloth, as the fuel may harm painted surfaces or plastic parts. Use only unleaded petrol. Using leaded petrol can cause serious damage to the inside of the engine.

#### CHECKING THE OIL LEVEL

The generator is transported free of motor oil. Do not start the engine until it is filled with sufficient amount of motor oil.

- 1. Open the service cover (fig.).
- 2. Unscrew the oil dipstick (fig. ) and wipe it out with a clean cloth.
- 3. Fill the crankcase with engine oil. The recommended amount of oil for each model is indicated in the specification chart.
- 4. Insert the dipstick without screwing it in.
- 5. Check the oil level by a mark on the oil dipstick.
- 6. Add oil if its level is below the mark on the oil dipstick.
- 7. Screw on the dipstick.

Recommended motor oil: SAE 10W30, SAE 10W40.

**Recommended motor oil grade:** API Service SG type or higher.

**Motor oil quantity:** see specifications table.

# **Before starting the engine,** make sure that the rated power of power consumers matches with the power of generator. Do not exceed the nominal power of the generator. Do not connect any devices before you start the engine!



IMPORTANT!



Do not change the controller settings in terms of the amount of fuel or speed governor (this adjustment was made at the factory). Otherwise, this may result in changes in the engine operation or its failure.



ATTENTION – DANGER!



In the power supply mode, the generator should operate no longer than 1 minute in the range from nominal to maximum power.



ATTENTION – DANGER! /



Standby generators should not run continuously (e.g. by adding fuel to the tank or connecting a large fuel tank) or longer than recommended: 4-6 hours for LPG/petrol or generators (depending on load).

This material is for informational purposes only and does not constitute a manual for installing the equipment or connecting it to the mains, but we strongly recommend that you read the instructions below. Equipment connection must always be carried out by a certified electrician responsible for the installation and electrical connection of the equipment according to local laws and regulations. The manufacturer assumes no liability for improper connection of the equipment or for any material or physical damage that may result from improper installation, connection or operation of the equipment.

#### COMMISSIONING

- 1. Fill the crankcase with engine oil. The recommended amount of oil for each model is indicated in the specification chart.
- 2. Check oil level with an oil dipstick. It should be between the MIN and MAX marks on the oil dipstick.
- 3. Check fuel level.
- 4. Check the air filter for correct installation.

# IN THE FIRST 20 OPERATING HOURS OF THE GENERATOR, THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS SHOULD BE MET:

- 1. During commissioning, do not connect power consumers, the power of which exceeds 50% of the nominal (operating) power of the device.
- 2. After the first 20 operating hours, be sure to change the oil. It is better to drain oil while the engine is still hot after operation to ensure quick and complete oil draining.
- Check and clean the air filter, fuel filter and spark plug.



IMPORTANT!



Before starting the generator, connect the ground wire to the ground terminal.

#### ENGINE START



IMPORTANT!



Useful tip: If the engine stalls or does not start, turn the engine switch to the "ON" position, and then pull the manual starter. If the oil level indicator flickers for several seconds, add oil and restart the engine.



Each time you start the generator, be sure to check oil and fuel level.

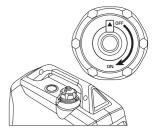
It is forbidden to start the generator with the Economy Mode ON. Economy mode should be turned on only after starting the generator and only with a low load. Failure to comply with this requirement may result in generator failure and void warranty repair.

#### FOR MODELS KS 2100i S, KS 3100i S

- 1. Check oil level.
- Check fuel level.
- 3. Open the vent on the fuel cap to the "ON" position (fig. 1).
- 4. Set the multifunctional switch to a position "START". Please note! The engine switch position depends on the ambient temperature and the composition of the gas mixture.
- 5. For manual start pull the manual starter until a slight resistance is felt, then pull it toward you relatively sharply. Slowly turn the manual starter by hand, do not release it abruptly.
- 6. Turn the multifunctional switch to the "RUN" position.

#### FOR MODEL KS 5500iES ATSR

- 1. The generator is supplied with disconnected battery. When using the generator for the first time, open the maintenance door and connect the battery line (fig. 3). For long-term storage of generator, disconnect the battery line (for models KS 5500iES ATSR, KS 5500iEG S).
- 2. Check oil level.
- 3. Check fuel level.
- 4. Turn the fuel valve handle to the "ON" position (OPEN).
- 5. For manual start press MAIN POWER button to "ON" position, pull the handle of manual starter until a slight resistance is felt, then pull it relatively sharply. Slowly return the manual starter handle by hand, do not release it abruptly.
- 5.1. For electric start press MAIN POWER button to "ON" position, then press the ELECTRIC START button.



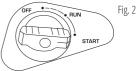


Fig. 3









IMPORTANT!



Useful tip: to ensure long-term operation of the generator engine, it is important to observe the following tips: - Before connecting the load, allow the engine to run for

- 1-2 minutes to warm it up.
- When disconnecting the load after lengthy operation, do not turn off the generator immediately. Allow the generator to run idle for 1-2 minutes so that it cools down.



ATTENTION – DANGER!



Do not connect two or more devices at a time. The startup of many devices requires high power. Devices should be connected one at a time according to their power rating.

#### RUNNING GENERATOR ON LPG (KS 2100iG S, KS 3100iG S, KS 5500iEG S)

1. Check oil level.

2. For model KS 5500iFG S - set the fuel switch FUFL CHOICE to LPG.

The inverter generators KS 2100iG S, KS 3100iG S use smart fuel switching system. In order to use LPG as fuel you need to connect a hose to the



corresponding connector on the generator panel and open the valve on the gas cylinder. The solenoid valve will automatically shut off the petrol supply from the petrol tank.

- 3. Connect the LPG hose to the LPG input on the generator control panel (connect end **A** of a hose to the LPG input on the generator control panel, as shown in Fig. 4).
- 4. Connect the hose end with the reducer to the gas cylinder (connect end **B** of hose to the gas cylinder. as shown in Fig. 4).
- 5. Open the gas valve on the cylinder, making sure that no gas is leaking.
- 6. When using for the first time, fill the gas line with gas by turning the key (pressing start button) to the "OFF" position and slowly pull the starter handle to the full cord length 2 to 3 times.
- 7. For manual start KS 5500iE G model, press MAIN POWER button to "ON" position, pull the manual starter until a slight resistance is felt, then pull it toward you relatively sharply. Slowly return the manual starter by hand, do not release it abruptly. For electric start - press MAIN POWER button to "ON" position, then press the ELECTRIC START button. If the engine does not start on the first try, press the ELECTRIC START button again in 3-5 seconds.
- 8. To start KS 2100iG S, KS 3100iG S models, turn the Multifunctional engine switch to the "START" position (fig. 2). Pull the handle of manual starter until a slight resistance is felt, then pull it relatively sharply. Slowly return the handle manual starter by hand, do not release it abruptly. Turn the Multifunctional engine switch to the "RUN" position (fig. 2).





Disconnect the load from the generator before changing fuel. The ECONOMY MODE switch must be in the "OFF" position. Petrol remains in the carburetor make it difficult to start the engine on LPG.

Let the generator run out of petrol until it stops. When switching from petrol to LPG operation, the generator may be unstable during the first 2-3 minutes and the low voltage protection may trip. If the red indicator (overload indicator) lights up in 2-3 minutes after running the generator on LPG when it is running stable, press the AC Reset BUTTON on a panel of generator to restore voltage supply. To do this, close the fuel valve with the generator running and wait until the generator stops completely. To do this, close the fuel valve while the generator is running (set the FUEL CHOICE knob to OFF) to stop the petrol supply to the fuel system for the KS 5500iE G, wait for the generator to come to a complete stop. Then start the generator on LPG. You can also drain the remaining petrol from the carburetor before starting the generator on LPG.

# TO START LPG/PETROL GENERATOR ON PETROL MODE (KS 2100iG S, KS 3100iG S)

- 1. Close the gas valve on the cylinder.
- 2. Open the vent on the fuel cap to the "ON".
- 3. Turn the Multifunctional engineswitch to the "START" position (fig. 2).
- 4. Pull the manual starter until a slight resistance is felt, then pull it toward you relatively sharply. Slowly turn the manual starter by hand, do not release it abruptly.
- 5. Turn the Multifunctional engineswitch to the "RUN" position.

#### TO START LPG/PETROL GENERATOR ON PETROL MODE FOR MODEL KS 5500iEG S

- 1. Check oil level
- Check fuel level.
- Set the fuel switch FUEL CHOICE to GASLONE.

- 4. For manual start turn MAIN POWER button to "ON" position, pull the manual starter until a slight resistance is felt, then pull it toward you relatively sharply. Slowly turn the manual starter by hand, do not release it abruptly.
- 4.1. For electric start turn MAIN POWER button to "ON" position, then press the ELECTRIC START button.





Place the container with gas only vertically, according to the instruction manual for gas cylinders. The horizontal placement of gas cylinders leads to hybrid generator gearbox failure.



IMPORTANT!



Fuel switch should only be performed with the load off.

For models with electric start, check if the battery is charged. If necessary, recharge the battery with a dedicated charger for lithium-ion batteries or start the generator with a manual start and allow it to run idle while it is recharging.



IMPORTANT!



The generator is supplied with disconnected battery. When using the generator for the first time, open the maintenance door and connect the battery line (fig. 3). For long-term storage of generator, disconnect the battery line (for models KS 5500iES ATSR, KS 5500iEG S).

# FUNCTIONAL DESCRIPTION OF INVERTER GENERATORS

It is forbidden to start the generator with the ECONOMY MODE ON. Economy mode should be turned on only after starting the generator and only with a low load. Failure to comply with this requirement may result in generator failure and void warranty repair.

#### **ECON FUNCTION**

- 1. Start the engine.
- 2. Set the ECON switch to "ON".
- 3. Plug the device into an AC outlet.
- 4. Make sure the AC indicator light is on.
- 5. Turn on the electrical device.



IMPORTANT!



The ECON switch must be set to "OFF" to increase engine speed to nominal. When connecting multiple power consumers to the generator, be sure to first connect the one with the highest starting current, and the device with the lowest starting current should be connected last.

#### "ON" MODE

When the ECON switch is in the "ON" position, the control unit monitors the engine speed, reducing it commensurate with the connected load. If the engine speed is not enough to generate electricity to provide the load, the control unit will automatically increase the engine speed.

As a result, fuel consumption is optimized and noise levels are reduced.

#### "OFF" MODE

The ECON switch must be set back to "OFF" when using electrical devices requiring a high starting current, such as a compressor or submersible pump.





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#### PARALLEL FUNCTION

The total output power of the generators can be increased by connecting two inverter generators together using the Parallel Unit from Könner & Söhnen®. Parallel connection of two generators ensures total rated output power of these generators. When the generators are connected in parallel, the power loss is 0.3 kW of the total rated power that can be obtained.

#### DISCONNECT ALL DEVICES BEFORE STOPPING THE GENERATOR!

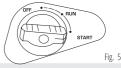
Do not stop the generator with the devices turned on. This may disable the generator or devices connected to it!

# TO STOP THE ENGINE, PROCEED AS FOLLOWS

- 1. Turn off all devices.
- 2. Allow the generator to run idle for approx. 1-2 minutes.
- 3. For dual fuel models close LPG supply valve on LPG bottle.
- 4. For model KS 5500iE G set the FUEL CHOICE knob to the "OFF" position.
- 5. For models KS 2100i S, KS 3100i S, KS 2100iG S, KS 3100iG S. Turn the multifunctional engine switch to the "OFF" position. For models KS 5500iES ATSR, KS 5500iEG S press the ELECTRIC START button, then press MAIN POWER button to "OFF" position
- 6. Unplug the devices.
- 7. After the generator stops, allow it to cool down and close the air vent on the fuel cap (set to OFF, as shown in Fig. 5, for models KS 2100i S, KS 2100iG S, KS 3100i S, KS 3100iG S - when switching off petrol operation).









IMPORTANT!



Inverter generators from Könner & Söhnen® are equipped with lithium batteries with an operating voltage similar to conventional lead-acid batteries. When the generator is running, the battery is charged automatically. If it is necessary to charge the battery with an external device, we recommend using the KS-B2A charger or the charger for charging lead-acid motorcycle batteries with a nominal voltage of 12V with a charge current of not more than 2A.

#### CHARGING AN EXTERNAL 12 V BATTERY

- 1. Start the engine.
- 2. Connect the red wire to the positive (+) terminal of the battery.
- 3. Connect the black wire to the negative (-) terminal of the battery.
- 4. Connect the wire to a 12V/8.3A DC socket on the control panel of the generator.
- 5. To start charging the battery, set ECON to "OFF".
- 6. Turn the 12 V DC fuse to the "ON" position.





- Make sure the ECON mode is off while the battery is being charged.
- Be sure to connect the charger's red wire to the plus (+) terminal of the battery and the black wire to the minus (-) terminal of the battery. Do not swap the terminals.
- Connect the charger to the battery terminals securely so that they are not disconnected due to motor vibrations or other actions.
- The 12 V socket can only be used as a backup source for recharging batteries and shall not be deemed as a full-featured battery charger.
- The DC protector turns off automatically if the current is higher than the rated current while the battery is being charged. To restore battery charging, turn on the DC fuse by pressing the "ON" button.

If the DC protector turns off again, stop charging the battery because the charging current is too high. Do not charge batteries if their current consumption is more than 8.3 A (depending on the generator model).





Never smoke or interrupt battery connections to the generator while the battery is being charged.

# **MAINTENANCE**

Contact us to get technical support and find out the address of the nearest service center: support.uk@dimaxgroup.de

### **TECHNICAL MAINTENANCE WORKS**

Unit	Action	At each start	First month or 20 operating hours	Every 3 months or 50 operating hours	Every 6 months or 100 operating hours	Every year or 300 operating hours
Motor oil	Level check	<b>⊘</b>				
WOLOT OII	Replacement		$\bigcirc$	<b>⊘</b>		
Air filter	Check / Cleaning	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	<b>⊘</b>		
Air fiiter	Replacement				Ø	
Cuarle alua	Cleaning		<b>⊘</b>	$\bigcirc$		
Spark plug	Replacement				Ø	
Fuel tank	Level check	Ø				
Fuel tank	Cleaning					Ø
Fuel filter	Check (clean out)		Ø	Ø		

- If the generator often operates at high temperature or high load, the oil should be replaced every 25 operating hours.
- If the engine often runs in dusty or other harsh conditions, clean the air filter every 10 operating hours.
- If you missed the maintenance time, perform it as soon as possible to save the generator engine.

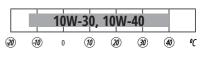


IMPORTANT!



The manufacturer shall not be liable for any damage caused by failure to perform maintenance work.

Use oils designed for four-stroke cycle vehicle engines SAE10W-30, SAE10W-40. Motor oils with other viscosity levels, may be used only if the average air temperature in your region does not exceed the limits of the temperature range, specified in the table.



Upon oil level decrease it is necessary to add the required quantity in order to provide the correct generator operation. It is necessary to check the oil levels according to technical maintanance schedule. Further details can be found in the full version of the manual on our website.

# AIR FILTER TECHNICAL MAINTENANCE

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Air filter cleaning is to be performed each 50 hours of the generator operation (every 10 hours in unusually dusty conditions).

#### CLEANING THE FILTER:

- 1. Open the clips on the upper cap of the air filter.
- 2. Remove the sponge filtering element.
- 3. Remove all dirt deposits inside the hollow case of the air filter.
- 4. Thoroughly wash the filtering element in warmsoapy water.
- 5. Dry the sponge filter.
- 6. Dry filtering element is to be moistened by motor oil and excess oil is to be squeezed out.

# SPARK PLUGS TECHNICAL MAINTENANCE

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Spark plug has to be intact, without soot deposits and to have a correct gap.

#### SPARK PLUG VERIFICATION:

- 1. Remove the cap from the spark plug.
- 2. Remove the spark plug by means of a corresponding spanner.
- 3. Examine the spark plug. If is is shattered it is necessary to replace it. Recommended replacement spark plugs A5 RTC. For moddels KS 5500iES ATSR, KS 5500iEG S A7 RTC.
- 4. Measure the gap. It has to be within range 0.7-0.8 mm.
- 5. In case of repeated use, the spark plug has to be cleaned by means of a metal brush. After that set the correct gap.

# DAMPER AND FLAME ARRESTER MAINTENANCE

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The engine and damper will get very hot after the generator has been started. Do not touch the engine or damper with any part of your body or clothing during inspection or repair until they have cooled down.

Remove the screws and then pull the protective cover towards you. Loosen the bolts and remove the cover, screen and flame arrester of the damper. Descale the screen and flame arrester of the damper with a wire brush. Inspect the screen and flame arrester of the damper. Replace them if they are damaged. Replace the flame arrester. Replace the screen and cover of the damper. Replace the cover and tighten the screws.



IMPORTANT!



Match the protrusion of the flame arrester to the hole in the pipe damper.





Never use petrol while smoking or in the immediate vicinity of an open flame.

- 1. Remove the fuel tank cap and fuel filter.
- 2. Clean the filter with petrol.
- 3. Wipe the filter and replace it.
- 4. Replace the fuel tank cap. Make sure that the fuel tank cap is tight.

**BATTERY USE** 

The generator battery is not subject to service. Low temperatures may lower the capacity of the lithium-ion battery and may cause an unstable generator start.



IMPORTANT!



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**STORAGE** 



IMPORTANT!



The generator must be stored and transported with a closed vent at all times!

Storage room has to be dry and free from dust deposits. Storage room also has to be locked away from children and animals. It is recommended to store and use the generator at temperature of -20°C to +40°C. Avoid direct sunlight, rain on the generator. When using and storing hybrid generator, gas tank should be kept indoors at temperatures below +10°C. If the temperature is lower, gas will evaporate. Information on long-term storage and transportation can be found in the full version of the manual.

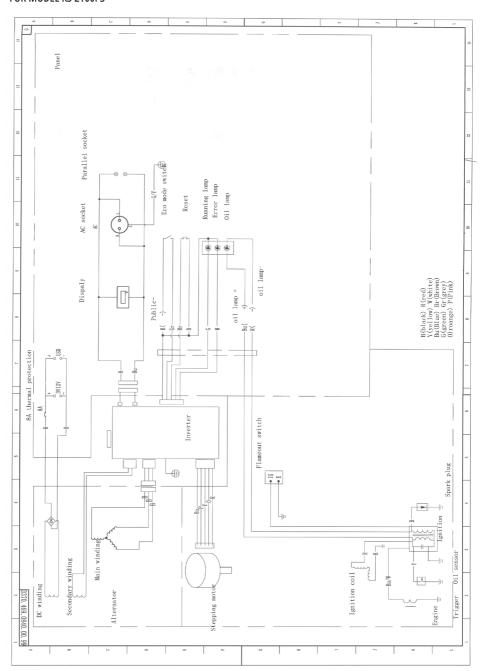
# BATTERY AND GENERATOR DISPOSAL

To prevent environment damage generator and battery should be separated from ordinary waste. Please recycle them in the safest way, passing it to special place for disposal.

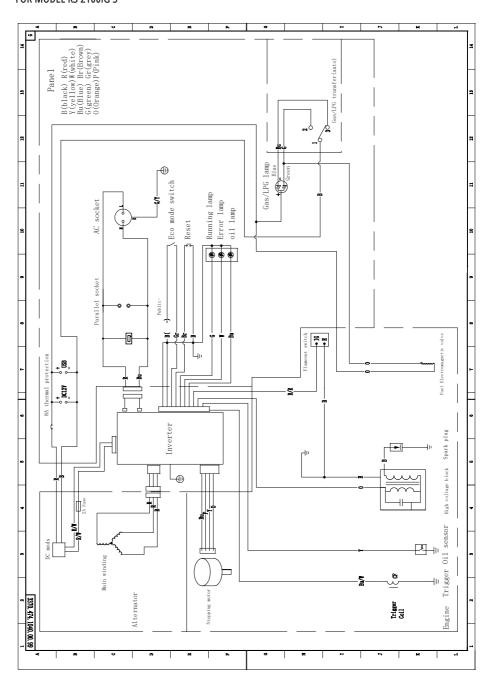
Typical failures	Possible reason	Solution	
Typical failules			
Facility designs	Engine starting swinch set to OFF position	Set the engine starting switch to ON	
	Fuel valve set to off position	Turn the valve to ON position	
	Air flap is opened	Shut the air flap	
Engine does not starting	No fuel	Add fuel	
	Low-quality or dirty fuel is in engine	Change the fuel	
	Sparking plug smoked or corrupted distance between contacts is not nominal	Clean or replace the plug; Set proper distance between contacts	
	Dirt in fuel tank	Clean the fuel tank	
	Dirt in the air filter	Clean the air filter	
Low engine power / heavy starting	Water in a fuel tank/ carburetor; carburetor is jammed	Empty the fuel tank, carburetor	
	Distance between contacts of a sparking plug is not nominal	Set proper distance between contacts	
Engine overheated	Cooling fins are dirty	Clean the cooling fins	
	Air filter is dirty	Clean the air filter	
No voltage while working engine	Circuit breaker is active	Turn on the cricuit breaker	
	Connected cables are corrupted	Check the cables; if using extension cord, change it	
	Plugged device failure	Try to connect other devices	
Connected devices are not working while generator is running	Generator is overloaded	Unplug some devices to reduce load	
	Short circuit occured in one of the devices connected	Unplug that device to restore the stability of a system	
	Air filter is dirty	Clean the air filter	
	Repetitions of an engine are lower than nominal	Contact the service center	

Device	Average power usage, W
Iron	500-1100
Air hair dryer	450-1200
Coffee machine	800-1500
Electric cooking stove	800-1800
Toaster	600-1500
Air heater	1000-2000
Vacuum cleaner	400-1000
Radio	50-250
BBQ Grill electric device	1200-2300
Oven	1000-2000
Refrigerator	100-150
TV set	100-400
Hammer drill	600-1400
Drill	400-800
Freezer	100-400
Grinding machine	300-1100
Circular saw	750-1600
Angle grinder	650-2200
Electro jigsaw	250-700
Electro planer	400-1000
Compressor	750-3000
Water pump	750-3900
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Electric lawn	750-3000
Electric powered engines	550-5000
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Air conditioner	1000-5000

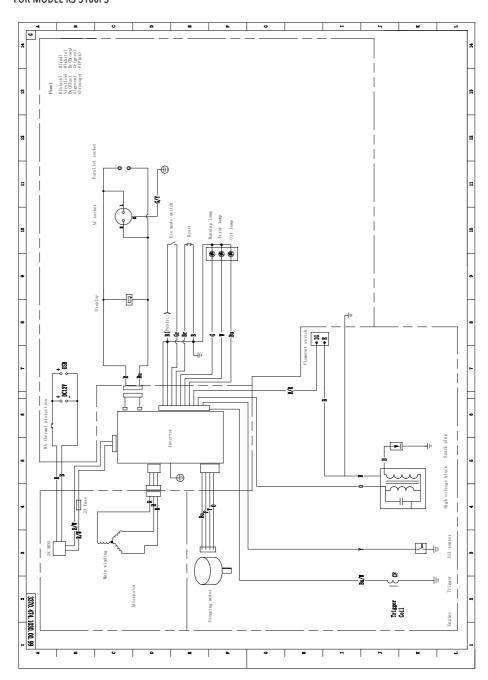
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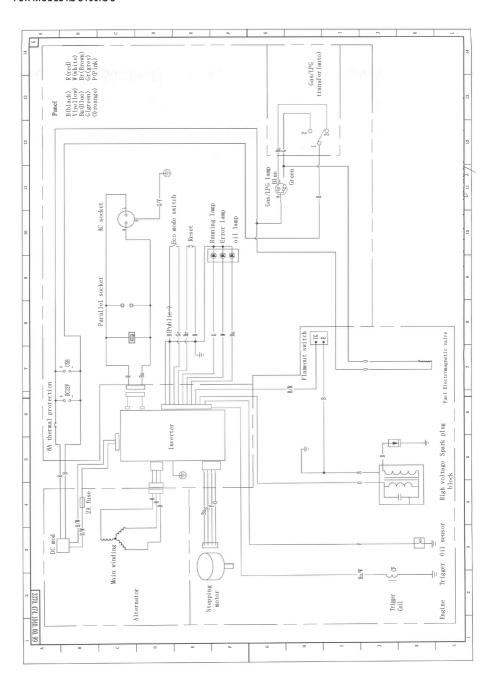
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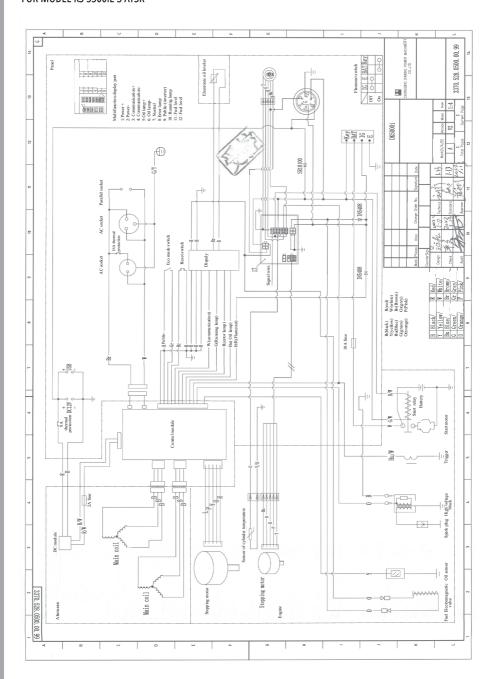
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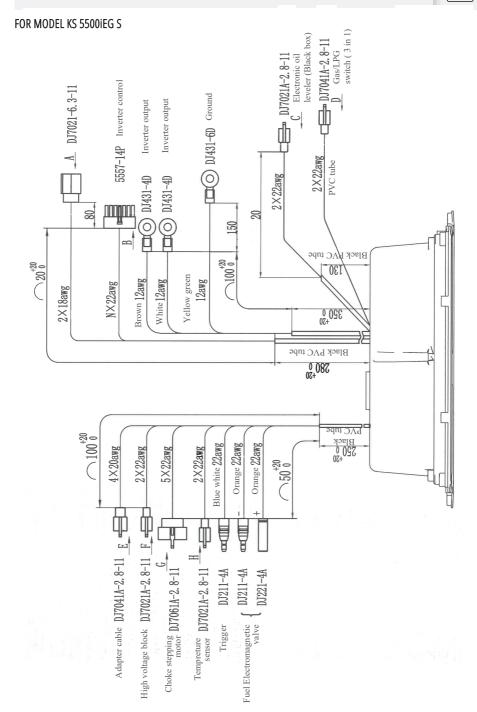


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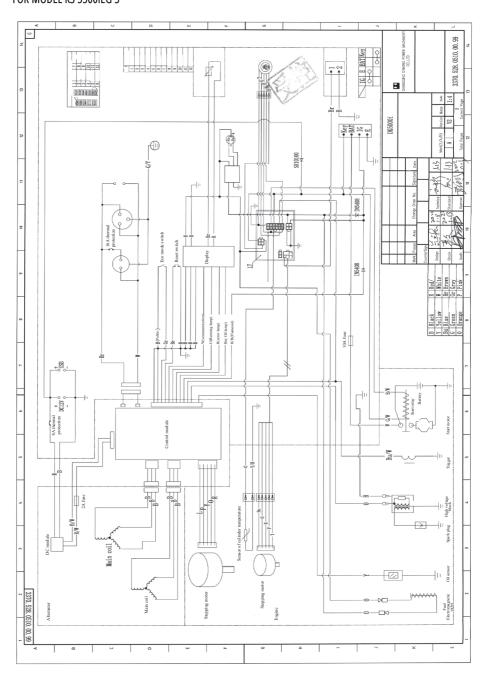


#### FOR MODEL KS 5500iE S ATSR





### FOR MODEL KS 5500iEG S





# **EC Declaration of Conformity**

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The following products have been tested by us with the listed standards and found in compliance with the European Community Machinery Directive 2006/42/EC, Electromagnetic compatibility Directive (EMC) 2014/30/EC, Noise Directive 2000/14/EC.

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Address: Flinger Broich 203, 40235 Duesseldorf, Germany

Product: Inverter generators "Könner & Söhnen"

Type / Model: KS 2100i S, KS 2100i G S, KS 3100i S, KS 3100i G S

KS 5500iES ATSR, KS 5500iEG S

The statement is based on a single evaluation of above mentioned products. It does not imply an assessment of the whole production and does not permit the use of the test lab. logo. The manufacturer should ensure that all product in series production are in conformity with the product sample detailed in this report. The applicant should hold the whole technical report at disposal of the competent all the right.

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Applied Standards: EN ISO 3744:1995

EN 55012:2007+A1: 2009

ISO 8528-13:2016 EN 60204 1:2018

Gasoline engine KS 110i, KS 160i, KS 330i corresponds to European Emission Standard Euro V (Stage V). This is confirmed by EUTYPE-APPROVAL CERTIFICATE issued by department of transport of Madrid, Spain. Technical service responsible for carrying out the test - IDIADA. Date of issue 24/02/2021

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