

Nº 139 SERVICE BULLETIN



I/O Power Driver Board

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SUBJ: F21 (50vdc) Fuse Blows Intermittently, System Checks OK on

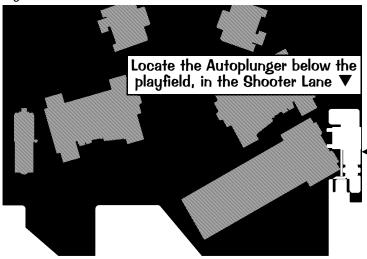


Symptom:

The game will not serve the ball into Shooter Lane. After checking the fuses on the I/O Power Driver Board, the F21 Fuse (3A 250v Slo-Blo) is found to be blown. The fuse is replaced and everything works properly until the fuse blows again within a period of 1 week to a month or more.

Explanation:

The type of coil used for the Autoplunger is a **23-700** (Coil #**Q2**). This is a relatively powerful coil and uses more current then most other coils on the playfield. *In certain locations where line voltage is much higher than normal and you have skilled players that achieve many Multiball features the fuse can fatigue and blow.*



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IF YOU DO NOT HAVE THE SYMPTOMS, THEN YOU WILL NOT REQUIRE THE COIL CHANGE.

Solution:

Replace the Autoplunger Coil with a **24-940** Type Coil (SPI Part Number 090-5036-00T). This coil has enough power to launch the ball into play, but will not fatigue or blow your fuse.

Note: We have received calls on **only a small** % of games.

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