

Service Note

Oil filler cap

For Mecanil grapple saws, especially SG160RC-series when transporting the grapple in an upright position. There have been reports that chain lubrication oil may leak through the breather hole in the oil cap.



To solve this problem we have tested to use a completely sealed cap instead of the original cap.



The test was completely successful with no problems, the tank was completely drained by normal saw action. Although there was a vacuum buildup in the tank, everything worked normally. However this was made under "laboratory" conditions in 23 $^{\circ}$ (73,5 $^{\circ}$).

If users have problems with oil leaking through the vented cap, this may be tested. We do not foresee anything in the field making this problematic but follow up is recommended.

