

12-Volt Solid-State (Electronic) Regulator (33.3072) for the Γ-424 11-Amp Alternator

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 - Alternator / Regulator Application in Ural and Dnepr Wiring
- What is the 33.3072 Regulator?
 - External Voltage Regulator for the Γ-424 11-Amp Alternator
 - Completely Solid-State (Electronic, Transistorized)
 - Years of Application: 1992-to-1998
 - Replaced PP-330 Relay-Type (Mechanical) Regulator
 - Superceded by 35-Amp Alternator (14.3771) with Built-In Regulator
- How Does It Work?
 - Supplies Exciter Current to Vary Magnetic Field in Rotor Coil
 - Provides Constant Voltage Regardless of Rotor Speed
 - Regulates Alternator Output Voltage to 14-Volts
- Replacement
 - Widely Used in Lada (Russian) Vehicles
 - Replacements Purchased On-Line

The electronic regulator (33.3072) was a welcome substitute for the vibration-sensitive PP-330 (electro-magnetic) mechanical regulator used in the Γ-424 11-Amp Alternator.

Types of Generators/Alternators for Ural (Урал) and Dnepr (Днепр) (01/10) eafranke@tampabay.rr.com

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Generator/	Туре	Vintage	Nominal Voltage	Current	Nominal Power	Regulator	Motorcycles	
Alternator							Ural(IMZ)	Dnepr (KMZ)
Γ-11 (G-11) (P/N: 72181)	DC Generator	1941- 1951	6-Volt (7-Volt)	7-Атр	45-Watts	PP-1 PP-31 (1950)	M-72	Not Used
Γ-11A (G-11A) (P/N: 72181-A)	DC Generator	1952- 1957	6-Volt (7-Volt)	7-Атр	45-Watts	PP-31 (1950) PP-31A (1956)	M-72, M-72M, M-61	M-72, M-72N, early K-750
Γ-414 (G-414) (P/N: 750181)	DC Generator	1957- 1974	6-Volt (7-Volt)	10-Amp	65-Watts	PP-31A (1956) PP-302 (1963) PP-302A	M-62, M-63, M-66	K-650, later K-750, K-750M, MW-750, MW-750M, MT-8, MT-9, MT-12
Γ-424 (G-424) (P/N: 3701000)	Alternator (Built-in Rectifier)	1974- 1998	12-Volt (14-Volt)	11-Amp (aka 14-A)	150-Watts	PP-330 33.3702 (1992)	M-67, M67.36, IMZ 8.103 Series	MW-650, MW-650M, MT-10, MT-10.36, MT-11, MT-14, MT-16
<b>Hitachi</b> (Limited Appearance)	Alternator/ Starter	1998- 1998.5	12-Volt (14-Volt)	18-Amp	300-Watts	Internal to Alternator??	IMZ 8.103 and 8.107 "650" Series	Not Used
14.3771 (P/N: 14.3771- 010)	Alternator (Built-in Rectifier & Regulator)	1998.5 -2004	12-Volt (14-Volt)	35-Amp	500-Watts (aka 350-W)	Internal to Alternator (YA212A11E)	IMZ 8.103, 8.103X, 8.123, 8.123X "650 & 750" Series	Not Used
Nippon Denso (P/N: IMZ-8.1037- 18092)	Alternator (Built-in Rectifier & Regulator)	2004- present	12-Volt (14-Volt)	55-Amp	770-Watts	Internal to Alternator (126000-0600)	IMZ 8.103, 8.103X, 8.123, 8.123X "750" Series	Not Used

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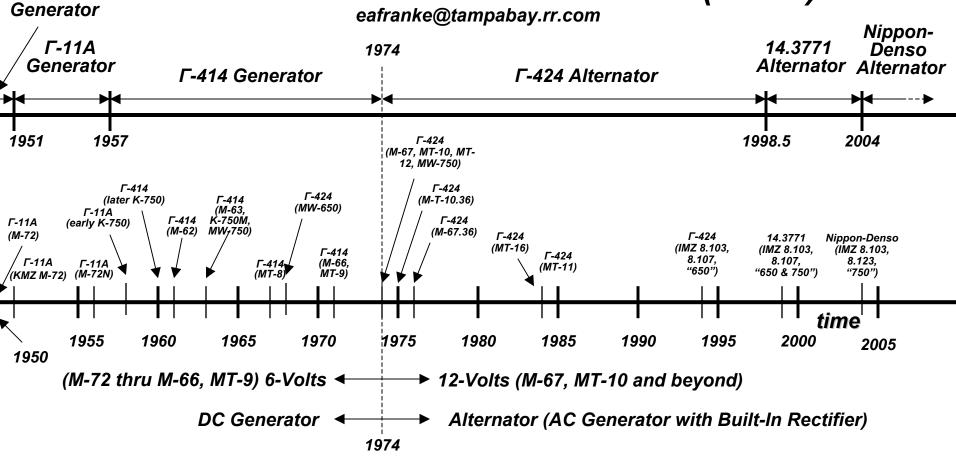
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- Nomenclature: The Cyrillic letter " $\Gamma$ " transliterates (Russian-to-Latin) to "G" or "L" or "T." Thus we see  $\Gamma$ -414 or G-414 or L-414 or T-414, all for the same part. Cannot use Alternator with discharged battery or without battery.



Γ-11



Alternators have progressed in output voltage and power, from the Γ-11 (G-11) generator of 6-Volts/45-Watts in 1941, the Γ-11A in 1952, the Γ-414 of 6-Volts/65-Watt in 1957, the Γ-424 of 12-Volts/150-Watts in 1974, the 14.3771 of 12-Volts/500-Watts in 1998.5, to the present-day Nippon-Denso alternator of 12-Volts/770-Watts.

### Alternator Specification: Γ-424 (G-424) (1974-1998)

- 12-Volt / 11-Ampere / 150-Watt Alternator (a.k.a. 14-Amp)
- "Full-Time" (Continuous) Current Rating: 11-Amperes
- Alternator Γ-424 Used on;
  - Ural: M-67, M-67.36, IMZ 8.103 "650cc" Series
  - Dnepr: MW-650, MW-650M, MT-10, MT-10.36, MT-11, MT-14, MT-16
- Used with Mechanical (PP-330) & Solid-State (33.3702) Regulators
- 3-Ø (three-phase), 12-Pole Stator Winding for Smooth Output Voltage
- Built-in Full-Wave Rectifier (MSF-2A)





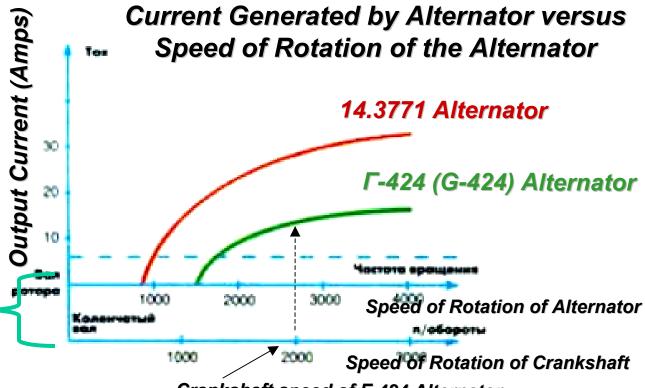
The *C-424* alternator surfaced in 1974 on Ural's M-67 and Dnepr's MT-10, as Russian motorcycles migrated to 12-Volts.

## Γ-424 Russian 11-Amp Alternator

Engine (Crankshaft) Speed	Alternator (Rotor) Speed	Motorcycle Speed (mph/kmph)
Idle (900-to - 1,000 rpm	1,200 rpm -to-1,333 rpm	10 mph/ 16 kmph
2,500 rpm	3,333 rpm	25 mph/ 40 kmph
3,500 rpm	4,667 rpm	40 mph/ 65 kmph

*Γ-424 alternator* rotor turns 1.33X crankshaft

Indicator light may blink when motorcycle moves at 20 mph (30 km/h) and at the instance an additional load is connected!



Crankshaft speed of Γ-424 Alternator to produce Rated Current (15-to-20 mph)

The \( \Gamma \)-424 alternator provides rated current (11-Amps) at 2,000 rpm of the crankshaft. Thus for urban driving (low-speed & traffic lights), the alternator was sufficient to supply the necessary charging current (prior to electric-start).

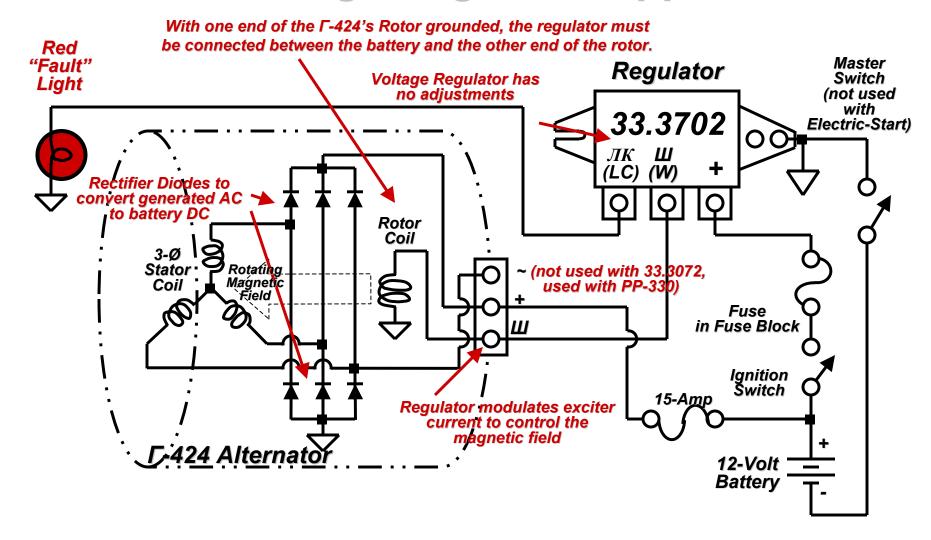
#### 33.3702: Solid-State 12-Volt Regulator for the Γ-424 Alternator

- Rated for 1.5-Amp Current from the Rotor (Exciter) Coil
- Used on Ural (Урал, IMZ): 650-cc 8.903, 8.923, 8.103
- Used on Dnepr (Днепр, KMZ): MT-10, -10.36, -11,-14, -16
- Main Manufacturer: AO K3AM9 (AO KZAME, Russia, Kaluga)
- 6 Transistors
- No Adjustment Possible
- Board Covered with Thick Layer of Lacquer

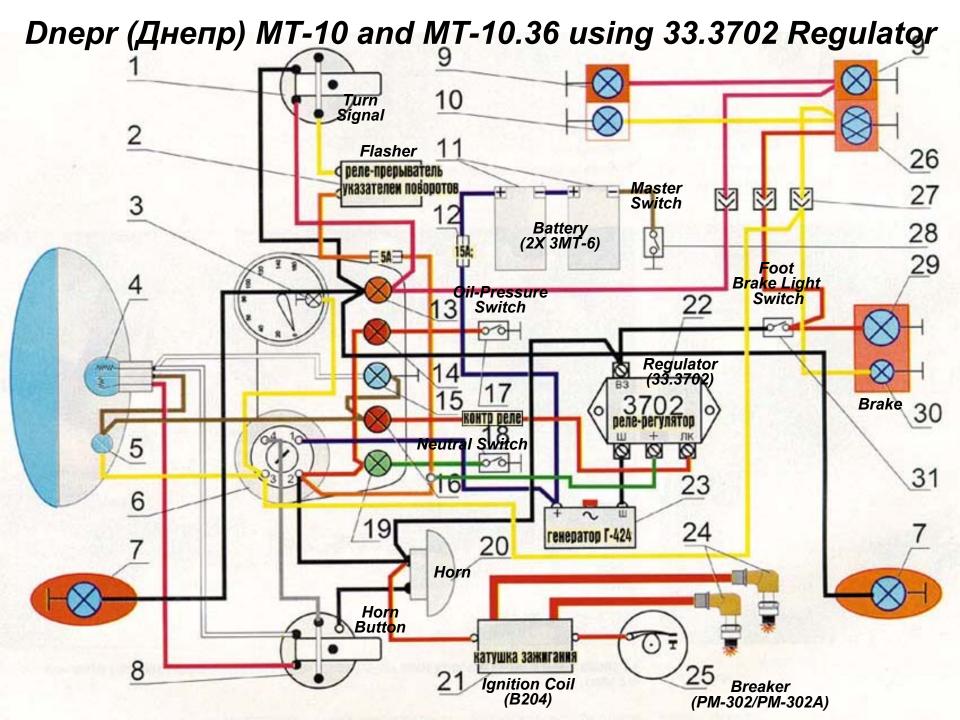


The 33.3702 regulator is readily available from various Ural / Dnepr "parts suppliers" on the Internet.

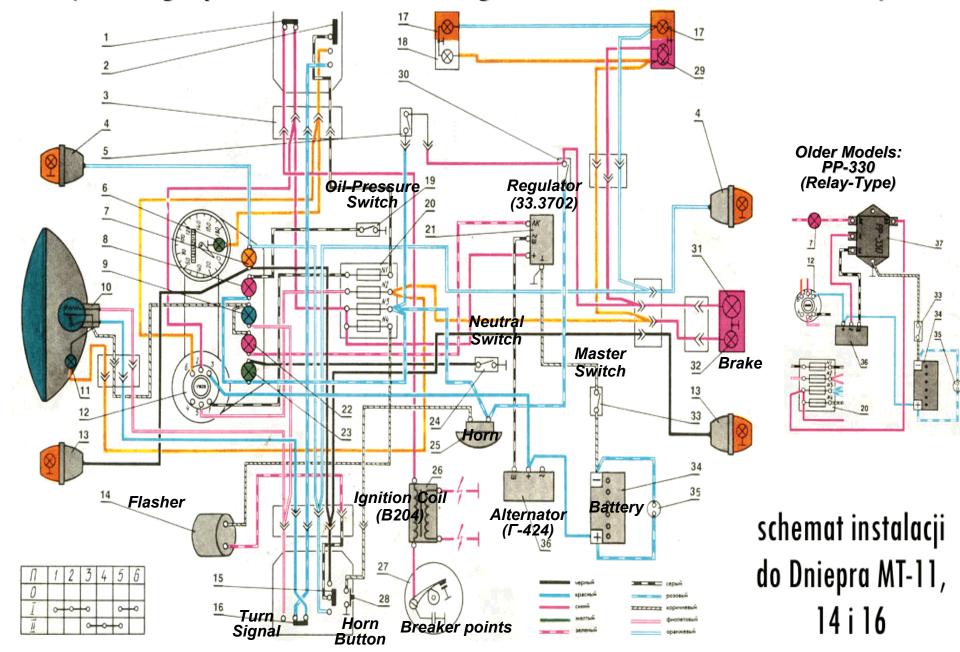
# 33.3072 Voltage Regulator Application



The electronic (33.3072) regulator varies the current in the rotor coil (terminal Ш) to maintain a constant output voltage at the "+" terminal.



# Dnepr (Днепр) MT-11, MT-14 and MT-16 (showing replacement of PP-330 Regulator with the Solid-State 33.3702)



## Alternator and Voltage Regulator Testing

- Ignition Off
  - Measure DC Voltage between Alternator Terminal and Ground
  - Voltage Should Be about 12-to-12.5-Volts
    - If Less than 12-Volts: Battery Needs to be Charged
    - Voltage Below 11-Volts: Indicates Weak or Dead Battery
- Ignition On, Lights On
  - Warning: Do Not Increase Engine Speed if Voltage Rises beyond 16-Volts, as This Will Damage Motorcycle Electrics
  - If Regulator is Functioning Properly: 13.5- to- 14.5-Volts
- Increase Engine Speed from Idle
  - Voltage Should Rise to about 14-Volts (ideally 14.4-Volts)
  - If Voltage Remains Normal, 13.5 -to- 14.5-Volts; All Is Well!
  - If Voltage immediately Heads towards 15-Volts, Alternator is Good, but Regulator is Broken
  - If Voltage Surpasses 15-Volts with an Increase in Speed and Drops in Voltage when Speed is Decreased, Alternator is Good and Regulator is Broken
  - If Voltage Does Not Rise with Increased Engine Speed; Alternator is Bad, Regulator Most Likely Good

Both the alternator and voltage regulator may be checked on the motorcycle. As the engine speed is increased the output voltage should increase slightly, but regulated to less than 15-Volts.

### Repair of Voltage Regulator and Alternator

- Faulty 33.3702 Regulator
  - Check Terminals of Regulator for Tightness and Corrosion
- Fault Alternator
  - Check All Terminals: Bad Contacts Almost Always the Cause. Clean with Fine Emery Cloth.
  - If Contacts Already Shiny: Remove Block of Carbon Graphite Brushes and Inspect Brushes and Slip-Rings
- Inspect Two Copper Slip-Rings
  - Rings Should Be Flat, Smooth, Shiny Surface, with Possible Darkening on Brush Tracks
  - Clean Tracks: Rub Each Track with Rag or Felt Pad Soaked with Solvent / Acetone
  - Warning: Do Not Clean Slip-Rings with Abrasive! Do Not Use Sandpaper or File! Any abrasive Will Make Scratches on Surface of Soft Copper Tracks. Scratches Will Work on Graphite Brushes Like an Emery Wheel.
- Check Integrity of Rotor Coil
  - Check Rotor Coil Circuit thru Carbon Brushes: Should Be 1-to-5 Ohms
  - If Tracks Clean and Ohmmeter Reads High: Coil is Open
  - If Rotor Coil Shows Very Little Resistance (less than two ohms):
    Coil is Short-Circuited

A faulty alternator can be repaired, but if the electronic regulator dies it's best to replace.

# Repair of Alternator (cont.)

- Inspect Graphite Carbon Brushes
  - Measure Brush Length: If Less than 1/16" (4 mm): Replace
  - Without Chips and Breaks
  - Working Surface Must Be Smooth and Polished
  - Smoothly Push Brushes into Spring-Loaded Nests: No Resistance
- Check Resistance of Three-Piece Stator Windings
  - Remove from Terminals and Check Resistance between Each Winding
  - Each Winding Should Be about Same Small Value

### How the 33.3702 Voltage Regulator Works

- Alternator Output Voltage Created by Magnetic (exciter) Field Rotating (rotor) within Stationary (three-phase stator) Winding
- Current is Supplied thru Carbon Brushes to Rotor Shaft Slip-Rings via Voltage Regulator
- Stronger Magnetic Field or Higher Rotor Speed Yields Higher Output Voltage
- Regulator Maintains Constant Output Voltage by Modulating Exciter Rotor Current
- Operation:
  - Turn-On (engine not running): Exciter Winding Energized with Ignition Switch On
    - Current flowing in Rotor Coil, Pre-Excitation of the Alternator, before Obtaining Necessary Speed of Rotor
    - Fault Indicator Lamp Indicates Regulator Supplying Current to Rotor (Exciter)
    - If Engine Not Running and Lamp Not Lit: Defective Red "Fault" Lamp "or" Defective Alternator "or" Defective Voltage Regulator
  - After Engine Starts: With rpm's, Alternator then Supplies Exciter Current thru Six Diode Rectifiers, Extinguishing the Red "Fault Light"
    - If "Fault" Lamp Continues to Light, May Be Caused by Broken Connection "or" Defective Alternator
  - Normal Run: Regulator's Output Transistor Provides Variable Path for Rotor Exciter Current to Maintain Constant Output Voltage
- Voltage Settings: 13.5 -to- 14.5-Volts
  - Measure Battery Voltage with Engine Running
  - With Increasing Speed, Voltage Should Slowly Rise to Maximum of 14.5-V, and Must Not Exceed for Further Increases in Speed
  - If Voltage Increases Beyond 15-Volts: Immediately Turn-Off Engine Regulator Is Either Broken or Error in Wiring

The voltage regulator provides a constant 14-Volt output, regardless of the crankshaft or rotor speed or load current.

Migration from Mechanical (PP-330) to Electronic (33.3702) Regulator on Dnepr's MT-11 and MT-16 Fuse Block Fuse Block B3 (BZ) to to PP-330 **Ianition** *lanition* 33.3702 Module Module (RR-330) thru thru ЛК Kill Kill + (LC) (W) (LC) **Switch Switch** Master Master Switch Switch (deleted for (deleted for electric-start) electric-start) Ignition **Ignition Alternator** Alternator Świtch Fault Switch Fault (not used) Indicator Indicator (Dash) (Dash) Γ-424 (G-424) Γ-424 (G-424) Alternator Alternator Γ-424 Terminals Diagram is useful when '+' (output) goes to the battery unmarked 'W' (field) goes to the regulator wires are removed from '~' is not used. Used only with unmarked <del>(6-V</del>olts <del>(6-V</del>olts the old electromechanical terminals! regulators (PP-330). each) each)

### Terminal Marking (Replacing PP-330 with 33.3702)

- 3 Unmarked Terminals On Γ-424 Alternator (11-Amp)
  - '+' 12-Volt (output) to the Battery

  - 'Ш' (field) from Regulator
    '~' not used with 33.3072 Electronic Regulator (used only with older electro-mechanical regulator PP-330)

Alternator Function	Regulator Designation	PP-330 (RR-330) (Mechanical)	33.3702 (Solid-State)
"+" Battery or Alternator	D+	B3 (BZ)	+
Rotor Excitation (shunt)	DF	Ш (W)	Ш (W)
"-" Ground (mass)	B-	Body of Regulator	Body of Regulator
Mid-Point of Alternator	no	~	Absent
"Fault" Lamp Control	no	ЛК (LC)	ЛК (LC)

Electro-magnetic (mechanical) regulators have traditionally used the terms D+ (battery and alternator), DF (control voltage to rotor) and B- (ground).