

Outboard & Boat Engine Wiring Colors

Function	Yamaha	Johnson	Evinrude	Mercury	Honda	Suzuki
Battery Positive	Red	Red/Black	Red/Black	Red	White/Black	White
Battery Negative	Black	Black	Black	Black	Black	Black
Temperature Light/Gauge Sender	Pink	Tan/Orange	Tan/Orange	Tan	Yellow/Green	Pink
Low Oil Light/Gauge Sender	Green/Red	Tan/Black	Tan/Black	Tan/Black	Yellow	
No Oil		Tan/Yellow	Tan/Yellow			Black
Warning Buzzer	Grey/Green	Tan	Tan	Tan/Blue	Red	Blue
Tachometer	Green/Red	Grey	Grey	Gray	Gray	Yellow
Choke	Blue	Purple/White	Purple/White	Yellow/Black	Brown	
Start	Brown	Yellow/Red	Yellow/Red	Yellow/Red	Black/White	Brown
Lanyard Kill Switch	White	Black/Yellow	Black/Yellow	Black/Yellow	Black/Red	Green
Neutral Safety Switch		Yellow/Red	Yellow/Red	Yellow/Red		Brown
Trim Sender	Pink/Black	White/Tan	White/Tan	Brown/White	Yellow/Blue	White/Yellow
Key "On" Power	Yellow	Purple	Purple	Purple	Black/Yellow	Gray
Trim Up	Lt Blue	Blue/White	Blue/White	Lt.Blue/White	Green	Lt Blue
Trim Down	Lt Green	Green/White	Green/White	Lt.Green/White	Blue	Pink
Check Engine Light						Gray

First Color is the primary color of the wire. If there is a second color listed, it is the color of the trace.