

CONTINENTAL MOTORS® AIRCRAFT ENGINE
SERVICE INFORMATION LETTER

CATEGORY 5
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Contains Useful Information Pertaining To Your Aircraft Engine

SUBJECT: Applicability of CMI Service Documents
PURPOSE: To clarify the scope of Continental Motors, Inc. (CMI) Service Documents.
COMPLIANCE: When referencing CMI and TMG installation and maintenance instructions.

MODELS

AFFECTED: Continental Motors, Inc. (CMI) aviation gasoline (AvGas) engines, diesel engines (CD-200), experimental engines and Parts Manufacturer Approval (PMA) components. Technify Motors GmbH (TMG) diesel engines (CD-100, CD-300)

I. GENERAL INFORMATION

Through Technify Motors GmbH (TMG), a Continental Motors Group subsidiary, we've expanded our available product line with additional diesel engines. These compression ignition or diesel engines and products are distinctly different from our legacy Continental Motors, Inc. (CMI) AvGas fueled engines and products, experimental engines, and PMA components.

NOTE: Reference Figure 1, "Continental Motors Group subsidiaries and their product lines; Continental Motors, Inc. (CMI AvGas and Diesel), Technify Motors GmbH (TMG Diesel)," on page 2.

With the addition of multiple Jet-A fueled "diesel" engines to our product line, Continental Motors, Inc. (CMI) would like to remind our customers and maintenance partners that diesel engines and products and their corresponding installation/maintenance requirements and instructions, are separate and distinctly different from our AvGas fueled engines and products.

WARNING

As our AvGas and diesel product lines continue to expand, it is extremely important that our customers consult and utilize the appropriate manuals, service documents, and other publications applicable to their specific engine or product line. DO NOT use ANY published Instruction for Continued Airworthiness, ICAs (e.g. Maintenance Manual, Overhaul Manual, etc.) or Service Document without first determining the specific engine and model to which the instructions apply. Reference OEM ICAs for installation and maintenance instructions applicable to Continental Motors engine parts manufactured under FAA Parts Manufacturer Approvals (PMA).

II. APPLICABILITY

Be aware that some pre-existing CMI service information published for aviation gasoline (AvGas) engines contain the phrase "All Continental Engine Models" or "All Models" in the header of the Service Document (see "MODELS AFFECTED:" above). This however, does not mean that the service information is also applicable for Jet-A fueled "diesel" engines and products, experimental engines or PMA parts.

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III. CUSTOMER SUPPORT

Consult your specific manufacturer’s web site or contact your nearest distributor or service representative for all current released publications supporting engine maintenance, overhaul, operation, performance, service, and technical updates.

Reference the applicable Service Documentation for Continental® Motors, Inc. (CMI) engines and products listed below:

1. Continental Motors, Inc. aviation gasoline (AvGas) type certified engines, <http://www.continentalmotors.aero/> (under the webpage tab labeled “SUPPORT”)
2. Continental Motors, Inc. products manufactured under FAA Parts Manufacturer Approvals (PMA), and experimental engines and parts, <http://continentalmotors.aero/titan/documentation.aspx>.

NOTE: Reference the OEM ICAs for installation and maintenance instructions applicable to Continental Motors engine parts manufactured under FAA Parts Manufacturer Approvals (PMA). If a specific procedure is not addressed in a CMI PMA Service Document, the applicable procedure in the OEM's current Overhaul and Maintenance Manuals, Instructions for Continued Airworthiness (ICAs), and Service Documents apply.

3. Technify Motors GmbH compression ignition (Diesel) type certified engines, <http://www.tmg-service.de/>

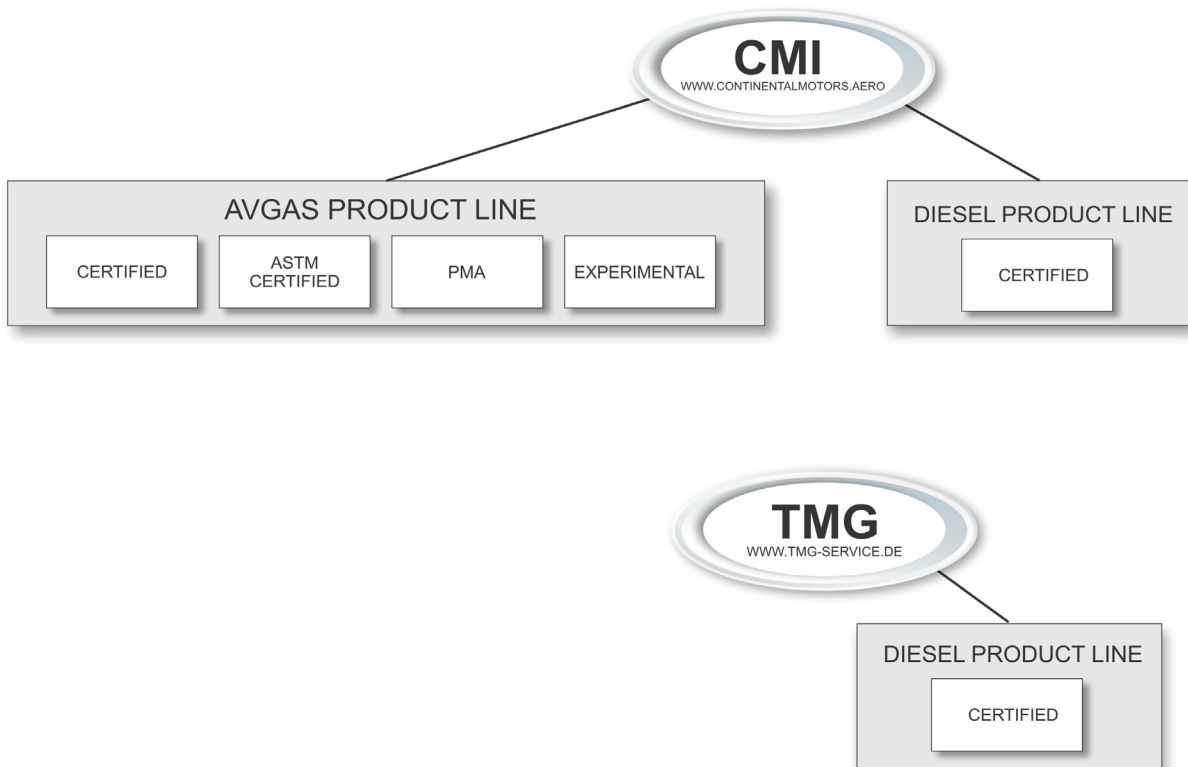


Figure 1. Continental Motors Group subsidiaries and their product lines; Continental Motors, Inc. (CMI AvGas and Diesel), Technify Motors GmbH (TMG Diesel)

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