

Motor Maintenance Guide

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Chapter 1. Introduction

Welcome to the Bolbo electric-plugin car manual. This guide provides essential information on the car's dual motor system and related maintenance.

The Bolbo is equipped with a dual motor system that combines the efficiency of an electric motor with the reliability of a combustion (termic) engine. This unique configuration ensures optimal performance, fuel efficiency, and lower emissions.

This manual is designed to help you understand the key features of both the electric and termic motors, as well as their necessary maintenance procedures. Always follow the outlined safety procedures to ensure safe and efficient maintenance.

Chapter 2. Electric Motor

Overview of the Electric Motor

This section provides an overview of the electric motor used in the Bolbo car, detailing its functionality and benefits.

The Bolbo's electric motor is designed to offer a powerful and efficient driving experience. This motor converts electrical energy stored in high-capacity batteries into mechanical energy, which propels the vehicle. The electric motor operates silently and delivers instant torque, ensuring smooth acceleration and high performance.

One of the key advantages of the electric motor is its eco-friendliness, as it produces zero emissions during operation. Additionally, the electric motor requires less maintenance compared to traditional combustion engines, due to fewer moving parts.

Safety Procedures for Electric Motor Maintenance

Steps to Safely Disconnect and Handle the Electric Components

This topic outlines the critical steps necessary to safely disconnect and handle the electric components of the motor.

Introduction

Working with electric motors requires caution and adherence to safety protocols to prevent accidents and ensure proper maintenance. Follow these steps carefully to disconnect and handle electric components safely.

Safety Steps

1. **Power Down:** Ensure the motor is completely powered down. Turn off the main power switch and disconnect the motor from any power sources.
2. **Lockout/Tagout:** Implement the lockout/tagout procedure to ensure that the motor cannot be accidentally powered on while maintenance is being performed.
3. **Verify Absence of Voltage:** Use a voltage tester to confirm that there is no electrical energy in the motor or its components

4. **Discharge Capacitors:** Identify and discharge all capacitors within the system to eliminate the risk of electric shock from stored energy.
5. **Use Insulated Tools:** Always use tools with insulated handles rated for the appropriate voltage when working with electrical components.
6. **Wear Protective Gear:** Wear insulated gloves and safety goggles to protect yourself from potential electrical hazards.
7. **Disconnect Wiring:** Carefully disconnect all wiring from the motor. Label the wires if necessary to ensure correct reassembly.
8. **Store Components Safely:** Place all disconnected components in a safe, dry location to avoid damage and contamination.

Conclusion

Following these safety steps will help ensure that maintenance on electric motors is conducted safely and efficiently. Always adhere to manufacturer guidelines and local safety regulations.

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Battery Health and Maintenance

Chapter 3. Termic (Combustion) Motor

Overview of the Termic Motor

This section provides an overview of the termic (combustion) motor used in the Bolbo car, detailing its functionality and benefits.

The Bolbo's termic motor, also known as the combustion engine, is designed to provide robust and reliable performance. This engine works by burning fuel (such as gasoline) to create a controlled explosion, which generates mechanical energy to propel the vehicle. The combustion engine is particularly useful for extended range and fast refueling, providing flexibility for long-distance travel.

The termic motor in the Bolbo is engineered with advanced technologies to optimize fuel efficiency and minimize emissions. It operates in conjunction with the electric motor, allowing the vehicle to switch seamlessly between power sources based on driving conditions and battery charge levels.

Safety Procedures for Termic Motor Maintenance

Steps to Ensure the Engine and Components are Safe to Work On

Follow these steps to ensure the termic (combustion) engine and its components are safe to work on before performing any maintenance.

1. **Turn Off the Engine:** Make sure the engine is completely turned off and the key is removed from the ignition to prevent accidental starting.
2. **Allow Engine to Cool:** Wait for the engine to cool down to avoid burns or other injuries. This usually takes about 30 minutes after the engine has been running.
3. **Disconnect the Battery:** Disconnect the negative terminal of the car battery to cut off the power supply, reducing the risk of electrical shocks.
4. **Use Personal Protective Equipment (PPE):** Wear appropriate PPE such as gloves, safety glasses, and long sleeves to protect yourself from potential hazards.
5. **Work in a Well-Ventilated Area:** Ensure you are working in an area with good ventilation to avoid inhaling any harmful fumes or gases.

6. **Secure the Vehicle:** Use wheel chocks to prevent the car from moving. Engage the parking brake and ensure the vehicle is on a flat, stable surface.
7. **Refer to the Manual:** Always consult the vehicle's service manual for specific safety instructions related to the termic motor.

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Engine Oil and Filter Change

Troubleshooting

A list of possible causes and solutions about why the motor is not starting. Start with a summary of the steps needed to safely work on the motor. Start with a short description about how the motor works.

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      <li>Wear appropriate personal protective
equipment (PPE), such as gloves and safety glasses.</li>
      <li>Use insulated tools to avoid electrical shocks.</li>

      <li>Follow the manufacturer's instructions and
safety guidelines.</li>
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    <li>Wear appropriate personal protective
    equipment (PPE), such as gloves and safety glasses.</li>
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