

ELECTRICAL SYSTEM GUIDE - “ET PROPORTIONAL”

3516E-4020E-4520E Prop / Compact A2B
(EGAADD-P***, EEBAAC-P***,
EJBAAD-P***)



INTRODUCTION

ABBREVIATIONS USED IN THIS GUIDE

- CRANE FUNCTIONS

- WU = WINCH UP (RAISE LOAD / PAY IN)
- WD = WINCH DOWN (LOWER LOAD / PAY OUT)
- BU = BOOM UP (ELEVATE BOOM)
- BD = BOOM DOWN (LOWER BOOM)
- BO = BOOM OUT (EXTEND BOOM)
- BI = BOOM IN (RETRACT BOOM)
- RR = ROTATE RIGHT
- RL = ROTATE LEFT

- A2B = ANTI-TWO-BLOCK

WHY IS IT NECESSARY & WHAT DOES IT DO?

ANTI-TWO-BLOCK SYSTEM,
OVERLOAD PROTECTION SYSTEM,
& TOP POSITION SWITCH

ANTI-TWO-BLOCK (A2B) SYSTEM

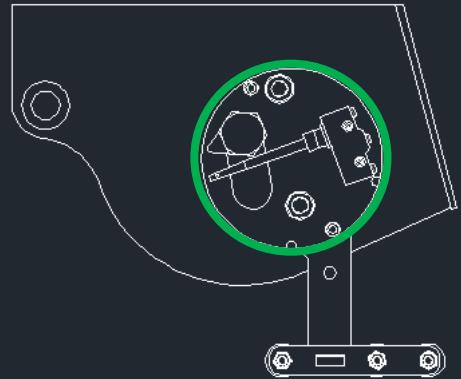
- Why Is It Necessary?

- Prevents over-tensioning of the wire-rope which could occur if the load block were to make contact with the boom tip
- An Anti-Two-Block system is required by ASME/ANSI B30.5 Section 5-1.9.9.1

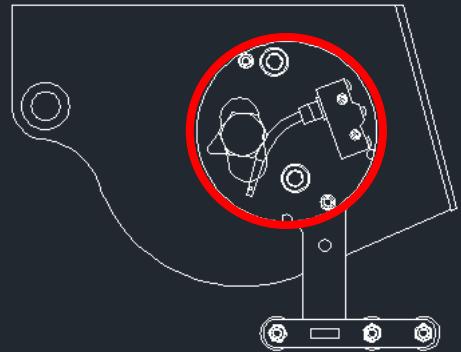
- What Does It Do?

- The A2B Switch is located on the boom head (tip)
- The A2B Switch is wired as a Normally Closed (N/C) switch (when wand is relaxed); during normal operation the electrical circuit is Closed
- The Closed electrical circuit provides a ground path to WU, BD, BO
- When the Compact A2B is contacted by the load block, the A2B Switch is actuated and the electrical circuit is Open
- The Open electrical circuit removes the ground path from WU (relay), BD (valve coil), and BO (valve coil)

Normal



Actuated



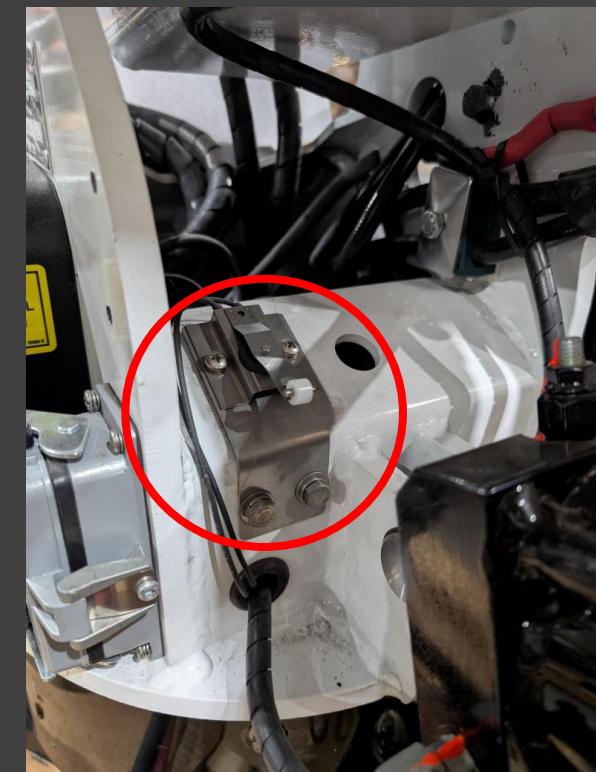
OVERLOAD PRESSURE SYSTEM

- Why Is It Necessary?
 - Prevents structural damage to the crane
- What Does It Do?
 - The heart of the system is the Overload Pressure Switch located at the base end of the elevation cylinder
 - The pressure in the base end of the elevation cylinder is used to approximate the stress on the crane due to the load it is lifting at a distance (“overturning moment”)
 - When the Overload Pressure Switch reaches its set pressure, it disconnects the Black Common wire from the Normally Closed Blue/Green wire, removing the ground path from WU (relay), BD (valve coil), and BO (valve coil)



TOP POSITION SWITCH

- Why Is It Necessary?
 - When the elevation cylinder reaches full stroke, the pressure in the base end of the cylinder exceeds the overload pressure, causing the crane to detect an overload condition (it is a “false” overload)
 - Overload disables Boom Down along w/ WU and BO
 - Without the Top Position Switch, the boom would be stuck at full elevation without any way to lower it, since Boom Down would be disabled
- What Does It Do?
 - Located on the front bulkhead of the housing near the base of the elevation cylinder
 - Normally Open (N/O) switch
 - When boom is fully elevated, switch is actuated by elevation cylinder base
 - Once actuated, switch provides alternate ground to Boom Down valve solenoid coil, allowing boom to be lowered and the pressure relieved



TROUBLESHOOTING

TOOLS / ITEMS NEEDED

- Multimeter with +12 VDC and Continuity/Resistance measurement capability
- Needle Nose Pliers
- Side Cutters (to cut zip ties)
- Zip Ties (to replace removed zip ties)

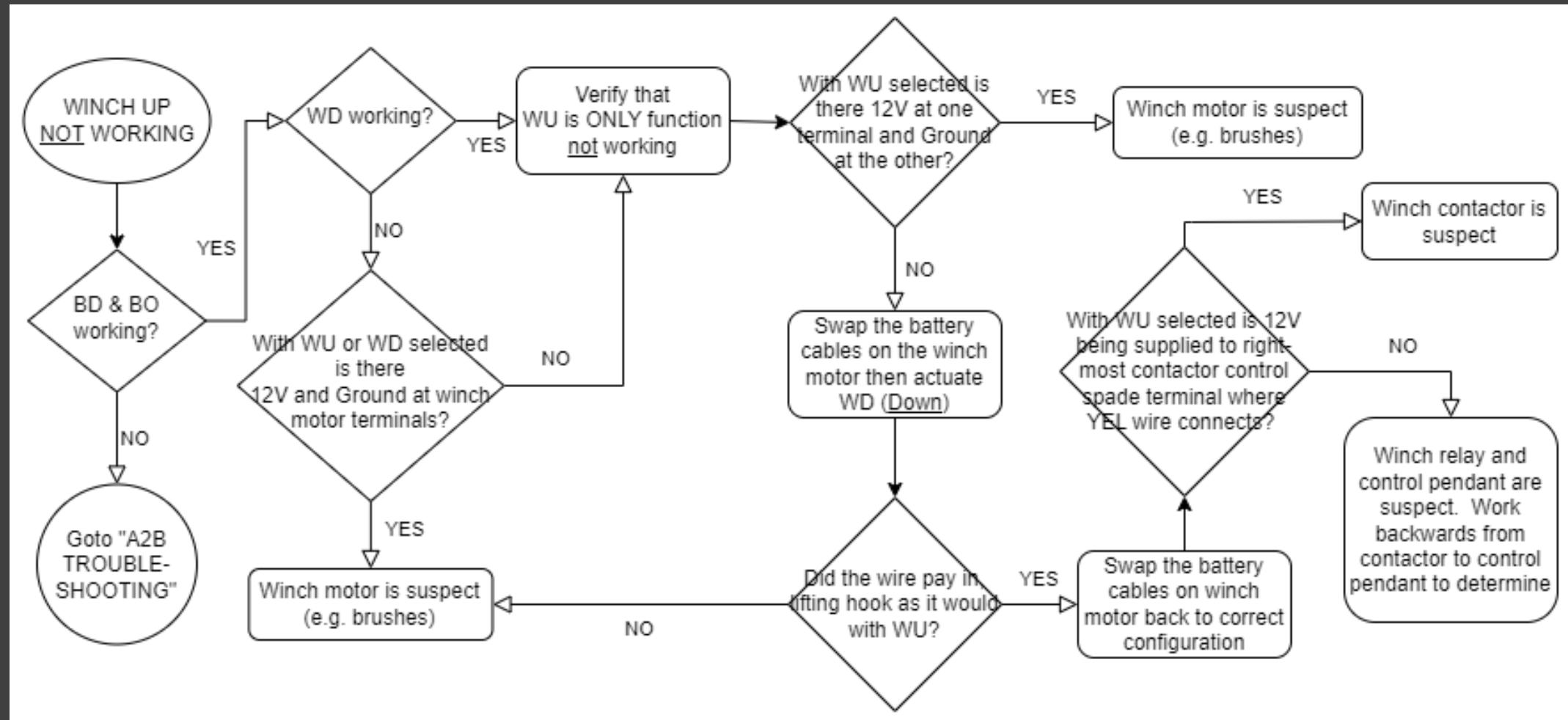
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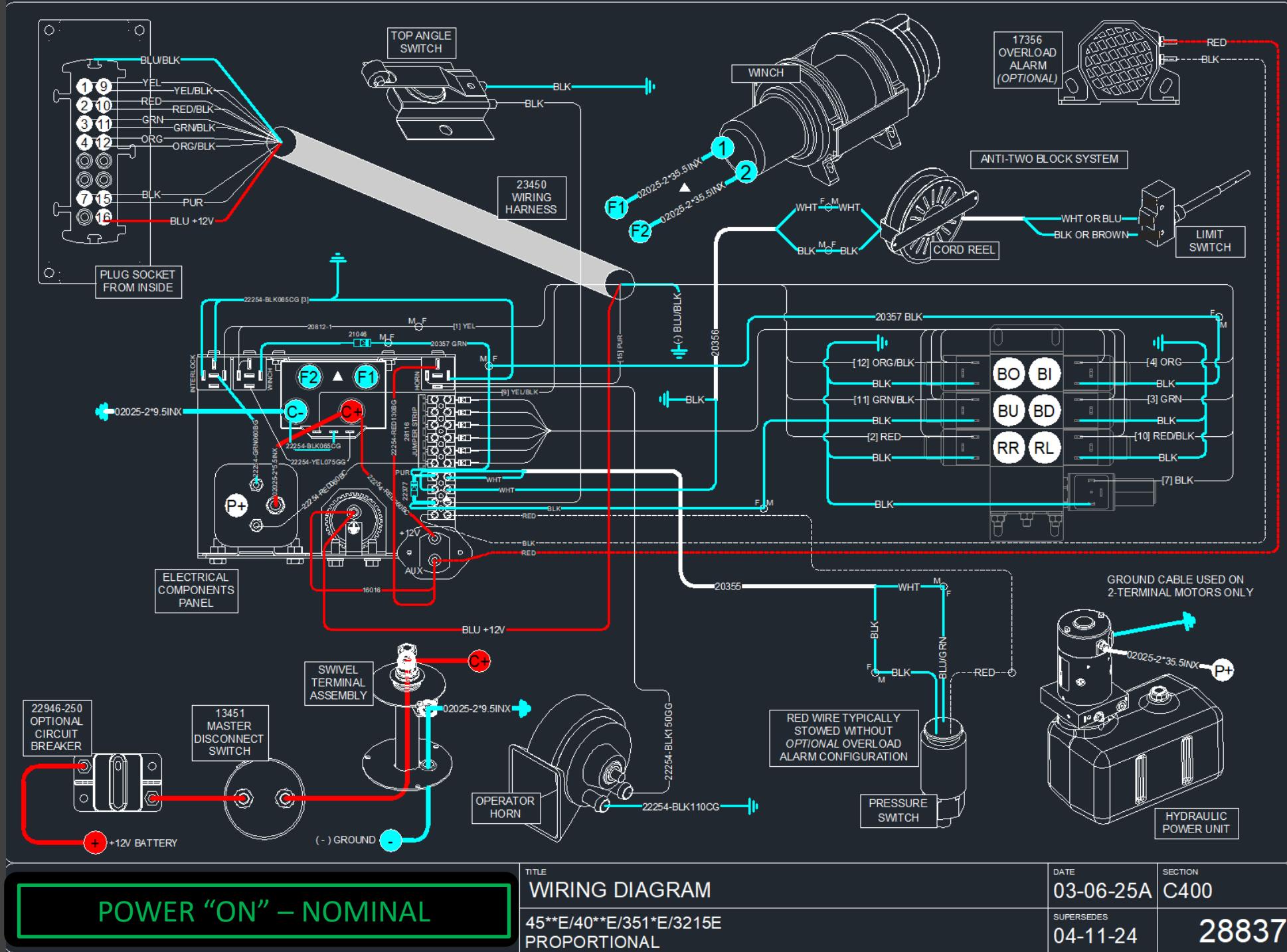
- Use Multimeter set to Continuity/Resistance measurement – ideally an audible alarm sounds when continuity is detected
- Touch probes together to make sure you either hear continuity alert OR register 0 ohms – in other words, you need to know how your multimeter indicates “continuity”
- Put one probe on the wire to be tested
- Touch other probe on a bolt that is threaded into the crane housing

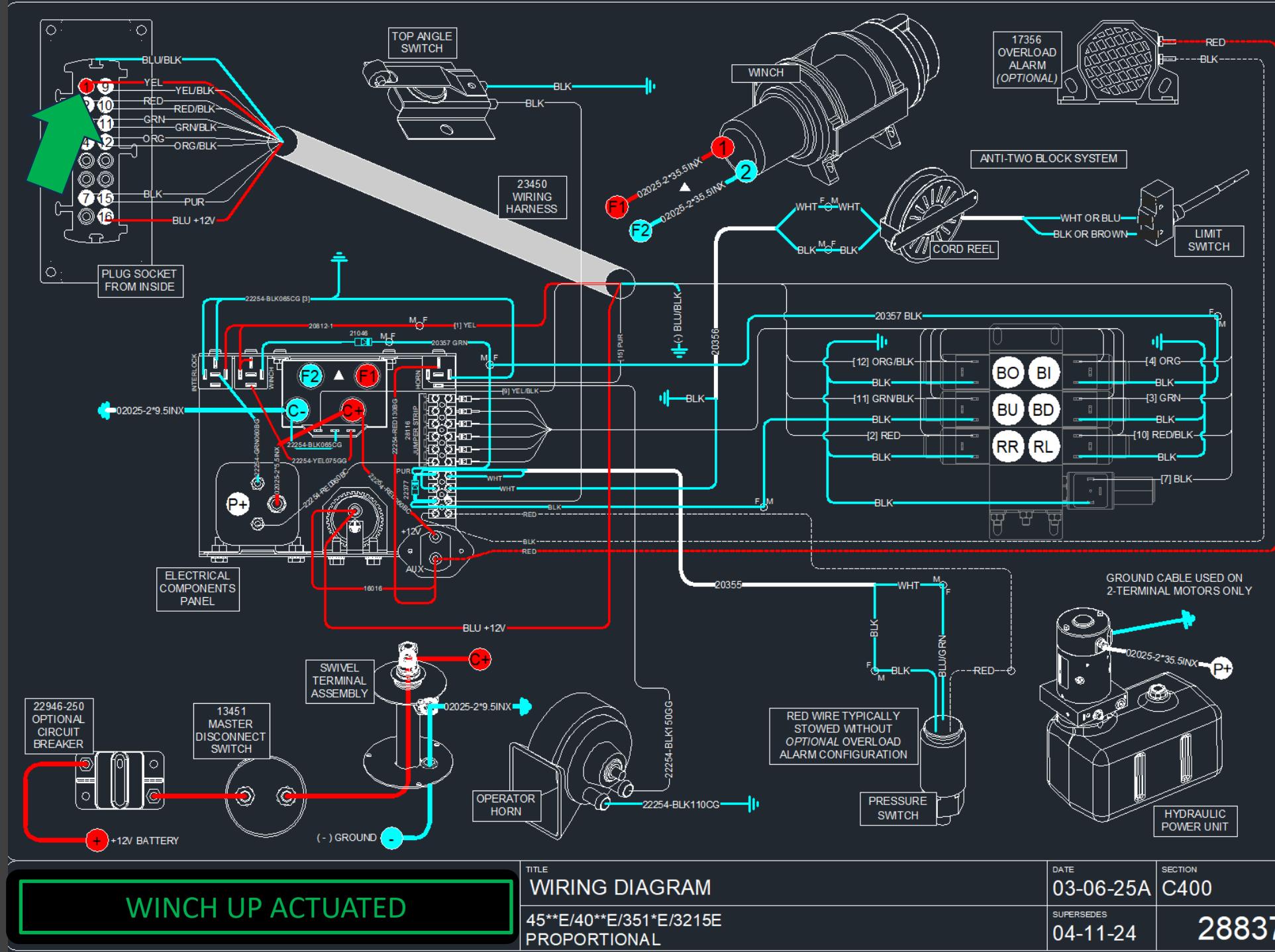
TESTING FOR +12 V (DC)

- Use Multimeter set to DC Voltage measurement
- Put red probe on the +12 V source to be tested
- Put black probe on a bolt that is threaded into the crane housing
- You should see +12 V (or more) with an unloaded crane, and at least +9 V with a fully-loaded crane (e.g. when hydraulic power unit is operating against the internal relief valve)

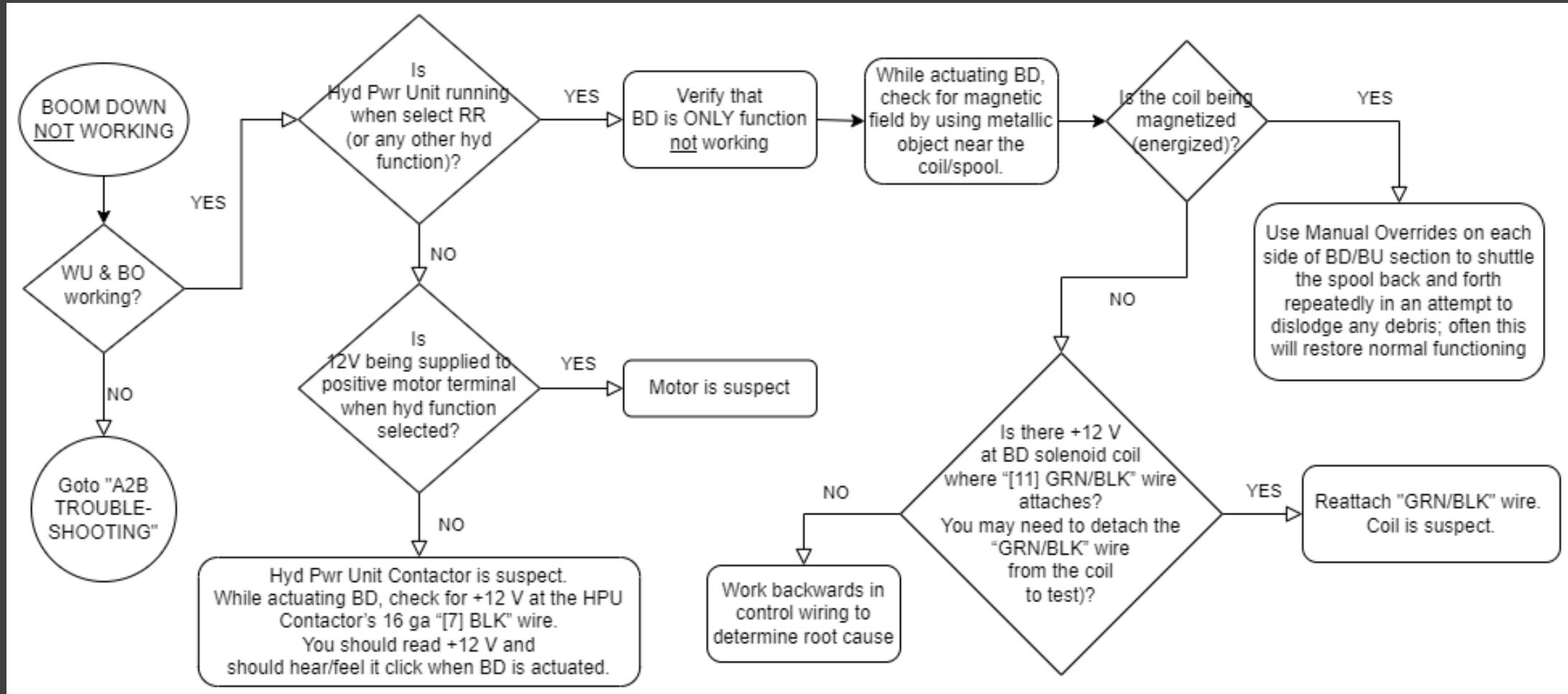
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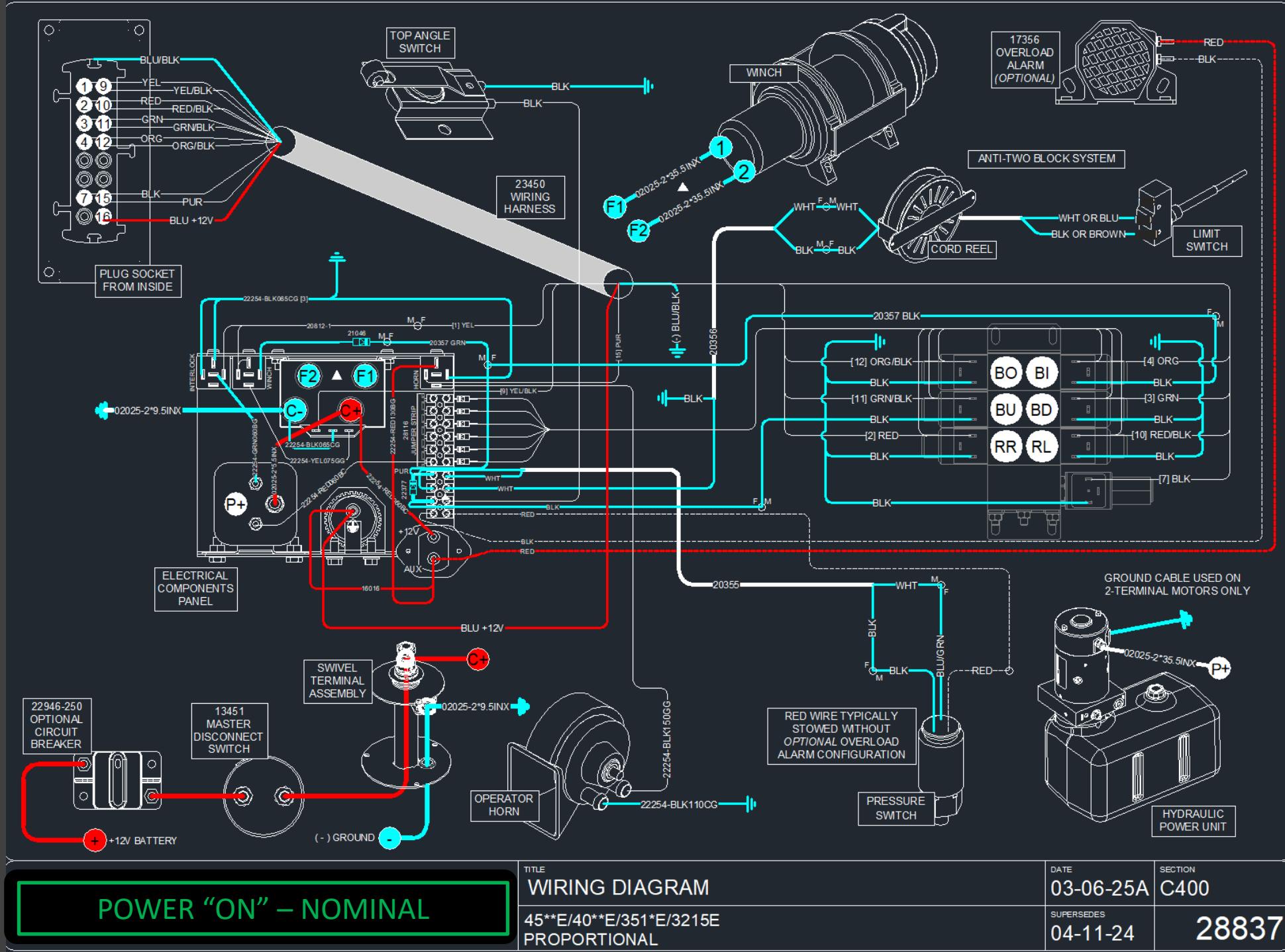


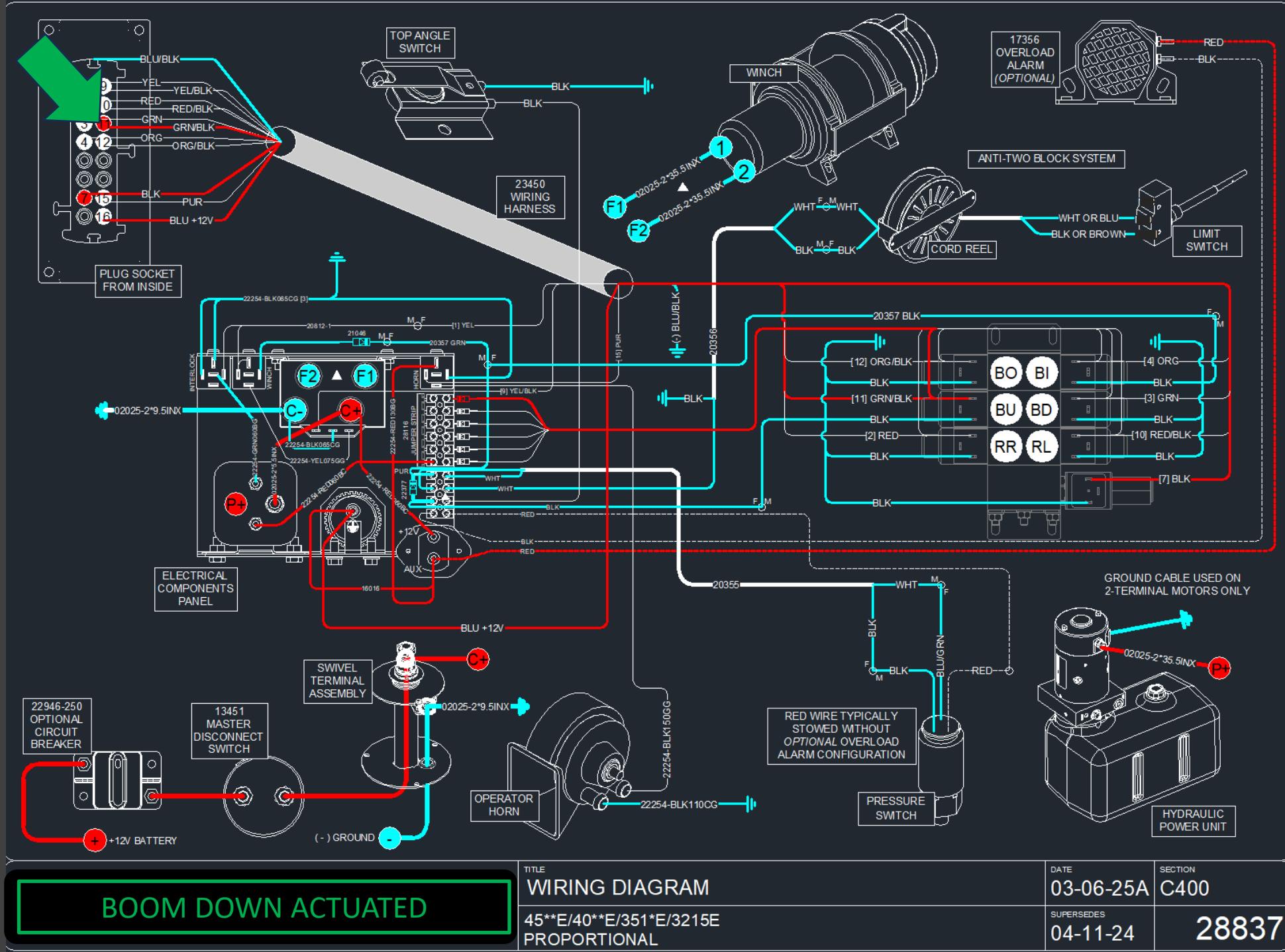




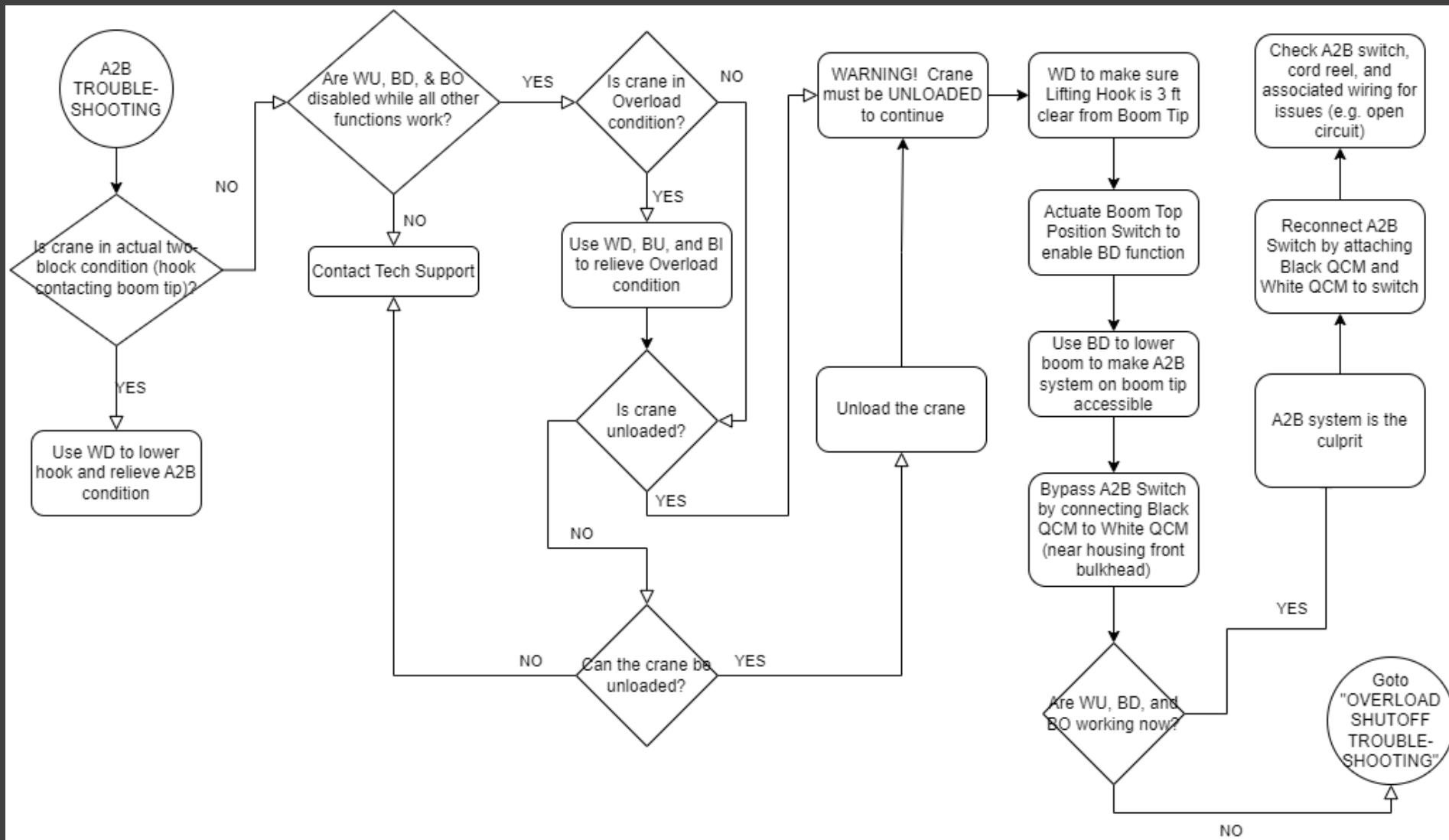
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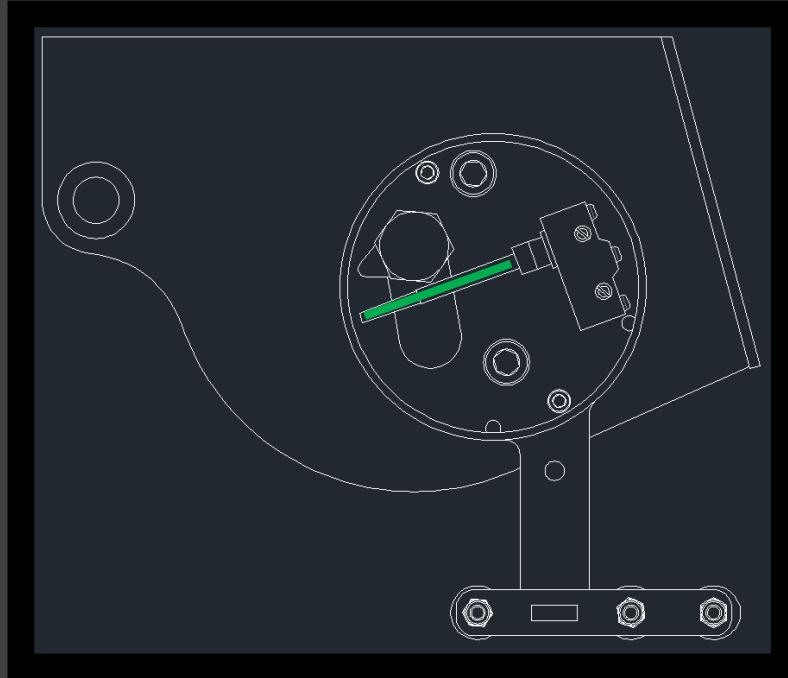




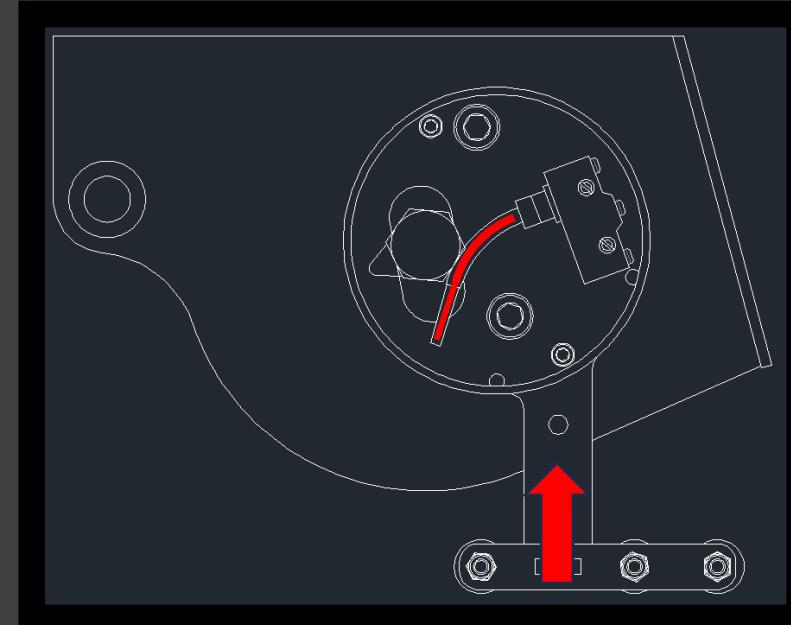
A2B (ANTI-2-BLOCK) TROUBLESHOOTING



A2B Switch

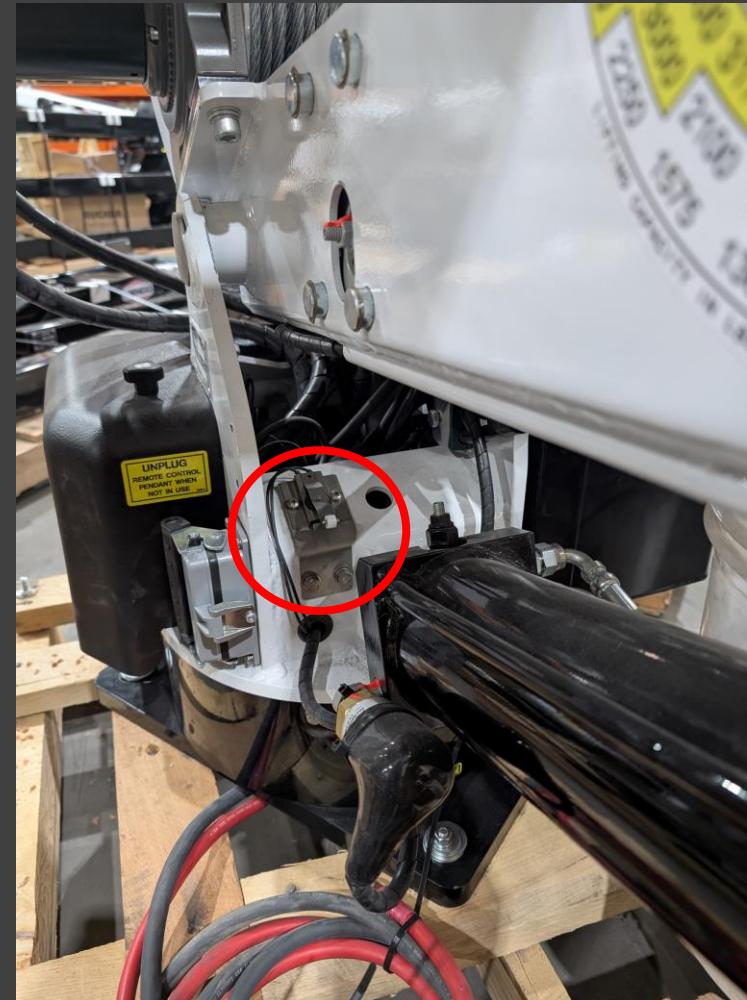
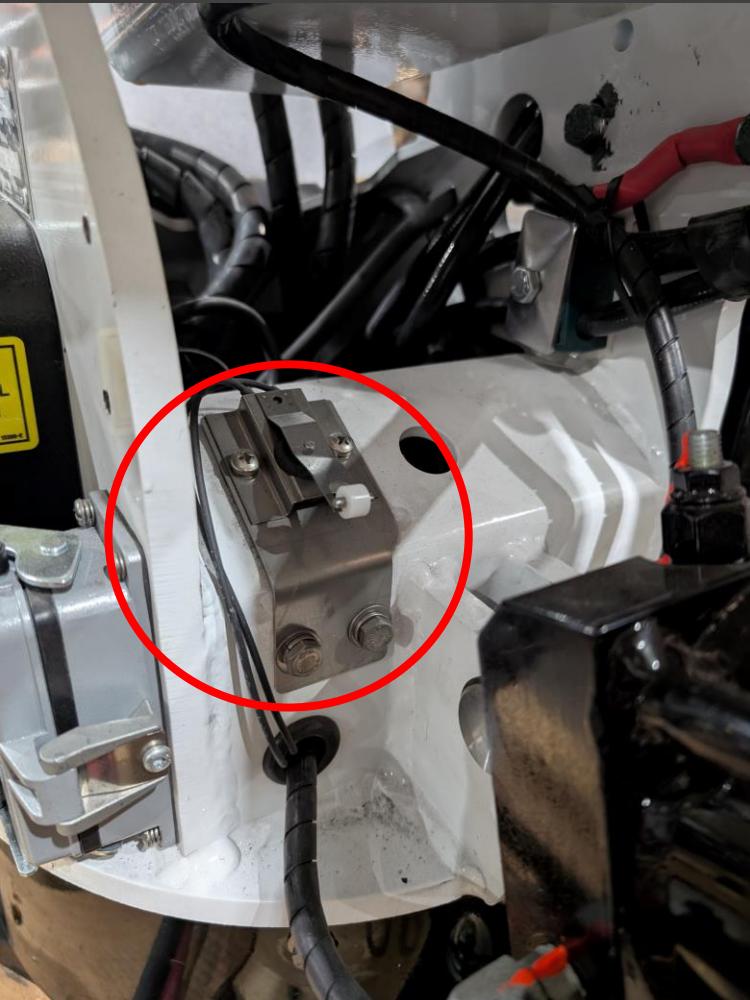


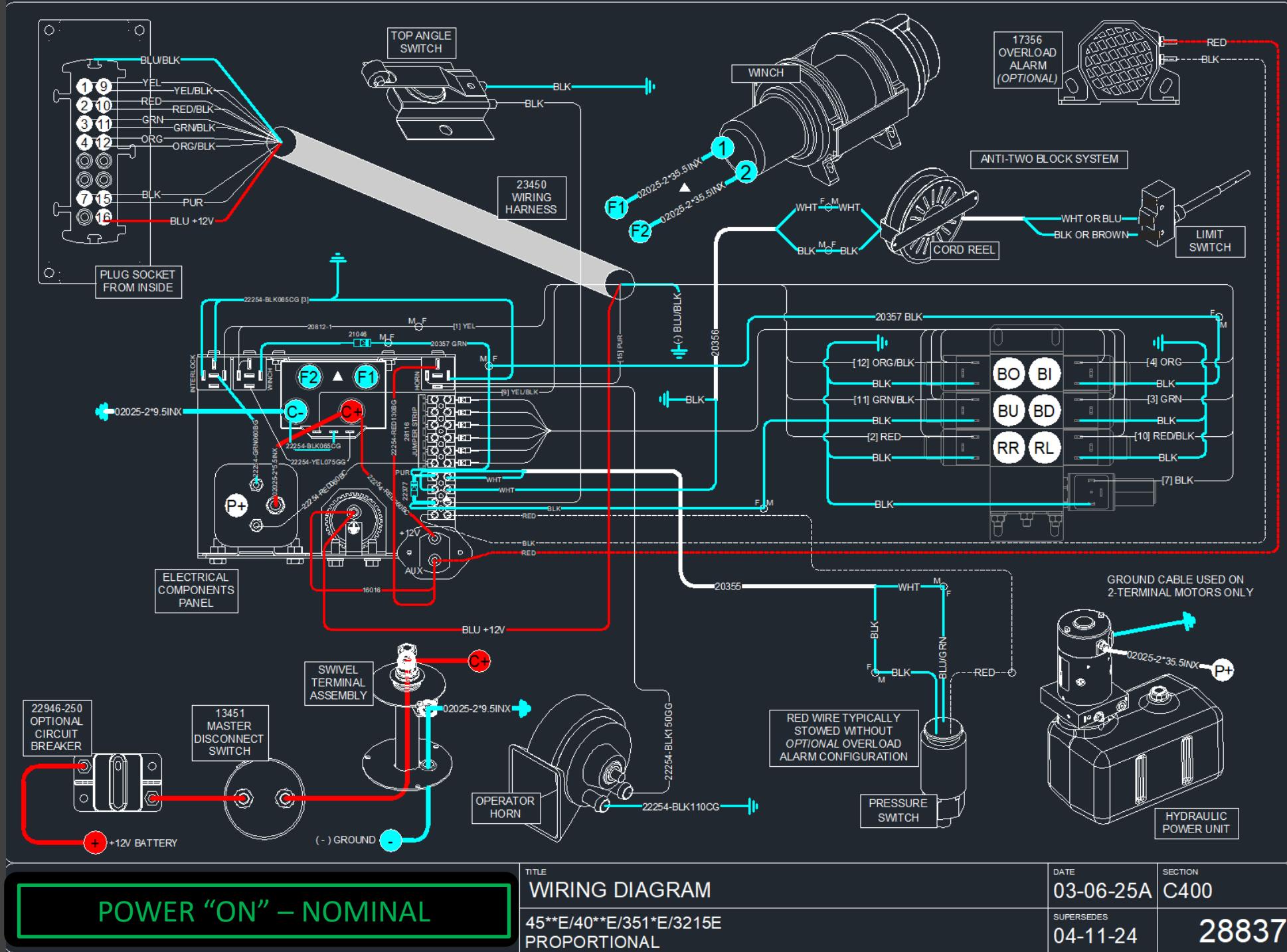
Normal operation:
Wand switch relaxed,
providing electrical ground path

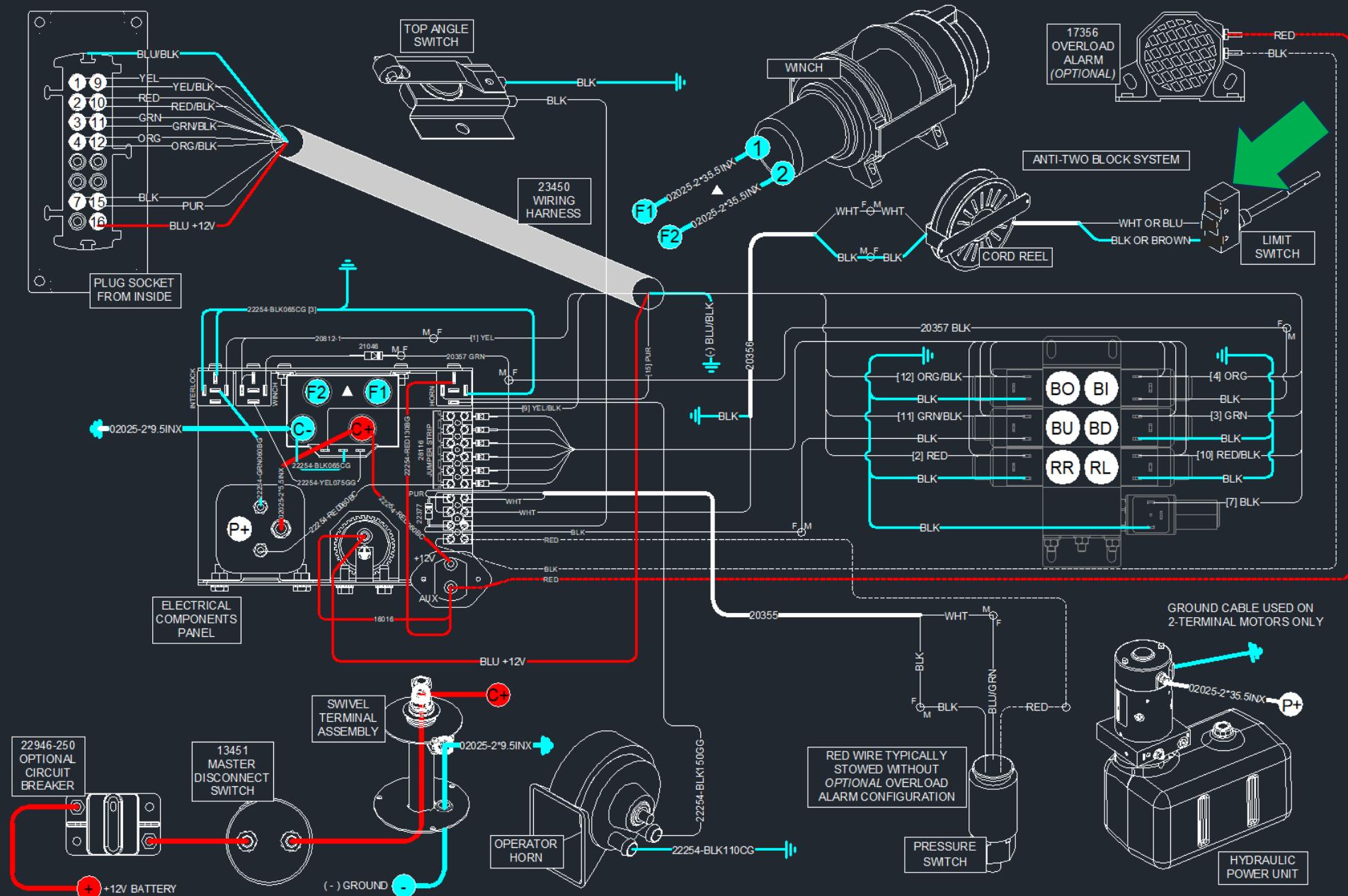


A2B condition:
Wand switch actuated,
removing electrical ground path

Top Position Switch







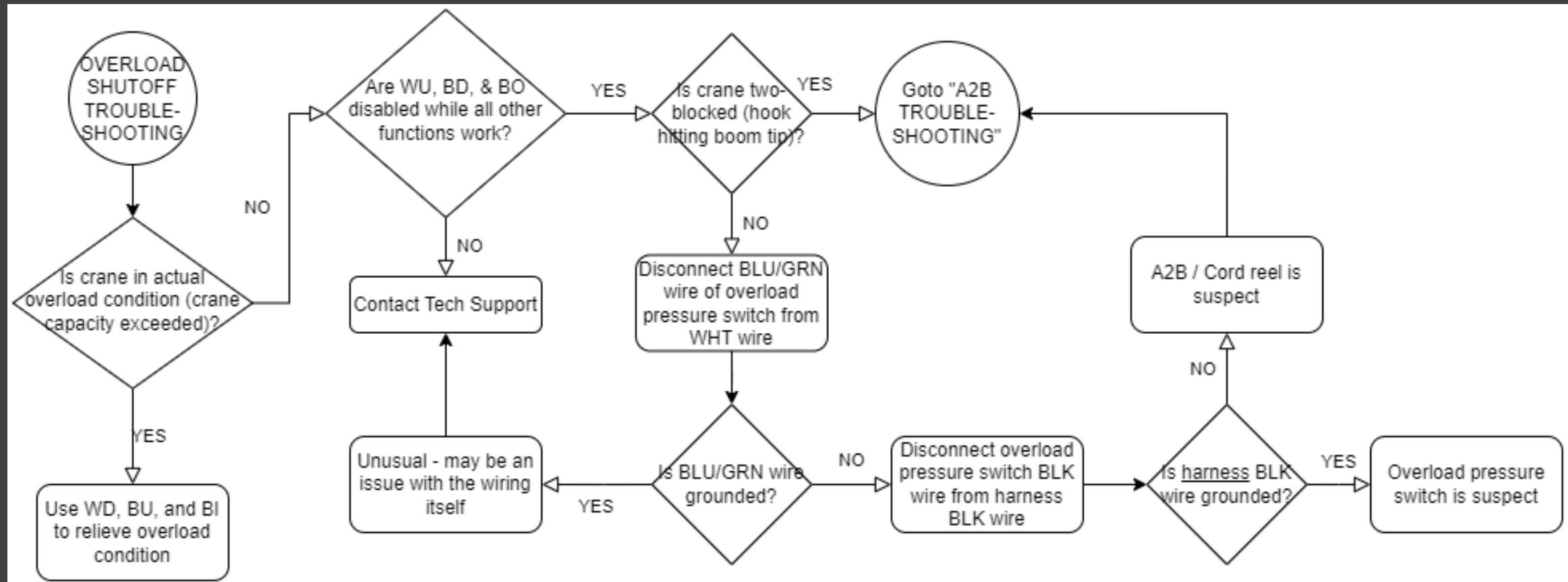
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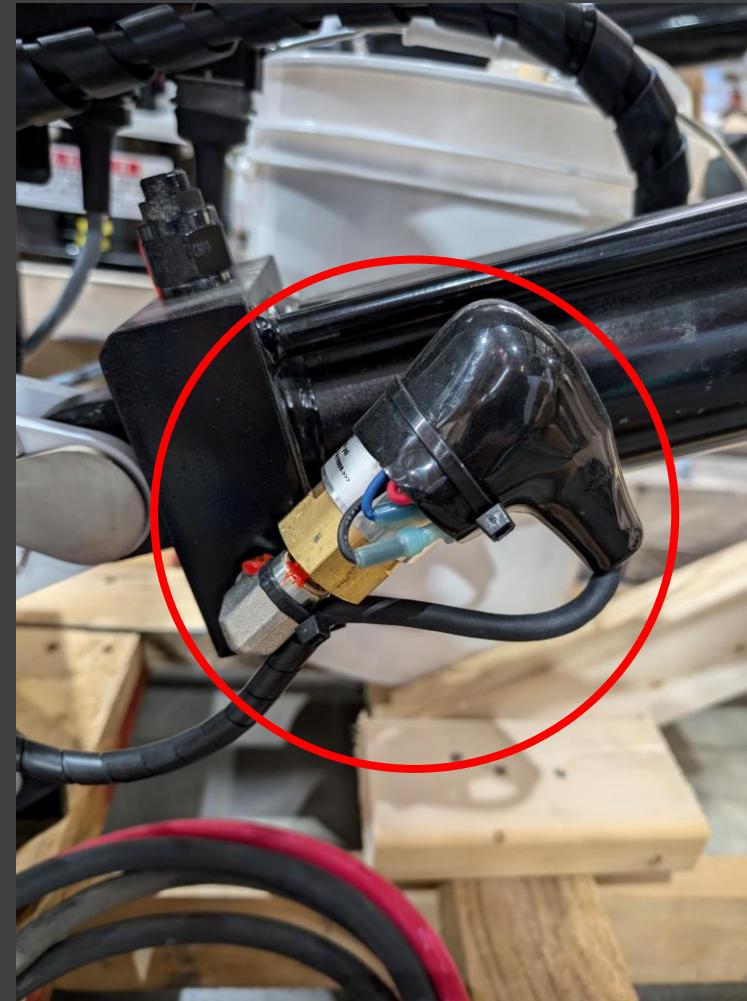
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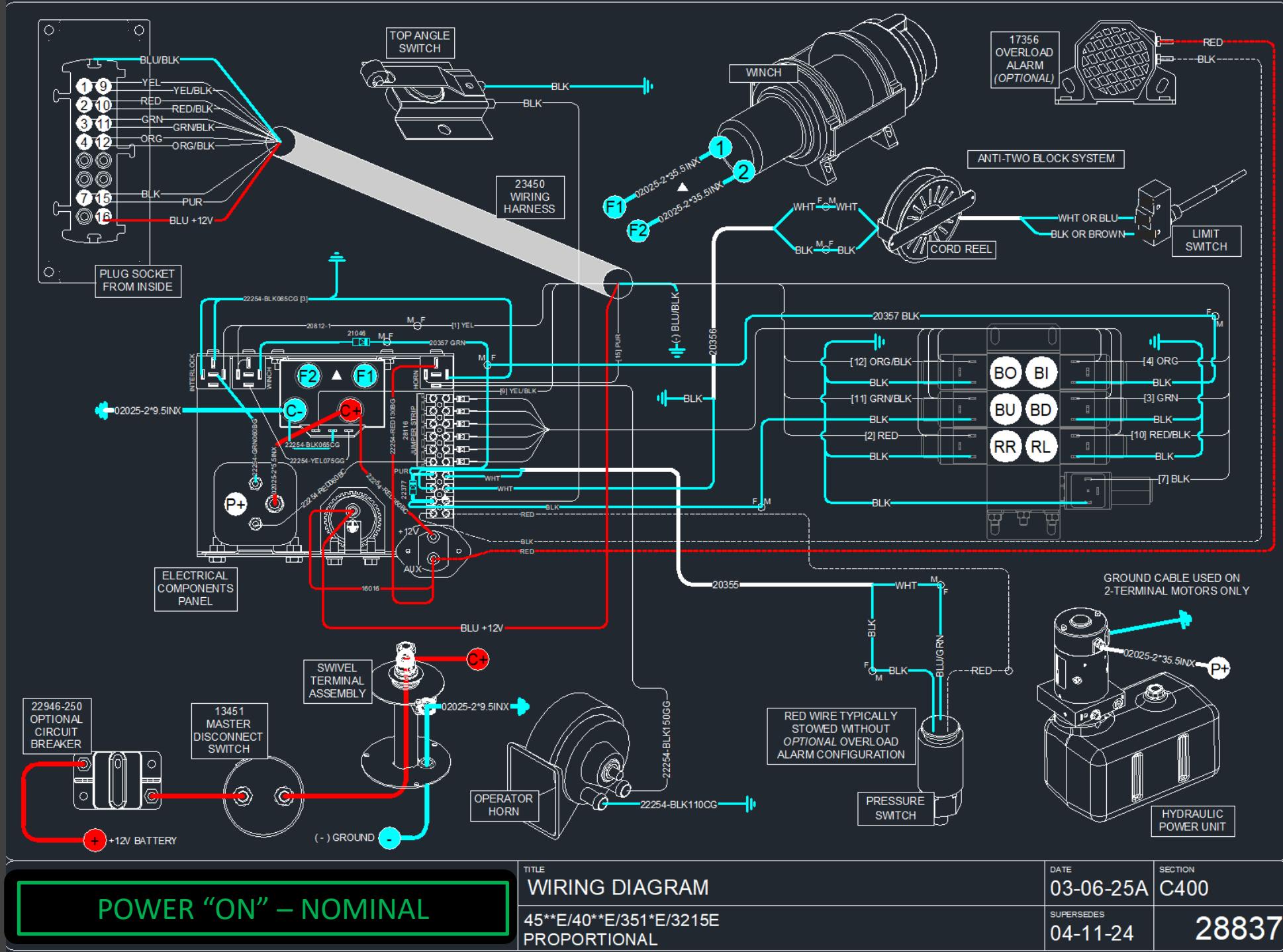
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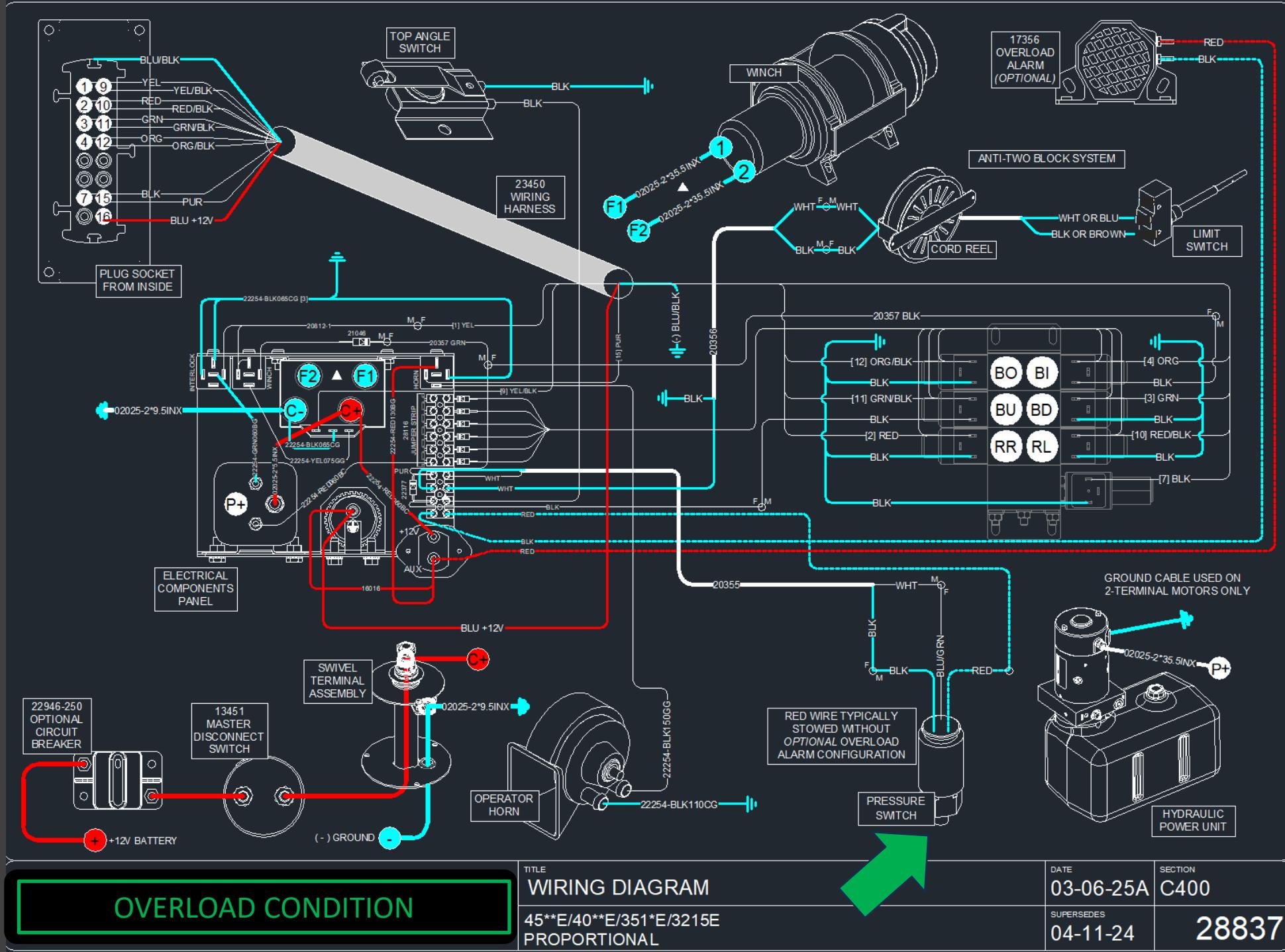
OVERLOAD SHUTOFF TROUBLESHOOTING



Overload Pressure Switch



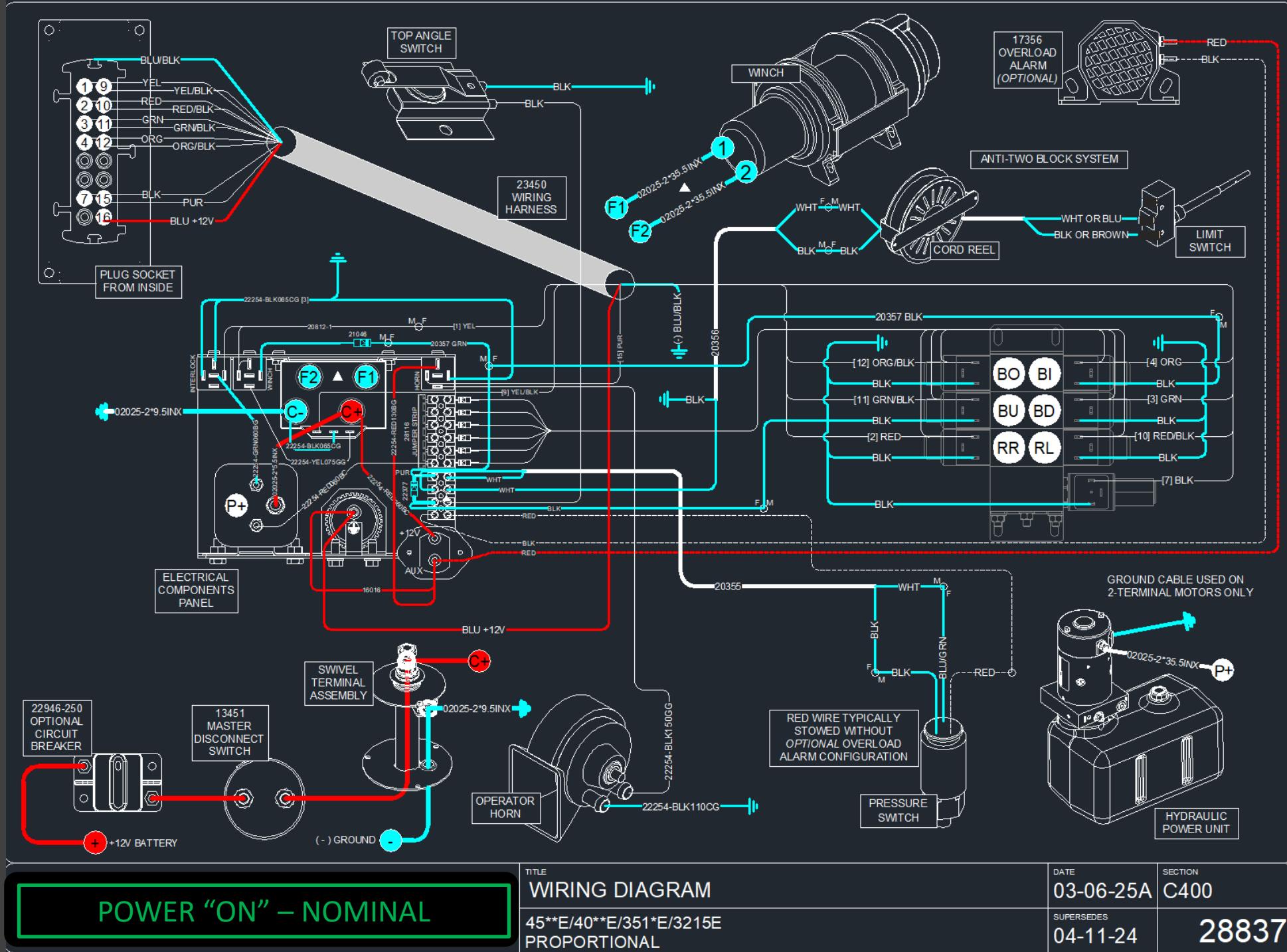


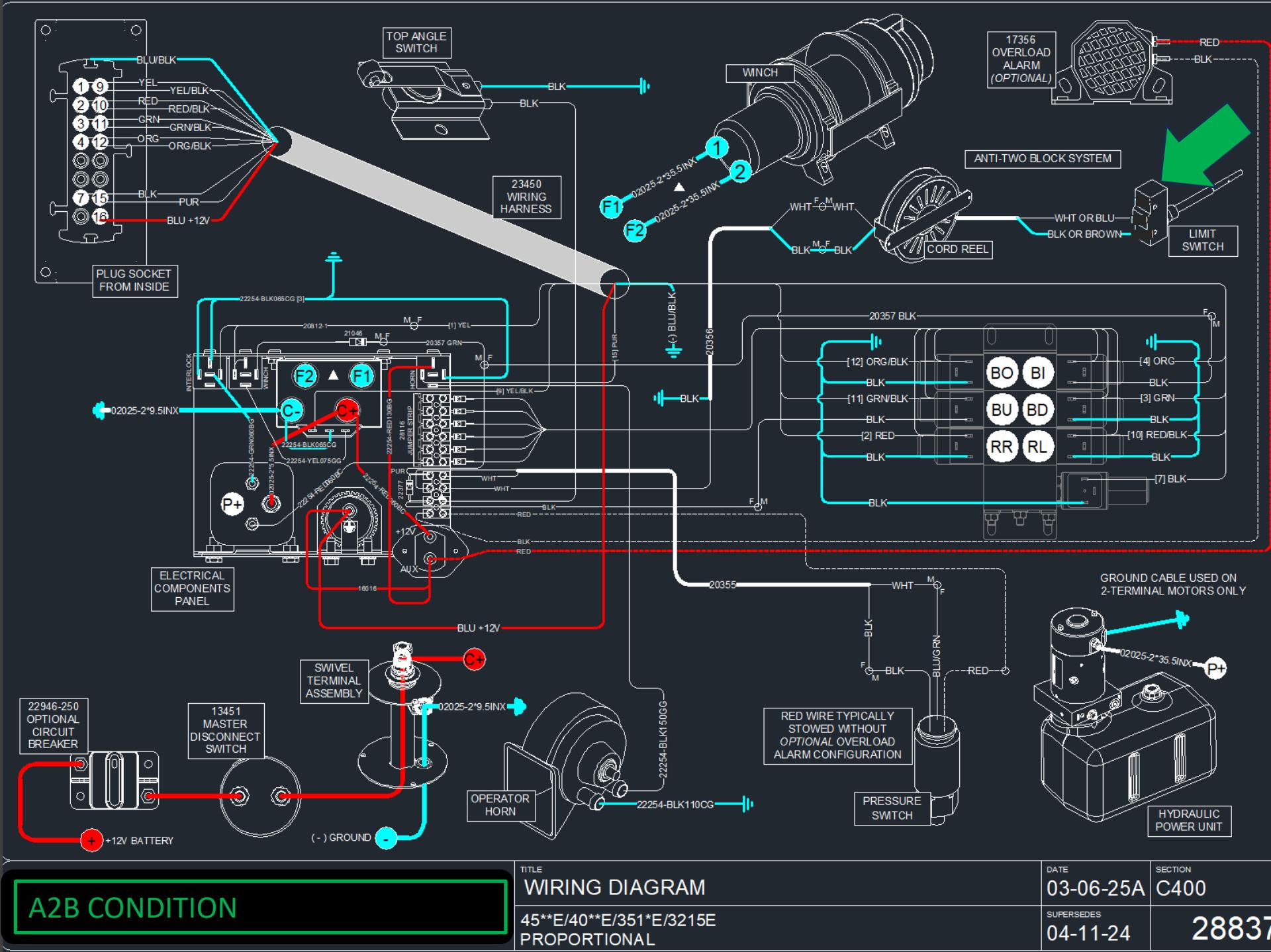


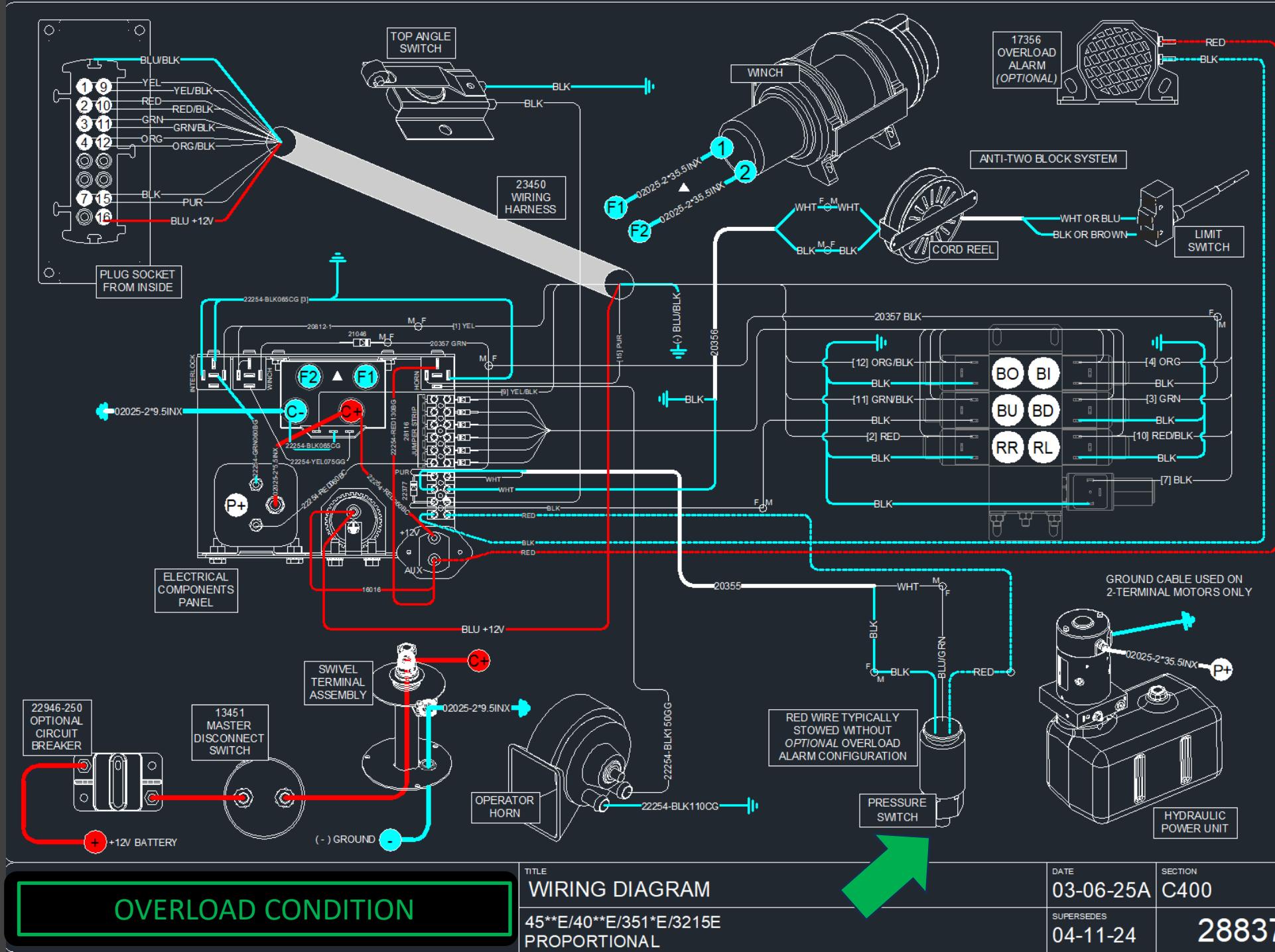
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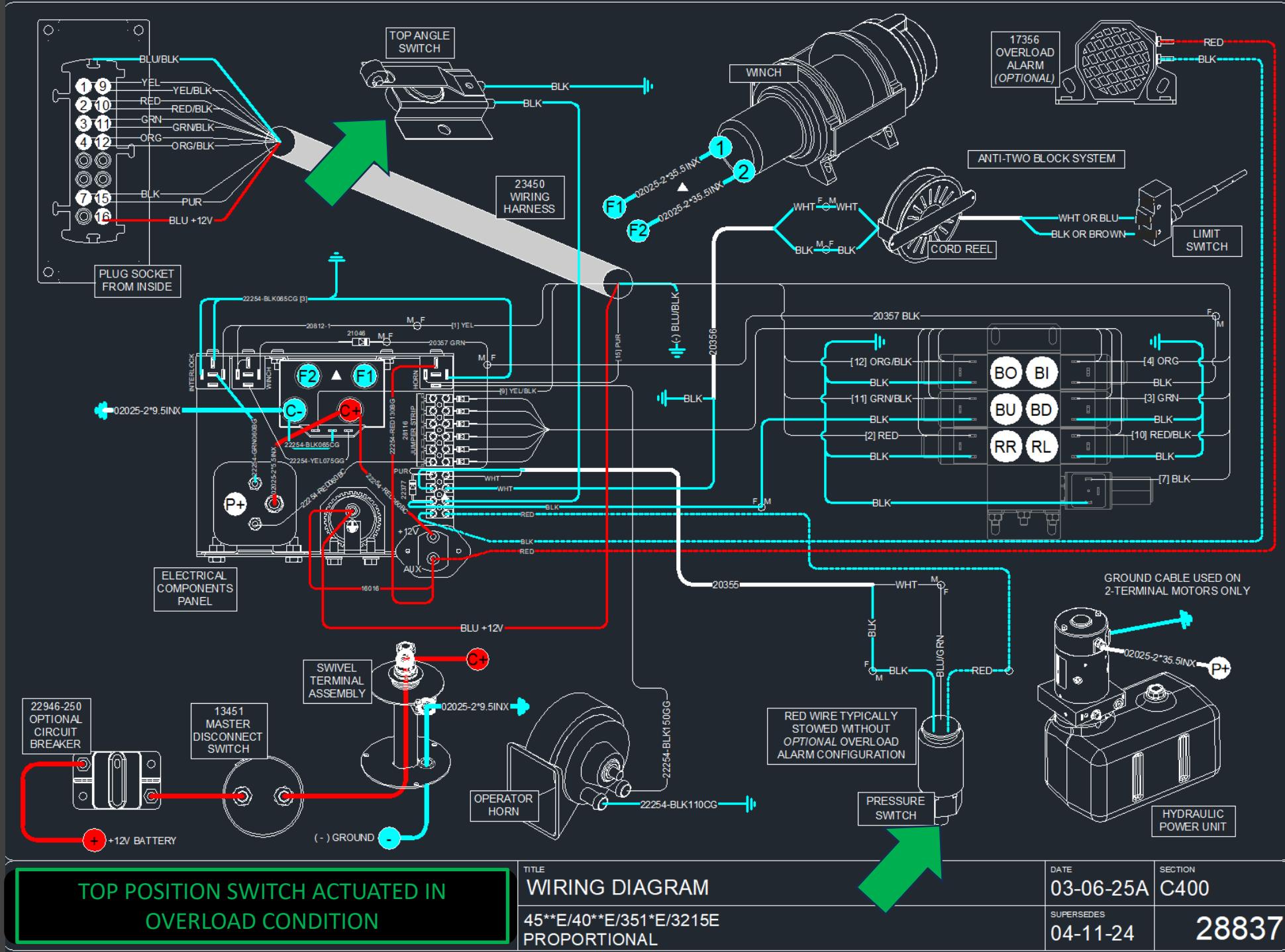
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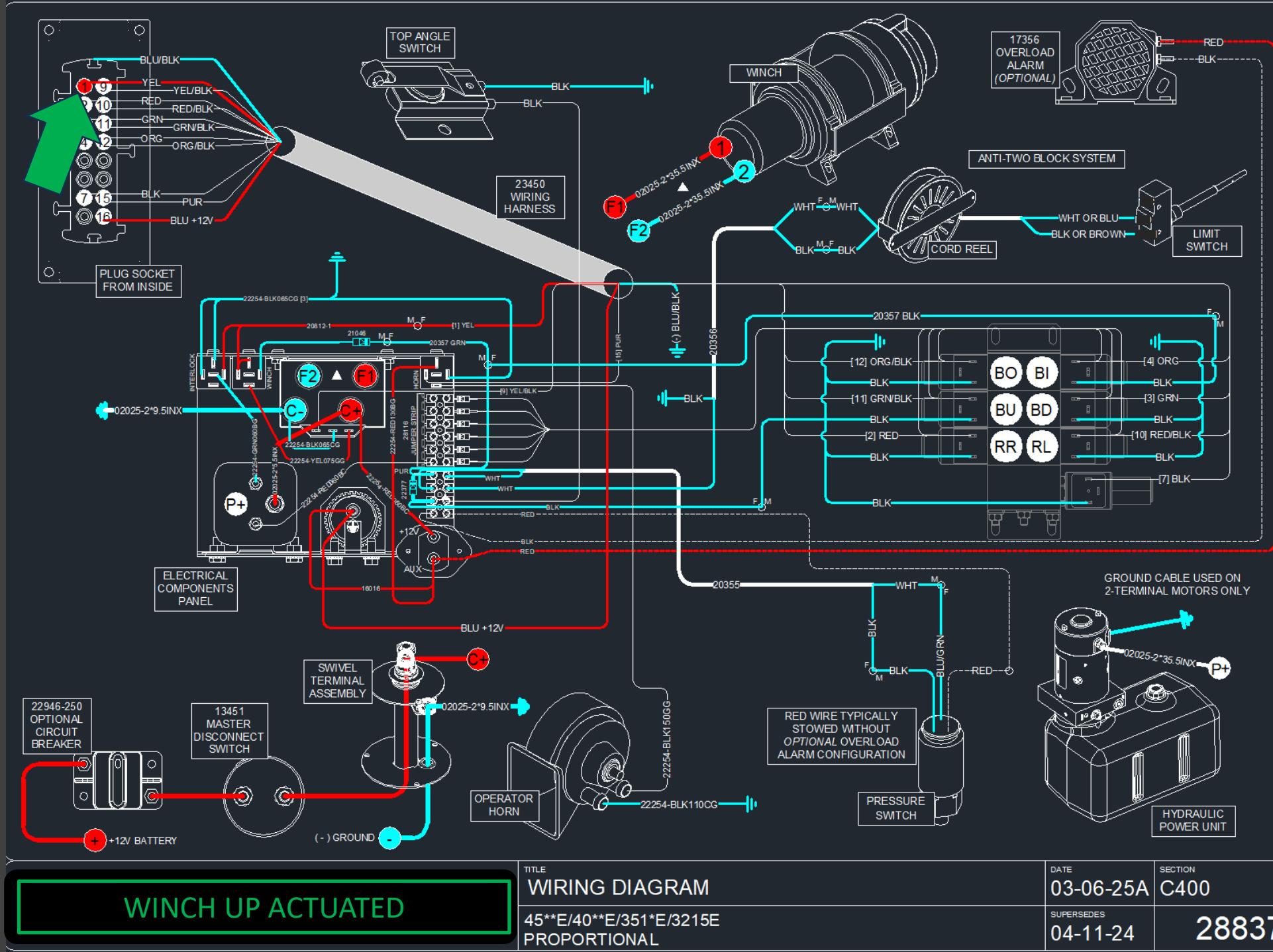
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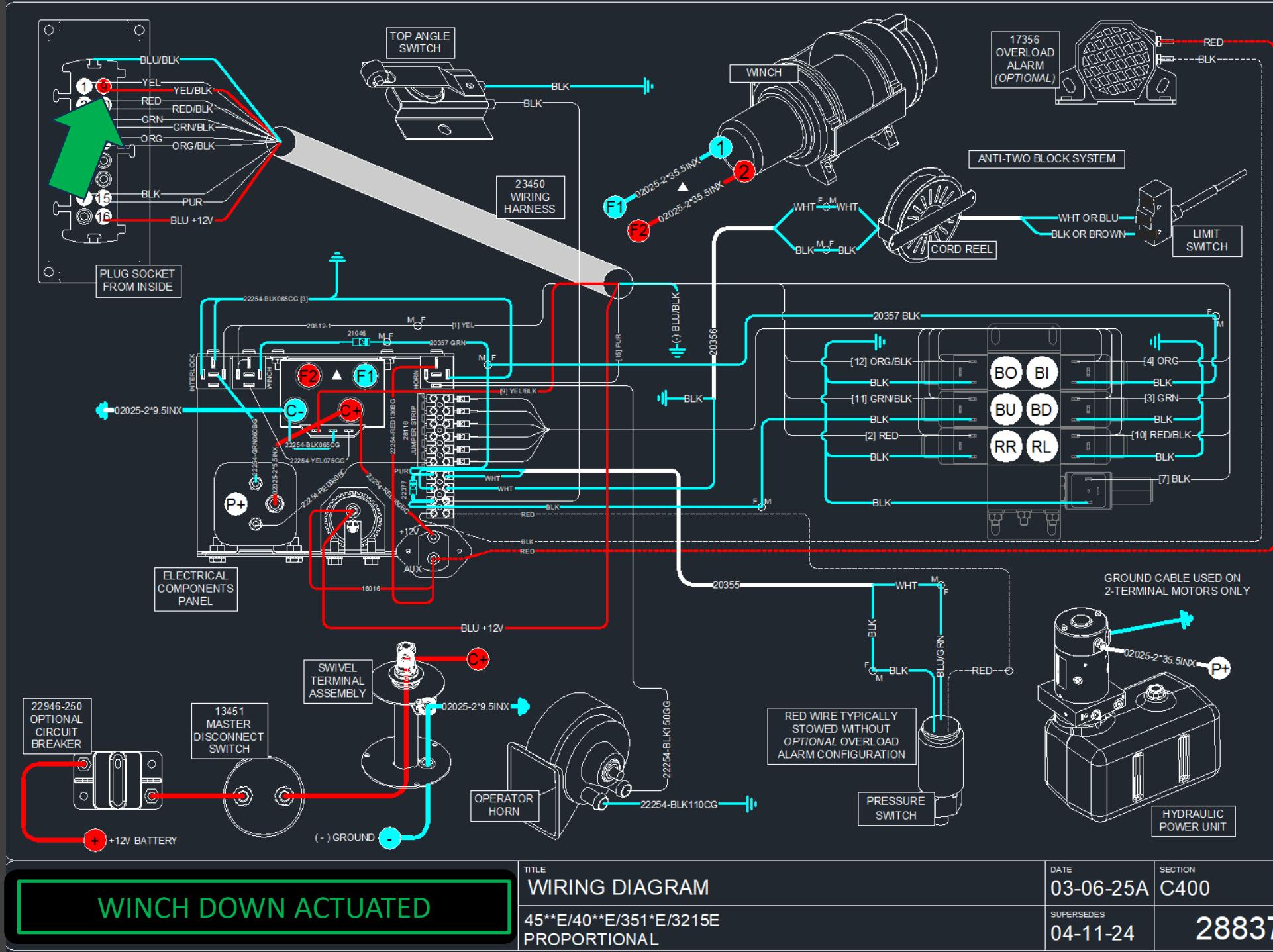


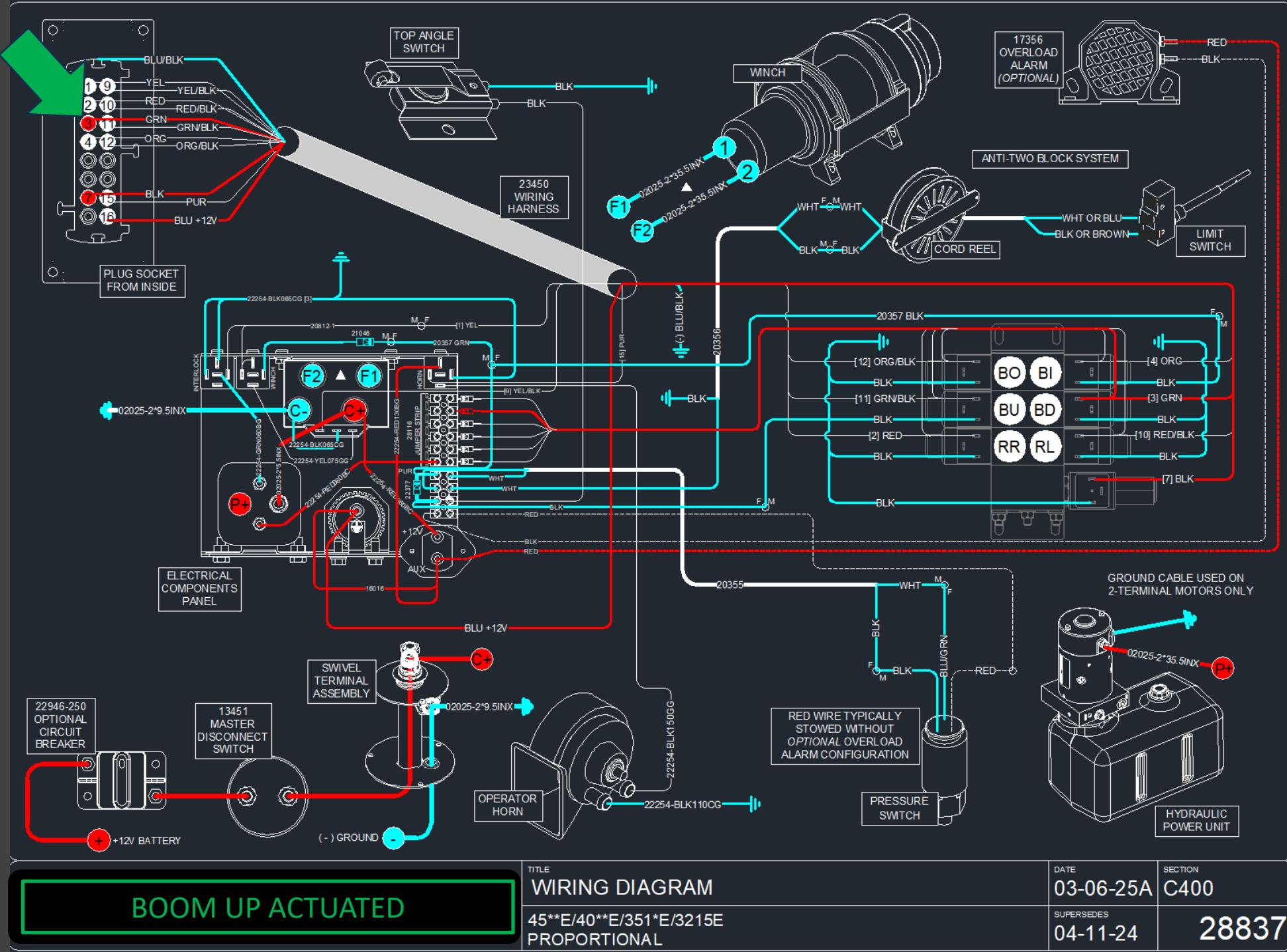












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