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Operating Instructions

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ACCUTORQ[™] CLIKKER TORQUE WRENCHES

The Clikker Torque Wrenches are torque-limiting tools. A steel case encloses a power spring, a torque signaling mechanism, a ratchet drive tang at the head of the case, and an adjustable hand grip (with lock) in the handle. The case and grip have a calibration scale that is set and read like a micrometer.



OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Setting the TORQUE

The following example demonstrates how to set a torque of 64 ft. lbs.

1. Unlock the handle by holding the tube and firmly pulling the handle back. See Figure A.



FIGURE A Handle in the Unlocked Position

NOTE: Keep pressure (a rearward pull) on the handle during Steps 2 and 3.

- 2. Align the thimble edge with the "60" graduation cross line on the tube. Align the zero (0) on the thimble with the vertical line on the tube. See Figure B. *The wrench is now set at 60 ft. lbs.*
- 3. By turning the handle, align the four (4) on the thimble with the vertical line on the tube. See Figure C. *The wrench is now set at 64 ft. lbs.*





Set at 64 ft. lbs.

4. Push the handle forward until it clicks into the lock position. **NOTE: The handle will lock only when a line on the thimble is in line with the vertical line on the tube. See Figure D.**

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FIGURE D Handle in the Locked Position

IMPORTANT: The handle must be in the locked position before torque is applied. See Figure D.

5. Apply the wrench to the nut or bolt, and pull until you feel and/or hear the wrench click. Release. The wrench automatically resets for the next operation.

IMPORTANT: To prevent equipment damage,

- do not continue pulling on the wrench after the click.
- use special care at low torque settings to stop pulling after the wrench clicks.

METRIC SETTINGS

1. The metric graduations are on the reverse side of the barrel and thimble, and the same steps are used to set a metric torque.

NOTE: The metric scale is not in even graduations. Set the torque by aligning the thimble zero (0) with the cross line on the tube that is nearest to the metric setting. See Figure E. Turn the handle to add metric graduations as needed to bring the torque setting as close as possible to the required metric setting. See Figure F.



MAINTENANCE

- 1. If the torque wrench has not been used or has been in storage for some time, use it ten times at a low torque setting. This releases an internal lubricant to coat the internal working parts again.
- 2. Keep the wrench set at a low torque when it's not being used.
- 3. Do not turn the handle below the lowest torque setting. If the handle is turned five or six turns below the minimum setting, the handle will disengage.

The handle, when disengaged from the internal screw, turns free on the tube. The handle is held on the tube by an internal spring-lock, and should never be pulled off the wrench. If the handle is accidentally removed, it should be replaced immediately with enough force to overcome the resistance of the internal spring-lock. If the handle is replaced without disturbing its internal parts, the wrench will remain in calibration. Use the following steps to engage the internal screw again:

- A. Gently push the handle toward the graduations scale while turning it to engage the internal screw again.
- B. After the internal screw has been engaged, turn the handle while pulling backward lightly until the lowest torque reading is set. The wrench can be used again, and the calibration has not been altered.
- 4. The tool is durable and designed for use in a shop, but the tool is also a precision measuring instrument and should be treated as such.
- 5. Wipe the wrench clean. Do not immerse the wrench in any type of cleaner that may affect the high pressure lubricant inside the tube.

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Should your torque wrench require repair service, contact your nearest OTC authorized torque wrench repair center, and provide them with the date of purchase information. If the unit is determined to be in warranty, it will be repaired or replaced at no charge and returned freight prepaid.

If the unit is determined to be out of warranty, it will be repaired for a nominal service charge plus return freight.

TORQUE WRENCH SERVICE CENTERS

If warranty or repair service is needed, ship the wrench freight prepaid to:

<u>USA</u>

Angle Repair Service Inc. 175 Angle Drive Beckley, WV 25801 Phone: (304) 253-5729

CANADA

Air Electric Services LTD. 6739 76th Ave. Edmonton, Alberta T6B 0A9 Phone: (403) 465-0906 Fax: (403) 465-5958

Roy's Hydraulic Service LTD. 399 Oakdale Road Downsview, Ontario M3N 1W7 Phone: (416) 741-5467 Fax: (416) 741-4756 Le Centre de Reparations Hydrauliques Uptown Ltd. 464 St. Hubert Street Laval, Quebec H7G 2Y9 Phone: (514) 387-6143 Fax: (514) 667-8335

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