# **Band Clamp**





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# **General Safety**

- Use Dixon couplings, retention devices and accessory products *only* for their intended service.
- All recommendations of the Hose Manufacturer, and the Coupling Manufacturer, must be employed with regards to Size, Temperature, Application, Media, and Pressure when selecting the components for a hose assembly.
- All finished hose assemblies should be tested in accordance with the **R**ubber **M**anufacturers **A**ssociation recommendations.
- All hose assemblies should be thoroughly inspected prior to each use to insure they are undamaged, and properly coupled.
- Use safety clips on couplings, and King Safety Cables on assemblies where required by the manufacturer, as well as State and Federal regulations. (see OSHA references below)
- Call Dixon (1-800-355-1991) for advice on couplings, retention devices, and accessories for your application.

# **Safety Recommendations**

The use of band style clamps has proven to be an effective means of retaining hose couplings in industrial hose.

To achieve proper retention and sealing of the hose coupling in the hose, it is imperative that these clamps be installed correctly. Please follow the manufacturer's recommendations as to the proper selection and installation of band clamps.

When installing multiple clamps, the buckles must be offset around the hose, (reference page 8), eliminating the possibility of a straight line leak under the buckle area.



Improper installation of band clamps Clamps installed with buckles in-line.

**Proper installation of band clamps** Clamps installed with buckles equally rotated.

The first clamp should be installed just inside the mark on the hose furthermost from the hose end (reference page 9).

Leaving excess band material turned back over the buckle does not improve the performance of the clamp. In fact, a safety hazard develops from this practice by leaving sharp edged material exposed.

# F and FO series clamps

Material availability:

- Stainless steel bands are 300 series and the buckles are 302 series
- Galvanized steel

Installation tools:

- Center punch tools -
  - F1, F38, F40, F100
- (other manufacturer's punch style tools may be used)

The F series double-wrapped metal band clamp is formed to a given diameter with a tailpiece through the buckle.



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Double-wrapped	
<ul> <li>Triple-punched</li> </ul>	
• Holds permanently	8

The FO clamp is open-ended and may be applied easily without sliding the clamp over the hose end.



### style FO

(open end)			
I.D. Size	302 Stainless Steel Part #	Galvanized Steel <b>Part #</b>	Pkg Qty
	3/8" Wide / .020 Thick	3/8" Wide / .025 Thick	
13/16" 1-3/8" 2" 3-1/8"	FOS3 FOS311 FOS316 FOS325	FO3 FO311 FO316 FO325	100 100 100 100
	5/8" Wide / .022 Thick	5/8" Wide / .025 Thick	
2" 2-1/2"	FOS8 FOS10	F08 F010	100 50
	5/8" Wide / .022 Thick	5/8" Wide / .031 Thick	
3" 3-1/2" 4" 4-1/2" 5" 6" 7" 8" 9" 10" 12"	FOS12 FOS14 FOS16 FOS18 FOS20 FOS24 FOS28 FOS32  	F012 F014 F016 F018 F020 F024 F028 F032 F036 F040 F048 F048	50 50 50 25 25 25 25 25 25 25 25 25
14"		FO56	10

style F

(pre-formed)			
I.D. Size	302 Stainless Steel <b>Part #</b>	Galvanized Steel <b>Part #</b>	Pkg Qty
	3/8" Wide / .020 Thick	3/8" Wide / .025 Thick	
13/16" 1-3/8"	FS3 FS311	F3 F311	100 100
	5/8" Wide / .022 Thick	5/8" Wide / .025 Thick	
1" 1-1/4"	FS4 FS5	F4 F5	100 100
	5/8" Wide / .022 Thick	5/8" Wide / .031 Thick	
1-1/2" 1-3/4" 2" 2-1/4" 2-1/2" 2-3/4" 3" 3-1/2" 4" 4-1/2" 5" 6" 7" 8"	FS6 FS7 FS8 FS9 FS10 FS11 FS12 FS14 FS16 FS18 FS20 FS24 FS28 FS22 FS22	F6 F7 F8 F9 F10 F11 F12 F14 F16 F18 F20 F24 F28 F28 F32	100 100 100 50 50 50 50 25 25 25 25 25 25 25 25
8"	FS32	F32	25

# K series clamps

Material availability:

- Stainless steel bands are 300 series and the buckles are 302 series
- Galvanized steel

Installation tools:

- Center punch tools -F1, F40, F100
- Roll over tools -51960 with 51970 adapter (other manufacturer's tools may be used)



The uniquely designed K clamp can be locked by a wide variety of manufacturer's tools. K clamps are designed to be slipped over the hose end before the fitting is inserted.





Punch indentation for ease of center punching

I.D. Size	Stainless Steel Galvanized Steel Part # Part #		Pkg Qty
	3/8" Wide / .025 Thick	3/8" Wide / .025 Thick	
13/16" 1-3/8"	KS3 KS311	K3 K311	100 100
	5/8" Wide / .031 Thick	5/8" Wide / .030 Thick	I
1"	KS4	K4	100
1-1/4"	KS5	K5	100
1-1/2"	KS6	K6	100
1-3/4"	KS7	K7	100
2"	KS8	K8	100
2-1/4"	KS9	K9	100
2-1/2"	KS10	K10	50
2-3/4"	KS11	K11	50
3"	KS12	K12	50
3-1/2"	KS14	K14	50
4"	KS16	K16	25
4-1/2"	KS18	K18	25
5"	KS20	K20	25
6"	KS24	K24	25
7"	KS28	K28	25
8"	KS32	K32	25

Note: 3/4" K Clamp must be applied with F-175 hand tool.

I.D. Size	Stainless Steel <b>Part</b> #	Pkg Qty
	3/4" Wide / .030 Thick	
2"	KS87501	100
2-1/4"	KS97501	100
2-1/2"	KS107501	50
2-3/4"	KS117501	50
3"	KS127501	50
3-1/2"	KS147501	50
4"	KS167501	25
4-1/2"	KS187501	25
5"	KS207501	25
6"	KS247501	25
7"	KS287501	25
8"	KS327501	25

# Smooth I.D. clamps

Material availability:

- 201 stainless steel
- Galvanized steel

Installation tools:

 Roll over tools -51960 with 51970 adapter (other manufacturer's tools may be used)



The smooth inside diameter produces a uniform clamping surface to prevent leak paths.

As industrial hose made of stiffer, thinner, thermoplastics replaces soft, spongy thick-walled rubber, a new generation of hose clamps has been developed to prevent leak problems.



I.D. Size	201 Stainless Steel <b>Part #</b>	Galvanized Carbon Steel <b>Part #</b>	Pkg Qty
	3/8" Wide / .025 Thick	3/8" Wide / .025 Thick	(
13/16" 1" 1-3/8" 2" 3" 3-1/2"	JS201 JS243 JS202 JS245 JS246 JS255	JS301 JS343 JS302 JS345  	100 100 100 100 
	1/2" Wide / .030 Thick	1/2" Wide / .030 Thick	<b>(</b>
1" 1-1/4" 1-3/4" 2-3/4"	JS203 JS204 JS236 JS230	JS303 JS304 JS336 JS330	100 100 100 100

I.D. Size	201 Stainless Steel <b>Part #</b>	Galvanized Carbon Steel <b>Part #</b>	Pkg Qty
5/8" \	Nide / .030 Thick	5/8" Wide / .030 Thick	
1-1/2" 1-3/4" 2" 2-1/4" 2-1/2"	JS205 JS206 JS207 JS208 JS209	JS305 JS306 JS307 JS308 JS309	100 100 100 100 100
3/4" Wide / .030 Thick		3/4" Wide / .030 Thick	
2" 2-3/4" 3" 3-1/2" 4" 4-1/2" 5" 6" 7" 8"	JS227 JS210 JS211 JS212 JS213 JS214 JS215 JS216 JS218 JS219	JS327 JS310 JS311 JS312 JS313 JS314 JS315 JS316 JS318 JS319	100 50 50 25 25 25 25 25 25 25
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# Band and Buckle

Material availability:

- Stainless steel
- Galvanized steel

Installation tools:

 Roll over tools -C2, 51960

(other manufacturer's tools may be used)



The band and buckle system is an economical method of securing fittings to large diameter rubber hose (2" and above).

**Note:** Do not use strapping and buckles made of different metals. Example: Stainless steel strapping must be used with stainless steel buckles.

Part #

SS375

**SS500** 

SS625

SS750

SG375

SG500

SG625

SG750



Strapping - 100 ft. per Box

Material

stainless

stainless

stainless

stainless

galvanized

galvanized

galvanized

galvanized



	В	luckles	
Width	Material	Part #	Box Qty
3/8"	stainless	CS375	100
1/2"	stainless	CS500	100
5/8"	stainless	CS625	100
3/4"	stainless	CS750	50
3/8"	galvanized	CG375	100
1/2"	galvanized	CG500	100
5/8"	galvanized	CG625	100
3/4"	galvanized	CG750	50

#### SAFETY Caution!

Width Thick

.025

.031

.031

.031

.025

.031

.031

.031

3/8"

1/2"

5/8"

3/4"

3/8"

1/2"

5/8"

3/4"

ALERI Strapping edges can be extremely sharp!

All necessary precautions should be taken to prevent installer's hands from being cut during the assembly process.

#### **Pre-Formed Band Clamps**

- 1. Measure the hose Outside Diameter (O.D.) with a diameter tape.
- Select the clamp having an Inside Diameter (I.D.) as close to the measured hose O.D. but not less than 1/4". This is so that the clamps can be slid onto the hose before the couplings are inserted.

Example:	Hose O.D. is 2-11/16"	Use 3" I.D. clamp
	Hose O.D. is 2-7/8"	Use 3-1/2" I.D. clamp

### Band and Buckle

#### Caution!

Strapping edges can be extremely sharp! All necessary precautions should be taken to prevent installer's hands from being cut during the assembly process.

- 1. Measure the hose Outside Diameter (O.D.) with a diameter tape.
- 2. Cut the proper length of strapping needed. This is the hose O.D. multiplied by two plus six inches.

Example:	Hose O.D.	13
	Multiplied by two	<u>x 2</u>
	Equals	26
	Plus six inches	<u>+6</u>
	Total length of strap	32"

- 3. Slide one end of the strap through the loop of the buckle. Make sure that the ears of the buckle are pointing up and are closest to the end of the strap.
- 4. Slide the buckle 2" 3" down the strap. Using pliers, create a loop at the end of the strap. Bend down and under approximately 1/2" of strap.
- 5. Slide the buckle into the loop. Using pliers, crimp the strap to the buckle by squeezing tightly the end of the loop. Do not squeeze on the buckle loop.
- 6. Loop the strap around the hose and bring the strap end through the loop on the buckle. Loop the strap around the hose again and bring the strap end through the loop on the buckle.
- 7. Using pliers, pull the strap tail as tight as possible, then bend the strap tail up and slightly over the buckle. This will prevent the strap tail from sliding out from under the buckle.
- **Note:** Do not use strapping and buckles made of different metals. Example: Stainless steel strapping must be used with stainless steel buckles.

#### Notes:

- Proper tension is achieved when the outside diameter of the band clamp is even with or slightly below the diameter of the hose. This is a rule of thumb measurement of proper clamp tension and can vary from one stem/hose combination to another. The installer's experience with a particular stem/hose combination will tell them when the clamp is properly tensioned.
- 2. Bend excessive clamp tail away from tool handles to avoid being cut by sharp edges.
- 3. When multiple clamps are used, clamp buckles must be offset to prevent a leak path.
- 2 Clamps Buckles at 180°. 3 Clamps Buckles at 120°. 4 Clamps Buckles at 90°.

### Preparing the hose for assembly

#### Cut Hose to Length.

Cut Ends Square. (Lack of a square cut on the hose end can reduce coupling retention.)

For hoses having a helical wire:

1. Determine the direction the helical wire is pointing in. This is necessary as proper installation of pre-formed band clamps and bands and buckles rely upon proper orientation of the clamp tail with the helical wire. See illustration below.



- 2. If helical wire is not used for static grounding, trim the wire back into the carcass of the hose.
- This is to prevent injury during use of the assembly.

#### Clean Hose I.D.

#### Mark the hose for proper clamp placement.

All styles of band clamps (both pre-formed and bands & buckles) require proper placement to achieve maximum retention. Place marks on hose for proper clamp placement as follows:

- 1. Determine shank serration style
  - a. Symmetrical (all serrations the same size). Example: Combination nipples, suction couplings, etc.
  - b. Pronounced (some serrations are higher than the other serrations). Example: Cam and groove, King round nipples, etc.
- 2. Symmetrical Shanks
  - a. Determine number of clamps required. Reference Dixon's Pressure Chart for correct number of clamps to install based on coupling style and size.
  - b. Place the shank next to the hose to simulate the shank being fully inserted.
  - c. Place a mark on the hose that corresponds with the point of the last serration.
  - d. When multiple clamps are required, place corresponding number of marks equally spaced from one another and the hose end.
  - e. Do not place a clamp directly on the hose end. Leave 1/4" to 3/8" space between the hose end and the last clamp installed.
- 3. Pronounce shanks
  - a. Place the shank next to the hose to simulate the shank being fully inserted.
  - b. Place a mark on the hose that corresponds with the point of each pronounced serration.
  - c. The correct number of clamps to install will be equal to the number of marks placed on the hose.

#### Static Grounding.

When required, proper static grounding is essential. Typically, this is accomplished by bending the built- in static wire or the helical wire (or wires) inside the hose I.D. so that it contacts the metal coupling. Caution should be taken to bend in no more wire than necessary. Usually 1/2" of wire bent in is sufficient. Other methods of static grounding are available and may be required due to hose type, hose manufacturer or style of coupling to be installed. Always contact the hose manufacturer for proper static grounding techniques for that particular hose. Improper static grounding can lead

to fire, explosions, reduced assembly life, damage to property and injury or death to personnel.

#### Seal the Hose Ends.

At each end of the hose, the reinforcement is exposed to the outside elements. This exposure can lead to premature assembly failure especially if the end of the assembly is laying in a puddle of water or puddle of product. If the assembly is to be subjected to these conditions, the hose ends must be sealed. Typically, rubber cement or shellac is used. Contact the hose manufacturer for recommendations. Wire reinforce hoses can corrode to the point of failure near the clamp. Textile or fabric reinforced hoses can wick water or product to anywhere in the length of the hose and exit the cover at the weakest spot.

#### Coupling Lubricant.

The coupling shank and the hose I.D. are to be lubricated prior to coupling insertion. Dixon recommends using Dixon Coupling Lubricant (DCL10 pint, DCL80 gallon). Do not use hand soap, oil, grease, WD 40, Silicone spray, or other substances that may attack the tube material and / or reduce coupling retention.



# **51960 Installation Tool**

Screw-action type tool for installing band and buckles.

- Material: plated steel
- Weight: 4.00 lbs.
- Length: 12"



### **51970 Roll-Over Attachment**

Adapter for 51960 for installing preformed clamps. For vise applications only.

- Material: plated steel
- Weight: 1.15 lbs.
- Length: 10-1/2"



# **Operating Instructions for the 51960 Installation Tool**

### 1

Hold the tool in the left hand so that the cutter bail is on the bottom and the pulling dog lever is on top. Slide the strap tail through the slot on the right side of the tool.

#### 2

Press down on pulling-dog lever and rotate handle to begin tightening. Tighten strap to desired tension. Simultaneously relieve some tension while pushing the tool away as far as possible.

### 3

Pull the cutter bail to cut the strap tail. Tap the buckle ears down to hold the cut strap tail in place.

# **Operating Instructions for the 51960 with 51970 Roll-Over Attachment**

- 1) Slide the 51970 Roll over attachment on to the head of the 51960 Screw action tool.
- 2) With handle of 51970 facing installer, place 51960 in a vise and tighten.
- 3) Slide the clamp tail through the slot on the 51970.
- 4) Press down on pulling-dog lever and rotate handle to begin tightening.
- 5) Tighten clamp to desired tension.
- 6) Simultaneously relieve some tension while rolling hose towards cutter.
- 7) When clamp buckle engages cutter, pull handle.







# Part Identification for the C2 Installation Tool

This lightweight, side and front entry, jack-type clamping tool is specially designed to provide easy installation of the band and buckle system. Tool adjusts tension and locks buckle in place.

- Material: steel
- Weight: 3.30 lbs.
- Length: 14"



#### *For applying 3/8" and 5/8" band clamps*

Illustrations are not in correct proportion to one another.

Qty Per Tool	Part Description	Part #				
1	Holding dog	C-207		Cr O		
2	Puller links	FX-211A	C-207	FX-211A	FX-211B	C-212
2	Puller links	FX-211B				
1	Puller link pin	C-212		•		
1	Pulling dog	FX-214				
1	Pulling dog spring	FA-217	FX-214	FA-217	F-233	FA-220
1	Pulling dog pin	F-233				-
1	Ball handle assembly	FA-220			۵	-
1	Pusher puller assembly	CA-231	Contained to a	Ö		C
3	Retaining rings	F-242	CA 224	<b>E</b> 040		F 000
1	Cutter	EXP-201	CA-231	F-242	EXP-201	F-232
1	Crescent ring	F-232		*		
1	Cutter handle	C-200			mm	
1	Holding dog pin	F-233				
1	Holding dog spring	F-217	C-200	F-233	F-217	C-243
1	1/8" x 3/8" roll pin	C-243				
2	3/16" x 5/8" roll pin	C-236				
			C-236			

#### Sliding Jack Replacement Kit F205K

(Kit fits the F100, F175 and C2 Tools)



# **Operating Instructions for the C2 Installation Tool**

# 1

Pull strapping from carton and cut off. Slide clamp on strap and bend end under at ear side of clamp. Bring opposite end of strap around object twice, each time passing under clamp bridge.

### 2

Raise ball handle to forward position and insert strapping. Slide tool forward.

# 3

Slide cutter handle forward for alignment. Jack ball handle to reach desired tension.

### 4

Retract cutter handle and raise to 90-110°. To cut strapping, rotate cutter handle. Increase locking bend by rotating tool forward. Apply thumb pressure on tab as you remove tool. Bend ears with hammer.





# Part Identification for the F1 Installation Tool

Qty Per Tool

Head

Spring pin Punch

Retaining ball

Punch holder

Pusher nose

Holding dog

Spring



• Material: steel

• Weight: 3.27 lbs.

Part # F1

• Length: 12"



For applying 5/8" band clamps

Part

Description

Part #

# **Operating Instruction for the F1 Installation Tool**

# 1

Push tension handle all the way forward. Insert the clamp tail and push all the way into tool.

# 2

Tighten the clamp with short downward strokes. Tension handle should be in down position at completion of tightening clamp.

If clamp tension needs to be released before locking, move slide back against spring. This raises the pulling dog.

### 3

Holding tension handle down, lock clamp by hitting punch at least twice with mallet.

### 4

Hold hose and raise the tool back and forth to break off clamp tail. Remove from tool by operating tension handle. when tail has moved through holding dog, raise tension handle and pull tail free.









# Part Identification for the F100 Installation Tool

- Material: steel
- Weight: 2.50 lbs.
- Length: 13"



#### For applying 3/8" and 5/8" band clamps

Illustrations are not in correct proportion to one another.

Qty Per Tool	Part Description	Part #				
1	Punch head	FX-201				
1	Punch	F-202	FX-201	F-202	F-233	F-206
1	Punch head pin	F-233				
1	Pusher nose	F-206			~~~	6.0
1	Holding dog	F-207	$\langle Q \rangle$		VNN'	$\mathbb{C}_{\mathbb{Z}}$
1	Pusher nose pin	F-208	F-207	F-208	F-209	FX-211A
1	Holding dog spring	F-209				
2	Puller links	FX-211A	$\overline{\bigcirc}$			
2	Puller links	FX-211B				Open
1	Puller link pin	F-212	FX-211B	F-212	FY-214	FY-217
1	Pulling dog	FY-214				
1	Pulling dog spring	FY-217		~	F	
1	Pulling dog pin	F-233			E F3	
1	Ball handle assembly	FA-220	F-233	EA-220	F-220HT	EA_231
1	3/8" clamp adapter	F-229HT	1-235	1 A-220	1-229111	1 A-231
1	Pusher puller assembly	FA-231	尺	~	-	
3	Retaining rings	F-242	O		0	
1	Crescent ring	F-232	F 949	E 000	F 995	
1	Punch retainer ring	F-235	F-242	F-232	F-230	

#### Sliding Jack Replacement Kit FY205K

(Kit fits the F100 and C2 Tools)



# **Operating Instructions for the F100 Installation Tool**

### 1

Hold tool as shown with ball handle all the way forward. Insert clamp and push the end entirely into the tool until the lock is held in pusher housing jaws.

### 2

Slip the hose with nipple inserted into the clamp and locate clamp directly over groove - (position of groove can be laid out on hose with chalk), tighten the clamp with downward strokes of ball handle, using short strokes after initial slack is out so that ball handle finishes in down position.

### 3

Hold the tool with clamp resting on Vee block, vise or other solid surface. Swing punch head down against lock and strike hard with mallet; this locks the clamp. Raise punch head to free punch. Hold hose to keep from turning and raise both handles of tool up together which will break off band at lock.

**(optional)** Peen corners of the lock down smooth. To remove cut off end from tool, operate ball handle to work it through holding dog. Then press release lever and pull strip out toward rear of tool.

Instructions for using adapter to apply 3/8" width clamps

### 4

The F100 tool described above, as shipped, is ready for use in applying all sizes of 5/8" standard and heavy duty hose clamps. To apply the 3/8" wide clamps use the adapter (F-229).

To insert the adapter, hold the tool with the punch head (FX-201) raised as shown and place the adapter under the pusher nose with the bent ends up and push back until the shoulder rests against the front of the pusher nose. The F-229 clamp adapter under the pusher nose (F-206) centers the narrower clamp in the tool.









# Part Identification for the F175 Installation Tool

Material: steel
Weight: 3.35 lbs.
Length: 13"

Part #
F175

For applying 3/4" band clamps - K series

Illustrations are not in correct proportion to one another.

Qty Per Tool	Part Description	Part #				
1	Punch head	F-201750				
1	Punch	F-202	F-201750	F-202	F-204	
1	Punch head pin	F-204			$\sim$	
1	Pusher nose	F-206				en,
1	Holding dog	F-207		<b>~</b>		Mrr,
1	Pusher nose pin	F-208	F-206	F-207	F-208	F-209
1	Holding dog spring	F-209				
2	Puller links	FX-211A		$\bigcirc$		
2	Puller links	FX-211B	$\mathbb{Q}_{\mathbb{Z}}$	$\bigcirc$		
1	Puller link pin	F-212	FX-211A	FX-211B	F-212	FX-214
1	Pulling dog	FX-214				
1	Pulling dog spring	FA-217			-	
1	Pulling dog pin	F-233	Demanne			Column
1	Ball handle assembly	FA-220		EA 222	EA220	EA 221750
1	Pusher puller assembly	FA-231750	FA-217	FA-233	FA220	FA-231750
4	Retaining rings	F-242				
1	Wrench	F-224	ሪ	•		
		-				
			F-242	F-232		

#### Sliding Jack Replacement Kit F205K

(Kit fits the F100, F175 and C2 Tools)



# **Operating Instructions for the F175 Installation Tool**

### 1

Hold tool as shown with ball handle all the way forward. Insert clamp and push the end entirely into the tool until the lock is held in pusher housing jaws.

### 2

Slip the hose with nipple inserted into the clamp and locate clamp directly over groove - (position of groove can be laid out on hose with chalk), tighten the clamp with downward strokes of ball handle, using short strokes after initial slack is out so that ball handle finishes in down position.

### 3

Hold the tool with clamp resting on Vee block, vise or other solid surface. Swing punch head down against lock and strike hard with mallet; this locks the clamp. Raise punch head to free punch. Hold hose to keep from turning and raise both handles of tool up together which will break off band at lock.

**(optional)** Peen corners of the lock down smooth. To remove cut off end from tool, operate ball handle to work it through holding dog. Then press release lever and pull strip out toward rear of tool.

### 4

The F175 tool is to be used for applying 3/4" wide preformed K clamps.









# Part Identification for the F38 Installation Tool

Small portable hand tool.

- Material: steel
- Weight: 0.84 lbs.
- Length: 10"



#### For applying 3/8" and 5/8" band clamps F series

Qty Per Tool	Part Description	Part #
1	Frame	FA-285
1	Punch and holder	FA-289
1	Winder	FF-290
2	Retaining ring	F-292
1	Ratchet wrench	FA-298

#### Illustrations are not in correct proportion to one another.

FA-298







FA-289





FF-290

F-292

# **Operating Instructions for the F38 Installation Tool**

### 1

Push end of clamp completely into slotted end of clamp tool. For 3/8" width clamp use narrow slotted end.

# 2

Push winder into frame with slot engaging clamp end. Ratchet wrench attached to winder.



Push forward with sufficient strokes until desired tension is obtained.

# 4

Push punch down on lock and while holding tension with wrench, strike firm blow with hammer, thus locking the clamp.

### 5

Raise punch and while holding tension with wrench, swing frame forward and up against edge of lock, breaking off tail piece.

**(optional)** Peen corners of the lock smooth. Twist up tail and when it is free, pull out of winder. To move punch from one end to other end, squeeze legs of punch holder and reengage in holes at opposite end.

### 6

To use open end clamps, wrap and lace the clamp twice around, threading each wrap through the lock, apply clamp-tool and use as above.

**Note:** On applications such as glass, radiator spud or objects where punching would be injurious, pull tension - raise clamp tool to bend strip at right angle - remove winder - clip off 1/4" above the bend - fold end, close over lock.



# Part Identification for the F40 Installation Tool

Intermediate size tool with anti-backlash ratchet.

- Material: steel
- Weight: 1.17 lbs.
- Length: 11"





#### For applying 3/8" and 5/8" band clamps

Qty Per Tool	Part Description	Part #
1	Frame	F-240
1	Punch and holder	FCA-289
1	Winder	FF-290
2	Retaining ring	F-292
1	Ratchet wrench	FA-298
1	Lever	E-293
1	3/8" clamp adapter	FC-229
1	Spring	641104F1
1	Ball	E-295

Illustrations are not in correct proportion to one another.



E-295

# **Operating Instructions for the F40 Installation Tool**

### 1

Push end of clamp into slotted end of clamp tool. Rotate ratchet wrench to engage clamp end in slot in winder.

### 2

Push ratchet wrench forward with sufficient strokes until desired tension is obtained.



Grip ratchet wrench and tool together. Push punch down on lock and strike firm blow with hammer, thus locking the clamp tension.

### 4

Raise punch and while holding wrench and tool together, rotate tool forward and up against edge of the lock, breaking off tail piece.

### 5

To remove tail piece, rotate wrench until tail is free from slot in tool. With thumb, slide lever and remove winder and wrench from tool.

### 6

For application of 3/8" wide clamps, swing 3/8" adapter to forward position and follow steps 1 through 5.





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