

INSTRUCTIONS FOR:

HYDRAULIC COIL SPRING COMPRESSOR MODEL NO: **VS7011.V2**

Thank you for purchasing a Sealey Product. Manufactured to a high standard this product will, if used according to these instructions and properly maintained, give you years



IMPORTANT: PLEASE READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY. NOTE THE SAFE OPERATIONAL REQUIREMENTS, WARNINGS AND CAUTIONS. USE THIS PRODUCT CORRECTLY AND WITH CARE FOR THE PURPOSE FOR WHICH IT IS INTENDED. FAILURE TO DO SO MAY CAUSE DAMAGE AND/OR PERSONAL INJURY, AND WILL INVALIDATE THE WARRANTY. PLEASE KEEP INSTRUCTIONS SAFE FOR FUTURE USE.

1. SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

- ▲ **DANGER!** Stop compressing the spring before the coil windings touch, fig.2.A.
- □ WARNING! Wear approved safety eye protection (standard spectacles are not adequate).
- □ WARNING! Measure diameter of spring to be compressed and select correct set of jaws.
- □ WARNING! Ensure Health & Safety, local authority, and general workshop practice regulations are adhered to when using this equipment.
- X DO NOT allow untrained persons to use the spring compressor.
- X DO NOT operate the spring compressor when you are tired or under the influence of alcohol, drugs or intoxicating medication.
- X DO NOT use the spring compressor for a task it is not designed to perform.
- x DO NOT operate spring compressor if parts are damaged or missing as this may cause failure and/or personal injury.
- ✓ Maintain the spring compressor in good condition. Replace or repair damaged parts. *Use genuine* parts only. Unauthorised parts may be dangerous and will invalidate the warranty.
- ✓ Remove ill fitting clothes. Remove ties, watches, rings. other loose iewellery. Contain and/or tie back long hair.
- ✓ Familiarise yourself with the applications, limitations and potential hazards of the spring compressor.
- ✓ Keep the work area clean, uncluttered and ensure there is adequate lighting.
- ✓ Keep hands and body clear of the spring when operating the spring compressor.
- ✓ Maintain correct balance and footing. Ensure the floor is not slippery and wear non-slip shoes.
- ✓ Keep the spring compressor clean for best and safest. performance.
- ✓ When not in use release pressure from the spring compressor.
- ✓ Wear appropriate protective clothing.
- ✓ When not in use clean and store the spring compressor. in a safe, dry, childproof location.

2. INTRODUCTION & SPECIFICATION

2.1. Introduction. The VS7011.V2 is supplied with a 1 ton hydraulic hand pump unit that powers the ram and voke assembly. Up to 50% guicker than using other ratchet driven spring compressors. Equipped with 2 pairs of spring vokes with plasticised covers to prevent slippage and damage to springs.

Specification

| Capacity | 1 ton |
|------------------------|--------|
| Maximum working length | |
| Ram travel | 104mm |
| Weight | 19.5kg |

| Small jaw capacity | Max spring OD 122mm |
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| Small jaw capacity | Min spring ID 80mm |
| Big jaw capacity | Max spring OD 165mm |
| Big jaw capacity | Min spring ID 110mm |

3. ASSEMBLY

Assembly. Connect the hose to the ram unit as shown in fig.1. Ensure the hose connectors are fully done up but do not over tighten. See fig.1 for valve operation.

OPEN CLOSE CLOSE VALVE & **PUMP** HANDLE TO CLOSE **JAWS OPEN VALVE** TO OPEN JAWS

Fig.1.

OPERATION

- WARNING! Measure the outer diameter of the spring to be compressed and select the correct set of jaws.
- WARNING! Do not compress the spring to an extent where the coil windings touch. (See fig.2-A)
- Ensure that the centre line of the spring remains parallel to the compressor body at all times. This applies to both straight springs and conical springs. The spring should not be touching the piston or body of the compressor. (See fig.2-B)
- Secure the strut with a clamp, vice or other adequate holding device.
- Before use check compressor assembly for signs of damage and particularly ensure laws are in good condition and securely mounted

4.1. To Compress a Strut Removed From a Vehicle.

- 4.1.1. Screw the selected jaws onto the ram body and the piston respectively. Ensure that the recessed sides of the laws are facing each other.
- 4.1.2. Operate the pump handle (see fig.1) to drive the jaws together to the approximate length of the spring and to allow compression of as many windings as possible.
- 4.1.3. Place the spring strut compressor onto the spring, ensuring the spring seats correctly into both the upper and the lower jaws and cannot slide out during compression. (See fig.2-D & E)
- 4.1.4. Ensure that the centre lines of the spring and compressor body are parallel. (See fig.2).
- 4.1.5. Operate the pump handle (see fig.1) and compress the spring until the upper support bearing is free and the spring will rotate.
- 4.2. To Decompress a Strut Removed From a Vehicle.
- 4.2.1. To decompress the spring, reverse the compressing procedure.

Fig.2.

5. MAINTENANCE

- 5.1. Before each use check the compressor to ensure it is not damaged or worn. If suspect do not use the unit, but contact your your local Sealey Dealer who will be able to advise you.
- 5.2. After use, release the hydraulic pressure and grease the piston rod using LM grease.
- 5.3. Keep the compressor clean, and when not in use store in a safe, dry, childproof location.

Declaration of Conformity

We, the sole importer into the UK, declare that the product listed here is in conformity with the following standards and directives. The construction file for this product is held by the Manufacturer and may be inspected, by a national authority, upon request to Jack Sealey Ltd.

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