



Grasshopper Manual

Model 410

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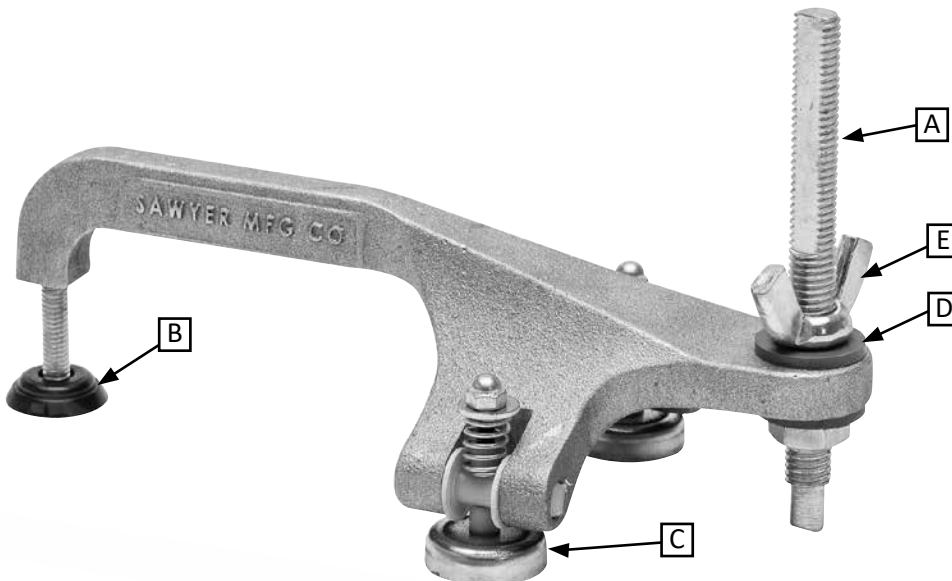
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Operation Diagram

- A. Arc bolt
- B. Stabilizer
- C. Magnets
- D. Phenolic washers
- E. Wing-nut
- F. Flat tooth arc bolt *not pictured*
- G. Tie arc bolt *not pictured*

The components shown are not available for individual purchase. For a parts diagram or replacement part information, please contact Sawyer.



CAUTION



CAUTION: *The Grasshopper is meant to be used as a grounding device for pipe liners. Stay clear of arcing current and keep objects away from device. Ensure that the Grasshopper is in place securely before welding. Use caution when operating the Grasshopper. After each use clean and store in a warm, dry area.*

Record the following information for warranty purposes:

Where purchased: _____

Purchase date: _____

Equipment Serial #: _____

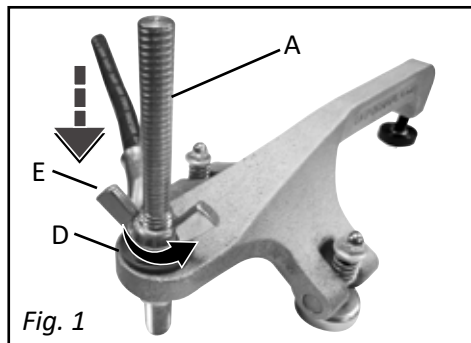
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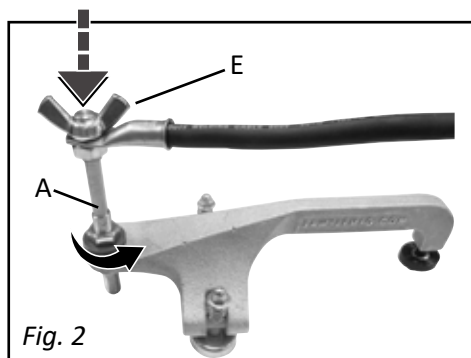
Installation

Note: Welding ground clamps can be placed on arc bolt in place of welding lug



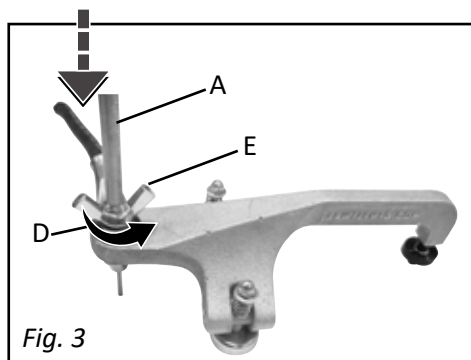
Standard Arc Bolt

1. Unscrew wing-nut (E) and take off. (Fig. 1)
 - a. Place welding lug through arc bolt (A) resting on phenolic washer. (D, Fig. 1)
 - b. Reinstall wing nut (E) onto welding lug and tighten. (Fig. 1)



Tie-In Arc Bolt

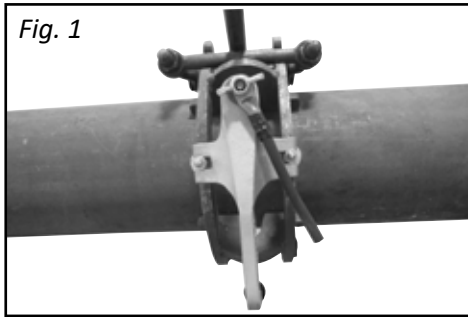
1. Unscrew wing-nut (E) and take off. (Fig. 2)
 - a. Place welding lug through arc bolt (A) resting on top nut. (Fig. 2)
 - b. Reinstall wing nut (E) onto welding lug and tighten. (Fig. 2)



Flat Tooth Arc Bolt

1. Unscrew wing-nut (E) and take off. (Fig. 3)
 - a. Place welding lug through arc bolt (A) resting on phenolic washer. (D, Fig. 3)
 - b. Reinstall wing nut (E) onto welding lug and tighten. (Fig. 3)

Operation



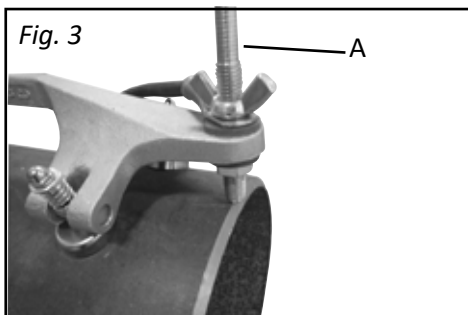
Note: Grasshopper can be mounted on flat plate.

Note: Mount grasshopper on a clean metal surface anywhere on pipe to be welded.

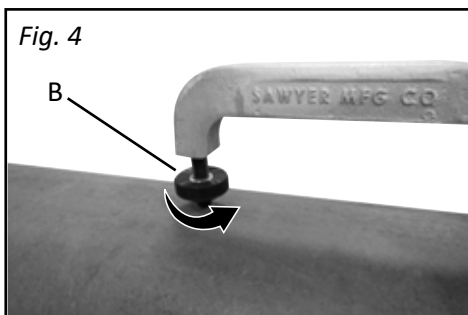
Note: The grasshopper should be mounted on an external clamp perpendicular to the pipe. (Fig. 1)



1. Place grasshopper onto pipe. (Fig. 2)



2. Turn arc bolt (A, Fig. 3) until the tip rests on the pipe.



3. Rotate stabilizer (B, Fig. 4) until it rests on the pipe.



4. Weld pipe. (Fig. 5)

Tip: If parent material is in question, weld on the bolt end; thus causing the material to be the same as the rod used.

Tip: To prevent weld slag, also known as weld BBs, build up on the arc bolt; run acetalene torch over the bolt without the oxygen turned on.

Tip: To manage your grounding cable, tape the cable on the neck of the grasshopper.