

E TOOLS & VISES

SINCE 1896



Low Clearance Rotary Cutters For cutting steel, ductile iron and cast iron pipe

Catalog	ltem	Steel	Pipe Capacity Cast & Ductile	actual	Cutter		Length		Weight	
No.	Code	in-nom.	Iron in-nom.	0.D. mm	Wheel	Application	in	mm	lbs	ĸg
LCRC4X	03304	2 - 4	-	60 - 125	HX4	Steel/Stainless Steel Sch. 40 & 80	19	483	12.3	5.6
LCRC4I	03306	-	2 - 4	60 - 125	HI4	Cast/Ductile Iron	19	483	12.3	5.6
LCRC4S	03307	2 - 4	-	60 - 125	HS4	Steel/Stainless Steel Sch. 40	19	483	12.3	5.6
LCRC8I	03308	-	6 - 8	159 - 246	RCI8-30	Cast/Ductile Iron	58	1473	42.6	19.4
LCRC8S	03309	6 - 8	-	159 - 246	RCS8-36	Steel/Stainless Steel Sch. 40	58	1473	42.6	19.4
LCRC8X	03311	6 - 8		159 - 246	RCX	Steel/Stainless Steel Sch. 40 & 80	58	1473	42.6	19.4
LCRC12I	03312	-	10 - 12	266 - 358	RC18-30	Cast/Ductile Iron	61	1549	50	22.7
LCRC12S	03313	10 - 14	-	266 - 358	RCS8-36	Steel/Stainless Steel Sch. 40	61	1549	50	22.7
LCRC12X	03314	10 - 14		266 - 358	RCX	Steel/Stainless Steel Sch. 40 & 80	61	1549	50	22.7
LCRC16I	03316	-	14 - 16	368 - 462	RC18-30	Cast/Ductile Iron	66	1664	60	27.3
LCRC16S	03317	16 - 18	-	368 - 462	RCS8-36	Steel/Stainless Steel Sch. 40	66	1664	60	27.3
LCRC16X	03318	16 - 18		368 - 462	RCX	Steel/Stainless Steel Sch. 40 & 80	66	1664	60	27.3

Operating Instructions

First, inspect the wheels to insure they suit the type of pipe that is to be cut. The cutter wheel chart (Fig. 1) identifies the proper wheel for each application.

Fig. 1

CUTTER WHEEL CHART FOR LOW CLEARANCE ROTARY CUTTERS Item Std. Blade Exposure								
Code	Cat. No.	Stu. Pkg.	Reed Cutter	Inches	mm	Application		
03504	HS4	4	LCRC4; H4	0.320	8.1	Steel; Stainless Steel		
03505	HSI4	4	LCRC4; H4	0.275	7.0	Steel; Stainless Steel; Cast Iron; Ductile Iron		
03512	HX4	4	LCRC4; H4	0.383	9.7	Steel; Stainless Steel; Schd 80		
03530	RCS8-36	4	LCRC8; LCRC12; LCRC16; RC20; RC24; RC30; RC36	0.635	16.1	Steel; Stainless Steel		
03535	RCI8-30	4	LCRC8; LCRC12; LCRC16; RC20; RC24; RC30; RC36	0.500	12.7	Cast Iron; Ductile Iron (manual)		
03545	RCDX	4	LCRC8; LCRC12; LCRC16; RC20; RC24; RC30; RC36	0.531	13.5	Heavy Cast Iron; Ductile Iron (power)		
03550	RCX	4	LCRC8; LCRC12; LCRC16; RC20; RC24; RC30; RC36	0.800	20.3	Heavy Wall Steel; Stainless Steel		

Make sure bolted rod ends are in proper location for size of pipe to be cut. Turnbuckles should be unscrewed equally until the rod end eye center is about 2 1/4" (57 mm) from the end of the turnbuckles. Disconnect a release pin and fit cutter over pipe to be cut. (You may have to disconnect both pins if clearance around the pipe is minimal.) Connect release pin through yoke section and rod end in proper location and place the spring loaded guide section of the cutter on top of the pipe. Hand tighten both turnbuckles evenly until all 4 wheels touch the pipe. Tighten the turnbuckles every 1/2 revolution of the cutter. The turnbuckles may also be used to pull the cutter around the pipe.



NOTE: Tighten the turnbuckles as tight as possible while still being able to pull the cutter around the pipe. (Handle leverage allows easy tightening - 1/2 revolution of the turnbuckle should provide sufficient tension.)

USE LUBRICATING OIL: It will take less effort and prolong the life of the wheels and wheel pins.

BADLY CRUSTED AND RUST SCALED PIPE: Remove the rust and scale from the area to be cut with a Reed Descaler (Fig. 2). This will help save cutter wheels and cutting time; and helps square the cutter on the pipe to insure tracking.

Fig. 2

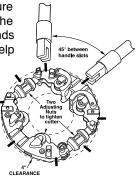
Cat. No.	Item Code	Pipe	Length				
DS12	08000	3 - 12 in	70 - 300 mm	32 in	810 mm		
DS36	08006	3 - 36 in	70 - 910 mm	44 in	1110 mm		
DS12B	08008	3 - 12 in	70 - 300 mm	45 in	1143 mm		

PIPE DESCALERS

HELPFUL HINTS: While cast and ductile iron pipe will fracture along the cut line after penetrating part way, continue feeding the wheels in to make sure the cut is completed. Ductile iron tends to work harden. Continuous feeding and maximum pressure help prevent this. In the event that cutter wheels for iron are not available, cutter wheels for steel pipe can be substituted for use on ductile iron pipe. Be advised that steel cutter wheels may wear faster

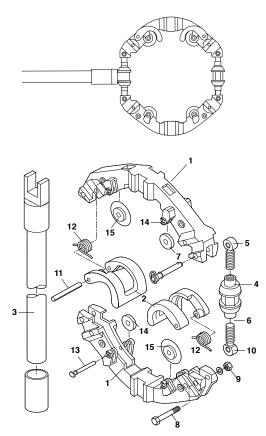
CAUTION: Always wear proper eye protection when using this or any hand tool

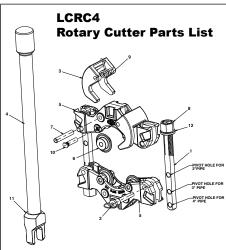




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Replacement Parts





Ref. No.	Description	Item Code	Qty.
1	Feed Screw	96293	2
2	Quick Release Pin	97545	2
3	HS4 Guide	93046	2
4	Handle	97218	1
5	Machined Yoke	96292	2
6	HS4 Cutter Wheel	03504	4
7	Guide Pin	30030	2
8	Feed Nut	96294	2
9	Guide Spring	40035	2
10	HS4 Wheel Pin	93310	4
11	Handle End	96291	1
12	CV4 Bearing Washer	92061	2

Parts List

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			LCRC8		LCRC12		LCRC16	
Ref. No.	Description			Qty. Used	ltem Code	Qty. Used	ltem Code	Qty. Used
1	Yoke	Sabot	93174	2	93175	2	93171	2
2	Guide	Guide	93165	2	93166	2	93166	2
3	Handle Assembly	Manivelle	93176	1	93176	1	93176	1
4	Turnbuckle	Boucle de serrage	93169	2	93169	2	93169	2
5	Rod End Right Hand	Tige filetée (pas à droite)	93172	2	93172	2	93172	2
6	Rod End Left Hand	Tige filetée (pas à gauche)	93173	2	93173	2	93173	2
7	Release Pin	Cheville de dégagement	40147	2	40147	2	40147	2
8	Cap Screw	Boulon fileté	30091	3	30091	3	30091	3
9	Lock Washer	Rondelle d'arrêt	30093	2	30093	2	30093	2
10	Hex Nut	Écrou hexagonal	30150	2	30150	2	30150	2
11	Guide Pin	Cheville de guidage	30090	2	30090	2	30090	2
12	Guide Spring	Ressort de guidage	40321	2	40152	2	40343	2
13	Wheel Pin Assembly	Cheville de molette complète	93200	4	93200	4	93200	4
14	Roller	Disque	93220	8	93220	8	93220	8
15	Cutter Wheel	Molette	See cutt	er wheel	reference (hart in c	atalog or p	rice list

Voir le tableau de référence des molettes dans le catalogue ou la liste de prix.



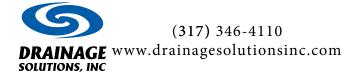
REED Warranty

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