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# **OPERATING & MAINTENANCE**

# INSTRUCTIONS

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# PRINCIPAL DIMENSIONS AND CAPACITIES

8" machine-Maximum size of timber adm	iltted to	o feed	works			$. 8^{3''} \times 4$	3"		
9" machine—Maximum size of timber adm	itted to	b feed	wörks			94" × 4	4 2/1		
Maximum size of finished work			•		<b>0</b> ″ v	wide × 4"	* thick or 8'	" ~ Å"	
Standard spindle motors, top and bottom	heads		••		, ,	10 h K	at 6 000 r	nm.	
side heads		•••	••	••	• •	. то п.р. 10 k в	at 6,000 r.	·P-111-1	
Standard Feed motor	••	• •		• •	••	71 ör	10 h a		Alternatives
Standard Frequency changer	••	••	••		• •	25 K V	Δ.		can be supplied
Standard Feed speeds		18	25	32	45	54 an#	75 ff 54P	mia	to special orde
		36	50	×4.	οń.	108 .64	150 Fr 686	mm. Min J	
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side	• •		••	•••		/1"		гυ.	
Minimum cutting circle, all heads	•••	••	••		Ċ	44 61" cut	tina dia		
Maximum cutting circle, first bottom head	4				$\mathbf{}$	71"	ung una.		
top heads	• • •	• •	••		<b>U</b>	101#			
side heads		••			• • •	81"			
optional second b	iottom	head	Ċ		••	101			
End adjustment, all heads		noud	$\sim$			3"			
Side heads arranged to cant 45° inwards, 1	5° outv	varde		••	••	4			
Diameter of bottom feed rolls.						ġ#			
Diameter of top feed rolls		$\mathbf{\lambda}$	••		••	<u>8.9</u> ″			
Diamond or Saw tooth feed rolls can be su	bellaau	for fe	edine l	hàrd .	or we	∽l6 ttimhëëè			
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DETAILS INCLUD	ED W	/ith	THE	M	CHI	NE			
All motors and control gear and all without	•								
Frequency changer and wiring									•
Main isolating switch									
One square cutterblock to each head com		114h	Hats (	- 16			、 .		
nuts and cutters	piece w	itin co	nets (	seit c	entrin	ig sleeves	), cutter bo	olts,	
Exhaust hoods to each head									•
Feed-in table and covers							•		

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### INSTALLATION

The machine is despatched from the Works with all bright surfaces greased to prevent rusting. This must be removed by applying a cloth damped with paraffin or turpentine.

### FOUNDATIONS

 $\frac{3}{4}$ " diameter foundation bolts should be used to bolt the machine down to the floor. If the mill floor consists of 6" solid concrete, no special foundation is necessary. Rag type holding down bolts may be used, and working from the foundation plan 6" to 8" square holes should be cut in the concrete for these bolts. After the machine has been carefully levelled and the "in-feed" table leg, it should be grouted in position with liquid cement. (No pit is required under machine.)

IMPORTANT : Four lifting brackets are fitted to the machine. If these are removed, see that the holes are plugged to prevent entrance of dust to internal mechanism.

### WIRING

See end of book for details and wiring diagrams.

### DUST EXHAUST SYSTEM

We have developed with Messrs D.C.E. Ltd., of Leicester, a special collector unit for this machine which represents a big advance on the usual practice of coupling each head independently into the main. This unit comprises a sheet steel hollow column supporting all the overhead pipes to the top heads and side heads, and the rigid connections to the bottom blocks. The pipes are flexible to facilitate removal of the exhaust hoods.

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### FEED WORKS

A feed motor driven by vee belts through a 6 speed gear box provides the drive for the feed works. The feed rollers above the bed are carried in independent swings, these being mounted on a vertical slide. The drive to these rollers is taken through a chain from the gearbox. The final drive to each roller being through spur gears.

The whole top roller swing assembly is mounted on a vertical vee slide which slides in the main feed works housing. The chain is automatically tensioned for all roller positions by means of an idler sprocket mounted inside the feed works housing, and the whole drive runs in an oil bath. Provision is made for retensioning the chain, the adjustment being provided by a tightener sprocket.

The spiral gearbox mounted at the top of the housing provides the drive for raising and lowering the feed roller slide by turning the handwheel. This allows the top roller assembly to be adjusted for various thicknesses of timber. The swings have independent adjustment by turning the handwheels. This independent adjustment is provided by compression springs and allows for a variation in timber thickness up to a maximum of  $\frac{3}{4}$ " without altering the main roller setting.

The "feeding-in" table and feed works housings are  $\frac{5}{18}$ " below the level of the main machine table. The bottom feed rollers are driven by spur gears from the gear shaft, the gears running in oil. Rollers are mounted in separate ball bearing housings. The rollers can be adjusted on two wedges.

A timber guard is fitted which can be adjusted to any desired thickness of timber. A scale is fitted on the stationary feed works housing, with a pointer mounted on the top roller cover to give direct reading for the roller setting. A cavity under the feed works housing, terminating in a chute, discharges chips and dust which would otherwise clog the feed rollers.

To adjust the tension on the feed drive vee ropes, the nuts on the tensioning screw should be slackened off, readjusted and locked up in the new position. Should any replacement vee rope belts be required a complete set should be fitted, otherwise the pull will not be equal on each rope.

The frequency changer drive is adjusted in a similar manner to the feed motor, the tensioning screws are shown at Fig. 1. A complete set of vee ropes should be fitted as replacements. (4 - No. 60B.)

Feed works are driven by two step cone pulleys. The 6 speed gear box on first step on pulley gives a range from 18 to 75 feet. By changing the vee ropes over to the second step a range from 36 to 150 feet is obtained.

#### Pneumatic feed works can be supplied to special order.

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### TABLE BEFORE BOTTOM BLOCK

The table before bottom block shown in Fig. 2 is fitted with a renewable bed plate firmly clamped by wedge action. The plate is fitted with a peg underneath to prevent any movement towards the cutters. Vertical movement of table is obtained by slacking nut B and turning shaft A. The table can be adjusted between  $\frac{1}{16}$  above the main table level and  $\frac{5}{16}$  below. Always make sure when table has been set, to lock nut B again.

### FIRST BOTTOM BLOCK

The spindle unit is mounted on a double vertical slide located on each side of the cutterblock. Rise and fall of the spindle unit is by two vertical screws operated by spiral gears in enclosed boxes and operated by shaft 'C.' Slacken nut 'Y' and raise or lower spindle unit. Relock after block has been set.

The spindle barrel is locked in housing D' on carriage by two split grip nuts 'E'; these nuts must be slackened off before using ratchet lever for cross adjustment to spindle. Nuts 'E' to be locked up again when final setting has been done to cutterblock. Maximum cutting circle,  $7\frac{1}{2}$ ". Minimum cutting circle,  $4\frac{1}{2}$ ".

Section through cutter spindle shown for all horizontal heads and should be studied for lubrication to bearings.



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### TOP HEADS (1st and 2nd)

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The spindle unit is mounted on a double vertical slide located and locked on each slde of the cutterblock with locking levers A. Rise and fall of spindle unit is by two vertical screws operated by spiral gears in enclosed boxes, and operated by shafts B. Before adjusting height of spindle units push levers A down and then raise or lower spindle unit. Relock after block has been set.

The bed plates under top heads are renewable and are gripped in position with a wedge action. This plate has a white metal insert directly underneath the cutter track to avoid damage to cutters should the head be accidentally wound down too far into the table plate.

A ratchet lever C provides cross adjustment to the spindle.

Maximum cutter track on top heads is 104" diameter and 64" diameter minimum.

See page 22 showing method of mounting blocks.

A scale is fitted on the vertical stands with a pointer attached to carriage slide, giving direct reading for adjusting cutterheads.

Exhaust hoods are fitted to chipbreaker arms and are held by two pegs.

See page 10 showing top head chipbreaker.

### SECOND BOTTOM HEAD

The spindle unit is mounted on a double vertical slide located and locked on each side of the cutterblock with a locking lever D. Rise and fall of spindle unit is by two vertical screws operated by spiral gears in enclosed boxes, and operated by shaft E. Before adjusting height of spindle unit push lever D down and then raise or lower spindle unit. Relock after block has been set.

To allow access to cutter spindle, the whole of the out-feed table unit swings away from the carriage slide. To do this, fluted handwheels F should be released and the eyebolts swing out of position, giving access to cutters. The table is counterbalanced.

The table itself has two tee slots cut across for two short fences. Both fences are drilled to fit wood packings if required. The maximum cutting circle is  $10\frac{1}{2}$ " diameter and minimum cutting circle is  $6\frac{1}{2}$ " diameter.

Out-feed table can be adjusted vertically by handwheel G but nuts H must be slackened off before turning handwheel. Make sure these nuts are locked again after final setting. Chips are exhausted out of stand I through side.

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HANDLE FOR VERT. ADJUSTMENT FOR ROLLER PRESSURE 한 소중한 중점 HANDLE FOR VERT. ADJUSTMENT TO TOP PRESSURES BETWEEN SIDE HEADS PRESSURE ADJ. TO TOP PRESSURE SHOES HANDWHEELS FOR SETTING TOP PRESSURES RISE AND FALL TO TOP FEED ROLLERS C RATCHET LEVER FOR TIMBER GUARD OUT-FEED TABLE H Ĝ ADJG. SCREW FOR CANTING SIDE HEAD HANDWHEEL FOR SETTING OUT-FEED TABLE Page 9 KOS-21-444 ADIG, SCREW FOR RISE AND FALL OF TOP HEADS OIL RAISING 1-HANOWDERD 3"00 D ADIG. SCREW FOR RISE AND FALL OF BOTTOM BLOCK LOCKING HANDLES FOR HEAD STANDS Sto BOSE CLANE 1-1-2 TAPER FIN Kar. an Sale

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FOR CHIPBREAKER SHOES

SETTING SCREWS TO LIMIT THE AMOUNT OF MOVEMENT BACK OF EACH CHIPBREAKER SHOES Wadkin operating

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### TOP HEAD CHIPBREAKERS

The chipbreaker unit is fitted with two independent shoes both pivoting at D.

The unit slides along supporting arms A and is locked in position with servated washers and nuts B, each side of unit. Each shoe is fitted with a spring and can be adjusted with hexagon locknuts E.

Square head screws F are adjusted to limit the amount of movement back of each shoe.

Horizontal adjustment of chipbreaker unit accommodates cutting circles from  $0_{2}^{1}$  to  $10_{2}^{1}$ . Pressure shoes are renewable to accommodate special moulds or bevelled stock.

Variation in stock is controlled by the whole of the chipbreaker unit swinging up against spring G.

The chipbreaker unit is carried off top head spindle housings.

### JOINTERS

Horizontal and vertical jointer can be supplied to special order (Straight Jointer).

Profile jointers can be supplied for horizontal and vertical head.

See special Leaflet Section E for cutter equipment.

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### FENCE SIDE HEAD

The vertical fence side cutter spindle is shown at Fig. 7. The vertical spindle barrel is clamped in a circular housing forming a slide for a vertical adjustment. The barrel is clamped with nut B locking a split clamp. For vertical adjustment to block, slacken nut B and use ratchet lever to raise or lower block. When block is finally set, lock up nut B again.

### CANTING FENCE SIDE HEAD

This head will cant  $45^{\circ}$  inwards and  $15^{\circ}$  outwards. To do this, slacken off the following nuts A and then turn shaft G to direction of cant required. Relock nuts A again when head has been set. Before using cross traverse shaft, turn shaft F to unlock

Bed plate must be adjusted to sult diameter of blocks and reset to sult.

The maximum cutter track on this head is  $8\frac{1}{2}$  diameter with a minimum of  $6\frac{1}{2}$  diameter.

### NEAR SIDE HEAD (FIG. 8)

The vertical cutter spindle unit at the near side head is mounted and adjusted in a similar manner to the fence side head and will cant  $45^{\circ}$  inwards and  $15^{\circ}$  outwards.

Do not alter vertical adjustment without fitting a block on spindles.

The near side head is fitted with a swing away chipbreaker (see page 14).

The aluminium exhaust hoods are located in spindle barrels by a locating peg and locking screw.

When side heads need canting, special hoods have to be fitted and are supplied only to special order.



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FRONT SIDE HEAD CHIPBREAKER

### FENCES

### FENCE BEFORE FEED ROLLERS

This fence is fixed to the in-feed table.

### FENCE OVER FEED ROLLER

This fence is fixed and is bolted to the rear bottom roll housing.

### FENCE UNDER 1st TOP HEAD

This is fixed to the table and is fitted with an adjustable nose shoe A.  $\bigcirc$ The fence shoe is slotted to enable circular blocks from  $6\frac{1}{2}$ " to  $8\frac{1}{2}$ " diameter to be used.

### FENCE AFTER NEAR FENCE HEAD

This fence is fitted with two links and can be moved in or out. The nuts B should be slackened and the whole fence moved to the desired position, and nuts B relocked.

The link mechanism ensures that the adjustable fence is parallel to fixed fences.





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### PRESSURES

### I. FIRST SIDE PRESSURE ON FEEDING-IN TABLE

The first side pressure is mounted in a tee slot on the front bottom roll housing as shown in Fig. 9. The whole unit slides forward until the roller strikes the timber and should then be moved forward until the roller swings back approximately  $\frac{1}{4}$ " to give the necessary grip for feeding, etc. The whole unit can then be locked in position with nuts A and any further tensioning should be done with the knurled handle B. The spring-loaded roller is flexible enough to allow the timber variations up to a maximum of  $\frac{3}{4}$ " without altering the setting of the pressure unit.

### 2. SECOND SIDE PRESSURE BEFORE BOTTOM HEAD

The second side pressure is adjusted in the same manner as the first side pressure.

### 3. TOP PRESSURES OVER FIRST BOTTOM HEAD

Two balanced spring-loaded double roller pressures straddle the bottom block. The pressures are mounted on a square bar to enable pressure units to be moved in or out to suit various widths of timber.

For narrow stock one complete roller pressure can be removed by slackening nuts K and sliding the complete unit off the square bar. The square bar carrying the pressure units is secured to the top feed roller cover, so that when feed rollers are adjusted, the pressure units over the bottom block move. For fine setting of pressure rollers, adjusting screw C can be used. Also by turning star handwheel D an additional pressure is given to the rollers.

### 4. SIDE PRESSURE BEFORE FIRST TOP HEAD

This pressure is adjusted in the same manner as the first side roller pressure. **IMPORTANT** This pressure can be used on timber up to 4" wide only.

### 5. TOP PRESSURES AFTER FIRST TOP HEADS

Pressures are carried from the chipbreaker support E, and move up or down with spindle unit when adjusted. For final setting use star handwheels F, but nuts G have to be slackened off before turning handwheels F. (Relock after final setting.)

For extra spring pressure to pressure shoes, turn knurled handwheels H.

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### **PRESSURES** (Cont.)

### 5. TOP PRESSURES AFTER FIRST TOP HEADS (Cont.)

Pressure shoes are fitted with adjustable steel plates to fix wood packing pleces to suit shape of stock. For horizontal adjustment to pressure, slacken off nut at Y.



### 6. PRESSURE BETWEEN SIDE HEADS

The two pressure units between the side heads slide on a square bar mounted in vertical slide bracket. The vertical slide bracket has an adjusting screw I. The adjustment of the pressure is carried out in the same manner as the pressures after the first top heads.

The pressure shoes are drilled for carrying wood packing pieces to suit stock.

### 7. SIDE PRESSURE AFTER NEAR SIDE HEAD

This pressure moves with the side near head adjustment.

The pressure unit is slotted to give an independent adjustment, by slackening nut J. The front part of the pressure plate is drilled to fasten wood packing pleces to form the pressure face.

### 8. SECOND TOP HEAD PRESSURES

These pressures are adjusted in the same manner as the first top head pressures.

### 9. SIDE PRESSURE AFTER SECOND TOP HEAD

Pressure consists of a bracket with a pressure plate and stem sliding in a bracket. The plate is drilled to enable wood packing places to be fitted. The stem is locked in position with a split lock and nut.

### 10. SIDE PRESSURE ON OUT-FEED TABLE (6 HEAD MACHINE ONLY)

The front fence is adjustable along tee slots in the table. The fences are drilled to take wood packing pieces.

### II. TO SPECIAL ORDER

Pad pressures after first top head and between side heads on models FD85 and FD86 can be replaced by rollers.

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### HOPPER FEED UNIT TYPE HEU see separate instruction book No. 1156



We recommend the use of the special pressures shown above when working small stock and also when using the hopper feed. These pressures are only supplied to special order. Minimum length of stock that can be worked is 12".

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### BALL BEARING LIST

Position on Machine	• •	. Maker's No.		Quantity	Bore	O/Dia.	Width
Raising screw for top feed rollers		Ś.K.F. 0.10		1	14"	2-16"	<u>23</u> # 32
Top feed roll shafts	• •	S.K.F. 2309		4	45 mm.	100 mm.	36 mm.
		S.K.F. 6309		1	45 mm.	100 mm.	25 mm.
Granker		S.K.F. RMS.10		5		3 <u>i</u> "	7" 8
	••	S.K.F. RMS.12		1	<b>U</b> 1 <u>4</u> "	3 <u>3</u> "	15"
		S.K.F. RMS.13	• •	3		4"	15"
Driving gear and sprocket					1 <b>8</b>	34″	<u>3</u> "
Bottom feed roller shafts		S.K.F. 2309	.,		45 mm.	100 mm.	36 mm.
Driving shaft for bottom feed roller	••	S.K.F. 2309		Oi	45 mm.	100 mm.	36 mm.
Raising box for top heads and second bot	tom head			2 bearings	1"	12″	<u>5</u> #
		Ģ	2	per head		-	
Outboard bearing sleeves	••	Höff. No. 1071	• •	2 in each	55 mm.	100 mm.	21 mm.
		,χO`		bearing			
Per horizontal spindle top or bottom		. S.K.F. 402353	• •	1	30 mm.	62 mm.	16 mm.
		Hoff. No. 1074		Ž	55 mm.	120 mm.	29 mm.
		S.K.F. 402353		1	30 mm.	62 mm.	16 mm.
Per vertical spindle	2	Hoff. N.1071	••	1	55 mm.	100 mm.	21 mm.
	$\mathcal{N}$	Hoff. N.1072	••	1	45 mm.	100 mm.	25 mm.
First bottom head	• • •	S.K.F. O.10	••	2	1#"	2,1,4″	23//
Frequency changer MZ.6328	D.E.	Hoff, ball MS.14V	••	1	17"	4 <u>1</u> ″	1.±″
	N.D.	E. Hoff. ball MS.1	4V	1	1 <b>3</b> ″	4 <u>1</u> ″	1. 1. 4.
Driving motor KZ.4826	D.E.	Hoff, roller RMS.	13	1	1#"	3 <u>3</u> ″	<u>15</u> "
-	N.D.	E. Hoff, ball MS.1	3 <b>√</b>	1	11/	3 <u>3</u> "	15"
Feed motor	D.E.	Hoff, 140P		1	40mm	80 mm:	18mm
	N.D.	E Hoff 140P		1	40mm	80 mm.	18mm

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POINTS F Remove top cover on back of feed works and give I charge of grease to main drive housing bearing and to bottom feed rollers.

### LUBRICATION INSTRUCTIONS

#### FEED WORKS

The top roller swing hinge pins are fitted with oil nipples and every week the top feed roll front cover should be removed and these nipples charged with Wadkin grade L2 oil. The chain drive picks up oil from the sump in the feed works housing, and the sump should be filled to the oil level weekly, using Wadkin Grade L2 oil. The filler oil level and drain plug is fitted to the main frame. The gears run in an oil bath and the gear box oil level should be "topped up" weekly to the oil level using Wadkin Grade L2. The spiral gearbox on the feed works housing for raising and lowering the top feed rolls is fitted with a 90° tip-up oiler and the oil level should be checked weekly and "topped up" if necessary to the top of the oiler using Wadkin Grade L4 oil. The tip-up oiler on the handwheel shaft boss requires three to four drops of Wadkin Grade L4 oil weekly.

As will be seen from the lubrication instructions Wadkin oils and greases are recommended, but if it is desired to use lubricants other than Wadkin the following equivalents are listed below :----

Wadkin Grade	Castrol	Mobil Oil Co.	Shell
L1	Hyspin 70	DTE Oil Light	Vitrea Oil 27
L2	Alpha 417 🛛 📈	DTE OII BB	Vitrea Oil 69
L4	Perfecto NN	Vactra Oil Heavy Medium	Vitrea Oil 33
L6	Spheerol S	Mobilux Grease No. 2	Alvania Grease No. 3

### IMPORTANT

### CUTTER SPINDLES

The horizontal cutter spindles must be lubricated daily. Fill to the top of oil cup shown in Page 6 with Wadkin Grade L1 oil and give one depression of the grease gun weekly to the nipple at the motor end of the spindle, using Wadkin Grade L6 grease. A drain plug is fitted under the oil cup to drain away surplus oil. The vertical cutter spindles shown Page 12 should be lubricated by removing the plug marked "OIL" at the top of the spindle and filled daily with Wadkin Grade L1 oil. A pipe is fitted to the vertical heads to drain away surplus oil. Give one depression of the grease gun weekly, using Wadkin grease Grade L6, to the nipple at the motor end of the cutter spindle. Wadkin OPERATING AND

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FD 82. S-HEAD. FIRST BOTTOM HEAD, FENCE SIDE HEAD, NEAR SIDE HEAD, TOP HEAD AND SECOND BOTTOM HEAD.



FIRST BOTTOM HEAD, FIRST TOP HEAD, FENCE SIDE HEAD, NEAR SIDE AND SECOND TOP HEAD.



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### CUTTERBLOCK SPINDLE



To remove cutterblock from spindle, either horizontal or vertical, proceed as follows :-

1.	Unscrew nut 'A'.	2
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Tap block home in direction of arrow 'B' using a mallet. This should release cone 'C'.
Remove cone 'C'.

4. Tap block off sleeve in opposite direction to arrow 'B'.

5. Finally remove sleeve 'D'.

To re-assemble reverse the above procedure.

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### TO START THE MACHINE

Close isolating switch, turn the frequency changer switch handle (Fig. 12) to the '4,500' or '6,000' position and press the 'start changer' button. The head motors can now be started as follows:--turn the selector switches (Fig. 11) to the 'run' position and press the respective 'start' buttons, wait until each head has reached full speed before starting the next. To stop head motors:--press the respective 'stop' buttons. Should it be required to brake the head motors, turn one switch at a time to the 'brake' position and hold the 'stop' button depressed until the head comes to rest, do not hold the 'stop' button depressed after the head has stopped otherwise it will rotate in the opposite direction. Note:--The braking will be inoperative if more than one switch is in the 'brake' position.

### TO START THE FEED

Turn feed switch (Fig. 12) to the 'forward' position and press 'start' button. To stop the feed :--Press 'stop' button. The feed can also be stopped by pressing the 'inch and stop feed' button at the outfeed end of the machine (Fig 13). AND

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On both the infeed panel (Fig. 12) and the outfeed panel (Fig. 13) a 'master' stop button is fitted which when operated stops the machine. This button is fitted with a 'lock off' feature and can be pushed in and half turned to lock the button in the 'off' position, thus rendering all the controls inoperative. It should be used when leaving the machine or when attending to the cutterblocks, to prevent accidental starting.

### OVERLOAD

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Should the machine stop due to overload, wait for a short time to allow the heater coils to cool, then start in the usual manner. The overloads are set at these Works at 'Auto' for automatic reset after tripping. If set at 'Hand' the plungers on the overload assemblies must be depressed to reset.

### GENERAL ELECTRICAL MAINTENANCE

There is no particular maintenance required in connection with the electrical gear on the machine and unless it is failing to operate satisfactorily it is best to leave the covers tightly closed and not interfere with the control gear.

If the contacts are actually failing to make contact due to wear and tear they can be changed, but they should not be changed because they look burnt, and they should never be filed.

### ELECTRICAL SPARES

Brushes for MZ.	6328 ·	freque	ency cha	nger	• • •		••		6 off SK.82/326 Morgan Link EGO.
Head switch	••	••							Ref.: SR.3511CC6.
Feed switch	• •	••	1	• • •	••	••	••	••	Ref.: SR.328BE60.
Start and stop P.	B.'s	•••	<u></u>	••			• •	••.	Туре 759.

#### MAGNETIC STARTERS

Contacts for 3 pole size No.	2 (set	per po	ole)		•••		Cat. No. MSA.580.
Contacts for 3 pole size No.	. 1 (set	per po	ole)	••			Cat. No. MSA.567.
Magnetic coll size No. 2		•••	•••	• •	• •	••	Cat. No. MS.250/3.
Magnetic coll size No. 1				••	••	••	Cat. No. MS.150/3.

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### INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

The cabling between the heads, feed, frequency changer and control gear is carried out by Wadkin Ltd. No connections are broken for transit and it is only necessary to connect the supply cables to the appropriate terminals. Proceed as follows:—

- 1. Use 60 amp. cables for connecting the machine to a 400 volt 3 phase 50 cycle alternating current electric supply. These should be carried in steel conduit and secured to the machine by means of locknuts at the point of entry.
- 2. Connect the supply cables to the terminals provided in the isolating switch.
- 3. Connect the machine solidly to 'EARTH'.
- 4. After having ascertained that the lubrication instructions have been carried out as page 22, close the main switch and start the frequency changer, turn the feed switch handle (Fig. 12) to the 'forward feed' position and press the 'start feed' button, check the rotation of the feed rollers if this is incorrect for forward feeding, stop the machine and change any two of the incoming mains supply cables.

Note:-Do not attempt to correct the rotation local to the feed motor, when the feed rollers are running in the correct direction all the other movements will be correct.

The machine is now ready to operate and the control can be carried out as described in the 'OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS FOR ELECTRICAL CONTROLS'.

### FAILURE TO START

- 1. The supply is not available at the machine.
- 2. The main switch has not been closed.
- 3. The master stop buttons have not been unlocked.
- 4. The fuses either at the machine or the distribution board have not been fitted or have blown.
- 5. Imperfect connections causing faulty contact.

Note:—To obtain access to the 60 amp, high rupturing capacity fuses on the machine, open the door at the rear of the machine at the outfeed end. If items 1 to 4 are in order the frequency changer should start when the 'start changer' button is pressed. If this fails to do so the operating coil circuit should be carefully checked through (see diagram of connections D.677/2) until the break is found. The overload trips and the retaining contact should be especially examined.

### FAILURE OF HEAD MOTORS TO ATTAIN FULL SPEED

Interchange any two leads of the frequency changer excitation winding A3-B3-C3.

Ensure that the frequency changer drive is not slipping due to slack vee belts.

Access to the control gear is obtained by removing the hexagon bolts along the top of each cover and swing the cover open.

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KEY DIAGRAM OF CONTROL CIRCUIT.

... blow away harmful dust, chips and dirt with a Wadkin Electric Blower

OPERATING

No motor can run at its maximum efficiency with its ventilating duct or control gear covered with dust and dirt. Sooner or later the resultant overheating will cause serious trouble.

Similarly, accumulations of chips and dust, in the mechanical parts of the machine can interfere with its efficiency. A few minutes a week for blowing down all Woodworking Machinery will be amply repaid in better and easier running, in increased life, and freedom from breakdown.

Blowers can be supplied for single phase A.C. or Direct Current for any voltage up to 250.

Please state voltage when ordering.

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### SUPPLEMENT TO 8" and 12" FD INSTRUCTION BOOK

#### Pneumatic Feed

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This machine is provided with pneumatic lift to top feed rolls. It will allow  $\frac{3}{4}$ " timber variation in timber thickness without altering the main roller setting. Mounted on the top roll swings are pneumatic cylinders which are supplied through a control value in the main control box, which is positioned on the machine feed works. These cylinders may be cushioned by adjustment of flow regulator mounted on both up and down strokes. The control value is operated by the push buttons on the main control box. The Yellow one raising the rolls and the Blue one lowering the rolls.

INSTRUCTIONS

The main air pressure at the filter and lubricator should be set at 80lbs/sq. in. Mounted on the main control box is a balance valve which should be set to 40lbs/sq. in. by balancing out with a knob, on the front of the panel until the required pressure is obtained and no air is escaping through the valve.

The top rolls should be set up to the thickness being fed, indicated on the scale at the side of the feed works housing, with rolls in up position. To operate feed rolls :-

I. Start frequency changer. This will energise the solenoid valve, permitting pilot air to flow to the control buttons.

2. Then start machine in normal manner.

3. Feed in under the top feed rolls, the first piece of timber and then bring down the rolls on the timber.

4. Set up and feed in normal way.

When feeding, if timber slips, the boost pressure button can be pushed to give full line pressure to the feed rolls. If the slipping continues, the balance valve should be adjusted to give more pressure to stop slipping.

### NOTE

When the master stop button is depressed, the solenoid valve is de-energised and the top rolls are automatically raised and inoperative.

When a timber gate is fitted to special order) this should be set just above the normal thickness of the timber being fed. If a piece of oversized timber is fed in, the rolls will raise and become inoperative.

An overload cut-out can be incorporated in any head motor circuit to special order. The solenoid valve is then connected to this cut-out so that if the head is overloaded, the solenoid is de-energised and lifts the rolls.

The trip amps adjuster on the overload must be set at a point just above the motor starting current. No oil is required in this adjuster as undamp action is required.

The pneumatic circuit is protected under British Patent No. 986651 and is shown in diagram FD. 10069, 8" FD.

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IMPORTANT - PLEASE NOTE: When ordering spares of vachine serial NUMP arts to be j<sup>2</sup> When ordering spares or requesting prices please state machine serial number and test number to enable correct parts to be identified. Mary.

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### S"FD Adjustment of Battom Feed Rolls

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· Item No.	Description	Part No.
109	Cover Plate for Front Housing	FD 10223
110	Square for Adjusting Screw	FD 7706
111	Locking Bush (Top)	FD 12689
112	Locking Bush (Btm.)	FD 12688
113.	Locking Screw	FD 12690A
114	Gland Bracket	FD 12684
115	Thrust Bearing FT 5/8	. KO604165
116	Adjusting Screw (Rise & Fall)	FD 12685
117	Loose Collar No.3	K0520103
118	Adjusting Wedge (Front)	FD 12213
1192	Adjusting Screw (Pitch)	FD 8583A
120	Adjusting Wedge (Rear)	FD 8546
121	Front Retaining Plate	FD 12404
122	Front Retaining Plate	FD 12404
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Item No.	www.DaltonsWadkin.com Description	Part No.
01	Input Shaft on Gearbox	FD 13634
02	Spacing Collar	FD 13567
03	End Cap for Input Shaft	FD_13510
04	Bearing RMS 13	к0601779
05	Trinle Conn	K0519175
07	Spacing Collar	FD 13630
őŚ	Bearing RMS 10	2D 1007 V0601758
09	Ball Bearing Locknut 3B	K0519168
10	End Cap for Gearbox	FD 13508
11	End Cap " "	FD 13508
12	Ball Bearing Locknut 3A	K0519167
13	Bearing RMS 10	кобо1758
14	Shaft for Gearbox	FD 12481
15	Gear	FD 12484
17	Spacing Collar	FD 12405
18	Gear	FD 12407
19	Front Spacing Collar	FD 13568
20	Ball Bearing Locknut 3A	K0519167
21	Bearing RMS 10	K0601758
22	Ball Bearing Locknut 3A	K0519167
22	Bearing RMS 10	K0601758
25	Front Snacing Collar	ED 19023
26	Double Gear	ED 13631
27	Gear	FD 12496
28	Spacing Collar	FD 13567
29	Ball Bearing Locknut 38	K0519168
30 74	011 Seal G300212	k 3073293
21 32	Bearing Frd Cover	K0601 /58
33	Bearing BMS 13	FD KGČO1 773
34	Ball Bearing Locknut 6A	K0519179
35	Gearbox Shaft	FD 8858
36	Gear	FD 8846
37	Gear	FD 13560
<u>38</u>	Bearing RMS 12	K0601772
29	Ball Bearing Locknut 5B	K0519176
1.1	End Can	רכסט עז 1928 חיז
42	Output Shaft	FD8857
43	<b>Oil</b> Seal G250150	
<u>144</u>	End Cap	FD 8844
45	Ba 11 Bearing Locknut 6A	K0519179
40	Bearing RMS 13	K0601779
47	Gear	FU 10001
40 Jia	Bearing SKE 6309	K0601366
50	Grease Retainer No.107	K0519417
51	Coupling for Gearbox	FD 8311
52	Pin for Coupling	FD8364
53	Main Drive Špročket	FD8654
54	Driving Shaft (Btm.F/rolls)	FD7294
55	Spacing Collar	FD 8837
20	TOD Reed ROLLER (Plain)	FD 0000

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555666666666667777777777888888888888888	www.DaltonsWadkin.com Phillidas Nut 1" Flat Washer Top Roll Shaft End Cover Bearing SKF 2309 Swing for 1st.Top F/Roll Swing for 2nd.Top F/Roll Bearing Spacer Grease Retainer No.77 Gear for Top Roll Shaft Ball Bearing Locknut 7A Driver/Sprocket Top Rolls Bearing RLS 13 Grease Retainer No. 107 Ball Bearing Locknut 6A Bearing Spacer Swing Shaft Idler Sprocket Bracket Idler Sprocket Pin Idler Sprocket Bracket Pin for Tigntener Sprocket Tightener Sprocket Bush for S	FD7243 FD 7320 FD 7319 K0602239 FD 10501 FD 10502 FD 7239 K0519416 FD 7341 K0519183 FD 7340A K0601623 K0519417 K0519417 K0519417 FD 7259 FD 8667 FD 86657 FD 86657 FD 86657 FD 86657 FD 8660 FD 86647 FD 7212 FD 7211 K0519184 FD 7292 K0519417	
88888999999999999999999999999999999999	Front Btm.Roll Blocks Bearing SKF 2309 R & C Chain No. 110088 95p. Ball Bearing Locknot 10B Bottom Feed Roll (Fluted) Rear Btm. Roll Block Bottom Roll Shaft End Cap for Roll Block Ball Bearing L cknut 7A Ball Bearing L Cknut 7B Drive Gear Btm. Rolls Bearing SKF 2309 Eyebolt for Tightener Lever Pivot Pin for Eyebolt Feedworks Housing	FD 8527 K0602239 K0519196 FD 7310 FD 8528 FD 7232 FD 7135 K0519183 K0519184 FD 7291 K0602239 FD 10761 FD7208 FD 7170	· ·
101 102 103 104 105 106 107 108	Sleeve for Housing Ball Bearing Locknut 7A Pivot Pin for Lever Tightener Sprocket Lever Sprocket Pin Tightener Sprocket Bush for Sprocket Bracket for Eyebolt	FD 7329 K0519183 FD 7287 FD 8652 FD 7212 FD 7223 FD 7211 FD 7178	

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FD8617	OUTER END CAP
FD 8615	END CAP
FD 8616	OUTER SLEEVE
FD 8063	OIL CUP
FD 8.030	FELT RING
FD 8631	LOCKNUT FOR BRG. SLEEVE (TOP HEAD)
FD 8632	LOCKNUT FOR BRG. SLEEVE (BTM.HEAD)
FD 8613	BEARING SLEEVE (BTM.HEAD)
FD 3614	BEARING SLEEVE (TOP HEAD)
No. 100	RH.BALL ERG. LOUJNUT (TOP HEAD)K0519197
No. 10D	LH.HALL BRG. LOCKNUT (BTM.HEAD)K0519198
N 1071	HOFFMAN BEARING KO601309

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Balance Valve	S252	K30.61.166
3 Port Valve	S 442/2	K30.61.457
5 Port Valve	S 663/3	K30.61.489
3 Port Solenoid Valve	S 441/22	K30.61.454
Midget Poppet Valve Blue	AE 11376	K30.61.176
Midget Poppet Valve Yellow	AE 11375	K30.61.183
Booster Valve (Blue) .	5256C/33	K30.61.175
Flow Regulator	S 839	K30.61.490
Shuttle Valve	S 575	K30.61.163
Cylinder $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x 3"	S 925/3D	K30.61.191
Lubrication Contral Unit complet	e.	K30,61,270

comprising of:-Automatic Drain Filter Regulator (with gauge) Micro Fog Lubricator

Pressure Gauge

ilter FO2 300 A3TB luge) 20 AG 3GG or 30 41 3L 0-160 304m 150 K30.61.270 K30.61.252 K30.61.253 K30.61.254 K30.61.263

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### REMOVAL OF BOTTOM FEED ROLLERS ON 8"FD

- 1. Drain oil from Front Housing.
- 2. Remove Front Cover (Item 109).
- 3. Unscrew the two Socket Cap Screws (5/16") holding the Centre Plate between Feed Rolls to the Front Housing. This plate can be left secured to Rear Housing under the Fence.
- 4. Remove the four steel Strips retaining the Front Bearing Blocks (Item 85) in the Front Housing. Access to the eight 3/8"w Hexagon Head Screws is from inside the Front Housing.
- 5. Unscrew the two Socket Cap Screws from each of the Gland Brackets (Item 114) Wind out of engagement the top Adjusting Screw (Item 116). This allows the Gland Bracket to be removed completely.
- 6. Remove the Infeed Table.
- 7. Remove the Front Housing securing screws. (Seven 1/2"w Hexagon Screws, and two 3/8"diameter dowels.)
- 8. Unlock Retaining Nuts (items 82 and 95) from Feed Roll Shafts and Drive Shaft. Pull off Gears (Items 83 and 96) and take out Keys.
- 9. Slide off Front Housing. The Bearing (Item 97.) on the Bottom Drive Shaft stays. in the Front Housing.
- 10. Take off the Retaining Strips (Item 121, 1 per Wedge) from the Rear Wedges (Item 120).
- 11. The Front Bearing Blocks (Item 85) can now be removed complete with Front Wedge (Item 118) and Adjusting Screw (Item 119).

12. Unlock Feed Roller Locknut (item 88) and withdraw Feed Roller.

13. Re assemble in reverse order. Before the Front Cover is replaced operate the rise and fall mechanism to ensure that the Front Bearing Blocks are sliding freely in the Front Housing.

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14. Re fill with oil.

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	HEAD ADJUSTING MECHANISM	
ITEM No.	DESCRIPTION	PART No.
	RATCHET LEVER	FD 418
2	PIN	FD 453
3	SLEEVE	FD 451
- 4	ADJUSTING SCREW	FD 454
5	LOCKING COLLAR	FD 452
6	BRACKET (SIDE HEADS CNLY)	FD 403

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8" FD HORIZONTAL SPINDLES 1.13/16 dia

	ITEM No.	DESCRIPTICN	PART NO.
	1.	Horizontal Spindle (Top Head)	FD 8050
	1 .	Horizontal Spindle (Bottom Head)	FD 8040
	2	Bearing Housing	FD 9892
	3	Lubrication Pad	FD 9895
	4	Hoffman Bearing N1074	KC501444
	5	Bearing Locknut (Top Head)	FC 3520
	5	Bearing Locknut (Bottom Head)	FC 3521
	6	Labyrinth for Bearing	FD 13352
	7	Enternal Circlips $1\frac{3}{4}$ dia	K3009188
	8	Spacing Collar	FD 9900
•••	9	Spacing Sleeve	FD 9894 .
	10	SKF Bearing 402353	K0601224
-	11	Locknut 1C.Bottom	K0519161
	11	Locknut 1D.Top	K0519162
	12	Grease Nipple	K0950104
	13	Lubrication Ring	FD 9881
	14	Hoffman Bearing N1074	K0601444
	15	Bearing Locknut (Top Head)	FC 3503
	15	Bearing Locknut (Bottom Head)	FC 3504
	16	Dust Cover	FC 3508
	17	Bearing Cap	FD 8022
	18	- Feļt Ring	FD 9882
	19	Extension for Oil Nipple	FD 13388
	20	Spindle Barrel	FD 9898
	21	Spring	FD 9872
	22	Bearing Cap	FD 9893
	23	Cover for Terminal Block	FD 8609
<i>.</i>	24	Terminal Box	
	25	Stator Frame	FD 8601
	26	Tail Bearing Housing	FD 9891
	27	Fan Cover	FD 8603
	28	Rotor Fan	FD 13302
	29	Fan Cowl	FD 8097
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### BED PLATES S" AND 9" FD

### MODEL 81

BED PLATE BEFORE FIRST BOTTOM HEAD
BED PLATE AFTER FIRST BOTTOM HEAD
BED PLATE FOR FENCE SIDE HEAD
BED PLATE FOR FRONT SIDE HEAD
BED PLATE BEFORE TOP HEAD
BED PLATE UNDER TOP HEAD
BED PLATE AFTER TOP HEAD

FD 11006
FD 10660
FD 11010
FD 11010
FD 11008
FD 7971 (PERMALI)
FD 11007

### MODEL 82

BED PLATE BEFORE FIRST BOTTOM HEAD BED PLATE AFTER FIRST BOTTOM HEAD BED PLATE FOR FENCE SIDE HEAD BED PLATE FOR FRONT SIDE HEAD BED PLATE BEFORE TOP HEAD BED PLATE UNDER SECOND TOP HEAD BED PLATE AFTER TOP HEAD

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.b	FD 10660
S	FD 11010
$\sim$	FD 11010
)	FD 11008
	FD 7971 (PERMALI)
·	FD 11007

### BED PLATES 8" AND 9" FD

### MODEL 85

BED PLATE BEFORE FIRST BOTTOM HEAD BED PLATE AFTER FIRST BOTTOM HEAD BED PLATE UNDER FIRST TOP HEAD BED PLATE FOR FENCE SIDE HEAD BED PLATE FOR FRONT SIDE HEAD BED PLATE BEFORE SECOND TOP HEAD BED PLATE UNDER SECOND TOP HEAD BED PLATE AFTER SECOND TOP HEAD

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### MODEL 85

INFEED FENCE	FD 7042
FENCE OVER FEED ROLLS	FD 8648
FENCE BEFORE SIDE HEAD	FD 8618
FENCE SHOE BEFORE SIDE HEAD	FD 7751/A
FENCE SHOE AFTER SIDE HEAD	FD 7750/A
FENCE AFTER SIDE HEAD	FD 7632
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### MODEL 86

INFEED FENCE	FD	7042
FENCE OVER FEED ROLLS	FD	8643
FENCE BEFORE SIDE HEAD	FD	8618
FENCE SHOE BEFORE SIDE HEAD	FD	7751/A
FENCE SHOE AFTER SIDE HEAD	FD	7750/A
FENCE AFTER SIDE HEAD	FD	7632
FENCE FOR OUT FEED TABLE	FC	1065

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