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## **1/2" SQUARE DRIVE TORQUE WRENCH**



**INSTRUCTIONS**  
**IMPORTANT: PLEASE READ BEFORE USE**

Range 28 ~ 210 Newton Metres  
Range 2.9 ~ 21.4 Kg.m

## Introduction

This torque wrench has been designed and tested to meet the demands of workshop use, but it is also a precision measuring instrument and should be treated as such.

## Important

Never use the wrench to undo nuts or bolts; this will result in the ratchet mechanism being damaged.

Always use the correct size socket and if necessary accessory.

Apply a steady pull to the handle of the torque wrench. When the applied torque is reached an audible click is heard and / or felt. At this point release the wrench immediately.

Do not jerk the wrench in any way to tighten the nut. Apply a steady even pressure throughout the operation.

It should be noted that the click becomes weaker with the lower torque settings.

## Maintenance

The torque wrench is lubricated before leaving the factory. If the torque wrench has not been used for some time, operate it several times allowing the lubricants to re-coat the internal working parts.

After use always store the wrench at the lowest torque setting

Do not turn the handle below lowest torque setting.

Clean wrench by wiping. Never immerse in any type of cleaning fluid

## Operation – Torque setting

### Adjustment

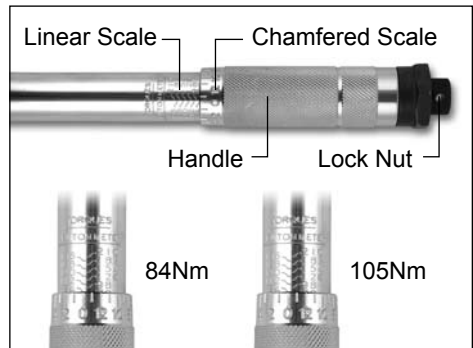
#### **Example: To set the torque to 84Nm**

Ensure that the locking nut is loosened, by turning anti-clockwise. Turn the knurled handle until the zero mark on the chamfered scales is in line with the graduation on the linear scale. In this case, 84Nm.

#### **Example: To set the torque to 105Nm**

Ensure that the locking nut is loosened, by turning anti-clockwise. Turn the knurled handle until the zero mark on the chamfered scales is in line with the next lowest graduation on the linear scale. In this case, 98Nm.

Continue to turn the knurled handle, 7 more graduations. (Note: 1 Graduation equals 1Nm) The wrench is now set to 105Nm. Half a turn = 14Nm : 1 Full turn = 28Nm



## Operation – Method of use

Use a light lubricating oil and ensure that the nut is free to rotate before being torque up.

Note: It is preferable not to use knuckle or universal joints, as these could result in incorrect torque settings.

Place the square driven on the socket or extension bar, perpendicular to the nut / bolt to be tightened.

Gripping the knurled handles with one hand steady the drive socket with the other and gently but firmly pull the handle, (in a clockwise direction) until a click is heard and a slight break in the handle is felt. DO NOT turn any further.

## Accessories

1/2" Square drive, x 5" Extension bar  
Carry case

## CONVERSION TABLES

Newton Metres kgm	Foot Pounds (ft.lbf)	Kilogram Metres kgm	Kilogram Metres kgm	Newton Metres kgm	Foot Pounds (ft.lbf)	Foot Pounds (ft.lbf)	Kilogram Metres kgm	Newton Metres kgm
10	7.38	1.02	1	9.81	7.23	5	0.69	6.78
20	14.75	2.04	2	19.61	14.47	10	1.38	13.56
30	22.13	3.06	3	29.42	21.70	15	2.07	20.34
40	29.50	4.08	4	39.23	28.93	20	2.76	27.12
50	36.88	5.10	5	49.04	36.17	25	3.46	33.90
60	44.26	6.12	6	58.84	43.40	30	4.15	40.68
70	51.63	7.14	7	68.65	50.63	35	4.84	47.46
80	59.01	8.16	8	78.46	47.87	40	5.53	54.24
90	66.38	9.18	9	88.26	65.10	45	6.22	61.02
100	73.76	10.20	10	98.07	72.33	50	6.91	67.80
110	81.14	11.22	11	107.88	79.57	55	7.60	74.58
120	88.51	12.24	12	117.68	86.80	60	8.29	81.36
130	95.89	13.26	13	127.49	94.03	65	8.98	88.14
140	103.26	14.28	14	137.30	101.27	70	9.67	94.92
150	110.64	15.30	15	147.11	108.50	75	10.37	101.70
160	118.02	16.32	16	156.91	115.74	80	11.06	108.48
170	125.39	17.34	17	166.72	122.97	85	11.75	115.26
180	132.77	18.36	18	176.53	130.20	90	12.44	122.04
190	140.14	19.38	19	186.33	137.43	95	13.13	128.82
200	147.52	20.40	20	196.14	144.67	100	13.82	135.60
210	154.90	21.42	21	205.95	151.90	105	14.51	142.38
220	162.27	22.44	22	215.75	159.13	110	15.20	149.16
230	169.65	23.46	23	225.37	166.37	115	15.89	155.94
240	177.02	24.48	24	235.37	173.60	120	16.58	162.72
250	184.40	25.50	25	245.18	180.84	125	17.28	169.50
260	191.78	26.52	26	254.98	188.06	130	17.97	176.28
270	199.15	27.54	27	264.79	195.30	135	18.66	183.06
280	206.53	28.56	28	274.60	202.54	140	19.35	189.84
290	213.91	29.58	29	284.41	209.77	145	20.04	196.62
300	221.29	30.60	30	294.22	217.00	150	20.73	203.40
310	228.67	31.62	31	304.03	224.23	155	21.42	210.18
320	236.05	32.64	32	313.84	231.46	160	22.11	216.96

CONVERSION OF VARIOUS UNITS OF TORQUE					
Convert			Convert		
From	To	Multiply	From	To	Multiply
lb.in	oz.in.	16	oz.in.	lb.in.	0.063
lb.in	lb.ft	0.083	lb.ft.	lb.in.	12
lb.in	kg.cm	1.152	kg.cm.	lb.in.	0.868
lb.in	kg.m	0.012	kg.m	lb.in.	86.81
lb.in	Nm	0.133	Nm	lb.in.	8.85
lb.in	dNm	1.13	dNm	lb.in.	0.885
lb.ft.	kg.m	0.138	kg.m	lb.ft.	7.236
lb.ft.	Nm	1.356	Nm	lb.ft.	0.738
Nm	dNm	10	dNm	Nm	0.1
Nm	kg.cm	10.2	kg.cm.	Nm	0.098
Nm	kg.m	0.102	kg.m.	Nm	9.807

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This product is not guaranteed for **HIRE** purposes. This guarantee does not affect the statutory rights of the consumer.

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**NOTE:**

These important safeguards and instructions cannot cover all possible conditions and situations that may occur. It must be understood that common sense and caution are factors, which cannot be built into any product. These factors must be supplied by the person using this product.

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