

# GEVELAND STEEL TOOL

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# **Handy-Mag I**

# Warranty

The Cleveland Steel Tool Company will, within one (1) year of date of purchase, replace or repair F.O.B. the factory, any goods, which are defective in materials and workmanship provided that the buyer returns the defective goods, freight prepaid, to the seller, which shall be the buyer's sole and exclusive remedy for the defective goods. THIS WARRANTY IS VOID IF YOU ATTEMPT REPAIRS YOURSELF. This warranty is void if the items have been damaged by accident, neglect, or other causes not arising out of defects in materials or workmanship. This warranty does not apply to machines and/or components which have been altered, changed or modified in any way, or subjected to use beyond recommended capacities and specifications. Electrical components are subject to respective manufacturer's warranties. In no event shall The Cleveland Steel Tool Co. be liable for loss or damage resulting directly or indirectly from the use of merchandise or from any other cause. The Cleveland Steel Tool Co. is not liable for any costs incurred on such goods or consequential damages. No officer, employee or agent of the Cleveland Steel Tool Co. is authorized to make oral representations or warranty of fitness or to waive any of the foregoing terms of sales and none shall be binding on The Cleveland Steel Tool Co.

#### Proof of purchase date required

This warranty does not apply to machines and/or components which have been altered, changed or modified in any way, or subjected to use beyond seller recommended capacities and specifications. In no event shall seller be liable for labor costs expended on such goods or consequential damages. Seller shall not be liable to the purchaser or any other person for loss, downtime, or damage directly or indirectly arising from the use of the goods from any other cause. The Cleveland Steel Tool Co. reserves the right to make improvements and design modifications to the machine without prior notice.

	Company Name	
Date of Purchase	Serial #	

# **GENERAL TOOL**

# Handy-Mag I SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

- The operator of this machine should thoroughly understand this manual before starting any operation.
- 2. The area around the machine should be well lit, dry, and free from obstructions.
- 3. Wear eye and ear protection at all times.
- 4. All maintenance and repair work should be performed by a person familiar with the machine.
- 5. Do not use Handy-Mag I drilling machines on surfaces or materials being welded. Do ing so can damage the machine's electrical components.
- 6. Disconnect the power from the machine before performing any maintenance or repair work. Turn power switch to the OFF position when changing tooling.
- 7. Always disconnect from the power source before moving. Be sure switches are off before connecting to a power source.
- 8. Magnet will not hold properly on thin materials (under 3/8") or rough and dirty surfaces.
- 9. Always use safety chain and chip shield provided with machine.
- Assure all tooling is properly held in position before starting any operation. Periodically check all tooling for tightness.
- 11. Do not use dull or broken cutters.
- 12. Keep tools sharp and clean for better and safer performance. Follow instructions for lubricating and changing accessories. Inspect tool cords periodically and if damaged, have repaired by authorized service facility. Inspect extension cords periodically and replace if damaged. Keep handles dry, clean and free from oil and grease.
- 13. Beware of slugs ejected at end of cut. They become HOT during the cut.
- 14. Keep bottom of magnet burr free and clear of chips and debris.
- 15. Drilling stacked material requires a special STACKED GEOMETRY cutter.



## **General Information**

The Cleveland Steel Tool Handy-Mag I is a lightweight, compact drilling system that features:

- •A capacity up to 1-1/2" diameter through 2" material

  \*Drilling stacked material requires a special STACKED GEOMETRY cutter.
- Positive slug ejection system
- Internal cutter lubrication for increased tool life
- · Powerful motor with cast aluminum housing
- Adjustable motor slide ways
- Complete coolant system
- Safety Chain
- Chip shield
- Rugged carrying case

#### SPECIFICATIONS:

- Annular cutter range: 7/16" thru 1-1/2"
- Annular cutter depth range: 0-2"
- Twist drill capacity: 1/2"
- · Weight: 26 lbs.
- Height: 15"
- Voltage: 110v AC only, 10 amps, 1200 watts, earth ground & double insulation
- Frequency: 50-60 HZ
- RPM No Load: 550 RPM
- Magnetic Holding Deadlift: 2200 lbs.
- Magnet dimensions: 6-1/2" x 3" footprint



# **Grounding Instructions**

#### Warning:

Improperly connecting the grounding wire can result in the risk of electrical shock. Check with a qualified electrician if you are in doubt as to whether the outlet is properly grounded. Do not modify the plug provided with tool. Never remove the grounding prong from the plug. Do not use tool if the cord or plug is damaged. Have it repaired before using. If the plug will not fit the outlet, have a proper outlet installed by a qualified electrician. The Handy-Mag I must be plugged into an appropriate outlet, properly installed and grounded in accordance with all codes and ordinances. The rigid ear or lug extending from the adapter must be connected to a permanent ground such as a properly grounded outlet box or receptacle. Simply remove the center screw from the outlet, insert the adapter and reattach the screw through the green grounding ear to the outlet. If in doubt of proper grounding, call a qualified electrician.

## **Extension Cords**

Use only 3-wire extension cords that have 3-prong grounding type plugs and 3-pole receptacles that accept the tool's plug. Replace or repair damaged cords. Make sure your extension cord is in good condition. When using an extension cord, be sure to use one heavy enough to carry the current your product will draw. An undersized cord will cause a drop in line voltage resulting in loss of power and overheating. If in doubt, use the next heavier gage. The smaller the gage number, the heavier the cord.

**Drip Loop:** To help prevent fluids from traveling the power cord and contacting the power source, tie a drip loop in the power cord.



# **Getting Started**

Your Handy-Mag I package should contain the following parts:

QTY 1 1	Part#	Description Handy-Mag I Carrying Case
1	MEHTA44	Owners Manual
1	MEHTA51	Chuck Adapter 1/2" Chuck
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l 4	ME3517	Coolant connector
1	ME3542	Coolant Tank
1	ME3544	Coolant Tube
3	ME3562	Crank Handle
1	ME3577	Wrench 8mm
1	ME3578	2.5mm Hex Key
1	ME3579	4mm Hex Key
1	ME3582	Safety Guard
1	ME3583	Safety Chain

Assemble 3 crank handles (ME3562) to the crank spindle (ME3561). The crank spindle is mounted on the right side of the machine frame, if necessary it can be reversed for lefthand operation. Attach the coolant tube (ME3544) to the coolant tank (ME3542). Attach coolant tube (ME3544) to coolant connector (ME3517).

#### What You Need To Know

Type of material to be drilled, Brinell or Rockwell hardness, material thickness and position should all be determined to ensure proper selection of Handy-Mag I cutting tools, RPM, coolant and drilling time.

Remove any excessive mill scale or rust from the surface to be drilled.

When drilling materials under 3/8" thick, an additional steel plate may be required to achieve proper magnetic adhesion.

Drilling stacked material requires a special STACKED GEOMETRY cutter.

Material that has been flame cut may have become heat treated and therefore difficult to drill. Avoid drilling near such areas whenever possible.

Drilling with the Handy-Mag I in horizontal positions requires a special lubrication for Handy-Mag I cutters. Consult The Cleveland Steel Tool Co. for details.



#### Caution!

Do not use the Handy-Mag I for work other than it's intended use. The Handy-Mag I is designed to work only with the tooling provided. Use of other tooling may cause damage to the drill, cause personal injury and void the warranty.

## **Before the Cut**

- 1. Select the correct pilot pin and place it in the cutter shank from the rear. Align the flats on the cutter shank with the arbor body set screws. Insert cutter shank into the arbor body.
- 2. Tighten the set screws securely on the cutter shank flats. Note: The set screws should be recessed in the arbor body when tight.
- 3. Place the Handy-Mag I machine on work piece with pilot pin over the center of hole to be drilled.
- 4. Connect machine to power source.
- 5. Lower Handy-Mag I cutter to surface of material to be cut. Fill coolant tank with a water soluble coolant. Open coolant tap (ME3543) to release coolant.

Note: Coolant flow starts when pilot pin contacts work surface. Coolant flow can be stopped by lifting pin off work surface.





**CAUTION:** Always use safety chain.

Failure to do so could result in personal injury and/or damage to the Handy-Mag I drilling machine.



6. Safety chain must be securely fastened to machine and around the work being drilled.

Note: Safety chain is intended only to secure drill to work piece in case of emergency, such as a loss of power to the magnetic base.

7. Attach safety guard (ME3582) to machine with butterfly screws (ME3581) and washers.

# Changing the Arbor to Optional Drill Chuck

To convert the Handy-Mag I from annular cutters to twist drill chuck:

- 1. Unscrew arbor (ME3502) from motor spindle.
- 2. Remove the 3 arbor support screws and the arbor support bracket (ME3573).
- 3. Fit chuck adapter (MEHTA44) and drill chuck (MEHTA51) to motor spindle.

NOTE: Store arbor and arbor support bracket in the carrying case. To convert back to annular cutters, reverse the process.



# Making the Cut

- (1) CAUTION: Always use chip shield.
  - 1. Move magnet switch to "On" position, panel lamp should illuminate indicating power is on. Magnetic base should be firmly secured to work piece at this time.
  - 2. Start drill motor by depressing green motor "On" button.
  - 3. Using the feed handles, advance cutter into material until Handy-Mag I cutter has established an external groove in the material, during the remainder of cut apply, smooth constant pressure without overloading motor.
    - NOTE: Handy-Mag I cutters are designed for uninterrupted cutting, chips are evacuated during the cut. Do not peck drill when using Handy-Mag I cutters.
- (I) CAUTION: If drill motor should stall or stop before a complete cut is made, always shut the motor off and remove the cutter from the hole before attempting to restart the motor. Failure to do so could result in personal injury and/or damage to the Handy-Mag I drilling machine or cutter.

### After the Cut

- 1. After the Handy-Mag I cutter has finished the cut, the "slug" or uncut center portion of material will be expelled when motor is returned to the full up position. Beware of slugs ejected at end of cut. They become HOT during the cut.
- 2. Return the machine to a full upright position and depress red motor "OFF" button. Wait until motor completely stops.
- 3. Move magnet switch to "OFF" position when ready to release magnetic base from work surface.



## **Maintenance**

#### 1. Adjusting motor slide tension:

The motor slide assembly may become loose and require adjustment after the machine has been in service. Wrenches are provided in the tool kit for performing adjustments.

- Using the feed handles, position motor and slide assembly in the full up position.
- Loosen 5 jam nuts (ME3548) and equally tighten 5 adjustment screws (ME3547) using 2.5mm and 8mm combination wrench and hex key.
- Do not over tighten adjustment screws. Excessive slide tension can damage the machine. Properly adjusted, the motor/slide assembly should have no side to side movement and remain positioned without drifting down.

#### 2. Inspecting magnet base:

Keep bottom of magnet clean, free of chips, burrs, nicks, oil and other contaminants. Inspect magnet face to insure surface is flat and square. A worn magnet surface dramatically reduces magnetic holding force.

#### 3. Lubricating motor slideways:

Periodically clean and lubricate motor slide ways with lithium base grease.

#### 4. Inspecting arbor support system:

Visually inspect arbor, sleeve and support bracket for wear.

① Caution: Always remove cutter from arbor body before measuring runout, never use hands or fingers to rotate arbor or motor spindle.

#### 5. Checking arbor runout:

Arbor runout should not exceed .0035 per revolution. This is most accurately measured by placing a dial indicators needle inside of arbor bore and rotating arbor while observing indicator.

#### 6. Motor brush inspection:

Inspect motor brushes and replace as needed during extended periods of heavy machine usage.

① CAUTION: Never operate machine with worn or missing parts.



## **Troubleshooting**

#### 1. Magnetic base is not holding securely:

- Material being drilled must be a minimum of 3/8" thick for proper magnetic adhesion.
- Surface of material should be free of chips, debris, rust and mill scale.
- Verify size of cutter. It should not exceed machines capacity.
- Check magnet face for unevenness, nicks and burrs.
- Welding equipment should not be connected to material being drilled.

#### 2. Drill motor is running, arbor and spindle is not turning:

• Spindle key (HM3506) could be sheared.

#### 3. Motor slows when drilling:

- Check extension cord requirements if one is being used. (pg. 4)
- Excessive downfeed pressure during drilling cycle will cause motor to slow and overheat.
- The cutting tool may need to be resharpened.

#### 4. Coolant system not working:

- Coolant system is gravity dependent. Machine must be in an upright position to operate properly.
- Consistency of coolant mixture is too thick.
- Check for the correct pilot pin.

#### 5. Slugs not ejecting from cutter:

- Lack of coolant can cause slugs to expand in cutter bore.
- Check for correct pilot pin.
- Check for broken internal arbor parts.
- \*Drilling stacked material requires a special STACKED GEOMETRY cutter.

#### 6. Breaking cutters:

- Coolant must be applied to the interior of the cutter.
- Excessive downfeed pressure when cutter contacts work surface can cause breaks.
- Confirm material hardness.
- Drilling stacked material with improper cutter. (Drilling stacked material requires special cutters)
- Dull cutters and dull or chipped cutting edges require excessive feed pressure resulting in breakage.
- Excessive arbor runout. (see pg.8 for maintenance)
- Motor spindle is bent or there is a worn arbor sleeve.
- Motor slide is improperly adjusted. (see pg.8)

#### 7. Oversized or rough holes:

- Insufficient coolant.
- Excessive feed pressure.
- Dull cutter.
- Worn support bracket roller bearing or arbor body sleeve.
- Bent motor spindle.
- Motor slide improperly adjusted.



# **Parts List**

ITEM:	# PART#	DESCRIPTION	QTY	ITEN	1# PART#	DESCRIPTION	QTY
1	ME3501	Set Screw M5 x 6	2	33	ME3533	Cord Clip	1
2	ME3502-1N	A Cutter Arbor (Shaft Only)	1	34	ME3534	Screw M4x16	2
2A	ME3502TL	Cutter Arbor	1	35	ME3535	Screw M8x16	1
3	ME3503	Water Seal	1	36	ME3536	Gear Rack	1
4	ME3504	Spring	1	37	ME3537	Slide Plate	1
5	ME3505	Main Drive Spindle	1	38	ME3538	Hex Head Bolt M6x20	2
6	ME3506	Woodruff Key M5x5x10	1	39	ME3539	Coolant Tank Hanger	1
7	ME3507	Oil Seal 22x32x7	2	40	ME3540	Flat Washer M4	2
8	ME3508	Gearbox Case	1	41	ME3541	Electrical Connector	1
9	ME3509	Bearing 6003	2	42	ME3542	Coolant Tank	1
10	ME3510	Snap Ring R-35	1	43	ME3543	Coolant Tap	1
11	ME3511	Circlip S-17	1	44	ME3544	Coolant Clear PU Tube	1
12	ME3512	Final Drive Gear	1	45	ME3545	Conduit Gland/Cable Connector	1
13	ME3513	Circlip S-14	1	46	ME3546	Main Body Assembly	1
14	ME3514	Bearing 608ZZ	4	47	ME3547	Set Screw M5x20	5
15	ME3515	Gear Pinion	1	48	ME3548	Nut M5	5
16	ME3516	1st Drive Gear 43T	1	49	ME3549	Thumb Screw	2
17	ME3517	Coolant Connector	1			(Slide Lock Knob)M5x16	1
18	ME3518	Inter Gear Plate	1	50	ME3550	Gib Strip Tensioner	1
19	ME3519	Fan Shroud	1	51	ME3551	Gib Strip Pair	1
20	ME3520	Bearing 609ZZ	1	52	ME3552	Electro-Magnet Switch	1
21	ME3521	Armature 110V	1	53	ME3553	Main Motor Switch	1
22	ME3522	Screw M5x55	2	54	ME3554	Bushing 32x2x12	2
23	ME3523	Field Assembly 110V	1	55	ME3555	Flat Washer 38x10x2.5	1
24	ME3524	Motor Housing Aluminum	1	56	ME3556	Switch Plate	1
25	ME3525	Brush Holder	2	57	ME3557	Hex Bolt M4x16 Mustang	4
26	ME3526	Carbon Brush (pair)	2	58	ME3558	Spring Washer M6	1
27	ME3527	Brush Cover	2	59	ME3559	Hex Bolt M6x16	1
28	ME3528	Hex Head Bolt M5x40	4	60	ME3560	Switch Plate Bar	2
29	ME3529	Washer M4	4	61	ME3561	Crank Spindle	1
30	ME3530	Conduit Gland	1	62	ME3562	Crank Handle	3
31	ME3531	Motor Cord	2	63	ME3563	Handle Grip	3
32	ME3532	Cord Sheath	d 1	64	ME3564	Rear Cover Plate	1



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ITEM#	* PART#	DESCRIPTION	QTY
65	ME3565	Screw M4x8	4
66	ME3566	Wire Lead 16 AWG	4
67	ME3567	Gib Strip	1
68	ME3568	Main Rectifier	1
69	ME3569	Nut M4	1 3 1 2 1
70	ME3570	Power Cord	1
71	ME3571	Screw M4x25	2
72	ME3572	Electro-Magnet	1
73	ME3573-1M	Arbor Support Bracket	1
74	ME3574M	Arbor Support Bearing	1
75	ME3575M	Spring Washer M8	5
76	ME3576M	Hex Head Screw M8 x 70	1 1 5 2 1 1 1 2 2 1
77	ME3577	Wrench M8	1
78	ME3578	Hex Wrench M2.5	1
79	ME3579	Hex Wrench M4	1
80	ME3580	Flat Washer M6x13x1	2
81	ME3581	Butterfly Screw M6x10	2
82	ME3582	Safety Guard	1
83	ME3583	Safety Chain	1
84	ME3584	Electrical Connector	2
85	ME3585	Nut	
86	ME3586	Flat Washer 12x24x2.5	1
87	ME3587	0-Ring 7.5x1.5	1
88	ME3588	Screw M5x25	1
89	ME3589	Motor Fixing Plate	1
90	ME3590	Flat Head Screw M4x10	4
91	ME3591-M	Motor Back Cover Plate	1
92	ME3592M	Hex Head bolt M8 x 60	1
93	ME3593M	Screw M4 x 10	2
103	ME35103	Set Screw	1
104	ME35104	Cord Protector	1
105	ME35105	Front Handle	1
106	ME35106	Flat Washer	1
107	ME35107	Flat Washer	1

ITEM#	# PART#	DESCRIPTION	QTY
108	ME35108	Screw	1
109	ME35109	Spring Washer	1
110	ME35110	Cord Clip	1
111	ME35111	Nut	1
112	ME35112	Spring Washer	1
113	ME35113	Cord Clamp	1
114	ME35114	Cord Protection Sleeve	1



