



## SPECIFICATIONS & LISTINGS

- The identified Series of Hose Reel products within this manual are not certified or listed by any independent certifying or regulatory body.
- This series of hose reels is intended for industrial use and are provided with permanent mounting means, with the exception of the portable reel models.



## PRESSURE & TEMPERATURE RATING

- All reels covered in this manual with or without hose have specific P.S.I. ratings. (Please refer to the COXREELS catalog, website or contact Customer Service for reel specific data). Reels should not be used at pressures greater than the rating of the hose, swivel, plumbing or overall reel rating.
- Multipurpose hose is installed with tube compounded for maximum oil resistance. Hose can be used for air, water, oil and many other chemical applications.
- Operational temperature ranges vary across the wide range of hose options. (Please refer to the COXREELS catalog, website or contact Customer Service for hose specific data). Hose reels should not be used at temperatures below or above the rating of the hose.
- The operational rating of a reel not equipped with hose is determined by the capacity of the installed hose. The pressure rating of the reel without hose must not be greater than the operational capacity of a reel. (Please refer to the COXREELS catalog, website or contact Customer Service for reel/hose specific data). Variations in the OD of higher rated hose will affect the operational capacity of the reel.



## LABELS & MARKINGS

Hose Reels with and without hose

- The marking of the hose reel provide with or without hose includes the following
  - The label on the frame includes the COXREELS name and Logo, the product catalog number, the individual product serial number, PSI rating and what type and length of hose intended for use on the reel.
  - The maximum pressure rating for every hose reel supplied without hose is marked on the COXREELS Identification Label. In absence of this information, refer to website, catalog, or customer service. Actual rating is determined by the installed hose and is not to exceed the indicated maximum operational rating. The pressure rating of the hose installed on reels provided without hose must be marked on the label upon installation.



## PERSONAL SAFETY

- Ensure reel has been properly installed before connecting supply line.
- Before connecting to reel, be certain supply line does not exceed rated pressure of the hose reel or voltage / amperage rating on cable reel.
- Thoroughly review the "Hose Installation" instructions to properly install hose.
- Perform "Operational Check" per instructions to ensure reel is operating properly.
- If a leak should occur after applying pressure to the reel, immediately turn off pressure source and discontinue supply line pressure.



**WARNING:** Prevent static sparking. When working around flammables, ensure that the hose reel, hose, and equipment are properly grounded.

# INSTALLATION



**WARNING:** READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY BEFORE ATTEMPTING TO INSTALL, OPERATE, OR MAINTAIN THIS PRODUCT. ONLY QUALIFIED PERSONNEL SHOULD UNDERTAKE THE INSTALLATION AND COMMISSIONING OF THIS PRODUCT. FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH INSTRUCTIONS COULD RESULT IN PERSONAL INJURY AND/OR PROPERTY DAMAGE.



**WARNING:** REEL SHOULD NOT BE INSTALLED ABOVE 15 FEET MAXIMUM FROM THE FLOOR.

## MOUNTING OF REEL

- Reel is designed to be attached by the side bracket provided. A 3/8-16 x 1" long bolt is provided next to the top roller position.
- Align bracket with bottom locating stud inside cabinet and slide into place. Bracket is slotted on the bottom to provide ease of installation. Mounting surface should be designed to provide a proper locating stud for bracket.



**NOTE:** Ensure you are mounting the correct reel configuration for the cabinet. See left and right configuration above. Improper use of these reels could result in damage.

- Place one hand on top roller to align top bolt position. Securely fasten top bolt to hold in place.

## INSTALLATION OF INLET HOSE

- Apply thread sealant to inlet hose and connect to the swivel joint on reel. Note: A swivel type connector is required on supply line.
- **Do Not** over tighten and damage Swivel or threads.



**CAUTION: IT IS IMPORTANT TO USE A “FLEXIBLE” INLET HOSE. DO NOT USE SOLID PIPING OR RESTRAIN INLET HOSE AS TO CAUSE ANY SIDE FORCE ON SWIVEL JOINT. THE WARRANTY IS VOID IF NOT PROPERLY INSTALLED.**

- Flush some product through the system before connecting inlet hose to the source. Connect end to supply source.
- If reel includes hose (Otherwise, See Installation of Hose), flush some product through system before connecting end fitting, nozzle, or tool.
- Apply thread sealant to outlet hose fitting. Connect end, nozzle, or tool as desired.
- Hose stop adjustment may be required to attain desired location. Loosen (two) hose stop clamp bolts. Move hose stop and tighten bolts. Secure hose in hand while adjusting hose stop. Latch reel to secure if latching option is provided.

**OPERATIONAL CHECK**



**NOTE:** Steps 1-3 only apply to reels with latching option.

- Check reel for correct operation by slowly pulling out hose. A clicking noise will be heard after each half revolution of the drum.
- **LATCH** the reel. Pull out the hose and allow it to slightly retract after the first, second or third “click” is heard.
- **UNLATCH** the reel. Slowly pull the hose until the clicking noise stops, and then allow the hose to retract. The hose stop should rest against the roller hose guide.



**CAUTION: DO NOT ALLOW HOSE TO RETRACT WITHOUT RESTRAINING RECOIL SPEED. NEVER LET GO OF THE HOSE WHEN REWINDING. NOTE: EZ-COIL™ MODELS ARE DESIGNED TO RETRACT AT A SLOW CONTROLLED SPEED.**

- Apply line pressure and inspect for leaks. Periodically check hose for improper wear and swivel for possible leaks.
- Reels are shipped with approximately three pre-wraps of tension. This is adequate for most applications. However, if your application requires more or less tension, see “Spring Tension Adjustment” instructions.
- Lubrication is NOT required.

**INSTALLATION OF OUTLET HOSE**



**NOTE:** Before proceeding, ensure that you are installing the proper size, length and type of hose that the reel is rated for. Consult factory if unsure of rating. Damage may occur if wrong hose is installed.

- Securely stabilize the reel.
- Insert the male fitted end of the hose through the cutout in the side of the drum flange.
- The male hose fitting should now be on the outside of the drum. Apply thread sealant, connect hose fitting to the swivel joint and secure the hose rigid with the two hose clamps.
- Wind the hose onto the reel clockwise facing the swivel, for RIGHT hand configurations, OR counterclockwise facing the swivel for LEFT hand configurations.
- When fully wound, pull the hose out approximately three turns of the reel and latch reel in place.
- While reel is in latched position, pull slack hose back and wrap onto reel. This will give an initial pre-load of approximately three turns on the spring.



**NOTE:** The hose clamps restrain the hose when fully extended, preventing strain between the fittings and swivel joint.



**CAREFULLY** release the locking ratchet (if so equipped) and **SLOWLY** allow the hose to retract onto the reel.

**SPRING TENSION ADJUSTMENT**

- Release line pressure prior to making spring adjustments.
- Disconnect inlet hose.
- Pull out approximately 6 feet (2m) of hose and latch the drum (if so equipped).
- Add or subtract one wrap of hose as desired to acquire the proper tension on the reel.



**NOTE:** Spring tension adjustment is accomplished by adding wraps of hose around the drum (to increase tension) or subtracting wraps of hose (to decrease tension).



**CAUTION:** Improper tensioning of spring or adding too many pre-wraps may cause damage to spring mechanism. Only authorized personnel should make adjustments.

- Unlatch drum (if so equipped) and check for proper tension. Connect Inlet hose.

**SWIVEL SEAL REPLACEMENT**

- Remove inlet hose from swivel.
- Remove swivel from reel by unscrewing swivel from shaft. Disconnect hose from swivel.
- Remove retaining ring on swivel; pull out spool shaft from swivel body.
- Replace the seals, lubricate and reassemble swivel.
- Fit hose to swivel then fit swivel to reel. **Do not over-tighten.**
- Reconnect inlet hose and test for leakage.

## SPRING CANISTER REPLACEMENT

- Pull out approximately 3 feet (1m) of hose and latch the reel (if so equipped).
- Remove outlet nozzle, gun or tool and hose stop.
- Carefully unlatch the reel and **firmly hold the drum**. Allow the drum to **slowly** unwind until it stops.
- Remove the retaining ring, spacer and swivel unit.
- Remove the two nuts located on the support post side inside the drum cavity. **Do not** attempt to remove the spring canister nuts.
- Pull spring canister off drum and axle shaft.
- Reverse above procedure to re-assemble.
- Re-tension the reel by turning the drum three complete turns clockwise from swivel side for right hand reels, or counterclockwise from swivel side for left hand reels, and latch the drum (if so equipped).
- Feed the hose through the hose guide. Fit hose stop, and then unlatch the drum (if so equipped). Hose stop should sit snugly against the hose guide.



**CAUTION:** Release supply line pressure to the reel and also the pressure stored in the hose on the reel prior to making any repairs or adjustments to the reel.

## TROUBLE SHOOTING GUIDE

TROUBLE	CAUSE	REMEDY
HOSE WILL NOT FULLY RETRACT	a) Outlet nozzle, gun or tool is too heavy. b) Spring is fatigued. c) Field installed hose is too long.	a) Add spring tension. See "Spring Tension Adjustment". b) Add spring tension. See "Spring Tension Adjustment". Replace Spring Canister if required. c) Call local Distributor for correct specified hose length.
HOSE WILL NOT RETRACT AT ALL	Spring has lost all tension or has possibly broken.	a) Adjust Spring Tension b) Replace Spring Canister. See "Spring Canister Replacement".
HOSE TANGLES INSIDE CABINET	Clearance between inside of cabinet and reel allows hose to fall over edge of drum.	Review cabinet design and reduce clearances. <b>Note:</b> Plastic roller at top of reel is provided to act as a hose retainer. Ensure that the reel has been mounted properly.
REEL WILL NOT LATCH (APPLIES IF EQUIPPED WITH LATCH OPTION)	a) Incorrect operation. b) Dog spring or locking cam is broken or worn.	a) Reel latches on first, second, third or fourth "click". After forth "click" it automatically rewinds. b) Replace dog spring or locking cam.
FLUID LEAKS FROM SWIVEL	Swivel seals are damaged or worn.	Replace swivel seals. See "Swivel Seal Replacement". <b>Caution:</b> Be sure leak is not at Hose Fitting!
REEL RETRACTS TOO FAST (EZ-COIL™ MODELS ONLY)	EZ-Coil unit is defective	Replace EZ-Coil unit. <b>Note:</b> When weather is extremely hot, reel will operate slightly faster than under normal conditions. This function is normal.