Warning:

Misuse of vises can cause serious injury to eyes, hands and or other body parts. Vises must be set up and used properly. Before setup and use, read, understand and follow all instructions outlined.

ALWAYS make sure bench Never use a hammer, extension pipe, or cheater bar on spindle tops are properly secured. handle of vise. ALWAYS use proper NEVER unscrew movable jaw mounting hardware in all beyond maximum specified mounting holes to hold vise opening of vise. securely. ALWAYS inspect mounting NEVER weld vise to any metal hardware to ensure vise is object. securely fastened to work bench. ALWAYS inspect vise for NEVER use a vise to press an stress fatigue or damage to object into or out of another the vise before using. object. ALWAYS use vise of proper **NEVER** place pressurized size and capacity to hold work containers or combustible object. materials in vise. ALWAYS wear eye, face, and NEVER wear loose clothing or ear protection when using a jewelry while operating vise. vise. ALWAYS wear dust mask or NEVER apply extreme heat or respirator when working with prolong heat to the vise as it may wood, metal, chemical dusts alter structural properties. or mists. ALWAYS rest work piece NEVER tighten work piece at the against front jaw and guide edge (top or side) of the vise as rods. this may break vise casting ALWAYS wear restrictive hair covering and anti slip footwear while operating vise.

ALWAYS only hand tighten vise.

ALWAYS maintain the vise – grease main screw regularly.

Mount Back Jaw Casting to Workbench

- Pre-drill holes for mounting screws using template provided. Be sure to drill holes straight and deep enough to accommodate the full length of the screw. Use recommended drill sizes only (see template provided).
- It is *CRITICAL* that the back jaw casting is mounted firmly and accurately to the workbench surface. *NO GAPS* between the casting and the workbench should be present. Use shims as needed. Refer to figure #1 below.
- **DO NOT** attach the vise to the end grain side of the workbench. By attaching the vise to the side grain side of the workbench the mounting screw will have a much stronger hold.
- When attaching the back jaw casting to the workbench, take care to ensure there is full contact of the casting to the workbench surface before tightening the mounting screws.
- The vertical portion of the back jaw against the front edge of the workbench and the horizontal portion of the casting on the underside of the bench must have full contact with the workbench. Use shims to eliminate any gaps that may be present.
- Any gaps between the casting and the workbench surface will cause flexing of the casting when tightened down, which could result in failure of the casting. Figure 1.
- MOUNTING HARDWARE: Use the #14 x 2-1/2" Counter-Sink Wood Screws (2) for the front edge mounting holes and the 5/16" x 2-1/2" Lag Screws (2) and the 5/16" Flat Washers (2) for underneath the workbench

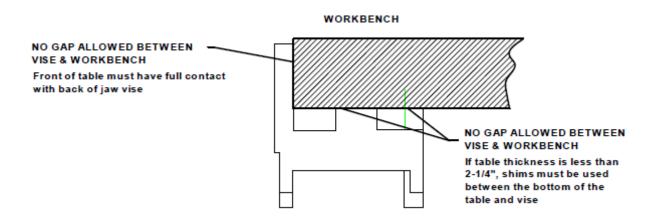


Figure 1: Mount Back Jaw Casting to Work Bench

<u>Caution:</u>

Do not exceed the maximum applied torque of 1,200 inch-pounds (100 foot-pounds). Also, failure to rest work piece against the front jaw and the guide rods may also cause the castings to flex resulting in failure. See Figure 2.

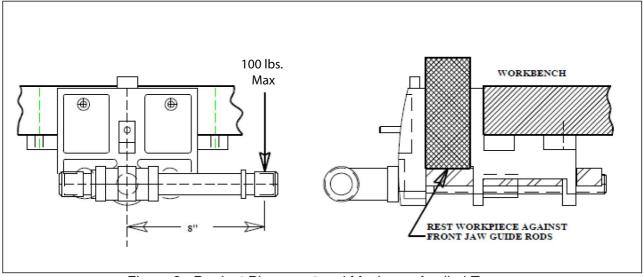


Figure 2: Product Placement and Maximum Applied Torque

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