

HIGH SPEED AUTO TIP DRESSER (CDK-R-400) USER'S MANUAL

Please read this manual before using KYOKUTOH'S High Speed Tip Dresser (CDK-R-400)





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ATTENTION TO SAFETY

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This product is intended only for the dressing of specified electrodes. This product is not to be used in any manner other than that which is specified within. We will not be held responsible for damage or injury caused as a result of misuse of this product.

SYMBOLES

* This following symbols "Caution" and "Notice", are used indicate possible hazards and to prevent their occurrence.

A Caution	Be careful to follow directions as specified, as an error could lead to possible injury or death.
▲ Notice	Be careful to follow direction as specified, as an error could lead to malfunction and serious damage.

The following symbols are explained below.

\bigcirc	This symbol indicates operations that should not be done.
!	This symbol indicates operation that should be done.

* After reading, please the manual to the place where you can check the manual.

	Caution					
\bigcirc	Absolutely never disassemble or reconfigure this machine or its parts. O This could result in operation malfunction, ignition, or injury.	\bigcirc	Do not insert a finger or hand into gear opening while in operation.O This will result in serious injury.			
\bigcirc	Avoid as much contact with water as possible. O This could result in operation malfunction (short), electrical shock or ignition.	\bigcirc	 Do not insert metallic articles such as a pins or needles in gear or terminal box opening. O This could result in operation malfunction or electrical shock. 			
(!)	Be sure to switch off the power supply, when removing or repairing wiring. O Will cause electrical shock.	(!)	Be sure that spatter does cover any wiring. O This will prevent the melting of wire membrane and a potential shock hazard.			
!	Remove the spatter, which covers the tip dresser periodically. O Spatter build-up can cause operation malfunction or ignition resulting in injury.	\bigcirc	 Do not use acidic or chlorine detergents for maintenance purposes. O Poisonous gas may be generated from the detergents, causing a possible health risk. 			
(!	Remove any oil that may accumulate on the tip dresser. O Spatter could cause ignition and possible Injury.	\bigcirc	 Do not use voltage other than that which is specified. O Excess heat could cause operation malfunction and ignition. 			
!	Be sure wire from power supply is of correct capacity. (10A/1unit) O Incorrect wiring could result in operation malfunction or ignition	(!)	Use wiring of enough thickness. (2 sq mm or more) O Incorrect wiring could result in operation malfunction or ignition			
\bigcirc	 Do not allow power supply wiring to become damaged. O Wiring damage could result in operation malfunction and ignition. 					

△ Notice					
(!)	 Firmly fix tip dresser to stand. O If the Tip Dresser is not fixed tightly in operation, poor dressing and other problems could occur. 	\bigcirc	 Be sure that the motor is not locked up. O This could result in overheating and possible ignition. 		
\bigcirc	 Do not use any cutter or holder other than that which is intended and specified. O Use of an unspecified cutter or holder, could result in damage. 	\bigcirc	 Do not install near the thermal generation source of the welding machine. O This could cause trouble and accidents. 		
\bigcirc	 Do not install between a welding machine and a transformer. O Strong magnetic forces and heat can be dangerous and possibly cause malfunctions or ignition. 	\bigcirc	Do not use rotation direction beside set. O This could cause trouble and accidents.		

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Model	Power	Freq	Current	Rpm	Torque	Output Rated	Rated Time	Mass Kg
	AC380V	50 Hz	2.4 A	227 rpm	34.6 N.m			
	AC400V	50 Hz	2.4 A	228 rpm	34.3 N.m			
$\begin{array}{c} C D K - R \\ -4 0 0 \end{array}$	AC400 v	60 Hz	2.2 A	277 rpm	28.3 N.m		Rated	
	AC415V	50 Hz	2.4 A	230 rpm	34.1 N.m	1 k W	output continuous use time	17.8 kg
	AC440V	60 Hz	2.0 A	280 rpm	28.0 N.m		5minute	
CDK-R -400H	AC460V	60 Hz	2.0 A	282 rpm	27.8 N.m			
	AC480V	60 Hz	2.1 A	280 rpm	28.0 N.m			

CDK-R Tip Dresser Capability

Dresser motor and terminal box have protection structure.
 IEC STANDARD IP54 APPROVED

[[Features]]

- 1. Dress upper and lower tips simultaneously, therefore, dressing time is reduced.
- 2. Our KTW cutter enables cap tips to be dressed with the pressure between 1078N (110kgf) and 1960N (200kgf); furthermore, our cutter for high-pressure gun makes it possible to use higher pressure between 1960N (200kgf) and 2450N (250kgf).
- 3. Floating mechanism greatly reduces stress on welding gun and dresser.
- 4. KTW cutter reduces dressing time.

Criteria for Dressing Guns

(Applicable to both X-guns and C-guns; see figure 1 and 2)

1. If A dimension is less than 30mm, this dresser is not suitable, because it may contact gearbox.

Ref. Some special cutters require up to 35 mm.

- 2. If B dimension is less than 50mm, this dresser is not suitable, because it may interfere with gearbox.
- Cap tip with "C" angle up to 15 degrees can be dressed.
 When using the eccentric tips or guns with angle, please contact us.
- 4. When the length of shank of D dimension is long, contact us for solution.
- 5. The base tip and insert electrode requires a particular cutter. (E dimension) We will customize the cutter if you could provide us the gun and tip drawings.
- 6. Recommended dressing force is between 1,078N and 1,470N. (Dress up to 110kgf to 150kgf)
 - When dressing pressure is less than 1,078N, there is possibility of dressing defective because of dressing amount reduction.
 - High dressing pressure from 1470N to 2450N might make the dresser stop or damage the cutter and holder, depending on the shape of cap tips. In this case, please reduce the dressing pressure. If it is impossible to reduce the pressure, please contact us. We would offer you some other special cutters.
 - It is necessary to reduce dressing pressure when it is more than 2,450N.
- 7. Select a cutter well suited to the tip shape.
- 8. For other specifications for the CDK-R, please contact our sales department.





D. Concentricity guide required, If this is over $90mm - \phi \ 16$ $70mm - \phi \ 13$

- C. Maximum 15 degrees is acceptable.
- B. To avoid interference with gearbox, 50mm required.

Figure 2



A. Tip opening needs over 30mm.

 ${\ensuremath{\mathbb E}}.$ The special cutter should be used for the shorter tips.

Cautions for Positioning the Dresser 1

- 1. The tip should be set parallel to floating mechanism. (See figure 3)
- 2. For X-guns, set the dressing location to the pressurization location. (See figure 4)
- 3. For C-guns, set the dressing location even level with pressurization location, otherwise it might cause poor dressing or damage gears and bearings.
- 4. Although the floating mechanism is installed in dresser, we also recommend that you locate the dressing position as closely as possible.
- 5. Dressing horizontally C-Guns vertically set with equalizing mechanism is difficult to keep weight balance of springs, and pressurization point could easily change. So in this case, please make sure of pressurization point very well when you teach robots. (See figure 4 and 5)



Figure 3

Figure 4



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Cautions for Positioning the Dresser 2

* Perpendicular to Floor

* Horizontal to Floor



When you place order, please let us know installation method (Perpendicular to Floor or Horizontal to Floor). If not, we would supply you standard type, Vertical mounting.

Wiring to the Dresser



- Use over 2sq power wire. (AWG Gauge NO14 equivalent)
- Strip coating, and wire directly. Recommended stripping length is 10 mm.
 If it is difficult to wire, use pin terminal. (NICHIFU TC-2 equivalent)



- Do not wire when the switch is on. (Be sure to turn off the switch.)
- The operator must have the certification approved as an electrical worker.
- Please take the cable's change (shrinkages or slack) into consideration when wiring because the floating mechanism is installed on K-type dresser.
- Because the floating mechanism is installed, make sure the terminal bolt is tightened. (We recommend that you make a circle with cable beside the dresser in order to absorb the vibration.)
- Please wire power cord and thermostat fuse output cord separately for your security.
- When using thermostat fuse, make the side hole on the terminal box of dresser.
- When not using the installed thermostat fuse, please set the overloading protector beside the dresser.

Cutter Capacity and Dressing Time



• Estimated Dressing Time

Dressing time: 1 sec

Please adjust dressing time and pressure according to above graph.

- O Example 1: to dress 0.1mm
 - Dressing time: 1 sec
 - Dressing pressure: 110kgf
- O Example 2: to dress 0.1mm
 - Dressing time: 0.7 sec
 - Dressing pressure: 150 kef

Above examples are rough indications for the default. If you find cap tips are dressed not enough or too much while using, please adjust the setting to your cap tips.

• Average dressing cycle of KTW cutters after 200 welds is 1 to 2 seconds.

We have various types of cutters with different shapes and different metallic finishing for optimum dressing. So even if you changed the length of dressing time or the amount of dressing pressure and still couldn't get better result, please contact us.

<u>Timing Chart</u>

KTW type Cutter (Only clockwise rotation)



- ① Start motor to clockwise before Gun press.
- ② Set the dressing time according to your tip condition. Approximately 1-3 sec.
- ③ Confirm rotate direction (clockwise).
- (4) To finish dressing, release the gun pressure while dresser is revolving.

Before operating, make sure that the forms of cutter and tip are fitting.

When dressing is finished and small scrapes are left on the cap tips, both upper and lower tips should be touched with the cutter of revolving dresser before returning to original position.

Cutter Replacement



As seen on above, even after 30,000 dressing cycles, consistency of our cutter virtually unchanged, however, cutter life span differs from the condition of cap tip.

As for average example, we set exchange timing when the dressing amount is half compare to the very beginning amount.

(Example)

Tip material of Electrode	Cr-Cu (new one)
Type of Electrode	1623-A (RR-6-8R)
Type of Cutter	KTW-12T (RR-6-8R)
Number of Revolution	272 rpm
Gun Force	1,960 N (200Kgf)
The Dressing Conditions	Dresser Revolution \rightarrow Gun Pressure (1 sec) \rightarrow Gun release \rightarrow Dresser stop
	The measuring of one time (one second)
	= The tip length before dressing – The tip length after
	dressing

Above example resulted in the fact that <u>average dressing quantity is 0.2mm for 1 second</u>. It means when the dressing quantity gets less than 0.1mm is the time to change the cutter.

We used new cap tips for the experiment, however, how fast cap tips get short actually depends on the situation such as the kind and thickness of steel sheet to weld and the amount of electric current. It sometimes happens that the point of cap tip gets crushed and alloyed, and extraordinary hard. Therefore the life length of cutters is not always same.

Changing the dressing condition might be effective to make the cutter life longer.

The most important thing is to choose proper cutter and proper dressing time for each dresser.

 \bigstar For further information , please request the cutter instruction manual.

Procedure for Selecting the Cutter





D	Туре	: D Ty	/pe
Upper	Lower	Cutter	Holder
φ4 X R8	φ4 X R8	KTW-10	KTWH-10
φ 5 X R8	φ 5 X R8	KTW-11T	KTWH-11
φ 6 X R8	φ6 X R8	KTW-12T	KTWH-12
\$\phi 8 X R8\$	\$\phi 8 X R8\$	KTW-13T	KTWH-13





R	Туре	: R	Туре
Upper	Lower	Cutter	Holder
R6.5	6.5	KTW-15T	KTWH-15
R8	R8	KTW-16T	KTWH-16





D	Туре	: R T	уре
Upper	Lower	Cutter	Holder
φ 6 X R8	R40	KTW-14T	KTWH-14





D	Туре	: F 1	Гуре
Upper	Lower	Cuter	Holder
φ 6 X R8	\$ 16	KTW-23	KTWH-23
φ 6 X R8	φ13	KTW-24	KTWH-24





С Туре : С Туре				
Upper	Lower	Cutter	Holder	
φ4 X 30°	φ4 X 30°	KTW-01	KTWH-01	
φ 5 X 30°	φ 5 X 30°	KTW-02	KTWH-02	
φ 6 X 30°	φ 6 X 30°	KTW-03	KTWH-03	
φ 8 X 30°	φ 8 X 30°	KTW-04	KTWH-04	



С Туре : С Туре			
Upper	Lower	Cutter	Holder
φ4 X 45°	φ4 X 45°	KTW-05	KTWH-05
φ 5 X 45°	φ 5 X 45°	KTW-06T	KTWH-06
φ 6 X 45°	φ 6 X 45°	KTW-07T	KTWH-07
φ 8 X 45°	φ 8 X 45°	KTW-08T	KTWH-08







<u>Parts List</u>

NO.	Parts Name	Type or Size	
1	Tip Dresser	CDK-R-400	1
2	Terminal Box	Include Motor	1
3	Output Bearing	6809DD	2
4	Shaft Plate	CDK-R-001	2
5	Spring for Vertical Type	CDK-R-002	2
	Spring for Horizontal Type	CDK-R-003	2
6	Upper Spring	CDK-R-003	2
7	Shaft	CDK-R-004	2
8	Slide Bearing	LM20LUU	2
9	C-Ring for Bearing	For 32 Axis	4
10	Flat Washer	For M20	4
11	Cap Screw	M8X25	4
12	Rotation Sensor (Optional Extras)	E2E-X1(M5)	1





How to Change the Cutter

1. Remove M3 screws from the cutter holder.



2. Remove the cutter holder from the dresser.



3. To remove the cutter from the cutter holder, loosen the M3 torque screw.

(With a torque wrench T-10)



4. Replace a new cutter

Confirm cutter is replaced in the proper direction.

Please install the angle narrows on the side where touches the holder. (Inscription faced up) (Recommended torque for M3 screw is to 10-12kgf.cm).



5. To install the cutter holder to the dresser, please do the reverse order from 1 to 2.

Mounting arrangement of the Rotation Sensor (Optional Extras)

1. Remove the nameplate (M4X4).



2. Remove the M5 panhead screw and install the Rotation Sensor.





- **3.** Replace the nameplate.
- **4.** Following the wiring color, wire the sensor.

Brown	+24V
Blue	0V
Black	Signal wire

Before wiring, please make sure of the type of your sensor (NPN or PNP).

Timing Chart for the Rotation Sensor

Rotation Sensor	ON	
	OFF	
Rotation of	ON	
Dresser	OFF	

While the dresser is revolving, the sensor sends out signals 1pulse/0.1 sec..

We recommend that more than 0.5 sec. input or cutting of signal, including initiation delay, should be considered as abnormal rotation.

Example Ladder Program for the Rotation Sensor



#5=0.5 sec.

Cautions and Confirmation before the Operation

- 1. Confirm the specification again. (Voltage, option, etc)
- 2. Make sure of the conformity between the forms of cutter and cap tips.
- 3. Install the dresser in the place where the operator can not touch it directly during the operation.
- 4. Make sure dresser and stand bolts are tightened firmly. Also, confirm stand is fixed securely to the floor.
- 5. When connecting wires to the dresser, operation procedures must be followed with the electric construction standard and also make sure that it is protected from cooling water and spatter.
- 6. Be certain dresser is grounded.
- 7. Make sure dresser is installed in a location with no spatter and cooling water directly.
- 8. Confirm the forms of the cutter and cap tips once again before robot teaching, Confirm that cutter and holder are securely fastened.
- 9. Confirm the rotation direction of the KTW cutter is clockwise.
- 10. Make sure there is neither interference to the dresser except for the cap tips, nor any allophone when robot teaching.
- 11. When the gun is pressurized, make sure that the electric current is not applied and pressure is within the setting range.
- 12. Confirm the quality of the dressed tip. Be sure that the shank is stable and not shaking during dressing.
- ◆The causes of the failure in dressing.
 - > The gun is not released while the dresser is revolving. (Scrapes are left on the cap tips)
 - > The pressure is too high or too low.
 - > The forms of the cap tip and the cutter are not fitting.
 - > The dressing time is too short.
 - > The teaching point differs from the dressing one.
 - > The shape of used cap tips differs from new ones too much.

 \bigcirc If the cap tips can't get dressed properly with any other reason, please contact us.

Abnormality and How to Repair

Abnormal Condition		Cause and Countermeasure
Dresser does not rotate.	*	The power switch is OFF.
		\rightarrow Check the power source.
	*	Wire is cut-off or poor contact.
		\rightarrow Check the terminal box and control panel.
	*	The thermostat fuse of motor side is working.
		\rightarrow Check the motor and reset it after cooling down.
	*	The gun pressure is higher than specified by our company.
		→ Set gun pressure under 1960N(200kgf).
	*	Motor is broken.
		\rightarrow Need repair to replace the motor.
	*	The shapes of the cutter and the cap tip are not fitting, and
	clin	g each other.
		\rightarrow Check the cutter shape and replace it if necessary.
The motor is running but	*	Gear in the gear box is broken.
the cutter does not rotate.		\rightarrow Need repair to replace the gear.
The diameter of the	*	Dressing time is too short.
dressed cap tip is different		\rightarrow Set the dressing time to the tip that has been
from the setting.		crushed most.
	*	The cutting capability of the cutter has deteriorated or the
		cutter has been damaged.
	ч	\rightarrow Replace the cutter and check the gun pressure.
	*	Dressing point is not proper. \rightarrow Re de teaching
	*	\rightarrow Re-do teaching. The auttor is not suitable for the cont in
	Ŧ	The cutter is not suitable for the cap tip. \rightarrow Check the cutter shape and replace it if percentage.
	*	\rightarrow Check the cutter shape and replace it if necessary.
	Ŧ	Gear in the gear box is broken. \rightarrow Need repair to replace the gear.
	*	The screw which fastens the cutter to the holder is loosen.
	т	\rightarrow Tighten the screw.
Abnormal sound during	*	Dressing point is not proper.
dressing.	-14	\rightarrow Re-do teaching.
	*	The cutter has been damaged.
	-r•	\rightarrow Replace the cutter and check the gun pressure.
		· Replace the cutter and check the gun pressure.

Abnormal Condition		Cause and Countermeasure
Dresser leaves burr on the	*	The control method is not proper.
cap tip.		\rightarrow Release the gun while dresser is revolving, and then stop the dresser.
	*	The shapes of the cutter and the cap tips are not fitting.
		\rightarrow Check the cutter shape and replace it, if necessary.
	*	The cutter has been damaged.
		\rightarrow Replace the cutter and check the gun pressure.
	*	The screw which fastens the cutter to the holder is loosen.
		\rightarrow Tighten the screw.
The tip diameter is not at	*	The cap tip has got too short.
the center or the designated location.		\rightarrow Replace the cap tip to new one.
location.	*	Dressing position is not proper.
		\rightarrow Re-do teaching.
The point of the cap tip is	*	The bolts that fasten the motor and the gear box are loosen.
an oval, not a circle.		\rightarrow Tighten the bolts.
	*	The bolts that fasten the dresser to the stand are loosen.
		\rightarrow Tighten the bolts
Dressing does not complete in the set time	*	The cutting capability of the cutter has deteriorated or the cutter has been damaged.
		\rightarrow Replace the cutter and check the gun pressure.
	*	Dressing time is too short.
		\rightarrow Set the dressing time to the cap tip that has been crushed most.
	*	The cap tip is soften after welding, the point of the cap tip gets widened.
		\rightarrow Increase the dressing pressure gradually according to
		the time of dressing a cap tip when it is with gun voltage
		valve.
<remarks></remarks>		

- Please be sure the switch is off when you are checking or replacing parts or the cutter.
- When the dresser is out of order, please contact us immediately. Do not take the dresser apart. It would not be able to repair if you disassemble it.

Consumption Parts List

	Ne Desning for the dessen
	* Bearing for tip dresser
	Type: 6809DD
	(6809DD equivalent)
Outsourced Product	Replacement Qty: 2pcs.
	Replacement cycle: When total dressing time gets
	500 hours or 6 months
	Parts List: P14 Figure No ³
	* Output gear with bearing for KTW cutter.
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sr to ss	Type: 1MO4CC006-00
	(TDR-E-P-006-2 equivalent)
≦(∲ i−i∲)≧	Replacement Qty: 1pc.
3 3	Bearing replacement cycle: When total dressing time gets 500 hours or 6 months
No No	Gear replacement cycle: When total dressing time gets
www	2000 hours or 2 years
	2000 hours of 2 years
	* Cutter
	Type: Reference to P11 • P12
	Replacement Qty: 1 pc.
	Replacement cycle: Total dressing time, 20000sec.
	* Cutter holder
	Type: Reference to P11 • P12
	Replacement Qty: 1 pc.
	Replacement cycle: Total dressing time, 100000sec.
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• <u>The bearing replacement cycle is 6 months</u>: Without operation for a long time, the grease might resolve inside the bearing. In this case please lubricate by a grease spray and the like before operation.

### Periodic Maintenance

Maintenance place	How to maintenance
To the gearbox, grease supply	Remove the nameplate. Remove 1/8 screw from the upper side of the gearbox. Install grease nipple. Supply the greased with grease gun. Grease is MPG #2 equivalent. One time per 6 months, 20g supply. Prevent from dust in case of supply.