# LF-72 and LF-74 Wire Feeders

**Processes** 

MIG, Pulsed MIG, Flux-Cored

**Product Number** 

LF-72 LF-74

See page 6 for specs on all models

Input Power 24-42 VAC 50/60 Hz 9 Amps

**Rated Output** 

LF-72 500 Amps @ 60% Duty Cycle LF-74 600 Amps @ 60% Duty Cycle

Wire Feed Speed Range ipm (m/min) 50-800 (1.3-20.3)

**Wire Size Range** 

Solid: .023-1/16 in. (0.6-1.6 mm) Cored: .030-5/64 in. (0.8-2.0 mm)

Weight/Dimensions (H x W x D) (See page 6)

# 2-Roll or 4-Roll Heavy Duty Industrial Feeders

Designed for MIG and cored wire welding in job shop and manufacturing environments, the rugged LF-72 and LF-74 wire feeders are built to deliver reliable performance day after day.

### **FEATURES**

- Patented MAXTRAC® heavy-duty cast aluminum wire drive system provides reliable feeding and durability.
- Brass-to-brass gun connections for better electrical conductivity that results in better arc performance.
- Totally tool-less drive rolls and wire guide installation. Two or four geardriven wire drive rolls slide on and off easily!
- Calibrated wire feed speed dial for precise and accurate settings.

# RECOMMENDED LINCOLN ELECTRIC POWER SOURCES

 CV-305, CV-400-I, CV-400, CV-500-I, CV-655, Invertec® V350-PRO, Invertec® V450-PRO, DC-400, DC-600, DC-655

# RECOMMENDED COMPETITIVE<sup>(1)</sup> POWER SOURCES

(requires K2335-1 competitive adapter)

Deltaweld<sup>(1)</sup>, Dimension<sup>(1)</sup>, XMT<sup>(1)</sup> and CP302<sup>(1)</sup>

#### **APPLICATIONS**

**▶** Heavy Equipment



#### WHAT'S INCLUDED

#### All LF-72 and LF-74 Units Include:

 .035-.045 in. (0.9-1.2 mm) drive roll and wire guide kit.

#### Select Units Include (see page 6):

- ▶ 10 ft. (3.0 m) control cable with 14-pin female connector.
- 15 ft. (4.5 m) Magnum® PRO 350 gun and cable assembly with .035-.045 in. (0.9 mm-1.2 mm) liner.
- Standard-Duty wire reel stand.
- Heavy-Duty wire reel stand.

# INPUT

#### OUTPUT













Warranty Available.





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#### **KEY CONTROLS**



- 1. Calibrated Wire Feed Speed Dial
- 2. Gun Connection (K1500-2)
- 3. 5-Pin Gun Connection
- 4. Motor Thermal Protection Light
- 5. Cold Feed/Gas Purge Switch
- 6. 2-Step/Trigger Interlock Switch
- 7. Burnback/Postflow Timer Kit (optional)
- 8. Remote Voltage Control Kit (optional)

#### **FEATURES**







#### **Patented Dual Spring Pressure Arm**

- · Easy turn numeric tension indicator
- Set heavy tension for solid steel and stainless steel wire
- Set moderate tension for cored wires
- Set soft tension for aluminum wire
- Wide idler arm hinge delivers improved drive roll clamping pressure

# **Rigid Cast Aluminum Frame**

· Enhances precise drive roll alignment

# **Twist-Lock Drive Roll Hubs** · Two or four gear driven rolls

· Fast, tool-less changeovers

# **Patented Split Wire Guides**

- Full support for wire throughout the drive path
- · Removable outer wire guide for easy access
- · No tools required
- No birdnesting



**Brass to Brass Interchangeable Gun Bushings** 

- · More reliable electrical conductivity - no oxide build-up
- More efficient energy transfer lower voltage drops
- Easily adapt any number of Lincoln Magnum®, Magnum® PRO or competitive guns

#### **New Patented Drive Rolls**

- For steel new design delivers 20% more feeding force
- For aluminum chrome plated to resist build-up

LF-72 Two Roll Drive

#### **Separate Drive Gear**

· Reduces pressure on motor for extended service life



DRI	VE ROLL & WIRE GUID	E KITS			
Description	LF-72 Two-Roll	LF-74 Four-Roll			
Solid Wire Sizes (includes stainless steel):					
.023030 in. (0.6-0.8 mm)	KP1696-030S	KP1505-030S			
.035 in. (0.9 mm)	KP1696-035S	KP1505-035S			
.040 in. (1.0 mm)	KP1696-2	KP1505-040S			
.045 in. (1.2 mm)	) KP1696-045S KP1505-045S				
.052 in. (1.4 mm)	KP1696-052S	KP1505-052S			
.035, .045 in. (0.9, 1.2 mm)	KP1696-1 <sup>(1)</sup>	_			
1/16 in. (1.6 mm)	KP1696-1/16S	KP1505-1/16S			
	Cored Wire Sizes:				
.030035 in. (0.8-0.9 mm)	KP1697-035C	KP1505-035C			
.045 in. (1.2 mm)	KP1697-045C	KP1505-045C			
052 in. (1.4 mm)	KP1697-052C	KP1505-052C			
1/16 in. (1.6 mm)	KP1697-1/16C	KP1505-1/16C			
	Solid or Cored Wire Sizes:				
.068072 in. (1.8 mm)	KP1697-068	KP1505-068			
5/64 in. (2.0 mm)	KP1697-5/64	KP1505-5/64			
3/32 in. (2.4 mm)	-	KP1505-3/32			
	<b>Aluminum Wire Sizes:</b>				
.035 in. (0.9 mm)	KP1695-035A	KP1507-035A			
.040 in. (1.0 mm)	KP1695-040A	KP1507-040A			
3/64 in. (1.2 mm)	KP1695-3/64A	KP1507-3/64A			
1/16 in. (1.6 mm)	KP1695-1/16A	KP1507-1/16A			

CONTROL EX	TENSION CABLES
Cable Type	Description
Wire Feeder C	ontrol Extension Cables
K1797-10 - 10 ft. (3 m) <sup>(1)</sup>	
K1797-25 - 25 ft. (7.6 m)	Male 14-pin to female 14-pin
K1797-50 - 50 ft. 15 m)	
K1797-100 - 100 ft. (30 m)	

<sup>(1)</sup> Standard with all LF-72 (except K2327-4) and LF-74 models.

# **WELD CABLE REQUIRED**

WELD CABLES			
Order No.	Description		
K1840-10	Twist-Mate <sup>™</sup> to Lug, 1/0, 350A, 60% duty cycle, 10 ft.		
K1842-10	Lug to Lug, 3/0, 600A, 60% duty cycle, 10 ft. (3.1 m)		
K1842-35	Lug to Lug, 3/0, 600A, 60% duty cycle, 35 ft. (10.7 m)		
K1842-60	Lug to Lug, 3/0, 600A, 60% duty cycle, 60 ft. (18.3 m)		
K1842-110	Lug to Lug, 4/0, 600A, 60% duty cycle, 110 ft. (33.5 m)		

<sup>(1)</sup> Standard on LF-72.

		FEED PLATE GUN REC	CEIVER BUSHINGS		
K1500-1 Gun Receiver Bushing (Optional)	K1500-2 Gun Receiver Bushing (Standard)	K1500-3 Gun Receiver Bushing (Optional)	K1500-4 Gun Receiver Bushing (Optional)	K1500-5 Gun Receiver Bushing (Optional)	K489-7 Fast-Mate™ Gun Receiver Bushing (Optional)
Magnum® PRO 250, 350 and 450 or Magnum® 200, 300 and 400 gun and cable assemblies with K466-1 connector kit.  Magnum® Self-shielded Innershield® gun and cable assembly.  Magnum® PRO 550 or Magnum® 550 gun and cable assembly with K613-1 connector kit.	Magnum® PRO 350 Gun Package with 035-045 liner and K466-10 connector kit (K2652-2-10-45)  Magnum® PRO 450 Gun Package with 035-045 liner and K466-10 connector kit (K2653-2-10-45)  Magnum® 200 and 400 fully assembled guns (K497-2x and K471-2x).  Magnum® PRO 250, 350 and 450 or Magnum® 200, 300 and 400 gun and cable assemblies with K466-10 connector kit.  Guns with Tweco® #2, #3, and #4 connectors.	Magnum® PRO 550 or Magnum® 550 gun and cable assembly with K613-7 connection.  Guns with Tweco® #5 connectors.	Magnum® PRO 250, 350 and 450 or Magnum® 200, 300 and 400 gun and cable assemblies with K466-3 connector kit.	To adapt to 0X0® guns.	Magnum® gun and cable assemblies with Fast-Mate connections.  Handles both single and dual procedure guns.





#### **GENERAL OPTIONS**

Magnum® PRO Gun and Cable Assemblies

250-550 amps, air-cooled, gas-shielded welding guns. See publication E12.01



Magnum® Self-Shielded Innershield® Gun and Cable Assemblies

Available 200-550 amps, air-cooled, gas-shielded welding guns. See publication E12.10



Magnum® Self-Shielded Innershield® Gun and Cable Assemblies Available 250-600 amps. See publication E12.110



#### **Postflow and Burnback** Timer Kit

Provides adjustable delay of power source output shut off to prevent electrode sticking in crater when using high wire feed speeds. Order K2330-1



#### Remote Voltage Control Kit

Allows arc voltage to be changed at the feeder.

Order K2329-1



#### **Incoming Bushing for Lincoln** Conduit

Feed Plate Incoming Bushings connect directly to wire conduit (not included), for use in boom system, long distances, or large payoff packages. Bushings can be used with any wire conduit (K515 or K565)

Order K1546-1 for .025-1/16 in. (0.6 - 1.6 mm) wire Order K1546-2 for 1/16-1/8 in. (1.6 - 3.2 mm) wire



#### Spindle Adapter for Readi-Reels® and Spools

For fixture and other custom installations. Features 2 in. (51 mm) 0.D. spindle for mounting Readi-Reels® and 2 in. (51 mm) I.D. spools up to 60 lb. (27.2 kg) capacity.

Order K162-1



#### **Deluxe Adjustable Gas Regulator** & Hose Kit

Accommodates CO2, Argon, or Argon-blend gas cylinders. Includes a cylinder pressure gauge, dual scale flow gauge and 4.3 ft. (1.3 m) gas

hose. Order K586-1



#### Harris® Argon Flowmeter/ Regulator and Hose Kit Order 3100211



#### **Adapter for Competitive Power** Sources

Allows wire feeder to connect to select Miller Electric® power sources.

Order K2335-1



#### **Control Cable to Terminal Strip** Adapter

Connects 14-pin control cable to power sources with terminal strip. Order K1798



#### 115V/42V Transformer Kit

Provides a way to use the wire feeder on power sources that have 115V AC available on the terminal strip

Order K1520-1



#### **Welding Fume Extractors**

Lincoln offers a wide variety of welding fume extraction environmental system solutions, ranging from portable systems easily wheeled around the shop to shopwide central systems servicing many dedicated welding stations

Request Publication E13.40



#### ADDITIONAL OPTIONS FOR BASE MODEL (DOES NOT INCLUDE WIRE REEL STAND)

Standard Duty Wire Reel Stand For use with Lincoln 10-44 lb. (4.5-20 kg) wire packages that use a 2 in. (51 mm) spindle.

Order K2328-1



#### **Heavy Duty Wire Reel Stand**

FEEDERS FOUIPPED WITH STANDARD DUTY WIRE REEL

For use with Lincoln 10-60 lb. (4.5-27.2 kg) wire packages that use a 2 in. (51 mm) spindle. Hole in stand fits over lift bail.

Order K1524-3



## Swivel Platform

STAND

Mounts to the lift bail on the power source and bottom of the Heavy Duty Wire Reel stand. Wire feeder may be lifted off if needed. Compatible with Light Duty Caster Kit. Includes "lazy susan" parts tray. Order K1557-1



### 14 lb. Innershield® Coil Adapter

Permits 14 lb. (6 kg) Innershield® electrode coils to be mounted on 2 in. (51 mm) O.D. spindles. Order K435



# 8" O.D. Spool Adapter

Permits 8 in. (200 mm) O.D. spools to be mounted on 2 in. (51 mm) O.D. spindles.

Order K468



#### Wire Reel Cover Kit

Plastic enclosure for up to 44 lb. (20 kg) wire packages.

ADDITIONAL OPTIONS FOR

**DUTY WIRE REEL STAND** 

Order K1634-1



#### **Insulated Lift Bail**

Allows the entire wire feeder to be hung from a crane or hook. Use with Heavy Duty Wire Reel Stand.

FEEDERS EQUIPPED WITH HEAVY

Order K1555-1



#### Caster Kit — Light Duty

Mounts to the Heavy Duty Wire Reel Stand. Allows for easy movement of wire feeder.

Order K1556-1



#### Undercarriage

Includes mounting frame, front casters, rear wheels and handle for hand towing. For use with Wire Reel Stands.

Order K163



#### 50-60 lb. Coil Adapter

Adapts 50-60 lb. (22.6-27.2 kg) coils of Lincoln wire to 2 in. (51 mm)

Order K1504-1



#### **Plastic Wire Cover Kit**

Plastic enclosure for up to 60 lb. (27.2 kg) wire packages. Order K1634-2

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#### **WIRE FEEDER SELECTION GUIDE**

#### LF-72

Number of Rolls:



Inches Per Minute (m/min): 50-800 (1.3-20.3)

Wire Size: in. (mm)

Solid .023-1/16 (0.6-1.6) Cored .030-5/64 (0.8-2.0) LF-72 Base Model (no gun, no control cable) (K2327-4)



For boom mounting or for use with bulk consumables.

#### **Unit Includes:**

 Drive Roll and Wire Guide Kit .035-.045

LF-72 Bench Model. Standard Duty (K2327-5) Shown with optional wire.



For most welding needs that require a rugged and dependable wire feed system.

#### Unit Includes:

- Drive Roll and Wire Guide Kit .035-.045
- Magnum® PRO 350 Gun and Cable Assembly
- Control Cable 10' (3 m)

LF-72 Bench Model, Heavy Duty (K2327-6)

Shown with optional wire.



For applications requiring up to 60 lb. wire packages.

#### Unit Includes:

- Drive Roll and Wire Guide Kit .035-.045
- Magnum® PRO 350 Gun and Cable Assembly
- Control Cable 10' (3 m)

LF-72 Bench Model. Heavy Duty (no gun) (K2327-7)

Shown with optional wire.



For applications requiring up to 60 lb. wire packages.

#### Unit Includes:

- Drive Roll and Wire Guide Kit .035-.045
- Control Cable 10' (3 m)

# LF-74

Number of Rolls:



Inches Per Minute (m/min): 50-800 (1.3-20.3)

Wire Size: in. (mm)

Solid .023-1/16 (0.6-1.6) Cored .030-5/64 (0.8-2.0)

**PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS** 

**Product** 

Number

K2327-4

K2327-5

K2327-6

K2327-7

K2426-4

K2426-5

**Product** 

Name

LF-72 Base Model

(w/o gun or cable)

LF-72 Bench Model

Standard Duty

LF-72 Bench Model

Heavy Duty

LF-72 Bench Model

Heavy Duty (w/o gun)

LF-74 Base Model

LF-74 Bench Model

Heavy Duty

LF-74 Base Model (no gun) (K2426-4)

LF-74 Bench Model, Heavy Duty (no gun) (K2426-5)

Shown with optional wire.



For boom mounting or for use with bulk consumables.

#### **Unit Includes:**

- Drive Roll and Wire Guide Kit
- Control Cable 10' (3 m)

For applications requiring up to 60 lb. wire packages.

#### **Unit Includes:**

- Drive Roll and Wire Guide Kit
- Control Cable 10' (3 m)
- Heavy Duty Wire Reel Stand

Wire Feed Wire Size Net **Output Capacity** H x W x D Weight Input **Speed Range** Range Power **Current / Duty Cycle** In. (mm) inches (mm) lbs. (kg) ipm (m/min.) 24-42 VAC 500 Amps @ 60% 50-800 Solid Cored 11.1 x 10.2 x 12.9 24 50/60 Hz (1.3-20.3).023-1/16 .030-5/64 (282 x 259 x 328) (11)(0.6-1.6)(0.8-2.0)12.6 x 10.9 x 22.5 9 Amps 52 (320 x 277x 572) (24)15.3 x 13.0 x 27.7 69 (389 x 330 x 704) (31)15.3 x 13.0 x 27.7 63 (389 x 330 x 704) (29)600 Amps @ 60% 11 1 x 10 2 x 12 9 27 (282 x 259 x 328) (12)

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