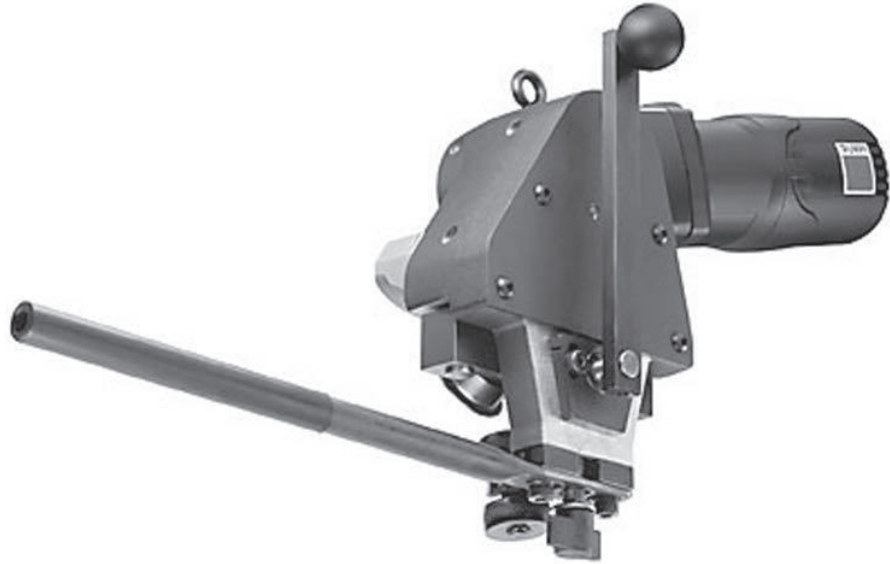


# Operator's manual



## TruTool F 140 (1B1)(1C1)

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## 1. Safety

### 1.1 General safety information

#### WARNING



- Read all the safety information and instructions including those in the brochure also supplied.
- Failure to comply with the safety information and instructions can cause electric shock, burns and/or serious injury.
- Retain all the safety information and instructions for future use.

#### DANGER

##### **Electrical voltage! Risk of fatal injury due to electric shock!**

- Remove the plug from the plug socket before undertaking any maintenance work on the machine.
- Check the plug, cable and machine for damage each time before using the machine.
- Keep the machine dry and do not operate it in damp rooms.
- Connect the fault current (FI) circuit breaker with a maximum breaking current of 30 mA when using the electric tool outside.
- Only use original TRUMPF accessories.

#### WARNING

##### **Damage to the machine due to improper handling.**

- Wear safety glasses, hearing protection, breathing protection, protective gloves and working shoes when working.
- Connect the plug only when the machine is switched off. Pull the power plug after use.
- Do not carry the machine by the cable.
- Have maintenance carried out by specialists.

### 1.2 Specific safety information for seam lockers

#### DANGER

##### **Electrical voltage! Risk of fatal injury due to electric shock!**

- Always keep the power cable behind the device and do not pull it over sharp edges.
- Do not perform any work that may cause the machine to come into contact with hidden power lines or its own cable. Contact with a live conductor can cause metallic machine parts to become live and can lead to an electric shock.



**WARNING****Risk of injury to hands.**

- Do not reach into the processing line with your hands.
- Use both hands to hold the machine.



## 2. Description

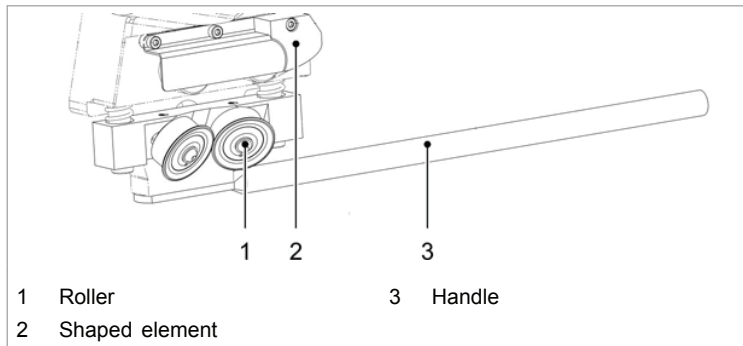


Fig. 39835

### 2.1 Intended use

#### WARNING

#### Damage to the machine due to improper handling.

- Only use the machine for work and materials as described under "Intended use."

The TRUMPF seam locker TruTool F 140 is an electrically powered hand-held device designed for the following applications:

- The closing of Pittsburgh lock seams on correspondingly pre-machined workpieces such as ventilation channels, housings, containers etc.

#### Note

The seam can be closed on straight or curved contours.





The TRUMPF seam locker TruTool F 140 has been specially developed to machine outer radii R100 – R500 as found in ventilation channels.

There are 2 variants of the TruTool F 140 seam locker:

- TruTool F 140 (1C1) (short): This is a variant with short driver rollers with a rim height of 8 mm. The short drive rollers prevent the sheets with a low suspension rim from being marked. The machine can be used up to a material thickness of 0.75 mm.
- TruTool F 140 (1B1) (long): This is a variant with long drive rollers for seams with a rim height of 14 mm and a material thickness up to 1.4 mm.



## 2.2 Technical data




	Other countries			USA
	Values			
Voltage	230 V	120 V	110 V	120 V
Frequency	50 Hz	50/60 Hz	50 Hz	50/60 Hz
<b>Material strength</b> 400 N/mm <sup>2</sup>				
TruTool F 140 (1B1) (long)	1.4 mm			17 gauge
TruTool F 140 (1C1) (short)	0.75 mm			22 gauge
Working speed	6 - 10 m/min			20 - 32 ft/min
Nominal power consumption	500 W			
Speed when idling $n_0$	110/min			
Weight	4.0 kg			9.3 lbs
Inner radii	min. 300 mm			min. 11.8 in
Outer radii	min. 100 mm			min. 3.9 in
Safety class	II / 	II / 	II / 	II / 

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## 2.3 Icons

### Note

The following symbols are important for reading and understanding the operator's manual. The correct interpretation of the symbols will help you operate the machine better and safer.

Icon	Name	Meaning
	Read operator's manual	Read the operator's manual and safety information in their entirety before starting up the machine. Closely follow the instructions given.
	Safety class II	Indicates a doubly insulated tool.
	Alternating current	Type or property of current
V	Volt	Voltage
A	Ampere	Current, current input
Hz	Hertz	Frequency (oscillations per second)
W	Watt	Power, power input
mm	Millimeters	Dimensions e.g.: material thickness, chamfer length
in	Inch	Dimensions e.g.: material thickness, chamfer length
$n_0$	Idle speed	Revolution speed without load
.../min	Revolutions/strokes per minute	Revolution speed, stroke rate per minute

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## 2.4 Noise and vibration information

### WARNING

**Noise emission value may be exceeded.**

- Wear hearing protection.

### WARNING

**The vibration emission value can be exceeded!**

- Select the right tools and exchange them in time in the event of wear.
- Have maintenance carried out by trained specialized technicians.
- Define additional safety measures for protecting the operator from the effect of vibrations (e. g. keep hands warm, organization of working procedures, machining at normal feed force).
- Depending on the operating conditions and state of the electric tool, the actual load might be higher or lower than the specified measured value.

### Notes

- The specified vibration emission value was measured in accordance with a standardized testing procedure and can be used to compare one electric tool with another.
- The specified vibration emission value can also be applied for a provisional estimate of the vibration load.
- Times during which either the machine is switched off or running but not actually in use can considerably reduce the vibration load during the entire working period.
- Times during which the machine works independently and self-propelled do not have to be calculated.

Designation of measured value	Unit	Value according to EN 60745
Vibration emission value $a_h$ (vector sum of three directions)	m/s <sup>2</sup>	≤2.5
Uncertainty K for vibration emission value	m/s <sup>2</sup>	
A-class acoustic pressure level $L_{PA}$ typically	dB (A)	81
A-class acoustic power level $L_{WA}$ typically	dB (A)	85

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### 3. Folding

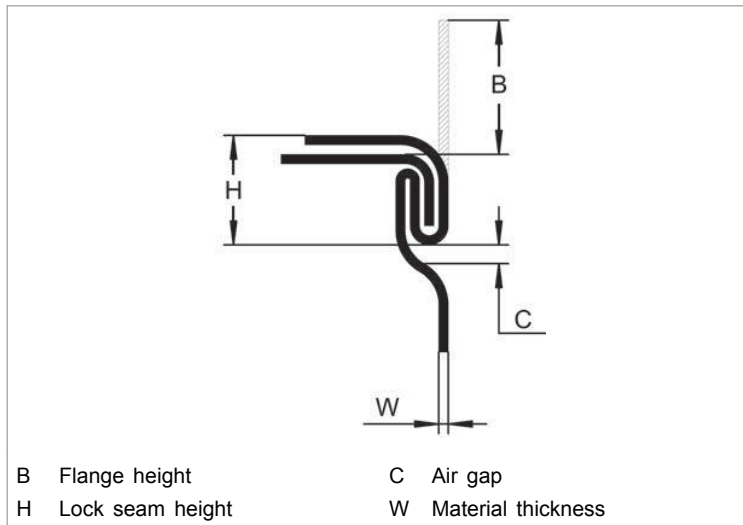


Fig. 47284

#### Lock seam geometry "Pittsburgh lock seam"

Sheet thickness range		B	H	C
Variant	mm	mm	mm	mm
long	0.6 - 1.0	10 - 14	11 - 16	2.5
	≥1.0 - 1.4	10 - 12		
short	0.6 - 1.0	8 - 10	11 - 16	2.5
	≥1.0 - 1.4	-		

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Sheet thickness range			B	H	C
Variant	in	Gauge	in	in	in
long	0.024 - 0.04	24 - 20	0.31 - 0.39	0.43 - 0.63	0.08
	0.04 - 0.055	20 - 17	0.4 - 0.55		
short	0.024 - 0.04	24 - 20	0.31 - 0.39	0.43 - 0.63	0.08
	0.04 - 0.055	20 - 17	-		

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#### Notes

- The seam quality essentially depends upon the flange height B. If B is too small, the seam cannot be properly closed. If the Pittsburgh lock seam machine is set to a sheet thickness of 1.25 mm, then the correct flange height B will automatically result for all thin sheets.
- The friction on the sheet is increased. If not maintained sufficiently, the driver rollers may slip.



## 4. Setting work

### 4.1 Setting the tilt

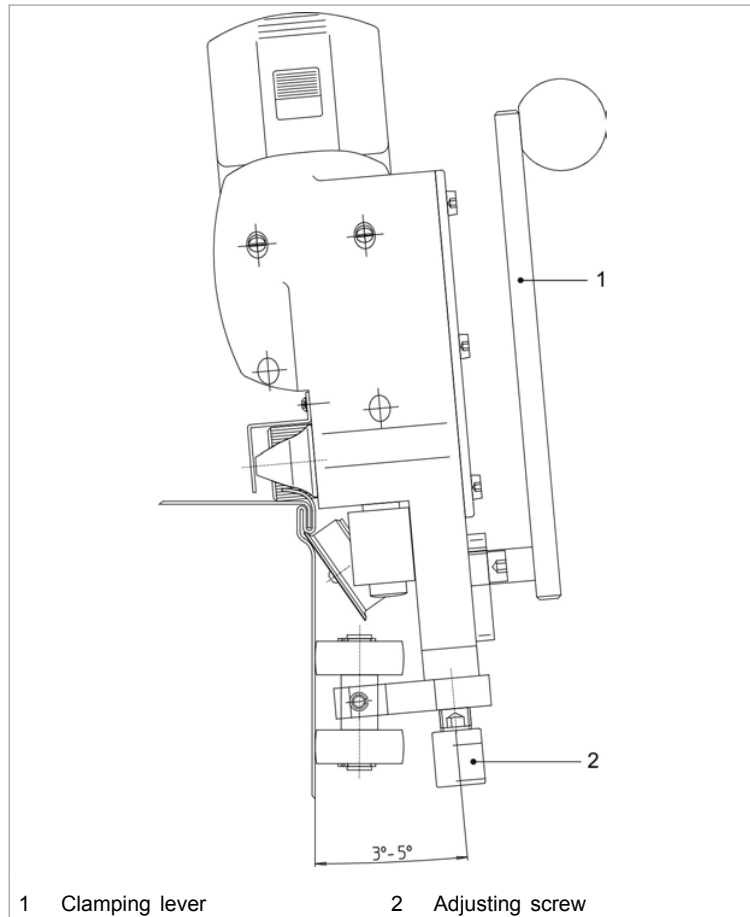


Fig. 10173

The machine's tilt must be determined and set from case to case.

### 4.2 Setting the tool's initial tension

The machine's initial tension must be determined and set from case to case. This is set using the adjusting screw (2) (see ["Fig\\_setting\\_the\\_drawing\\_inclination\\_F 140\(1A1\)"](#)).

1. Apply the machine to the prepared workpiece.



2. Put the tool in its working position by swinging the clamping lever (1) into its upper position (against the stop). The clamping lever must gently engage.
3. The initial tension can be corrected using the adjusting screw (2) if the clamping lever is released.

## 4.3 Reducing the speed

### Notes

- For the 120 volt version the speed cannot be set. The max. speed is always used.
- Generally, for thinner sheets and for workpieces with lower strength, higher speeds can be recommended. Which results are best for various speeds, is best determined by the operator's practical experience.

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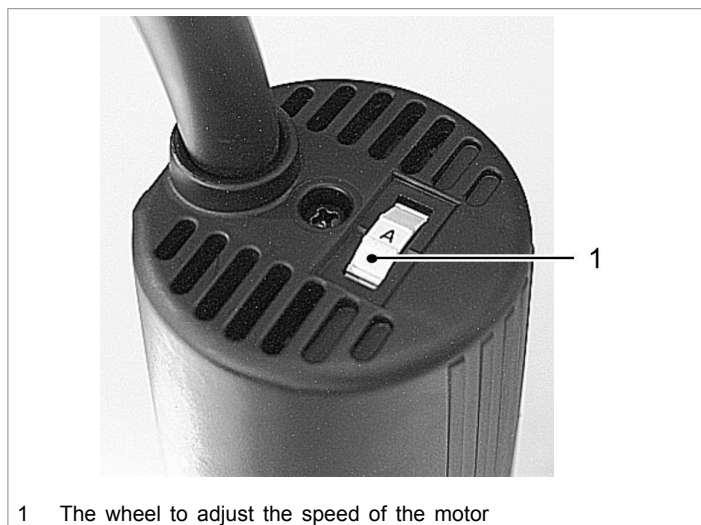
**There is a risk of damage to property if the speed is too low!**

**The motor can be damaged by overheating**

- Choose a suitable speed.

To be able to optimize the results and to keep the machine freely moving, the machine should be equipped with an electronic module which enables variable speed settings.

Reducing the speed makes it easier to guide the tool.



1 The wheel to adjust the speed of the motor

Speed controller

Fig. 10127

- Turn the wheel to adjust the speed counter-clockwise.



## 5. Operation

### ⚠ CAUTION

#### Damage to property due to excessively high line voltage

##### Motor damage

- Check the line voltage. The power supply voltage must correspond to the information on the nameplate of the machine.
- When using an extension cord that is longer than 5 m, the cord must have a line diameter of at least 2.5 mm<sup>2</sup>.

### ⚠ WARNING

#### Damage to the machine due to improper handling.

- Make sure the machine is always in a stable position when operating it.
- Never touch the tool while the machine is running.
- Always operate the machine away from your body.
- Do not operate the machine above your head.

## 5.1 Working with the TruTool F 140

### Switching on

- Slide the On/Off switch forwards.

### Process

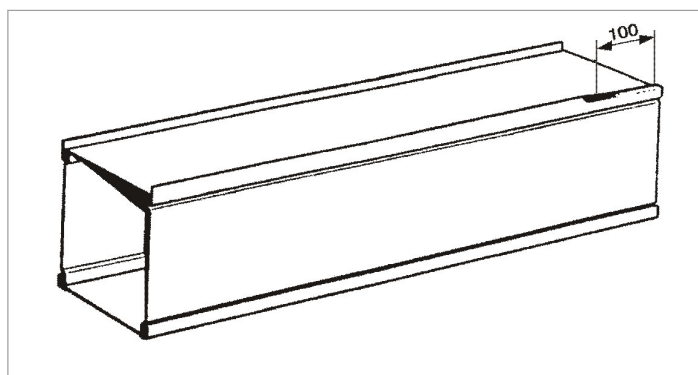


Fig. 10167

1. Close the flange at the start of the channel for a length of 100 mm.
2. Apply the machine to the prepared workpiece.



3. Put the tool in its working position by swinging the clamping lever (1) into its upper position (against the stop). The clamping lever (1) must gently engage.
4. Switch on the machine and close the flange.

#### Notes

- For low sheet thicknesses (0.6 - 1 mm) the rim can be preshaped to 30° without a form piece over a length of about 80 mm.
  - The machine is guided around tight radii with the handle (3). It is sufficient to apply gentle to medium pressure, when pulling on the handle. If you pull too hard, the rollers (1) can be damaged (see "Fig. 39835", pg. 4).
5. Switch the machine off and remove the tool from the channel.

Influencing factors	Effect	Correction
If the material is stronger	The seam leaks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Increase the initial tension on the rollers.</li> <li>■ Increase the tilt.</li> </ul>
The flange is lower	The feed force increases → The machine stops	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ The specified dimensions for the preparation of the seam must be maintained.</li> <li>■ Increase the initial tension on the tool.</li> <li>■ Choose a different roller.</li> </ul>
The flange is wavy	The sheet is getting behind the roller	The flange may not be at more than 90° to the surface of the channel.
The driving rollers slip	The machine stops	Increase the initial tension

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## Switching off

- Slide the On/Off switch to the rear.



## 6. Maintenance



### Risk of injury due to incorrect repair work

#### Machine does not work properly.

- Maintenance may be carried out by trained specialist technicians only.
- Only use original TRUMPF accessories.

#### Note

If there is too much play in the rollers, the sliding sleeves (0355419) and the thrust washers (0356890) must be replaced.

Maintenance point	Procedure and interval	Recommended lubricants	Lubricant Order No.
Gearbox and gear head	After 300 operating hours, arrange for a technician to add grease or to replace the lubricating grease	Lubricating grease "G1"	0139440
Driver rollers	Clean as needed	-	-
Ventilation slots	Clean as needed	-	-

Maintenance positions and maintenance intervals

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### 6.1 Replacing carbon brushes

The motor comes to a standstill whenever the carbon brushes are worn out.

#### Note

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- Change the carbon brushes.



## 7. Accessories and consumables

Name	Scope of delivery	Consumables	Options	Order number
Driving roller	X	X	-	003523
Rim roll	X	X	-	023181
Roller 0.6 - 1.0 mm	X	X	-	110327
Roller 1.0 - 1.4 mm	-	X	X	110331
Spacer for roller	X	-	-	020214
Operator's manual, TruTool F 140 (1A1)	X	-	-	1308770
Safety information, other countries	X	-	-	0125699
Safety information, USA	X	-	-	1239438
Screwdriver DIN 911 AF 5	X	-	-	0067857
Screwdriver DIN 911 AF 2.5	X	-	-	0067822

Accessories and consumables

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### 7.1 Ordering consumables

#### Note

The following data must be specified in order to ensure that parts are delivered correctly and without delay.

1. Specify the order number.
2. Enter further order data:
  - Voltage data
  - Quantity
  - Machine type
3. Specify the complete shipping information:
  - Correct address.
  - Desired delivery type (e.g. air mail, courier, express mail, ordinary freight, parcel post).

#### Note

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4. Send the order to the TRUMPF representative office.



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**8. Appendix: Declaration of conformity,  
guarantee, replacement parts lists**