# OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS FOR DIRT/MOISTURE TRAP MODEL: P5532

The Dirt/Moisture Trap is designed to capture particles and moisture residue remaining in the device under test, and prevent this from contaminating the calibration instrument that it is mounted on.

**Pressure Connection:** Lower: 1/4" BSP / Upper: 3/8" BSP (Left-Hand)

**Maximum Working Pressure:** 3000 psi / 210 bar

Orientation: The trap is designed to be used in the vertical position and should

be removed from the Deadweight Tester during transit.

Stainless Steel, Aluminum and Nitrile (Buna-N) 'O' ring seals. **Materials of Construction:** 

**Consumable (Repair) Parts:** Chamber 'O' ring, part number 3864730, 2 required. Buna

Test Port 'O' ring, part number 3883397, 1 required. 1785497 Buna or 3865195 Viton

Consult the factory for any additional questions.

## WARNING: This device is designed for use with PNEUMATIC SYSTEMS ONLY.

## Operation:

- 1. Fit the trap to the test port of the deadweight tester, using the adapter supplied; ensure that a suitable sealing method is used between the trap and the test port.
- 2. Connect the equipment under test to the upper port of the trap, using the standard gauge adapters supplied with the deadweight tester, as described below.
- 3. Always ensure that the system is depressurized before removing the trap for inspection.
- 4. Periodically, dismantle and inspect the trap to prevent build-up of moisture and particulate contamination.

### Cleaning:

- 1. Unscrew the top section, releasing the central aluminum chamber.
- 2. Clean the components DO NOT USE SOLVENTS on the 'O' rings, as damage may occur; wipe clean with a soft cloth or tissue paper.
- 3. Reassemble ensuring that all seals are in the correct location.



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### **WARNING**

DO NOT use Teflon/PTFE tape on these connections, as this will prevent correct sealing. The Gauge Adapter sealing system is designed for hand-tight sealing up to 20,000 psi / 1,400 bar - wrenches or similar tools are not required – over tightening can cause damage to threads or sealing faces.

Before connection, ensure that there is an O-ring fitted to the test port.

Check that the sealing face of the device to be fitted is clean and undamaged, as scratches or dents can form leak-paths.

**NOTE:** The thread on the test port, and the lower part of the gauge adapters is LEFT-HANDED. The following procedure details the correct method for mounting devices using these adapters: -



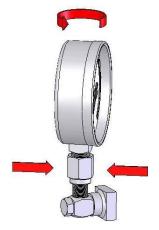
1. Screw the appropriate gauge adapter fully on to the instrument to be tested.

2. Screw assembly down COUNTER-CLOCKWISE on to test port.

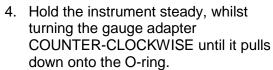
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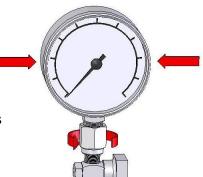
Hand-tight is sufficient; ensure that the bottom face contacts the O-ring on the test port.





3. To adjust the position to face forward, hold the gauge adapter and turn the instrument COUNTER-CLOCKWISE, so that it faces forward.





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