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## INSTALLATION AND OPERATION MANUAL

# 2 1/4 Ton Floor Jack Model: RFJ-214T

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#### RECEIVING

The shipment should be thoroughly inspected as soon as it is received. The signed Bill of Lading is acknowledgement by the shipping carrier as receipt of this product as listed in your invoice as being in a good condition of shipment. If any of these goods listed on this Bill of Lading are missing or damaged, do not accept goods until the shipping carrier makes a notation on the freight bill of the missing or damaged goods. Do this for your own protection.



Ranger<sup>™</sup> Floor Jacks are designed and built with safety in mind. However, your overall safety can be increased with proper training and thoughtful operation on the part of the operator. DO NOT operate or repair this equipment without reading this manual and the important safety instructions shown inside. Keep this operation manual near the Floor Jack at all times. Make sure that <u>ALL USERS</u> read and understand this manual.



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### WARRANTY POLICY

This instruction manual has been prepared specifically for you. Your new Ranger Floor Jack is the product of over 40 years of continuing research, testing and development; it is the most technically advanced Floor Jack on the market today. The manner in which you care for and maintain your Floor Jack will have a direct effect on it's overall performance and longevity.

Your new floor jack is covered under warranty for one year on equipment structure; one year on all operating components and tooling/accessories, to the original purchaser, to be free of defects in material and workmanship. The manufacturer shall repair or replace at their option for this period those parts returned to the factory freight prepaid which prove upon inspection to be defective. The manufacturer will pay labor costs for the first 12 months only on parts returned as previously described.

The warranty does not extend to ...

defects caused by ordinary wear, abuse, misuse, negligence, shipping damage, improper installation, voltage or lack of required maintenance; damages resulting from purchaser's neglect or failure to operate products in accordance with instructions provided in the owner's manual(s) and/or other accompanying instructions supplied; normal wear items or service normally required to maintain the product in a safe operating condition; any component damaged in shipment; ٠ other items not listed but may be considered general wear parts: damage caused by rain, excessive humidity, corrosive environments or other contaminants.

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**NOTIFY THE CARRIER AT ONCE** if any hidden loss or damage is discovered after receipt, request the carrier to make an inspection. If the carrier will not do so, prepare a signed statement to the effect that you have notified the carrier (on a specific date) and that the carrier has failed to comply with your request.

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#### **IMPORTANT SAFETY TIPS**



ALWAYS MAINTAIN A CLEAN WORK AREA. KEEP VISITORS AND ESPECIALLY CHILDREN AWAY FROM WORK AREA.

THIS FLOOR JACK IS TO BE OPERATED BY PROPERLY TRAINED PERSONNEL ONLY. OPERATION BY UNTRAINED PERSONNEL MAY RESULT IN INJURY AND /OR PROPERTY DAMAGE.

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THIS OPERATING MANUAL CONTAINS IMPORTANT DETAILS CONCERNING THE SAFE OPERATION OF THIS TOOL. THE USER MUST READ AND UNDERSTAND THESE DETAILS BEFORE ANY USE OF THE TOOL. THIS MANUAL MUST BE RETAINED FOR FUTURE REFERENCE.

### OWNER/OPERATOR RESPONSIBILITY:

The owner and/or operator shall study the product instructions and retain them for future reference.

The owner and/or operator shall have an understanding of the product operating instructions and warnings before operating the jack.

Warning information shall be emphasized and understood. If the operator is not fluent in English, the product instructions and warnings shall be read to and discussed with the operator in the operator's native language by the purchaser/ owner or his designee, making sure that the operator comprehends its contents.



### INSPECTION

Visual inspection should be made before each use of the jack. This inspection should check for abnormal conditions such as cracked welds, leaks, and damaged, loose or missing parts.

Any jack that appears to be damaged in any way, is found to be worn or operated abnormally, must be removed from service immediately.

Any jack that operates abnormally shall be removed from service until repaired by a qualified repair service center.

If the jack is accidentally subjected to an abnormal load or shock, it must be taken out of service immediately and be inspected by a qualified repair or service center.

It is recommended that an annual inspection is performed on the jack and that any damaged or worn parts, decals or warning labels be replaced with manufacturer's specified parts.



### ALTERATIONS

Because of potential hazards associated with this type of equipment, no alterations shall be made to the product.

FOR YOUR SAFETY AND TO PREVENT INJURY:

Use Service Jack for lifting purposes ONLY. Always support vehicle with jack stands.



### WARNING!

THIS IS A LIFTING DEVICE ONLY. DO NOT MOVE OR DOLLY THE VEHICLE WHILE ON THE JACK. IMMEDIATELY AFTER LIFTING, SUPPORT THE VEHICLE WITH APPROPRIATE MEANS.

DO NOT EXCEED RATED CAPACITY. OVERLOADING CAN CAUSE DAMAGE TO OR FAILURE OF THE JACK.

LIFT ONLY ON AREAS OF THE VEHICLE AS SPECIFIED BY THE VEHICLE MANUFACTURER.

KEEP HANDS AND BODY CLEAR OF ALL PINCH POINTS.

CENTER LOAD ON SADDLE PRIOR TO LIFTING. OFF-CENTER LOADS MAY CAUSE DAMAGE TO JACK, LOSS OF LOAD, PROPERTY DAMAGE, PERSONAL OR FATAL INJURY.

THIS JACK IS DESIGNED FOR USE ONLY ON HARD LEVEL SURFACES CAPABLE OF SUSTAINING THE LOAD. USE ON OTHER THAN HARD LEVEL SURFACES CAN RESULT IN JACK INSTABILITY AND POSSIBLE LOSS OF LOAD.

NO ALTERATIONS TO THE JACK SHALL BE MADE.

READ, STUDY AND UNDERSTAND THE OPERATING MANUAL PACKED WITH THIS JACK BEFORE OPERATING.

FAILURE TO HEED THESE WARNINGS MAY RESULT IN LOSS OF LOAD, DAMAGE TO JACK, AND/OR FAILURE RESULTING IN PROPERTY DAMAGE, PERSONAL OR FATAL INJURY.

### **ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS**

1. Assemble Upper and Lower Handle, insert into Handle Socket and tighten Bolt.

#### **OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS**

#### **BEFORE USE:**

Air may become trapped in the hydraulic system during transit. To purge air:

1. Open release valve by twisting Handle counter clockwise.

2. Pump Handle rapidly 4-6 full strokes. This will expel air that may have entered oil passages during transit.

3. Close release valve by twisting Handle clockwise and pump handle.

4. If lift arm is raised, jack is ready for use. If not, repeat this procedure.



BEFORE ATTEMPTING TO RAISE ANY VEHICLE, CHECK VEHICLE SERVICE MANUAL FOR RECOMMENDED LIFTING POINTS.

### **OPERATION:**

**1. To Raise Load:** Close release valve tightly (by twisting Handle clockwise. **DO NOT OVERTIGHTEN.** Position jack under load so that saddle will contact load firmly and load is centered so it cannot slip. Operate jack handle until saddle approaches the load. Once again, check to see that saddle is correctly positioned. Raise load to desired height. Place jack stands of appropriate capacity under the vehicle.



DO NOT CRAWL UNDER VEHICLE WHILE LIFTING VEHICLE OR PLACING OR REMOVING JACK STANDS!

Place jack stands at vehicle manufacturer's recommended lift areas that provide stable support for the raised Vehicle. Once jack stands are positioned, open the release valve **VERY SLOWLY** (by twisting the Handle counter clockwise.)

Lower the load to rest on the jack stands. Then, make sure that the release valve on the jack is closed tightly (twist the Handle clockwise).

#### 2. To lower load:

Re-check to make sure release valve is tightly closed (twist the Handle clockwise). Then, operate the jack handle until the load is raised enough to remove the jack stands.



### DANGER!

#### DO NOT CRAWL UNDER VEHICLE WHILE LIFTING VEHICLE OR REMOVING THE JACK STANDS!

Once jack stands are removed, open release valve very slowly to lower the vehicle (twist the Handle counter clockwise). Lower jack completely so that the vehicle is securely resting on the ground and that jack no longer makes contact with vehicle.



### **CAUTION!**

Keep hands or feet away from the hinge mechanism of the jack.

#### MAINTENANCE

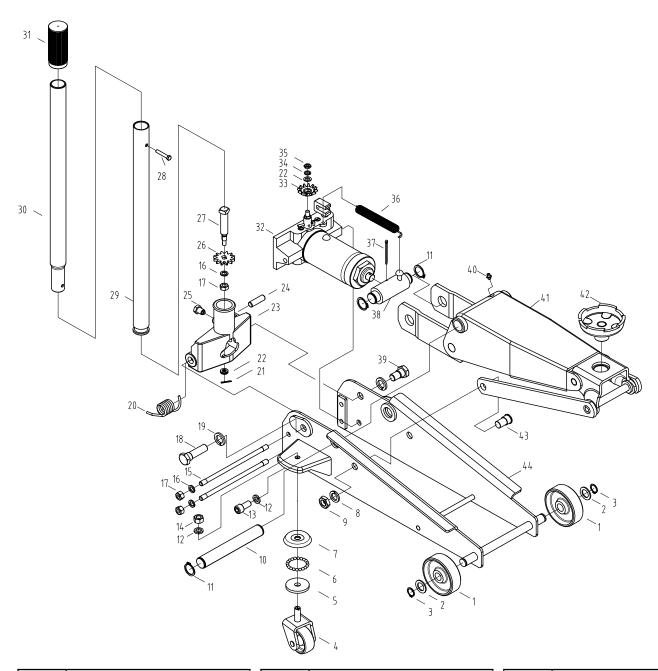
When adding or replacing hydraulic fluid, always use a quality hydraulic fluid. DO NOT use brake fluid, alcohol, detergent motor oil, dirty oil or any fluid other than quality hydraulic fluid. Improper fluids can cause internal damage to the jack and improper or unsafe operation.

#### ADDING HYDRAULIC FLUID

With the saddle fully lowered and the jack on level ground, remove the filler screw. Hydraulic fluid should be filled to the level of the filler screw hole. If the level is below this hole, add hydraulic fluid as needed.

#### LUBRICATION

All moving joints require lubrication often. Lightly grease saddle post and saddle bottom. Remove handle and grease the lower end of handle where it rotates in the handle socket. Oil all lift arm linkages, front wheels and rear casters.



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6	STEEL BALL	21
7	COVER	22
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11	RETAINING RING	26
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13	SCREW M12X25	28
14	NUT M12	29

15	REAR SHAFT
16	WASHER
17	NUT M10
18	SCREW
19	WASHER 18
20	TORSION SPRING
21	COTTER PIN
22	WASHER 8
23	HANDL SOCKET
24	PIN
25	POSITION SCREW
26	HORIZONTAL GEAR
27	SCREW
28	BOLT M6X35
29	HANDLE,LOWER

30	HANDLE,UP
31	HANDLE COVER
32	POWER UNIT ASSEMBLY
33	OIL RELEASE VALVE GEAR
34	WASHER 8
35	NUT M8
36	SPRING
37	COTTER PIN 4X50
38	JOINT
39	SCREW
40	OIL NOZZLE M6
41	ARM ASSEMBLY
42	SADDLE
43	JOINT SCREW
44	FRAME BASE

### FEATURES

- Proffessional model designed for heavy use •
- Welded lift arm assembly •
- Heavy steel construction for maximum durability
- Swivel casters for easy mobility
- Oversized knurled aluminum handle •
- Alloy-plated ram
- Sealed hydraulics for longer service life Built-in safety overload valve
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### SPECIFICATIONS

Maximum Capacity	4,500 lbs / 2041 kg.
Lowered Pad height	5" / 127mm
Raised Pad Height	19 1/4" / 489mm
Front Overall Width	10 3/4" / 273mm
Rear Overall Width	13 1/2" / 343mm
Chassis Length	26" / 660mm
Shipping Weight	84 lbs. / 38.1 kg.
Shipping Dimensions	30" x 15"x 9" / 762 x 381 x 229mm

### TROUBLESHOOTING

PROBLEM	ACTION
1. Unit will not lift load	Purge air from hydraulic system by following procedure under OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS.
2. Unit will not sustain load or feels "spongy" under load.	Purge air from hydraulic system as above.
3. Unit will not lift to full height.	Purge air from hydraulic system as above. Check to be sure oil level is not too high or low.
4. Unit will not lower completely.	Check oil level. Make sure not overfilled.
5. Handle tends to raise up while the unit is under load.	Pump the handle rapidly several times to push oil past ball valves in unit.
6. Unit still does not operate.	Contact Parts & Warranty Department.



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