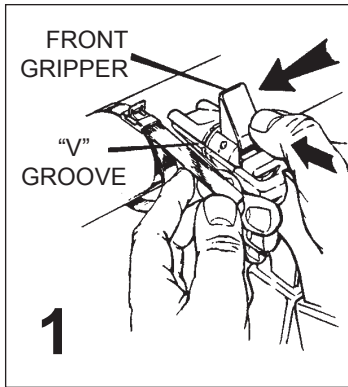
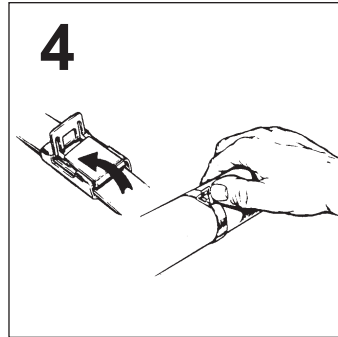


**STAINLESS STEEL STRAPPING INSTALLATION TOOL
OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS**

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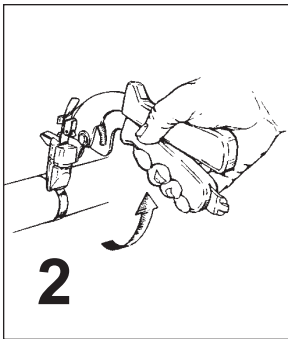
**FIGURE #1**

1. Apply metal strap around item to be banded. Insert the tail end of the strap through the buckle loop and snug tight by hand. (Hint: Bend strap upward to prevent strap from loosening.)
2. Adjust the tool nose and nose body so the "V" grooves are aligned.
3. Open the front gripper by pushing it forward.
4. Slide the tool onto the metal strap sideways until it touches the right wall.

**FIGURE #4**

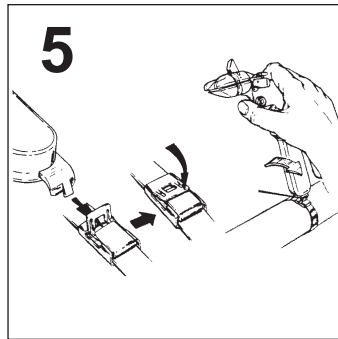
10. Bend the cut end of the strap down into the buckle with your thumb.

NOTE: THE METAL STRAP MUST BE LONG ENOUGH TO REACH THE REAR GRIPPER.

**FIGURE #2**

5. While centering the buckle in the tool nose, squeeze the tool handles until desired tension is achieved. Maintain handle tension for Steps 6 & 7.

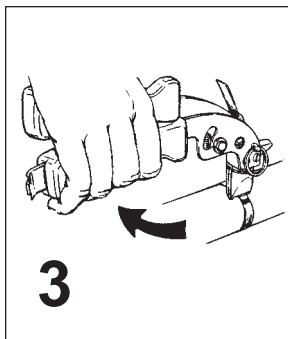
NOTE: IF OVER TENSIONING OCCURS, SQUEEZE HANDLES SLIGHTLY AND HOLD, AND REMOVE TENSION FROM THE FRONT GRIPPER BY PUSHING THE FRONT GRIPPER FORWARD.

**FIGURE #5**

11. With the tool nose facing left, insert the tab closer (metal stub at the end of the handle) into the slot of the buckle and bend the tab down until it pinches the cut-off end of the strap firmly.

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6. While maintaining tension, tilt the tool forward, bending the strap upward until the tool nose is past perpendicular (more than 90°) to the buckle.

**FIGURE #3**

7. While maintaining tool tension, turn the tool 1/2 turn or until cut-off of the metal strap occurs.
8. Remove the tool from the metal strap.
9. Open the front gripper by pushing it forward. Remove excess metal strap from the tool.

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