# Multi-Purpose Mechanized Welding Carriage



## **Portable Welding Automation**

Automation of welding not only improves quality and production times, it saves money in measurable ways that are very often overlooked. Welding wire and shield gas use are greatly reduced. Working conditions are improved for the welder by reducing fatigue, fumes and sparks. Wel-Handy Multi portable welding carriages are used by a wide range of customers, from one man mobile welding businesses to large shipyards with hundreds of welders.



### Feature & Benefits

- Two Models Available Standard and Programmable Stitch/Tack
- Multi Weld Process Standard and Programmable Stitch/Tack
- Multiple Welding Options Twin-Torch, Weaver/ Oscillator, Corner Welding
- Horizontal and Vertical Use Base machines can be used for out-of-position welds
- Light Weight at 7kgs (15lbs) Makes transport and set-up easier
- Pulling Power of 30kgs (66lbs) Provides stable welding even under heavy loads
- No Track Required Fillet welds and corner joints can be done without the need for track. Butt and Lap Joints are possible by using angle iron as a guide
- Permanent Magnet Rare earth magnet holds unit secure to the work piece without the need for electricity





#### Lightweight, Compact, Welding Carriage

#### Easy Set Up

No guide rails means fast and easy setup. In most cases existing welding equipment can be used.

#### Automatic Height Control

The Wel-Handy Multi runs directly on the work piece. On a fillet weld weld this keeps the contact tube to work distance set without the need for a torch height control.

#### Automatic Shut Down at the end of the weld

Limit switches at each end of the carriage allow the operator to set up a pre-determined stop point using a magnetic block. Once the limit is tripped, the machine travel and welding Stops.

#### **Standard Features on All Carriages**

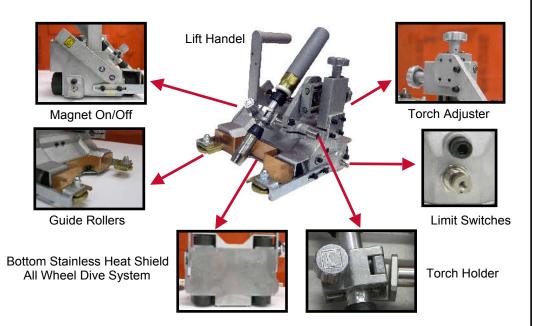
- A solid aluminum body design makes for a lightweight and durable machine
- Use on steel, stainless steel and aluminum plate in horizontal position
- Vertical weld position use, when steel base plate is min 25mm (1in) thick
- Wide range of torch adjustment for flux core or solid wire use
- · Various welding attachments options available

#### Key Features Make Set Up Faster and Operation Simple



Standard Model Panel





#### One of our many customers describes Koike's portable Wel-Handy Multi carriage:

"Basically, we were able to take the hand torch from the welder and mount it on the carriage. It was really that simple! We were able to use the same welding settings, only now the welder was able to concentrate on the actual weld without becoming fatigued. The most obvious increase in production was the amount of weld that was done in a day. The same welder that was producing 110 feet of weld a day was now able to produce 250 to 300 feet of weld a day." Miller Marine Inc.

Welding automation provides precise control over the below welding parameters





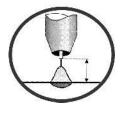
Transverse Gun Angle



Gun Travel Angle



#### Contact Tube to Work Distance

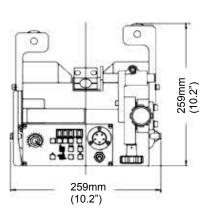


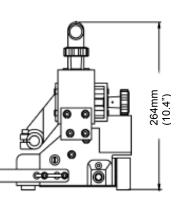
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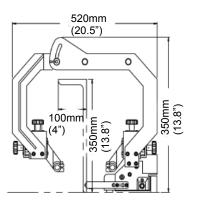
| WEL-HANDY MULTI WELDING CARRIAGE TYPES  |  |          |   | WEL-HANDY MULTI OPTIONS     |   |   |  |  |
|---|--|----------|---|-----------------------------|---|---|--|--|
| SPECIFICATIONS  | STANDARD   |          | STITCH  | SPECIFICATIONS              | WU-1 WEAVER   | TWIN TORCH OPTION   |  |  |
| Part Number   | 61000705   | 61002052 | 61001072  | Part Number(s)              | BUH21007 & BUH21008   | 61001071  | 6100478  |  |
| Input Power   | 120 Volt   | 220 volt | 120 ~ 220 Volt  | Input Power                 | 120 Volt  | 120 Volt  | 220 Volt   |  |
| Standard Machine<br>Connection  | Lincoln Electric ® Connection Standard<br>Miller Electric ® Connection Adapter Available               |          |   | Weight                      | 2.2kgs (5.0 lbs)  | 16.0kgs (35.3lbs)   |  |  |
| Weight  | 6.9kgs (15.2 lbs)  |          | 6.8kgs (15.0lbs)  | Dimensions<br>L x W x H     | 175 x 85 x 230mm<br>(7.0 x 3.4 x 9.0in)   | 518 x 269 x 485mm<br>(10.2 x 10.2 x 10.4in)   |  |  |
| Dimensions<br>L x W x H<br>Pulling Power  | 259 x 259 x 264mm<br>(10.2 x 10.2 x 10.4in)<br>30kg (66lbs)  |          |   | Operating Panel<br>Controls | <ol> <li>Start / Stop</li> <li>Direction</li> <li>Travel Speed</li> </ol>   | N/A   |  |  |
| Drive System  | All Wheel Drive, attached by permanent rare earth magnet   |          |   | SPECIFICATIONS              | 4. Arc Test/ Jog / Run CORNER WELDING KIT   | Miller Electric ®<br>Connector Adapter  |  |  |
| Travel Speed  | 152~1524mm/min (6~60in/min)  |          |   | Part Number                 | 11115992901   | 0868583600  |  |  |
| Tracking Method   | Automatically follows rib of fillet joint using guide rollers or optional attachments                  |          |   | Dimensions<br>L x W x H     | 254 x 357x 152mm<br>(10 x 14 x 6in)   | 457mm long<br>(18 in long)  |  |  |
| Guide Roller Height   | Adjustable 10mm ~ 25mm ( .39 ~ 1 in)   |          |   | ·                           | Add on kit allows tracking<br>and positioning torch on<br>edge of plate or box type   | Wire feeder control con-<br>nector adapter. Change<br>from Lincoln to Miller<br>connector           |  |  |
| Torch Angle   | 0 ~ 90 °   |          |   |                             | weld. Perform fillet, lapp  |   |  |  |
| Torch Up/Down   | 45mm (1.77in)  |          |   |                             | and butt joint welds.   |   |  |  |
| Torch Fwd/Bwd   | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·  |          |   | SPECIFICATIONS              | Large Torch Holder  | 7" Guid   |  |  |
| Un-Welded Area  | Start 124mm ( 5in) / End 140mm (5.5in)   |          |   |                             | Adapter   | Exten   |  |  |
| Automatic Stop  | Limit switch on both end<br>welding and r  |          | ds of carriage - shuts off<br>machine travel  | Part Number                 | 1115992900  | K1159   |  |  |
| Operating Panel<br>Controls   | <ol> <li>Start / Stop</li> <li>Direction</li> <li>Travel Speed</li> <li>Arc Test/ Jog / Run</li> </ol> |          | <ol> <li>Start / Stop</li> <li>Direction</li> <li>Travel Speed</li> <li>Arc Test/ Jog/ Run</li> <li>Digital Display (high<br/>intensity display)</li> <li>Programing Buttons</li> </ol> | Dimensions<br>L x W x H     | Torch Dia from 30 ~<br>45mm (1.187 ~ 1.75in)  | Qty (2) 7<br>x13mm(7 x  |  |  |
|   |  |          |   | Description                 | Allows larger torch diame-<br>ters to be used for weld-<br>ing or cutting. Sub Arc<br>torch holder  | Allows positi<br>carriage fart<br>the weld. Ma<br>with Corner                                       | her from<br>ay be used                               |  |
| titch Model Parameters<br>1. Welding Length 10 ~ 1000mm (.4 ~ 40in)   |  |          |   | SPECIFICATIONS              | SUB Arc K   | SUB Arc Kit Option  |  |  |
| 2. Skip Length 10 ~ 1000mm (.4 ~ 40in)  |  |          | Part Number   | WHMSUBM15                   | WHMS  | UBL15   |  |  |
| <ul> <li>3. Crater Fill Time 0.1 ~ 9.9 sec</li> <li>4. Puddle Fill Time 0.1 ~ 9.9 sec</li> <li>WU-1 Weaving Option Parameters</li> <li>1. Welding Width 3 ~ 25mm (.12~ 1.0in)</li> <li>2. Weaving Cycle 3 ~ 120 / min</li> <li>3. Dwell Time -(Left, Center and Right) 0 ~ 3 sec</li> <li>4. Adjust Mid Point of Weld 0 ~ 360 degree</li> <li>5. Save parameters in Memory</li> </ul> |  |          |   | Description                 | Wel-Handy Multi Miller ®<br>style connector Sub Arc<br>Option, 550A @60% Du-<br>ty 15' leads. Specify Wire<br>Size when ordering (3/32,<br>5/64,1/16) | Wel-Handy I<br>coln® style<br>Sub Arc Opi<br>@60% Duty<br>Specify Wire<br>ordering (3/<br>5/64,1/16 | connector<br>tion, 550A<br>15' leads.<br>e Size wher |  |

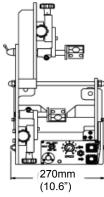






#### **Twin Torch Option**



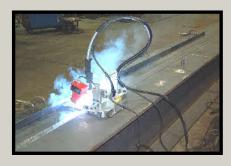


WEL-HANDY MULTI DIMENSIONS

#### WEL-HANDY MULTI APPLICATIONS



Box beam facbrication lapp joint weld using corner welding kit and guide wheel extensions



**Below Picture:** 

Wide flange beam fabrication fillet weld in an incline position



**Above Picture:** 

Double H- beam for bridge Fabrication. Butt joint weld using WU-1 Wevaer option and angle iron as a guide



**Below Picture:** 

Trailer fabrication. Stitch model used to tack or skip weld a fillet weld



**Below Picture:** 

Shipyard using WU-1 weaver in a vertical up fillet weld



**Above Picture:** 

Truck manufaturer using a Wel-Handy Multi plus an Aronson head and tail stock positioner to weld a box bed



# **Welding Application Options**

#### WU-1 Weaver (torch oscillator)

The WU-1 weaver option can be used with the Standard or Stitch models. The WU-1 can also be used as a stand alone weaver (oscillator) or on a welding manipulator . Weaving functions include: weave width, oscillator frequency, torch dwell (left, center and right) and torch origin control. Settings can be stored in memory and can be changed during operation.

#### **Twin Torch**

The Twin Torch option features dual torch holders for welding both sides Of a vertical plate (rib or stiffener ). May be used with the Wel-Handy Multi Standard or Stitch model. Easy to set up with two welding guns. Torch slide are designed to allow optimum torch positioning.

#### **Corner Welding Kit**

The corner welding kit option is designed for building custom box beams or can be used in any application where an edge of a plate can be followed. Lapp joints and butt joints can be accomplished by using the plate edge as the guide. Therefore the need for track is eliminated. The included welding arm set allows a wide range of welding torch positions to be archived.

#### Sub Arc Torch Kit

Several options are available for a sub arc use with wire sizes ranging from 1/16" to 3/32". Applications that previously may have been unachievable using larger and heavier mechanized system can now be accomplished with this compact sub arc welding option. The Sub Arc Torch Option can be used together with the Corner Welding Kit.

#### Large Torch Holder Kit

The large torch holder option allows the use of larger diameter torches such as a machine torch, water cooled torch or models with fume extraction capabilities. A machine plasma torch can also be added to the machine for gouging or cutting. Allows  $30 \sim 45$ mm ( $1 \ 3/16$ "  $\sim 1 \ 3/4$ ") torch diameter use.

#### **Guide Wheel Extensions**

Guide wheel extensions allow moving the guide rollers further away from the machine. These extensions position the machine and torch further away from the edge of the plate. They are useful for performing lapp joints and butt joints. These extension can be extremely useful when combined with the Corner Welding Kit to reach into difficult welding positions.

#### **Complete Welding Turnkey Package**

Complete ready to weld automation set. Perfectly matched system designed to meet the most demanding applications. The welding package including the Wel-Handy Multi, welding machine, running gear, welding gun, sample flux core welding wire and gas regulator.



WU-1 Weaver



Twin Torch



Corner Welding Kit



Guide Wheel Extension

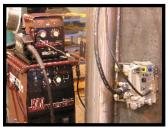


Sub Arc Option

| WEL-HANDY MULTI AUTOMATION PACKAGE  |   |   |  |  |  |  |
|---|---|---|--|--|--|--|
| SPECIFICATIONS  | STANDARD<br>PACKAGE   | STITCH<br>PACKAGE   |  |  |  |  |
| Part Number   | WHMX500   | WHMT500   |  |  |  |  |
| Included in Package   | <ul> <li>Wel-Handy Multi Standard</li> <li>PowerMaster 500</li> <li>Running Gear</li> <li>Wire Feeder</li> <li>Accuflow Gas Regulator</li> <li>Kobleco Flux Core Wire</li> </ul>  | <ul> <li>Wel-Handy Multi Stitch</li> <li>PowerMaster 500</li> <li>Running Gear</li> <li>Wire Feeder</li> <li>Accuflow Gas Regulator<br/>Kobleco Flux Core Wire</li> </ul> |  |  |  |  |
| Wel-Handy Multi Voltage<br>PowerMaster Voltage  | 120 Volt 50/60Hz<br>208~460,3Ph 50/60Hz   | 120 ~ 220 Volt 50/60Hz<br>208~460,3Ph 50/60Hz   |  |  |  |  |
| Total Weight  | 91kgs (200 lbs)   | 91kgs (200lbs)  |  |  |  |  |
| Dimensions L x W x H<br>Power Master  | 679 x 379 x 597mm<br>(26.75 x 15 x 23.5in)  |   |  |  |  |  |
| Thermal Arc Professional<br>PowerMaster 500<br>Rated Output<br>500 Amp @ 40V<br>60% Duty Cycle<br>450 Amp @ 38V<br>100% Duty Cycle<br>Max . Open Circuit Voltage<br>75V DC<br>Amperage Range<br>5 - 560 Amp<br>Inverter Design<br>Heavy Duty<br>Compact<br>Energy Efficient | <ul> <li>Multi process <ul> <li>Standard set up for GMAW and FCAW.</li> <li>Electronic control ensures extremely smooth arc characteristics across welding processes.</li> <li>Other processes include: Lift TIG (GTAW), Stick (SMAW) and CAG (Carbon Arc Gouging)</li> </ul> </li> <li>Tweco Spay Master Mig Gun <ul> <li>Designed for Wel-Handy Multi Machine and hand use.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Portable Running Gear <ul> <li>Easy to load cylinder rack, cable storage, robust handle easily moves welding system on large 8in (200mm) front and rear wheels</li> </ul> </li> <li>Ultrafeed VA 4000 wire feeder <ul> <li>Heavy-Duty 4 roll drive system</li> <li>Digital Display of welding parameters</li> <li>Timed control of pre flow/post flow, wire burn back and spot weld timer.</li> <li>Wire feed set up includes : inch, purge and gun trigger hold</li> <li>Standard wire set up of .045" wire with a range of .024 ~ .125" (0.6 ~ 3.2mm)</li> <li>Wire Speed Range 50 ~ 875 IPM (1.25 ~ 22.1m/min)</li> </ul> </li> </ul> |   |  |  |  |  |
| Accuflow Mix 30D<br>Gas Regulator   | Argon/Co2 mix gas regulator.One touch precise gas flow con-<br>trol system allows accurate gas flow control by simply adjusting<br>the dial, saving both time and gas.  |   |  |  |  |  |
| Kobelco Welding Wire<br>Sample Spool  | Frontiarc - 711 .045. All position flux core welding wire with less spatter and good slag removal.  |   |  |  |  |  |



Power Master 500 Set



Wel-Handy Multi In Vertical Use



Heavy Duty 4 - Roll Drive



#### Accuflow Mix 30 Regulator



Kobelco Frontiarc -711 Flux core sample spool

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