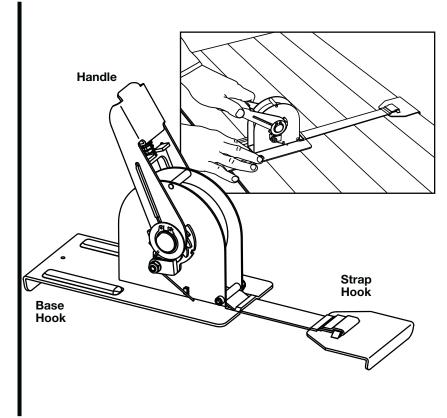
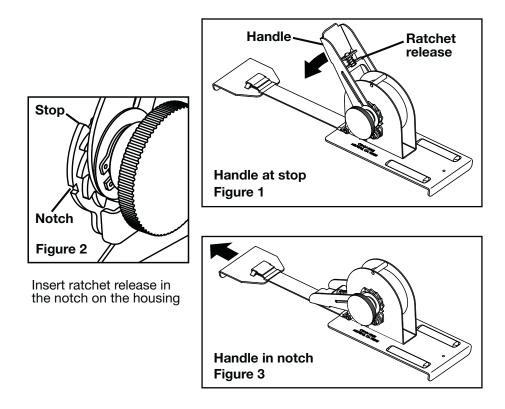
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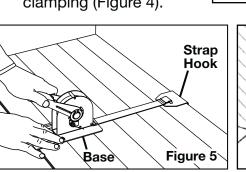
RELEASE RATCHET AND PULL OUT STRAP:

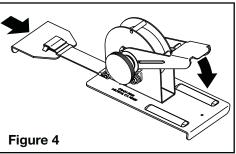


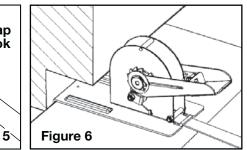
- 1. Rotate handle counter-clockwise until it reaches the stop (Figures 1 and 2).
- Lift the spring-loaded ratchet release (Figure 1) and continue rotating the handle counter-clockwise past the stop (Figure 2).
- 3. At the angle shown in Figure 3, the ratchet release will engage the notch (Figure 2). This causes the ratchet to release.
- 4. Pull out the desired amount of strap.

TO RETRACT STRAP:

- 1. If the ratchet is released, lift the ratchet release and turn handle clockwise to remove it from the notch.
- 2. Rotate the handle clockwise to retract strap for clamping (Figure 4).





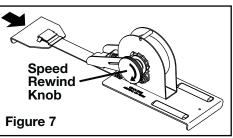


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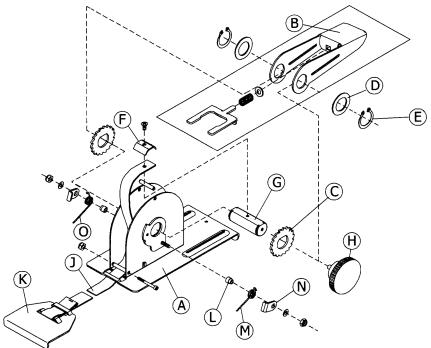
- 1. Pull the strap out and hook the strap hook at the first row of boards at the wall.
- 2. Hook the base hook at the last row of boards. The long base extends under toe kicks if needed (Figure 6).
- 3. Hold down the base against the floor (Figure 6).
- Retract the strap by pressing down on the handle (Figure 5). Raise the handle and push down again until the ratchet creates the desired tension. NOTE: excessive tension can cause boards to buckle.

SPEED REWIND:

The strap can be retracted rapidly by releasing the ratchet and turning the knob clockwise (Figure 7).



REPLACEMENT PARTS:



NO. 565 18' STRAP CLAMP

Order No. Description

- 1565-A Bracket Assembly
- 1565-B Handle Assembly
- 1565-C Ratchet Wheels (2)
- 1565-D Washer Set (2)
- 1565-E Snap Ring Set (2)
- 1565-F Strap Holder & Screw
- 1565-G Axle
- 1565-H Speed Rewind Knob
- 1565-J 18' Strap
- 1565-K Hook
- 1565-L Locker Bushing Nut Set (3)
- 1565-M Torsion Spring (Silver)
- 1565-N Locker
- 1565-O Torsion Spring (Black)