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# Maintenance



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# Maintenance

# General

# Safety instructions

Before undertaking any cleaning or maintenance work:

Make certain that the machine cannot be switched on unintentionally by unauthorized persons.

As a general rule, cleaning and maintenance work is to be performed <u>only if the plug has been removed from the mains socket.</u>

Covers have to be removed to perform some maintenance work. On no account is the machine to be restarted before you have reinstalled all covers properly.

Access authority

The full user interface of the machine control has to be enabled to perform the maintenance work described below. If the interface is protected by a password, you need to know what the password is.





# NOTE

# Overview

# **NOTE** The stated maintenance intervals are guidelines for conventional single shifts. In case of 2 or 3-shift duty cycles, the intervals are to be reduced accordingly.

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	Cleaning and maintenance work (each embroidery position)	
Every day	- "Clean rotary hook and surrounding area, oil rotary hook" - "Clean thread trimmers and bobbin thread monitor"	
Every three months	<ul> <li>"Grease helical gear wheel" (foot plate: variant 1)</li> <li>"Grease drive wheels" (foot plate: variant 2)</li> <li>"Grease drive wheel" (cylinder arm)</li> <li>"Thread trimmer drive (underneath cylinder arm)"</li> <li>"Oil felt in drive unit" (embroidery head)</li> <li>"Oil felts in needle unit" (embroidery head)</li> <li>"Sequin device" (grease spindle if used every day)</li> </ul>	
Every six months	- "Grease connecting rod" (foot plate: variant 2) - "Grease connecting rod" (cylinder arm) - "Oil connecting rods in drive unit" (embroidery head)	
As necessary	- "Clean upper thread guide elements" (embroidery head) - "Boring attachment" - "Change borer" - "Double-roller cord attachment" (needle bars and guides) - "Cord/loop attachment" (needle bars and guides)	
	Cleaning and maintenance work (machine, general)	
Every three months	- "Grease linear guide" - "TF, MF, LF, LCF, XF, XLF, XCF, YCF series" "JF/JNF, SPRINT series" (pantograph control) All machines: grease <b>side-to-side</b> drive JF, SPRINT series: grease <b>side-to-side</b> and <b>front-to-back</b> drive	
Cleaning and maintenance work (control components)		
As necessary	- "Clean control components" - "Clean ventilation filter"	
NOTE	All installed lifting magnets are maintenance-free and <u>must not be</u> <u>oiled</u> .	

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# Lubricants

The standard machine accessories include:

- a spray can containing sewing machine oil (JC W 35 Superlubrifiant, ZSK order No. 750 081)
- => a grease cartridge (Gleitmo 585M, ZSK order No. 667 055).

<u>As far as possible, use only the original lubricants supplied with the machine</u> when carrying out maintenance work. These lubricants are available from ZSK.

NOTE



Waste grease and oil is to be treated in compliance with the disposal regulations applicable in the country concerned or surrendered to a hazardous waste facility.

Note the remarks below if you elect to use different lubricants.

The table below contains the DIN 51502 designations and the principal properties of the lubricants supplied with the machine. If using other lubricants, choose only greases and oils that are in the same category as the original lubricants and thus have similar properties.

Lubricant	Designation acc. to DIN 51502	Description/properties
JC W 35 Superlubrifiant	CL 22	Circulation system lubricating oil with additives to improve resistance to age- ing and corrosion according to DIN 51517 Part 2. Viscosity at 40°C: 22 ± 2.2 mm²/s (cSt)
Gleitmo 585M	KPF 2K	Lubricating grease for high pressures, water resistant, with additives to improve resistance to corrosion and wear, and solid lubricant based on MoS <sub>2</sub> . Worked penetration: 265-295 10 <sup>-1</sup> mm, Service temperature: -20 to +120°C

# Maintenance work

Every day:

Figure 1:

Oiling rotary hook

# Clean rotary hook and surrounding area, oil rotary hook

The rotary hook and surrounding area must be kept clean at all times. In addition, the hook must be oiled every day.



- Take out the bobbin. •
- Free the rotary hook of any loose ٠ threads and lint.
- Clean the rotary hook and sur-• rounding area (thread trimmer, thread monitor, picker) with a brush or compressed air.
- Oil the rotary hook with a small • shot of oil from the spray can supplied with the machine or sewing machine oil (1 to 2 drops).







Foot plate: variant 1

Clean thread trimmers and bobbin thread monitor

• Clean all thread trimmers and bobbin thread monitors <u>at least once a day</u> with a small soft brush or compressed air. In the event of severe contamination (e.g. when working with cotton), these components may have to be cleaned <u>several</u> <u>times a day</u>.

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Every three months:

#### Grease helical gear wheel

Apply grease to the helical gear wheels in the foot plates **every three months** (more frequently in case of two or three-shift duty cycles).

#### Detach protective caps

<u>Always remove the mains plug</u> from the socket before detaching the protective caps.



#### Grease drive wheel

Slacken off the fastening screw (6.1) in each of the foot plates sufficiently to allow the protective caps to be pulled off from below.

- Apply grease to the helical gear wheels with a small brush.
- Use the handwheel to rotate the shaft in order to gain access to the teeth at the back as well.
- Make sure that <u>all the teeth</u> of the helical gear wheels are adequately coated with grease.

NOTE

To turn the main/bottom shaft by hand, the brake has to be released. Switch on the machine and use the relevant control function to release the brake for this purpose (see *Appendix F "Main shaft brake"*).

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De-energize the machine again after greasing.



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Figure 7: Greasing drive wheel



#### Install protective caps

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Properly secure all the protective caps again with the Allen screws. The caps are provided for your own safety and to protect the helical gear wheels against contamination.



Every day:

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# Foot plate: variant 2

• Detach the stitch plate with a suitable tool.

#### **Clean thread trimmer**

• Clean the thread trimmer area of the foot plate with compressed air or a brush.

Thread waste that becomes lodged between or beneath the blades of

the thread trimmer (cf. *Fig. 8*) can cause the thread trimmer to malfunction. For this reason, remove thread waste <u>at least once a week</u>

To clean the thread trimmer, move the blade to the cleaning position

and more frequently in the event of severe contamination.

(see Appendix F "Thread trimmer cleaning position").

NOTE

Figure 8: Thread trimmer area of foot plate

Blade

Counter blade



#### Thread trimmer drive

NOTE

The thread trimmer drive assemblies do not require any maintenance.



# Grease drive wheels Every three months: Figure 9: With the stitch plate removed, 00013052 Foot plate, apply a little grease to the upper $\bigcirc$ greasing drive wheel drive wheel of the foot plate. Top helical gear wheel 6 0 0 Figure 10: The bottom helical gear wheel is Foot plate, accessible through the open base O) greasing drive wheel of the foot plate. Apply grease to the gear wheel from underneath Bottom helical gear wheel with a brush. Use the handwheel to rotate the shaft in order to gain access to the teeth at the back as well. 00013053 0400351

• Make sure that <u>all the teeth</u> of the helical gear wheels are adequately coated with grease.

# NOTE

To turn the main/bottom shaft by hand, the brake has to be released. Switch on the machine and use the relevant control function to release the brake for this purpose (see *Appendix F "Main shaft brake"*).

De-energize the machine again after greasing.



#### Every six months:

#### Grease connecting rod

• The lubrication points of the connecting rod are marked by arrows in the drawing below. Grease these locations once every six months.

Figure 11: Foot plate, connecting rod lubrication points

Bearing of thread trimmer connecting rod



- Reinstall the stitch plate.
- When installing, align the stitch plate so that the **needle hole is located centrally under the needle**.
- Turn the handwheel to make certain that the active needle enters the middle of the needle hole.



Every day:



NOTE

Figure 12: View of front, stitch plate removed

Blade

Counter blade

# Cylinder arm

• Detach the stitch plate with a suitable tool.

#### **Clean thread trimmer**

• Clean the cylinder arm with compressed air or a brush.

Thread waste that becomes lodged between or beneath the blades of the thread trimmer (cf. *Fig. 12*) can cause the thread trimmer to malfunction. For this reason, remove thread waste <u>at least once a week</u> and more frequently in the event of severe contamination. To clean the thread trimmer, move the blade to the cleaning position (see *Appendix F "Thread trimmer cleaning position"*).



#### Thread trimmer drive

NOTE

The thread trimmer drive assemblies do not require any maintenance.



#### Every three months:

Figure 13: Cylinder arm, thread trimmer drive wheel

Helical gear wheel

# NOTE

To turn the main/bottom shaft by hand, the brake has to be released. Switch on the machine and use the relevant control function to release the brake for this purpose (see *Appendix F "Main shaft brake"*).

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De-energize the machine again after greasing.

#### Grease connecting rod

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Grease drive wheel

• The lubrication points of the cylinder arm are marked by arrows in the drawings below. Grease these locations once every six months.



Figure 14: Cylinder arm, connecting rod lubrication points

Every six months:

Front bearing of thread trimmer connecting rod

Rear bearing of thread trimmer connecting rod



- Reinstall the stitch plate and the two cylinder arm cover plates.
- When installing, align the stitch plate so that the **needle hole is located centrally under the needle**.
- Turn the handwheel to make certain that the active needle enters the middle of the needle hole.

#### Every three months:

Figure 15: Thread trimmer drive lubrication points (view of cylinder arm from **rear**)

#### Thread trimmer drive (underneath cylinder arm)





# Grease linear guide

Grease the linear guides **every three months** (more frequently in case of two or three-shift duty cycles). A cover has to be removed for this purpose.

Switch off the machine and remove the plug from the mains socket.

#### TF, MF, LF, LCF, XF, XLF, XCF, YCF series

• With the machines in these series, the guides of the pantograph drive (side to side) have to be greased.

• Take off the border frame (16.2) (consult the machine's Operator's Guide/Operating Manual — "Conversion to border frame embroidery").

- Slacken off screws.
- Take off panel.
- Grease the entire guide rail.

Make certain that no grease is applied to the toothed belt; this can give rise to malfunctions.

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Do not restart the machine until all covers have been properly reinstalled.

16.2 Figure 17: Pantograph drive (side to

side), underneath cover

16.1

Pantograph drive (side to

Toothed belt

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Figure 16:

side)

Linear guide

Carriage





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The several transverse drives on some machines are connected by way of a crossarm, so that the covers cannot be removed.

- Unscrew and remove the screws in the covers (16.1). Move the border frame (16.2) to the right end position. Push the covers to the right.
- After greasing the guide, slide the covers back to their original positions.
- Move the border frame (16.2) to the left end position. Slightly raise the covers (16.1) as illustrated in *Fig. 19*. Grease the guides underneath the panel with a brush.

#### JF/JNF, SPRINT series

With JF/JNF, SPRINT series machines, the linear guides for both axes (X and Y) need to be lubricated. With JNF-series machines, the center guide (X axis) has to be lubricated as well.



- Slacken off screws.
- Raise cover at front first, then at back; see *Fig. 19*.

### NOTE

Figure 18: Pantograph drive, (illustrated on a JF 0111-500)

Pantograph - 1 drive (side to side)

Pantograph - 2 drives (front to back)





Figure 19: . Pantograph drive (front to back) Illustration: front cover raised (machine shown without control)

Figure 20: Pantograph drive (side to side)





# **Embroidery head maintenance** Every three months: Oil felt in drive unit A drive unit (21.2) accommodating the drives for the needles, presser feet and thread take-ups, as well as the jump stitch mechanism, is located behind each of the needle units (21.1). The oil-impregnated felt on the bottom of the drive unit must be oiled every three months (the interval is to be shortened accordingly in the case of a two or three-shift duty cycle). No dismantling is necessary when oiling the felt. Switch on the machine (insert the mains plug in the socket first). Execute a manual needle change to needle 1 (consult the Control Unit Operating Manual). The needle units travel to the left until needle 1 is positioned above => the needle hole. An aperture for oiling the felt (21.3) in the drive unit is revealed to the right of each needle unit. Switch off the machine at the main switch. DANGEF At each embroidery head spray a little oil on the felt through the aperture (21.3) in the cover. Figure 21: 00013016 Embroidery head with 0 needle unit at left travel 0 limit A 21.1 21.2 21.3

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#### Every three months:

# Oil felts in needle unit

Oil-impregnated felts provide a constant supply of oil to the needle bars. The felts must be oiled **every three months** (the interval is to be shortened accordingly in the case of a two or three-shift duty cycle).

To oil the felts, the front panels do not have to be taken off the embroidery heads. The upper threads can also remain threaded.



- Offer up and introduce the spray can tube towards the bottom of the take-up lever slot in the front panel (*Fig. 23*).
- With a **small** shot, spray a **little** oil on the visible part of the needle bar and the strip of felt underneath.
- Introduce the spray can tube in the lubrication apertures towards the bottom of the front panel (*Fig. 23*).
- With a **small** shot, spray the needle bar behind the front panel.
- Oil <u>all</u> of the needle bars in this way.

Figure 22: Embroidery head Left: oiling felts in needle unit

Visible part of needle bar

Angle plate Felt strip underneath

Top of presser foot

Felt ring underneath

Figure 23: Embroidery head Right: access to lubrication points in installed needle unit



Figure 24: Embroidery head, removing cover (illustrated: needle unit at right, left fastening screws accessible)

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Oil connecting rods in drive unit

The plastic connecting rods in the drive units must be oiled every six months (the interval is to be shortened accordingly in the case of a two or three-shift duty cycle). For this purpose the drive unit covers located behind the needle units have to be removed.

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- Move all needle units (24.1) to the right travel limit (manual needle change to last needle).
- Remove fastening screws (24.2) from left cover (24.3) of each drive unit.
- Move the needle units to the left travel limit (manual needle change to needle 1).
- Remove the fastening screws from the right cover (24.4) of each drive unit and remove the cover.
- Release the brake.
- Turn the handwheel until needle 1 is in its lowest position.
- Engage the brake again.

#### Switch off the machine and remove the plug from the mains socket.





#### Figure 25: Embroidery head, oiling connecting rods in drive unit

Rocker arm

Pin

Carriage

Plastic connecting rod



• Spray oil onto the parts indicated by the arrows in the drawing.



Do not restart the machine until all covers have been properly reinstalled.







# **Optional machine attachments**

# Sequin device

As a general rule, cleaning and maintenance work is to be performed <u>only if the plug has been removed from the mains socket.</u>

Lubricate the spindles on all sequin devices **every three months** with the grease provided with the machine accessories.



- Detach cover (27.1) from the rear of the sequin device.
- Apply grease with a brush along the entire length of the spindle (27.2).

On no account is the machine to be restarted before you have reinstalled all covers properly.

# **Double-roller cord attachment**

See chapter entitled "Cord/loop attachment".

Figure 27: Sequin device spindle (uncovered)

Every three months:

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As necessary:



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Figure 28: (left) Incorrect

Figure 29: (right)

Correct

**Cord/loop attachment** 

Keep your hands well away from the hole of the cord/loop foot when setting it manually to the rest position. Otherwise your finger can be injured by the needle entering the hole.





Service the cord/loop attachment as the need arises.

• With a **short** shot, spray a **little** oil on the needle bars (30.1) and guide bars (30.2) of the cord/ loop attachment.



As necessary:

# **Boring attachment**

Change borer



Figure 31:

Boring attachment,

inserting borer

The borer is a cutting tool and therefore razor sharp. Observe the following safety instructions to avoid injury:

- Never touch the tip of the borer, always hold it by the shank.
- Free borers that have become jammed with a suitable pair of flat nose pliers.
- Do not leave dismantled borers on the work table or anywhere else on the machine. Clear away loose borers immediately to avoid causing injury to yourself and others.



- Insert the new borer in such a way that the face of the borer shank (31.2) faces forwards to-wards the pressure screw (31.1). This position is necessary to avoid damage to the borer shank when the pressure screw is tight-ened. It also positions the borer with a cutting edge facing forwards.
- For the time being, tighten the pressure screw only lightly.

Adjusting borer height

# NOTE

At the control, set the top shaft to 141° and adjust the clearance between the borer point and stitch plate insert to 0.8 + 0.1 mm (consult the section on renewing borers in the *Boring Device Operating Manual* and *Appendix F "Adjusting boring depth"*).









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- Clean the stitch plate insert ٠ (32.3) and place the 0.8 mm feeler gauge between the borer and stitch plate insert.
- Slacken off the pressure screw (32.1) in the borer holder and pull down the borer (32.2) until it rests on the feeler gauge.
- Tighten the pressure screw. ٠
- Remove the feeler gauge. ٠

CAUTION

Do not start operating the machine until the protective cover has been correctly replaced.

0.8 + 0.1 mm 141

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# Cap attachment '99

The cap attachment '99 does not require any maintenance.

# Rotary hook changer

The rotary hook changer does not require any maintenance.



## NOTE

Figure 33: Cap attachment '99

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Figure 34: Rotary hook changer



# NOTE

Figure 35: Reel-to-reel taping attachment, single-head embroidery machine

Figure 36: Reel-to-reel taping attachment, multi-head embroidery machine

# **Reel-to-reel taping attachment**

The reel-to-reel taping attachment, including its winding units, does not require any maintenance.





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# Servicing the control components

Control components are to be installed, repaired and adjusted only by trained service personnel.

# **Clean control components**

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NOTE

Clean the control cabinet, screen, keyboard and disk drive only if the plug has been removed from the mains socket.

Clean plastic parts with a soft, non-fluffy, slightly damp cloth. <u>Do not</u> <u>use</u> any caustic or ammonia-containing cleaning agents, or abrasive agents or sprays. On no account are liquids allowed to enter any devices.

The screen can be cleaned with special anti-static cleaning cloths or conventional glass cleaning agents. Here again, sprays are <u>not to be</u> <u>used on any account</u>. The spray mist could enter the cabinet and damage the screen beyond repair.

# Air vents in control cabinet

Make certain that <u>all</u> air vents (Fig. 37) in the control cabinet remain unobstructed at all times. Inadequate venting can cause overheating and damage the control components.





# Maintenance

#### Figure 37: Control cabinet air vents





#### **Clean ventilation filter**

Regularly check the ventilation filter in the control cabinet for contamination and clean the filter element as necessary.



# CAUTION

Figure 38: Opening filter housing and removing filter mat

- Remove the complete filter housing from the control cabinet from the outside.
- Carefully open the filter housing with a screwdriver.
- Remove the filter mat from the filter housing.
- Inspect the filter mat for contamination.
- Clean the filter mat by one of the following methods depending on the extent of contamination.

Extent of contamination	Cleaning method
Normal contamination	Rinse in warm water (app. 40°C) containing a regular mild detergent.
Dry dust	Clean by knocking, with a vacuum cleaner, or by blowing with compressed air.
Dust containing grease	Clean in warm water containing a grease solvent.

#### Do not wash with a strong jet of water and do not wring out the filter mat.

- Once it is dry, place the filter mat in the filter housing again.
- Close the filter housing.
- Insert the filter housing in the control cabinet again from the outside.

CAUTION


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## Appendix D – Needle/Rotary Hook Adjustment

The values stated below are intended to help a specialist make the correct settings.

Changes to these values made by untrained personnel can damage the machine.

# Adjusting loop stroke/needle depth

The loop stroke is the distance from the bottom dead center (BDC) of the needle point to the position of the point during the upward movement at which the point of the rotary hook is located centrally behind the needle.

The needle depth is the distance between the top edge of the needle eye and the point of the rotary hook.



Application	Loop stroke [X=mm]	Needle depth [Y=mm]	
Standard machine	2.0	1.0	
Curtain / special machines	1.5	1.5	
JF/JNF/TF machines	2.0	1.0	

Figure 1: Needle depth, adjusting

Needle

Exact loop stroke position

Bottom dead center

Eye of needle



## Rotary hook clearance

The rotary hook clearance is the distance between the hollow shaft of the needle and the point of the rotary hook.



Application	Clearance [Z=mm]
Standard machines	0.05 - 0.1
JF/JNF/TF machines	0.05 - 0.1

Figure 2: Adjusting rotary hook

Needle

Hollow shaft

Point of rotary hook



# Appendix F – Adjustments – LCD

## Thread trimmer cleaning position

The full user interface of the machine control has to be enabled to perform this maintenance task. If the interface is protected by a password, you need to know what the password is.



## NOTE



Figure 4: LCD control unit, thread trimmer cleaning position	<ul> <li>Thread trimmer cleaning position</li> <li>Start the machine with the start button / operating lever in order to advance the thread trimmer blades to the cleaning position.</li> </ul>
	ESC 00381958
	=> The machine advances the thread trimmer blades to a position in which the blades protrude below the stitch plate.
	• Clean the thread trimmer blades with compressed air.
ESC 00380818	• After the cleaning operation, press [ESC] to terminate the thread trimmer cleaning position function.
	=> The message illustrated below appears, and the machine returns the thread trimmer blades to their rest position.
Figure 5: LCD control unit, thread trimmer cleaning position	Thread trimmer cleaning position
	Trimmmer will be moved back to end position
	ESC 00381959
	=> Once the thread trimmer blades have reached the rest position, the <i>"Service"</i> menu returns to the screen.



# Adjusting boring depth

The full user interface of the machine control has to be enabled to perform this maintenance task. If the interface is protected by a password, you need to know what the password is.

## Main shaft positioning





# Appendix F – Adjustments – LCD



Press [9] More service functions to call the menu of the same

tachment to open the dialog of

Use the cursor keys  $[\uparrow], [\downarrow]$  to select "Set boring depth".

Press [2] Start testing to confirm initiation of the "Set boring

2 Start testing

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ESC



Figure 13: LCD control unit, set boring depth	<ul> <li>Set boring depth         <ul> <li>141 DEG</li> <li>Minimum</li></ul></li></ul>	the re- ing
Figure 14: LCD control unit, test machine attachment	<ul> <li>Start test with operating lever</li> <li>Stop testing ESC</li> <li>&gt; The machine executes an automatic needle change to needle 3.</li> </ul>	tart

- => The main shaft moves to the desired position.
- => Once the desired shaft position is reached, the machine is automatically braked.
- => The selected main shaft position, 141°, appears at the top right of the screen.

The value that appears in the display must be within max. +/-  $0.5^{\circ}$  of the main shaft position that you entered. If the value is outside this tolerance (this can occur with the larger multi-head embroidery machines), the position of the main shaft has to be adjusted manually. It may be possible to obtain the correct main shaft position by pressing [3] *Stop testing* and then [2] *Start testing*.

NOTE



• Adjust the height of the borer.

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NOTE



Once the boring depth has been set, pressing [3] *Stop testing* returns the main shaft to its original position. The machine also performs a needle change to the needle that was active beforehand.

Press [3] *Stop testing* to terminate the "*Set boring depth*" function.

• Press [ESC] three times to return to the machine main menu.



## Manual main shaft positioning

The starting point for this operation is the *"Test machine attach-ment"* menu, which is still active.

Figure 15: LCD control unit, test machine attachment



Test machine attachment1Shaft position ...... 120.0 DEGSelect unit to be tested:Thread trimmer cleaning position<br/>Sequins left<br/>Set boring depth<br/>Position main shaftSelect device; start testing ......

2 Start testing

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Press the jog button to release the main shaft brake (the "*Test machine attachment*" menu has to be active).

=> The main shaft can now be freely rotated.

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- Manually rotate the main shaft with the handwheel or supplied lever wrench to a more exact position within the stated tolerance (max. +/- 0.5°).
  - => The value indicated by the display tracks the current position of the main shaft.
- Once the desired main shaft position is reached, press the jog button again to apply the main shaft brake.
- Adjust the height of the borer.

NOTE

Once the borer height has been set, pressing [3] *Stop testing* returns the main shaft to its original position. The machine also performs a needle change to the needle that was active beforehand.



### Main shaft brake

NOTE

The full user interface of the machine control has to be enabled to perform this maintenance task. If the interface is protected by a password, you need to know what the password is.

The machine is braked by an electromagnet integrated in the main motor when stationary and disconnected from the power supply (main shaft brake). For some maintenance purposes the main shaft brake has to be released when the machine is stationary. The brake is released electromagnetically; it is operated and controlled by functions that form part of the machine control software.

#### NOTE

When disconnected from the power supply, the machine is braked as a general rule and the shaft cannot be rotated with the handwheel.

## **Releasing/engaging brake**

For adjusting and maintenance work the brake can be deactivated and activated again manually by way of the control.

• Stop the machine.

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Depending on the position in which it stops, the machine may run forward or back a little when the brake is released.

Before the brake is released, it is essential to ensure that nobody is within the operating range of needles, rotary hooks or, in case protective covers have been removed, rotating drive elements.









- Once you have finished the maintenance work, press [1] *Brake on* to engage the main shaft brake once again.
- Press [ESC] twice to return to the main screen of the control.



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# **Appendix F – Adjustments – TFT**

## Thread trimmer cleaning position

The full user interface of the machine control has to be enabled to perform this maintenance task. If the interface is protected by a password, you need to know what the password is.

Press button [E] Service to switch from the main control menu to the "Service" submenu.





V Stop testing

- Clean the thread trimmer blade with compressed air.
- Press [W] *Stop testing* to terminate the "*Trimmer cleaning position*" function.
  - => The machine moves the thread trimmer blade back to its rest position.



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Figure 4: TFT control unit, toggle button, set boring depth

Figure 3: TFT control unit, service menu

Service

Tests / diagnostics

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X Start testing

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## Adjusting boring depth

The full user interface of the machine control has to be enabled to perform this maintenance task. If the interface is protected by a password, you need to know what the password is.

## Main shaft positioning

Press button [<u>E</u>] Service to switch from the main control menu to the "Service" submenu.

<u>₿</u>	Brake on	
<u>c</u>	Brake off	
D	Resume design _stitch	
Ē	Create service disk	
<u>F</u>	ZSK engineer	
<u>G</u>	Machine information	
Z	Previous	

- Press button [A] *Tests / diagnostics* to open the relevant menu.
- Activate the toggle button [H] Set boring depth (Fig. 4).
- Enter main shaft position 141° in the text box.

● <u>H</u> Set boring depth	64 DEG	
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- Press button [X] *Start testing* to confirm the selected main shaft position.
- Start the machine with the start button / operating lever.



- => The machine executes an automatic needle change to needle 3.
- => The main shaft moves to the desired position.
- => Once the desired shaft position is reached, the machine is automatically braked.
- => The selected main shaft position, 141°, appears at the top right of the screen.

The value that appears in the display must be within max. +/-  $0.5^{\circ}$  of the main shaft position that you entered. If the value is outside this tolerance (this can occur with the larger multi-head embroidery machines), the position of the main shaft has to be adjusted manually. It may be possible to obtain the correct main shaft position by pressing [W] *Stop testing* and then [X] *Start testing*.

• Adjust the height of the borer.



### Manual main shaft positioning

The starting point for this operation is the *"Tests / diagnostics"* menu, which is still active.

- Press the jog button to release the main shaft brake (the "*Tests / diagnostics*" control menu has to be active).
  - => The main shaft can now be freely rotated.
- Manually rotate the main shaft with the handwheel or supplied lever wrench to a more exact position within the stated tolerance.
  - => The value indicated by the display tracks the current position of the main shaft.
- Once the desired main shaft position is reached, press the jog button again to apply the main shaft brake.
- Adjust the height of the borer.

NOTE

Once the borer height has been set, pressing [W] *Stop testing* returns the main shaft to its original position. The machine also performs a needle change to the needle that was active beforehand.



### Main shaft brake

NOTE

The full user interface of the machine control has to be enabled to perform this maintenance task. If the interface is protected by a password, you need to know what the password is.

The machine is braked by an electromagnet integrated in the main motor when stationary and disconnected from the power supply (main shaft brake). For some maintenance purposes the main shaft brake has to be released when the machine is stationary. The brake is released electromagnetically; it is operated and controlled by functions that form part of the machine control software.

NOTE

When disconnected from the power supply, the machine is braked as a general rule and the shaft cannot be rotated with the handwheel.

## **Releasing/engaging brake**

For adjusting and maintenance work the brake can be deactivated and activated again manually by way of the control.

• Stop the machine.

DANGER

Depending on the position in which it stops, the machine may run forward or back a little when the brake is released.

Before the brake is released, it is essential to ensure that nobody is within the operating range of needles, rotary hooks or, in case protective covers have been removed, rotating drive elements.





