

# GREASE IDENTIFICATION SYSTEM

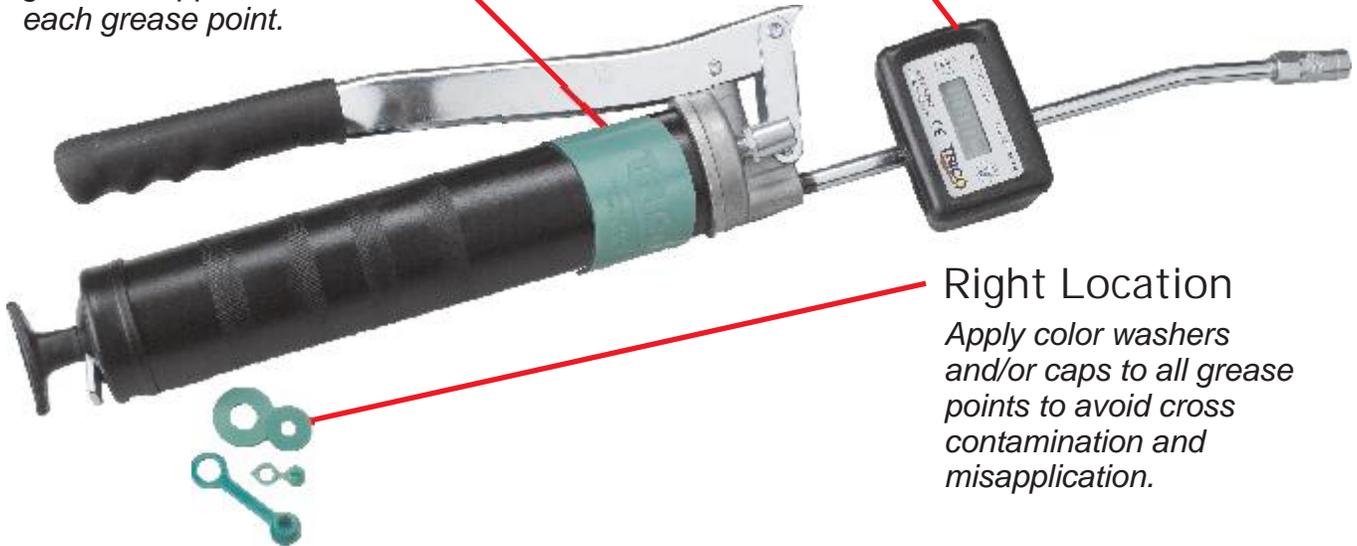


## Right Product

*Identify grease guns to ensure that the correct type of grease is applied at each grease point.*

## Right Amount

*Know the exact amount of grease applied at each grease point.*



## Right Location

*Apply color washers and/or caps to all grease points to avoid cross contamination and misapplication.*

### **Introducing Trico's New Grease Identification System**

Ensure you are receiving the **right product** in the **right amount** at the **right location** with Trico's new Grease Identification System.

#### **Identify the Right Product**

Two very common problems of grease mismanagement are cross contamination and lubricant misapplication. Too often the wrong grease is put into the wrong piece of equipment, which can dramatically shorten bearing life. Grease guns should be labeled to identify the type of grease to be used with each gun. Trico's color-coding grease gun bands simplifies this process. By using the bands and documenting your color-coding scheme technicians are aware of the type of grease in each gun.

#### **Identify the Right Amount**

It is understood that too much grease causes a bearing to build up heat and too little grease causes the bearing to run dry. Both lead to premature bearing failure. Prevent over/under lubrication with Trico's grease meter which provides a visual indication of the amount of grease being dispensed to the grease point.

#### **Identify the Right Location**

Extend the identification process to the grease points using Trico's color-coding grease fitting caps and washers. These colors should correspond to the colors used on the grease guns. Using color codes at each grease point helps to ensure that the proper grease is added with the proper grease gun.

***Trico has a full line of products to help assist you in developing a grease identification system for your lubrication program.***



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## GREASE GUNS



Trico's grease guns are built using aluminum die cast heads and are available in rugged lever or pistol grip versions. The pistol grip version comes with a flex hose and is capable of developing 5,000 psi grease pressure. The lever version comes with a rigid nozzle and is capable of developing 10,000 psi grease pressure. Trico's grease guns are to be used with 14 ounce grease cartridges.

## GREASE FITTING CAPS



Grease fitting caps snap securely over grease fittings to seal out dirt and moisture. Integral retaining ring keeps cap in place during servicing. Choose from red, orange, yellow, green, blue, and purple to indicate grease type or relubrication frequency. Available in two sizes to fit 1/8 NPT or 1/4-28 zerk fittings. Sold in bags of 10 caps, all one color.

## GREASE FITTING WASHERS



Color grease fitting washers are available in two sizes to fit 1/8 NPT or 1/4-28 grease fittings. Choose from red, blue, yellow, and green Buna-N washers to indicate grease type or relubrication frequency. Available in bags of 10 washers, all one color.

## GREASE GUN BANDS



Color grease gun bands slide over standard grease guns and do not slip after being installed. Color-code grease guns to match grease fitting caps and/or washers on machinery to avoid cross-contamination and misapplication of grease. Grease gun sleeves are sold individually and are available in red, blue, yellow, purple, orange and green. Made from Buna-N.

## GREASE METER



Trico's grease meter measures the amount of grease dispensed from the grease gun to the equipment bearing. A simple push of a button will set the meter to zero. The amount of grease dispensed is displayed on a digital screen and can be expressed in cubic centimeters, grams, ounces, or fluid ounces. The grease meter can be mounted to any grease gun and is equipped with a light for working in dark environments.