

CUSHION-GRIP® Support

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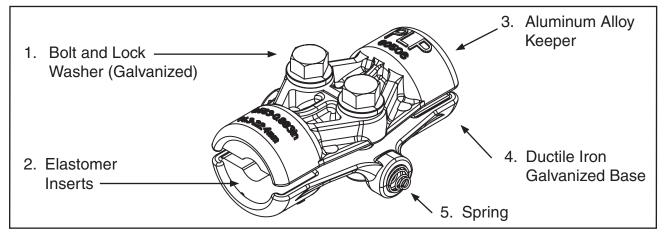


FIGURE 1 - NOMENCLATURE

1.00 NOMENCLATURE

- 1. Bolts and Lock Washers (2 each)
- 2. Elastomer Inserts (4)
- 3. Aluminum Alloy Keeper

- 4. Ductile Iron Galvanized Base
- 5. Stainless Steel Spring

2.00 APPLICATION

- **2.01** Remove keeper. Note the bolts remain captive in the keeper.
- 2.02 Install base into clamp top trunnion cap of the post insulator and tighten the trunnion cap bolt capturing the CUSHION-GRIP support base. Be careful not to lose the spring. (Figure 2)

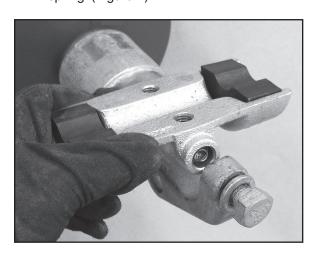


FIGURE 2 - INSTALL BASE

2.03 Lay conductor in the groove of the clamp base. (Figure 3)

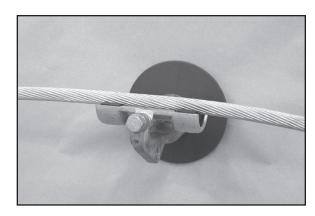


FIGURE 3 - INSERT CONDUCTOR

PLP Tip: For extremely corrosive coastal environments, the application of a liberal amount of a conductive oxide inhibitor to the conductor within the CUSHION-GRIP Support will minimize the possibility of corrosive contaminant build-up.

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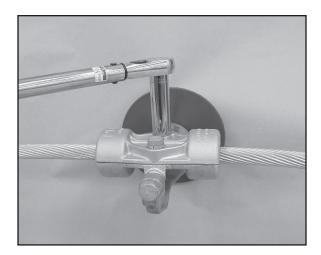


FIGURE 4 - TIGHTEN BOLTS EVENLY

Clamp Range (mm)	Bolt Torque
0.325" - 0.563" (9.53 - 14.30)	25 Ft Lbs (34 Nm)
0.564" - 0.883" (14.30 - 22.42)	40 Ft Lbs (54 Nm)
0.884" - 1.196" (22.42 - 30.38)	40 Ft Lbs (54 Nm)
1.197" - 1.504" (30.40 - 38.20)	40 Ft Lbs (54 Nm)

FIGURE 5

Completed application of the CUSHION-GRIP Support. (Figure 6)

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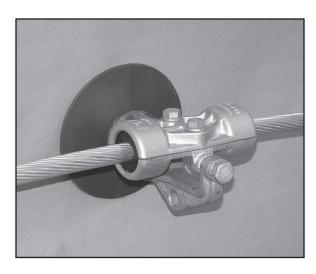


FIGURE 6 - COMPLETED INSTALLATION OF CUSHION-GRIP SUPPORT

SAFETY CONSIDERATIONS

This application procedure is not intended to supersede any company construction or safety standards. This procedure is offered only to illustrate safe application for the individual.

FAILURE TO FOLLOW THESE PROCEDURES MAY RESULT IN PERSONAL INJURY OR DEATH.

This product is intended for a single (one time) use and for the specified application. **Do not reuse or modify this product under any circumstances.**

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When working in the area of energized lines, extra care should be taken to prevent accidental electrical contact.

For proper performance and personal safety, be sure to select the proper size PREFORMED product before application.

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