

Starrett

657A Magnetic Base Indicator Holder

with swivel post assembly

The swivel post assembly on these holders provides universal adjustment in both horizontal and vertical planes. Available with inch or millimeter Starrett Dial Test or Back-Plunger Indicators, they save time in shop set-up and other inspection jobs.

For use with all Starrett Test, Back-Plunger, AGD, Dial and Miniature-Dial Indicators. Also accommodates similar indicators of other manufacturers.

Powerful, permanent magnetic base holds firmly to steel or iron surfaces – horizontally, vertically, upside-down. Push-button turns magnetic force on or off for quick, one-hand set-up and take-down. V-step adapts base to horizontal or vertical arbors and chucks. There is an extra 1/4-20 NC tapped hole in side of base for indicator mounting post. Three precision ground magnetic contact surfaces (plus V-step). Black wrinkle finish on non-working surfaces.

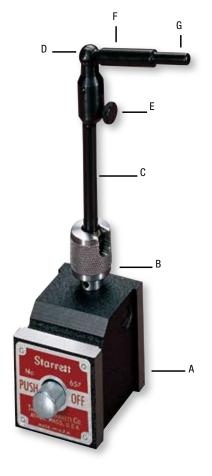
Magnetic Base Assembly Features:

- **A. 657P Magnetic Base** is 1-15/16" x 1-5/8" x 1-7/8" (50 x 40 x 48mm) deep.
- **B. Swivel Cap** Slot permits 90° post travel to horizontal position.
- C. Post rotates 360°.
- **D. 657F Indicator Swivel Post Assembly** is 6-1/2" (165mm) high (less threaded end). Assembly consists of items B, C, E, F, G.
- E. Fine-Adjusting Screw. Turn to zero set indicator.
- F. **Upper arm** is 2" (50mm) long with a 5/16" (8 mm) diameter and swings more than 180°; friction joint holds it in position.
- **G.** 7/32" (5.5mm) diameter step, 1/2" (13 mm) long.

657 Series Sets

These sets have been put together for your ordering convenience, but you can mix and match other Starrett test or back-plunger indicators and attachments with the 657A Magnetic Base and Swivel Post Assembly to suit your needs.









Top: 657A with 196B1 Universal Dial Indicator setting up workpiece on milling machine Above: 657A with 711LS Last Word Dial Test Indicator setting up workpiece on surface grinder

657A Magnetic Base Indicator Holder - Individual Components				
Description	Catalog No.	EDP		
Magnetic Base with Swivel Post Assembly	657A	52744		
Magnetic Base Only	657P	52757		
Swivel Post Assembly Only	657F	52752		

657 Magnetic Base Indicator Holder Sets					
	w/Finished Wood Case		Without Case		
Description*	Cat.	EDP	Cat. No.	EDP	
Base and Post Assembly with 711FSAZ Last Word® Indicator and PT07101F Body Clamp	657BZ	52746	657B	52745	
Base and Post Assembly with 196B1 Indicator, PT18718 Snug, 3 Contact Points, and Contact Point Adaptor	657CZ	52748	657C	52747	
Base and Post Assembly with 709AZ Indicator and PT22428 Swivel Post Snug	657-709Z	65257			
Base and Post Assembly with 811-1Z Indicator and PT22428 Swivel Post Snug	657-811Z	65258			
657 Magnetic Base Indicator Holder Sets					
Base and Post Assembly with 711MFSZ Indicator with PT07101F Body Clamp	657MBZ	56354	657MB	56353	
Base and Post Assembly with 196MB1 Indicator, PT18718 Snug, 3 Contact Points, Contact Point Adaptor	657MCZ	56356	657MC	56355	