

Operating Instructions and Parts Manual Air/Hydraulic Bottle Jack

Models AHJ-12 and AHJ-20



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Part No. M-456612 Revision A 4/05 Copyright © WMH Tool Group This manual has been prepared for the owner and operators of a JET AHJ-Series Bottle Jack. Its purpose, aside from tool operation, is to promote safety using accepted operating and maintenance procedures. To obtain maximum life and efficiency from your bottle jack and to aid in using it safely, please read this manual thoroughly and follow the instructions carefully.

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- 1. Read and understand all warnings and operating instructions before attempting to use this jack.
- 2. Do not exceed rated capacity. Overloading can cause damage to and/or failure of the jack.
- 3. If jack is damaged and/or operates abnormally, remove from service until repaired.
- 4. Support load by appropriate means after lifting.
- 5. Always center load on the jack.
- 6. Use this jack as a lifting device only.
- 7. Use only on a hard, level surface capable of sustaining the load. Using the bottle jack on other than hard, level surfaces can result in jack instability and possible loss of load.
- 8. Lift only on areas of the vehicle specified by the vehicle manufacturer.
- 9. Always replace damaged, missing or worn labels and use only genuine factory replacement parts when replacement is necessary.
- 10. Only use attachments and/or adapters supplied with, or sold specifically for, the jack.
- 11. No alterations shall be made to this product.
- 12. Failure to comply with all of these warnings may result in loss of load, damage to jack, and/or personal injury or property damage.

Specifications

Model Number	AHJ-12	AHJ-20
Rated Capacity (ton)		20
		9.65
		8.66 x 6.89
Net Weight (lbs)	26.46	30.86
		39.68

The above specifications were current at the time this manual was published, but because of our policy of continuous improvement, WMH Tool Group reserves the right to change specifications at any time and without prior notice, without incurring obligations.

(NOTE: Numbers in parentheses refer to item numbers on the breakdown, page 5.)

Inspection Before Use

Prior to each use, visually inspect for leaking hydraulic oil, damaged, loose or missing parts. If jack becomes worn or damaged in any way, or operates abnormally, remove it from service and contact your nearest service center for repair.

Purging the Hydraulic System

During transit, the jack's hydraulic system may become filled with air, causing a spongy ram action. The air should be purged from the system before operating.

1. To purge air from the hydraulic system, open the release valve (49) by turning it counterclockwise for 2 to 3 turns.

- 2. Turn the jack 90° to its horizontal position. Be sure that the air motor is underneath the ram assembly (37).
- 3. Connect the air valve (29) to an air supply, and press the lever on the air valve (29) for 20 seconds to operate the jack.
- 4. Close the release valve (49) by turning it clockwise while the jack remains at its horizontal position. If the ram assembly (37) doesn't extend, repeat steps 1 through 4.

Operation

Jack operation is controlled either manually or by external air pressure. To operate manually, insert the handle (61) into the handle socket (60). To operate by air pressure, connect the air valve (29) to an external air pressure source. Clean the air connections and lubricate air motor prior to assembly. To raise the jack, turn the release valve (49) clockwise until it is tight, and either manually pump with the handle, or press the lever on the air valve (29) if connected to an air supply.

To lower the jack, turn the release valve (49) counterclockwise slightly and very slowly. Do not turn valve too quickly or more than twice.

AWARNING When lowering the jack, do not turn release valve too quickly or turn the valve more than twice. This can cause the load to descend too rapidly creating a dangerous situation.

Maintenance

Maintain oil at full level. To check the oil, proceed as follows:

- 1. With the jack in an upright position and the ram completely retracted, open the release valve (49) by turning it counterclockwise.
- 2. Unscrew and remove the filler plug (31). The oil level should be just up to the hole.
- 3. If necessary, fill with clean hydraulic jack oil.
- 4. Re-install the filler plug (31).

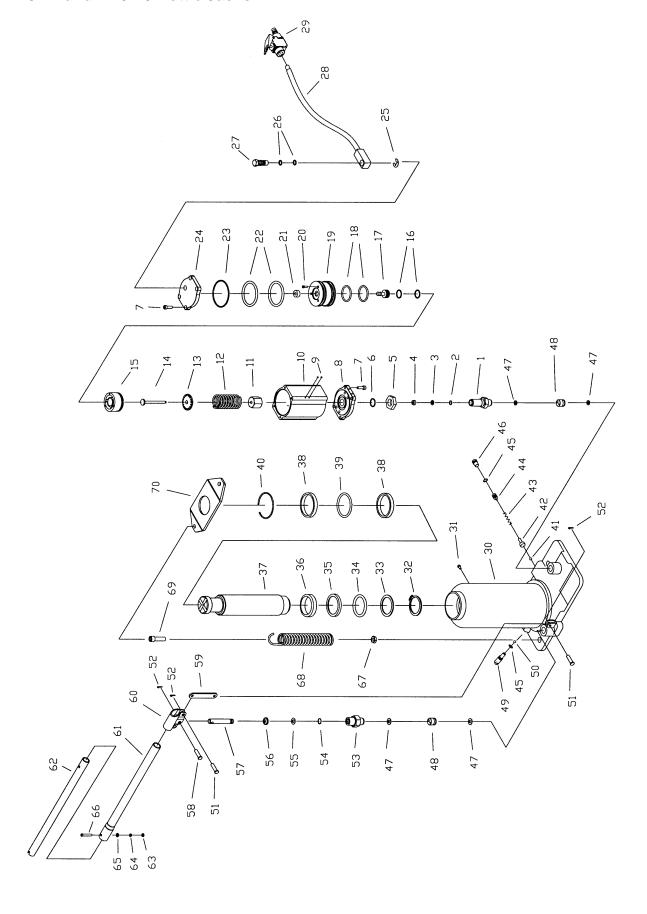
With the release valve (49) open, manually pump the handle six times. This will keep internal components lubricated.

To prevent corrosion, occasionally lubricate the handle socket pivot point (60), release valve screw thread (49), and air valve (29), with a light coat of oil.

Troubleshooting the AHJ Bottle Jack

Trouble	Probable Cause	Remedy	
	Air in hydraulic system.	Bleed air by opening release valve (49). Pump for 20 seconds.	
Erratic Action.	Viscosity of oil is too high.	Change to a lower viscosity oil.	
	Internal leakage in ram (37).	Replace worn packing. Look for excessive contamination or wear.	
Ram does not advance.	Release valve (49) is open.	Close release valve (49).	
	Low or no oil in reservoir.	Fill reservoir with oil and bleed air from system.	
	Air locked in system.	Bleed air by opening release valve (49). Pump for 20 seconds.	
	Load is above capacity.	Use correct equipment rated for that load.	
Ram does not extend or only partially.	Low oil level in reservoir.	Fill reservoir with oil and bleed air from system.	
	Pump plunger (57) is binding.	Look for dirt, gummy deposits, leaks, misalignment, worn parts, or defective packing.	
Ram advances slowly.	Low air pressure.	Adjust air pressure to 90 to 145 psi.	
	Leaking seals.	Replace seals.	
Ram advances but does not hold load.	Release valve (49) is open.	Close release valve (49).	
	Ram seals are leaking.	Replace seals.	
Ram will not retract, or retracts slowly.	Release valve (49) is closed.	Open release valve (49).	
	Reservoir is too full.	Drain oil to correct level.	
	Ram damaged internally.	Take jack to authorized service center for repair.	

AHJ-12 and AHJ-20 Bottle Jacks



Replacement Parts

Replacement parts are listed on the following pages. To order parts or reach our service department, call 1-800-274-6848 between 7:30 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. (CST), Monday through Friday. Having the Model Number and Serial Number of your product available when you call will allow us to serve you quickly and accurately.

Parts List: AHJ-12 Bottle Jack

Index No.	Part No.	Description	Size	Qty
1	.AHJ12-1	. Pump Cylinder		1
		. Y-Seal*		
3	.AHJ12-3	. Nylon Gasket*	5.8x12x1.25mm	1
4	.AHJ12-4	. Copper Washer		1
		. Nut		
6	.AHJ12-6	. O-Ring	18x2.65mm	1
		. Socket Head Cap Screw		
		. Base Cover		
		. Steel Ball		
10	.AHJ12-10	. Air Motor Housing		1
		. Nut		
		. Spring		
13	.AHJ12-13	. Washer		1
		. Air Pump Plunger		
		. Air Piston Base		
		. O-Ring		
		. Air Shuttle Valve		
		O-Ring		
		. Air Piston		
		Socket Head Cap Screw		
		Shuttle Valve Seal		
		O-Ring		
		. O-Ring		
		. Top Cover		
		Snap Ring		
26	.AIIJ12-25	. O-Ring	11 5v1 5mm	ا
		. Coupler		
		. Air Hose Assembly		
		. Air Valve Assembly		
		. Oil Tank Assembly		
		Oil Filler Plug		
		. Snap Ring		
		O-Ring Retainer		
		. O-Ring*		
		. Seal Washer*		
		. Piston Ring		
		. Ram Assembly		
		. Bushing		
		. O-Ring*		
40	.AHJ12-40	. Snap Ring	~ .	1
		. Steel Ball		
		. Safety Valve Ball Seat		
		. Safety Valve Spring		
		. Safety Valve Adjusting Screw		
		. O-Ring*		
		. Screw		
47	.AHJ12-47	. Copper Washer		4
		. Valve Block Assembly		
49	.AHJ12-49	. Release Valve Assembly		1
50	.SB-6	. Steel Ball	Ø 6mm	1

51AHJ12-51	Link Pin		.2
52AHJ12-52	Pin		.3
53AHJ12-53	Pump Cylinder		.1
	O-Ring*		
	Nylon Gasket*		
	Dustproof Ring		
	Pump Plunger		
	Pump Plunger Pin		
	Link		
	Handle Socket		
	Front Handle		
	Rear Handle		
	Hex Nut		
	Lock Washer		
	Flat Washer		
66TS-2285302	Phillips Pan Head Machine Screw	M5x30	. 1
	Hex Nut (Thin)		
	Return Spring		
	Screw		
	Spring Lid		
AHJ12-RK	Repair Kit for AHJ-12 *		

Items marked with an asterisk (*) are included in the Repair Kit.

Parts List: AHJ-20 Bottle Jack

Index No. Part No.	Description	Size	Qty
1AHJ12-1	Pump Cylinder		1
2AHJ12-2	Y-Seal*	5.8x12x5.2mm	1
3AHJ12-3	Nylon Gasket*	5.8x12x1.25mm	1
	Copper Washer		
	Nut		
6AHJ12-6	O-Ring	18x2.65mm	1
	Socket Head Cap Screw		
	Base Cover		
	Steel Ball		
	Air Motor Housing		
	Nut		
	Spring		
	Washer		
	Air Pump Plunger		
	Air Piston Base		
	O-Ring		
	Air Shuttle Valve		
	O-Ring		
	Air Piston		
	Socket Head Cap Screw		
	Shuttle Valve Seal		
	O-Ring		
	O-Ring		
	Top Cover		
	Snap Ring		
	O-Ring		
	Coupler		
	Air Hose Assembly		
	Air Valve Assembly		
	Oil Tank Assembly		
31AHJ20-31	Oil Filler Plug		1

32AHJ20-32	. Snap Ring	ø40mm1
33AHJ20-33	. O-Ring Retainer	
34AHJ20-34	. O-Ring*	46.8x4.6mm1
35AHJ20-35	. Seal Washer*	
36AHJ20-36	. Piston Ring	
37AHJ20-37	. Ram Assembly	
38AHJ20-38	. Bushing	2
39AHJ20-39	. O-Ring*	53x4.6mm1
40AHJ20-40	. Snap Ring	
	. Steel Ball	
42AHJ12-42	. Safety Valve Ball Seat	
43AHJ12-43	. Safety Valve Spring	
	. Safety Valve Adjusting Screw	
45AHJ12-45	. O-Ring*	7.5x2.65mm2
	. Screw	
	. Copper Washer	
48AHJ12-48	. Valve Block Assembly	2
49AHJ12-49	. Release Assembly	
	. Steel Ball	
51AHJ12-51	. Link Pin	2
52AHJ12-52	. Pin	3
53AHJ12-53	. Pump Cylinder	
54AHJ12-54	. O-Ring*	7x3mm1
55AHJ12-55	. Nylon Gasket*	7x12x1.5mm1
	. Dustproof Ring	
	. Pump Plunger	
	. Pump Plunger Pin	
	. Link	
60AHJ12-60	. Handle Socket	
	. Front Handle	
62AHJ12-62	. Rear Handle	
63TS-1540031	. Hex Nut	M5 1
64TS-2361051	. Lock Washer	M5 1
	. Flat Washer	
	. Phillips Pan Head Machine Screw	
	. Hex Nut (Thin)	
	. Return Spring	
69AHJ20-69	. Screw	2
70AHJ20-70	. Spring Lid	
AHJ20-RK	Repair Kit for AHJ-20 *	
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