

## Model TapeShooter® 404 Tape Dispenser



## TapeShooter® 404 OPERATING MANUAL



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## **TECHNICAL DATA**

Size:	14" L x 5" W x 7" H
Tape Type:	Plain Kraft Gummed Out Tape
Tape Width:	1" – 1 ½ "
Maximum Roll Size:	5 " or 500'
Cutting Mechanism:	Guillotine Cutting Blade
Maximum Carton Weight:	35 Pounds
Shipping Weight:	7 lbs.

All specifications subject to change without notice.

## **UNPACKING**

When unpacking your new Better Packages TapeShooter® 404 Dispenser, check to make sure you have the following items before discarding the carton and packing material.

- Operating Manual
- Water tank
- One Brush
- Two Tape Guides
- Tape Plate

## PREPARING THE MACHINE FOR OPERATION

Once the unit has been removed from the carton and all items are accounted for, you may begin using your TS404 Dispenser.

1. Raise Cover and adjust tape guides to your desired tape width.



**Adjustable Guides**

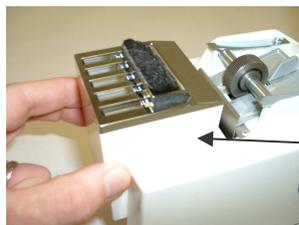
2. Place roll of tape between guides with tape lead facing the front of the dispenser.



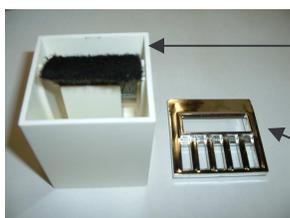
**Tape Lead**

**Tape Guides**

3. Remove the water tank by lifting it upwards. Lift and remove the brush. Rinse the brush with warm soapy water for best results. This helps insure proper performance. Replace brush in the tank and fill water tank reservoir with warm water. Replace lid and return to position in dispenser.



**Remove Tank**

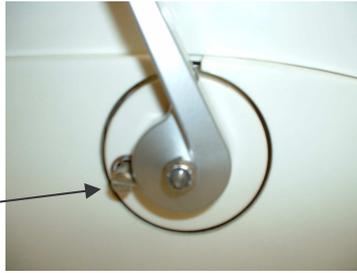


**Brush**

**Lid**

4. *Feed stop screw* can be loosened to adjust the measuring dial to necessary length. Upon proper adjustment, tighten feed stop screw.

**Adjustable Feed Stop Screw**



5. Once tape is properly loaded and the brush and water tank are in place, you are ready to dispense the tape. With the adjustable feed stop set at your desired length, simply pull the handle downward and the tape will be dispensed and cut.



**Pull handle forward to dispense and cut tape**

## MAINTENANCE

Simple care is required to guarantee quality sealing with your model TS404 Dispenser.

1. Keep brush and water tank clean. Rinse brush and tank in warm soapy water frequently.
2. Clean knife blade if it becomes coated with adhesive or dirt.
3. For a good appearance and operation, the outside of the dispenser should be cleaned from time to time using only a mild solution of soap and water. **Never use detergents or abrasives of any kind.** Wipe with a clean cloth.

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Model	Parts	Labor
Better Pack <sup>®</sup> 755 Series	2 Years	6 Months
Better Pack <sup>®</sup> 754 Series	2 Years	6 Months
Better Pack <sup>®</sup> 555e series	2 Years	6 Months
Better Pack <sup>®</sup> 500 series	2 Years	6 Months
BP Sealmaster <sup>®</sup> 3000 CS & 3000 AFF	1 Year	6 Months
Better Pack <sup>®</sup> 333 Series	2 Years	6 Months
TapeShooter <sup>®</sup> 150	2 Years	6 Months
TapeShooter <sup>®</sup> 404	2 Years	6 Months
Packer <sup>®</sup> 3S	2 Years	6 Months
Better Pack <sup>®</sup> PS2A	1 Year	6 Months

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