

STEEL NECK BUSHINGS - REDDING 73 STYLE STEEL BUSHING/.338

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Heat treated steel bushings. The sizing diameters are hand polished with a surface hardness of Rc 60-62 to reduce sizing effort. Bushings are available throughout the range of .185" thru .368" in .001" increments. The last three digits of the part (#RD73XXX) denotes bushing size. View other sizes: .185" to .250" .251" to .305" .306 to .368"



Determining Redding Bushing Size

The proper bushing size can be easily determined by measuring the outside neck diameter of your loaded cartridges with a precision micrometer or a dial caliper. Then, simply subtract .001" from the cartridge that had the smallest average neck diameter. This diameter bushing will generally size case necks just enough to create the proper press fit for the bullet.

If you are using a Type "S" style die and not turning the outside of your case necks, we suggest using a bushing .002" smaller than your smallest average neck diameter, and using the expander ball included with your Type "S" die. This size bushing will still give you minimal sizing (maximizing the life of your brass) and the expander ball will insure that each cartridge has the same bullet grip.

Redding has found that when you have cases with neck wall thicknesses on the thin side of the SAAMI tolerance, your fired case will measure considerably larger (.006" to .010" larger) than your loaded rounds. In these circumstances, Redding's tests have shown that a bushing .001" larger (than the loaded round) may give you the desired bullet grip.

Attributes

- Name: [REDDING 73 STYLE STEEL BUSHING/.338](#)
- Manufacturer: [REDDING](#)
- Product no.: 749002010
- Mfr. No.: 73338
- Diameter (in): .338
- Delivery weight: 0.032kg
- Shipping height: 1mm
- Shipping width: 83mm
- Shipping length: 146mm
- UPC: 611760733383

Item details

Made in USA

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Safety Instruction Guide for STEEL NECK BUSHINGS REDDING 73 STYLE STEEL BUSHING/.338

Introduction

Thank you for choosing the STEEL NECK BUSHINGS REDDING 73 STYLE STEEL BUSHING/.338. This guide provides essential safety instructions to ensure the safe use and handling of this product. Please read the following information carefully to ensure your safety and the proper functioning of the bushings.

General Safety Guidelines

- Ensure that the product is used only for its intended purpose, which is to size cases for reloading ammunition.
- Always inspect the bushings before use for any signs of damage or wear.
- Keep the bushings out of reach of children and vulnerable individuals.
- Use appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE) such as safety glasses and gloves when handling the bushings.
- Report any unsafe products or accidents to the relevant authorities.
- Stay informed about any recall updates through the EU's Safety Gate platform.

Specific Safety Precautions for Use

- **Handling:**

- Handle the bushings with care to avoid dropping or damaging them.
- Avoid using the bushings if they show signs of wear or damage.

- **Sizing Process:**

- Ensure that the bushing size matches the diameter of the cases being resized.
- Do not force the cases through the bushings; excessive force can cause damage.

- **Storage:**

- Store the bushings in a dry, cool place away from direct sunlight.
- Keep the bushings in their original packaging or a protective case to prevent damage.

- **Maintenance:**

- Regularly clean the bushings to remove any debris or residue.
- Use a soft cloth for cleaning; avoid abrasive materials that can scratch the surface.

Instructions for Installation and Usage

1. **Installation:**

- Ensure that your reloading press is compatible with the STEEL NECK BUSHINGS.
- Insert the bushing into the reloading press according to the manufacturer's instructions.
- Secure the bushing tightly to prevent movement during use.

2. **Usage:**

- Select the appropriate bushing size based on the diameter of the cases you wish to resize.
- Place the case into the reloading press and align it with the bushing.
- Gradually apply pressure to resize the case, ensuring that it passes smoothly through the bushing.
- Inspect the resized case for proper dimensions and any signs of damage.

3. **PostUsage:**

- After use, clean the bushings thoroughly to maintain their performance.
- Store them properly to ensure longevity.

Disposal Instructions

- Dispose of any damaged or worn bushings in accordance with local regulations.
- Do not throw bushings in regular household waste. Check for local recycling programs that accept metal products.
- Ensure that bushings are disposed of in a way that prevents harm to the environment and public safety.

Contact Information for Further Support

For any questions or concerns regarding the STEEL NECK BUSHINGS REDDING 73 STYLE STEEL BUSHING/.338, please refer to the product packaging or the manufacturer's website for additional support.

Thank you for following these safety guidelines. Your safety is our priority, and we hope you enjoy using the STEEL NECK BUSHINGS for your reloading needs.

About Us

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