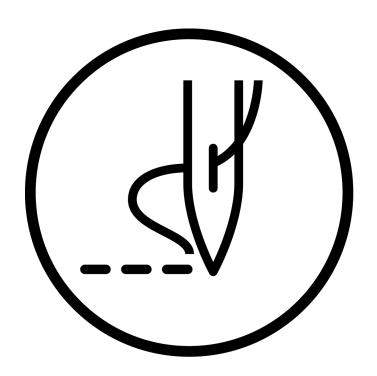
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Please read this manual before using the machine.

Please keep this manual within easy reach for quick reference.

DIRECT DRIVE
PROGRAMMABLE ELECTRONIC PATTERN SEWER





Thank you very much for buying a BROTHER sewing machine. Before using your new machine, please read the safety instructions below and the explanations given in the instruction manual.

With industrial sewing machines, it is normal to carry out work while positioned directly in front of moving parts such as the needle and thread take-up lever, and consequently there is always a danger of injury that can be caused by these parts. Follow the instructions from training personnel and instructors regarding safe and correct operation before operating the machine so that you will know how to use it correctly.

SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

[1] Safety indications and their meanings

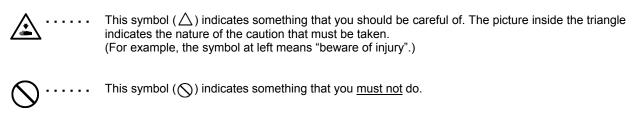
This instruction manual and the indications and symbols that are used on the machine itself are provided in order to ensure safe operation of this machine and to prevent accidents and injury to yourself or other people.

The meanings of these indications and symbols are given below.

Indications

▲ DANGER	The instructions which follow this term indicate situations where failure to follow the instructions will result in death or serious injury.
MARNING	The instructions which follow this term indicate situations where failure to follow the instructions could result in death or serious injury.
A CAUTION	The instructions which follow this term indicate situations where failure to follow the instructions may result in minor or moderate injury.

Symbols



This symbol () indicates something that you <u>must</u> do. The picture inside the circle indicates the nature of the thing that must be done.

(For example, the symbol at left means "you must make the ground connection".)

A DANGER



Wait at least 5 minutes after turning off the power switch and disconnecting the power cord from the wall outlet before opening the cover of the control box. Touching areas where high voltages are present can result in severe injury.

A WARNING



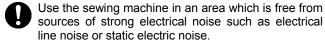
Do not allow any liquids to get onto this sewing machine, otherwise fire, electric shocks or operating problems may



If any liquid gets inside the sewing machine (machine head or control box), immediately turn off the power and disconnect the power plug from the electrical outlet, and then contact the place of purchase or a qualified technician.

A CAUTION

Environmental requirements



Sources of strong electrical noise may cause problems with correct operation.

- Any fluctuations in the power supply voltage should be within ±10% of the rated voltage for the machine. Voltage fluctuations which are greater than this may cause problems with correct operation.
- The power supply capacity should be greater than the requirements for the sewing machine's power consumption.

Insufficient power supply capacity may cause problems with correct operation.

- The pneumatic delivery capability should be greater than the requirements for the sewing machine's total air consumption.
 - Insufficient pneumatic delivery capability may cause problems with correct operation.
- The ambient temperature should be within the range of 5°C to 35°C during use.

Temperatures which are lower or higher than this may cause problems with correct operation.

The relative humidity should be within the range of 45% to 85% during use, and no dew formation should occur in any devices.

Excessively dry or humid environments and dew formation may cause problems with correct operation.

In the event of an electrical storm, turn off the power and disconnect the power cord from the wall outlet. Lightning may cause problems with correct operation.

Installation



Machine installation should only be carried out by a qualified technician.



Contact your Brother dealer or a qualified electrician for any electrical work that may need to be done.



The sewing machine weighs approximately 88 kg. The installation should be carried out by two or more people.



Do not connect the power cord until installation is complete. If the foot switch is depressed by mistake, the sewing machine might start operating and injury could result.



Hold the machine head with both hands when tilting it back or returning it to its original position.

Furthermore, do not apply excessive force when tilting back the machine head. The sewing machine may become unbalanced and fall down, and serious injury or damage to the sewing machine may result.



Be sure to connect the ground. If the ground connection is not secure, you run a high risk of receiving a serious electric shock, and problems with correct operation may also occur.



All cords should be secured at least 25 mm away from any moving parts. Furthermore, do not



excessively bend the cords or secure them too firmly with staples, otherwise there is the danger that fire or electric shocks could occur.



Install the safety covers to the machine head and motor.



If using a work table which has casters, the casters should be secured in such a way so that they cannot move.



Be sure to wear protective goggles and gloves when handling the lubricating oil and grease, so that they do not get into your eyes or onto your skin. If the oil and grease get into your eyes or onto your skin, inflammation can result.

Furthermore, do not drink or eat the lubricating oil or grease. They may cause diarrhea or vomiting. Keep the oil out of the reach of children.



Sewing



This sewing machine should only be used by operators who have received the necessary training in safe use beforehand.



The sewing machine should not be used for any applications other than sewing.



Be sure to wear protective goggles when using the machine.

If goggles are not worn, there is the danger that if a needle breaks, parts of the broken needle may enter your eyes and injury may result.



Turn off the power switch at the following times. If the foot switch is depressed by mistake, the sewing machine might start operating and injury could result.

- When threading the needle
- When replacing the bobbin and needle
- When not using the machine and when leaving the machine unattended



If using a work table which has casters, the casters should be secured in such a way so that they cannot move.



Attach all safety devices before using the sewing machine. If the machine is used without these devices attached, injury may result.



Do not touch any of the moving parts or press any objects against the machine while sewing, as this may result in personal injury or damage to the machine.



If an error occurs in machine operation, or if abnormal noises or smells are noticed, immediately turn off the power switch. Then contact your nearest Brother dealer or a qualified technician.



If the machine develops a problem, contact your nearest Brother dealer or a qualified technician.

Cleaning



Turn off the power switch before carrying out cleaning. If the foot switch is depressed by mistake, the sewing machine might start operating and injury could result.



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Furthermore, do not drink or eat the lubricating oil or grease. They may cause diarrhea or vomiting. Keep the oil out of the reach of children.

Maintenance and inspection



Maintenance and inspection of the sewing machine should only be carried out by a qualified technician.



Ask your Brother dealer or a qualified electrician to carry out any maintenance and inspection of the electrical system.



Turn off the power switch and disconnect the power cord before carrying out the following operations. If the foot switch is depressed by mistake, the sewing machine might start operating and injury could result.

- Inspection, adjustment and maintenance
- Replacing consumable parts such as the rotary hook



Disconnect the air hoses from the air supply and wait for the needle on the pressure gauge to drop to "0" before carrying out inspection, adjustment and repair of any parts which use the pneumatic equipment.



Hold the machine head with both hands when tilting it back or returning it to its original position.

Furthermore, do not apply excessive force when tilting back the machine head. The sewing machine may become unbalanced and fall down, and serious injury or damage to the sewing machine may result.



If the power switch needs to be left on when carrying out some adjustment, be extremely careful to observe all safety precautions.



When replacing parts and installing optional accessories, be sure to use only genuine Brother parts.

Brother will not be held responsible for any accidents or problems resulting from the use of non-genuine parts.



If any safety devices have been removed, be absolutely sure to re-install them to their original positions and check that they operate correctly before using the machine.



To prevent accidents and problems, do not modify the machine yourself.

Brother will not be held responsible for any accidents or problems resulting from modifications made to the machine.

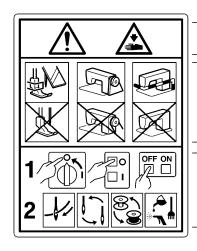
[3] Warning labels

The following warning labels appear on the sewing machine.

Please follow the instructions on the labels at all times when using the machine. If the labels have been removed or are difficult to read, please contact your nearest Brother dealer.



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CAUTION

Moving parts may cause injury.

Operate with safety devices* installed.

Turn off the power before carrying out operations such as threading, changing the needle, bobbin, knives or hook, cleaning and adjusting.

*Safety devices

Devices such as eye guard, finger guard, thread take-up cover, motor cover, tension release solenoid cover, inner cover, outer cover, fixed cover and gas spring support cover

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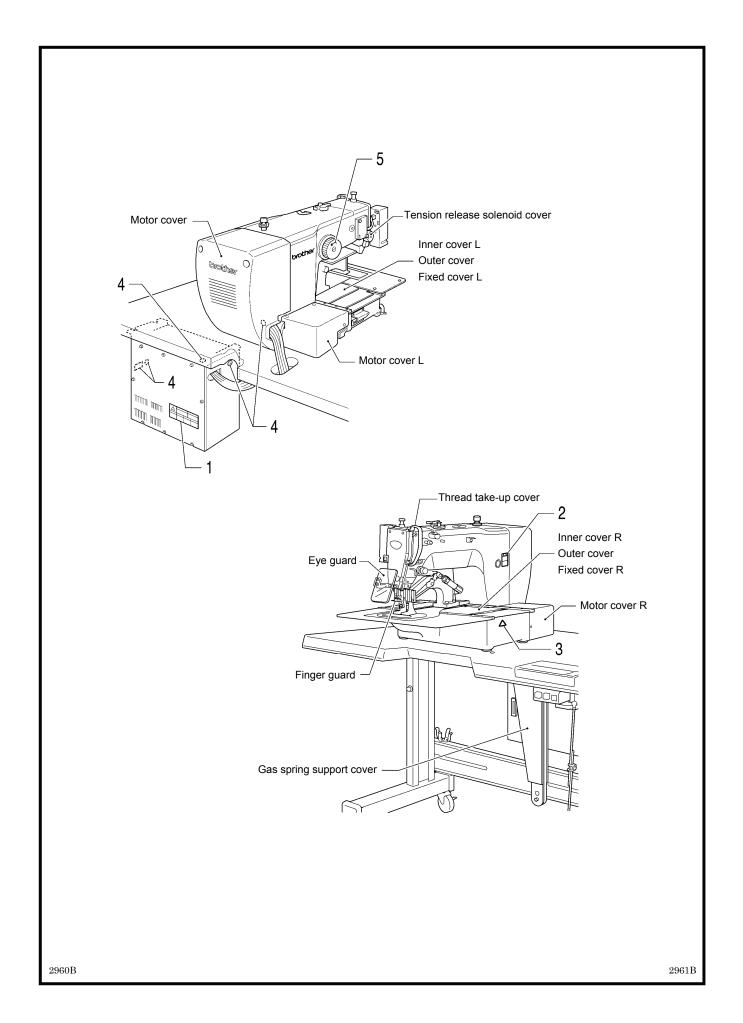
Be careful not to get your hand caught when tilting back the machine head and returning it to its original position.



Be sure to connect the ground. If the ground connection is not secure, you run a high risk of receiving a serious electric shock, and problems with correct operation may also occur.



Direction of operation



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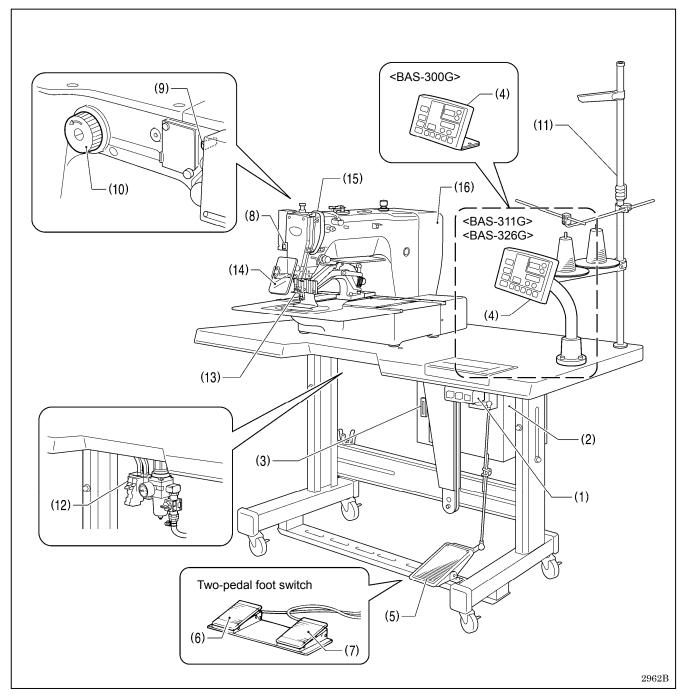
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1. NAMES OF MAJOR PARTS



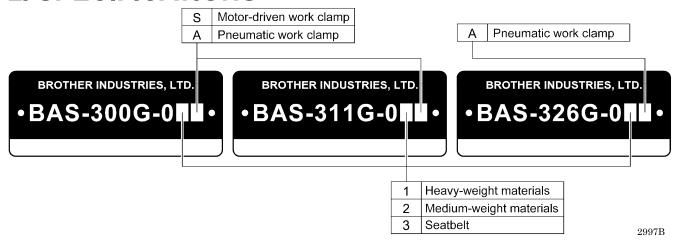
- (1) Power switch
- (2) Control box
- (3) CF slot
- (4) Operation panel
- (5) Foot switch (motor-driven work clamp specifications)
- (6) Work clamp switch (pneumatic work clamp specifications)
- (7) Start switch (pneumatic work clamp specifications)
- (8) STOP switch
- (9) Thread wiper switch
- (10) Pulley
- (11) Cotton stand
- (12) Solenoid valve (pneumatic work clamp specifications)

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Safety devices:

- (13) Finger guard
- (14) Eye guard
- (15) Thread take-up cover
- (16) Motor cover

2. SPECIFICATIONS



Sewing machine	Lock stitch pattern tacking sewing machine (with large shuttle hook)		
Stitch formation	Single needle lock stitch		
Max. sewing speed	2,700 sti/min		
Max. sewing area (XxY)	BAS-300G: 130 x 60 mm BAS-311G: 130 x 100 mm BAS-326G: 220 x 100 mm		
Feed mechanism	Ir	termittent feed, pulse motor driv	ve
Stitch length		0.05 – 12.7 mm	
No. of stitches	50	00,000-stitch internal memory (*	1)
Maximum no. of stitches		20,000 stitches (per program)	
No. of sewing data items that can be stored	Internal memory: 512 (*1), CF card: 900		
Work clamp lift method	Motor-driven work clamp specifications: Pulse motor drive method Pneumatic work clamp specifications: Pneumatic method		
Work clamp height	Motor-driven work clamp specifications: Max. 25 mm Pneumatic work clamp specifications: Max. 30 mm		
2-step work clamp	Motor-driven work clamp specifications: Integrated-type work clamp Pneumatic work clamp specifications: Separate-type work clamp		
Intermittent presser foot lift amount	22 mm		
Intermittent stroke	2 – 4.5 mm, 4.5 – 10 mm or 0 (Default setting 3 mm)		
Hook	Double-capacity shuttle hook (standard shuttle hook sold separately)		
Wiper device	Standard equipment		
Thread trimmer	Standard equipment		
Data storage method	Internal memory (Flash memory), CF card (32 MB – 2 GB) 3.5 floppy disk 2HD/1.44MB, 2DD (*2)		
User programs	50		
Cycle programs	9		
Motor	550 W AC servo motor		
Weights	Machine head approx. 88 kg, operation panel approx. 0.6 kg Control box 14.2 – 16.2 kg (Differs depending on destination)		
Power supply	Single-phase 110 V/120 V/220 V/240 V, Three-phase 220 V/400 V 400 VA		
Air pressure	0.5 MPa 1.8 l/min.		

^(*1) The number of data items and stitches that can be stored will vary depending on the number of stitches in each program.

^(*2) Supply of parts relating to 3.5-inch floppy disks has already been discontinued. (However the mechanism will still function.)

3. INSTALLATION

A CAUTION



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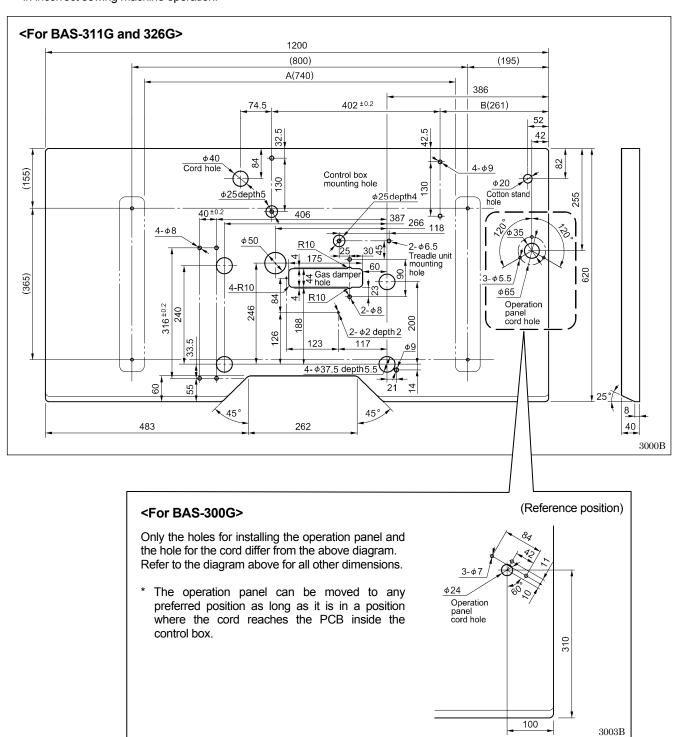
Be sure to connect the ground. If the ground connection is not secure, you run a high risk of receiving a serious electric shock, and problems with correct operation may also occur.



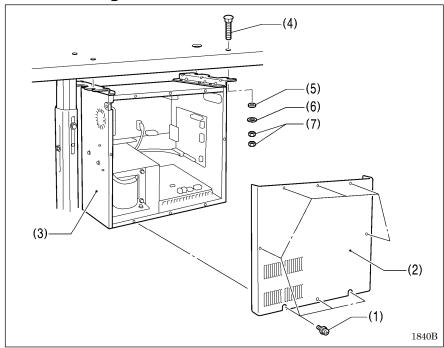
Install the safety covers to the machine head and motor

3-1. Table processing diagram

- The thickness of the table should be at least 40 mm, and it should be strong enough to bear the weight and vibration of the sewing machine.
- If the distance A between the insides of the legs is less than 740 mm, move the control box installation position to the left (B = 261mm).
- Check that the control box is at least 10 mm away from the leg. If the control box and the leg are too close together, it may result in incorrect sewing machine operation.

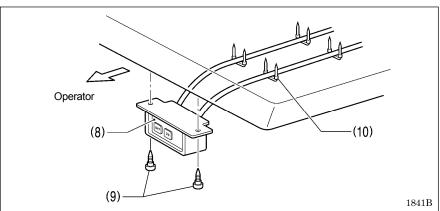


3-2. Installing the control box



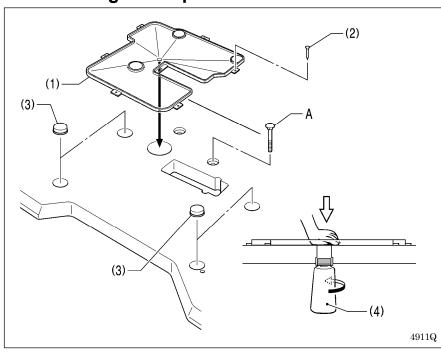
Remove the eight screws (1), and then remove the control box cover (2).

- (3) Control box
- (4) Bolts [4 pcs.]
- (5) Plain washers [4 pcs.]
- (6) Spring washers [4 pcs.]
- (7) Nuts [8 pcs.]



- (8) Power switch
- (9) Wood screws [2 pcs.]
- (10) Staples [4 pcs.]

3-3. Installing the oil pan

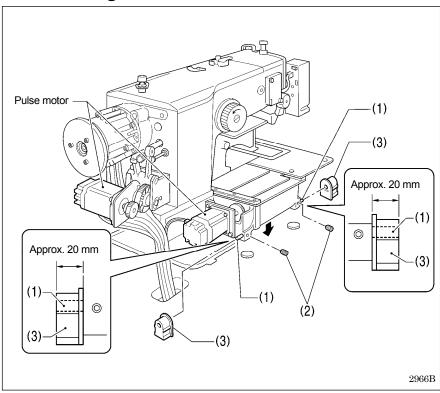


For motor-driven work clamp specifications, install the treadle unit mounting bolt (A) before installing the oil pan.

(Refer to "3-7. Installing the treadle unit (motor-driven work clamp specifications)".)

- (1) Oil pan
- (2) Nails [7 pcs.]
- (3) Rubber cushions [4 pcs.]
- (4) Waste oil tank

3-4. Installing the machine head

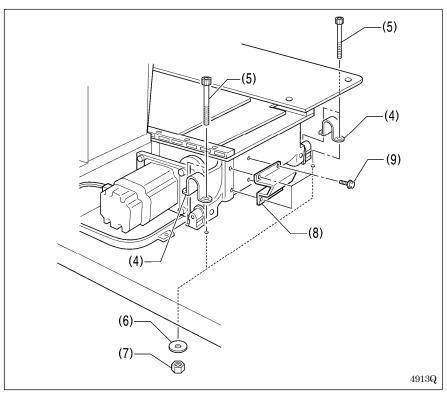


- (1) Pins [2 pcs.]
- (2) Set screws [2 pcs.]
- (3) Hinge rubber assemblies [2 pcs.]

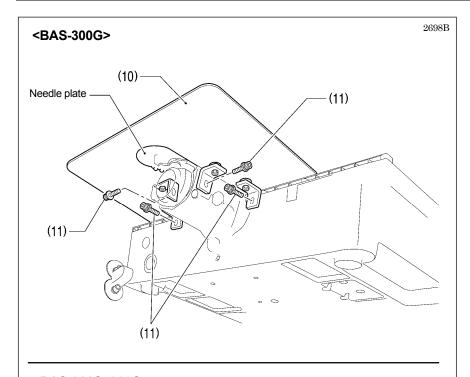
Place the machine head gently on top of the oil pan and the rubber cushions.

NOTE:

- Be careful not to get the cords clamped between the machine head and the oil pan.
- When holding the machine head, do not hold it by the pulse motor. This may cause problems with operation of the pulse motor.



- (4) Hinge holders [2 pcs.]
- (5) Bolts [4 pcs.]
- (6) Plain washers [4 pcs.]
- (7) Nuts [4 pcs.]
- (8) Head rest
- (9) Bolts with washer [4 pcs.]



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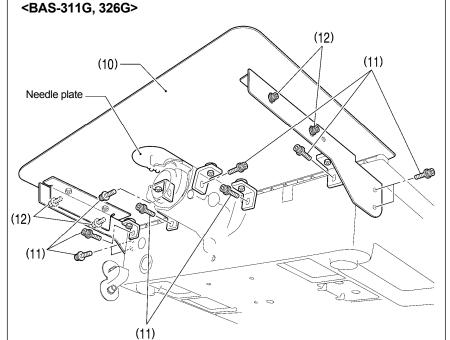
- (10) Auxiliary plate
- (11) Bolts with washer [4 pcs.]

Loosen the four bolts with washer (11), and adjust so that the auxiliary plate (10) is 0 to 0.5 mm above the needle plate.

NOTE:

Install the auxiliary plate (10) so that it is horizontal.

If the auxiliary plate (10) is lower than the needle plate, the feed plate may get caught on the needle plate.



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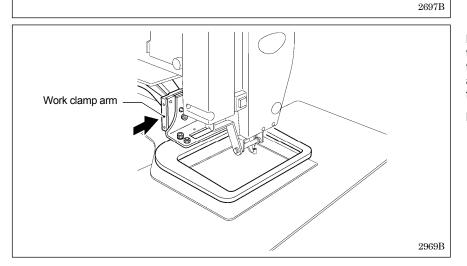
- (10) Auxiliary plate
- (11) Bolts with washer [10 pcs.]

Loosen the six bolts with washer (11) and the four bolts with washer (12), and adjust so that the auxiliary plate (10) is 0 to 0.5 mm above the needle plate.

NOTE:

Install the auxiliary plate (10) so that it is horizontal.

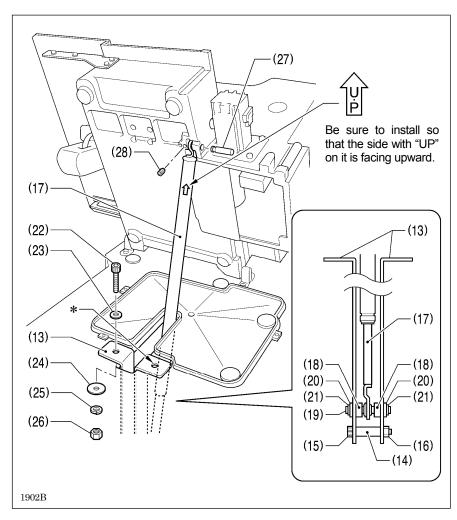
If the auxiliary plate (10) is lower than the needle plate, the feed plate may get caught on the needle plate.



Move the work clamp arm all the way to the right when looking from the front of the sewing machine (the direction of the arrow in the illustration), and then gently tilt back the machine head.

NOTE:

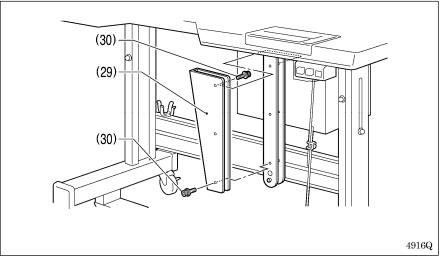
Two or more people should tilt back the machine head, and it should be tilted gently while being held with both hands.



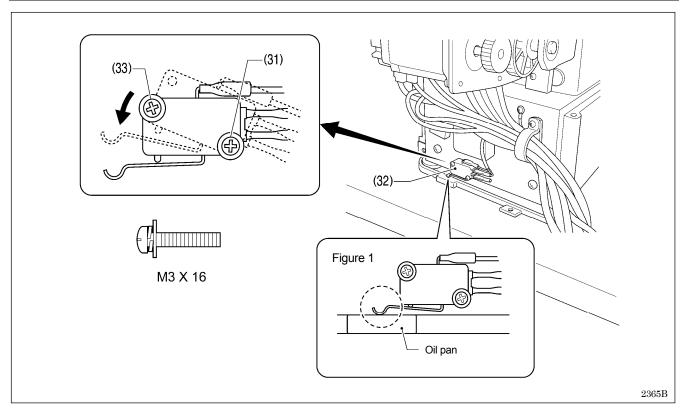
- (13) Gas spring holders [2 pcs.]
- (14) Spacer
- (15) Bolt
- (16) Nut
- (17) Gas spring
- (18) Shaft collars [2 pcs.]
- (19) Gas spring shaft D
- (20) Plain washers [2 pcs.]
- (21) Retaining rings E [2 pcs.]
- (22) Bolts [2 pcs.]
- (23) Plain washers (medium) [2 pcs.]
- (24) Plain washers (large) [2 pcs.]
- (25) Spring washers [2 pcs.]
- (26) Nuts [2 pcs.]
- (27) Gas spring shaft U
- (28) Set screw

NOTE:

For motor-driven work clamp specifications, the bolts (22), plain washers (23), plain washers (24), spring washers (25) and nuts (26) in the places marked with * are also used to install the treadle unit. (Refer to "3-7. Installing the treadle unit (motor-driven work clamp specifications)".)



- (29) Gas spring support cover
- (30) Bolts with washer [6 pcs.]

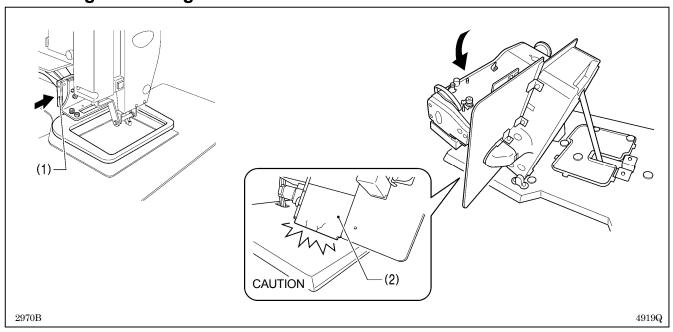


- Gently return the machine head to its original position.
- Loosen the screw (31). Move the machine head switch (32) to the position shown in the illustration, and then secure the machine head switch (32) with the screw (31) and the accessory M3x16 screw (33).
- Check that the machine head switch (32) is turned on as shown in figure 1.

NOTE:

If the machine head switch is not turned on, errors "E050", "E051" and "E055" will be generated.

3-5. Tilting the sewing machine head

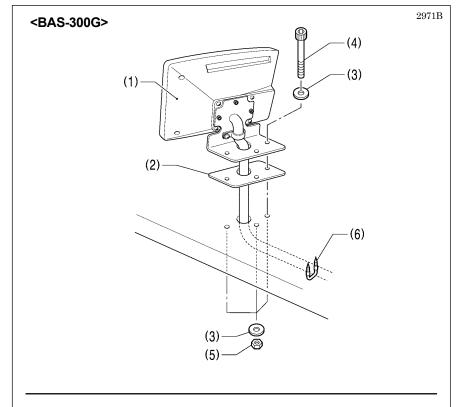


- 1. Move the work clamp arm (1) as far as it will go in the direction of the arrow in the illustration (to the right when looking from the front of the sewing machine).
- 2. Stand at the left side of the table, and gently tilt the machine head towards you.

NOTE:

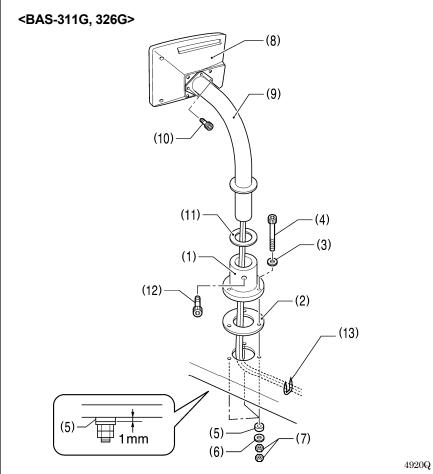
Always be sure to move the work clamp arm (1) all the way to the right before tilting back the machine head. If you try to tilt back the machine head while the work clamp arm (1) is still on the left side, it may damage the outer cover L (2).

3-6. Installing the operation panel



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- (1) Operation panel set
- (2) Panel rubber
- (3) Plain washers [6 pcs.]
- (4) Bolts [3 pcs.]
- (5) Nuts [6 pcs.]
- Insert the cord from the operation panel (1) which has been passed through the hole in the table into the control box through the hole in the side of the control box.
- (6) Staples [3 pcs.]



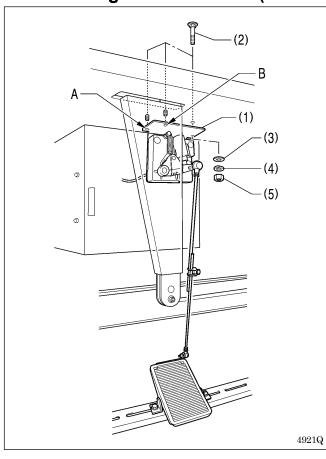
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- (1) Operation panel base
- (2) Cushion A
- (3) Plain washers (medium) [3 pcs.]
- (4) Bolts [3 pcs.]
- (5) Cushions B [3 pcs.]
- (6) Plain washers (large) [3 pcs.]
- (7) Nuts [6 pcs.]

Tighten until the thickness of cushion B (5) is about 1 mm.

- (8) Operation panel
- (9) Operation panel stand
- (10) Bolts [3 pcs.]
- (11) Rubber seat
- (12) Bolt
- Pass the cord from the operation panel (8) through the operation panel stand (9) and the rubber seat (11).
- Fit the operation panel stand (9) into the operation panel base (1), and then secure it with the bolt (12).
- Pass the cord from the operation panel (8) through the hole in the table, and then insert it into the control box through the hole in the side of the control box.
- (13) Staples [3 pcs.]

3-7. Installing the treadle unit (motor-driven work clamp specifications)



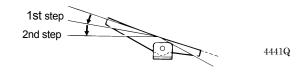
- (1) Treadle unit
- (2) Bolts [3 pcs.]
- (3) Plain washers [3 pcs.]
- (4) Spring washers [3 pcs.]
- (5) Nuts [3 pcs.]

NOTE:

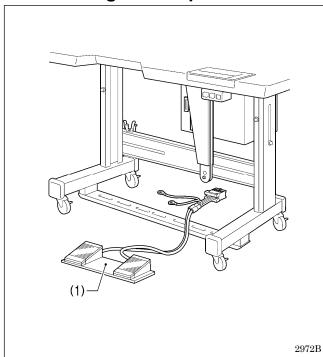
- Install the bolt for mounting hole A before installing the oil pan. (Refer to "3-3. Installing the oil pan.")
- Mounting hole B is used to install the gas spring supports with the bolt, plain washer, spring washer and nut. (Refer to "3-4. Installing the machine head".)
- * Use a commercially-available foot switch and connecting rod.
- * If changing the mounting position for the treadle unit, use the accessory bolts, plain washers, spring washers and nuts.

<Foot switch operating method>

When the foot switch is depressed to the 1st step, the work clamp is lowered, and when it is depressed to the 2nd step, the sewing machine starts sewing.



3-8. Installing the two-pedal foot switch (pneumatic work clamp specifications)



(1) Foot switch

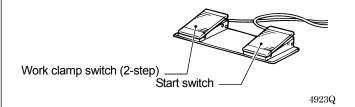
Insert the connector for the foot switch (1) into P6 (FOOT) on the main PCB. (Refer to "3-9. Connecting the cords".)

* Be sure to make the ground connection. (Refer to "3-10. Connecting the ground wire".)

<Foot switch operating method>

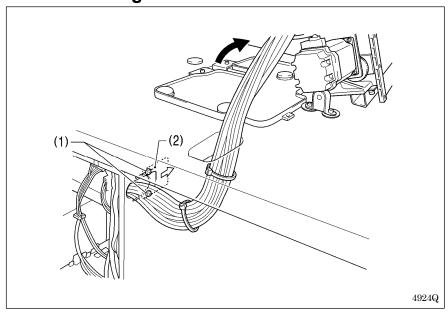
When the work clamp switch (left) is depressed, both work clamps are lowered, and when the start switch (right) is depressed, the sewing machine starts sewing.

* The work clamp lowering method can be changed using memory switch No. 002. (Refer to "6-3. List of memory switch settings.")



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3-9. Connecting the cords



- 1. Gently tilt back the machine head.
- 2. Pass the cord bundle through the hole in the work table.
- Loosen the two screws (1), and then open the cord presser plate (2) in the direction of the right arrow and pass the cord bundle through the opening.
- 4. Securely connect the connectors as indicated in the table below.

NOTE:

- Check that the connector is facing the correct way, and then insert it firmly until it locks into place.
- Secure the cables with cable ties and cord clamps, while being careful not to pull on the connector.

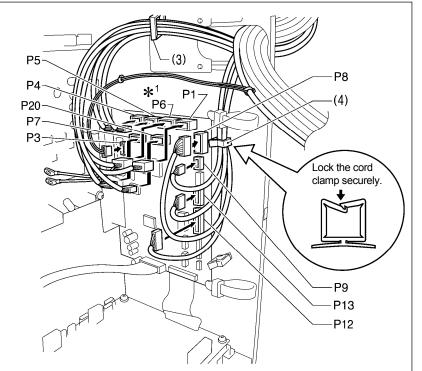
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NOTE:

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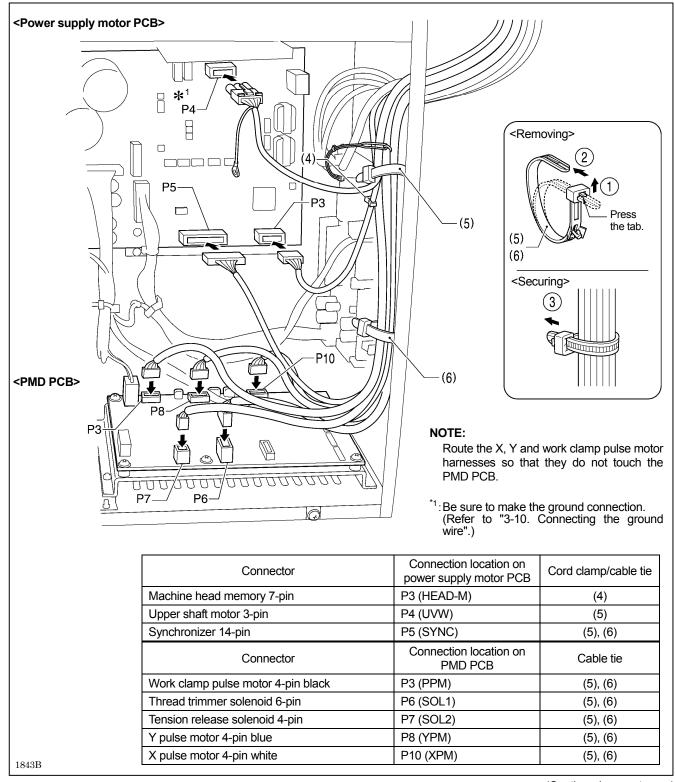
- Check that the connector is facing the correct way, and then insert it firmly until it locks into place.
- Secure the cables with cable ties and cord clamps, while being careful not to pull on the connector.
- *1: Be sure to make the ground connection.

 (Refer to "3-10. Connecting the ground wire".)

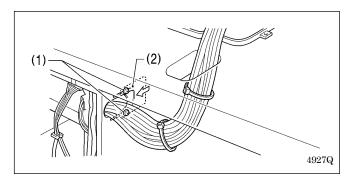


Connector	Connection location on main PCB	Cord clamp
X pulse motor encoder 5-pin white	P20 (X-ENC)	(3)
Y pulse motor encoder 5-pin blue	P4 (Y-ENC)	(3)
Work clamp pulse motor encoder 5-pin black	P5 (P-ENC)	(3)
Foot switch 10-pin	P6 (FOOT)	(3)
Operation panel 8-pin	P1 (PANEL)	(3)
Machine head switch 3-pin	P9 (HEAD-SW)	(4)
Home position sensor assembly 12-pin	P8 (SENSOR1)	(4)
STOP switch 6-pin	P13 (HEAD)	(4)
Valve harness 12-pin (pneumatic work clamp specifications)	P12 (AIR1)	(4)
Programmer relay harness 8-pin	P7 (PRG)	(3)
Solenoid selection harness 4-pin	P3 (CUTTER)	_

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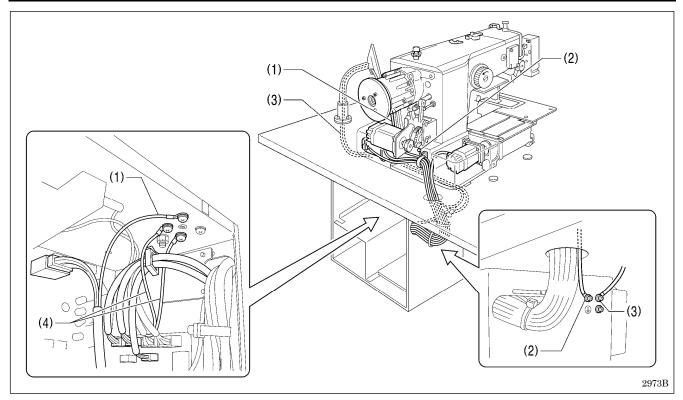
- 5. Close the cord presser plate (2) in the direction of the left arrow, and secure it by tightening the two screws (1).
 - **Note:** Close the cord presser plate (2) securely so that no foreign objects, insects or small animals can get inside the control box.
- 6. Check that the cords do not get pulled, and then gently return the machine head to its original position.

3-10. Connecting the ground wire

A CAUTION



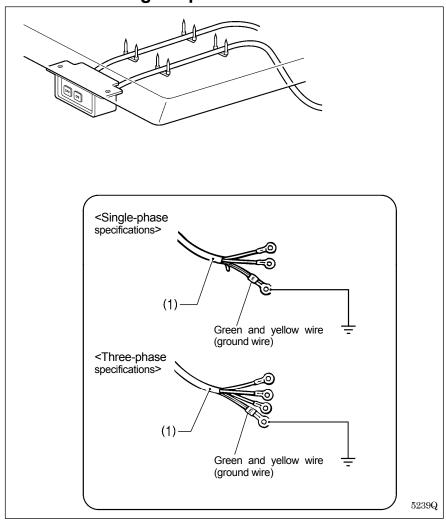
Be sure to connect the ground. If the ground connection is not secure, you run a high risk of receiving a serious electric shock, and problems with correct operation may also occur.



- (1) Ground wire from upper shaft motor harness
- (2) Ground wire from the machine head
- (3) Ground wire from operation panel
- (4) Ground wires from two-pedal foot switch harnesses (2 wires) [for pneumatic work clamp specifications only]
- Tighten the control box cover with the eight screws. Check that the cords are not clamped by the cover at this time.

NOTE: Make sure that the ground connections are secure in order to ensure safety.

3-11. Connecting the power cord

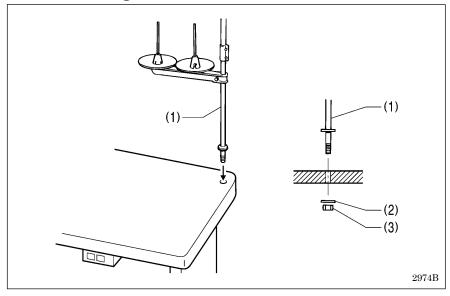


- Attach an appropriate plug to the power cord (1). (The green and yellow wire is the ground wire.)
- 2. Insert the plug into a properly-grounded AC power supply.
- * The inside of the control box uses single-phase power.

NOTE:

Do not use an extension cord. If this is not observed, it may cause problems with correct operation.

3-12. Installing the cotton stand

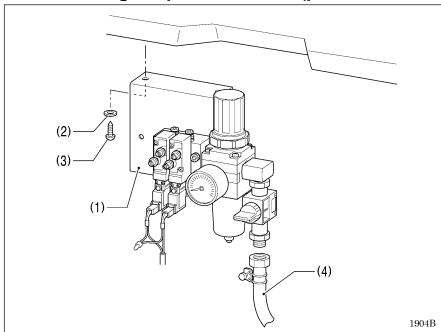


(1) Cotton stand

NOTE:

Fit the washer (2), and then securely tighten the nut (3) so that the cotton stand does not move.

3-13. Installing the pneumatic unit (pneumatic work clamp specifications)



Install underneath the work table.

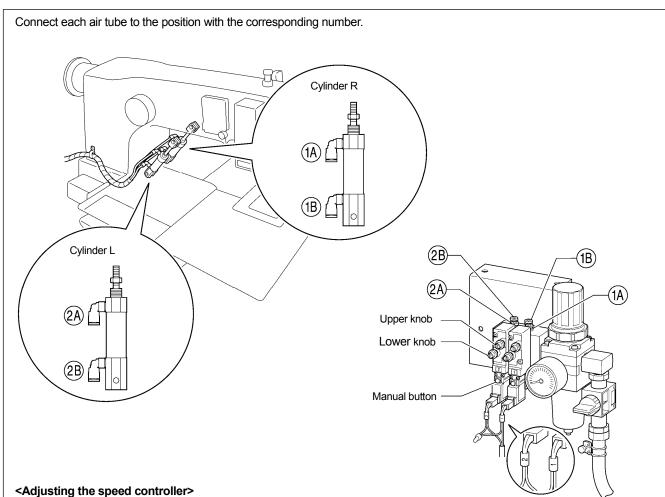
- (1) Solenoid valve assembly
- (2) Washers [2 pcs.]
- (3) Wood screws [2 pcs.]
- (4) Rubber hose

After installing the pneumatic unit, adjust the air pressure.

(Refer to "10-16. Adjusting the air pressure".)

NOTE:

Make sure that the pneumatic unit does not touch the control box or the work table leg.



You can use the valve knobs to adjust the lifting and lowering speeds.

The valve knobs should be adjusted so that the left and right sides of the work clamp operate at the same speed.

- When the upper knob is tightened, the lifting speed becomes slower. When it is loosened, the lifting speed becomes faster.
- When the lower knob is tightened, the lowering speed becomes slower. When it is loosened, the lowering speed becomes faster.

You can operate the work clamp while the power is turned off by pressing the manual button.

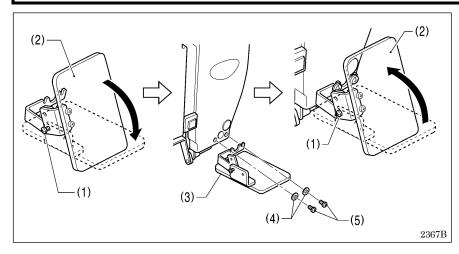
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3-14. Installing the eye guard

A CAUTION

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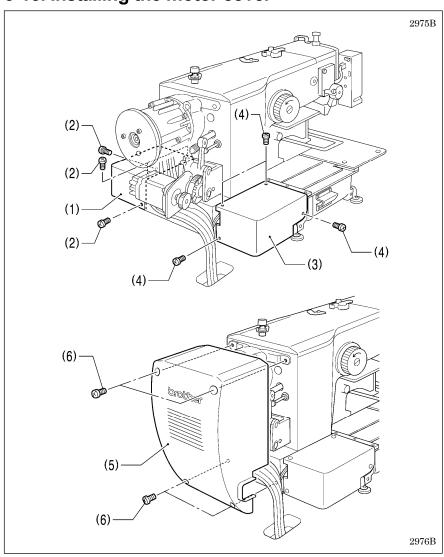
Attach all safety devices before using the sewing machine. If the machine is used without these devices attached, injury may result.



- (1) Screw (loosen)
- (2) Eye guard (tilt forward)
- (3) Eye guard assembly
- (4) Plain washers [2 pcs.]
- (5) Screws [2 pcs.]

After installing the eye guard assembly (3), return the eye guard (2) to its original angle, and then tighten the screw (1) to secure it in place

3-15. Installing the motor cover



- (1) Motor cover R
- (2) Screws [4 pcs.]
- (3) Motor cover L
- (4) Screws [4 pcs.]
- (5) Motor cover
- (6) Screws [4 pcs.]

NOTE:

Be careful not to clamp the cords when installing the motor cover.

3-16. Lubrication

A CAUTION



Do not connect the power cord until lubrication is complete.

If the foot switch is depressed by mistake, the sewing machine might start operating and injury could result.

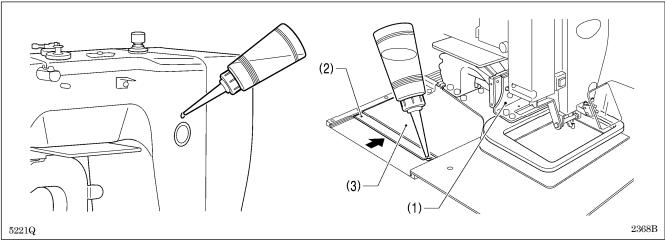


Be sure to wear protective goggles and gloves when handling the lubricating oil and grease, so that they do not get into your eyes or onto your skin. If the oil and grease get into your eyes or onto your skin, inflammation can result. Furthermore, do not drink or eat the lubricating oil or grease. They may cause diarrhea or vomiting. Keep the oil out of the reach of children.

The sewing machine should always be lubricated and the oil supply replenished before it is used for the first time, and also after long periods of non-use.

Use only the lubricating oil <JX Nippon Oil & Energy Corporation Sewing Lube 10N; VG10> specified by Brother.

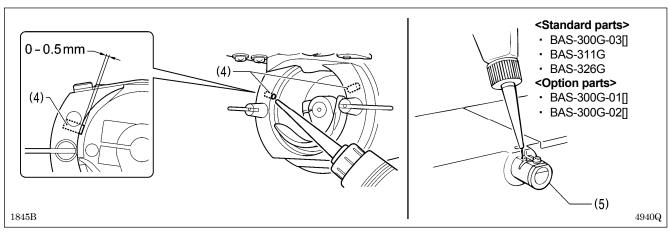
* If this type of lubricating oil is difficult to obtain, the recommended oil to use is <Exxon Mobil Essotex SM10; VG10>.



- 1. Fill the arm-side oil tank with oil.
- 2. Move the work clamp arm (1) as far as it will go to the right when looking from the front of the sewing machine, and then slide the outer cover L (2) into the inner cover L (3) so that the lubrication hole in the bed is visible. Pour oil into the bed side oil tank through this hole.

NOTE:

Be sure to fill the machine with oil when the oil level is down to about one-third full in the oil sight glass. If the oil drops below the one-third level, there is the danger that the machine may seize during operation.



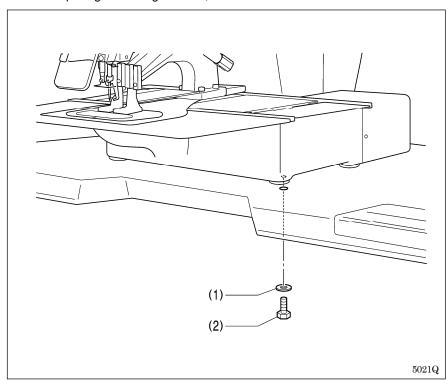
3. Pour oil in through the two holes of the shuttle race base assembly so that the felt (4) is lightly moistened.

NOTE:

- The two pieces of felt (4) should normally project by 0 to 0.5 mm from the hook race. Be careful not to push in the felt (4) when lubricating.
- · If there is no more oil on the felt (4) of the shuttle race base assembly, problems with sewing may result.
- 4. If using the needle cooler (5), fill it with silicon oil (100 mm²/s). (Refer to "4-2. Threading the upper thread".)

3-17. Installing the machine head fixing bolt

When transporting the sewing machine, secure the machine head to the table with the machine head fixing bolt.



- (1) Plain washer
- (2) Machine head fixing bolt

NOTE:

When operating the sewing machine, remove the machine head fixing bolt.

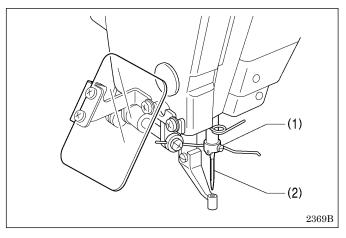
4. PREPARATION BEFORE SEWING

4-1. Installing the needle

A CAUTION

Turn off the power switch before installing the needle.

If the foot switch is depressed by mistake, the sewing machine might start operating and injury could result.

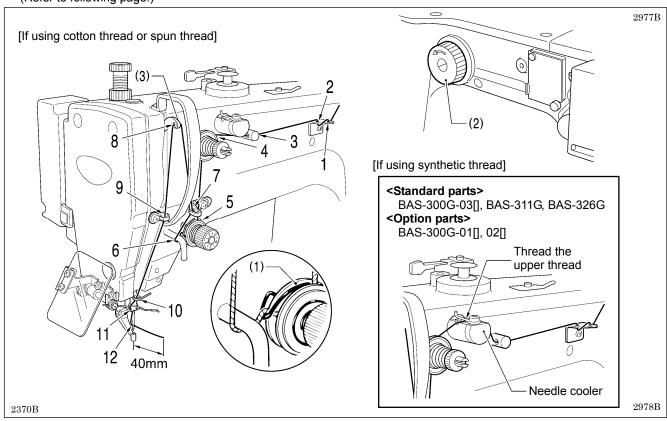


- 1. Loosen the set screw (1).
- 2. Insert the needle (2) in a straight line as far as it will go, making sure that the long groove on the needle is at the front, and then securely tighten the set screw (1).

4-2. Threading the upper thread

Thread the upper thread correctly as shown in the illustration below.

* When using threading mode for threading, the tension discs (1) will open so that the thread can be threaded more easily. (Refer to following page.)

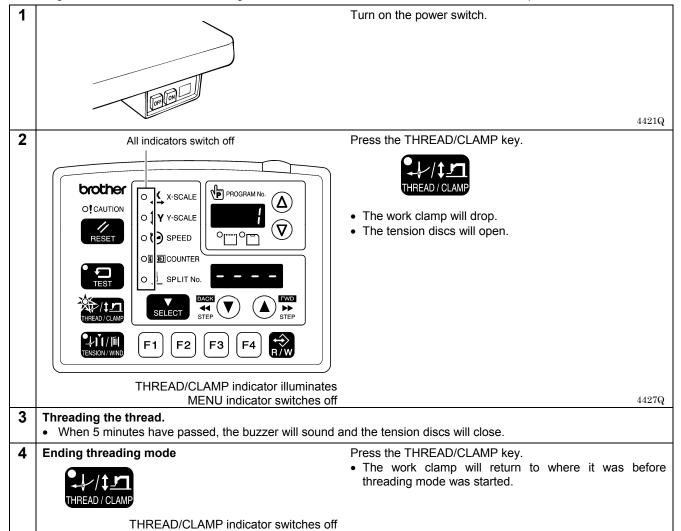


- Turn the machine pulley (2) and raise the thread take-up (3) to its highest position before threading the upper thread. (This will make threading easier and it will prevent the thread from coming out at the sewing start.)
- When threading the thread through the needle, allow a distance of approximately 40 mm between the needle hole and the end of the thread.

If the trailing length of the thread is too long, it may cause the thread to become tangled.

<Threading mode>

Threading mode is safe because the sewing machine will not start even when the foot switch is depressed.

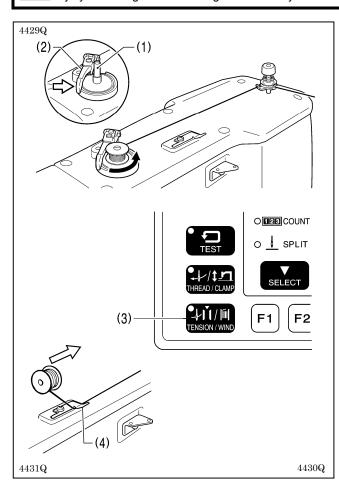


4-3. Winding the lower thread

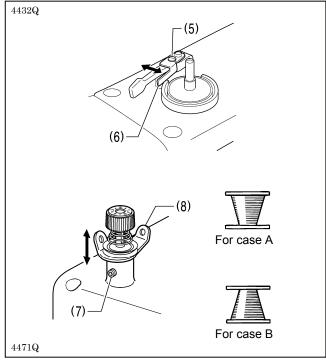
A CAUTION

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Do not touch any of the moving parts or press any objects against the machine while winding the lower thread. Injury or damage to the sewing machine may result.



- 1. Place the bobbin onto the bobbin winder shaft (1).
- 2. Thread the thread as shown in the illustration, wind the thread around the bobbin several times, and then press the bobbin presser arm (2).
- 3. Turn on the power switch.
- 4. Depress the foot switch to the 2nd step.
 (If using a two-pedal foot switch, lower the work clamp before depressing the start switch.)
 - The feed mechanism will move to the home position.
- Check that the needle does not touch the work clamp, and then while pressing the TENSION/WIND key (3), depress the foot switch to the 2nd step. (If using a two-pedal foot switch, lower the work clamp before depressing the start switch.)
- Release the TENSION WIND key (3) after the machine starts operating, and keep depressing the foot switch until the lower thread stops being wound onto the bobbin
 - (If you release the foot switch before winding is complete, and then depress it again while pressing the TENSION/ WIND key (3), winding will start again.)
- 7. Once winding of the set amount of lower thread (80 90% of the bobbin capacity) is completed, the bobbin presser arm (2) will return automatically.
- Remove the bobbin, hook the thread onto the knife (4), and then pull the bobbin in the direction of the arrow to cut the thread.



Adjusting the bobbin winding amount

Loosen the screw (5) and move the bobbin presser (6) to adjust.

If the thread winds onto the bobbin unevenly

Loosen the set screw (7) and move the bobbin winder tension assembly (8) up and down to adjust.

* For case A, move the bobbin winder tension assembly (8) down, and for case B, move it upward.

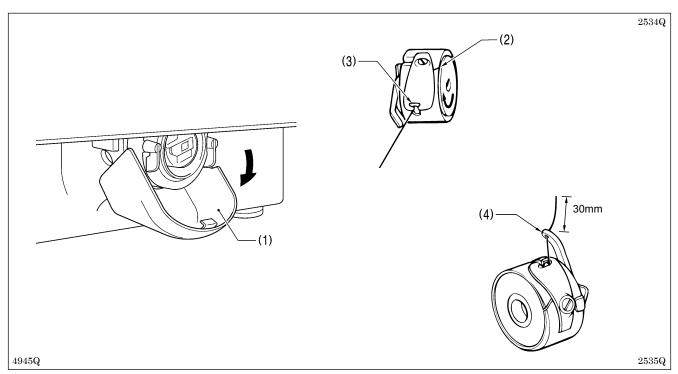
4-4. Installing the bobbin case

A CAUTION

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Turn off the power switch before installing the bobbin case.

If the foot switch is depressed by mistake, the sewing machine might start operating and injury could result.



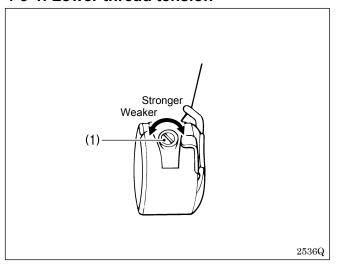
- 1. Pull the shuttle race cover (1) downward to open it.
- 2. While holding the bobbin so that the thread winds to the right, insert the bobbin into the bobbin case.
- 3. Pass the thread through the slot (2) and pull it out from the thread hole (3).
- 4. Check that the bobbin turns in the direction of the arrow when the thread is pulled.
- 5. Pass the thread through the lever thread hole (4), and then pull out approximately 30 mm of thread.
- 6. Hold the latch on the bobbin case and insert the bobbin case into the rotary hook.

4-5. Thread tension

[Thread tension reference]

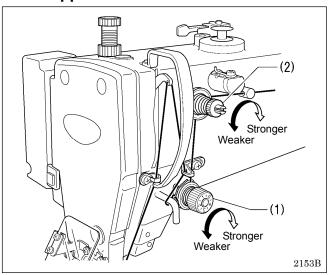
Specifications	Heavy-weight materials (-01[])	Medium-weight materials (-02[])	Seatbelt (-03[])
Upper thread	#20 or similar	#50 or similar	#4 or similar
Lower thread	#20 or similar	#50 or similar	#4 or similar
Upper thread tension (N)	1.4 – 1.8	0.8 – 1.2	1.2 – 2.0
Lower thread tension (N)	0.2 – 0.3		1.0 – 1.5
Pre-tension (N)	0.1 – 0.6	0.1 – 0.3	0.3 – 0.6
Needle	DP x 17 #19	DP x 5 #16	DP x 17 #25
Normal sewing speed	2,000 sti/min	2,000 sti/min	1,300 sti/min

4-5-1. Lower thread tension



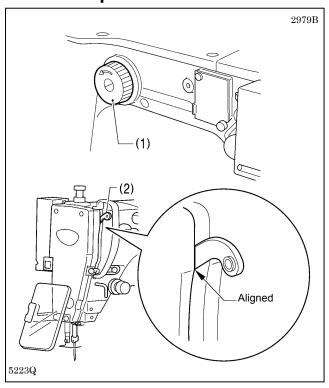
Adjust the thread tension to the weakest possible tension by turning the thread tension nut (1) until the bobbin case will not drop by its own weight while the thread end coming out of the bobbin case is held.

4-5-2. Upper thread tension



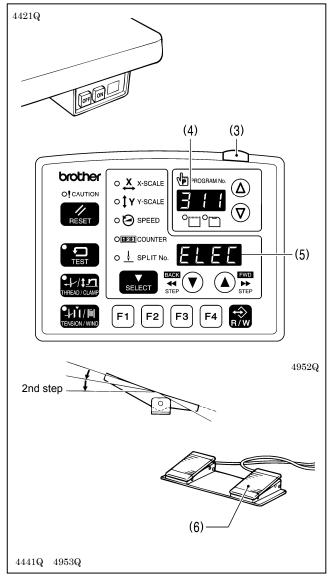
- 1. Turn the tension nut (1) (main tension) to adjust the tension as appropriate for the material being sewn.
- 2. Use the tension nut (2) (sub tension) to adjust the upper thread trailing length to about 40 mm.

4-6. Home position detection



Before starting home position detection, check that the needle bar is at its highest position.

Turn the pulley (1) in the direction of the arrow until the ridge at the bottom of the thread take-up (2) is aligned with the processed line on the arm.



1. Turn on the power switch.

The power indicator (3) will illuminate, and the model number will appear in the PROGRAM No. display (4) and the specifications class will appear in the menu display (5).

Specifications		
Motor-driven work clamp	[ELEC]	
Pneumatic work clamp	[Air]	

After this, the program number will flash in the PROGRAM No. display (4).

2. Depress the foot switch to the 2nd step.

(If using a two-pedal foot switch, lower the work clamp before depressing the start switch (6).)

The sewing machine will move to the home position and the work clamp will rise.

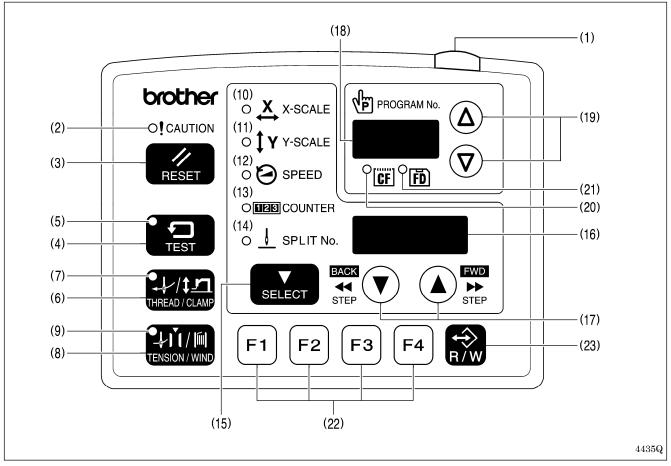
For programs with a large number of stitches, the buzzer will sound after the home position is detected, and then the feed mechanism will move to the sewing start position.

NOTE:

If error "E110" appears when the foot switch is depressed, turn the pulley (1) in the direction of operation to clear the error.

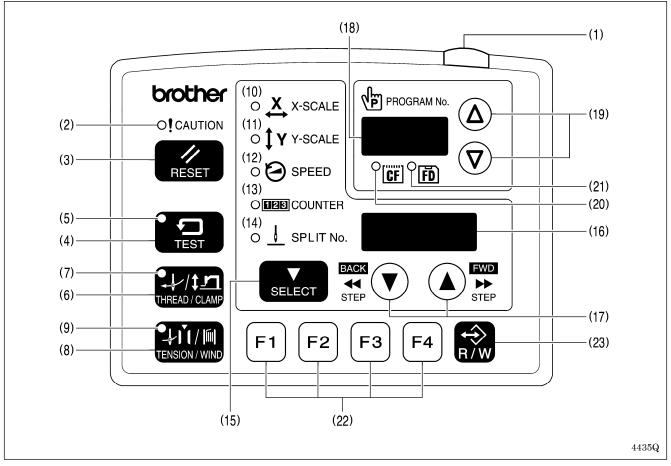
5. USING THE OPERATION PANEL (BASIC OPERATIONS)

5-1. Name and function of each operation panel item



- (1) Power indicator
 - Illuminates when the power is turned on.
- (2) CAUTION indicator
 - Illuminates when an error occurs.
- (3) RESET key
 - Used to reset errors.
- (4) TEST key
 Used to start
 - Used to start test mode.
- (5) TEST indicator
 - Illuminates when the TEST key (4) has been pressed.
- (6) THREAD/CLAMP key
 - Used to start threading mode or work clamp height setting mode.
- (7) THREAD/CLAMP indicator
 - Illuminates when the THREAD/CLAMP key (6) has been pressed.
- (8) TENSION/WIND key
 - Used to wind the lower thread.
- (9) TENSION/WIND indicator Spare
- (10) X-SCALE indicator
 - Illuminates when the SELECT key (15) is pressed to shown the X-scale setting.
- (11) Y-SCALE indicator
 - Illuminates when the SELECT key (15) is pressed to shown the Y-scale setting.

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(12) SPEED indicator

Illuminates when the SELECT key (15) is pressed to shown the sewing speed setting.

(13) COUNTER indicator

Illuminates when the SELECT key (15) is pressed to shown the lower thread or production counter setting.

(14) SPLIT No. indicator

Illuminates when the SELECT key (15) is pressed to show the split setting when split data (for specifying a pause while the program is running) exists.

(15) SELECT key

Used to select a menu (X-scale, Y-scale, sewing speed and counter).

(16) Menu display

Displays information such as menu setting values, memory switch settings and error codes.

(17) Setting keys ▼ ▲

Used to change the value which is displayed in the menu display (16).

In addition, it is used to move the needle position forward and back when sewing has been paused.

(18) PROGRAM No. display

Displays information such as program numbers.

(19) Setting keys **∇** ∆

Used to change the value which is displayed in the PROGRAM No. display (18).

(20) CF media indicator

Illuminates when a CF card (external media) is inserted while the power is turned on.

(21) FD media indicator

Illuminates when a floppy disk (external media) is inserted while the power is turned on. [Option compatibility]

(22) Function keys [F1, F2, F3, F4]

Used to select user programs and to set and select cycle programs.

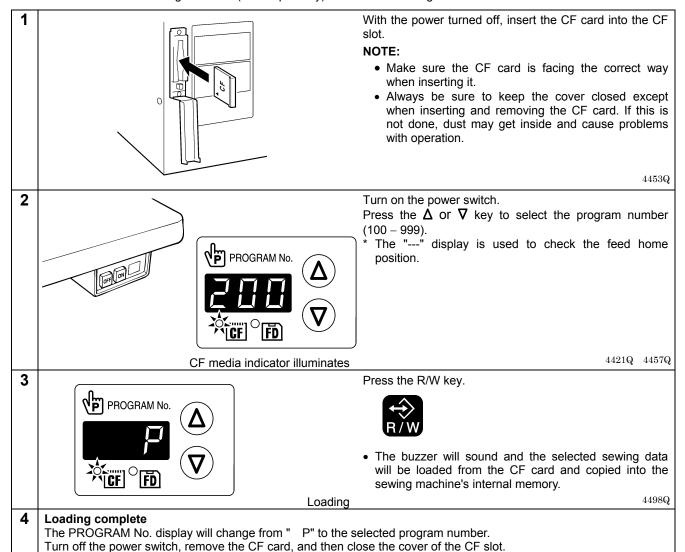
(23) R/W key

Used to read data from and write data to external media.

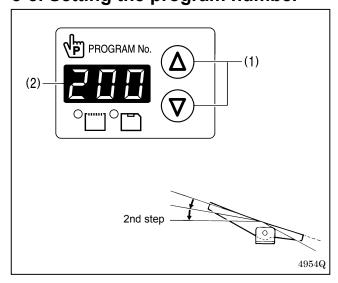
 CF^TM is a trademark of SanDisk Corporation.

5-2. Loading sewing data

Refer to "7-1. Notes on handling CF cards (sold separately)" for details on using CF cards.



5-3. Setting the program number



- 1. Press the Δ or ∇ key (1) to select the program number that is loaded into the internal memory.
 - The program number will flash in the PROGRAM No. display (2).
 - "---" will appear at the time of shipment from the factory. (For checking feed home position)
- 2. Depress the foot switch to the 2nd step.

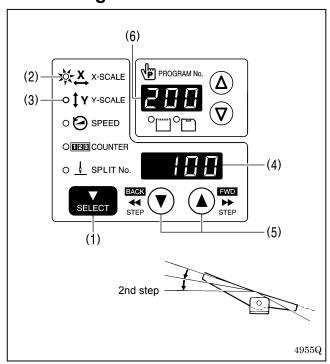
(If using a two-pedal foot switch, lower the work clamp before depressing the start switch.)

- The feed mechanism will move to the home position and the program number will be accepted.
- The program number will stop flashing and illuminate steadily.

NOTE

After completing the setting, be sure to refer to "5-6. Checking the sewing pattern" to check that the needle drop position is correct.

5-4. Setting the X-scale and Y-scale



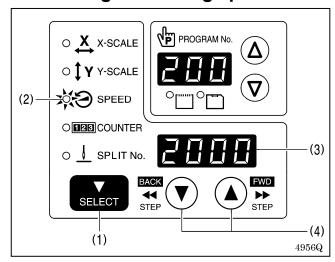
The scales are set to 100 (%) at the time of shipment from the factory.

- Press the SELECT key (1) so that the X-SCALE indicator (2) (for X-scale setting) or the Y-SCALE indicator (3) (for Y-scale setting) is illuminated.
 - The setting value (%) will appear in the menu display
 (4).
 - * When memory switch no. 402 is set to "ON", the settings will be displayed in units of mm.
- 2. Press the \triangle or ∇ key (5) to set the scale (0 400).
 - The program number will flash in the PROGRAM No. display (6).
- Depress the foot switch to the 2nd step. (If using a two-pedal foot switch, lower the work clamp before depressing the start switch.)
 - The feed mechanism will move to the home position and the scale will be accepted.
 - The program number will stop flashing and illuminate steadily.

NOTE:

After completing the setting, be sure to refer to "5-6. Checking the sewing pattern" to check that the needle drop position is correct.

5-5. Setting the sewing speed



The sewing speed is set to 2000 (sti/min) at the time of shipment from the factory.

- 1. Press the SELECT key (1) until the SPEED indicator (2) illuminates.
 - The setting value (sti/min) will appear in the menu display (3).
- 2. Press the ▲ or ▼ key (4) to set the sewing speed. (Sewing speed setting: 400 2700)

5-6. Checking the sewing pattern

Use test feed mode to check the needle movement with only the feed mechanism operating.

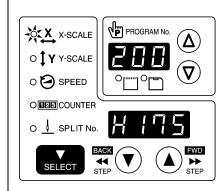
Check that the needle hole does not come out from the frame of the work clamp.



Press the TEST key.

TEST indicator illuminates

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Select the program number to be checked, and then set the X-scale and the Y-scale.

• The program number will flash.

Depress the foot switch to the 2nd step.

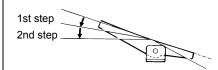
(If using a two-pedal foot switch, lower the work clamp before depressing the start switch.)

- The feed mechanism will move to the home position and the program number will stop flashing and illuminate steadily.
- The number of stitches will appear in the menu display.



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3 Starting continuous test feed mode



COUNTER indicator illuminates

Depress the foot switch to the 2nd step and then release it.

(If using a two-pedal foot switch, lower the work clamp before depressing the start switch and releasing it.)

• Feed mechanism starts moving continuously one stitch at a time.

[Fast-forward test mode]

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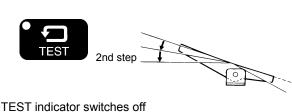
If you depress the foot switch to the 1st step while the feed mechanism is moving, the feeding speed will become faster while the foot switch is being depressed. (If using a two-pedal foot switch, depress the work clamp switch.) 4441Q

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If you press the ▲ key, the feed mechanism will move forward one stitch at a time, and if you press the ▼ key, the feed mechanism will move backward one stitch at a time. (The feed will move quicker if you keep the key pressed down.)

TEST indicator illuminates



If you would like sewing to start while test feeding is in progress, press the TEST key to switch off the TEST indicator.

When you depress the foot switch to the 2nd step, sewing will start. (If using a two-pedal foot switch, depress the start switch.)

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4 If test feeding continues to the final stitch, it will then stop.

Press the TEST key.



TEST indicator switches off

5-7. Setting the work clamp lift amount

The setting for the work clamp lift amount can be changed using the operation panel.

For pneumatic work clamp specifications, only threading mode and intermittent presser foot height setting mode will be available.

1 All indicators switch off PROGRAM No. (Δ) O () SPEED 3EI COUNTER

THREAD/CLAMP indicator illuminates

MENU indicator switches off

Press the THREAD/CLAMP key.

The sewing machine will switch to threading mode.

• " 1" will appear in the PROGRAM No. display, and the work clamp will drop.

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2 Motor-driven work clamp specifications only



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Press the Δ key.

The sewing machine will switch to work clamp height setting mode.

• " 2" will appear in the PROGRAM No. display, and the work clamp will rise to the setting value that appears in the menu

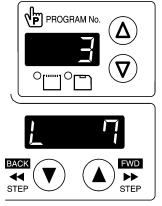
(Work clamp height setting: 15 – 25)

Press the ▲ or ▼ key to set the work clamp height.

• The work clamp will rise or drop to the height of the new value that has been set.

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When memory switch No. 003 is set to "2"



Press the Δ kev.

The sewing machine will switch to intermediate work clamp height setting mode.

• " 3" will appear in the PROGRAM No. display, and the work clamp will move to the setting value that appears in the menu display.

(Intermediate work clamp height setting: 1 – 15)

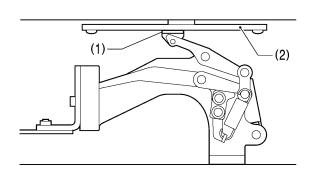
Press the ▲ or ▼ key to set the intermediate work clamp

• The work clamp will rise or drop to the height of the new value that has been set.

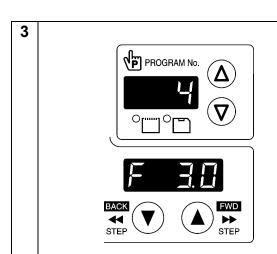
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NOTE:

When setting the work clamp height and the intermediate presser foot work clamp height, check that the slider (1) is touching the work clamp lifter plate assembly (2).



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Press the Δ key.

The sewing machine will switch to intermittent presser foot height setting mode.

• " 4" will appear in the PROGRAM No. display, and the work clamp will rise to the setting value that appears in the menu

(Intermittent presser foot height setting: 0.0 – 10.0)

Press the ▲ or ▼ key to set the intermittent presser foot height.

• The intermittent presser foot will rise or drop to the height of the new value that has been set.

NOTE:

After making the setting, be sure to turn the pulley once by hand and check that the intermittent presser foot does not touch the needle bar.

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<Changing modes>





Motor-driven work clamp specifications

- 1" Threading mode 2" Work clamp height setting mode
- 3" Intermediate work clamp height setting mode (*) $\uparrow \downarrow$
- 4" Intermittent presser foot height setting mode

* When memory switch No. 003 is set to "2"

Pneumatic work clamp specifications

- 1" Threading mode $\uparrow \downarrow$
- 4" Intermittent presser foot height setting mode

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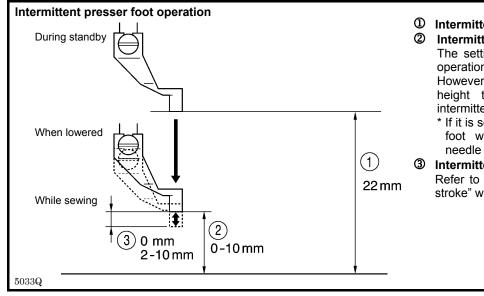
Ending setting mode



Press the THREAD/CLAMP key.

- · The setting values will be memorized.
- The work clamp will return to where it was before setting mode was started.

THREAD/CLAMP indicator switches off



① Intermittent presser foot lift amount

Intermittent presser foot height

The settings can be made by the above operations.

However, set the intermittent presser foot height to a higher setting than the intermittent stroke.

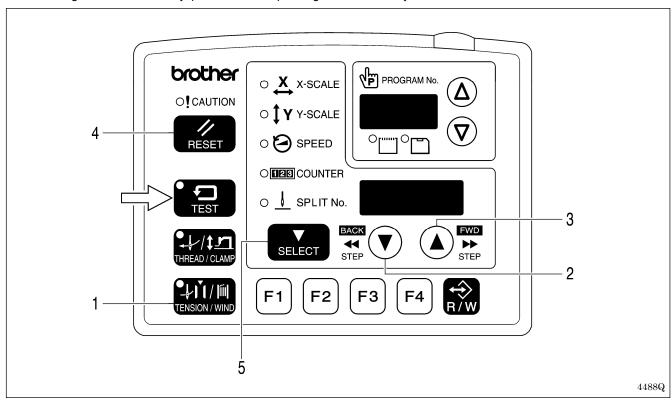
- * If it is set smaller, the intermittent presser foot will come into contact with the needle plate.
- 3 Intermittent stroke

Refer to "10-14. Changing the intermittent stroke" when making the adjustment.

6. USING THE OPERATION PANEL (ADVANCED OPERATIONS)

6-1. List of advanced functions

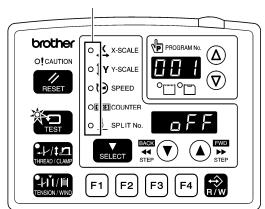
While holding down the TEST key, press the corresponding combination key.



1	TEST + TENSION / WIND	Memory switch setting mode Refer to "6-2. Setting memory switches".
2	+ BACK STEP	Lower thread counter setting mode Refer to "6-4. Using the lower thread counter".
3	+ A STEP	Production counter setting mode Refer to "6-5. Using the production counter".
4	When SPEED indicator is illuminated + RESET	Production counter temporary display function Refer to "6-5. Using the production counter".
5	+ V SELECT	User program setting mode Refer to "6-7. Using user programs".

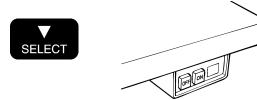
6-2. Setting memory switches

All indicators switch off



While pressing the SELECT key, turn on the power switch.

Keep pressing the SELECT key until the model name is displayed and the buzzer beeps once.



With the power turned on, press the TEST key and the TENSION/WIND key simultaneously.





The memory switch number will appear in the PROGRAM No. display, and its setting value will appear in the menu display.

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Menu indicator switches off **TEST** indicator illuminates

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Press the Δ or ∇ key to select the memory switch number.

Press the ▲ or ▼ key to change the setting.

If you would like to display only the numbers of While pressing the SELECT key, press the Δ or ∇ key. memory switches that have been changed from default settings



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- The numbers of memory switches that have been changed from default settings will appear in order.
- If no memory switches have been changed from their default settings, the display will not change and the buzzer will beep twice.

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3 **Ending setting mode**



Press the TEST key.

• The changes will be memorized and the sewing machine will switch to home position detection standby.

TEST indicator switches off



- If you would like to return the setting for a single memory switch to the default setting, press the RESET key while the number for that memory switch is displayed.
- To return the settings for all memory switches to the default settings, keep pressing the RESET key for two or more seconds until the buzzer makes a long beep.

6-3. List of memory switch settings

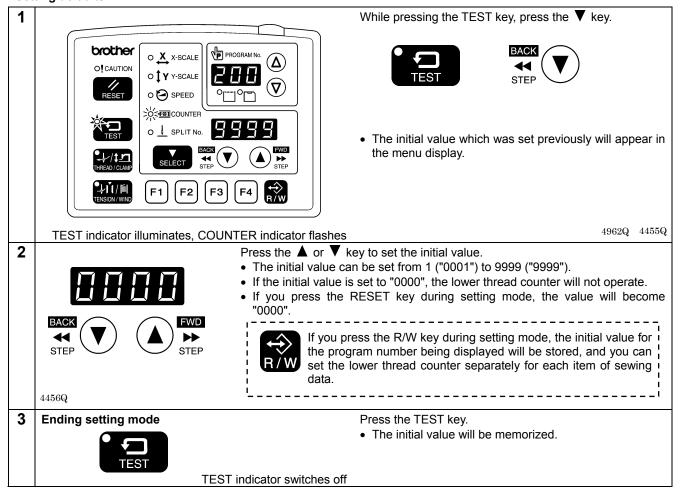
No.	Setting range	Setting items	Initial value	
		ft timing after sewing is completed		
001	OFF Lifts at the final stitch position.		ON	
	ON Lifts after moving to the sewing start position.			
	Separate-type	work clamp drop operation (pneumatic work clamp specifications)		
002	0	Left and right work clamp drop at the same time.	0	
002	1	Work clamp drops in the order left \rightarrow right.		
	2	Work clamp drops in the order right \rightarrow left.		
	Work clamp drop operation (motor-driven work clamp specifications)			
	0	Analog dropping: Work clamp drops in direct proportion to the pedal depression amount, and sewing starts when the pedal is fully depressed		
003	1	1st step drop: Work clamp drops when the pedal is depressed to the 1st step, and sewing starts when the pedal is depressed to the 2nd step	2	
	2	2nd step drop: Work clamp drops to intermediate height when the pedal is depressed to the 1st step, and work clamp drops and sewing starts when the pedal is depressed to the 2nd step.		
	Sewing start s	speed		
100	OFF	The sewing speed for the first 1 – 5 stitches is set by memory switch numbers 151 – 155.	OFF	
		(Refer to the service manual for details of memory switch Nos. 151 – 155.)		
	ON	1st stitch at 400 sti/min, 2nd stitch at 400 sti/min, 3rd stitch at 600 sti/min, 4th stitch at 900 sti/min, 5th stitch at 2,000 sti/min		
	Single-stitch to			
	OFF	Test feed starts when the foot switch (start switch) is depressed, and it continues automatically until the final stitch.		
200	ON	Test feed is carried out one stitch at a time when the foot switch (start switch) is depressed (feed becomes continuous if the foot switch [start switch] is continuously depressed).	OFF	
		In addition, when the TEST indicator is illuminated, test feeding will move forward one stitch at a time when the machine pulley is turned by hand.		
	Production counter display			
300	OFF	Lower thread counter display	OFF	
	ON	Production counter display		
400	User program		055	
400	OFF	Disabled User program mode is enabled	OFF	
	ON User program mode is enabled.			
401	Cycle programs OFF Disabled		OFF	
401	OFF	When sewing user programs, the set programs are sewn in numeric order.	OFF	
	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	uction ratio (mm display) (*)		
402	OFF	Displayed as %.		
	ON	Displayed as mm.	OFF	
	Split mode se			
400	0	Continuous split (split menu is disabled before split detection)		
403	1	Continuous split (split menu is always enabled)	0	
	2	Independent split	1	

^{*} The mm display may differ slightly from the actual sewing size.

6-4. Using the lower thread counter

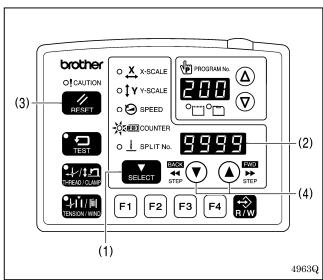
If you use the lower thread counter to set the number of articles which can be sewn with the amount of lower thread available, you can stop the lower thread running out in the middle of sewing a pattern.

<Setting defaults>



<Lower thread counter operation>

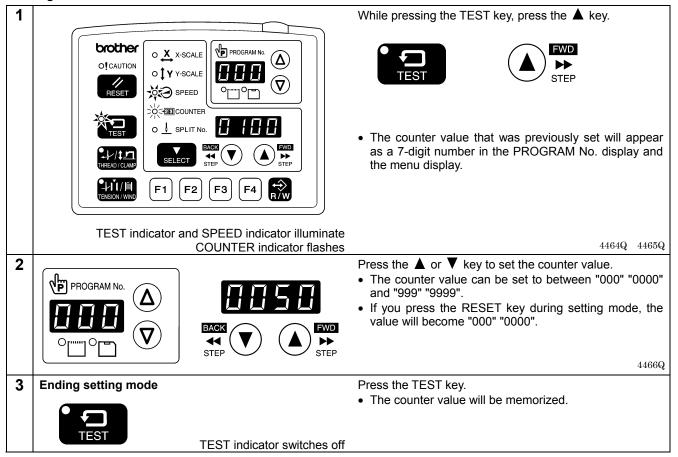
If you press the SELECT key (1) to select the counter display menu when memory switch no. 300 is set to "OFF", the COUNTER indicator will illuminate and the lower thread counter will appear in the menu display (2).



- 1. Each time the sewing of a single article is completed, the value shown in the menu display (2) is reduced by 1.
- When the lower thread counter reaches "0000", the buzzer will sound continuously. The sewing machine will not operate during this time, even if the foot switch is depressed.
- When you press the RESET key (3), the buzzer will stop, the initial value will appear in the menu display (2) and sewing will be possible.
 - If no initial value has been set, the display will be "0000".
- * You can press the ▲ or ▼ key (4) to set the lower thread counter to a desired value. However, this value will not be stored as the initial value.
- * If a lower thread counter value is set, the lower thread counter will operate even if the lower thread counter is not being displayed.

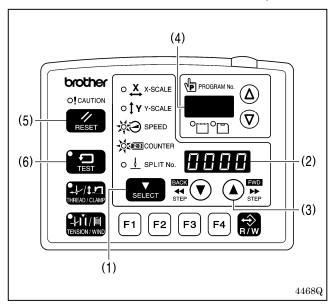
6-5. Using the production counter

<Setting the counter value>



<Pre><Pre>counter operation>

If you press the SELECT key (1) to select the counter display menu when memory switch no. 300 is set to "ON", the SPEED and COUNTER indicators will illuminate and the production counter will appear in the menu display (2).



- Each time the sewing of a single article is completed, the value shown in the menu display (2) is increased by 1.
- While the ▲ key (3) is being pressed, the first three digits will appear in the PROGRAM No. display (4) so that the total number of digits displayed will be seven.
- If you press the RESET key (5) for 2 seconds or more, the counter value will be reset to [0000].

Temporary display function

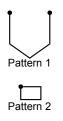
You can display the production counter temporarily while the lower thread counter is being displayed.

When the SPEED indicator is illuminated, hold down the TEST key (6) and then press the RESET key (5) to display the production counter in the menu display (2).

Press the TEST key (6) or the SELECT key (1) to switch the menu back to the normal menu display.

* You can start sewing while the temporary display still appears.

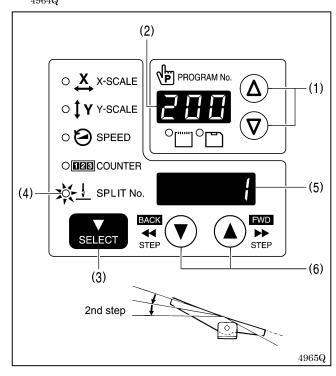
6-6. Setting the split number



If split data (data that causes sewing to pause) exists within a single program, the numbers that are used to specify the patterns that are separated by split data are called split numbers.

Pattern 1: Split No. 1 Pattern 2: Split No. 2 Pattern 3: Split No. 3

Pattern 3



- 1. Press the Δ or ∇ key (1) to select a program number for a program that contains split data.
 - The program number will flash in the PROGRAM No. display (2).
- Depress the foot switch to the 2nd step. (If using a two-pedal foot switch, lower the work clamp before depressing the start switch.)
 - The feed mechanism will move to the home position and the program number will be accepted.
 - The program number will stop flashing and illuminate steadily.
- 3. Press the SELECT key (3) so that the SPLIT No. indicator (4) illuminates.
 - The split number will appear in the menu display (5).
- 4. Press the ▲ or ▼ key (6) to set the split number.

The setting for memory switch No. 403 lets you select the split mode.

[Continuous split]

Memory switch No. 403 = 0 (Split mode is enabled after split data is detected)

Memory switch No. 403 = 1 (Split mode is always enabled)

Sewing is carried out each time in the order of steps 1 → 2 → 3 → 1 (for example, if there are two sections of split data).

[Independent split]

Memory switch No. 403 = 2

• The pattern for the displayed split number is sewn independently.

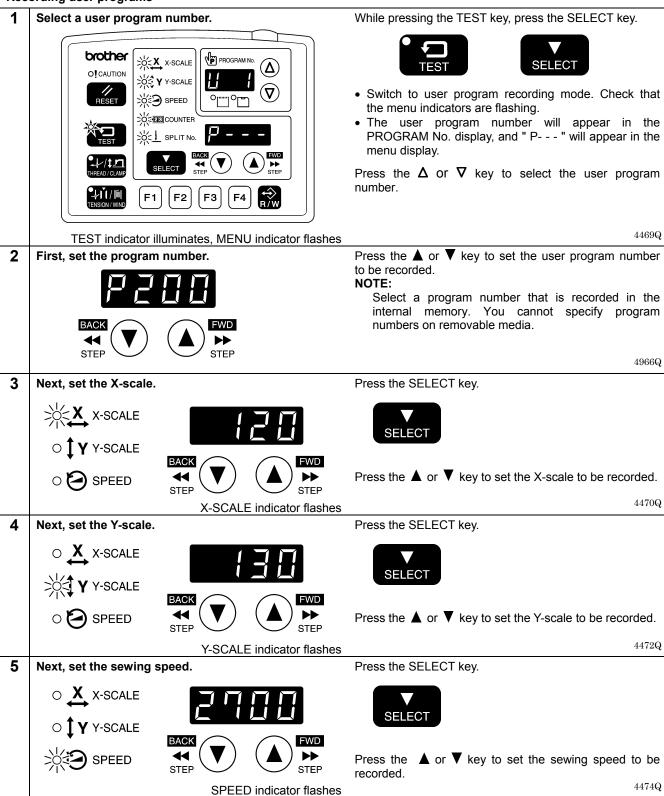
6-7. Using user programs

Up to 50 different combinations of settings including program no., X-scale, Y-scale, sewing speed, work clamp height and intermittent presser foot height can be memorized as user programs (U1 to U50). (However, the work clamp height setting is only enabled for motor-driven work clamp specifications.)

If you are sewing certain patterns over and over again, it is useful to record the settings for these patterns into a user program.

User programs are enabled when memory switch no. 400 is set to "ON".

<Recording user programs>



6 Next, set the work clamp height (motor-driven work clamp specifications only).









Press the SELECT key.



Press the ▲ or ▼ key to set the work clamp height to be recorded.

THREAD/CLAMP indicator flashes

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Next, set the intermediate work clamp height (when memory switch No. 003 is set to "2" for motor-driven work clamp specifications).









Press the SELECT key.



Press the \blacktriangle or \blacktriangledown key to set the intermediate work clamp height to be recorded.

THREAD/CLAMP indicator flashes

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8 Next, set the intermittent presser foot height.





THREAD/CLAMP indicator flashes





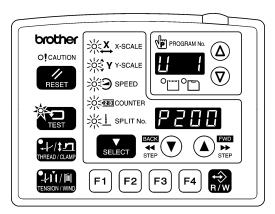
Press the SELECT key.



Press the \blacktriangle or \blacktriangledown key to set the intermittent presser foot height to be recorded.

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Press the SELECT key.

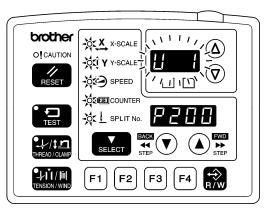


 If setting further user programs, select the user program number and then repeat steps 2 to 9.

TEST indicator illuminates, MENU indicator flashes

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10 End user program recording mode.



Press the TEST key.



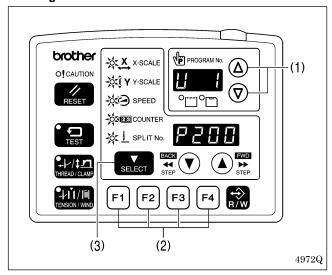
This completes the recording of a user program.

 The user program number will flash in the PROGRAM No. display, and the sewing machine will switch to home position detection standby.

TEST indicator switches off, MENU indicator illuminates

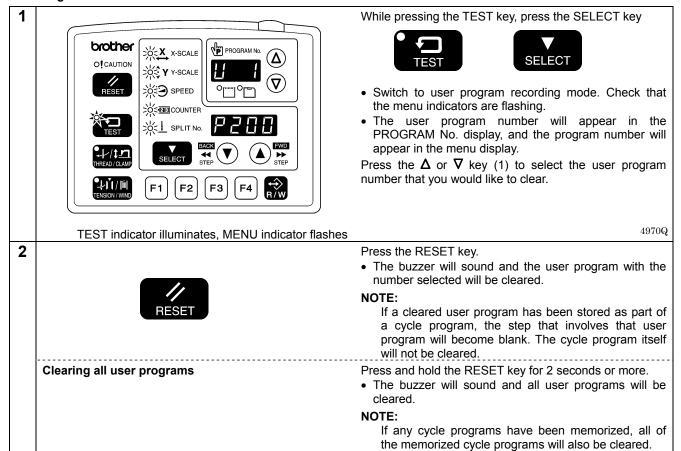
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<Setting method>



- Press the Δ or ∇ key (1) to select the user program number that you would like to use.
 - If the user program number is flashing, depress the foot switch to move the feed mechanism to the home position. After this, it is not necessary to detect the home position until the next time the power is turned off and back on, even if you change the user program number.
 - User programs U1 to U10 can be selected directly using function keys F1 to F4 (2). (Refer to "6-9. Direct selection".)
- 2. Check that the needle drop position is correct, and then start sewing. (Refer to "5-6 Checking the sewing pattern".)
- If you press the SELECT key (3), you can check the settings for the displayed user program (such as X-scale, Y-scale and sewing speed).

<Clearing method>



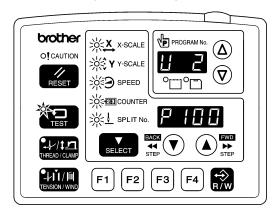
6-8. Using cycle programs

Sewing patterns that have been recorded in user programs can be recorded in up to nine cycle programs (C-1 to C-9). One cycle program can contain up to a maximum of fifteen steps.

When sewing the sewing patterns in numerical order, it can be useful to record them in a cycle program beforehand. Cycle programs are enabled when memory switch nos. 400 and 401 are set to "ON".

<Recording method>

Switch to user program recording mode.



While pressing the TEST key, press the SELECT key.





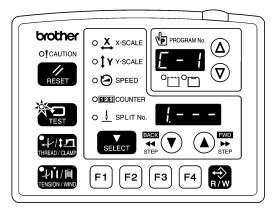
- · Check that the menu indicators are flashing.
- The user program number will appear in the PROGRAM No. display, and the program number will appear in the menu display.

Record the sewing pattern that you would like to use in a cycle program into a user program.

TEST indicator illuminates, MENU indicator flashes

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Switch to cycle program recording mode, and select Press a function key from F1 to F4. the cycle program number.





• The cycle program number (C-1 to C-4) will appear in the PROGRAM No. display, and "1 .--- will appear in the menu display.

Press the function key (F1 to F4) or press the Δ or ∇ key to select the cycle program number.

MENU indicator switches off

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3 Set step 1.



Press the ▲ or ▼ key to select the user program number that you would like to record.

Press the SELECT key.



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4 Set the rest of the steps in the same way from step 2 onward.

From step 9 onward, "A.---", "b.---", "c.---", "d.---", "E.---" and "F.---" will be displayed.

If you would like to return to a previous step during the setting procedure

<For cycle programs C-1 to C-4>

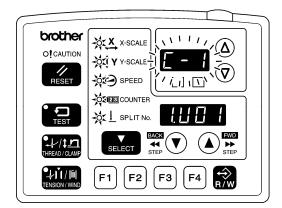
- 1. Press the respective function key from F1 to F4 to return to the display for step 1.
- 2. Press the SELECT key until the desired step is reached.

<For cycle programs C-5 to C-9>

- 1. Press the Δ or ∇ key to switch the cycle program number.
- 2. Select the desired cycle program number again, and then press the SELECT key until the desired step is reached.

5 To record another cycle program, repeat steps 2 to 4.

6 End cycle program recording mode.



Press the TEST key.



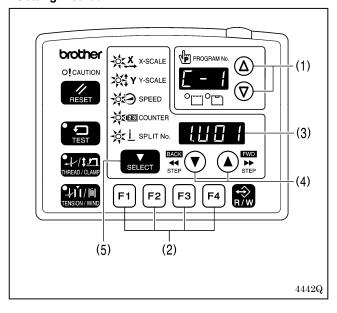
This completes the recording of cycle programs.

 The cycle program number will flash in the PROGRAM No. display, and the sewing machine will switch to home position detection standby.

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TEST indicator switches off, MENU indicator illuminates

<Setting method>



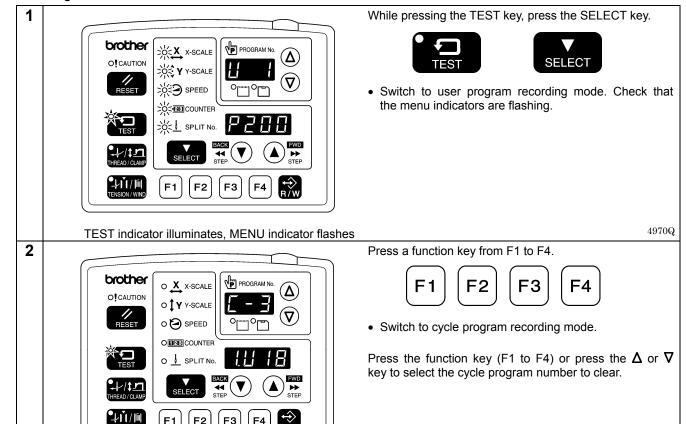
- Press the Δ or ∇ key (1) to select the cycle program number that you would like to use.
 - If the cycle program number is flashing, depress the foot switch to move the feed mechanism to the home position. After this, it is not necessary to detect the home position until the next time the power is turned off and back on, even if you change the cycle program number.
 - The cycle program number can be selected directly by pressing function keys F1 to F4 (2). (Refer to "6-9. Direct selection".)
- Check that the needle and work clamp do not interfere with each other, and then start sewing. (Refer to "5-6 Checking the sewing pattern".)
- 3. The recorded user program will be sewn step by step, and when the final step is complete, the menu display (3) will return to showing step 1.
- If you press the ▲ or ▼ key (4), you can return to the previous step or skip to the next step respectively. (You do not need to carry out home position detection again.)
- If you press the SELECT key (5), you can check the details (such as X-scale, Y-scale and sewing speed) of the user program for the displayed step. The setting cannot be changed at this time.

NOTE:

If cycle program sewing mode is active (when memory switch no. 401 is "ON") but no cycle programs have been recorded, the user programs will be sewn in numeric order.

"C-0" will appear in the PROGRAM No. display at this time.

<Clearing method>



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Press the RESET key.

MENU indicator switches off

 The buzzer will sound and the cycle program with the number selected will be cleared.

Clearing all cycle programs

Press and hold the RESET key for 2 seconds or more.

The buzzer will sound and the all cycle programs will be cleared.

NOTE: If you clear all user programs after any cycle programs have been recorded, all recorded cycle programs will also be cleared.

6-9. Direct selection (combination table)

You can use the function keys to directly select user program numbers and cycle program numbers. U1 to U4 and C-1 to C-4 can be selected using function keys F1 to F4.

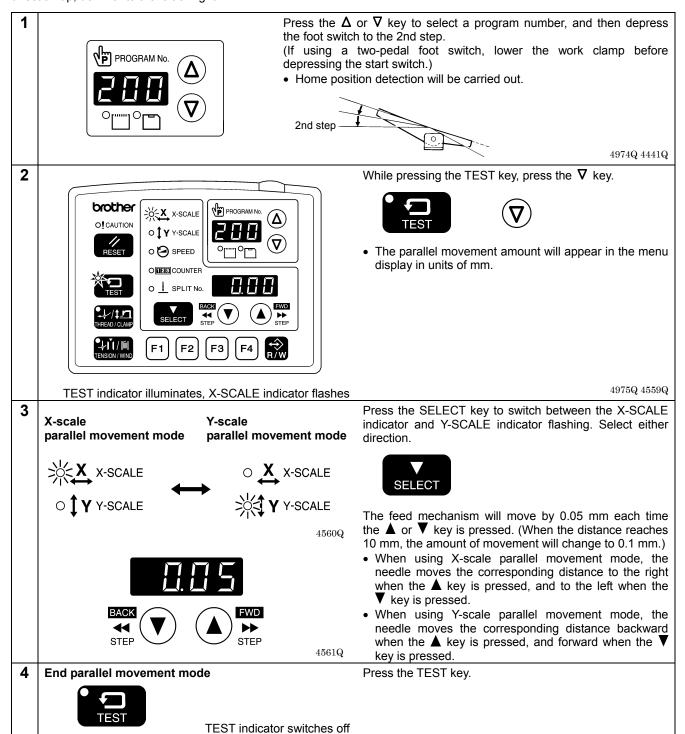
U5 to U10 and C-5 to C-9 can be selected by simultaneously pressing combinations of function keys F1 to F4 (addition).

U5/C-5	U6/C-6	U7/C-7
F1 + F4	F2 + F4	F3 + F4
F2 + F3	F1 + F2 + F3	F1 + F2 + F4
U8/C-8	U9/C-9	U10
F1 + F3 + F4	F2 + F3 + F4	F1 + F2 + F3 + F4

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6-10. X and Y parallel movement of sewing pattern

You can move the feed mechanism to the desired position to move an already-programmed sewing pattern in a parallel direction up, down or to the left or right.



NOTE:

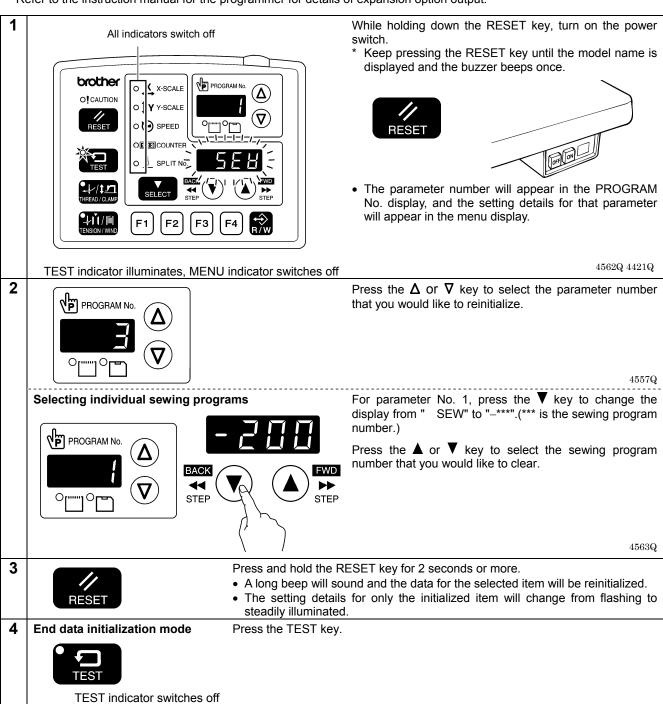
- The feed mechanism will not move to a position that would move the sewing pattern outside the sewing area.
- If you change the program number, X-scale or Y-scale settings, the amount of movement recorded will be reset.
- In addition, the amount of movement will be reset if the power switch is turned off and then back on again. However, memory switch No. 465 is set to "ON", the amount of movement will be recorded and will not be reset. (Refer to the service manual for details on memory switch No. 465.)

6-11. Clearing memory data (reinitialization)

If the sewing machine stops operating normally, the cause may be that an incorrect memory setting may have been made by means of the memory switch, for instance. In such cases, normal operation may be restored if the memory data is reinitialized.

Parameter No.	Setting items		
1	[SEW]	Clearing all sewing programs	
l l	[-***]	Clearing individual sewing programs	
2	[MEM] Reinitializing memory switches		
2	[ALL]	Clearing or reinitializing all memory data (sewing programs, memory switches,	
3		user programs, cycle programs and expansion option output data)	
4	4 [USE] Clearing user programs and cycle programs		
5	[EoP]	Clearing expansion option output data	

Refer to the instruction manual for the programmer for details of expansion option output.



7. USING CF CARDS

7-1. Notes on handling CF cards (sold separately)

- Use a CF card with a memory capacity of 32, 64, 128, 256, 512 MB, 1GB or 2GB. (CF cards with a capacity of more than 2GB are not supported.)
- · Do not disassemble or modify the CF card.
- Do not bend, drop or scratch CF cards or place heavy objects on top of them.
- Avoid contact with liquids such as water, oil, solvents or drinks.
- Use and store CF cards in locations that are free from strong static electricity and electrical interference.
- Do not use or store CF cards in places where they may be subject to vibrations or shocks, direct sunlight, high temperature or humidity or strong magnetic fields from equipment such as speakers, or places which are dusty from thread scraps, etc.
- Do not subject CF cards to shocks or impacts or remove them from the sewing machine while data is being loaded or written.
- The data on the CF cards may become lost or corrupted due to some malfunction or accident. It is recommended that you make a backup of important data.
- · CF cards should only be removed after the power for the sewing machine has been turned off.
- · CF cards are already formatted when they are purchased, and so you should not reformat them.
- The recommended CF cards are commercially-available ones from SanDisk or HAGIWARA SYS-COM. CF cards from
 other manufacturers can be used, but different formatting methods may mean that loading from or writing to such cards
 may not be possible.

For more information, refer to the documentation provided with the CF card.

- * This product is compatible with CF cards that have been formatted using the FAT16 method. Cards that have been formatted using the FAT32 method cannot be used.
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7-2. Structure of a CF card folder

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\BROTHER\ISM\ISMDB00\ISMMSW.SEW

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\ISMS0100.SEW
\ISMS0101.SEW
\ISMS0102.SEW
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\ISMS0102.SEW
: Sewing data P No. = 101
: Sewing data P No. = 102

*1 The underlined portion of the name of the \BROTHER\ISM\SMDB<u>00</u> folder for sewing data can be changed by changing the setting for memory switch No. 752 in order to change the folder name. Change the folder name if you would like to store sewing data for different sewing machines on a single CF card. (Refer to the service manual for details on memory switch No. 752.)

7-3. Data read/write mode

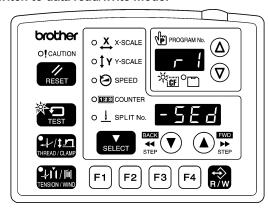
With the power turned off, insert the CF card into the CF slot.

NOTE:

- Make sure the CF card is facing the correct way.
- Always be sure to keep the cover closed except when inserting and removing the CF card. If this is not done, dust may get inside and cause problems with operation.
- If no valid data can be found, the CF media indicator will not illuminate.

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- 2 Turn on the power switch.
- 3 Switch to data read/write mode.



While pressing the TEST key, press the R/W key.



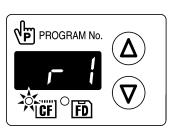


- The mode number will appear in the PROGRAM No. display, and the setting details for that mode will appear in the menu display.
- The initial mode is sewing data reading mode. (Refer to the read/write mode list)

TEST indicator and CF media indicator illuminate

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Press the Δ or ∇ key to select the mode.

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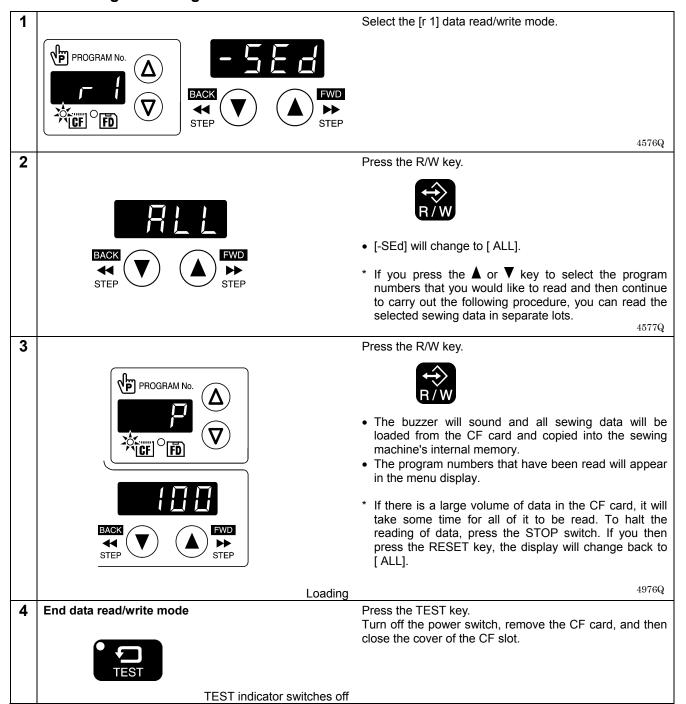
[Read/write mode list]

PROGRAM No.	Menu display	Satting itoms	
display	ivieriu dispiay	Setting items	
r 1	[-SEd]	Sewing data is read from the CF card. (*1)	
w 2	[SEd-]	Sewing data is written to the CF card.	
r 3	[-MEM]	Memory switch settings are read from the CF card.	
w 4	[MEM-]	Memory switch settings are written to the CF card.	
r 5	[-UPG]	User programs are read from the CF card.	
w 6	[UPG-]	User programs are written to the CF card.	
r 7	[-SyS]	Control programs are read from the CF card and used to update the firmware version.	
w 8	[LoG-]	Error log data is written to the CF card.	
r 9	[-Fdd]	Sewing data is read from the floppy disk. (*2) (*3)	
w 10	[Fdd-]	Sewing data is written to the floppy disk. (*2)	
r 11	[-EoP]	Expansion option output (*4) data is read from the CF card.	
w 12	[EoP-]	Expansion option output data is written to the CF card.	
r 13	[oPFd]	Expansion option output data is read from the floppy disk. (*2)	
r 14	[-EoP]	Expansion option output data for older models is read from the CF card. (*5)	

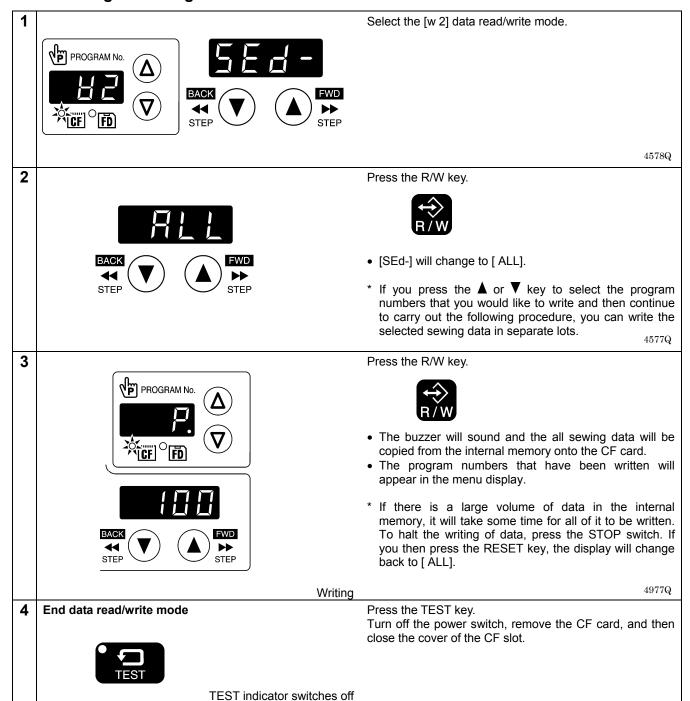
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- *1 The sewing data that can be used with this sewing machine is data that has been created for the BAS-300G series.
- *2 Only valid when using an optional floppy disk drive.
- *3 Sewing data for the BAS-300 series, BAS-300A series and BAS-300E/F series can be read.
- *4 Refer to the instruction manual for the programmer for details of expansion option output.
- *5 Can be selected when memory switch No. 755 = ON. Save the expansion option output data (BAS900.SEQ) in the \BROTHER\ISM\ISMDB00 folder.

7-3-1. Reading all sewing data from the CF card at once



7-3-2. Writing all sewing data to the CF card at once



Refer to the service manual for details on other read/write modes.

8. SEWING

WARNING



Do not allow any liquids to get onto this sewing machine, otherwise fire, electric shocks or operating problems may occur.



If any liquid gets inside the sewing machine (machine head or control box), immediately turn off the power and disconnect the power plug from the electrical outlet, and then contact the place of purchase or a qualified technician.

A CAUTION



Turn off the power switch at the following times.

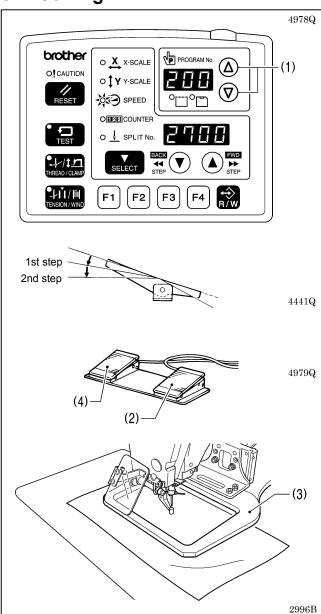
If the foot switch is depressed by mistake, the sewing machine might start operating and injury could result.

- When threading the needle
- When replacing the bobbin and needle
- When not using the machine and when leaving the machine unattended



Do not touch any of the moving parts or press any objects against the machine while sewing, as this may result in personal injury or damage to the machine.

8-1. Sewing



- 1. Turn on the power switch.
- Press the ∆ or ∇ key (1) to select the sewing program number that you would like to use.
 - * Refer to "5-2. Loading sewing data" for details on reading sewing data from a CF card.

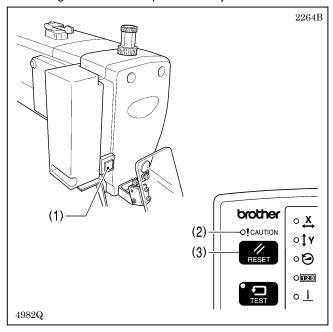
- 3. Depress the foot switch to the 2nd step. (If using a two-pedal foot switch, lower the work clamp before depressing the start switch (2).)
 - The feed mechanism will move to the home position.
- 4. Place the article to be sewn underneath the work clamp (3).
- Depress the foot switch to the 1st step. (If using a two-pedal foot switch, depress the work clamp switch (4).)
 - The work clamp (3) will drop.
- 6. Depress the foot switch to the 2nd step.
 (If using a two-pedal foot switch, depress the start switch (2).)
 - · The sewing machine will start sewing.
- 7. When sewing is complete, the thread will be trimmed and the work clamp (3) will rise.

Use a work clamp that hold the article being sewn firmly, without allowing it to slip.

If using the standard work clamp and feed plate and the article being sewn is slipping, take measures to stop the work clamp and feed plate from being slippery.

8-2. Using the STOP switch

If you press the STOP switch (1) while sewing or test feeding is in progress, the CAUTION indicator (2) will illuminate and the sewing machine will stop immediately.



<Clearing>

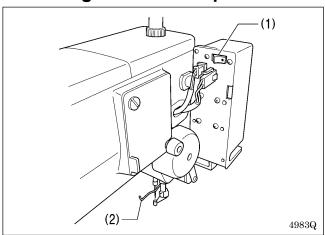
- 1. Press the RESET key (3).
 - The thread will be trimmed, and then the CAUTION indicator (2) will switch off and the buzzer will stop sounding.
- 2. If you do not wish to continue sewing, press the RESET key (3) once more.
 - The program number will flash. Carry out preparation for the next sewing.

<Continuing sewing from a stopping point>

If you have pressed the STOP switch (1) at times such as if the thread breaks while sewing or the lower thread runs out, you can resume sewing from the point where the thread ran out.

1	RESET	Press the RESET key. • The thread will be trimmed, and then the CAUTION indicator will switch off and the buzzer will stop sounding.
2	BACK STEP STEP	Press the ▼ key to return to the position where sewing stopped. • When you press the ▼ key, the feed mechanism will move backward one stitch at a time, and when you press the ▲ key, it will move forward one stitch at a time. (The feed will move quicker if you keep the key pressed down.)
3	2nd step	Depress the foot switch to the 2nd step. (If using a two-pedal foot switch, depress the start switch.) The sewing machine will start operating and sewing will start. 4441Q

8-3. Using the thread wiper switch



The thread wiper switch (1) can be used to turn the thread wiper (2) on and off.

9. CLEANING

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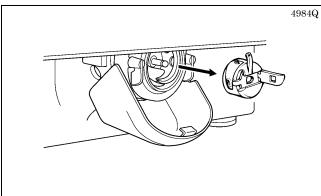
Turn off the power switch before carrying out cleaning.

If the foot switch is depressed by mistake, the sewing machine might start operating and injury could result.

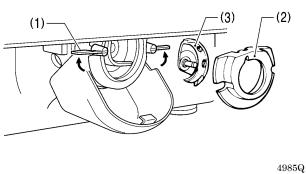


Be sure to wear protective goggles and gloves when handling the lubricating oil and grease, so that they do not get into your eyes or onto your skin. If the oil and grease get into your eyes or onto your skin, inflammation can result. Furthermore, do not drink or eat the lubricating oil or grease. They may cause diarrhea or vomiting. Keep the oil out of the reach of children.

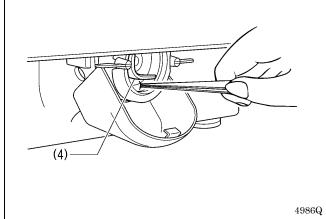
9-1. Cleaning the rotary hook



1. Pull the shuttle race cover downward to open it, and then remove the bobbin case.

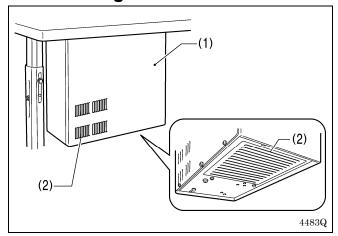


2. Open the setting claw (1) in the direction indicated by the arrow, and then remove the shuttle race base (2) and the shuttle hook (3).



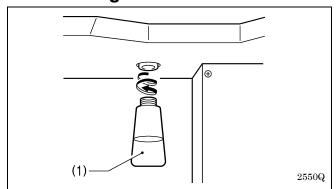
 Clean all the dust and thread ends from around the driver (4), the top of the rotary hook thread guide and the shuttle race.

9-2. Cleaning the control box air inlet ports



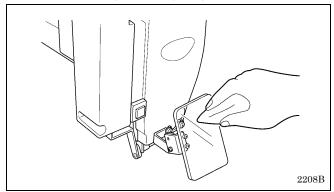
Use a vacuum cleaner to clean the filter in the air inlet ports (2) of the control box (1) at least once a month.

9-3. Draining the oil



- Remove and empty the waste oil tank (1) whenever it is full.
- 2. After emptying the waste oil tank (1), screw it back into its original position.

9-4. Cleaning the eye guard

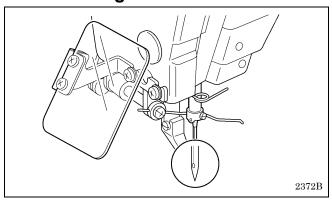


Wipe the eye guard clean with a soft cloth.

NOTE:

Do not use solvents such as kerosene or thinner to clean the eye guard.

9-5. Checking the needle



Always check that the tip of the needle is not broken and also that the needle is not bent before starting sewing.

9-6. Lubrication

Lubricate the sewing machine while referring to "3-16. Lubrication".

10. STANDARD ADJUSTMENTS

A CAUTION



Maintenance and inspection of the sewing machine should only be carried out by a qualified technician.



Ask your Brother dealer or a qualified electrician to carry out any maintenance and inspection of the electrical system.



Turn off the power switch and disconnect the power cord before carrying out the following operations. If the foot switch is depressed by mistake, the sewing machine might start operating and injury could result.

- Inspection, adjustment and maintenance
- Replacing consumable parts such as the rotary hook



Hold the machine head with both hands when tilting it back or returning it to its original position.

In addition, do not apply excessive force when tilting back the machine head. The sewing machine may become unbalanced and fall down, and serious injury or damage to the sewing machine may result.

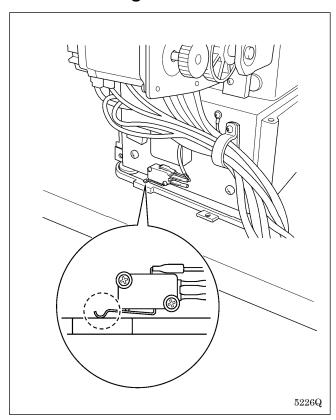


If the power switch needs to be left on when carrying out some adjustment, be extremely careful to observe all safety precautions.



If any safety devices have been removed, be absolutely sure to re-install them to their original positions and check that they operate correctly before using the machine.

10-1. Checking the machine head switch



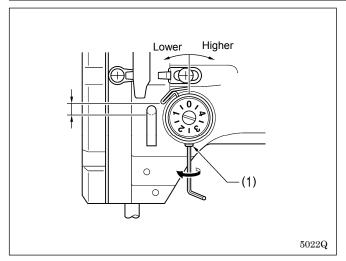
Check that the machine head switch is turned on as shown in the illustration.

NOTE:

If the machine head switch is not turned on, errors "E050", "E051" and "E055" will be generated.

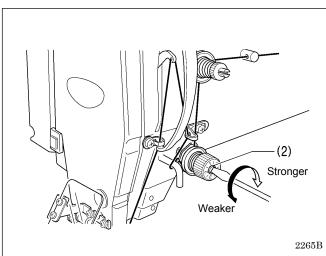
10-2. Thread take-up spring

Specifications	Heavy-weight materials (-01[])	Medium-weight materials (-02[])	Seatbelt (-03[])
Thread take-up spring height (mm)	7 – 10		2 – 4
Thread take-up spring tension (N)	0.6 – 1.2	0.2 – 0.5	1.0 – 1.4



<Thread take-up spring height>

Loosen the set screw (1) and turn the adjuster to adjust.



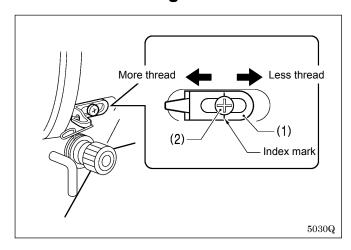
<Thread take-up spring tension>

Turn the tension stud (2) with a screwdriver to adjust the tension.

NOTE:

If the thread tension spring is not adjusted correctly, the upper thread trailing length will be uneven after thread trimming.

10-3. Arm thread guide R

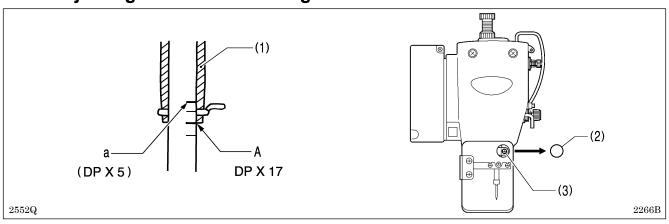


The standard position of arm thread guide R (1) is when the screw (2) is aligned with the index mark.

Loosen the screw (2) and move arm thread guide R (1) to adjust.

- * When sewing heavy material, move arm thread guide R (1) to the left. (The thread take-up amount will become greater.)
- * When sewing light material, move arm thread guide R (1) to the right. (The thread take-up amount will become less.)

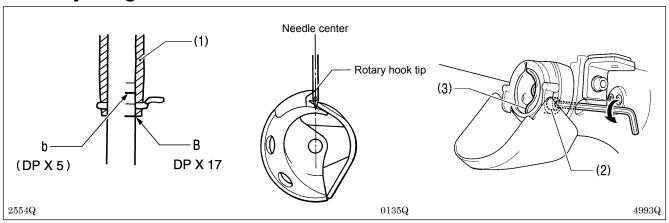
10-4. Adjusting the needle bar height



Turn the pulley in the direction of the arrow to move the needle bar to the lowest position. Then remove the rubber plug (2), loosen the screw (3) and then move the needle bar up or down to adjust so that the second reference line from the bottom of the needle bar (reference line A) is aligned with the lower edge of the needle bar bush (1).

* If using a DP X 5 needle, use the highest reference line (reference line a).

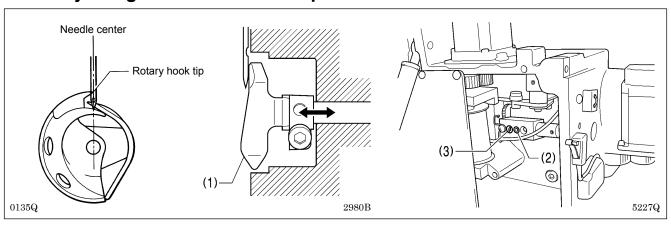
10-5. Adjusting the needle bar lift amount



Turn the pulley in the direction of the arrow to raise the needle bar from the lowest position until the lowest reference line on the needle bar (reference line B) is aligned with the lower edge of the needle bar bush (1), and then loosen the bolt (2) and move the driver (3) so that the tip of the rotary hook is aligned with the center of the needle.

* If using a DP X 5 needle, use the second reference line from the top of the needle bar (reference line b).

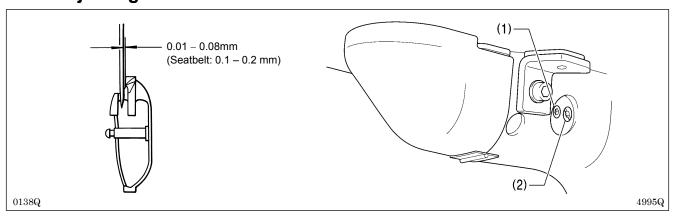
10-6. Adjusting the needle contact pressure of the driver



Turn the pulley in the direction of the arrow to align the tip of the rotary hook with the center of the needle, and then loosen the set screw (2) and turn the eccentric shaft (3) to adjust so that the driver (1) is touching the needle.

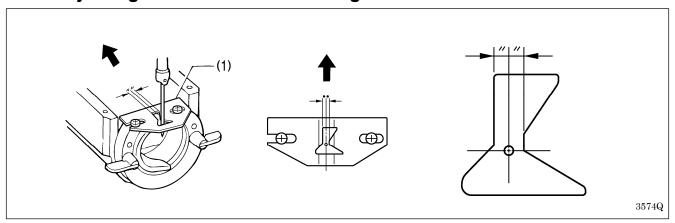
If the driver (1) crosses the needle more than necessary, it will place a load on the needle, or it may cause poor thread tension. Furthermore, if it does not cross the needle at all, the tip of the rotary hook will interfere with the needle and skipped stitches may occur.

10-7. Adjusting the needle clearance



Turn the pulley in the direction of the arrow to align the tip of the rotary hook with the center of the needle, and then loosen the set screw (1) and turn the eccentric shaft (2) to adjust so that the clearance between the needle and the rotary hook is 0.01 to 0.08 mm.

10-8. Adjusting the shuttle race thread guide



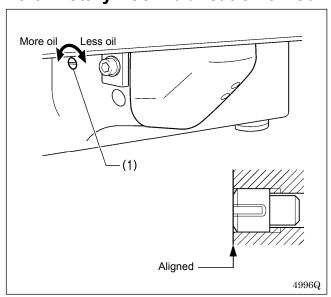
Install the shuttle race thread guide (1) by pushing it in the direction of the arrow so that the needle groove is aligned with the center of the needle plate hole.

NOTE:

If the shuttle race thread guide is in the wrong position, thread breakages, soiled thread or tangling of the thread may

The position of the shuttle race thread guide is adjusted at the time of shipment from the factory. It should not be changed if possible.

10-9. Rotary hook lubrication amount

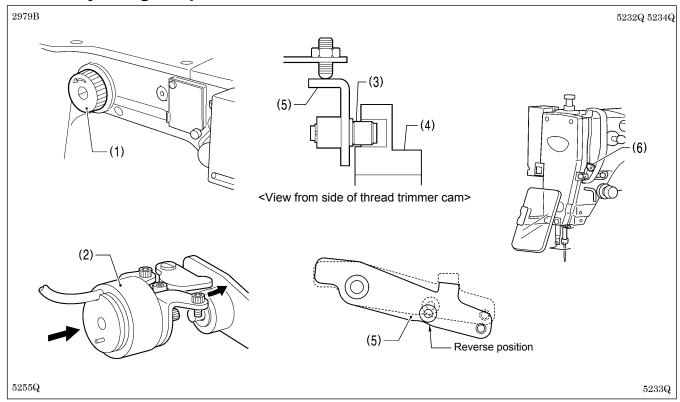


The optimum position is when the head of the set screw (1) is aligned with the edge of the bed. The rotary hook lubrication amount can be adjusted within three turns to the right from that position.

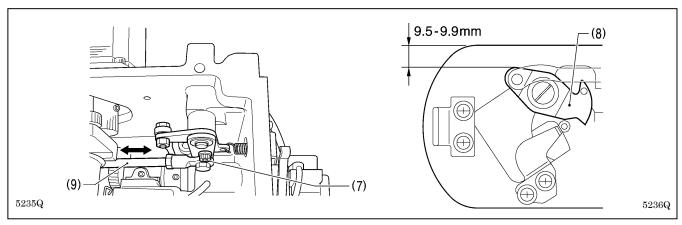
- If the set screw (1) is turned clockwise, the lubrication amount becomes smaller.
- If the set screw (1) is turned counterclockwise, the lubrication amount becomes greater.

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10-10. Adjusting the position of the movable knife

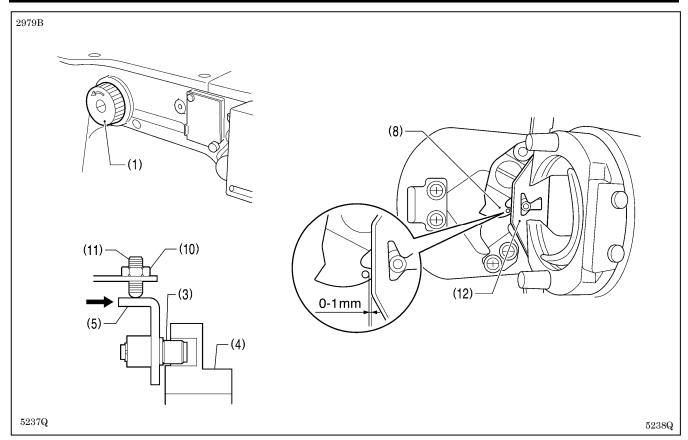


- 1. Open the top cover and tilt back the machine head.
- 2. Turn the pulley (1) by hand in the direction of the arrow to move the needle bar to its lowest position, and push the thread trimming solenoid (2) as far as it will go.
- 3. With the collar (3) inserted into the groove of the thread trimmer cam (4), turn the pulley (1) by hand to set the driving lever (5) to the reverse position (when the thread take-up (6) is close to its lowest position).



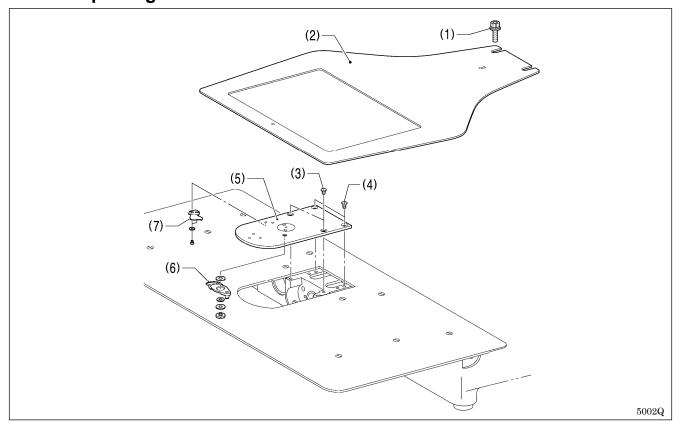
- 4. Loosen the bolt (7).
- 5. Move the thread trimming rod H (9) forward or back to adjust so that the distance from the ridge line on the right side of the needle plate to the ridge line on the movable knife (8) is 9.5 9.9 mm.
- 6. After tightening the bolt (7), check the above position once more.

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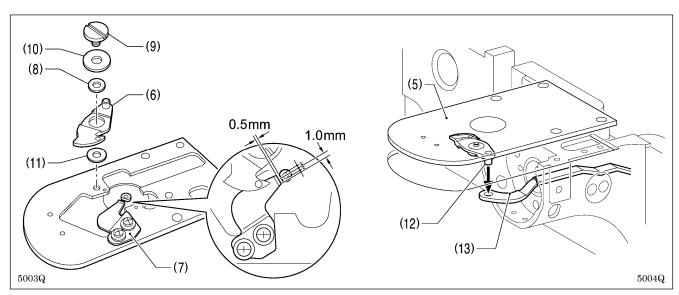


- 7. Turn the pulley (1) by hand in the direction of the arrow to move the needle bar to its lowest position.
- 8. Loosen the nut (10), tighten the set screw (11) until the collar (3) is touching the inside of the groove in the thread trimmer cam (4), and then turn it back in the counterclockwise direction by approximately 1/4 of a turn.
- 9. Tighten the nut (10), and then check that the collar (3) is not touching the inside of the groove in the thread trimmer cam (4). In addition, push the driving lever (5) by hand toward the thread trimmer cam until the collar (3) touches the groove of the thread trimmer cam (4), and then check that the driving lever (5) returns smoothly to its original position when it is released.
- 10. Check that there is a gap of about 0 1 mm between the outside of the hole in the movable knife (8) and the ridge line on the shuttle race thread guide (12) when there is still play between the parts.

10-11. Replacing the movable and fixed knives

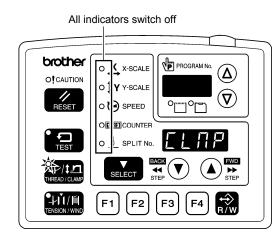


- 1. Loosen the two bolts (1) and then remove the feed plate (2).
- 2. Open the shuttle race cover, remove the two screws (3) and the two flat screws (4), and then remove the needle plate (5).
- 3. Remove the movable knife (6) and the fixed knife (7).



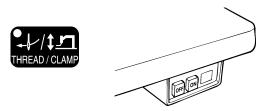
- 4. Install the new fixed knife (7) in the position shown in the illustration.
- 5. Apply grease to the outside of the collar (8) and to the shoulder screw (9), and then install the new movable knife (6) together with the thrust washer (10) and the movable knife spacer (11).
- 6. Check that the movable knife (6) and fixed knife (7) cut the thread cleanly. Replace the movable knife spacer with accessory spacers (t=0.2, 0.3, 0.4) so that the knives trim the thread accurately.
 - * If the knife pressure is too weak and the thread is not completely cut, use a thinner movable knife spacer.
 - * If the knife pressure is too strong and the movable knife (6) turns stiffly, use a thicker movable knife spacer.
- 7. Apply grease to the pin (12), place it into the movable knife connecting plate (13), and install it to the needle plate (5).
- 8. Check that the needle is aligned with the center of the needle hole.

10-11-1. Installing the feed plate



While pressing the THREAD/CLAMP key, turn on the power switch.

Keep pressing the THREAD/CLAMP key until the model name is displayed and the buzzer beeps once.



"CLMP" will appear in the menu display.

MENU indicator switches off THREAD/CLAMP indicator illuminates

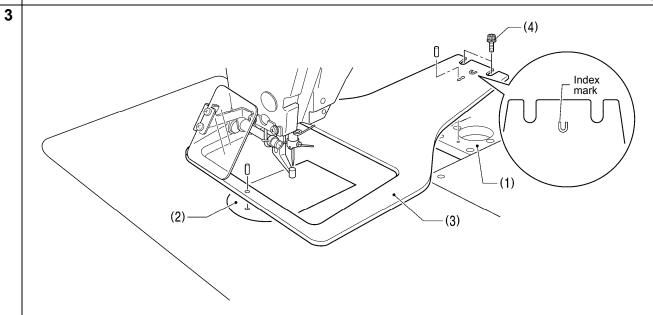
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2 2nd step Depress the foot switch to the 2nd step.

(If using a two-pedal foot switch, lower the work clamp before depressing the start switch.)

After the home position is detected and the work clamp drops, the feed mechanism will move to the feed plate installation position and then the work clamp will rise.

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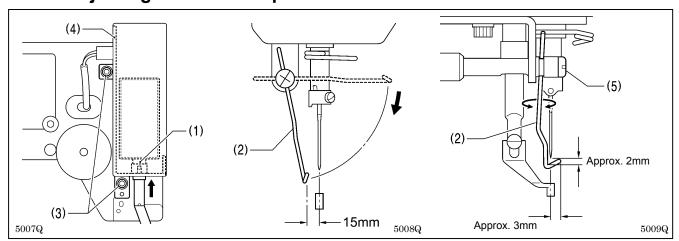
Use a 2 mm diameter pin to align the holes in the X feed bracket (1) and the needle plate (2) with the two holes in the feed plate (3), and then tighten the two bolts (4).

NOTE: Install the feed plate so that the surface with the index mark is facing upward.

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4 End feed plate installation mode Turn off the power.

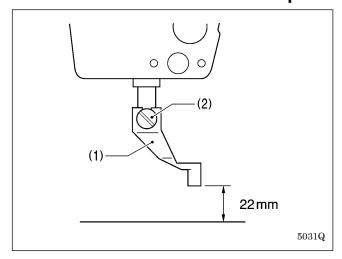
10-12. Adjusting the thread wiper



- 1. Loosen the two screws (3) and shift the entire solenoid setting plate (4) up or down to adjust so that the thread wiper (2) is 15 mm in front of the needle center when the plunger (1) of the thread wiper solenoid is driven to the full stroke.
- 2. Loosen the screw (5) and adjust the position of the thread wiper (2) so that the distance from the thread wiper to the tip of the needle is approximately 2 mm and the tip of the thread wiper (2) is approximately 3 mm from the center of the needle when the thread wiper (2) passes below the needle during operation.

Note: Check that the thread wiper (2) does not touch the finger guard.

10-13. Presser foot installation position

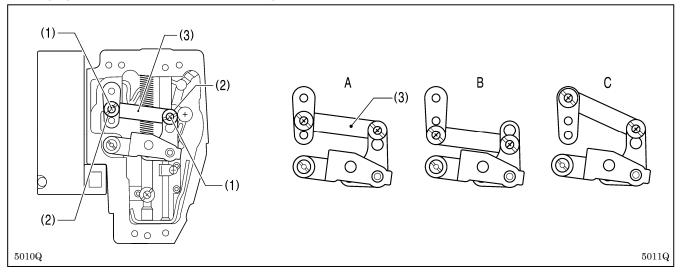


Install the presser foot (1) with the screw (2) so that the distance from the bottom of the presser foot to the top of the needle plate is 22 mm when the sewing machine is stopped and the presser foot (1) is raised.

10-14. Changing the intermittent stroke

The intermittent stroke can be adjusted to within 2-10 mm by adjusting the position of the stepping clamp connecting rod and changing the installation position of stepping clamp link A.

<Changing the installation position of stepping clamp link A>

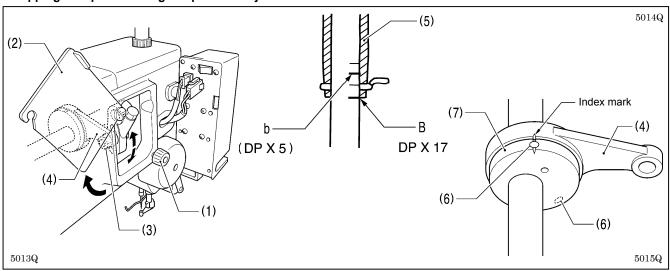


- 1. Remove the face plate.
- 2. Remove the two screws (1) and the two shoulder screws (2), and then remove stepping clamp link A (3).
- 3. Change the installation position for stepping clamp link A (3) to either A, B or C above.

 If the position of the stepping clamp connecting rod is adjusted as described in the following at any one of the installation positions, the adjustment range for the intermittent stroke will as given in the following table.

Installation position	Intermittent stroke r	range		
А	2 – 4.5mm			
В	4.5 – 10mm			
С	0 mm (Intermittent presser foot does not move up and down)	5012Q		

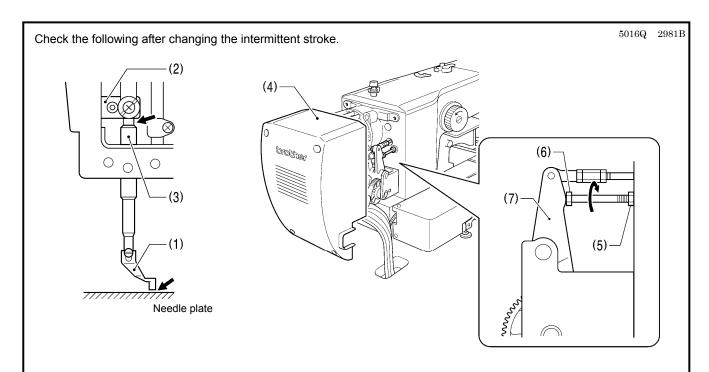
<Stepping clamp connecting rod position adjustment>



- 1. Loosen the screw (1), and then open the cover (2).
- 2. Loosen the nut (3), and then adjust the position of the stepping clamp connecting rod (4).
 - When the stepping clamp connecting rod (4) is raised, the intermittent stroke will increase.
 - When the stepping clamp connecting rod (4) is lowered, the intermittent stroke will decrease.

Next, adjust the needle bar and presser foot timing.

- 3. Turn the pulley in the direction of the arrow to raise the needle bar from the lowest position until the lowest reference line on the needle bar (reference line B) is aligned with the lower edge of the needle bar bush (5). (If using a DP x 5 needle, align with the second reference line from the top (reference line b).)
- 4. Open the top cover and loosen the two set screws (6).
- 5. Align the index marks on the stepping clamp cam (7) and the stepping clamp connecting rod (4), and then tighten the set screws (6).



- 1. With the intermittent presser foot (1) lowered, turn the pulley in the direction of the arrow to move the intermittent presser foot (1) to its lowest position.
- 2. Check that the presser foot (1) does not touch the needle plate and that the presser bar clamp (2) does not touch the presser bar bush (3).

<If they are touching>

Remove the motor cover (4).

Loosen the nut (5), and turn the bolt (6) until it is pressing against the intermittent drive lever (7), and then adjust until the two points mentioned above are not touching.

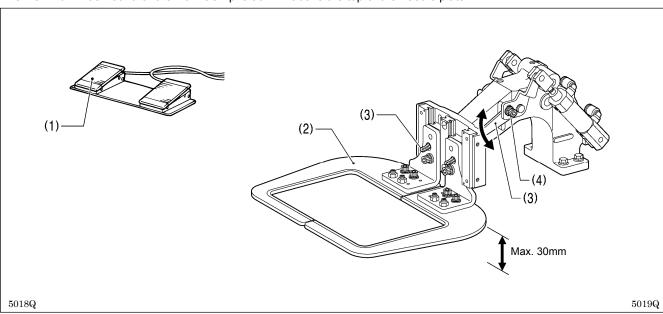
10-15. Adjusting the work clamp lift amount

<Motor-driven work clamp specifications>

The operation panel settings can be used to adjust the height to within 15 – 25 mm. (Refer to "5-7. Setting the work clamp lift amount.")

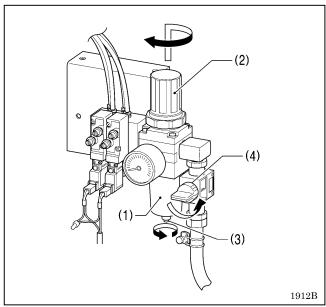
<Pneumatic work clamp specifications>

The maximum lift amount for the work clamp is 30 mm above the top of the needle plate.



- 1. Turn on the air, and depress the work clamp switch (1) to raise the work clamp (2).
- 2. Loosen the two bolts (4) of the work clamp arm lever (3), and move the work clamp arm lever (3) up or down to adjust.

10-16. Adjusting the air pressure (pneumatic work clamp specifications)



Lift up the handle (2) of the regulator (1) and then turn it to adjust the air pressure to 0.5 MPa.

After adjustment is complete, push the handle (2) downward to lock it.

If water has collected in the bottle of the regulator (1), turn the drain cock (3) in the direction indicated by an arrow to drain the water.

NOTE:

Open the air cock (4) slowly.

11. TABLE OF ERROR CODES

A DANGER



Wait at least 5 minutes after turning off the power switch and disconnecting the power cord from the wall outlet before opening the cover of the control box. Touching areas where high voltages are present can result in severe injury.

If a malfunction should occur with the sewing machine, a buzzer will sound and an error code will appear in the display window. Follow the remedy procedure to eliminate the cause of the problem.

Switch-related errors

Code	Cause and remedy
E010	Stop switch was pressed. Press the RESET key to clear the error.
E011	Stop switch was pressed. Press the RESET key to clear the error.
E011	Press the ▼ key to move the feed mechanism so that you can continue sewing.
E015	The stop switch was still being pressed, or there is a problem with the stop switch connection.
E013	Turn off the power, and then check that connector P13 on the main PCB is properly connected.
E016	Problem with the stop switch connection.
2010	Turn off the power, and then check that connector P13 on the main PCB is properly connected.
	Foot switch is depressed to the 2nd step.
	Turn off the power and check the foot switch.
	(If using a two-pedal foot switch, the power was turned on while the start switch was still depressed, or the start
E025	switch was pressed without the work clamp being lowered.)
	If the power has been turned on while the start switch was still depressed, turn off the power and check the start
	switch.
	If the start switch was depressed without lowering the work clamp, depress the work clamp switch to lower the work
	clamp.
E035	Foot switch is depressed to the 1st step. (Work clamp switch if using a two-pedal foot switch)
	Turn off the power and check the foot switch. A foot switch that does not match specifications is connected, or work clamp mode has not been set correctly.
E036	Use a foot switch that matches specifications, or initialize the memory switch settings.
	Machine head tilting was detected after the power was turned on.
E050	Turn off the power, and then return the machine head to its original position.
	Check that connector P9 on the main PCB is properly connected.
	Machine head tilting was detected while the sewing machine was operating.
E051	Turn off the power, and then check that connector P9 on the main PCB is properly connected.
	Machine head tilting was detected when the power was turned on.
E055	Turn off the power, and then return the machine head to its original position.
	Check that connector P9 on the main PCB is properly connected.
E065	An operation panel key was still being pressed when the power was turned on, or key is faulty.
E005	Turn off the power and check the operation panel.

Upper shaft motor-related errors

ant motor-related errors
Cause and remedy
Needle up stop position error.
Turn the machine pulley until the point where the error display disappears.
Upper shaft did not stop at the needle up stop position when the sewing machine stopped.
Turn the machine pulley until the point where the error display disappears.
Needle drop signal could not be detected.
Turn off the power, and then check the synchronizer connection.
Thread trimming was not completed.
Turn off the power, and then check if the cutting edges of the fixed knife and movable knife are damaged or worn.
Sewing machine motor stopped due to a problem, or synchronizer is faulty.
Turn off the power, and then turn the machine pulley and check if the sewing machine has locked up.
Check that connectors P4 and P5 on the power supply motor PCB are properly connected.
Synchronizer is faulty.
Turn off the power, and then check that connector P5 on the power supply motor PCB is properly connected.
Problem detected with sewing machine motor operation.
Turn off the power, and then check that connector P4 on the power supply motor PCB is properly connected.
Sewing machine motor stopping position is incorrect.
Turn off the power, and then check that connector P5 on the power supply motor PCB is properly connected.
Sewing machine motor is overheating, or temperature sensor is faulty.
Turn off the power, and then check the sewing machine motor.
(When sewing data with a small number of stitches (15 stitches or less) is sewn repeatedly (short cycle operation),
the upper shaft motor may overheat and the "E150" error code may be generated.)

Feed mechanism-related errors

Feed mec	chanism-related errors
Code	Cause and remedy
	X-feed motor home position cannot be detected.
E200	Problem with X -feed motor or poor X home position sensor connection.
LZUU	Turn off the power, and then check that connector P10 on the PMD PCB and connector P20 on the main PCB are
	properly connected.
E201	X-feed motor stopped due to a problem.
L201	Turn off the power, and then check if there are any problems in the X-feed direction.
E202	Problem with X-feed motor or Y-feed motor home position adjustment data.
L202	Re-adjust the home position.
E204	X-feed motor stopped due to a problem during sewing.
L2U4	Turn off the power, and then check if there are any problems in the X-feed direction.
E205	X-feed motor stopped due to a problem while moving to the sewing start position.
L203	Turn off the power, and then check if there are any problems in the X-feed direction.
E206	X-feed motor stopped due to a problem during test feeding.
	Turn off the power, and then check if there are any problems in the X-feed direction.
E207	X-feed motor stopped due to a problem during programming.
L201	Turn off the power, and then check if there are any problems in the X-feed direction.
	Y-feed motor home position cannot be detected.
E210	Problem with Y-feed motor or poor Y home position sensor connection.
L210	Turn off the power, and then check that connector P8 on the PMD PCB and connector P4 on the main PCB are
	properly connected.
E211	Y-feed motor stopped due to a problem.
L4!!	Turn off the power, and then check if there are any problems in the Y-feed direction.
E214	Y-feed motor stopped due to a problem during sewing.
-417	Turn off the power, and then check if there are any problems in the Y-feed direction.
E215	Y-feed motor stopped due to a problem while moving to the sewing start position.
	Turn off the power, and then check if there are any problems in the Y-feed direction.
E216	Y-feed motor stopped due to a problem during test feeding.
	Turn off the power, and then check if there are any problems in the Y-feed direction.
E217	Y-feed motor stopped due to a problem during programming.
E411	Turn off the power, and then check if there are any problems in the Y-feed direction.

Work clamp-related errors

Code	Cause and remedy
	Work clamp home position cannot be detected.
E300	Problem with work clamp motor or poor work clamp home position sensor connection.
E300	Turn off the power, and then check that connector P3 on the PMD PCB and connector P5 on the main PCB are
	properly connected.
E301	Work clamp raised or lowered position cannot be detected.
E301	Turn off the power, and then check if there are any problems in the work clamp vertical direction.
E303	Problem with work clamp motor home position adjustment data.
⊏303	Re-adjust the home position.

Communication and memory-related errors

Code	ication and memory-related errors Cause and remedy
Code	Cause and remedy Connection communication error with power supply motor PCB detected when power was turned on.
E401	Turn off the power, and then check that connector P6 on the power supply motor PCB and connector P17 on the
	main PCB are properly connected.
	Communication error with programmer detected when power is turned on.
E402	Turn off the power, and then check that connector P7 on the main PCB is properly connected.
	Connection error with PMD PCB detected when power was turned on.
E403	Turn off the power, and then check that connector P1 on the PMD PCB is properly connected.
	Communication error with main PCB detected.
E410	Turn off the power, and then turn it back on again.
	Communication error with power supply motor PCB detected.
E411	Turn off the power, and then turn it back on again.
	Communication error with programmer detected.
E412	Turn off the power, and then turn it back on again.
= 446	Communication error with PMD PCB detected.
E413	Turn off the power, and then turn it back on again.
E420	No CF card is inserted.
E 404	Program contents are incorrect and cannot be used, or no data.
E421	Check that the CF card or floppy disk contains data with this program number.
E422	Error occurred while reading the CF card or floppy disk.
C422	Check the data on the CF card or floppy disk.
	Insufficient free space on the CF card, or data cannot be written to the floppy disk.
E424	Use a different CF card.
	Check if the floppy disk is write-protected and if it has enough free space.
	Error occurred while writing to the CF card or floppy disk.
E425	Use the specified type of CF card.
	Check if the floppy disk is write-protected and if it has enough free space.
E426	R/W key has not been pressed.
	Press the R/W key to load the data.
E 40E	CF card or floppy disk does not contain any data with this program number.
E427	Check the program number.
	Data that has already been loaded into internal memory can be used without having to press the R/W key again.
E430	Data cannot be backed up to main PCB.
	Turn off the power, and then turn it back on again. Data memory error on main PCB.
E440	
	Turn off the power, and then turn it back on again. Model selection cannot be read from the machine head memory.
E450	Turn off the power and check that connector P3 on the power supply motor PCB is properly connected.
	Data cannot be backed up to machine head memory.
E451	Turn off the power, and then turn it back on again.
	Machine head memory is not connected.
E452	Turn off the power, and then check that connector P3 on the power supply motor PCB is properly connected.
	Internal memory is full and copying is not possible.
E474	Clear the sewing data.
	Cloud the conting data.

Data editing-related errors

Code	Cause and remedy
E500	The enlargement ratio setting caused the sewing data to extend outside the sewing area. Set the enlargement ratio again.
E501	Sewing data that exceeds the sewing machine's sewing area was loaded. Check the size of the sewing data.
E502	The enlargement ratio caused the data pitch to exceed the maximum pitch of 12.7 mm. Set the enlargement ratio again.
E510	Invalid code in sewing data. Reload the data from the CF card or floppy disk.
E511	No end code has been input into sewing data. Input an end code, or change the program number.
E512	Number of stitches exceeds allowed maximum.
E520	Extended option output number already exists. Change the extended option output number. If not using the extended option output, initialize the data to clear the extended option output data.
E530	Changing program number is prohibited.

PCB-related errors

Code	Cause and remedy
E700	Abnormal rise in power supply voltage.
L700	Turn off the power and check the input voltage.
E701	Abnormal rise in sewing machine motor drive voltage.
2701	Turn off the power, and then check the voltage.
E705	Abnormal drop in power supply voltage.
L/03	Turn off the power and check the input voltage.
E710	Abnormal current detected in sewing machine motor.
L/10	Turn off the power, and then check if there are any problems with the sewing machine.
E711	Abnormal current detected in X-feed motor.
	Turn off the power, and then check if there are any problems in the X-feed direction.
E712	Abnormal current detected in Y-feed motor.
L/12	Turn off the power, and then check if there are any problems in the Y-feed direction.
	Abnormal current detected in work clamp motor.
E713	Turn off the power, and then check if there are any problems with the X-feed mechanism, Y-feed mechanism or
	work clamp lifter.
E730	External error input (AIRSW) detected.
2700	Turn off the power, and then check the air pressure.
	Cooling fan does not operate.
E740	Turn off the power, and then check if the cooling fan is blocked with scraps of thread.
	Check that connector P22 on the main PCB is properly connected.

If an error code that is not listed above appears or if carrying out the specified remedy does not solve the problem, contact the place of purchase.

12. TROUBLESHOOTING

- Please check the following points before calling for repairs or service.
- If the following remedies do not fix the problem, turn off the power switch and consult a qualified technician or the place of purchase.

A CAUTION



Turn off the power switch and disconnect the power cord before carrying out troubleshooting.

If the foot switch is depressed by mistake, the sewing machine might start operating and injury could result.

Problem	Cause	Remedy	Reference
Work clamp does not lift.	Work clamp moves stiffly.	Apply a suitable amount of grease to the sliding parts of the work clamp.	
Work clamp does not drop.	Air tube of presser lifter cylinder is bent or damaged (pneumatic work clamp specifications).	Straighten the bend in the tube or replace the tube.	
Work clamp lift amount is incorrect.	Work clamp lift amount setting at operation panel is incorrect (motor-driven work clamp specifications).	Change the work clamp lift amount setting.	P. 31
	Work clamp arm lever position is incorrect. (pneumatic work clamp specifications)	Adjust the position of the work clamp arm lever.	P. 66
Work clamp does not lift to the maximum height.	Work clamp arm stopper position is incorrect (motor-driven work clamp specifications).	Adjust the position of the stopper.	
C	Cylinder joint position is incorrect. (pneumatic work clamp specifications)	Adjust the position of the cylinder joint.	
Thread wiper does not operate correctly.	The thread wiper is obstructing the	Adjust the height of the thread wiper.	P. 63
	needle.	Adjust the stroke of the thread wiper.	P. 63
	Thread wiper position is incorrect.	Adjust the stroke of the thread wiper.	P. 63
Lower thread winds to one side.	Bobbin winder tension assembly height is incorrect.	Adjust the height of the bobbin winder tension assembly.	P. 22
Lower thread winding amount is incorrect.	Bobbin presser position is incorrect.	Adjust the position of the bobbin presser.	P. 22
Thread slips out of the needle.	Stitches being skipped at the sewing start.	Refer to "Skipped stitches occur".	P. 72
	Upper thread trailing length is uneven.	Adjust the sub-tension.	P. 24

Problem	Cause	Remedy	Reference
Upper thread breaks.	Upper thread tension is too strong.	Adjust the upper thread tension.	P. 24
	Needle is incorrectly installed.	Install the needle correctly.	P. 20
	Thread is too thick for the needle.	Select a thread that matches the needle.	P. 24
	Thread take-up spring tension and height are incorrect.	Adjust the tension and height of the thread take-up spring.	P. 56
	Damage or burring of the rotary hook, needle hole plate, needle or thread path.	Repair or replace the problem part.	
	Thread breaking from heat (Synthetic thread)	Use a needle cooler.	P. 20
	Thread is threaded incorrectly.	Thread the thread correctly.	P. 20
Lower thread breaks.	Lower thread tension is too strong.	Adjust the lower thread tension.	P. 24
	Damage to the needle hole plate or bobbin case.	Repair or replace the problem part.	
Skipped stitches occur.	Clearance between needle and rotary hook tip is too great.	Adjust the needle clearance.	P. 58
	Needle and rotary hook timing is incorrect.	Adjust the needle bar lift amount.	P. 57
	The driver is covering the needle more than necessary.	Adjust the needle contact pressure of the driver.	P. 57
	Needle is bent.	Replace the needle.	
	Needle is incorrectly installed.	Install the needle correctly.	P. 20
Needle is broken.	Clearance between needle and rotary	Adjust the needle clearance.	P. 58
	hook tip is too great.	Adjust the needle bar lift amount.	P. 57
	Needle is bent.	Replace the needle.	
Needle deflection		Select a needle that is suitable for the sewing conditions. Reduce the sewing speed.	P. 24
	Needle is too thin.	Select a needle that is suitable for the sewing conditions.	P. 24
Thread jamming.	Thread take-up spring tension and height are incorrect.	Adjust the tension and height of the thread take-up spring.	P. 56
	Needle and rotary hook timing is incorrect.	Adjust the needle bar lift amount.	

Problem	Cause	Remedy	Reference	
Upper thread is not trimmed.	Movable knife is not cutting cleanly.	Replace with a new one.	P. 61	
	Fixed knife is not cutting cleanly.	Sharpen the fixed knife or replace it with a new one.	P. 61	
	Movable knife is not picking up the	Adjust the position of the movable knife.	P. 59	
	upper thread.	Adjust the needle bar lift amount.	P. 57	
	Movable knife is not picking up the upper thread because the last stitch is being skipped.	Refer to "Skipped stitches occur".	P. 72	
	Movable knife position is incorrect.	Adjust the position of the movable knife.	P. 59	
	Sub-tension is too weak.	Turn the sub-tension nut to adjust the tension.	P. 24	
Poor stitch finish on underside of material.	Incorrect tightening of the upper thread	Adjust the upper thread tension.	P. 24	
	Upper thread trailing length is uneven.	Adjust the sub-tension.	P. 24	
Incorrect tightening of the thread	Upper thread tension is too weak.	Adjust the upper thread tension.	P. 24	
	Lower thread tension is too weak.	Adjust the lower thread tension.	P. 24	
	Thread take-up spring tension and height are incorrect.	Adjust the tension and height of the thread take-up spring.	P. 56	
	Position of arm thread guide R is incorrect.	Adjust the position of arm thread guide R.	P. 56	
Upper thread trailing length is irregular.	Thread take-up spring tension and height are incorrect.	Adjust the tension and height of the thread take-up spring.	P. 56	
	Sub-tension is too weak.	Turn the sub-tension nut to adjust the tension.	P. 24	
	Fixed knife is not cutting cleanly.	Sharpen the fixed knife or replace it with a new one.	P. 61	
Sewing machine does not operate when the power is turned on and		Check if the machine head switch cord is disconnected.	P. 12	
the foot switch is depressed.	Machine head switch does not work.	Adjust the position of the machine head switch.	P. 9	
		If the machine head switch is malfunctioning, replace it with a new one.		

13. 7-SEGMENT DISPLAY

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