

TACWISE 0356

Tacwise CT-60/14mm Cable Tacker Staples User Manual

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential information for the proper use and handling of Tacwise CT-60/14mm Cable Tacker Staples. These high-quality, galvanised staples are designed for securing low voltage cables efficiently and securely. Understanding the correct application and compatibility ensures optimal performance and safety.



Image: Tacwise CT-60/14mm Cable Tacker Staples. These staples are designed for securing various low voltage cables.

PRODUCT FEATURES

- **Premium Quality:** 'U' shaped thick steel staples, ideal for securing low voltage cables up to 4.5mm in diameter.
- **Quantity:** Pack of 5000 x type CT-60 / 14 mm galvanised staples.
- **Compatibility:** Equivalent to Stanley 7, Rapid 36, and Arrow T25 staples.
- **Durability:** Rust-resistant, galvanised coating with sharp divergent points for maximised holding power.
- **Versatile Application:** Popular for installing cables up to 6 mm in diameter, including CAT 5e, CAT 6, RG59 coaxial cables for CCTV, video, internet, and low voltage electrical cables onto surfaces like skirting boards, door frames, and coving.

COMPATIBILITY

These staples are specifically designed for use with compatible cable tackers and various low voltage cable types. Always verify the compatibility with your specific tacker model before use.



Image: CT60 Staples are designed for cables up to 6.0mm (1/4 inch) in diameter.

Compatible Cable Tackers:

- Tacwise Z-CT Duo
- Tacwise lightweight CT60 cable tackers
- Stanley CT10X
- Rapid M30, Rapid 36, Rapid MS41
- Arrow T25 cable tackers
- Many other cable tackers taking CT-60/14 mm staples.

Suitable Cable Types (up to 6mm diameter):

- Cat 5e/Data cable
- Cat 6 cable
- Coaxial Air Spaced 1 mm White
- Satellite coaxial screened
- Coaxial air spaced 1 mm brown
- Two core electrical cable in low voltage applications
- Many other low voltage cables.

Ideal for:

**Cables up to 6mm diameter
Tacker Models Combi, Z3-CT60
and CT-60 Lightweight**



Cat 5e/data cable



Cat 6 cable (Z3-CT60 Tacker)



Coaxial air spaced 1mm white



Satellite coaxial screened



Coaxial air spaced 1mm brown



2 core electric cable, in low voltage applications

Image: Examples of cable types suitable for Tacwise CT-60 staples, including data and coaxial cables.

SETUP AND INSTALLATION

These staples are intended for use with compatible cable tackers. Refer to your specific cable tacker's instruction manual for detailed loading procedures, as designs may vary.

General Loading Procedure:

1. Ensure the cable tacker is unloaded and disengaged from any power source (if applicable).
2. Open the staple magazine of your tacker according to its instructions.
3. Insert the strip of Tacwise CT-60/14mm staples into the magazine, ensuring the 'U' shape faces the correct direction for firing.
4. Close the staple magazine securely.
5. Test the tacker on a scrap piece of material before applying to your final installation to ensure proper staple feeding and firing.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Follow these steps for effective and safe cable installation using Tacwise CT-60/14mm staples:

1. **Prepare the Surface:** Identify the cable path and ensure the surface is suitable for stapling (e.g., wood, skirting boards, door frames). Avoid stapling into electrical wires, pipes, or excessively hard materials like concrete, which may damage the staples or the tacker.
2. **Position the Tacker:** Place the tacker over the cable, ensuring the staple will straddle the cable without piercing or damaging its insulation. The 'U' shape of the staple is designed to hold the cable securely while allowing for slight movement and preventing compression.
3. **Apply Pressure:** Apply firm, even pressure to the tacker against the surface. This helps ensure the staple is fully driven and seated correctly.
4. **Fire the Staple:** Depress the trigger or handle of the tacker to fire the staple.
5. **Inspect Installation:** After firing, inspect the stapled cable to ensure it is securely fastened and undamaged. The staple should hold the cable firmly but not pinch it.
6. **Space Staples:** Space staples appropriately to provide adequate support for the cable without excessive tension or creating loops that could snag.

MAINTENANCE

Tacwise CT-60/14mm staples require minimal maintenance. To ensure their longevity and performance:

- **Storage:** Store staples in a dry environment to prevent rust and corrosion.
- **Packaging:** Keep them in their original packaging until ready for use to protect them from damage, moisture, and dust.

- **Handling:** Avoid dropping or bending staple strips, as this can lead to feeding issues in the tacker.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Most issues related to stapling are often due to the tacker itself or improper loading of the staples. If you encounter problems, consider the following:

Staples not firing or jamming:

- **Check Loading:** Verify that the staple magazine is correctly loaded and closed, and that the staples are oriented correctly.
- **Correct Size/Type:** Ensure the staples are the correct size (CT-60/14mm) and type for your specific tacker model.
- **Tacker Condition:** Check if the tacker's firing mechanism is clean and free of debris. A dirty or damaged tacker can cause misfires.
- **Power Source:** If using an electric or pneumatic tacker, check its power source or air supply.
- **Tacker Manual:** Refer to your specific cable tacker's instruction manual for detailed troubleshooting steps related to the tool itself.

Staples not holding securely:

- **Surface Material:** Ensure the surface material is appropriate for stapling. Very soft, crumbly, or excessively hard materials may not provide adequate grip for the staples.
- **Application Pressure:** Apply sufficient and even pressure to the tacker during operation to ensure the staples are fully driven into the material.
- **Staple Condition:** Check if the staples themselves are bent or damaged before loading, which could affect their ability to penetrate and hold.

SPECIFICATIONS

Attribute	Detail
Model Number	0356
Staple Type	CT-60
Staple Length	14 mm
Material	Zinc (Galvanised Steel)
Finish	Galvanised, Textured
Shape	U-Shape
Item Weight	1.74 pounds (approx. for 5000 staples)
Number of Pieces	5000
Max Cable Diameter	6 Millimeters (approx. 4.5mm for optimal fit)
Product Dimensions	4.06"L x 2.28"W (packaging dimensions)
Power Source (for tacker)	Hand Powered (compatible tackers)

SAFETY INFORMATION

When using cable tacker staples with a compatible tacker, always adhere to general safety practices to prevent injury:

- **Eye Protection:** Always wear appropriate personal protective equipment, such as safety glasses, to protect against flying debris or staple fragments.
- **Hand Placement:** Keep hands and fingers clear of the staple exit area of the tacker and the work surface during operation.
- **Direction:** Never point a tacker at yourself or others, even when unloaded.
- **Work Area:** Ensure the work area is clear of obstructions, other personnel, and flammable materials.
- **Hazard Avoidance:** Do not staple into live electrical wires, gas lines, or water pipes. Always check for hidden utilities before stapling.
- **Storage:** Store staples and tackers out of reach of children and untrained individuals.

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For information regarding warranty or product support for Tacwise CT-60/14mm Cable Tacker Staples, please refer to the official Tacwise website or contact your retailer. This manual provides usage instructions for the staples themselves, and any warranty claims or support inquiries should be directed to the manufacturer or point of purchase.

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