



# Installation & Operation Manual



**ONBOARD LOAD SCALE**  
INTERIOR DIGITAL | 202-DDG-03

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## IMPORTANT!

Please read instructions COMPLETELY and thoroughly before installation. Right Weigh, Inc. is not responsible or liable for product failure or vehicle damage due to improper installation. The installation requirements are outlined in this manual and should be followed thoroughly to avoid inaccuracy or damage to the product.

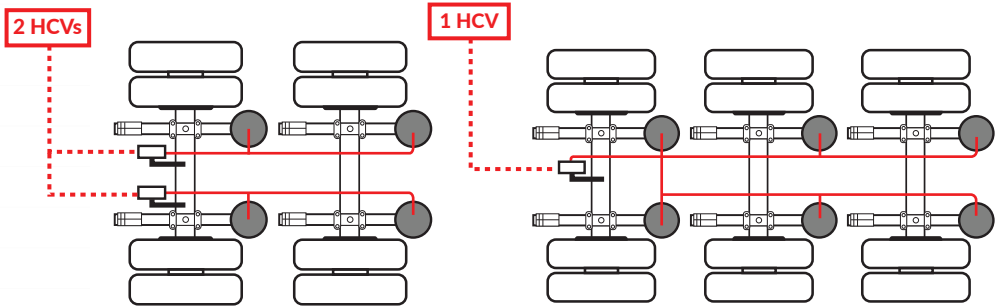
It is also important to be aware of vehicle manufacturer policies before making modifications to the vehicle. Right Weigh, Inc. is not liable or responsible for issues regarding warranties with other manufacturers. This is the responsibility of the customer. If you are unsure about how these installation practices apply to your vehicle, please contact your vehicle or component manufacturer.

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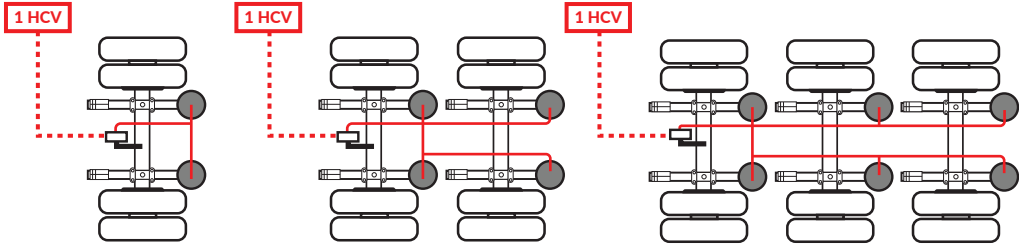
The Right Weigh 202-DDG-03 digital load scale has three internal air pressure sensors. This scale can monitor either:

- one axle group with two HCVs + one axle group with one HCV
- three separate axle groups with one HCV each

Example of one axle group with one HCV and one axle group with two HCVs:



Example of three axle groups with one HCV each:



## Estimated Steer Axle:

The weight of the steer axle can be estimated if this scale is used to monitor the drive axle group. Refer to the Estimated Steer Mode section for more information.

**Technical Specifications**

Operating Temperature: -4° F to +185° F (-20° C to +85° C)

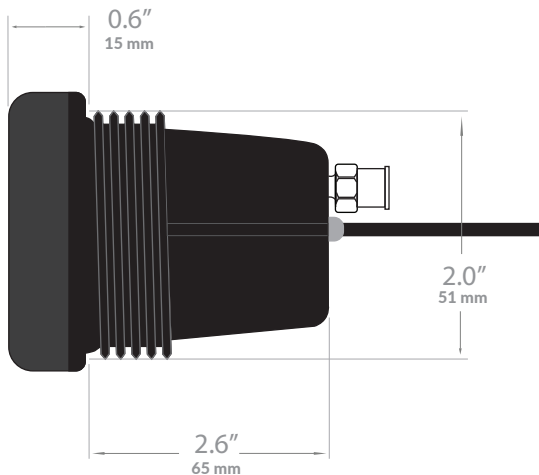
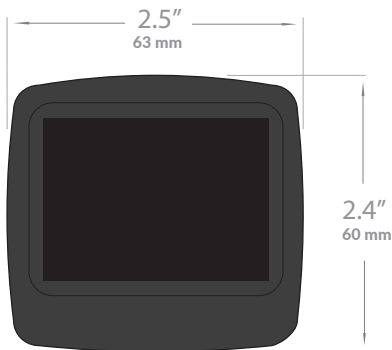
Storage Temperature: -4° F to +185° F (-20° C to +85° C)

Power Requirement: 9 VDC to 32 VDC (Switched)

Units: Pounds (LBS) or Kilograms (KG)

Housing: ABS/PC Blend

Display: Capacitive Touch



# SCALE INSTALLATION & ELECTRICAL CONNECTIONS



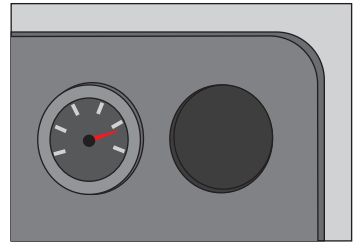
The 202-DDG-03 scale is designed to be mounted inside the vehicle cabin, it is not for outdoor use. The following steps will walk you through how to correctly mount and install the gauge.

## 1 CHOOSE MOUNTING LOCATION

The gauge can be mounted in the dash panel either using an existing factory gauge hole or by creating one. If this option is unavailable or not desirable, Right Weigh has an optional bracket (202-BR) that can be purchased separately to mount the gauge. See below for a detailed list of options for mounting into the dash:

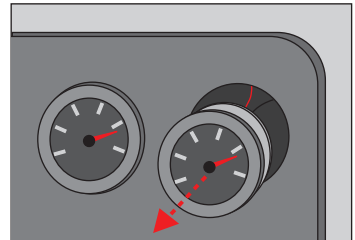
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Use an available  $2\frac{1}{16}$ " (52mm) factory gauge hole.



**b**

Remove and replace a factory installed drive axle air suspension pressure gauge.

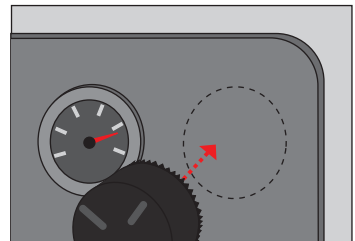


**c**

Cut a new hole in the dash panel using a  $2\frac{1}{16}$ " (52mm) hole saw as shown.



Make sure to check behind the dash panel for internal wires and components that may need to be moved to avoid damage.

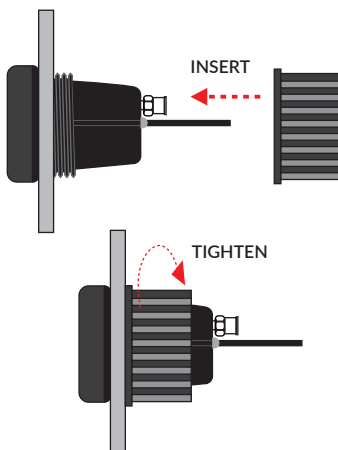


**d**

Use Right Weigh 202-BR bracket or an aftermarket bracket to mount the gauge.

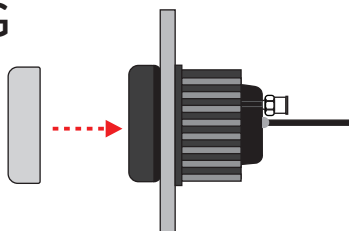
## 2 INSERT 202 GAUGE

Insert the gauge into the mounting hole or bracket. Hold the gauge in a position so the display appears level on the dash panel or bracket. Note that the thickest portion of the gauge bezel indicates the bottom of the display. Screw the gauge nut onto the back of the gauge until it is tight.



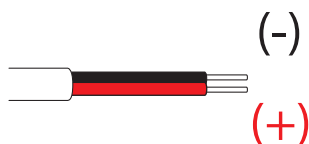
## 3 INSTALL BEZEL STYLING COVER (OPTIONAL)

If desired, place chrome styling cover over the front of the gauge bezel. Press until both sides snap into place.



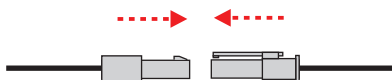
## 4 CONNECT TO POWER AND GROUND

Connect the wiring harness to power and ground. Be sure the RED wire is connected to a SWITCHED positive (+) power source (DO NOT CONNECT DIRECTLY TO BATTERY) and the BLACK wire to chassis ground (-). Supply voltage must be between 9 and 32 volts DC.



DO NOT connect directly to a battery or any constant power source, gauge should be connected to a switched source so that it can be disconnected from power when not in use. Most users connect the power to the ignition switch.

Connect the wire harness to the connector on the back of the gauge.



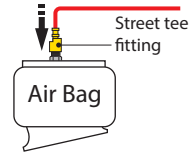
## 5 DUMP AIR FROM SUSPENSION SYSTEM

## 6 INSTALL NEW STREET TEE FITTING

Remove the suspension air line fitting from the top of one of the air bags.



Insert a street tee fitting into the top of the air bag that matches the thread size of the vehicle suspension. Reinstall the suspension air line and fitting into the street tee. For more information on the parts needed for air line installation, see Appendix A.



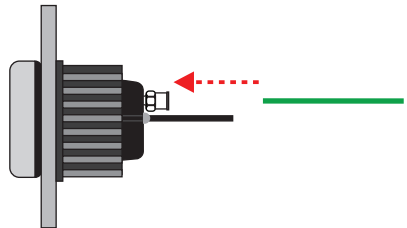
## 7 INSTALL NEW 1/4" AIR LINE

Install a new 1/4" air line and fitting into the remaining port on the tee.



## 8 ROUTE AIR LINE TO GAUGE

Route the new 1/4" air line from the tee fitting assembly to the gauge. Secure air line with zip ties. Insert the air line into the push-to-connect fitting on the back of the gauge.



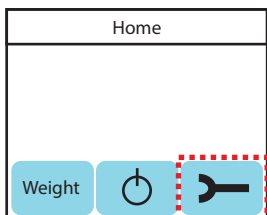
## 9 REPEAT STEPS 6-8 ON SECOND AND THIRD HCVS OR AXLE GROUPS

## 10 AIR UP SUSPENSION TO CHECK FOR LEAKS

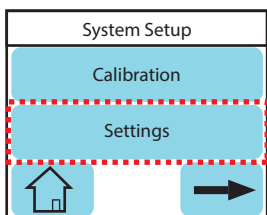
## 11 RE-ASSEMBLE DASH PANEL IF NEEDED



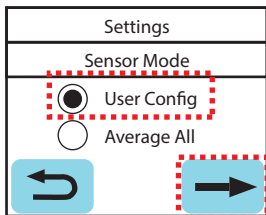
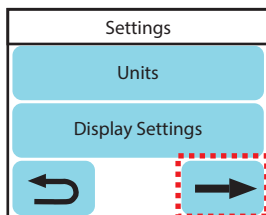
The 202-DDG-03 gauge can be used to monitor up to three separate axle groups with one Height Control Valve (HCV) each, or a combination of axle groups with a total of three HCVs. Follow the steps below to configure the gauge to your application:



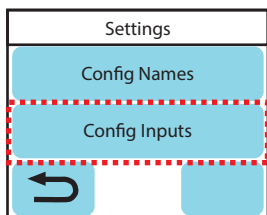
From the Home screen, select the **WRENCH** icon.



From the System Setup screen, select **SETTINGS**.




From the Settings screen, select the **RIGHT ARROW** and then select **USER CONFIG**. Then select the right arrow to continue to the next screen.

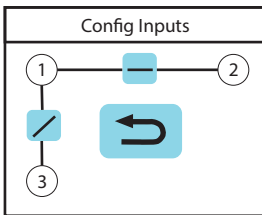


Select **CONFIG INPUTS**.

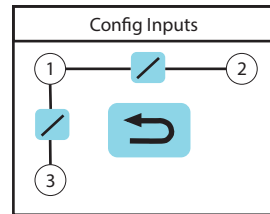
If monitoring an axle group with two HCVs, the two air sensors connected to that axle group must be set to Average together. For any axle groups with one HCV, the sensor for that group must be set to be Independent from the rest. To set the desired configuration, select the blue buttons between the numbers (air sensors 1, 2, and 3) until each is set correctly for your application.

 = Independent

 = Average



Example: Air sensors 1 and 2 are averaged and sensor 3 is independent

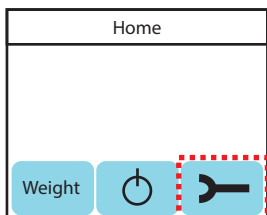


Example: All air sensors are measured independently from one another

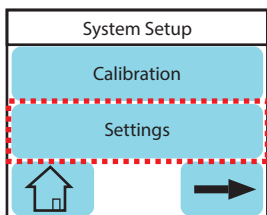


If monitoring an axle group with two HCVs, the air lines from this group **MUST** be connected to sensors 1 and 2 or sensors 1 and 3 so they can be averaged together. Sensors 2 and 3 **CANNOT** be averaged together.

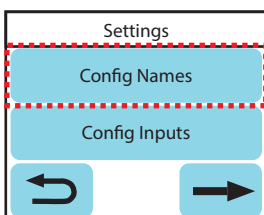
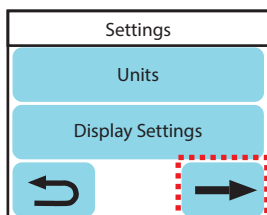
The default settings for the gauge can be changed to make the information specific to your vehicle configuration. To change the default air sensor name, follow these steps:



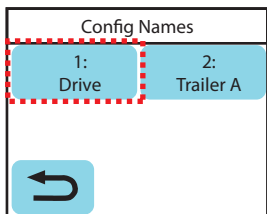
From the Home screen, select the **WRENCH** icon.



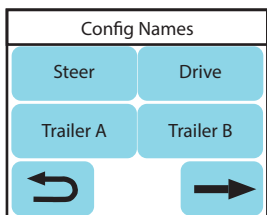
From the System Setup screen, select **SETTINGS**.



From the Settings screen, select the **RIGHT ARROW** and then select **CONFIG NAMES**.



Press the first sensor or sensor group to change the name.



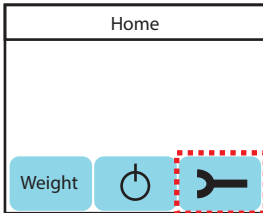
Select the appropriate name from the list. Press the **RIGHT ARROW** for more options.

Repeat the process for each additional axle group.

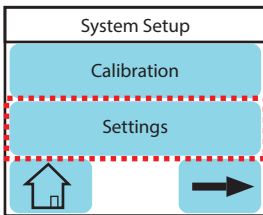
# ESTIMATED STEER



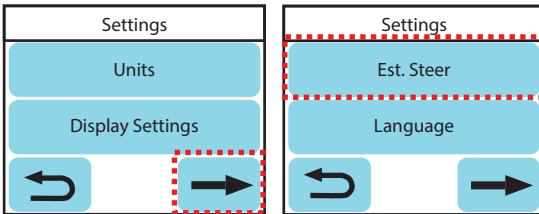
If the 202-DDG-03 load scale is used to monitor a tractor's drive axle group, the Estimated Steer option can be enabled. Estimated Steer will not work for straight trucks or anyone who slides their fifth wheel regularly. To enable Estimated Steer, follow these steps:



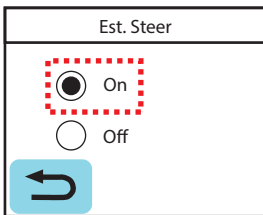
From the Home screen, select the **WRENCH** icon.



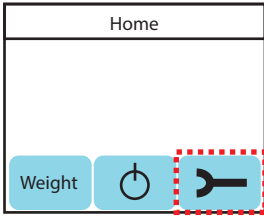
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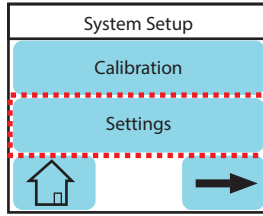
From the Settings screen, select the **RIGHT ARROW** twice and then select **EST. STEER**.



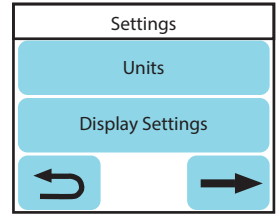
To turn on Estimated Steer, make sure the **"ON"** button is selected as shown.



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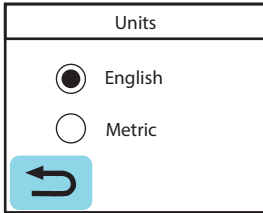


From the System Setup screen, select **SETTINGS**.



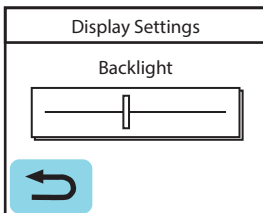
From the Settings screen select either **UNITS** or **DISPLAY SETTINGS**.

## CHANGING UNITS



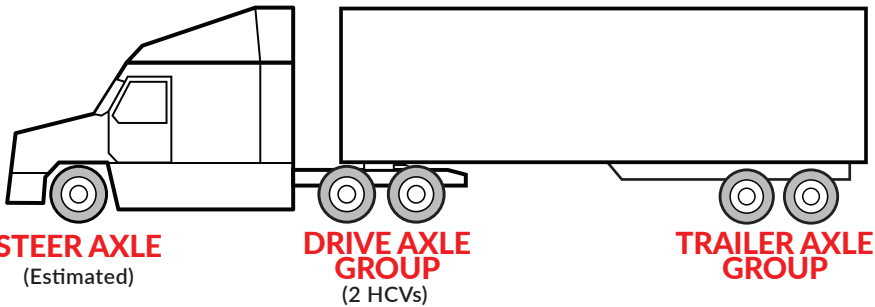
The gauge can be set to read in **ENGLISH** (LBS) or **METRIC** (KG). Make sure the button is selected next to the units settings desired.

## DISPLAY SETTINGS



Use the slider to adjust the backlight.

The 202-DDG-03 load scale must be calibrated both empty and loaded to work properly. The scale associates the air pressure in the suspension system to the weight you enter at the time of calibration. You will need to calibrate once while the vehicle is empty, and again while the vehicle is loaded for the axle group(s) being monitored.

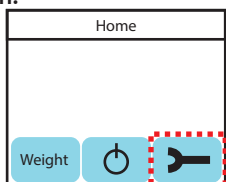


Only enter on-the-ground weight of axle or group being monitored. DO NOT use gross weight, tare weight, etc.

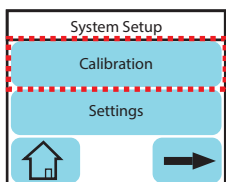
Follow calibration steps on the next page, once these are complete the gauge will be ready to use!

## EMPTY CALIBRATION POINT

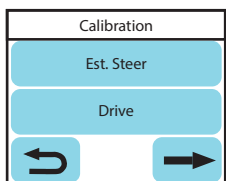
1. While the vehicle is empty, obtain axle group weights from a certified in-ground scale.
2. Park on a level surface. Shift the transmission to neutral and set the parking brakes. Chock the wheels to prevent unexpected vehicle movement, then release the parking and service brakes.
3. Make sure the Height Control Valve (HCV) has fully inflated the air bags. If needed, briefly dump the air from the suspension and allow the HCV to refill the system.



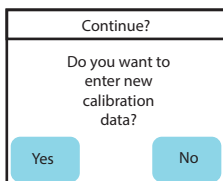
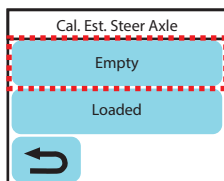
4. From the Home screen, select the **WRENCH** icon.



5. From the System Setup screen, select **CALIBRATION**.

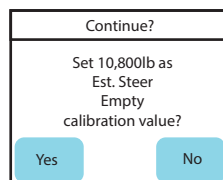


6. From the Calibration screen select the appropriate axle group. For more options, press the **RIGHT ARROW**.



7. From the Calibration screen select **EMPTY**. Select **YES** to enter new calibration data.

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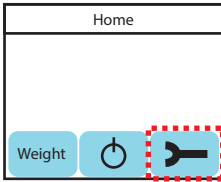
8. Enter weight from scale ticket for the corresponding axle group and then press **ENTER**. If the value you have entered looks correct, select **YES** to save calibration data.

9. Repeat process for all axle groups being monitored, including steer axle if using Estimated Steer feature.

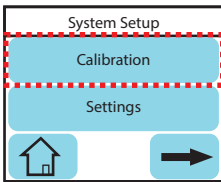
## LOADED CALIBRATION POINT



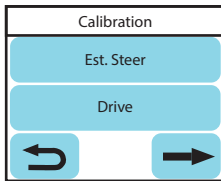
Repeat "empty calibration point" steps 1-3 with the vehicle fully loaded



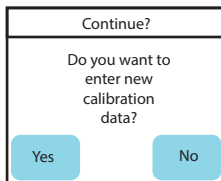
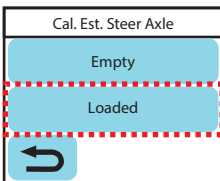
4. From the Home screen, select the **WRENCH** icon.



5. From the System Setup screen, select **CALIBRATION**.

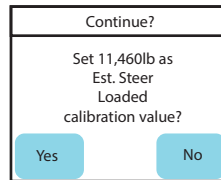


6. From the Calibration screen select the appropriate axle group.  
For more options, press the **RIGHT ARROW**.



7. From the Calibration screen select **LOADED**. Select **YES** to enter new calibration data.

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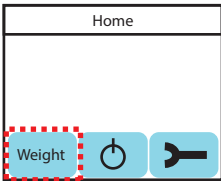
8. Enter weight from scale ticket for the corresponding axle group and then press **ENTER**.  
If the value you have entered looks correct, select **YES** to save calibration data.

9. Repeat process for all axle groups being monitored, including steer axle if using Estimated Steer feature.

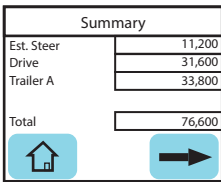


Follow these steps while weighing your vehicle:

- 1: Park on a level surface. Shift the transmission to neutral and set the parking brakes.
- 2: Chock the wheels to prevent unexpected vehicle movement, then release the parking and service brakes.
- 3: Make sure the Height Control Valve (HCV) has fully inflated the air bags. If needed, briefly dump the air from the suspension and allow the HCV to refill the system. (This may take several minutes depending on the type of HCV.)

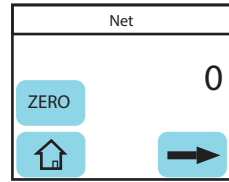
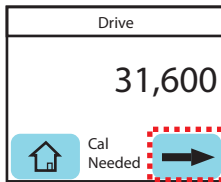
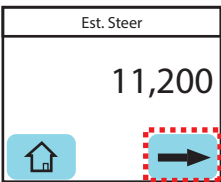


4. From the Home screen, select **WEIGHT**.



5. From the Summary screen, you can view the weight of the axle group(s) being monitored, the estimated steer weight (if this feature is turned on), and the total weight.

6. From the Summary screen, you can select the **RIGHT ARROW** to view each weight separately and the net weight.



By selecting ZERO, the net weight will reset to 0. This reading will display the net change in total weight since the last time the ZERO button was pressed.



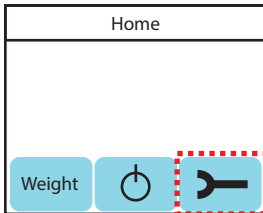
If the screen says "Cal Needed" then further calibration needs to be performed on one or more axle groups.

Press the **HOME** button at any time to return to the Home screen.

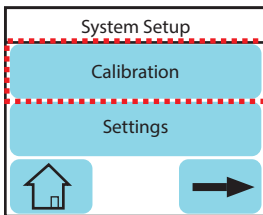
# SECURITY PIN CODE



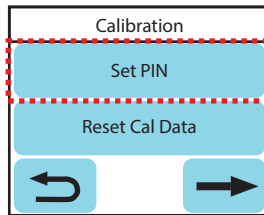
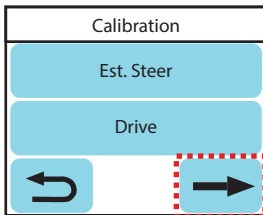
To protect calibration data from unwanted changes, you can set a security PIN code. When a PIN is set, the user will be required to enter the PIN in order to get into the calibration screens. Follow these steps to set a PIN code:



From the Home screen, select the **WRENCH** icon.



From the System Setup screen, select **CALIBRATION**.



From the Calibration screen select the **RIGHT ARROW** and then select **SET PIN**.

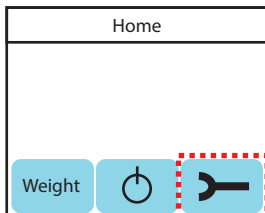
1	2	3
4	5	6
7	8	9
Del	0	Enter

Enter a unique PIN code (up to 6 digits).

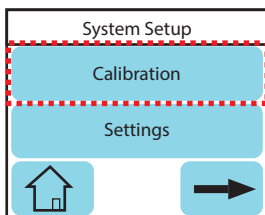


If a PIN code is forgotten or lost, please contact Right Weigh technical support listed on page 2 for instructions on how to reset the PIN code.

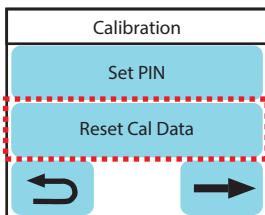
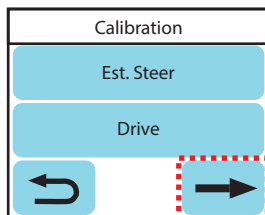
In rare cases, it might be necessary to reset the calibration data back to the original default values. To reset the calibration data to the default values, follow these steps:



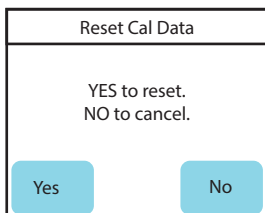
From the Home screen, select the **WRENCH** icon.



From the System Setup screen, select **CALIBRATION**.

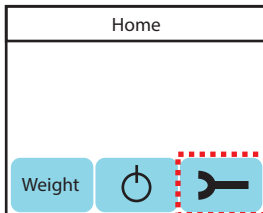


From the Calibration screen select the **RIGHT ARROW** and then select **RESET CAL DATA**.

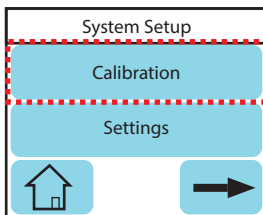


To reset the calibration back to the default values (erase any previous calibration data) select **YES**.

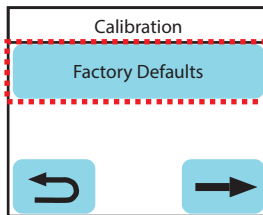
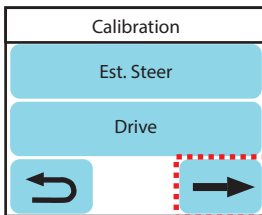
If there is a problem with the gauge, it may be necessary to reset it completely back to factory default settings. This will remove previously set calibration data, air sensor configuration and names, PIN code, etc. To reset the gauge, follow these steps:



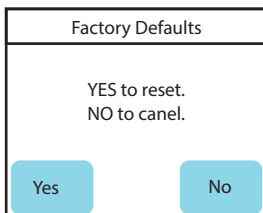
From the home screen, select the **WRENCH** icon.



From the System Setup screen, select **CALIBRATION**.



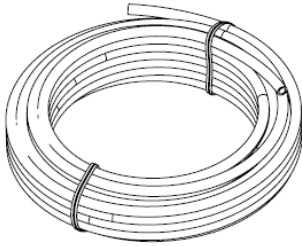
From the Calibration screen select the **RIGHT ARROW** twice and then select **FACTORY DEFAULTS**.



To reset the gauge back to the factory default settings, select **YES**.

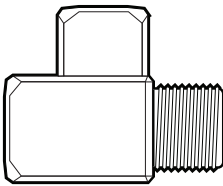
PROBLEM	CAUSE	SOLUTION
Erratic / Inaccurate Weight Readings	The vehicle is not parked on a level surface	Park on level concrete ground. Parking on sloped or banked surfaces will cause the vehicle weight distribution to shift between the axle groups. Additionally, if one or more of the vehicle's wheels are in a pothole, that could result in additional pressure or torque on the suspension air bags. This will cause the suspension to have a different air pressure than what is normally needed to hold up the given weight.
	The vehicle's brakes are on	Release the parking brakes when weighing and/or calibrating. When the vehicle brakes are set, they could apply additional pressure or torque on the suspension air bags. This will cause the suspension to have a different air pressure than what is normally needed to hold up the given weight.
	There is a significant air leak in the suspension system	Check air lines for leaks. Having a leak could cause the HCV to refill the suspension at regular intervals to maintain the vehicle's ride height. If there is a significant leak, the gauge display will slowly decrease in value and then quickly increase in value when the HCV refills the suspension system.
	The Height Control Valve (HCV) is malfunctioning or broken	If the HCV is not functioning correctly, the air pressure applied to the suspension system could be inconsistent and/or erratic. To test for an HCV problem, acquire a weight reading from the Right Weigh gauge and write it down (refer to gauge operating instructions for proper procedure). Drive the vehicle around the block and return to the same location. Acquire a second reading from the Right Weigh gauge. If the two readings are significantly different, then the HCV might be malfunctioning.
Scale Does Not Power On	Scale is not connected to a switched power source of between 9 and 32 VDC	Connect the scale to a switched power source between 9 and 32 VDC (typically either the vehicle marker lights or the AUX/ABS wire). If there is a bad connection in the circuit which causes voltage to drop below 9 volts, the scale will not power on. Test the power source with a voltmeter.
	Scale is connected directly to the battery	Connect the scale to a switched power source between 9 and 32 VDC (typically either the vehicle marker lights or the AUX/ABS wire). The scale is active anytime it is connected to power, even if the display is off. To reset it, disconnect and reconnect to the power source, wait 10 seconds, then try again to turn the display on.
	Polarity is incorrect	Correct the polarity. The red wire must be connected to positive and the black to negative.
Cannot Change Calibration Data	The scale has an active user-defined security PIN code	If the scale is protected with a PIN code, the PIN must be entered before calibration data can be changed. To understand how to reset the PIN code, see page 16. If the PIN code has been forgotten, please call Right Weigh technical support listed on page 2 for further assistance.
Gauge Will Not Calibrate Low/High	Air pressure in the system is not changing	To enter low or high cal mode, the gauge must see a measurable change in air pressure. Make sure you calibrate high when the vehicle is near the legal limit and calibrate low when the truck is empty. Also, be sure the air line is connected directly to an air bag - NOT the main air supply or brake system.

The following is a list of additional parts needed for air line installation. This list is just a suggestion and may not be all of the parts needed for your specific vehicle. These parts are included in installation kit 101-SK (sold separately):



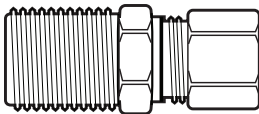
### 1/4 Inch Air Line

Approximately 20 to 30 feet (6 to 9 meters)



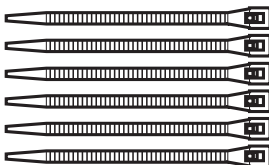
### Street Tee Fitting

The thread size should match the air bag fitting. (1/4" NPT or 3/8" NPT)



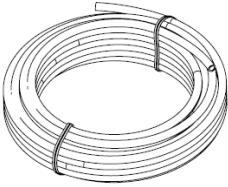
### Male Straight Tube Fitting

Tube fitting for 1/4" air line, with a thread size to match the street tee fitting.



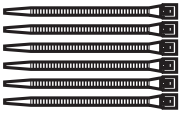
### 20 or more Zip Ties

The following is a list of additional parts needed for air line installation from the gauge to a trailer suspension. This list is just a suggestion and may not be all of the parts needed for your specific vehicle. These parts are included in installation kit 301-QDK (sold separately):

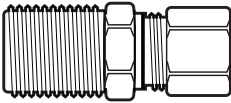


### 1/4 Inch Air Line

Approximately 80 feet (24 meters)

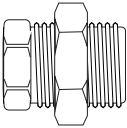


### 20 or more Zip Ties

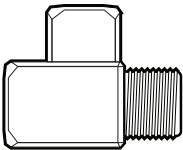


### Male Straight Tube Fitting

Tube fitting for 1/4" air line, with a thread size to match the street tee fitting.

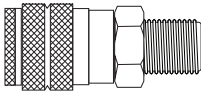


### 2 x Bulkhead Fitting

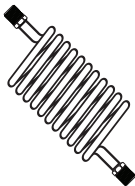


### Street Tee Fitting

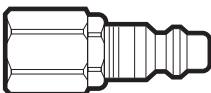
The thread size should match the air bag fitting. (1/4" NPT or 3/8" NPT)



### Female Quick Disconnect Fitting



### 25 Foot Coiled Air Line



### Male Quick Disconnect Fitting









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