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Powder Coating Equipment
EASY 1-B ELECTROSTATIC POWDER MANUAL EQUIPMENT

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Safety regulations for electrostatic manual powder spraying equipment

1 Safety symbols (Pictograms)
This chapter sets out the fundamental safety regulations that must be followed by the user and third parties using the powder spraying equipment. These safety regulations must be read and understood before the powder spraying equipment is used. The following warnings for ITW Gema operating instructions are shown here with their meanings. The general safety precautions must also be followed as well as the regulations in the operating instructions.

**Danger!** Danger due to live electricity or moving parts. Possible consequences: Death or serious injury.

**Warning!** Improper use of the equipment could damage the machine or cause it to malfunction. Possible consequences: minor injuries or damage to equipment.

**Information!** Useful tips and other information.

2 Conformity of use

1. The manual powder spraying equipment is built exclusively for the normal application of powder coating according to current recognized technological and safety regulations.

2. Any other use is considered as non-conform. The manufacturer is not responsible for damage resulting from improper use of this equipment; the end-user alone is responsible. If the manual powder spraying equipment is to be used for other purposes or other substances outside of our guidelines then ITW Gema AG should be consulted.

3. Observance of the operating, service and maintenance instructions specified by the manufacturer is also part of conformity of use. The hand held powder spraying equipment should only be used, maintained and started up by trained personnel who are informed about and are familiar with the possible hazards involved.

4. Unauthorized modifications to powder spraying equipment exempts the manufacturer from any liability from resulting damage.

5. The relevant accident prevention regulations, as well as other generally recognized safety regulations, occupational health and structural regulations are to be observed. (see appendix “Standards”)

6. Furthermore the country-specific safety regulations must be observed.

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3 Safety Technical Information

3.1 General information

The powder spraying equipment from ITW Gema is safe to operate and is built according to the latest technological specifications. This equipment can be dangerous if it is not used for its specified purpose. It should also be noted that because of this there exists:

- A danger to life and limb of the user or third party.
- A danger of damage to the equipment and other machinery belonging to the user.
- A hazard to the efficient operation of the equipment.

1. The powder spraying equipment should only be started up and used once the operating instructions have been carefully studied.
2. Before every Start-up check the equipment for operational safety (regular servicing is essential)!
3. Safety regulations BGI 764 and VDE regulations DIN VDE 0147, Part 1, must be observed for safe operation.
4. Safety precautions specified by local legislation must be observed.
5. The plug must be disconnected before the machine is opened for repair.
6. Only original ITW-Gema replacement parts should be used, because the explosion protection will also be preserved that way. Damage caused by other parts is not covered by guarantee.
7. If ITW-Gema powder spraying equipment is used in conjunction with machinery from other manufacturers then their safety regulations must also be taken into account.
8. Caution must be exercised when working with a powder/air mixture! A powder/air mixture in the right concentration is flammable! No smoking during powder coating.
9. As a general rule for all powder spraying installations, persons with pacemakers should never enter high voltage areas or areas with electromagnetic fields. Persons with pacemakers should not enter areas with powder spraying installations!

Warning! We emphasize that the customer themselves is responsible for safe operation of equipment. ITW-Gema is in no way responsible for any resulting damages.

3.2 Safety conscious working

Each person responsible for the assembly, start-up, operation, service and repair of powder spraying equipment must have read and understood the operating instructions and the “Safety” chapter. The operator must ensure that the user has had the appropriate training for powder spraying equipment and is aware of the possible sources of danger.

The control devices for the spray guns must only be set up and used inside of the zone 22, and the spray guns should be used in the zone 21.
3.3 Individual safety regulations for the operating firm and/or operating personnel

1. Any operating method which will negatively influence the technical safety of the powder spraying equipment is to be avoided.

2. The operator is under obligation to check the powder spraying equipment at least once a month for signs of external damage, defects or changes (including the operating characteristics) which could influence safety and to report them immediately.

3. The operator is obliged to check that the powder spraying equipment is only operated when in satisfactory condition.

4. As far as is necessary, the operating firm must ensure that the operating personnel wear protective clothing (e.g. facemasks).

5. The operating firm must guarantee cleanliness and an overview of the workplace with suitable instructions and checks in and around the powder spraying equipment.

3.4 Notes on special types of hazard

3.4.1 Power
High voltage equipment must not be opened - the plug must first be taken out - otherwise there is the danger of electric shock.

3.4.2 Powder
Powder/air mixtures can be ignited by sparks. There must be sufficient ventilation in the powder coating booth. Powder lying on the floor around the powder spraying device is a potentially dangerous source of slipping.

3.4.3 Static charges
Static charges can have the following consequences: Charges from people, electric shocks, sparking. Charges from objects must be avoided – see Earthing

3.4.4 Earthing
All electricity conducting parts and machinery found in the workplace (according to DIN VDE 0745, Part 102) must be earthed 1.5 m either side and 2.5 m around each booth opening. The earthing resistance of each piece of machinery must amount to 1 MΩ. The resistance must be tested on a regular basis. The condition of the machinery surroundings as well as the suspension gear must ensure that the machinery remains earthed. If the earthing of the machinery includes the suspension arrangements then these this must constantly be kept clean in order to keep the necessary conductivity. The appropriate measuring devices must be kept ready in the workplace in order to carry out the testing.

3.4.5 Compressed air
When there are to be longer pauses or stand-still times between working then the powder spraying equipment should be drained of compressed air. There is a danger of injury when pneumatic hoses are damaged and from the uncontrolled release and improper use of compressed air.

3.5 Prohibition of unauthorized conversions and modifications to equipment
All unauthorized conversions and modifications to powder spraying equipment are forbidden for safety reasons.

The powder spraying equipment should not be used if damaged, the faulty part must be immediately replaced or repaired. Only original ITW-Gema replacement parts should be used. Damage caused by other parts is not covered by guarantee.

Repairs must only be carried out by specialists or in ITW-Gema workshops. Unauthorized modifications can lead to personal injury and damage to machinery. The ITW Gema AG guarantee would no longer be valid.
4 Safety requirements for electrostatic powder coating

1. This equipment is dangerous if the instructions in this operating manual are not followed.

2. All electrostatic conductive parts and in particular the machinery, within 5m of the coating equipment must be earthed.

3. The floor of the coating area must conduct electricity (normal concrete is generally conductive).

4. The operating personnel must wear electricity conducting footwear (e.g. leather soles).

5. The operating personnel should hold the gun with bare hands. If gloves are worn, these must also conduct electricity.

6. The supplied earthing cable (green/ yellow) must be connected to the earthing screw of the electrostatic powder spraying hand appliance. The earthing cable must have a good metallic connection with the coating booth, the recovery unit and the conveyor chain and with the suspension arrangement of the objects.

7. The electricity and powder supply to the hand guns must be set up so that they are fully protected against heat and chemical damage.

8. The powder coating device may only be switched on, once the booth has been started up. If the booth cuts out then the powder coating device must be switched off.

9. The earthing of all electricity conducting devices (e.g. hooks, conveyor chains) must be checked on a weekly basis. The earthing resistance must amount to $\leq 1 \text{ M}\Omega$.

10. The control device must be switched off if the hand gun is cleaned or the nozzle is changed. The control device is also to be switched off when filling powder, so that ex atmosphere is not produced unnecessarily.

11. When working with cleaning agents there may be a risk of hazardous fumes. The manufactures information must be observed when using such cleaning agents.

12. The manufacturers instructions and the applicable environmental requirements must be observed when disposing of powder lacquer and cleaning agents.

13. If any part of the spray gun is damaged (broken parts, tears) or missing then it should not be used.

14. For your own safety, only use accessories and attachments listed in the operating instructions. The use of other parts can lead to risk of injury. Only original ITW-Gema replacement parts should be used.

15. Repairs must only be carried out by specialists and under no circumstances should they be carried out in the operating area. All unauthorized conversions and modifications may lead to injury or damage to machinery. The former protection must not be reduced.

16. Conditions leading to dangerous levels of dust concentration in the powder spraying booths or in the powder spraying areas must be avoided. There must be sufficient technical ventilation available, to prevent a dust concentration of more than 50% of the lower explosion limit (UEG) (UEG = max. permissible powder/air concentration) If the UEG is not known then a value of 20 g/m$^3$ should be used.
5  A summary of the rules and regulations
The following is a list of relevant rules and regulations which are to be observed:

5.1  Guidelines and Regulations, German professional association

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5.4  VDE (Association of German Engineers) Regulations

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2) Beuth Verlag GmbH, Burgrafenstrasse 4, 1000 Berlin 30
3) Generalsecretariat, Rue Bréderode 2, B-1000 Brüssel, or the appropriate national committee.
4) VDE Verlag GmbH, , Bismarckstrasse 33, 1000 Berlin 12
TECHNICAL DATA OF THE EASY 1-B / EASY 2-B POWDER MANUAL COATING EQUIPMENT

Type

Electrical data

- Input voltage: 230 - 240 V (110 - 120 V)
- Frequency: 50/60 Hz
- Connected load: 150 VA, 220 VA
- Rated output voltage (to powder gun): max. 12 V
- Rated output current (to powder gun): max. 1 A
- Type of protection: IP 54
- Temperature range: 10 °C to +40 °C (+50 °F to 104 °F)
- Approval:

Pneumatic data

- Main compressed air input: G 1/4" (Female)
- Max. Input pressure: 10 bar
- Min. Input pressure: 6 bar
- Max. Water vapour content of the compressed air: 1.3 g/m³
- Max. Oil vapour content of the compressed air: 0.1 mg/kg (Oil/Water)
- Max. Compressed air consumption
  - Powder hose - ø 11 mm: 8 m³/h, 15 m³/h

Dimensions

- Width: 608 mm, 692 mm
- Depth: 846 mm, 846 mm
- Height: 1195 mm, 1195 mm
- Weight: 41 kg, 51 kg
- Max. Container size L x W x H: 500 x 485 x 390 mm

The Easy 1-B / Easy 2-B can only be used with the EasySelect Manual Powder Gun
ABOUT THESE OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

These operating instructions contain all the important information which is required to operate the EASY powder coating equipment. It will guide you safely through the installation stage, give you information to convert your EASY 1 system to an EASY 2 system, also notes and tips for the optimum use of your new powder coating system. The information about the functioning of the individual system components - EasyTronic powder gun control, EasySelect manual powder gun or OptiFlow powder injector will be found in the respective accompanying documentation.
1. FIELD OF APPLICATION

The EASY 1-B / EASY 2-B Electrostatic Powder Manual equipment with the EasySelect Manual powder gun is ideally suited for manual coating of objects in small series.

2. SCOPE OF DELIVERY FOR EASY 1-B (STANDARD)

An EasyTronic control unit (1) in a metal housing with a Mains connection cable.

A mobile trolley (10) with a shelf (13) and a holder (14) for guns and hoses.

A vibrating table (11) with a fluidizing/suction unit (6).

A pressure reducing valve for the fluidizing air (9), mounted on swivel arm (5).

A plug-in OptiFlow injector (4)

An EasySelect Manual powder gun (2) with electric cable, powder hose, rinsing air hose, and standard nozzle set (see EasySelect Manual powder gun operating instructions).

Pneumatic hoses (3) for conveying air (red), supplementary air (black) and fluidizing air (black)

3. SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIAL FOR EASY 2-B (STANDARD)

- An EasyTronic control unit, control unit housing, complete with gun holder, special Mains connecting cable, and connecting material.
- A second fluidizing/suction unit with plug-in OptiFlow injector, a double arm, pneumatic kit and screw connections
- An EasySelect Manual powder gun with electric cable, powder hose, rinsing air hose, and standard nozzle set
- Pneumatic hoses for conveying air (red), supplementary air (black), and a pneumatic connection with a double air connection adapter from the pressure reducing valve to the control unit.
CONNECTION INSTRUCTIONS

The Manual Powder equipment is partially assembled in the factory. Only certain cables and hoses must be connected by the customer (see separate Assembly Instructions).

1. Connect the hose for the compressed air supply from compressed air circuit directly to the main air connection - **1.1 IN** on the rear of the control unit (female thread: 1/4” B.S.P.).

   **The compressed air must be free from oil and water.**

2. Connect the black hose for the fluidizing air to the corresponding output (1.5) on the rear of the control unit and to the pressure reducing valve (9) on the trolley.

3. Fit the grounding connection cable on the control unit with the grounding screw, and the 5 m long grounding cable with the clamping clip on the booth or on the hanger device.

4. Connect the gun cable with the 7 pole plug on the rear of the control unit on the socket - **2.2** (Gun).

   **The PG 1 Manual powder gun cannot be connected!**

5. Connect the hose for rinsing air on the rinsing air output - **1.4** and on the powder gun.

6. Plug the injector in, and connect the powder hose on the injector and on the powder gun.

7. Connect the red hose for conveying air to the corresponding output - **1.2** on the rear of the control unit and to the injector.

8. Connect the black hose for supplementary air to the corresponding output - **1.3** on the rear of the control unit and to the injector.

9. Connect the Mains cable on the socket - **2.1**.

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**NOTICE**

- **Mains connection**
- **Aux Gun**
- **Input voltage:** 85 – 264 V
- **Input power:** 47 – 440 Hz
- **Degree of protection:** IP 54
- **Output:** 10 V   1,2 A
- **Corresponding guns:** EasySelect

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**POWDER GUN CONTROL**

**TYPE EASYTRONIC**
DESCRIPTION OF FUNCTION

The powder container is placed directly on the vibration table. For fluidizing the powder, in addition to the table vibration, fluidizing air is fed into the external tube of the fluidizing/suction unit and exits at the lower end of the tube through the fluidizing pads. The area around the suction tube is fluidized, the powder acquires fluid-like characteristics and is sucked up into the tube.

Table vibration causes an even sinking of the powder level and prevents depositing of residual powder in the corners of the container. Practically all the powder can be used (optimum powder exploitation).

The powder/air mixture reached the gun through the powder hose and is electrostatically charged in the nozzle. In addition, an electrostatic field is created between the gun nozzle and the grounded object. The charged powder spray remains adhered to the surface of the object.

The conveying air, supplementary air, and the rinsing air are set on the control unit, and the fluidizing air is set on the fluidizing unit on the swivel arm. The functioning of the injector is described in the OptiFlow Operating Instructions.

Fluidizing/suction Unit
The operating panel of the EasyTronic control unit consists of 4 main areas: Diagnosis LEDs, Displays, “+/-” Keys, and Function keys.

1. The Diagnosis LEDs 1 – 8 serve to show the status of the equipment, and equipment faults. Detailed information is found in the “Troubleshooting Guide”, pages 11 and 12.

2. There are two Displays with whose help the following values are displayed:
   - **Powder output** (Setting range 0 – 100 %) Powder output in % always refers to the max. possible output volume to the total air volume setting.
   - **Total air volume** (Setting range 1.6 – 6.0 Nm³/h)

3. The Keys “+” and “–” are for setting the powder output, and the total air volume used.
   If the Key is pressed once, the value is increased or decreases, respectively, by one step. If the Key is pressed continuously, the setting change rapidly.

4. The Function keys have the following functions:
   - **Electrode rinsing air for flat jet nozzles**
   - **Electrode rinsing air for round jet nozzles**
     When a Key is pressed once, the corresponding function is activated, and the corresponding LED illuminates.
     If a Key with an illuminated LED is pressed for longer than 1 second, the function is deactivated.
     ITW Gema recommends leaving the electrode rinsing air switched on, but can, however, remain switched off with application with very small amounts of powder.
   - **Application keys:** With these keys the electrostatic (High-voltage, and current) are automatically set so that the setting for the selected application is the optimum.
     – Settings for flat parts
     – Settings for complicated parts with depressions
     – Settings for coating parts already coated
     The High-voltage and current can be deactivated when the appropriate key is pressed for more than 1 second when the LED illuminates.

The EasyTronic control unit is switched on and off with a Push button. If the equipment is switched on, the yellow lamp is illuminated.

When the equipment is first switched on the preselected factory settings displayed:

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After switching the equipment off (also when the equipment is disconnected from the Mains) the actual settings are retained.
PREPARATION FOR START UP

A) FILLING THE POWDER HOPPER

1. Swivel the Fluidizing-Suction unit to the side
2. Place the opened powder container on the vibration table
3. Place the Fluidizing-Suction unit on the powder.
4. If the control unit is switched on and the fluidizing air and vibration are operating, then the Fluidizing-Suction unit will "dig" itself into the powder.

B) SWITCH THE BOOTH ON

Switch the powder coating booth on according to the operating instructions.

C) FUNCTION CHECK

1. Press the main switch on the control unit. The yellow control lamp in the switch illuminates.
   The equipment carries out the calibration automatically. An increase in sound can be heard inside the control unit. Both displays show 888. The equipment is ready for operation after not more than 20 seconds and switches to the factory settings.
2. Take the powder gun in the hand and point at a grounded object in the booth, distance approx. 20 cm.
3. Press the gun trigger.
   The LED No. 8 illuminates. The High-voltage is switched on and powder is conveyed.

If all tests are positive, the control unit, and the powder gun are ready for operation. If one of the functions is not operating as expected, check this in the "Troubleshooting Guide", on pages 11 and 12.
DAILY START UP

A) POWDER FLUIDIZING

The fluidizing, and vibration characteristics of the powder are dependent on the type of powder, the humidity of the air, and the ambient temperature. Fluidizing, and vibration start when the control unit is switched on. Proceed as follows:

1. Set the Fluidizing/suction unit onto the powder in the powder container.
2. Slowly increase the fluidizing air on the pressure regulating gauge (9).
   It is recommended that the fluidizing air is set as low as possible (approx. 0.5-1.0 bar), otherwise pulsing can start when the equipment is switched on.
3. Fix the position of the pressure reducing valve by pressing the knob down

B) REGULATE THE POWDER OUTPUT, AND POWDER CLOUD

The powder output is dependent on the powder, and the setting of the total air volume.

SET TOTAL AIR VOLUME

1. Switch on the control unit
2. Set the total air volume (For further information see the OptiFlow Operating Instructions)
   The total air volume is dependent on the powder hose length, the number of turns of the hose, the hose diameter, and the object to be coated.
   The value set for the total air volume can be left as it is, as long as the same powder hose is used. If the hose length and/or the hose diameter are changed, then the total air volume must be reset.
3. Select the powder output volume according to the desired coating thickness.
   The selection takes place with the aid of the Keys + and – either on the control unit or on the rear of the powder gun.
   To start, a standard setting of 60% is recommended. The total air volume is maintained constant automatically.
4. Check the fluidizing of the powder
5. Point the powder gun into the booth and press the powder gun trigger

SELECT POWDER OUTPUT VOLUME

6. Select the correct electrode rinsing
   When using flat jet nozzles:
   - Press the Key with the corresponding symbol . The LED of the corresponding Key illuminates.
   When using round jet nozzles with air rinsed deflector plates:
   - Press the Key with the corresponding symbol . The LED of the corresponding Key illuminates.
(continued)
C) POWDER COATING

Make sure that all electrically conductive parts within 5 m around the coating booth are grounded!

1. Take the powder gun in hand and point it into the coating booth, however, do not point it at the object to be coated yet
2. Select the application settings
   Press the corresponding application key on the control unit. The LED of the corresponding Key illuminates.
3. Press the powder gun trigger
4. Coat the object(s)

D) REMOTE CONTROL THROUGH THE POWDER GUN

With the aid of the Keys + and – on the rear of the powder gun different functions can be remotely controlled:

1. Select the application settings
   Press the Keys + and – on the powder gun simultaneously
   Check by observing the LED display on the powder gun:
   - Red = Flat parts
   - Green = Complicated parts
   - Red/Green (alternating) = Spraying over
2. Change the powder output
   Press the Key + or – on the powder gun. The powder output is correspondingly increased or reduced.

E) SWITCHING OFF

1. Release the powder gun trigger
2. Switch off the control unit
   The settings for high-voltage, rinsing air, and powder output are retained.

F) POWDER HOSE RINSING

After longer still stand periods the powder hose should be cleaned of powder. Proceed as follows:

1. Remove the powder hose from the hose connection on the injector
2. Point the powder gun into the booth
3. Blow the hoses through manually with a compressed air gun
4. Replace the powder hose on the hose connection of the injector again.
COLOUR CHANGE

1. Clean the fluidizing/suction unit (see page 10)
2. Blow out the powder hose with compressed air
   Powder hoses are easily cleaned by taking a cube of foam packing material and blowing it through the hose with compressed air. Use our specially designed compressed air gun (Order No. 346 055).
   The foam cubes can be ordered in sheets of 100 pieces (Order No. 241 717).
3. Dismantle the powder gun and clean (see EasySelect Manual powder gun operating instructions).
4. Clean the injector (see OptiFlow Injector operating instructions).
5. Prepare the coating equipment for start-up with new powder (see ‘A) Filling the powder hopper’ page 6).

MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE

Regular and conscientious maintenance increases the operating life of the unit and ensures a longer constant coating quality!

A) DAILY MAINTENANCE:

1a Clean the injector, see OptiFlow Injector operating instructions
2a Clean the powder gun, see EasySelect Manual powder gun operating instructions.
3a Clean the Manual powder gun powder hose, see Colour change, Point 2.

B) WEEKLY MAINTENANCE:

1b Clean the Fluidizing-Suction unit, injector and powder gun.
   Only place the Fluidizing-Suction unit in the powder shortly before restarting operation.
2b Check the grounding connections between the control unit, and the coating booth, the object hanger device and the chain conveyor.

C) WHEN THE POWDER COATING EQUIPMENT IS NOT USED FOR A NUMBER OF DAYS:

1c Remove the Mains plug
2c Clean the coating equipment, see Point 1b
3c Turn off the main compressed air supply
CLEANING

CLEANING THE FLUIDIZING/SUCTION UNIT

1. Remove the injector
2. Remove the fluidizing/suction unit
3. Clean the fluidizing/suction unit with compressed air. Also blow the suction tube through with compressed air.
4. Clean the injector (see "Cleaning the injector", OptiFlow Operating Instructions.
5. Reassemble the individual parts.

CLEANING THE EASYSELECT MANUAL POWDER GUN

Frequent cleaning of the powder gun serves to ensure the quality of the coating.

Switch off the control unit before cleaning the powder gun. The compressed air used for cleaning must be free from oil and water.

Daily:

1. Blow off the exterior of the powder gun, and wipe clean etc.

Weekly:

2. Remove the powder hose from the connection.
3. Remove the nozzle from the powder gun and clean.
4. Remove the powder gun from the connection and blow through with compressed air in the direction of flow.
5. Clean the powder gun tube with the spiral brush supplied.
6. Blow the powder gun through with compressed air again.
7. Clean the powder hose.
8. Assemble the powder gun and reconnect.
**TROUBLESHOOTING GUIDE**

The diagnosis LEDs 1-7 illuminate green when switched on, and LED 8 remains unilluminated. It illuminates red when the gun trigger is pulled.

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<td>LED 1-3 unilluminated</td>
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<td>LED 4 illuminates red</td>
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| LED 5 illuminates red | - Gun not connected  
- Gun plug, gun cable or gun cable connection defect  
- Remote control on the gun defect | Connect the gun  
Replace corresponding part or send in for repair  
Exchange remote control (gun cover) |
| LED 6 illuminates red | Solenoid for rinsing air of the flat jet nozzle defect | Replace solenoid spool |
| LED 7 illuminates red | Solenoid for rinsing air of the round jet nozzle defect | Replace solenoid spool |
| LED 8 unilluminated, in spite of the trigger being pulled and the LED 5 illuminates green. | Gun plug, gun cable or gun connection defect | Replace corresponding part or send in for repair |
| The gun LED remains unilluminated, in spite of the trigger being pulled, and the LED 8 illuminates red | - Gun plug, gun cable or gun connection defect  
- Remote control on the gun defect | Replace corresponding part or send in for repair  
Exchange remote control (gun cover) |
| Powder does not adhere to the object, in spite of the trigger being pulled, and the gun sprays powder, the gun LED, and the LED 8 are illuminated. | - High-voltage and current deactivated.  
- High-voltage cascade defect.  
- The objects are poorly grounded. | Press the selection key (Application key)  
Send the gun in for repair  
Check grounding, see also ‘Safety rules’ |
| The control lamp in the push button does not illuminate, in spite of the control unit being switched on. | No current:  
- Control unit is not connected to the Mains.  
In the equipment:  
- Bulb burnt out.  
- Power pack defect | Connect the mains cable to the unit  
Replace  
Replace |

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EASY 1-B / EASY 2-B PNEUMATIC DIAGRAM

S1 = Rinsing air unit
M1 = Motor throttle
E1 = Input unit

Figure 4
Figure 5

- LED display
- Keypad foil
- Main board
- Power pack
- EASYTRONIC
- Solenoid valve Fluidizing air
- Main solenoid valve
- Solenoid valve Round jet nozzle
- Solenoid valve Flat jet nozzle
- Supplementary air
- Conveying air
- Gun
- vibrator
- Power supply
SPARE PARTS LIST

ORDERING SPARE PARTS

When ordering Spare parts for powder coating equipment, please indicate the following specifications:

1. Type and serial number of your powder coating equipment
2. Order number, quantity, and description of each spare part

Example:

1. Type EASY 1-B, Serial No.: XXX XXX
2. Order No.: 201 073, 5 pieces, Fine wire fuse

When ordering cable and hose material the length required must be given.
The spare part numbers of yard/meter ware always begins with 1.....
and are always marked with an * in the spare parts list.

Wear parts are always marked with a #.

All dimensions for plastic powder hoses are given as external diameter (o/d) and internal diameter (i/d):

   e. g. ø 8 / 6 mm, 8 mm outside diameter / 6 mm inside diameter (i/d).
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# Wear parts
EASY 1-B POWDER COATING EQUIPMENT

71  Clic-Rail  245750
72  Spring washer - M6  205117
73  Washer - ø 6.4 x 12.5 x 1.6 mm  216020
75  Air connection adapter 1/4" - 1/4" - single  261700
76  Air connection ring ø 8 mm - 1/4" - single  261718
77  Air connection adapter 1/4" - single  261742
78  Plastic hose ø 8/6 mm - Antistatic (black)  103756*
79  Gasket  225487

Figure 6
**FLUIDIZING/SUCTION UNIT**

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