

VTST-1



VTST-2



Overview

This guide provides step-by-step instructions for properly using the VTST-1 or VTST-2 Stringing Tool with a Vise Top insulator.

Materials Needed

- VTST-1 or VTST-2 Stringing Tool
- Vise Top Insulator

Installation Steps



Step 1:

Install the Vise Top Insulator. Clamp the Stringing Tool in the jaw and pull your rope in (Tip: have the large flare of the Stringing Tool facing the cable reels)



Step 2:

String and sag the conductor directly on the insulator. Dead ends can be made up and the circuit can be energized (Remember: you are in an insulator)



Step 3:

Loosen the bolt and slide the Stringing Tool away from the insulator, either by hand or with a hot stick, until the two halves of the tool separate



Step 4:

Clamp the conductor in the Vise Top jaw by tightening the torque bolts, **bottom bolt first — always**, until the rings break away. This can be done by hand or hot stick.