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## **Using the updated Auto Tensioner**

The Auto Tensioner improves the quality and consistency of your winding. For best results, follow the directions below.

1) Insert the yarn through the first hole beside the tensioner, at the front of the Assembly.



Figure 1 - Insert yarn

2) Thread the yarn through the hole on the other side of the tensioner and through both pigtail hooks on the counter assembly.

## Note:

For easier threading, you may wish to use a hook such as a fine sley hook, or crochet hook.

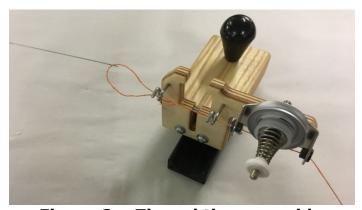


Figure 2 - Thread the assembly

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3) Once you have the yarn seated, take the yarn over the top of the tensioner and place it between the tension plates.



Figure 3 - Place the yarn between the tension plates

- 4) If you are using a yardage counter, twist a loop in the yarn between the two pigtails and loop it around the counter wheel.
- 5) Attach the yarn to the pirn, bobbin, or spool and wind on as you normally would.

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