

LUBE CUBE

QUICK START GUIDE



COMPONENTS

- A LUBE CUBE BODY
- **B COOLANT MIXTURE KNOB**
- C NOZZLE
- D STANDOFF (LOCATION 1)
- E STANDOFF (LOCATION 2)
- F KNOB ADJUSTMENT NUT
- G CHECK VALVE (OPTIONAL)

- H OUTLET PLUG
- I FILL CAP
- J CANISTER MOUTING BRACKET
- K AIR REGULATOR
- L CANISTER BOWL
- M STANDOFF
- N MAGNETIC BASE

MOUNTING AND ASSEMBLY

- 1. Mount the coolant canister using the supplied bracket
 - a. The bracket attaches to the canister with included M6 bolts
- Attach the air regulator to the 1/4" NPT threaded 'INLET' side
 a. Teflon tape should be used to ensure air-tight seal
- 3. Install appropriate air-inlet connector to the regulator
 - Pull the regulator adjustment knob away from the body to 'unlock' it and push it into the body to 'lock' it
 - b. Screw the regulator adjustment knob counter-clockwise, until it stops, in order to reduce the output pressure to zero – before pressurizing
- Screw the polycarbonate canister housing onto the black cap, with sufficient force to seal the assembly
 - Always hold the cap while tightening, to avoid twisting and damaging the mounting bracket
- Attach the magnetic mounting arm to the Lube-Cube body, by screwing the threaded stand-off into one, of the two, mounting points

 Mounting point 1: Top of Lube-Cube
 - b. Mounting point 2: Back of Lube-Cube (next to hoses)
- 6. Secure the threaded standoff by tightening the locking set screw
- 7. Mount the magnetic base to any ferrous surface
 - a. The magnetic base uses a switch to toggle the holding power. Turning switch clockwise activates the magnets, counter-clockwise deactivates them
 - b. Both the bottom AND the back faces of the magnetic base are magnetic
- 8. Connect Coolant and Air Line
 - a. Identify the nipple on the canister outlet plug that corresponds to the pickup line with brass filter and connect the twin tube line to it – this is the COOLANT line.
 - b. The nipple that isn't connected to the pickup line is the AIR line
 - c. Connect the coolant line to the coolant nipple on the body
 - d. Connect the air line to the air nippple on the body

GETTING STARTED

- 1. Ensure both the air regulator and Lube-cube are zero'ed out
 - The air regulator knob should be turned counter-clockwise, until it stops to set the output pressure to zero
 - b. The Lube-Cube mixture knob should be turned counter-clockwise, until it stops, to reduce the coolant output to zero (air will still come out)
- Unscrew the coolant fill cap, and pour your desired coolant into the cannister

 Read the manufacturer documentation, to determine correct coolant to
 water ratio !
- 3. Attach an air-source to the air regulator
- 4. Roughly align the Lube-Cube nozzle in the direction of the workpiece
- 5. Begin increasing the regulator's output pressure, to 10-30PSI
 - Lube cube is a Low-Pressure Low-Volume fogless coolant mister, and operates best between 10-30PSI.
 - b. Higher air pressure provides more chip clearing but a wider coolant spread.
 - c. Lower air pressure provides less chip clearing with a tighter coolant spread
 - d. With both high and low pressures, coolant deposition can be matched by adjusting the coolant mixture nozzle on the Lube-Cube body
- Adjust the Lube-Cube's coolant mixture knob to begin dispensing coolant

 Turning the knob clockwise will increase the coolant output
 - b. It may help to gently hold the Lube-Cube while turning the mixture knob to avoid moving the stream's target.