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INTRODUCING THE *BLOCK BUSTER 1400*WEDGE ACTION RESTRAINER FOR DUCTILE IRON PIPE

Now with one quick turn, thrust restraint has become easier and more efficient than ever, thanks to the Uni-Flange Block Buster 1400 from Ford Meter Box.

Block Buster's specially designed contoured wedges tighten their grip on the pipe as line pressures increase or surges occur, offering unmatched thrust restraint and pipeline security.

Block Buster's unique wedge activating screws have breakaway heads that shear at the recommended torque, assuring proper installation every time. (After breakaway, a hex

head remains for easy maintenance).

The screws are threaded into the gland body and mechanically retain the wedges in their pockets. This adds strength and ensures that all parts show up at the job site; nothing is lost in the trench.

So take a turn for the better with the Uni-Flange Block Buster 1400 from Ford Meter Box. For more information, contact your Ford Meter Box/Uni-Flange distributor.

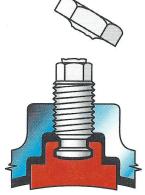




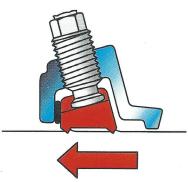




Wedge is contoured to minimize "point loading" and maximize grip.



Wedge activating screws shear at recommended torque assuring proper installation every time.



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