## **TORQUE MEASURING SYSTEM**

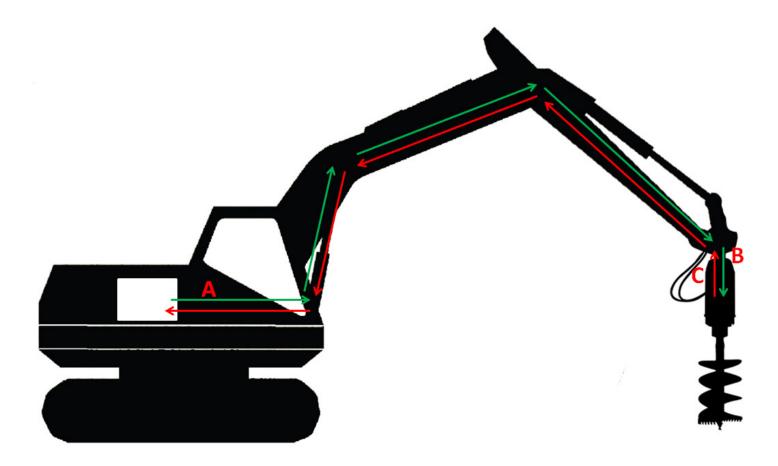


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# WHY USE A TORQUE MEASURING SYSTEM?

When Screw Piles/Piers are installed, a torque reading is required to ensure that these have been installed to the correct specification. Project engineers will generally demand that a specific torque requirement be reached, depending on what the piles/piers are being installed for. Traditionally, torque is calculated by a single sensor gauge located at the hydraulic pump (A) in the excavator. This is not a true accurate measurement as pressure is lost as the oil travels up the boom to the Drive Unit. Added to this is also another loss factor of back pressure created as the oil is transferred back to the parent machine. Pressure readings can be out by as much as 15-20% by the use of this single gauge system.

Digga's Torque Measuring System comprises of two sensors. The first sensor is located on the supply line at the entry to the drive unit (B). The second sensor is located on the return line where oil leaves the drive unit (C). A microprocessor calculates the 'actual usable' pressure using these two sensors, giving a true reading which is up to 12-15% more accurate than with traditional methods. The reading is displayed in BAR or PSI depending on the option chosen at the time of purchase. This figure is referenced against a supplied torque chart to give the pressure reading in Nm or Ft/Lb.

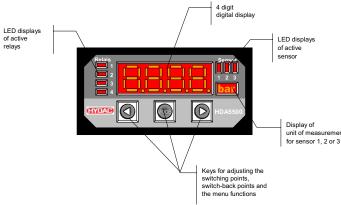


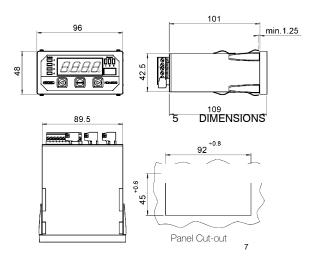
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The digital display units in the HDA 5500 series are micro processor controlled and are designed for control panel mounting.

The Digga Electronic Display Gauge Kit displays the differential pressure or usable hydraulic pressure. This pressure displayed on the digital screen allows the user to cross reference the displayed pressure (units displayed in bar) with the torque chart supplied to determine the theoretical torque generated by the planetary drive unit.

#### Note:

This kit can only operate on a supply voltage of 12 -32 V DC.

#### **Features:**

- Digital display of analogue signals.
- Clear 4-digit 7-segment LED display.
- Up to 3 analogue inputs (4.. 20mA or 0 .. 5 V).
- Accuracy  $\leq \pm 0.5\%$ .
- Differential measurement possible.
- Analogue output (4.. 20mA or 0.. 10 V).
- Up to 4 relay switching outputs.
- RS232 interface.
- Voltage supply 12 .. 32V DC.
- Option for PT100 sensor input or frequency input.

#### Ideal Use:

Accurately measures the true hydraulic pressure that is being applied through the hydraulic motor and gearbox of your drive unit.

#### Machine suitability:

Excavators, skid steer loaders, and tele-handlers.

Dimensions	
Control panel housing	96mm x 48mm x 109mm
Control panel cut-out	92mm (+0.8) x 45mm (+0.6)
Front panel thickness	15mm
Maximum installation depth	121mm