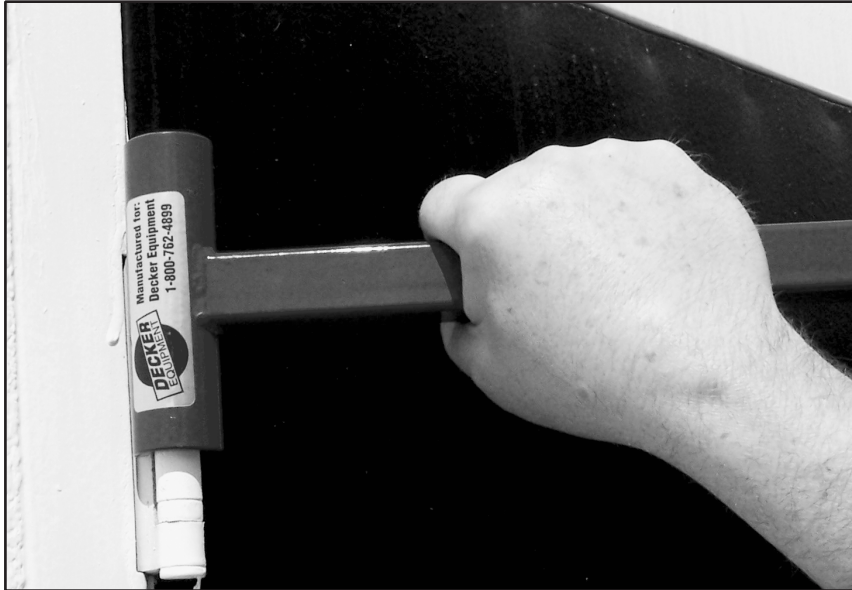


Hinge Whip: Door Adjuster Tool Instructions



The safe and easy way to realign your door

What is the purpose of the Hinge Adjuster Tool?

The Hinge Adjustment tool is therapy for your doors. To be more precise, the Hinge Adjustment Tool is designed to remend standard weight .134 gauge hinges to enable the door to operate correctly. In the door and hardware industry we would effectively call this rebending technique, closing the wedging of a hinge" or "closing the gap." The Hinge Adjust Tool when used correctly can be a time and labor saver.

Which door hinge do I place the Hinge Adjuster Tool on?

- Most frequent adjustments will be completed on the top door hinge. Why only the top hinge you ask? Simply stated, the top door hinge realizes the greatest stress because it carries the majority of the door weight. Therefore, in standard door operating conditions the top hinge will bend and spread apart more than other hinges on the same door.
- The second most frequent hinge adjustment will be the middle hinge.
- On rare occasions you might also find a need to remend the bottom hinge.

How do I use the Hinge Adjuster Tool?

1. Leave the door hanging and swinging. There is no need to remove the door.
2. Close the door.
3. Slide the Hinge Adjuster Tool over the hinge knuckles of the bent hinge while the door is in closed position.
4. Bend the hinge slightly by pushing the Hinge Adjuster Tool toward the door knob/lever side of the door.
5. After bending the hinge slightly, remove the Hinge Adjuster Tool, then check the swing adjustment just a little at a time to avoid over bending and over compensating the hinge and frame.
6. Repeat the hinge bending process as necessary to get the desired results of having the door close properly.