

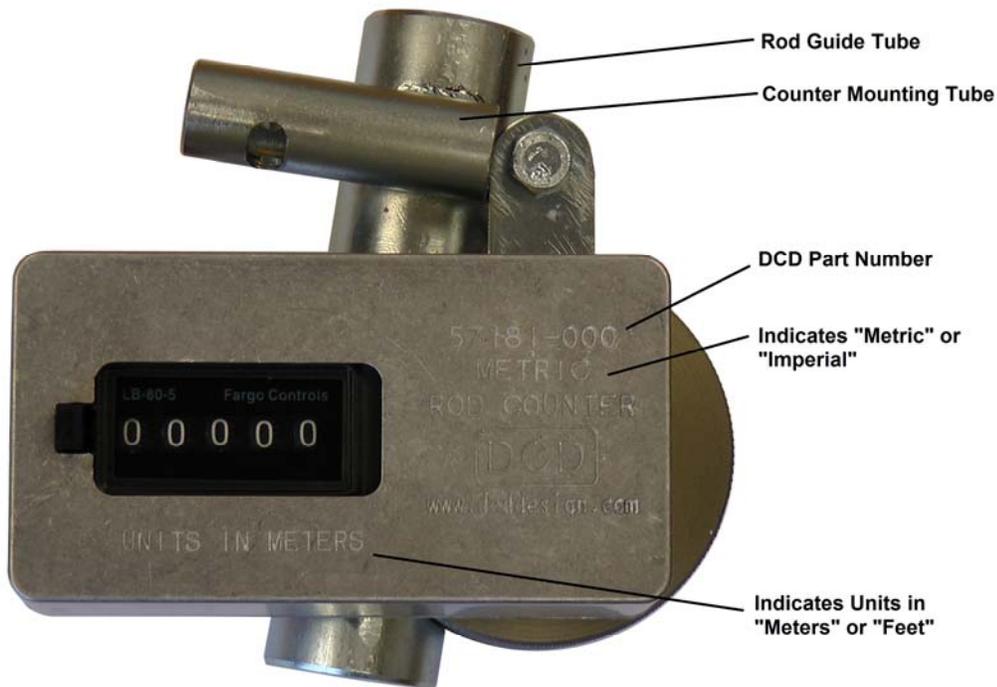
# OPERATING SPECIFICATIONS



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## SERIES 57180/57181 ROD COUNTER

1. The DCD Rod Counter 57180-000 (Imperial) and 57181-000 (Metric) is intended for use with the DCD series of rodders, including the 52000, 52500, 53500, 54000, 56000 and 56500 series rodders.
2. If using the rod counter for the 52000 or 52500 series rodders, ensure you have ordered the S-Bar adapter to allow the counter to fit the frame.



Counter installation on 5/16" or larger frame



Counter installation on 3/16" or 1/4" frame

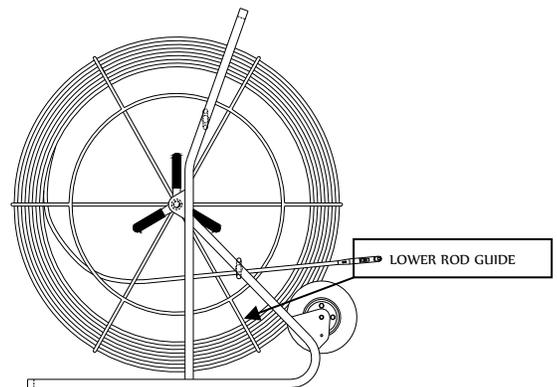
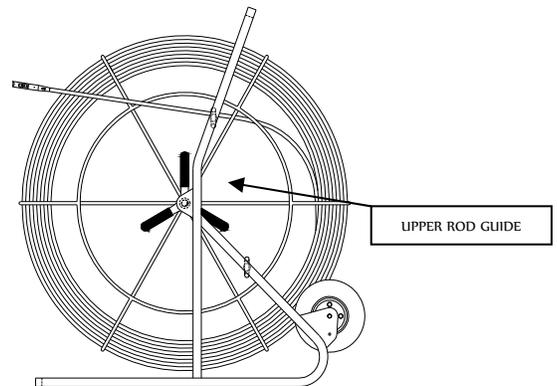
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### **INSTALLATION**

1. To provide easy viewing of the counter, the rod counter is intended to be mounted to the upper rod guide. Using an allen key, remove the screw securing the poly rod guide
2. If using a 5/16 (53000 series) frame, slide the brass spacer onto the post and slide the rod counter on the brass sleeve in place of the rod guide and install the counter using the screw (#10-32UNF) and locknut provided. The screw may be tightened fully or left somewhat loose to provide self alignment of the counter when feeding through the rod. Larger frames do not require use of the brass sleeve.
3. If using 52000 or 52500 series frame, install the S-bar adapter to the rodder frame using the rod guide screw. Then install the rod counter to the s-bar adapter.
4. Feed the rod manually through the rod counter. Attach accessories to the rodder only after rod is fed through the rod counter. Use the brake handle as required to prevent rotation of the cage.



Dimensions and weights subject to change without notice.

### **SAFETY**



1. Never bend the fiberglass rod around a corner with a radius less than the Minimum Bend Radius specified in the Operating Specifications.
2. A large amount of energy is stored in the coiled fiberglass rod. Always maintain control over the free end of the rod when the brake is not applied.
3. Be prepared for the unexpected. Use recognized safety practices and wear recognized safety equipment.