# **User Manual**

# **Tabletop Star-wheel Capping Machine**



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# FT-1000+FC-1055+LR-1000(coder)

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# **1** SAFETY INSTRUCTION

This manual is designed for operators who are not acquainted with the machine, so please follow the instructions to operate and adjust the machine step by step. If you cannot thoroughly understand some of the instructions, please ask experienced technicians for help or contact us. Thank you!

# Note: Please read this user manual in detail before taking any action to operate the machine!





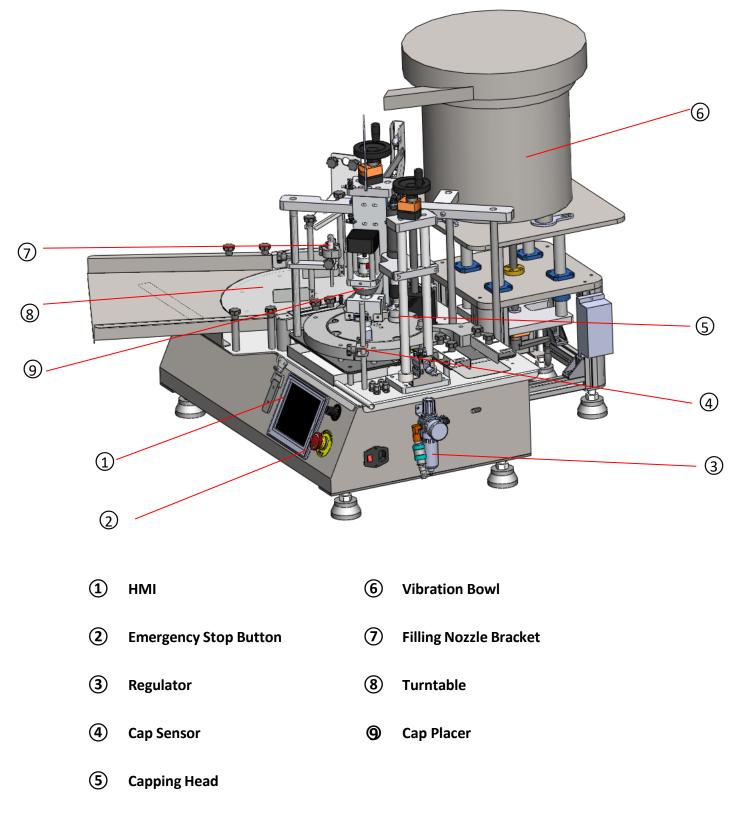


- This machine is driven by 110 or 220 VAC. The voltage should fit for the power standard of the machine and should always stay within the security limit.
- Only engineering technicians are allowed to make adjustment of the machine, but any adjustment is forbidden while the machine is running. Failure to follow this warning may expose the operator to danger.
- Do not place the machine near high temperature or inflammables. The places where are not stable or where the machine will be crashed easily are also not suitable to place the machine.
- To prevent from getting electric shocks, the machine cannot be placed in a humid environment.
- Do not attempt to remove/replace parts or to use the machine for any other purpose other than what is recommended by NEOSTARPACK.
- Do not randomly apply lubricants to any part of the machine.

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## **PRODUCT DESCRIPTION**

# **2.1 COMPONENTS**



# **2.2 ATTACHED PARTS**

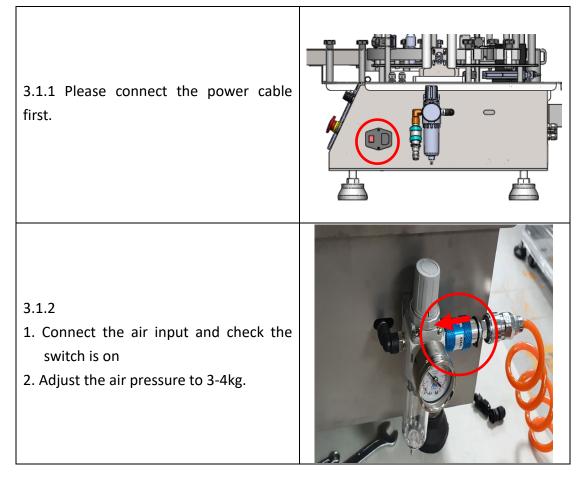


Item	Part
1	Bottle Placing Tray
2	Power Cable
3	Foot Pedal
4	Speed Controller
5	Air Hose
6	Hand Lever
7	Star Knob
8	Relay

# **3 ADJUSTMENT**



### **3.1 CAPPER-AIR AND POWER**

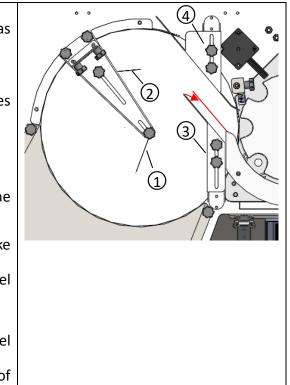


- 1. Ensure the air hose is connected.
- 2. Check the speed knob is not closed.

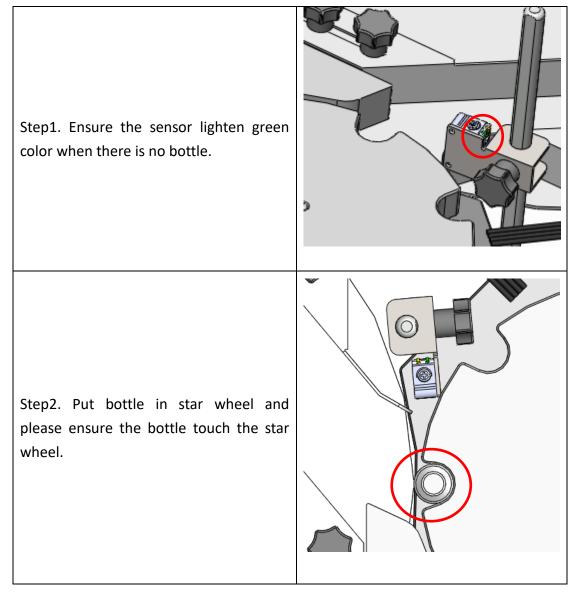


# **3.2 CAPPER-GUIDE RAIL ADJUSTMENT**

Step1 Adjust the direction of the plate ① as it shows in the picture.
Step2 Adjust the plate ③ until it attaches the edge of star wheel ⑧.
Step3 Adjust the plate ② to match the direction of the curve ④, and make sure bottles can be fed in channel smoothly.
Step4 Adjust the plate ④ that the channel size is the same as the diameter of bottles.

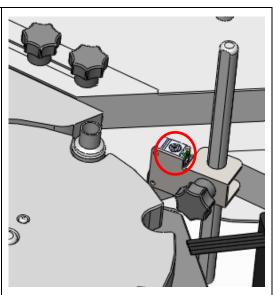


### **3.3 CAPPER-BOTTLE INFEED SENSOR**

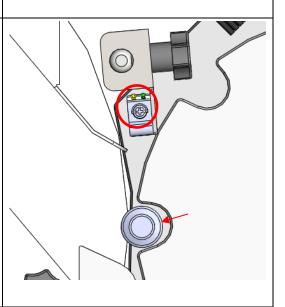


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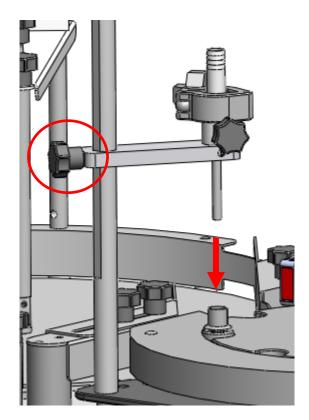
Step3. Adjust the sensor to detect the bottle. Ensure the sensor lighten both green and orange color when there is a bottle.



Step4. Move the bottle a bit of from star wheel, this moment, the sensor is not supposed to detect the bottle (the light should be lighten green color). If the sensor lighten both green and orange color, please adjust the position of sensor until the sensor only lighten green color.

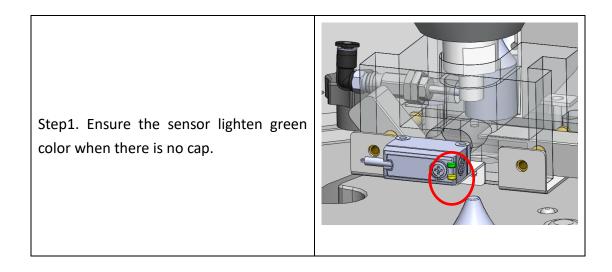


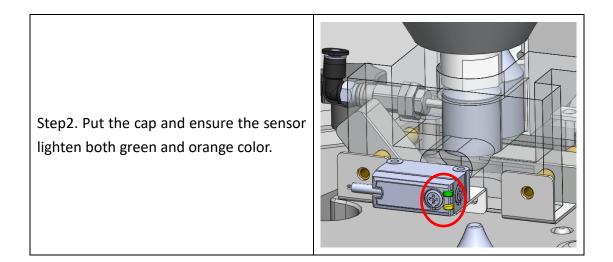
### **3.4 CAPPER-FILLING NOZZLE HEIGHT ADJUSTMENT**



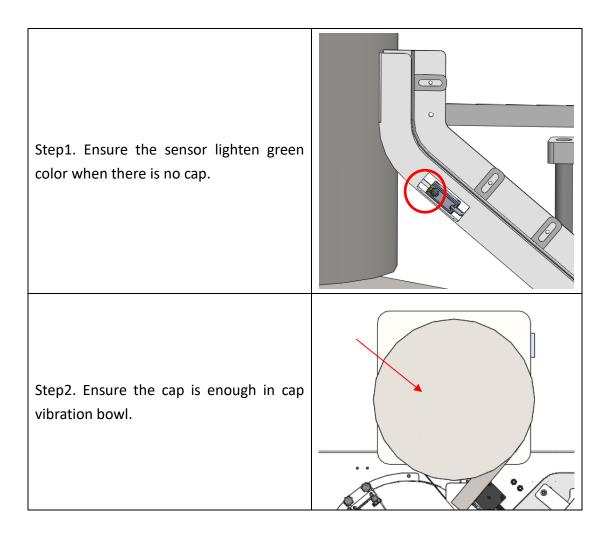
- 1. Loosen the star knob.
- 2. Adjust the nozzle to right above the bottle.
- 3. Make sure the nozzle would not interfere the movement of the bottle.

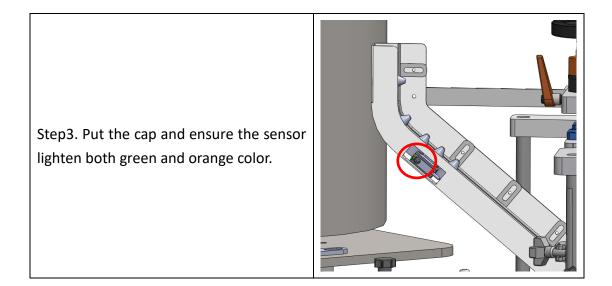
### **3.5 CAPPER-CAP POSITIONING SENSOR(Option)**





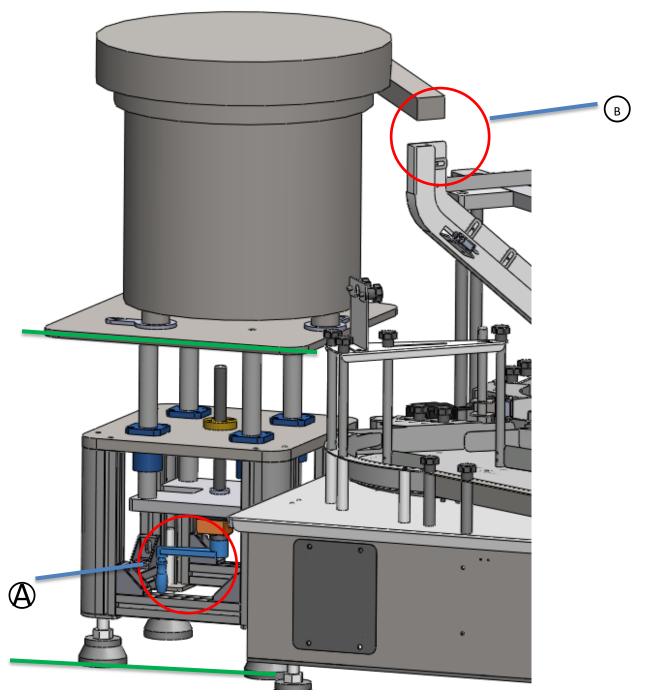
### **3.6 CAPPER-CAP FEEDING SENSOR**







### **3.7 CAPPER-VIBRATION BOWL CONNECTION**

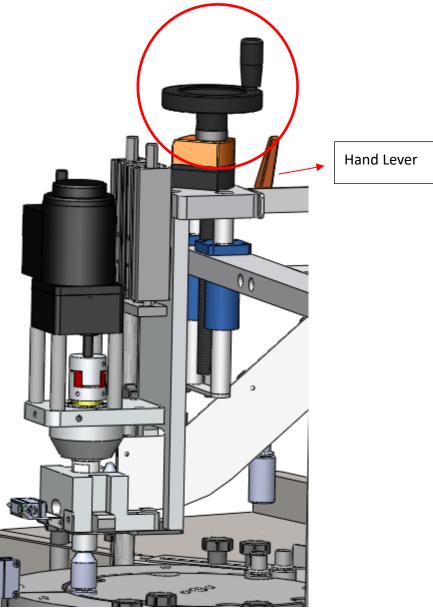


1. Adjust the hand wheel(A) to connect with the cap chute(B).

2. If the caps are easily stuck at the conjunction of vibration bowl and the cap chute. Please readjust the position of vibration bowl or turn the hand wheel higher a little bit.

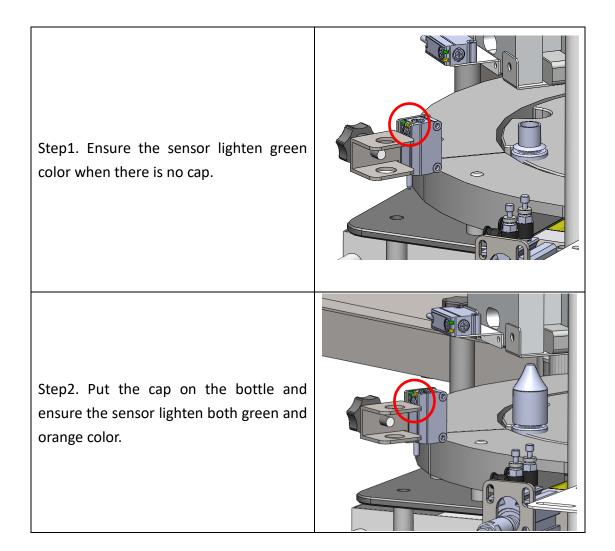
3.And please make sure that the vibration bowl mechanism is parallel to the placing table to ensure smooth cap feeding. (As the green lines show)

#### **3.8 CAPPER-CAP PLACER HEIGHT ADJUSTMENT**

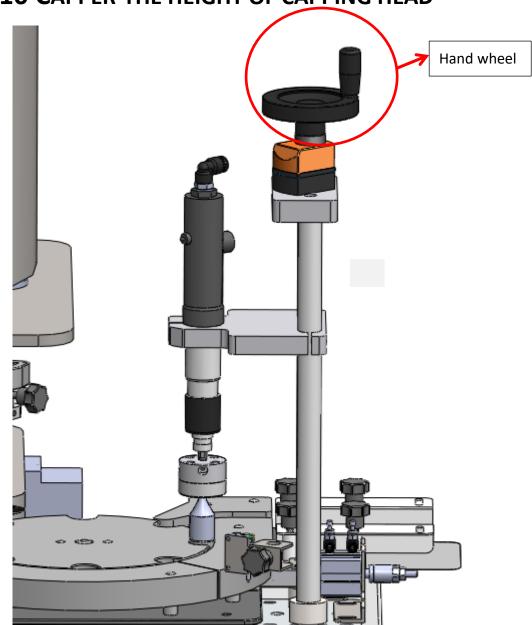


- 1. Put a bottle under the cap placer.
- 2. Loosen the hand lever.
- 3. Enter cap placing setting page. Press "test", then "cap placing".
- 4. Turn the hand wheel until the cap is place on the bottle well.

### **3.9 CAPPER-CAP SENSOR**



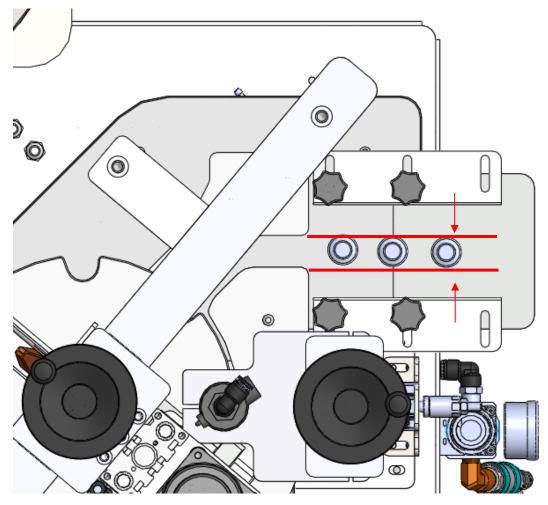




### **3.10 CAPPER-THE HEIGHT OF CAPPING HEAD**

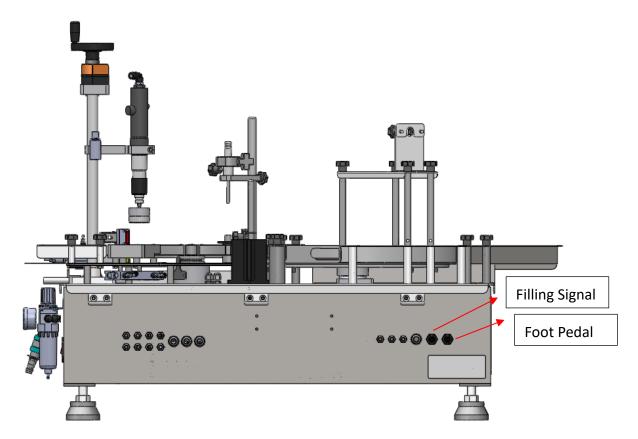
- 1. Put a capped bottle under the capping head.
- 2. Enter capping setting page. Press "test", "bottle gripping", then "capper down".
- 3. Turn the hand wheel down until there is click-click sound from the torque wrench.

**3.11 CAPPER-BOTTLE OUTFEED TRACK ADJUSTMENT** 



- 1. Put some bottles on the outfeed track.
- 2. Loosen the star knobs.
- 3. Adjust both of the outfeed track to align with the edge of star wheel.

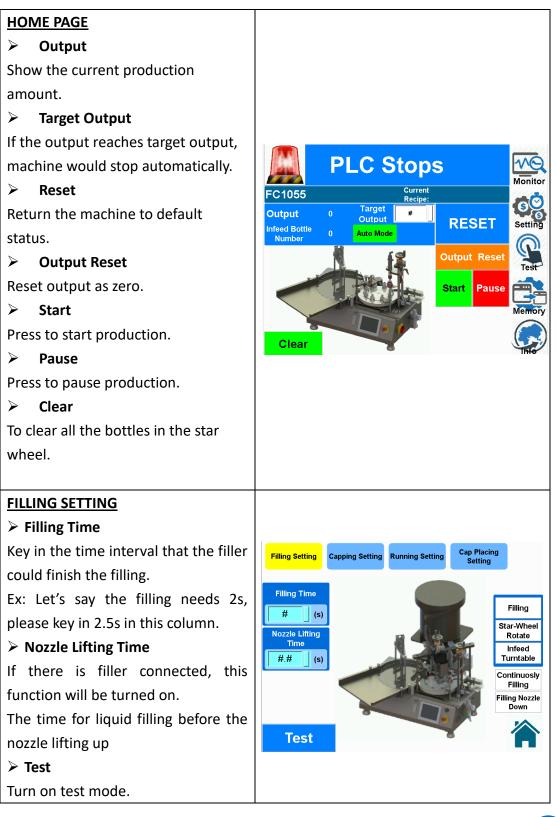
### **3.12 CAPPER-FILLING SIGNAL CONNECTION**

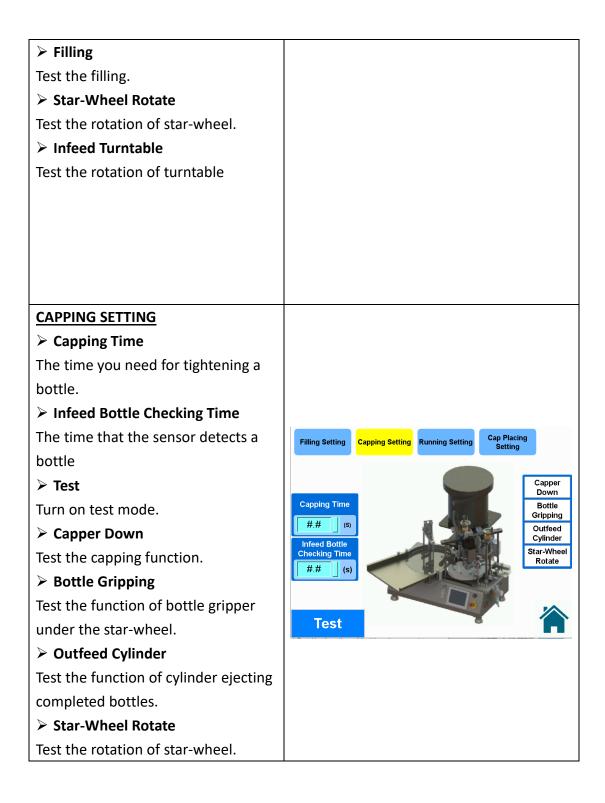


1. Please connect the filling signal cable from the filler.

# **3.13 CAPPER-CONTROL PANEL**

#### **HMI SETTING**





#### **RUNNING SETTING** Output Complete Alarm Switch When the target output achieved, the alarm would arise to warm the operator. Cap Placing Setting Filling Setting Capping Setting **Running Setting** > Foot Pedal Mode utput Complete Alarm Switch OFF Target Output (Bti) # The star-wheel would turn 1 grid Foot Pedal Mode OFF only if we step the foot pedal. Filling Switch OFF > Filling Switch Capping Switch OFF Turn on off the filling function. Cap Placing Switch OFF > Capping Switch Turn on off the capping function. Cap Placing Switch (Optional) Turn on off the cap placing function. > Target Output If the output reaches target output, machine will stop automatically. CAP PLACING SETTING > Cap Placing Time The time of cap placer putting a cap on the bottle. > Cap Refilling Time The time duration that the cap refiller operates to feed the cap. Cap Placing Filling Setting Capping Setting Running Setting Setting Cap Refilling Checking Time Cap Placer Cap Placing Time The time of sensor checking if the Cap Placing #.# (S) Rotation cap placer is out of cap. Cap Placing Cap Refilling Vacuum Time > No Cap Checking Time (Cap Cap Placing Air Blow #.# (S) Chute) Cap Refilling Cap Refiller ecking Tim The time of sensor checking if there #.# Star-Wheel (S) Rotate is a cap on top of bottle. Test (S) > Test Turn on test mode. > Cap Placer Test the function of cap placing. Cap Placing Rotation Test the function of cap placer rotating

Cap Placing Vacuum
Test the function of cap vacuum
suction
Cap Placing Air Blow
Test the function of air blowing the
cap to be placed on the bottle
≻ Cap Refiller
Test the function of cap refilling.
Star-Wheel Rotate
Test the rotation of star-wheel.

#### <u>Memory</u>

#### > Recipe Name

Please name your recipe in this column.

#### ➤ Current

The present value in setting page.

#### ➢ RECIPE

The parameter value of selected recipe.

#### Up and Down Button

To select saved recipe.

> SAVE

To save PV as recipe.

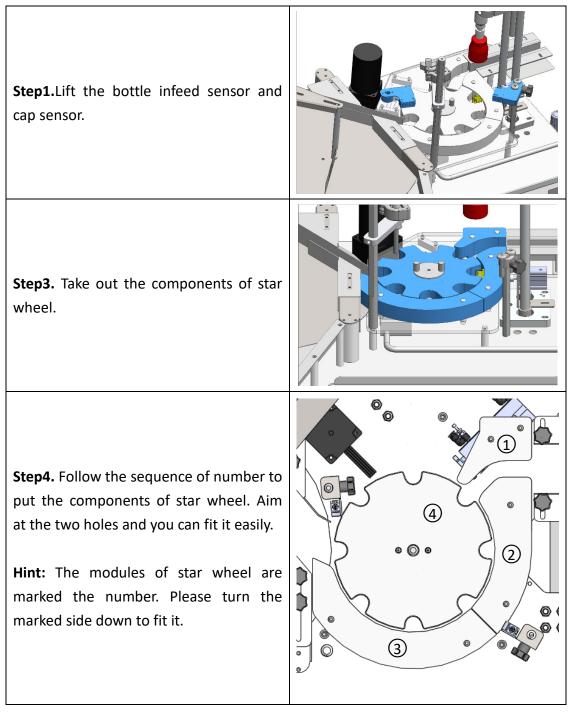
≻ READ

To load parameter of selected recipe.

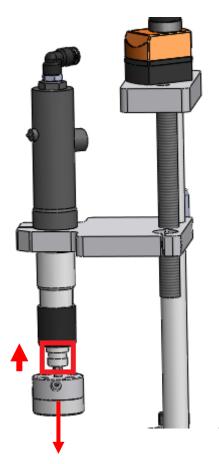
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	Current	RECIPE	
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nfeed Bottle Checking Time	0.0(s)	0.0(s)	
Capping Time	0.0(s)	0.0(s)	
Filling Time	0(s)	0(s)	
Filling Volume	0.0	0.0	
Nozzle Lifting Time	0.0(s)	0.0(s)	
Cap Placing Time	0.0(s)	0.0(s)	
Cap Refilling Time	0.0(s)	0.0(s)	
Cap Refilling Checking Time	0.0(s)	0.0(s)	
No Cap Checking Time	0 (s)	0 (s)	



### **3.14 CAPPER-STARWHEEL REPLACEMENT**



### **3.15 CAPPER-CAPPING HEAD REPLACEMENT**



- 1. Lift up the latch of torque wrench.
- 2. Pull out the capping head.
- 3. Lift up the latch again.
- 4. Install the correct capping head.

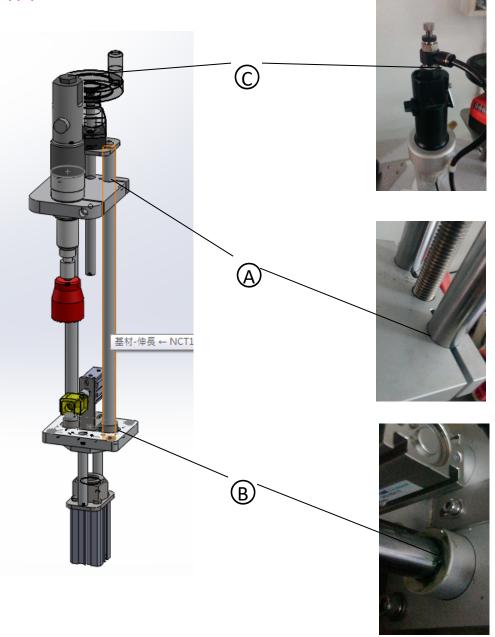
# 3.16 Operation

**1.** After setting up by above steps, operator could press "Start" Button to run the production.

- 2. Operator should put bottle manually on the accumulating turntable.
- 3. Another operator can collect the bottles after labeling

# **4 MAINTENANCE**

Caution: Before doing any maintenance, please switch off the power and cut air supply first.



- 1. Please oil the seams of adjustor and steel bar marked as A once a week.
- 2. Please oil the seams of steel bar and plate marked as B once a week.
- 3. Please oil the pneumatic tube of capping head marked as  $\bigcirc$  once a week. Hint: Press the edge of pneumatic tube, you can pull out it.

# **5 TROUBLESHOOTING**

#### In case there is any problem or malfunction that you cannot solve, please contact Neostarpack immediately

Trouble(s)	Solution
	1. Check if the power switch is "ON".
No Power	2. Check if the plug is connecting or broken.
	3. Check if the breaker is overloading.
	4. Check if the safety fuse is burn.
	1. Check if the HMI touch screen show Running
	2. Repeat the steps of operations: push and twist
	emergency button, then push start button.
Stop Running	3. Switch to test mode to check individual mechanism
	work or not.
	4. Check if the infeed sensor detects bottle.
	5. Check if any message show in HMI touch screen.
	1. Please enter filling setting page. Press "infeed turntable".
Turntable Stop Running	2. Check the speed controller SD22 is broken or not.
_	3. Check if the PLC Y04 is on.
	4. Check if the cable is loosened.
	1. Please enter filling setting page. Press "Star Wheek".
Star Wheel Stop Running	2. Check the speed controller SD22 is broken or not.
Kunning	3. Check if the PLC Y0 is on.
	4. Check if the cable is loosened.
	1. Check if there are enough caps in the cap chute.
Cap Placer Won't Activate	2. Check if the sensor detects the cap.
Activate	3. Check if the reed sensor of cylinder is on.
	4. Check if the air pressure is on.
	1. Please increase the capping torque.
Fail In Capping	2. Please readjust the height of capper.
	3. Please readjust the air valve of capper.
	<ol> <li>Please make sure the bottle would not spin while capping.</li> </ol>