

# Installation and Operation

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## RSA-155

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### ***RRS-1 – Universal Remote Racking System (Rotary)***

The CBS ArcSafe® RRS-1 is a universal remote racking system capable of remotely installing and removing rotary style draw out circuit breakers without requiring any modification to the existing switchgear. Operation of the simple to use RRS-1 is quite intuitive and requires only minimal setup. When used properly, the RRS-1 allows technicians to remain outside of the arc flash boundary during the potentially dangerous racking operation.

### ***RRS-2 – Universal Remote Racking System (Non-Rotary)***

The CBS ArcSafe® RRS-2 is a universal remote racking system capable of remotely installing and removing non-rotary style draw out circuit breakers without requiring any modification to the existing switchgear. Operation of the simple to use RRS-2 is quite intuitive and requires only minimal setup. When used properly, the RRS-2 allows technicians to remain outside of the arc flash boundary during the potentially hazardous racking operation.

### ***RRS-3 – Application Specific Remote Racking System (Rotary And Non-Rotary)***

The CBS ArcSafe® RRS-3 product line is made up of various application specific remote breaker racking devices. Each standalone system allows service personnel to remotely install and remove a particular type of circuit breaker safely while stationed safely outside of the arc flash boundary during the potentially dangerous operation. The lightweight and compact design of the RRS-3 systems makes them ideal for hard to access areas where space is at a premium.

### ***RRS-4 – PLC Based Universal Remote Racking System (Rotary)***

The CBS ArcSafe® RRS-4 universal remote racking system is an updated PLC based version of the best selling RRS-1. The dual mode, source programmable, PLC based control system offers two different operating modes to choose from based on user preference or the application. The RRS-4 is capable of remotely installing and removing rotary style draw out circuit breakers without requiring any modification to the existing switchgear, allowing users to remain outside of the arc flash boundary during the potentially hazardous racking operation.

### ***RSA – Remote Switch Actuator***

The CBS ArcSafe® Remote Switch Actuator (RSA) product line is made up of various application specific remote operating devices. These products allow service personnel to remotely perform all aspects of an operation for a particular type of electrical equipment from outside the arc flash boundary – reducing or eliminating the possibility of serious injury or death resulting from an arc flash.

### ***RSO – Remote Switch Operator***

During a remote operation, the CBS ArcSafe® RSO functions as both the power supply and user interface for the device being remotely operated by the user. When paired with an applicable CBS ArcSafe® device, this portable standalone system allows service personnel to remotely perform a racking or switching procedure from outside the arc flash boundary – reducing or eliminating the possibility of injury or death resulting from an arc flash

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# 1 Installation

## DANGER!

Before servicing any breaker, make sure that it matches the breaker discussed. If the breaker does not match the breaker described above, please call CBS ArcSafe® for more information.

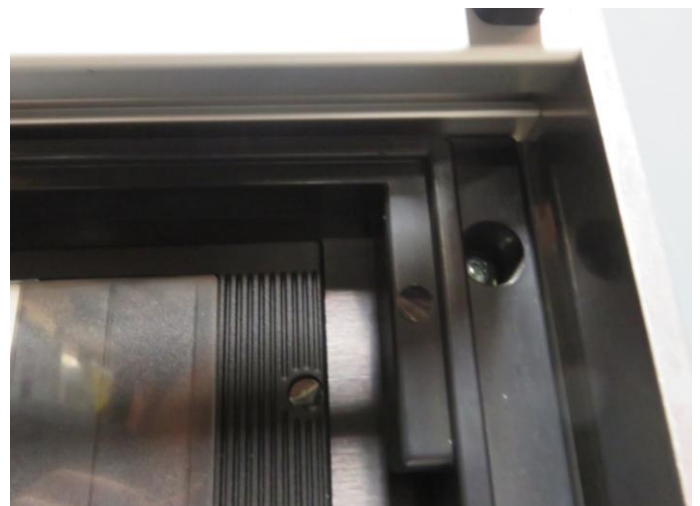
## ATTENTION!

The location of certain items such as mimic bus, stickers, and/or placards may interfere with the proper installation of the RSA. Please remove or reposition these items before installing the RSA.

1. Ensure that the breaker is free from any obstruction that may interfere with the proper installation of the RSA.



2. Fold the breaker charging handle outwards.
3. Place the RSA on the face of the breaker, ensuring that the top and sides of the breaker are flush with the edges of the RSA, as shown below.



4. Ensure the charging handle is located between the two rollers on the RSA.

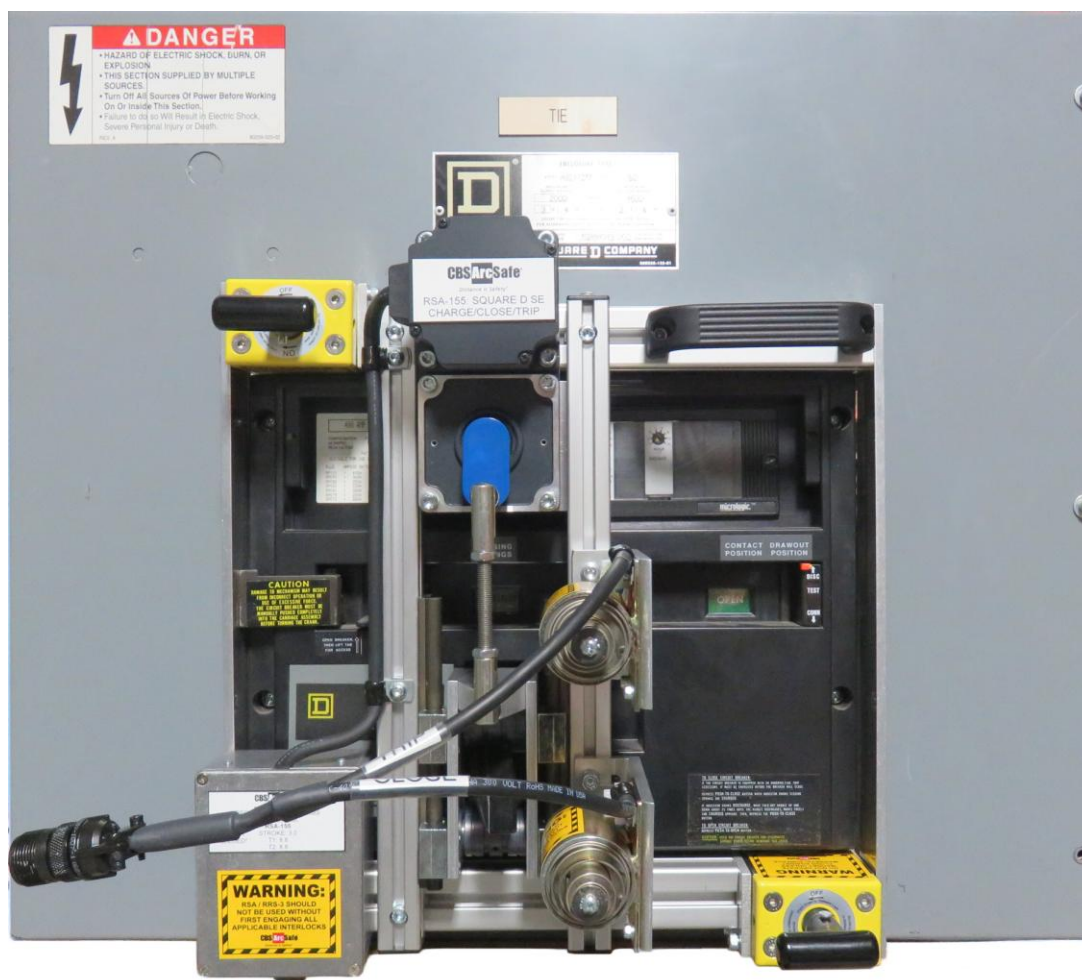


5. Secure the RSA to the breaker by turning the handles of the two magnets 180 degrees clockwise.
6. Check the Close/Trip solenoids and verify they are properly aligned with the buttons on the cabinet. The length of the Trip solenoid's plunger can be adjusted, while the Close solenoid's plunger is fixed.





The RSA is ready for remote operations.



## 2 Operation

### ATTENTION!

Please ensure that all cables are clear of moving parts. Failure to do so may result in damage to cables and/or actuator.

### ATTENTION!

Please ensure that the batteries to the RSO-IIID are fully charged or that the unit is plugged in to AC power.

For detailed instructions on the operation of the RSO-IIID please see the RSO-IIID Manual.

1. Ensure that the RSA is properly installed. See the Installation Section for detailed instructions.
2. Connect the cables from the RSO-IIID to the RSA.
3. The three pin twist type cable will attach to the motor control box on the RSA.
4. Turn the power switch on the RSO-IIID to the ON position.
5. Ensure that the Auto-Retract (AR) function is turned off. For detailed instructions on the AR function see the RSO-IIID manual
6. Program the settings for the RSA into the RSO-IIID. These settings can be found on the placard on the RSA. For more information on programming the RSO-IIID please refer to the RSO-IIID Technical Manual.
7. Exit the arc flash boundary
8. Once the timers have been properly set press the CHARGE/CLOSE button to actuate the motor arm and charge the breaker.
9. Press CLOSE to close the breaker.
10. Press TRIP to trip the breaker.



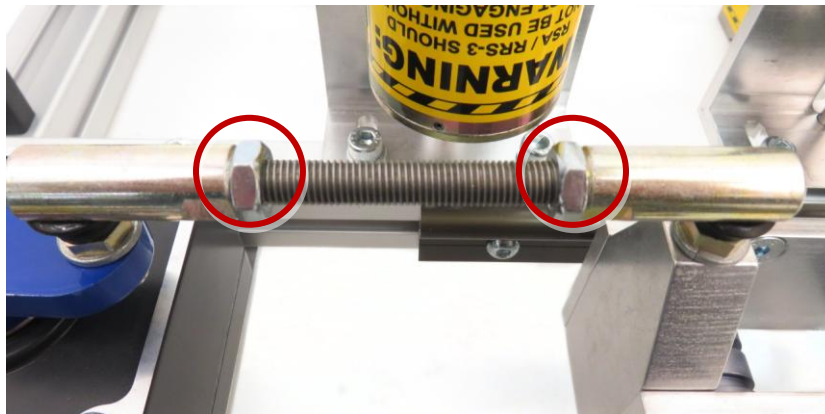
## 3 Adjustments

The RSA comes adjusted from the factory to fit most common configurations, and should not need to be adjusted in most cases. However, if adjustments do need to be performed, it is recommended that they be done on de-energized and isolated equipment to prevent possible damage or injury.

### 3.1 Travel Adjustment

The travel length for the motor arm may be adjusted to avoid damage to the switch.

1. Attach the RSA to the breaker as described in the Installation section of the manual. Loosen the lock-nuts on the turnbuckle of the charging arm linkage, as shown. Note that one rod end uses a left hand thread.

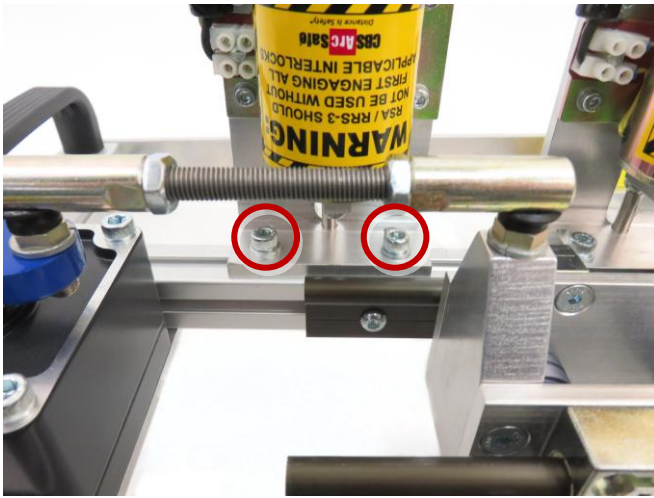


2. With the RSA charging arm in the UP position, rotate the blue linkage attachment so it is fully vertical and pointing up, and then tighten or loosen the turnbuckle until the bottom roller is just touching the charging handle.
3. With the RSA charging arm in the down position, rotate the blue linkage attachment so it is fully vertical and pointing down, and verify that the top roller just touches the charging handle.
4. Re-tighten the lock nuts on the linkage when adjustment is complete.

## 3.2 Solenoid Position Adjustment

The position of the solenoid on this RSA can be adjusted to ensure that the plungers are aligned with the close and trip buttons.

1. Loosen the bolts on the solenoid mount to be adjusted.



2. Install the RSA as described in the Installation section.
3. Move each solenoid up or down as required to align the plungers over the close and trip buttons, as shown.



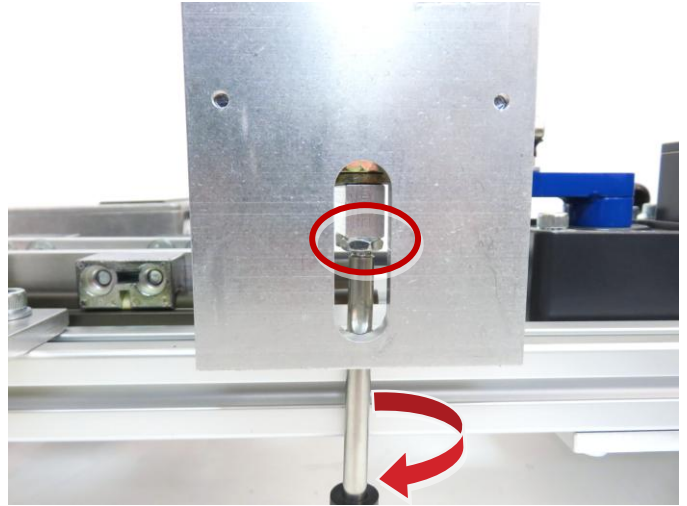
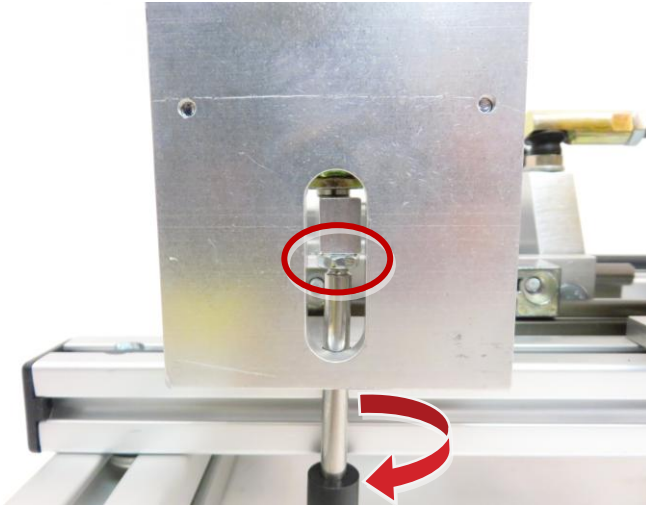
4. Re-tighten the two bolts on each solenoid mount after adjustment is complete.



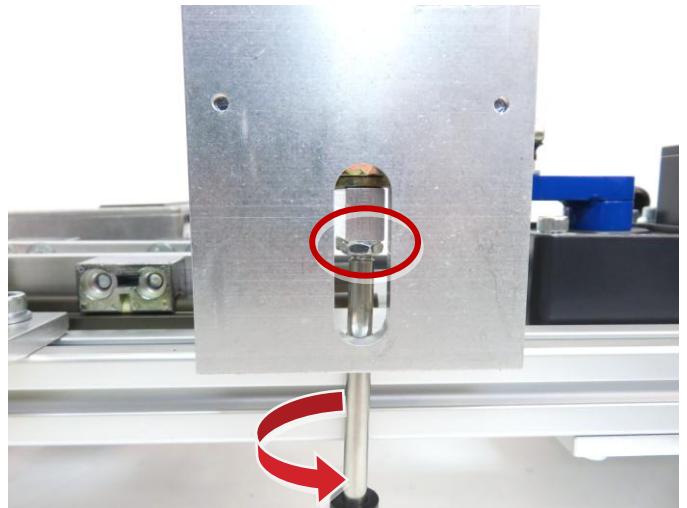
### 3.3 Plunger Depth Adjustment

The operation depth of the solenoid on this RSA can be adjusted to accommodate differences in the button-press depth requirements.

1. To increase the solenoid plunger depth, loosen the nut on the solenoid plunger, and turn the black end counter-clockwise. Test the depth by operating the appropriate plunger with the RSO, and re-tighten the nut.



2. To decrease the solenoid plunger depth, loosen the nut on the solenoid plunger, and turn the black end clockwise. Test the depth by operating the appropriate plunger with the RSO, and re-tighten the nut.



# Notes

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**DANGER!**

Ensure that personnel using this equipment are adequately trained in the operation of the switchgear they are planning to work with; that they are correctly stationed outside the arc flash boundary; and that they comply with all applicable Federal, State, Local, and In-house safety regulations and procedures. Attention should be given to distance, angle, and personal protective equipment (PPE).