## Otto Frei Economy Rolling Mill

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The Otto Frei Economy Rolling Mill is a light duty rolling mill suitable for rolling soft precious metal alloys like gold, silver and copper. To insure a long, useful service life, always make sure you anneal your metal often and refrain from making large reductions in metal thickness. The Otto Frei Economy Rolling Mill has a 12-month warranty from date of purchase. We will replace any part that fails at no charge during that period. Any modifications to this mill will void the warranty, including but not limited to attempting to motorize this unit.

The Otto Frei Economy Rolling Mill requires minimal assembly. The carton contains:

- The Rolling Mill Main Assembly with 2 Flat Rollers Installed
- •The Rolling Mill Large Handle
- The Rolling Mill Small Plastic Handle
- · Mill Wheel with Speed Knob
- 4 Upper Rollers (short)(128.200 only)
- 1 Lower Wire Roller (long)(128.200 only)



Tools you will need: Screwdriver Crescent Wrench



A) Remove the mill from the carton and inspect all parts for damage.

#### **Basic Assembly Instructions**



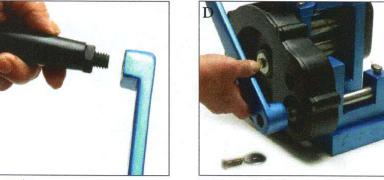
B) Your new rolling mill is covered with a coating of grease to protect it from rust. Wipe away the grease from the rolls and the roller frame and covers. Do not remove the grease from gears or any moving parts. (Please read the maintenance instructions for detailed information on the care and lubrication of your rolling mill).



E) Mount the speed handle onto the mill wheel.



C) Screw the large handgrip handle into the large handle.



D) Using the bolt and washer supplied on the main assembly, install the large handle to the mill.



F) Before installing the Mill Wheel to the Top Gear Assembly, you will need to properly align the top gears. Make sure both gears on the top gear assembly are fully "screwed" down so that the top flat roller is in full contact with the lower flat roller.



G) Once you have the top gears balanced install the Mill Wheel and Speed Knob.

Your rolling mill is now assembled. Before using, make sure you remove any excess grease from the surface of the rolls. After use, always re-apply a coating of oil or grease to the rolls. Unprotected dry rolls will rust. You can also cover the rolls with a soft cloth that has been lightly oiled to help protect the roll surface.

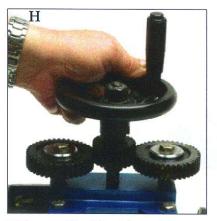
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#### How to Change The Top Rollers

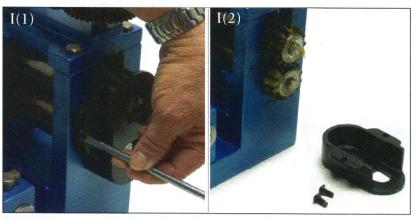
The Otto Frei Economy Rolling Mill comes with the upper and lower flat rolls installed. You can replace the upper flat roller with any of the 4 upper rollers. The upper rollers are as follows;

- Standard wire top (can be used with lower flat for special effects-more commonly used with standard wire bottom roll)
- · Half Round wire top-used with lower flat roll
- Texture #1 top-used with lower flat roll
- Texture #2 top-used with lower flat roll
   (The 5th extra roller is the Standard wire bottom. Please note that this roll differs from the others because it is longer.)

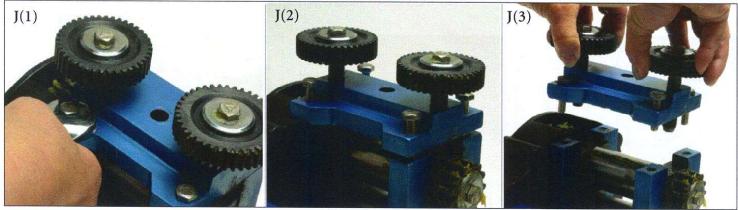




H) Remove Top Wheel Assembly.



I)-1,2 Remove the Side Gear Cover that is secured with two screws.



J)-1, 2, 3 Remove the Top Gear Assembly by removing the fours bolts on top of the mill.



**K-1, 2)** Remove top roller-Note: Be careful with the springs between upper and lower rollers, they provide tension and are very important. In order to prevent loss, put aside in a safe spot until reinstalling them.



L) Remove the bolt that secures the gear and block to the upper roll.

#### How To Change the Lower Flat Roller with the Lower Wire Roller (Continuing from step Q.)



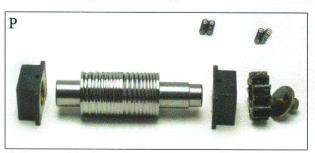
M) Remove the gear from the upper roll.



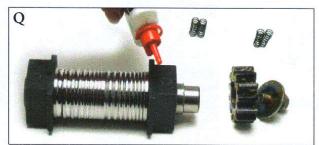
N) Remove the block from the upper roll.



O) You have now disassembled the upper roll.



**P)** Re-assemble the replacement upper roll with blocks and the gear.

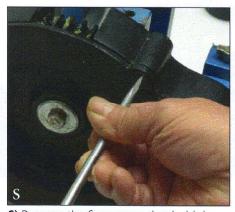


**Q)** Lubricate the flat surfaces or the blocks that bear the weight with oil

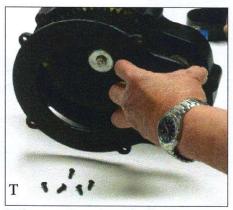
You are now ready to re-assemble the mill. Do so by following the directions in reverse. Or you may continue with the instructions to change the lower flat roller with lower wire roller.



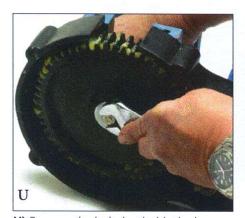
R) Remove the handle from the mill.



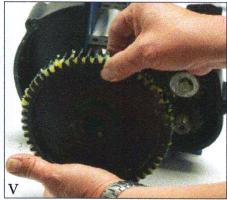
**S)** Remove the five screws that hold the outer reduction gear cover.



T) Remove the outer reduction gear cover.



**U)** Remove the bolt that holds the large reduction gear to the mill.



**V)** Remove the large reduction gear from the mill.



**W)** You can now access the lower roller and remove it from the mill.

Note that you treat this part just like the upper roller. See instructions above part L through Q. Re-assemble the lower wire roller and reverse the order of these instructions to re-assemble your mill.

## Otto Frei Economy Rolling Mill Maintenance

Proper lubrication of all moving parts is essential for the maintenance of your rolling mill. You will need the following items:

All-purpose grease Motor or Machine Oil



Any multi-purpose grease and machine or motor oil you can have will be sufficient. There is no particular recommended brand or grade.



#### Grease Points:

The current model Economy Rolling Mill has openings in the side gear and reduction gear covers. This allows easy access for greasing the gears. Before using your mill, make sure that the gears are well greased. If in doubt, lubricate. Every so often, place a tablespoon or so of grease on the side gears and the reduction gears right at the opening. Early models without the opening will require you to remove the covers and then grease the gears.



#### Oil Points:

There is an oil cap located on the bearing side of the reduction gear main shaft that will require a few drops of oil every week.

Before use, always clean the rolls to remove all lubricants. After use, re-lubricate the rolls with oil or grease. The rolls will rust if they are left un-lubricated. Check the tightness of all the nuts and bolts before use.

#### Do's and Don'ts

Don't lift the mill by the center mill wheel-It is not attached to the mill. Don't put ferrous metals through your mill-They will ruin your rolls. Do oil or grease your rolls after each use.

Do wipe the rolls clean of oil or grease before each use.

Do cover your rolls with a lightly oiled cloth after each use.

Do inspect your rolling mill before and after use for loose nuts.

Do anneal your metal often.

Don't make large reductions in metal thickness with your mill.

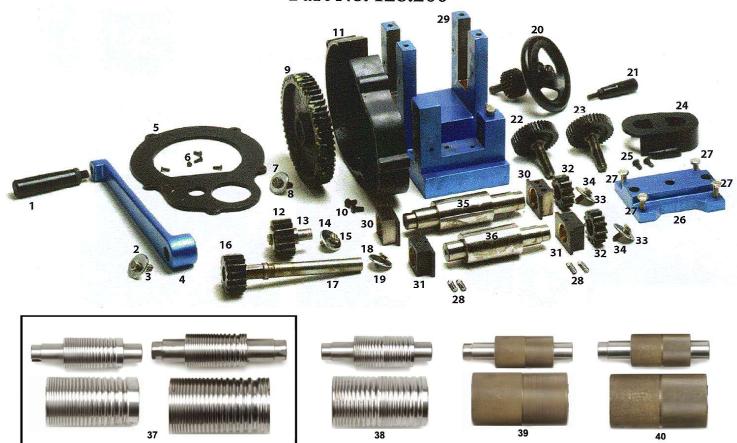
Do make many small passes to reduce the thickness of your metal.

Don't let uninformed people use your rolling mill.

Do make sure your rolling mill is well lubricated.



## Otto Frei Economy Rolling Mill Parts List Part No. 128.200



	Part Number	Description	Price		Part Number	Description	Price
1	128.2001	Small Plastic Handle	\$5.00	22	128.2016	Left roller adjusting wheel	\$15.00
2	128.2002	Washer	\$0.50	23	128.2017	Right roller adjusting wheel	\$15.00
3	128.2003	Nut	\$0.50	24	128.2018	Side gear cover	\$5.00
4	128.2004	Large handle	\$10.00	25	128.2019	Screws(2)for side gear cover	\$0.50
5	128.2005	Side reduction gear cover	\$12.00	26	128.2020	Mill-top	\$12.00
6	128.2006	Screws (5)	\$0.50	27	128.2021	Top nuts (4)	\$0.50
7	128.2002	Washer	\$0.50	28	128.2022	Adjusting springs (4)	\$1.00
8	128.2003	Nut	\$0.50	29	128.2023	Body	\$50.00
9	128.2007	Large reduction gear	\$20.00	30	128.2024	Lower bushing blocks(2)	\$25.00
10	128.2008	Screws(2)for inner reduction gear	\$0.50	31	128.2025	Upper bushing blocks(2)	\$25.00
11	128.2009	Inner reduction cover	\$20.00	32	128.2006	Side gears(2)	\$15.00
12	128.2010	Small reduction gear	\$15.00	33	128.2002	Washer	\$0.50
13	128.2011	Idler shaft	\$15.00	34	128.2003	Nut	\$0.50
14	128.2002	Washer	\$0.50	35	128.2027	Lowerflat roller	\$40.00
15	128.2003	Nut	\$0.50	36	128.2028	Upperflat roller	\$40.00
16	128.2034	Drive shaft gear	\$20.00	37	128.2029 Uppe	er & Lower matching wirerollers(pair)	\$60.00
17	128.2013	Drive shaft	\$20.00	38	128.2031	Upper 1/2 round wireroller	\$40.00
18	128.2002	Washer	\$0.50	39	128.2032	Upper pattern roller #1	\$40.00
19	128.2003	Nut	\$0.50	40	128.2033	Upper pattern roller #2	\$40.00
20	128.2014	Mill wheel	\$20.00	*Opt	tional with Part	No. 128.200FLAT	_
21	128.2015	Speedknob for mill wheel	\$5.00	-Prices subject to change without notice-			

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## **Optional Upper Rolls for Otto Frei Economy Rolling Mills**



## Deep Cut Bangle \$130.00 Each





128.2036 #67 Deep cut special bangle design



128.2037 #64 Deep cut special bangle design

128.2035 #4 Deep cut special bangle design



## **Standard Bangle \$50.00 Each**



#52 Bangle design



#55 Bangle design



128.2041 #59 Bangle design



#60 Bangle design

\$50.00



## **Texturing Designs \$24.00 Each**



#4 Design pattern



128.2034D #7 Design pattern



128.2034B #5 Design pattern



128.2034E #8 Design pattern



128.2034C #6 Design pattern



128.2034F #9 Design pattern

## **Optional Upper Rolls for Otto Frei Economy Rolling Mills**

## **Etched Designs \$39.00 Each**





128.2043 #48 Design pattern



128.2052 #12 Design pattern



128.2057 #27 Design pattern



128.2060 #30 Design pattern



128.2063 #33 Design pattern



128.2066 #36 Design pattern





128.2050 #10 Design pattern



128.2055 #25 Design pattern



128.2058 #28 Design pattern



128.2061 #31 Design pattern



128.2064 #34 Design pattern



128.2051 #11 Design pattern



128.2056 #26 Design pattern



128.2059 #29 Design pattern



128,2062 #32 Design patterr



128.2065 #35 Design pattern