Soft-Touch Safety System

Safety: The purpose of the Soft-Touch Safety System is to attempt to prevent pinching injuries on a spot welder. There are many newcomers (since 2015) soon to be available in this pinch-point prevention arena. The Soft-Touch however was the first, and has a well proven track record. It is also the most cost effective for this level of protection.

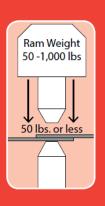
NOTE: The Unitrol Soft-Touch can now be mounted to a Unitrol weld control or ANY other known weld control.





HOW SOFT TOUCH WORKS

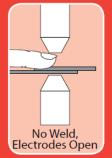
SEQUENCE: When the foot or hand switch is closed to start a weld:



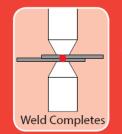
1. The welding electrodes close under low force. The unique pneumatic systems designed by UNITROL for this process can counter-balance the weight of the ram on large press welders. Even where the dead-weight of the welder ram is hundreds of pounds, the electrode force produced will be 50 pounds or less.



2. The welding control checks to see if metal has been detected between the electrodes within a customer set maximum time limit.



3. If metal is *not* detected, the electrodes open automatically and do not go to welding force. A display tells the operator the problem.



4. If metal *is* detected, full welding force is applied and the weld proceeds normally



