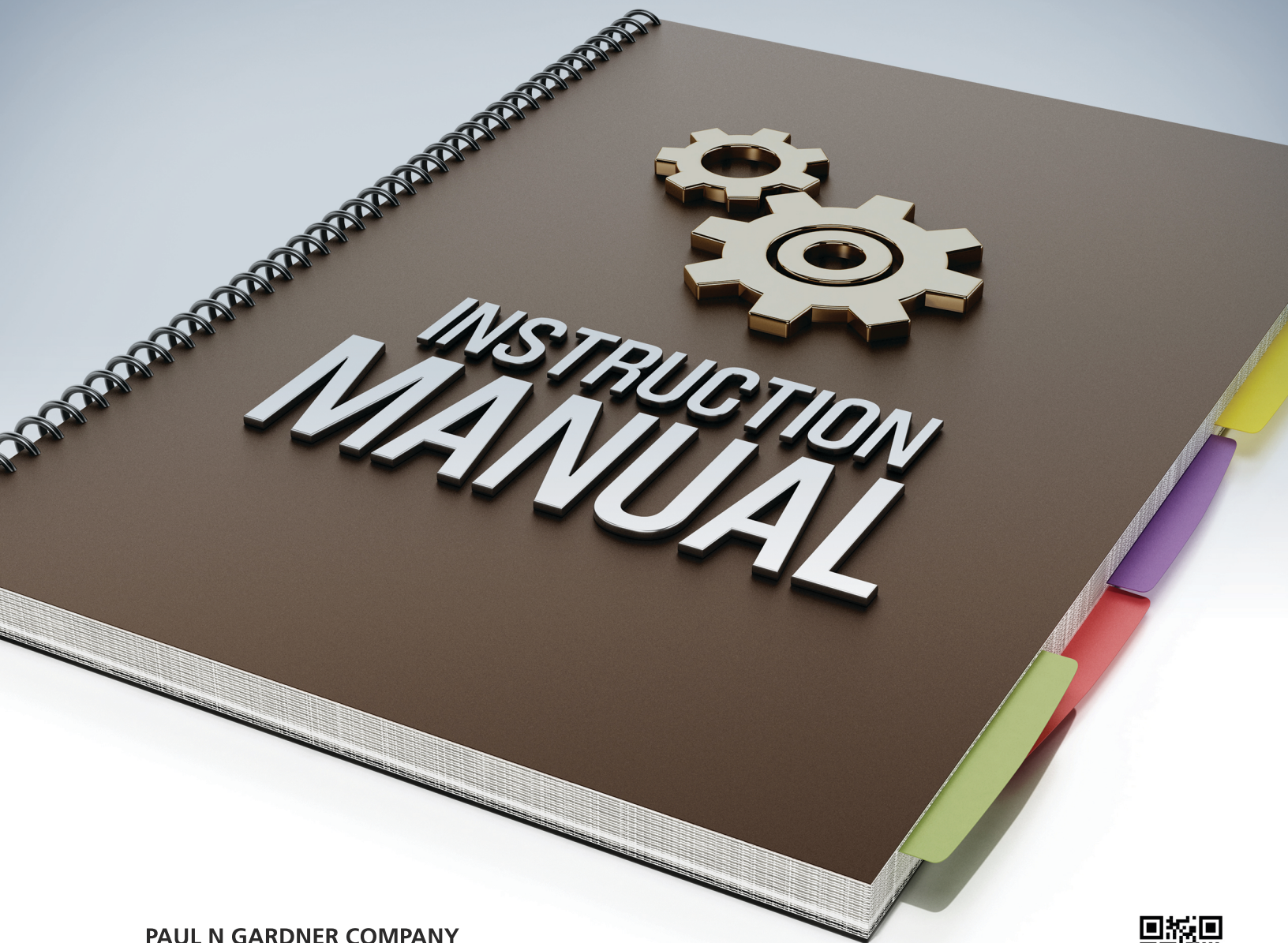




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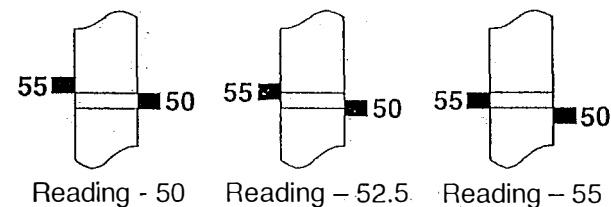
Vest-Pocket Durometer

Model 1500



Instructions Model 1500

Reset the vernier of the 1500 by pressing on the reset button at the top of the gauge. Grip the durometer like a pen and touch the indenter to the surface of the specimen. Then depress the gauge until the foot is firmly pressed flat against the specimen (but not so firmly as to imbed the foot into the surface of the material). The penetration of the indenter into the specimen has now moved the runner. The durometer reading is now indicated at the point where the lines on the runner and the stationary scale coincide. This occurs at only one point on the scale. When lines do not exactly coincide, a fraction of the five-point differential can be read as follows:



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