

# General Metro-Rooter™

*Root cutting power at a great price.*

The Metro-Rooter is a tough root cutting machine in a compact, lightweight package, at a price that's easy on tight budgets. With 75 feet of 5/8" cable it handles roots and other difficult obstructions in 3" to 6" lines – ideal for city drain cleaners, plumbers and contractors. This easy to use one-person machine is light enough to take down to the basement or up on the roof. Look what you get as standard equipment:

- Variable speed Power Cable Feed drives and retracts 1/2", 5/8", and 3/4" cable at up to 20 ft. per minute.
- Heavy-duty powder coated steel drum holds 100 ft. of 1/2" cable for inside lines, 75 ft. of 5/8" cable for roots, or 50 ft. of 3/4" cable for tough jobs.
- Self aligning Flexitube™ distributor tube reduces cable tangling.
- Heavy-duty reinforced frame and drum support shaft takes rough handling in the field.
- 1/3 hp capacitor motor has plenty of power to drive more than 100 ft. of cable.
- Passive brake system holds the machine in place on the job and in the truck.
- Ten-inch wheels and a truck loading wheel for easy transport.
- Cutter Holder on the frame keeps all the cutters within easy reach.



## Power Cable Feed

The Metro-Rooter's power cable feed is real labor saver. It enables you to vary feeding speed in and out of the line and gives you better control when working tough stoppages. Easily handles 1/2", 5/8", and 3/4" cables.



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**PIPE CLEANERS**

***The toughest tools down the line.™***

# Metro-Rooter™ Units

## Complete and Ready to Operate

**P-ME-A** with 75 ft. x 5/8" cable (75EM4),  
SRCS-R cutter set and Power Cable Feed.  
(Operating Wt. – 153 lbs./Boxed Wt. – 168 lbs.)

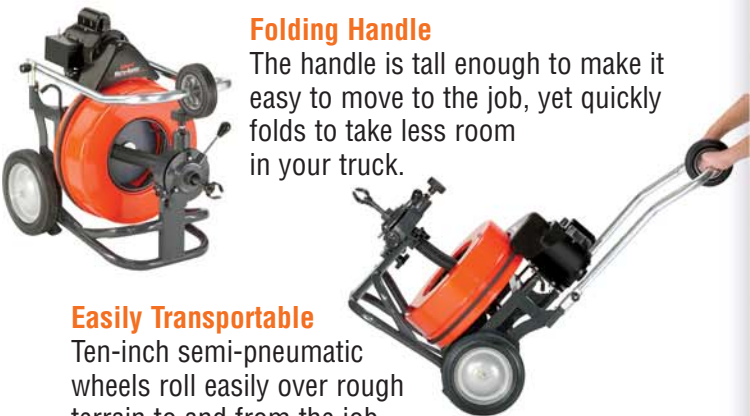
**P-ME-B** with 75 ft. x 1/2" cable (75EM3),  
EJCS cutter set and Power Cable Feed.  
(Operating Wt. – 131 lbs./Boxed Wt. – 146 lbs.)

**P-ME-C** with 100 ft. x 1/2" cable (100EM3),  
EJCS cutter set and Power Cable Feed.  
(Operating Wt. – 143 lbs./Boxed Wt. – 158 lbs.)

**P-ME-D** with 50 ft. x 3/4" cable (50EM5),  
SRCS-R cutter set and Power Cable Feed.  
(Operating Wt. – 143 lbs./Boxed Wt. – 158 lbs.)

### Folding Handle

The handle is tall enough to make it easy to move to the job, yet quickly folds to take less room in your truck.



### Easily Transportable

Ten-inch semi-pneumatic wheels roll easily over rough terrain to and from the job. Truck loading wheel in the handle makes it easy for one person to lift the machine onto a truck bed.

### Flexicore® Wire Rope Center Cables

Heavy gauge wire is coiled around 49 strand wire rope and then heat treated. This cable has unequalled strength and the right amount of flexibility. It's so tough, it has a one year warranty against defect or breakage.



### SRCS-R Cutter Set for 5/8" and 3/4" cables



**SHD**  
Spear Head



**2UC**  
2" U Cutter



**3HDS**  
3" Heavy Duty Side Cutter



**3HDB**  
3" Heavy Duty Saw Blade



**RTR-2**  
Large Retrieving Tool

### EJCS Cutter Set for 1/2" cables



**AH**  
Arrow Head



**2UC**  
2" U Cutter



**1-1/2 UC**  
1 1/2" U Cutter



**RTR-1**  
Small Retrieving Tool

### Specifications:

#### Weight:

92 lbs. (42 kg) without cable

#### Dimensions:

27" deep x 18-1/2" wide x 46" high  
(26" high with handle folded down)  
68.5cm deep x 47cm wide x 117cm high  
(66cm with handle folded down)

#### Drum Capacity:

50 ft. x 3/4" (15m x 19mm)  
75 ft. x 5/8" (22.5m x 15.8mm)  
100 ft. x 1/2" (30m x 12.7mm)

#### Drum Removal:

Remove one bolt and slide drum off shaft.

#### Motor:

1/3 hp with capacitor start, forward-off-reverse switch,  
20 ft. power cord and ground fault circuit interrupter.

#### Foot Switch:

Pneumatic, with no electrical contact between  
pedal and motor.

#### Power Cable Feed:

Drives and retracts cable at variable speed without  
having to reverse motor rotation.

#### Wheels:

10" semi-pneumatic with roller bearings.

#### Wheel brake:

Passive wheel brake system holds the machine in place  
on the job and in the truck.

#### Truck Loading Wheel:

Enables one person to lift machine into truck bed.

#### Cutter Holder:

Cutter Holder on the frame keeps all the cutters  
within easy reach.

#### Leather Gloves:

For hand protection when guiding cable.

#### Cables:

Left-wound Flexicore wire rope center. 3/4" for 4"  
to 10" lines and 3" lines without sharp bends;  
5/8" diameter for 3" to 6" lines;  
1/2" diameter for 2" to 3" lines.

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