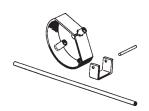
Track Bending Tools



BT-1 Track bender unassembled



BT-1 Bender bending track on floor



BT-2 Bender with #1400 track

Track Bending Tools:

Two tools are available for those who want to bend their own track curves using I-beam style extruded aluminum tracks. With practice, simple curves or more complex reverse bends can be made. When bending, the track will tend to spring back sightly to a larger radius, so making a series of small bends is better than attempting fewer large bends. When ordering track, allow extra track for making mistakes in the bending process. The track stretches when being bent and unbending a mistake can be fiddly to difficult.

This tool can be used to bend I-beam style track extrusions by placing the track on the floor and positioning the bender at the location where the curve is desired. Curves are created by making a series of small bends equally spaced to create the radius curve desired. Curves as small as 1' radius can be created up to any size radius. When working with short lengths of track and curves up to 4' radius, the tool can also be used inverted fastened to a workbench with the bending form at the top. In this position, the track is bent by hand around the form. The tool has a heavy steel bending form, a removable clip to hold the track, and a 4' long pipe handle. The tool is shipped unassembled and weighs approx. 19 lbs.....\$ 357.47 BT-2

This lower cost tool is used for small jobs bending curves of model #1300 and #1400 extruded I-beam style aluminum track. The tool is fastened to a floor with the track being hand bent around the bending form. The tool consists of a steel curved form with fixed clip to hold the track and two feet with holes to attach the tool to the floor. Tool could also be fastened to top of large strong work bench that is anchored to the floor, or possibly even to a wall. Weight is approx 5 lbs. Anchors to fasten the tool are not included.\$ 144.06