



# Ratchets & Sockets

## Buying Guide



# Wera Ratchets & Sockets

## Why Wera?

Wera's Zyklop ratchets are forged from chrome-molybdenum steel and built around a fine-tooth mechanism for fast, precise work in tight spaces. Available in 1/4", 3/8", and 1/2" drive in metric and imperial, the Zyklop line covers general fastening, high-speed driving, and live electrical work — with every tool engineered to the same standard of precision and durability.

- Extra-slim ratchet head — Low-profile head accesses fasteners where conventional ratchets can't reach
- Fine-tooth ratchet mechanism — Small return angle for short-arc operation in tight, confined spaces
- Secure socket retention — Positive locking mechanism keeps sockets and extensions seated under load
- Direction switch — Changes ratchet direction without repositioning your hand
- Chrome-molybdenum steel construction — Higher strength and durability than standard chrome vanadium
- VDE-insulated option — Individually tested to 10,000V; rated for live work up to 1,000V

## Zyklop VDE — Insulated Ratchet & Socket Set

The choice for live electrical work. Every tool individually tested to 10,000V and rated for use up to 1,000V. The 80-tooth mechanism delivers a 4.5° return angle in a slim profile built for confined panel work. Available as a standalone ratchet or a 17-piece 3/8" metric set.

VDE certified using two-component insulation

Designed for small spaces

## Zyklop Metal — Ratchet & Socket Sets

The standard choice for general fastening tasks. Forged chrome-molybdenum steel ratchet in 1/4", 3/8", and 1/2" drive — metric and imperial — with a full complement of sockets and driver bits in a cloth roll pouch. Built for daily use across a wide range of applications.

Reversible switch lever

Extremely slim; long leverage

## Zyklop Speed — Ratchet & Socket Tray Set

The right choice when speed matters. The gyrating mass sleeve lets you spin fasteners quickly without switching tools — use the lever only for final torque. The pivoting head locks at three positions for working around obstructions, and the two-color foam tray keeps the set organized and accounted for at a glance.

Thumbwheel direction change

Zyklop comfort grip

Can be used as a conventional screwdriver



# Wiha Ratchets & Sockets

## Why Wiha?

Wiha ratchet tray sets are built around a 72-tooth mechanism and a low-profile ratchet head designed for work in tight, confined spaces. Six-point sockets with radiused corners distribute load across the flat sides of the fastener — not the corners — reducing the risk of rounding under heavy torque. Four-side detent grooves lock the drive engagement on all sides for a secure, rattle-free connection between ratchet and socket. Available in 1/4", 3/8", and 1/2" drive with SoftFinish or Professional Series handles, each set comes organized in a foam tray sized to fit standard tool drawers.

- 72-tooth fine-tooth ratchet — 5° return angle for short-arc operation in tight and confined spaces
- Low-profile ratchet head — Slim head design accesses fasteners in locations a standard ratchet can't reach
- 6- or 12-point sockets with radiused corners — Load applied to flat sides, not corners, reduces fastener rounding under torque
- Four-side detent grooves — Socket locks to the drive on all four sides for secure engagement that won't rattle loose
- Available in 1/4", 3/8", and 1/2" drive — Full drive size coverage in both metric and imperial configurations
- Foam tray storage — Labeled compartments keep the set organized and accounted for
- Available in 1/8", 1/4", and 1/2" drawer sizes to fit most tool cabinets



72-tooth ratchet with 5° return angle

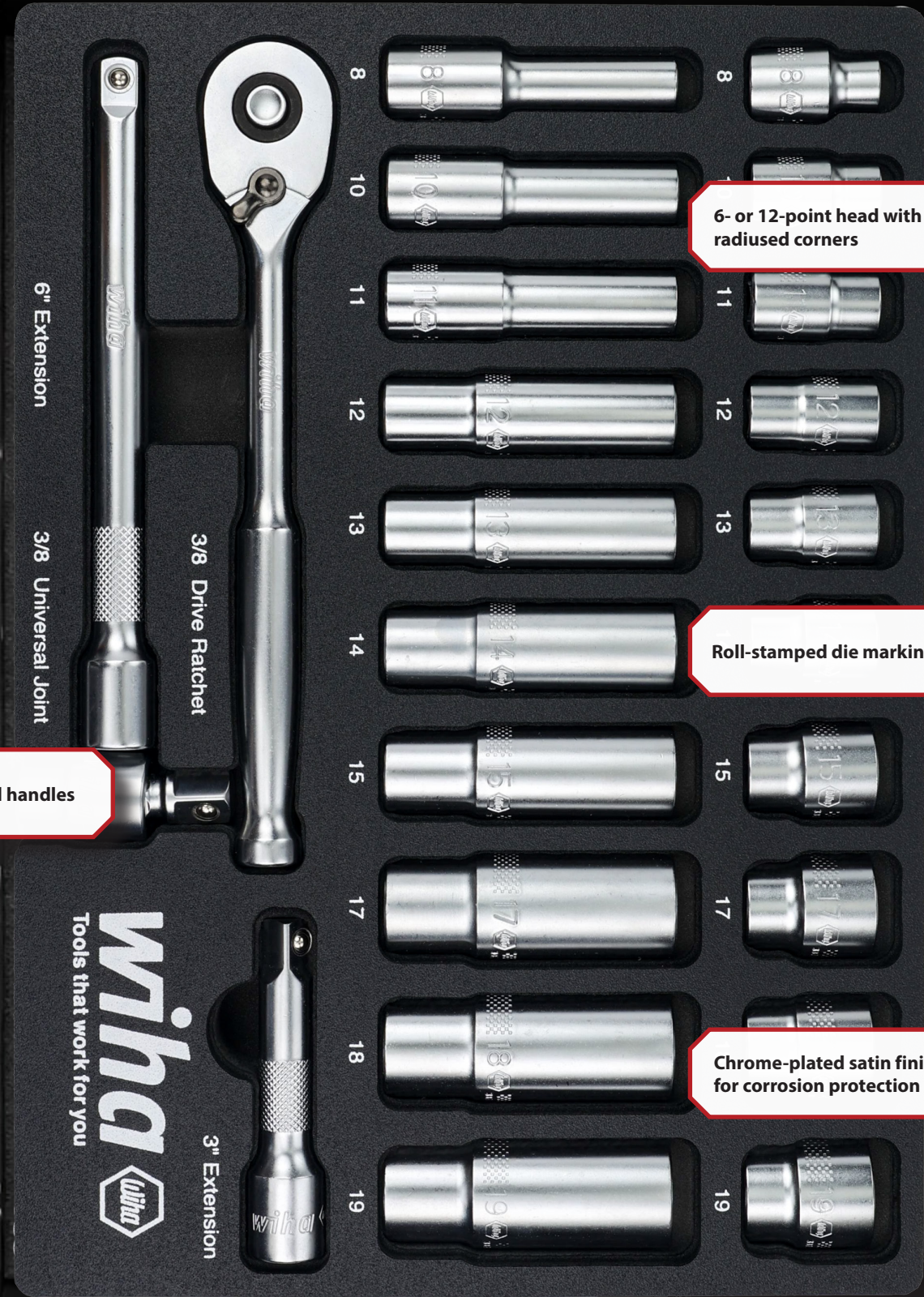
SoftFinish handles



Professional handles



Push-button quick release



6- or 12-point head with radiused corners



Roll-stamped die markings



Chrome-plated satin finish for corrosion protection