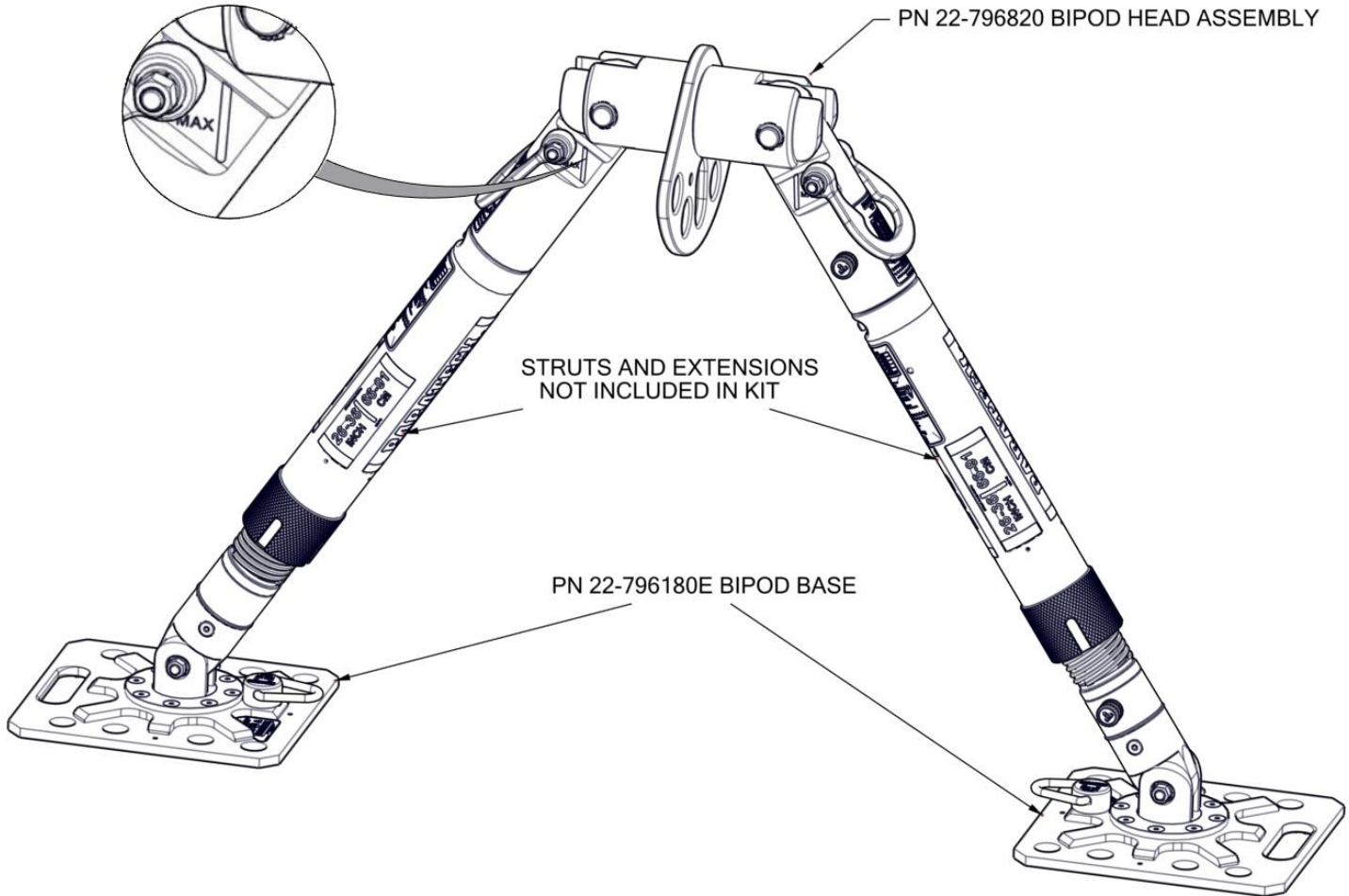
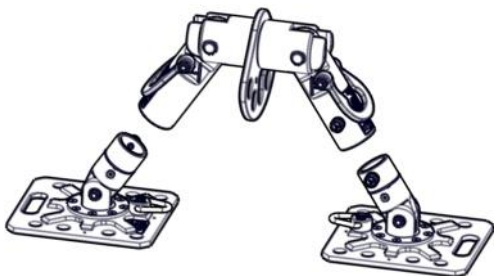


INSTRUCTION SHEET BIPOD KIT PN 22-796810



USER INFORMATION



BEFORE USE

The techniques employed in the proper and safe use of this equipment may only be learned through **PERSONAL** instruction received from an instructor who is well-qualified in all phases of vertical rope work. Such instruction will include an evaluation of your comprehension of and ability to perform the tasks required to safely and efficiently use this equipment.

Never attempt to use this kit until you have received specific instruction and are believed competent by your instructor.

INSPECTION FOR USE

Visually and by touch, inspect the Bipod Head for normal rotation of the anchor plate, cracks, distortion, corrosion, scratches or gouges and sharp edges or rough areas that might abrade a rope. Check screws and nuts to make sure they have not loosened. Remove from service if there is any doubt about its safety or serviceability.

DURING USE

Do not exceed 60° maximum angle when erecting Bipod. 60° angle is reached when MAX indication lines are parallel, reference the picture on the cover sheet. Be sure to immobilize the base plates securely to prevent accidental and sudden strut spread.

MAINTENANCE AFTER USE

Carefully clean and dry the Bipod Head to remove all dirt or foreign material and moisture. Minor sharp edges to the anchor rings and anchor plate may be smoothed with fine abrasive cloth before cleaning. No lubrication is required. Store in a clean dry place.

REMOVAL FROM SERVICE

The Bipod Head should be removed from service: if it has been dropped, exposed to heat sufficient to alter its surface appearance, has distortion of any part, contains cracks, shows scratches or gouges of more than a superficial nature.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Additional information regarding this type of equipment can be found in the following publications.

NFPA 1500: Standard on Fire Department Occupational Safety and Health Program

NFPA 1983: Standard on Life Safety Rope and Equipment for Emergency Services

RECORDS

It is suggested the user of the Bipod Kit keep a permanent record listing the date and results of each usage inspection. Particular attention should be paid to the Bipod Head and integrated anchor plate. Such record should show as a minimum inspection for all the following conditions:

- Cleanness
- Dryness
- Freedom from scratches, gouges and sharp edges
- Freedom from corrosion
- Freedom from distortion
- Axle nuts and/or screws properly tightened
- Instruction Sheet sheet present.

USE OF THIS INSTRUCTION SHEET

It is suggested that this Instruction sheet be retained as a permanent record after it is separated from the kit and a copy of it be kept with the kit.

It is suggested the user refer to this Instruction Sheet before and after each use of the kit.

WARNING

- YOU COULD BE KILLED OR SERIOUSLY INJURED IF YOU DO NOT READ AND UNDERSTAND THE INSTRUCTION SHEET BEFORE USING THIS PIECE OF EQUIPMENT.
- SPECIAL TRAINING AND KNOWLEDGE ARE REQUIRED TO USE THIS EQUIPMENT.
- YOU MUST THOROUGHLY READ AND UNDERSTAND ALL MANUFACTURES INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE USE.
- USE AND INSPECT THIS EQUIPMENT ONLY IN ACCORDANCE WITH THESE INSTRUCTIONS.

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