

Ridgegear recommends this product undergoes an in-depth inspection before it is used, periodically during use, and after each use. Do not hesitate to retire a product showing signs of wear which might affect the strength, or restrict its operation. For your own safety we advise you adopt an inspection criteria for this product by a competent person. If you are not able, or not in a position to assume this responsibility, seek professional advice.

Product Information	PERIODIC EXAMINATION RECORD				
	Date	Reason for entry	Examination Notes	Name	signature
PART NUMBER		Issued to User	Add Users Name Here		
Serial Number					
Purchase Date					
Date first used					
Purchased from					
Comments					

Explanation of Product Markings

STEIN
Date
SS-Number
6 digit number
Length

Brand of product
Date of manufacture
Product part number
Unique traceability number
Length of device in meters

Made In USA
BSEN 358:1999
Read User Instructions
CE 0086
www.steinsafety.com

Country of origin
EN Standard the product conforms to
Warning to read the user instructions
Article 11b approving body
Website address

Periodic examinations and service

- Before every use, the user shall inspect the equipment following the inspection guidelines below.
- The safety of the user depends upon the continued efficiency and durability of the equipment, therefore an additional thorough periodic inspection is required by an independent competent person familiar with inspecting this type of equipment.
- The frequency of examination and inspection must take into account legislation, equipment type, frequency of use and environmental conditions. Through examinations must be carried out by a competent person every 6 months and the results and date of the inspection must be recorded.
- The equipment must be totally retired from use after a maximum of 3 years after the date of first use. This date is for guidance purposes only. By misuse it is possible to destroy this product during its first use

Storage

- The lanyard should be coiled loosely avoiding twisting or kinks.
- Allow to dry naturally away from direct sources of heat. Rinse and/or wipe off any build up of dirt and grit.
- The equipment may be cleaned with a mild detergent not exceeding 30°C, and must be rinsed afterwards in clean warm water.
- Store in a clean, dry area and away from direct source of heat, or any potentially sharp or abrasive objects such as knives or tools.
- Avoid contact with strong acids or alkali, solvents, chemicals, excessive heat and/or sparks, UV exposure, and salt water.

Inspection

- Sheaf - check for cuts, tears, abrasion, scorch marks, burns, chemical attack or severely discoloured patches. Local abrasion, distinct from general wear is often caused by passage of the rope over sharp and/or abrasive edges, and may cause serious loss of strength. Slight damage and scuffing to outer fibres may be considered safe, however more serious levels of abrasion to the outer sheaf such as more than 3 broken strands or cut strands are visible on the sheaf or if two adjacent strands are compromised the product should be retired from use. Reduction in width or thickness or serious distortion of the weave pattern must lead to immediate retirement from use.
- Wire - Any signs of wire abrasion, broken strands, strands penetrating the outer sheaf or kinks within the wire can cause serious failure of the product and must be retired from use immediately.
- Terminations - Check for any wear on the thimbles or signs of damage. Inspect the crimps for any free movement or slippage of the outer sheaf - Immediately retirement from use if present.

Product marking

- Check that the product markings clearly legible. Immediately retirement from use if not present..

Modification & repair

- This equipment must never be modified or repaired as it will compromise the products integrity.

Records

- When using the equipment for the first time, ensure that the first part of the product record card is completed and the date of first use is recorded.
- Ensure that the equipment is inspected at regular intervals dependent upon frequency of use. Details of all inspections must be recorded in the spaces provided on the record card.
- It is essential for the safety of the user that if the product is resold outside the original Country of destination that the reseller shall provide instructions for use, for maintenance, for periodic examination and for repair in the language of the Country in which the product is to be used.

WARNING
Activities using this type of equipment are inherently dangerous. It is impossible to cover every eventuality relating to the use of this equipment. Seek professional training from a fully qualified and competent instructor prior to engaging in any activity. If you are not able, or not in a position to assume this responsibility, do not use this product. You are responsible for your own actions.
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DECLARATION OF CONFORMITY
The manufacturer hereby declares that this product is in conformity with the provisions of the following directives:
BS EN 358:1999
CE 0086



User Instructions Work Positioning Lanyard



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Please read these instructions thoroughly before using this equipment

Before use, a detailed risk assessment must be carried out by a competent person to establish that this is the correct product suitable for the type of work to be being undertaken, taking into account anchor points, potential fall distance, obstructions, rescue system, etc.

Purchasers and users should seek professional training from a fully qualified and competent instructor prior to engaging in any activity using this equipment. If you are not able, or not in a position to assume this responsibility, do not use this product. The manufacturer its distributors and retailers do not accept any liability if users do not follow the instructions correctly. Only the techniques shown in the diagrams are authorised. Any other use deviating from those shown may result in serious injury or death. Prior to each use a complete risk assessment must be carried out to ascertain that the device chosen configures with and is appropriate to the work being undertaken.

Description

The STEIN Work Positioning Lanyard is constructed using a 16-strand polyester outer sheath with a 6mm (7x19) steel wire core. Both ends of the Lanyard are terminated using a crimp with a plated thimble eye inserted.

Application

The STEIN Work Positioning Lanyard is designed as a supplementary work positioning device used in conjunction with an approved climbing system. The maximum rated load when assembled in accordance with these instructions is 100kg or a single user. This device should never be used as a Fall Arrester or as part of a Fall

Standard Connection

Work Positioning Harness



Full Body Harness



- This device should only be used in conjunction with work positioning harnesses complying to EN358 and full body harnesses complying to EN361.
- Connection devices which attach the lanyard to the harness should comply with EN362 & EN354
- Only ever connect the device to the harness using the side attachment points (1) on harnesses.
- Never attach the device using the front attachment point (2) of the harness.
- Never attach both ends of the device to the same side of the harness, the device should always be passed around the anchorage point and attached using separate attachment points on the harness (1).

Adjustment

- If an adjustment device is required to shorten the device only the ISC RP203 Rope Grab is approved for this purpose.
- This product should never be modified or the original ends removed to alter the length of the device.

Storage

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- Store in a clean, dry area and away from direct source of heat, or any potentially sharp or abrasive objects such as knives or tools.
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General Guide

- (1) Users are warned that certain medical conditions such as heart disease, high blood pressure, vertigo, epilepsy, drug or alcohol dependence, could affect the safety of the user in normal and emergency use.
- (2) This equipment must only be used by suitably trained personnel who are competent in its safe use.
- (3) Ensure before use that there is a suitable rescue plan to enable the retrieval of the user to a place of safety in the event of a fall or injury
- (4) Never attempt to modify or repair this product.
- (5) The intended purpose of this product is as a Work Positioning Device. Never use for any other purpose other than that for which it is intended.
- (6) This product is recommended for personal issue.
- (7) Ensure that any connectors used with this equipment are suitably CE approved and compatible with this product.
- (8) Also be aware of any possible dangers, which may arise through use of combinations of items of equipment in which the safe function of any one item is affected by or interferes with the safe function of another.
- (9) Before use, the user must be suitably qualified to carry out a pre-use check (see section on inspection)
- (10) It is essential for safety that the equipment is withdrawn from use immediately should:
 - any doubt arise about its condition for safe use or if the equipment shows excessive wear or damage to any part or
 - if it has been used to arrest a fall
- (11) Ensure that all anchor points and devices are compatible with this equipment.
- (12) A full body harness combined with a shock absorb system is the only acceptable device that may be used to arrest a fall.
- (13) Dynamic loading or shock loading constitutes excessive wear and voids normal working loads. Retire from use immediately should this occur.
- (14) Never use work positioning D rings (1) as attachment points for fall arrest
- (15) The Lanyard is suitable for use in normal atmospheric conditions (-10°C to +40°C).
- (16) To prolong the life of the product it is essential to keep the product clean and away from dirt. Avoid impact, sharp edges or abrasive surfaces, contact with strong acids or alkali, solvents, chemicals, excessive heat and/or sparks, UV exposure.
- (17) Do not operate or carry this device near electrical power lines as it conducts electricity. Contact with power lines may result in injury or death. Never use in weather where there is a risk of lightning strikes.
- (18) Once used this product should never be re-sold to another party

Notified Body

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