

User Instructions



Quality Gear For Life



Rope Tracker

Seattle Manufacturing Corporation
6930 Salashan Parkway
Ferndale, WA 98248
800.426.6251
www.smcgear.net

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.

INSPECTION FOR USE

Visually and by touch, inspect the Rope Tracker for cracks, distortion, corrosion, scratches or gouges, sharp edges or rough areas that might abrade a rope. Inspect cable for areas that are damaged or frayed. Inspect the cable swages for damage which may cause the eye to fail. Remove it from service if there is any doubt about its safety or serviceability.

MAINTENANCE AFTER USE

Carefully clean and dry to remove all dirt or foreign material and moisture. Clean with water and mild detergent. Minor sharp edges may be smoothed with a fine abrasive cloth, before cleaning. No lubrication is required. Store in a clean, dry place and out of direct sunlight to avoid UV degradation. All chemical products, corrosive material and solvents should be regarded as harmful to the well being of this product. If this product comes in contact with any harsh chemicals it should be removed from service.

REMOVAL FROM SERVICE

The Rope Tracker should be removed from service if it has been exposed to heat sufficient to alter its surface appearance, or if distortion of any part is apparent, or if any cracks are apparent, or if the cable is damaged or frayed.

RECORDS

It is suggested that the user keep a permanent record listing the date and results of each usage inspection. Such record should show, as a minimum, inspection for all of the following conditions:

- Cleanliness
- Dryness
- Freedom from scratches, gouges and sharp edges
- Freedom from corrosion
- Freedom from distortion
- User Information sheet present

USE OF THIS USER INFORMATION SHEET

It is suggested that this User Information sheet be retained in a permanent record after it is separated from the Rope Tracker, and that a copy of it be kept with the Rope Tracker. It is suggested that the user refer to this User Information sheet before and after each use of the Rope Tracker.

GEAR SELECTION

The Rope Tracker has been designed to work in conjunction with industrial work, rescue, sport and mountaineering equipment which may incorporate but is not limited to the use of carabiners, ropes and other anchor components. Users are required to get specific training in the proper use of this and all related equipment before use.

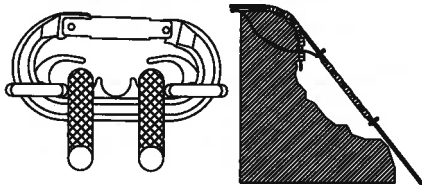
WARRANTY

The Rope Tracker is warranted to the original retail purchaser for 1 year from original date of purchase against manufacture or material defects. SMC does not warranty against improper storage, normal wear and tear, oxidation, modifications or alterations, poor maintenance, improper or incorrect usage, damage due to accidents or negligence.

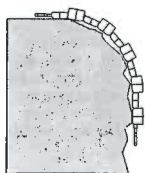
The SMC Rope Tracker is specifically engineered to secure, capture, protect and manage multiple ropes up to Ø16mm. The outer side channels will accommodate varying rope diameters up to 12.5 mm and snap on rope Ø11mm to 12.5mm capturing and securing the rope. The center channel will hold up to a Ø16mm rope.



When using the Rope Tracker for a travelling rope tube, place a carabiner through the attachment eyes and around the ropes. This will ensure that the Rope Tracker will not unexpectedly come off of the rope. Adding a carabiner will also keep the ropes inside the Rope Tracker during any unexpected shifts in the load. A length of small diameter cord can be used to tie the Rope Tracker to an anchor.



The Rope Tracker is designed to bend freely up to 180 degrees in it's positive direction allowing the user essential flexibility needed to wrap I-Beams and protect against jagged obstacles. Bending the Rope Tracker backwards may cause permanent damage to the device and is not advised.



⚠ Do NOT use the Rope Tracker as an anchor or any type of load bearing connector.



⚠ Do NOT use the Rope Tracker with Cable.

⚠ WARNING:

Industrial work, rescue, climbing and mountaineering are hazardous. Even correct selection, use and maintenance of equipment cannot eliminate the risk of injury or death. It is the user's responsibility to ensure a clear understanding of the correct and safe use of this equipment and to use it only for the purposes for which it is designed, and to practice all proper safety procedures.

YOU COULD BE KILLED OR SERIOUSLY INJURED IF YOU DO NOT READ AND UNDERSTAND THE USER INFORMATION 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.

INSPECT THIS EQUIPMENT BEFORE USE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THESE USER INSTRUCTIONS.

USE THIS EQUIPMENT ONLY IN ACCORDANCE WITH THESE USER INSTRUCTIONS.



PN 148127