

BICYCLE KICKSTAND – SAFETY AND MAINTENANCE MANUAL

SAFETY INFORMATION.

- Do not use the bicycle kickstand when placing a child in or taking a child out of a child bike seat, the stand is not designed to withstand dynamic forces.
- Never leave a child in a child bike seat whilst the bicycle is parked.
- Never sit on the bicycle whilst the kickstand is folded down.
- Always place the bicycle on a level and stable surface before folding down the stand.
- Avoid parking on soft, sloping or uneven surfaces.
- Keep your fingers away from moving parts when folding the kickstand up or down.

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION.

The kickstand is intended solely to keep the bike upright when it is stationary on a level surface. It must not be used as a work or load support, or to stabilise the bike when subjected to loads from a child seat, servicing work or extra weight beyond that of the bike and its approved load.

CHECKLIST.

Carry out the following checks regularly.

- Check that the kickstand is securely attached to the bicycle frame.
- Ensure that all bolts and screws are properly tightened.
- Check that the kickstand is not bent, cracked or deformed.
- Check that no parts are loose.

If you have the slightest doubt, have an authorised bicycle repairer check and, if necessary, repair the kickstand before riding.

CARE AND MAINTENANCE.

- Keep the kickstand free from dirt, sand, salt and grit.
- Also clean the kickstand in accordance with the bicycle manufacturer's manual/instructions.
- Avoid directing a high-pressure washer directly at the kickstand's mechanical parts.
- Lubricate moving parts every 3 months, or more frequently in the event of rain, snow or salt.
- Use a light oil or silicone-based lubricant. Avoid grease, as it attracts dirt.

ASSEMBLY (Aftermarket kickstand).

If you have the slightest doubt about which aftermarket bicycle kickstand is suitable for your bike or how to assembly the kickstand, please contact an authorised bike shop or bike repair workshop for assistance. They have the knowledge and experience to advise you on what is suitable and how it should be fitted.

- Check compatibility to ensure that the kickstand you've chosen fits your bike's frame size and can be fitted in accordance with your bike brand's instructions.
- We recommend that the bike is tilted between 6 and 8 degrees once assembling and adjustment is complete.
- Tighten the fasteners securely, check whether your bike manufacturer has specified a torque value for the fasteners, and if so, follow these instructions.
- Check that the kickstand does not interfere with the pedals or chain after installation.
- Retighten the kickstand's fasteners after a few bike rides or kilometers.

RESTRICTIONS.

- The kickstand is not intended for any purpose other than supporting a bicycle whilst parked.
- The kickstand must not be modified.

DISCLAIMER.

Incorrect use of the bicycles kickstand may result in personal injury or damage to the bicycle. The manufacturer accepts no liability for damage arising from use contrary to this manual or from a lack of maintenance.

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