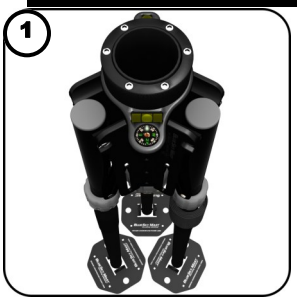
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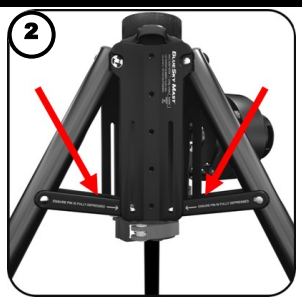
Read Manual Before Use
Refer to detailed instructions in the Standard Series Manual at all times

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Stand the tripod up with the base plates on the ground and release the Velcro Strap.



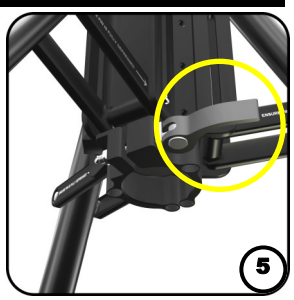
Unfold the tripod legs and make sure the cross bars are locked into position.



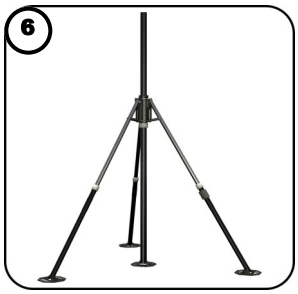
Loosen turn knobs on each of the tripod legs and allow them to fully extend.



Make sure all base plates are flat on the ground and tighten all three turn knobs.



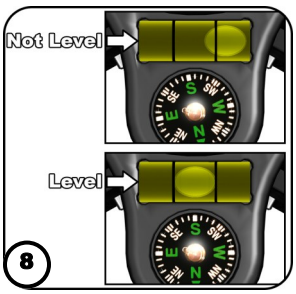
To adjust or insert the base pole release the cam lock on the bottom of the tripod.



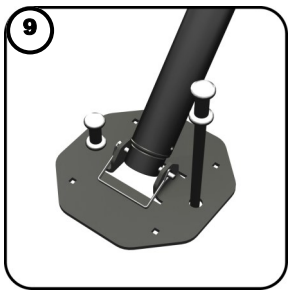
Insert or adjust the base pole in the tripod. Allow the base plate to rest on the ground.



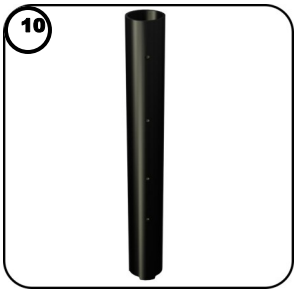
Lock the cam lock.



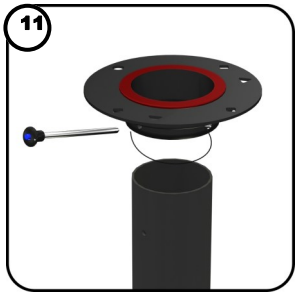
Level the tripod by using the two bubbles levels and adjusting the tripod legs.



Secure the 3 tripod legs by driving stakes through the two holes on each base plate.



Add the 36 inch mounting pole. Ensure castellations interlock between the poles.



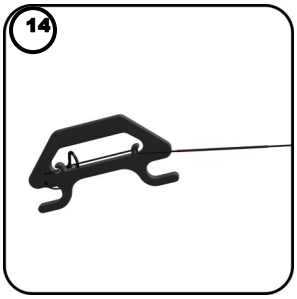
Add the red primary guy ring and pin it to the bottom hole on the mounting pole.



Attach and secure your devices to the mounting pole. Use velcro straps to secure cables.



Attach the 1st primary guy rope to the round hole on the red primary guy ring.



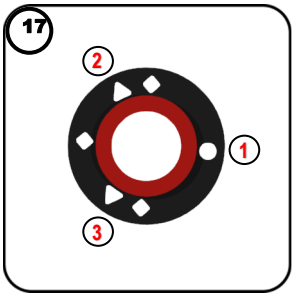
Start at the center of the tripod and unwind the guy rope while walking away from the mast.



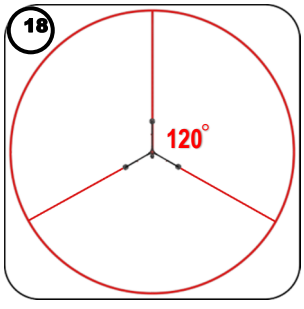
Take one **NORMAL** step for each meter of height of the mast (2 steps for 2 meters).



Stop - unwind all guy rope, drive a stake into the ground and clip the guy rope to the stake.



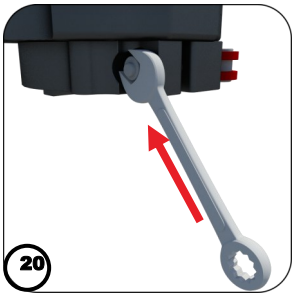
Attach the two remaining guy ropes to the triangular holes on the red primary guy ring.



Repeat these steps until all 3 primary guy ropes are deployed 120 degrees from each other.



WARNING: If at any point the mast begins to slip while the cam lock is locked - **STOP**

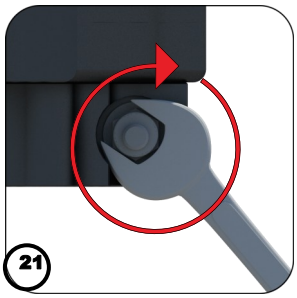


Use the 7/16 wrench provided with the system to make adjustments to the cam lock.

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Tighten the nut on the cam lock a quarter turn until slipping no longer occurs.



Release the cam lock.



Lower the mast to the ground. Ensure that the center base plate rests firmly on the ground.



Lock the cam lock.

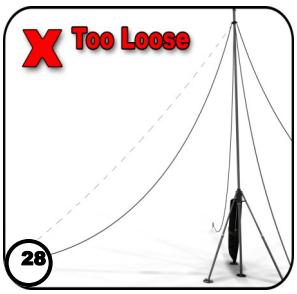


Adjust the primary guy ropes and make sure the mast is straight and perpendicular.



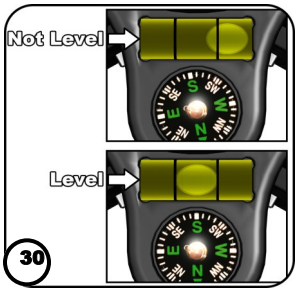
Hold the guy rope in one hand and slide the guy handle back and forth to adjust.





If the guy ropes are too loose it will allow the mast to lean. If the guy ropes are too tight then they will put unnecessary strain and load on the mast causing it to bend or bow. The tension should be firm, not slack nor taunt.

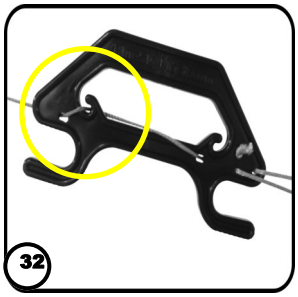




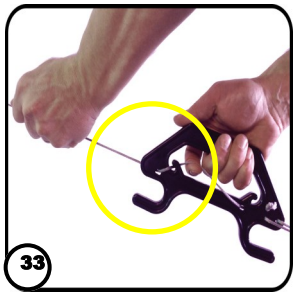
Re-level the mast by simply tapping or nudging the base pole with your foot.



After deploying the mast, install the three turn knobs in the bottom holes of the tripod body.



Lock the four primary guy ropes.



Pull some slack in and loop the rope over the front horn on the guy handle.

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