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STIFFY SNARE TOOL

Operating instructions · BPC-MAN-NST

TIER 3 · OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

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Operating instructions for the Stiffy dual release snare tool (NST series). The Stiffy is a hand tool for guiding loads from a safe distance. It is not a pry tool and is not a lifting device.



The polyurethane cable

1. USING THE TOOL WITH A CLOSED LOOP

1. Slide the polyurethane cable over the end of the load.
2. Grip the slide handle.
3. Press the slide lock button.
4. Slide the grip toward the butt cap to tighten the polyurethane cable on the load.
5. Guide the load to the desired location.
6. Press the slide lock button and slide the grip forward, toward the load, to release the polyurethane cable.
7. Slide the polyurethane cable off the end of the load.

2. RELEASING THE POLYURETHANE CABLE

1. Grab the slide handle, press the slide lock button, and slide the handle forward to release the tension on the cable.
2. Pivot the release knob locking lever, then press and turn the release knob clockwise.
3. Press the release and pull back on the tool. The cable releases from the head.

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Cable insert location



Release knob and slide lock button

3. RE-INSERTING THE POLYURETHANE CABLE

1. Grab the slide handle, press the slide lock button, and slide the handle to the top of the shaft.
2. Insert the polyurethane cable into the tool head at the location marked on the side of the head, and push it in until it clicks. Press and turn the release knob counterclockwise to the locked position, then pivot the release knob locking lever down toward the knob.
3. The tool is ready to use.



Locking lever

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5. APPROVAL

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