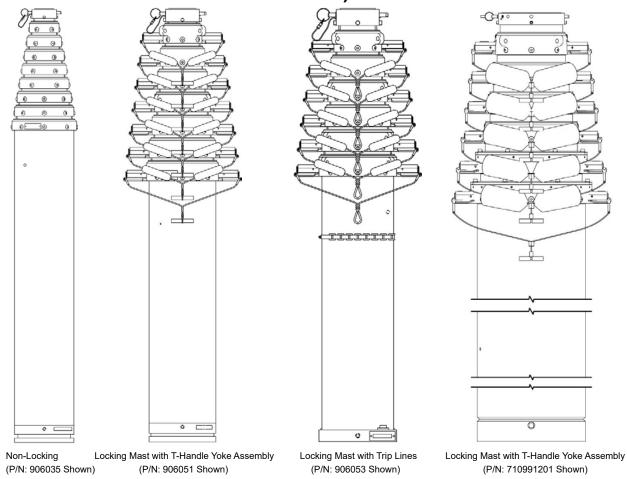


## **Pneumatic Mast Operating Instructions**

(Standard Duty, Heavy Duty, Super Heavy Duty, and Ultra Heavy Duty Models)



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# **1** Safety Summary

This section describes safety instructions for the Pneumatic Mast that personnel must understand and apply throughout all product activities such as transportation, handling, installation, operation, maintenance, storage, disposal and troubleshooting. Read and understand this entire document, and contact The Will-Burt Company with any questions, before performing any procedure outlined in this document. Keep this document during the entire duration of use of the device. Pass this document along to trained and qualified end users.

## **1.1 Signal Word Definitions**

The following signal words and definitions are used to indicate hazardous situations:

#### A DANGER

**DANGER** indicates an imminently hazardous situation that, if not avoided, will result in death or serious injury.

#### A WARNING

**WARNING** indicates a potentially hazardous situation that, if not avoided, could result in death or serious injury.

#### **A** CAUTION

**CAUTION** indicates a potentially hazardous situation that, if not avoided, may result in minor or moderate injury or equipment damage. It is also used to alert against unsafe practices.

## **1.2 Safety Instructions**

#### A DANGER

**Electrocution Hazard!** Contact with high voltage will result in death or serious injury. Observe general safety precautions for handling equipment using high voltage. Do not locate or operate mast near electrical lines, cables or other unwanted sources of electricity. Allow sufficient clearance on all sides of mast to allow for side sway. Do not operate mast during an electrical storm. Be certain electrical cables are undamaged and properly terminated. Do not touch live wires. Follow OSHA or other national safety regulations when working near energized power lines. Personnel working with or near high voltages should be familiar with methods of resuscitation.

#### A DANGER

**Disconnect Power for Service!** Always disconnect all power sources following proper lock-out tag-out procedures before performing service, repair or test operations. Remove the tethered hand held control where applicable for added protection during maintenance.

#### A DANGER

**Mast Tip Over Hazard!** Mast tip over could result in death or serious injury. Before operation, be certain mounting structure is capable of resisting forces generated from all loading and



environmental conditions, including, but not limited to, mast size and weight, payload and cable size and weight, payload sail area, wind speed, guy line arrangement, support bracket or roof line location, and base plate assembly. Do not operate in wind speed conditions exceeding the maximum rated wind speed. Do not operate on slopes exceeding the maximum deployment angle. Do not install a payload that exceeds the maximum payload lifting capacity of mast. Do not install a payload with the center of gravity offset from mast centerline exceeding the maximum allowed offset. Stand clear of mast and mast payload during operation. Be certain mast is level and secure before and during installation, operation, and maintenance.

### A DANGER

**Falling Objects from Mast Hazard!** Wear a protective hard hat when working on mast or situated near mast operating area while mast is extending, retracting or deployed in any position above the nested position. Improperly secured payload or mast components, ice formations, etc. could be dislodged from mast and fall. Be sure the payload is properly installed and secured.

#### A DANGER

**Relocation/Driving Hazard!** Do not relocate the system during operation or while mast is extended to any height above the nested position or powered up. Do not move vehicle until mast has been securely nested and isolated from power. Power-up and operate mast only if the vehicle is stationary and securely parked with the parking brake properly applied. Do not put mast in service or operate without the vehicle interlock warning circuit or magnetic warning kit installed to provide confirmation mast is nested prior to moving the vehicle. Contact The Will-Burt Company Engineering for special on-the-move situations for military only use on specialized products.

#### A DANGER

**Burst Hazard!** For pneumatically operated masts, do not operate without the over-pressure safety valve installed. Keep personnel clear of safety valve exhaust direction. Do not exceed the maximum rated pressure of mast. If the mast air pressure is not fully discharged prior to removing air hoses, a rapid release of air pressure will occur requiring hearing and eye protection.

#### A WARNING

**Payload Lifting Hazard - Intended Use!** The mast is intended to lift a specific payload for lighting, surveillance or communication use only. Any other use without written consent is prohibited and could cause death or serious injury. Do not use mast to lift personnel. Do not exceed specified payload capacity. Large payload wind sail areas can reduce payload capacity. Consult The Will-Burt Company engineering.

#### A WARNING

**Read Operating Instructions!** Read and observe the operating instructions. Non-observance of the instructions, operation which is not in accordance with use as prescribed in the instructions, wrong installation or incorrect handling can seriously affect the safety of operators and machinery. Adhere to the safety instructions when carrying out any activity relating to the Pneumatic Mast.

#### A WARNING

**Trained Personnel Only!** This product is intended for use by trained professionals only. It is not intended for general use by the public or untrained personnel. Handling, installation, operation



and maintenance to be performed by trained and authorized personnel only. Only a properly trained and qualified certified electrician should perform electric installations and service.

#### A WARNING

**Erratic Mast Operation Impact Hazard!** The mast should operate smoothly during extension and retraction. If erratic mast motion is observed during extension or retraction that results in impact loading between the tube and the tube collar (mechanical travel stop), cease use of the mast and contact The Will-Burt Company service department. Repeated operation with impact loading can damage tubes and lead to mast separation.

#### A WARNING

**Over-current Protection!** Over-current protection or power switching by the installer on mast incoming power supply as specified in this document should be a type suitable to allow lock-out tag-out procedures for power disconnect.

#### A WARNING

**Safety Instruction - Explosion!** For outdoor use only. Do not use in explosive areas or areas that have been classified as hazardous as defined in Article 500 of the National Electric Code or equivalent national standards. Do not use in the presence of flammable gases or liquids such as paint, gasoline or solvents. Do not use in areas of limited ventilation or where high ambient temperatures are present.

#### A WARNING

**Safety Equipment (PPE)!** Proper personal protective equipment (PPE) like hard hats, gloves, and safety shoes shall be properly worn while working on mast or near the deployment area of mast. In addition, eye protection shall be worn during maintenance procedures. Follow national PPE guidelines in your area of operation.

#### A WARNING

**Pinch Point Hazard!** Keep clear of all moving parts like mast collars nesting. Be sure to stay clear of system during operation. Moving parts can crush and cut resulting in serious injury. The mast shall be mounted out of reach of the operator during operation.

#### A WARNING

**Crush Hazard - Mast Failure!** Do not stand directly beneath mast or its payload. Be certain the payload is properly installed and secured.

#### A WARNING

**Entanglement Hazard!** Tangled cables can cause equipment damage. Ensure payload cables, Nycoil®, trip lines, guy lines or other cables are not tangled and are free to pay out as mast is deployed. Cables that get tangled or snagged on mast or other objects can cause mast tubes to lurch upward suddenly when the cable is freed. This can cause damage to mast and lead to mast separation if repeatedly allowed to continue.

#### A WARNING

**Health and Safety Hazard while Cleaning!** Solvent used to clean parts is potentially dangerous. Avoid inhalation of fumes and prolonged contact to skin.



#### A WARNING

**Fire Hazard Solvent!** Cleaning solvent, used for maintenance, is flammable and can be explosive. Do not smoke near solvent. Use cleaning solvent in a well-ventilated area. Keep cleaning solvent away from ignition sources. Always store cleaning solvent in the proper marked container and in a proper location.

#### **A** WARNING

**Bright Light Radiation Hazard!** For systems equipped with scene lighting or look-up lights, do not look directly into lights when they are illuminated. Temporary impairment or permanent vision damage could occur.

#### A WARNING

**Personnel Freezing/Burn Hazard!** If the system is equipped with lights, make sure the lights are completely cool before attempting to clean the lens, replace bulbs or perform maintenance. Wear gloves to protect from contact with exposed metal that may be at extremes of hot and cold temperatures from sun or cold outdoor exposure.

#### A WARNING

**Mast Extension Hazard - Obstruction!** Extending mast into obstructions could result in death or serious injury and could render mast inoperable and partially extended. Before applying power and operating mast, be certain there is sufficient clearance above and to all sides of the expected location of the fully extended mast and payload. Keep all persons clear of mast and mast extension. Do not lean directly over mast. Locate the operator station such that the operator has a clear view of the operating space of mast and payload prior to deployment to avoid contact with overhead objects.

#### A WARNING

**Manual Retraction!** For powered masts, make sure all power sources have been disconnected from the system prior to manually lowering mast to avoid unexpected start-up motion and/or damage to mast.

#### A WARNING

**Mast Lifting/Handling!** Use extreme caution while lifting mast System and when mast System is suspended to avoid injury and equipment damage. Be certain mast is properly secured using at least two sling points at the center of gravity label. All operators should be aware of and follow the applicable local, regional, and national standards and codes of practice for slinging and transporting equipment. Never lift Mast System over people. Ensure lifting equipment including, but not limited to, lifting straps and hoist, are capable of handling the forces generated from lifting the system. Observe manufacturer instructions on lifting equipment.

#### A WARNING

**Remove Payload!** For mast systems shipped with no payload (customer installed payloads), remove payload before performing maintenance on mast system. The Will-Burt Company installed devices can remain installed.

#### A WARNING

**Equipment Damage - Submerged!** Do not submerge mast in liquid or operate the vehicle in a fording situation that would result in a submerged mast.



#### A WARNING

Safety Instruction – Keep Clear! Keep personnel clear of the system during operation.

#### A WARNING

**Safety Instruction - Potential Air Contaminants!** If internally mounted in a vehicle, air from mast and any accumulated water will discharge into the vehicle. Install appropriate drainage and venting.

#### A WARNING

**Fastener Vibration Hazard!** Mast system and payload mounting hardware must include proper means to resist vibration loosening such as thread-locking compound, locking hardware, or equivalent. Use specified assembly torques appropriate for the fastener size.

#### **A** CAUTION

**Frozen Water Hazard!** Water freezing inside mast or air fittings may render mast inoperable and cause major equipment damage such as tube deformation. Ensure water is free to exit at the base of mast. Open drain cock when mast is not in operation. The drain cock shall be installed at the lowest position in the pneumatic system. If mounted internally in a vehicle or structure, direct the draining water to a suitable location. Cover locking masts when not in use to limit water ingress. Non-locking masts stored outdoors should be covered if possible. A cover is available from The Will-Burt Company.

#### **A** CAUTION

**Safety Instruction - Guy Anchors!** For masts using Guy Lines, verify the Guy Anchor point strength is adequate to support the Guy Line forces.

#### **A** CAUTION

**Lubrication!** Do not lubricate the exterior of mast moving tubes. The lubricant will attract dust and other environmental contaminants into mast.

#### **A** CAUTION

**Equipment Damage - Forces!** Before unloading the system, be certain the unloading region is capable of resisting forces generated from unloading the system including but not limited to system weight. Ensure the unloading region is level and has sufficient room and strength to hold the system. If the unloading region is incapable of meeting the requirements of the system, damage to the system and/or unloading region could occur.

#### **A** CAUTION

**Equipment Damage - Support Bracket!** For masts using an upper support bracket, do not over-tighten mast support bracket. Over-tightening may damage the Base Tube causing mast tubes to stick.

#### **A** CAUTION

**Mast and Payload Access!** The operator must provide safe means to access mast and payload during installation, removal and maintenance.

#### **A** CAUTION

**Tripping Hazard!** Cables, trip lines, guy lines and guy anchors can be hard to see during and after installation. Any equipment posing trip hazards should be clearly marked.



#### A WARNING

**Lifting Hazard!** Manually lifting over 55 lb. (25 kg) is prohibited. In the UK, all lifting equipment must be thoroughly examined annually by a competent person according to the Lifting Operations and Lift Equipment Regulations 1998. Equivalent regulations exist in other EU states.

#### A WARNING

**Safety Instruction – Roof Access!** If the mast will be mounted to a vehicle, the operator must provide a safe means to access the roof of the vehicle during installation.

#### A WARNING

**Pressurized Device Hazard!** Mast disassembly prior to depressurization may release pressurized air jet. Completely lower the mast, depressurize and shut down power before disassembly. Ensure an over-pressurization safety valve is installed in the system.

#### A WARNING

**Safety Instruction – Remote Control!** The equipment is subject to remote control and may be operated at any time. Persons working on the equipment should take appropriate precautions to ensure that any unexpected movement does not occur as this could lead to injury.

#### A WARNING

**Safety Instruction – Lightning!** Lightning protection is not part of this system. A proper means of electrical grounding should be provided. Failure to observe this warning could result in death or serious injury.

#### A WARNING

**Crush Hazard – Hoist Failure!** Use extreme caution while installing the base plate to the mast. Be certain mast is properly secured during installation of base plate. Death or serious injury could occur if hoist fails or mast slips suddenly.

#### A WARNING

Safety Instruction – Operation! At all times prior to mast operation, ensure:

- The mast area is free of personnel and mechanical obstruction
- Be certain mast is level, stable, and secure before and during installation, operation, maintenance, and transportation. Operate on level ground only.
- Any transit tie-downs on the payload have been removed
- · Before operating, the base section shall be within:
  - 5° of vertical for Heavy Duty masts with extended heights  $\leq$  60 feet
  - 3° of vertical for Heavy Duty masts with extended heights > 60 feet
  - 3° for all Super Heavy Duty masts
- Ultra Heavy Duty masts: Before operating, the base tube for masts extended up to 60 feet (18.2 m) shall be within:
  - 5° of vertical for payloads 200 lb. (90.7 kg) or less
  - 4° of vertical for payloads 200 lb. to 800 lb. (90.7 kg to 362.9 kg)
  - 2° of vertical for payloads 800 lb. to 1,200 lb. (362.9 kg to 544.3 kg)
- Ultra Heavy masts: Before operating, the base tube for masts extended 60 ft. to 80 ft. (18.2 m to 24.4 m) shall be within:
  - 4° of vertical for payloads 600 lb. (272.2 kg) or less
  - 1° of verticals for payloads 600 lb. to 1,200 lb. (272.2 kg to 544.3 kg)



All values assume a maximum of 12 inch (30.5 cm) payload offset. If offsetting any payload greater than 600 lb. (272 kg), the payload offset direction must be in-line with the tube keys, and not perpendicular to the keys.

#### A WARNING

**Burst Hazard!** Over-pressurizing mast will trip safety valve and could result in death or serious injury. Do not exceed maximum operating pressure of 35 psi (241 kPa) for Heavy Duty, Super Heavy Duty, and Ultra Heavy Duty masts. Do not exceed maximum operating pressure of 20 psi (138 kPa) for Standard Duty masts. Keep personnel clear of safety valve exhaust direction.

#### **A** CAUTION

**Safety Instruction – Mast Access!** The operator must provide safe means to access the top of the mast during installation and removal of the payload.

#### **A** CAUTION

**Safety Instruction – Hose Installation!** At all times while using pipe and hose during installation, recognize that:

- Pipe and hose should be routed, mounted and restrained to protect from damage
- Do not use second hand piping for installation. Use piping adhering to regional standards.
- Do not bend air pipe and hose at a radius less than specified by the manufacturer
- · Pipes should be marked to avoid hazards from incorrect connection
- The exhaust should be fitted with a silencer and be directed away from personnel
- When routing piping, install in such a way as to minimize torsion on the joints
- Mounting of air pipe and hose shall be done with tools and in such a way to prevent air pipe and hose from easily disconnecting from the mast

#### **A** CAUTION

**Safety Instruction - Motion on Power Interruption or Emergency Stop!** When using a normally open control valve as required for vehicle applications, if power is lost or turned off or the emergency stop is activated while the mast is extended, the mast will begin releasing air pressure and retracting at a controlled rate until power is restored or the mast fully retracts.

#### **A** CAUTION

**Safety Instruction – Air Control Valve!** Improper positioning and operation of Air Control Valve can result in moderate injury or equipment damage. Air Control Valve must be mounted in a location where the operator has full view of the mast and mast operating space but does not make contact with the mast during operation (except for yokes). Only use a Hold-To-Run type Air Control Valve or switch. The Air Control Valve shall be normally open to atmosphere when the mast is in transit or not in use.

#### **A** CAUTION

**Drain Valve Kit Installation!** Failure to follow Drain Kit installation instructions could damage the mast and render the mast inoperable. Read and understand the installation instructions before installing the Drain Kit.

#### **A** CAUTION

**Equipment Damage – Band Clamp Fasteners!** Do not overtighten the band clamp fasteners. Overtightening may damage the base tube causing the mast tubes to stick.



#### **A** CAUTION

**Equipment Damage – Deviation!** Deviation from standard operating conditions and procedures could cause system failure.

#### **A** CAUTION

**Safety Instruction - Guy Lines!** For masts using guy lines, do not overtighten guy lines or tension them unevenly.

The following list contains reasonably foreseeable misuses of the mast system according to EN ISO 12100 5.3.2. These uses shall be avoided:

- Operating the mast with an obstruction in the functional space that prevents full extension or retraction
- Operating the mast near overhead power lines
- Operating the mast without the mast and operating space visible to the operator
- Driving the vehicle with the mast in a deployed position (any height above the nested position) or powered-up
- Operating the mast or leaving deployed in wind speeds higher than the specified maximum velocity
- Operating the mast on a non-level surface greater than the specified maximum angle Installing a payload greater than the maximum rated payload (weight and sail area) of the mast



## **1.3 Symbols Used on Product Labels**

The following symbols are displayed on the product. The symbol meanings are as follows:



This symbol indicates an electrocution hazard or hazardous voltage hazard. There is voltage present inside mast and control box. Do not operate mast near electrical lines or during electrical storms. Contact with high voltage will result in death or serious injury.



This symbol indicates a pinch point hazard. Keep fingers and hands clear of moving parts.



This symbol indicates a tip-over hazard. The mast must be properly supported during transport, handling, installation, maintenance, operation and decommissioning. System tip-over could result in death or serious injury.



This symbol indicates a burst hazard. The mast contains air pressure. Never install the mast without installing the overpressure safety valve. Never operate the mast above the maximum rated pressure.



This symbol indicates a general warning. In this unit, this symbol indicates a frozen water hazard. Water must be permitted to exit mast to avoid ice damage to mast.



This symbol is used to remind users to read and understand the operator's manual before operating the mast system. Failure to follow operating instructions could result in death or serious injury. Read and understand operating instructions before handling, installing, operating, or maintaining the mast system.



This symbol is used to indicate the center of gravity (COG) of a fully nested mast in a horizontal transport position.



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# **2** Specification Compliance

## 2.1 **CE Declaration of Conformity**

Refer to the Product page at www.willburt.com for the latest Declaration of Conformity.



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# 3 Introduction

Thank you for selecting The Will-Burt Company for your critical payload elevation needs. These operating instructions describe transporting, handling, installing, operating, maintaining, storing, and troubleshooting procedures for the Standard Duty, Heavy Duty, Super Heavy Duty, and Ultra Heavy Duty Pneumatic Mast systems. These procedures assume the use of standard mast systems with a clear anodized finish. Procedures and characteristics for mast systems customized to meet customer-specific needs may vary. Review this document in its entirety. Contact The Will-Burt Company with any questions before performing any procedure outlined in this manual.

The views depicted in this manual are provided for clarification and are subject to change without notice. Views are not to scale.

This manual is for the following Pneumatic Masts:

- Standard Duty Non-Locking Pneumatic Mast
- Heavy Duty Non-Locking and Locking Pneumatic Mast (HDNL and HDL)
- Super Heavy Duty Non-Locking and Locking Pneumatic Mast (SHDNL and SHDL)
- Ultra Heavy Duty Non-Locking and Locking Pneumatic Mast (UHDNL and UHDL)

This manual is not for the following Pneumatic Masts:

- Internally Wired Pneumatic Masts (IWM)
- Yacht Masts
- Low Profile Pneumatic Masts
- Night Scan<sup>®</sup>, Inflexion<sup>™</sup>, and InflexionPlus<sup>™</sup> Masts

See www.willburt.com for information on these and other The Will-Burt Company products.

A typical Pneumatic Mast System consists of:

- A telescoping mast
- A pneumatic system
- Mounting hardware
- Optional accessories

The Pneumatic Mast is available with many options installed by The Will-Burt Company, such as different light fixture types and manufactures, camera types and manufacturers, special heights and optional strobe lighting.



## 3.1 Intended Use

The Pneumatic Mast is intended for use by professionals in the fire/rescue/first responder/ security/towing/broadcast/cellular industries to provide elevated and directional emergency scene lighting and surveillance or communication capabilities. It is not intended for use by non-professionals. Do not use the mast to lift personnel. The Pneumatic Mast is intended to be installed on fire/rescue/towing/first responder/broadcast/cellular vehicles with the vehicle interconnect safety circuit installed and operational.

The Pneumatic Mast is intended to be used only when the vehicle is stationary and the vehicle parking brake is properly applied. Do not supply input supply voltage or operate the mast system when the vehicle is in motion. The mast shall remain in the powered-down, nested position during vehicle motion. Contact The Will-Burt Company with any questions on the intended use or available training programs for installation and operation.

## 3.2 Definition of Terms

Throughout this manual, the following terms are used:

- Mast refers to the telescoping Pneumatic Mast
- **Mast System** refers to the entire Pneumatic Mast system (telescoping mast, pneumatic system, mounting hardware, and additional accessories)
- Payload refers to the object or equipment being raised by the mast to an operational height

See Section 10.1 for an Extended Glossary of Terms used within this manual. The Extended Glossary of Terms includes:

- General Terms and Abbreviations (Section 10.1.1)
- Mounting Position Terms (Section 10.1.2)



## 3.3 Major Components

This section describes major components of a mast system assuming the use of standard catalog mast systems. Characteristics of components customized to meet customer-specific needs may vary. If necessary, contact The Will-Burt Company for additional details.

Major components of the Pneumatic Mast include:

- Telescoping Mast
  - Hardware Bag
  - Drain Kit (P/N: 902982)
  - Magnetic Warning Kit
  - Mast Top Cover (P/N: 902989 or P/N: 5063501)
  - Identification Plate (P/N: 902851)
  - Label Kit
- Pneumatic System Options (Sold Separately)
  - Air Compressors
  - Filter Regulator Lubricator (P/N: 900484)
  - Filter Lubricator (P/N: 900634)
  - Solenoid Air Valve Kit
  - Hand Pump (P/N: 5050101)
- Mounting Hardware Options (Sold Separately)
  - Base Plate Options
    - Non-Rotatable Base Plates
    - Rotatable Hardware Kits
    - Field Mount and Dog Dish Base Plates
  - Support Bracket Options
    - Internal (Roof) Mounting Kit
    - External Support Bracket
  - Shelf Bracket
- Payload Platforms and Stub Adaptors (Sold Separately)
- Guy Line Kit Options (Sold Separately)
- Additional Accessories Options (Sold Separately)



## 3.3.1 Telescoping Mast

There are three major types of telescoping mast described in this manual (Figure 3-1):

- Non-Locking masts which must remain pressurized to support the payload at an extended height. Allowing depressurization allows the mast and payload to lower.
- Locking masts with T-Handle Yoke Assemblies which are depressurized once the desired tubes are raised and locked into position. The locks support the payload.
- Locking masts with trip lines which allow the mast to be guyed as it is being extended, and are depressurized once the desired tubes are raised and locked into position.

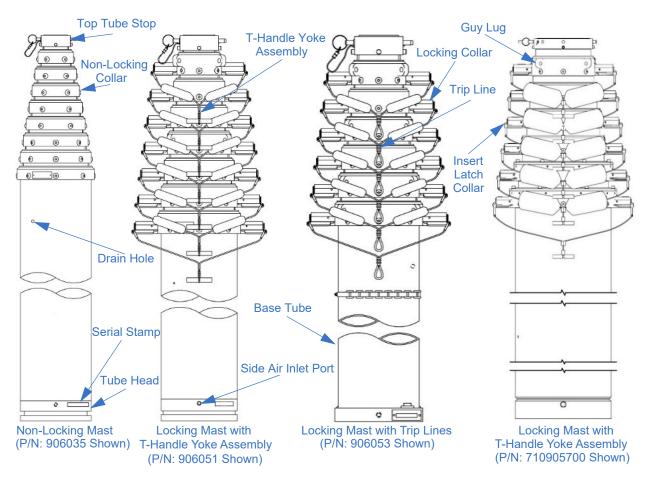


Figure 3-1 Telescoping Masts (Not to Scale)



The telescoping mast:

- Is the structure used to raise the payload to an operational height
- Consists of concentric, nesting mast tubes
- Extends and retracts pneumatically
- Can be non-locking or locking
- Can be non-rotating or rotating

The mast has:

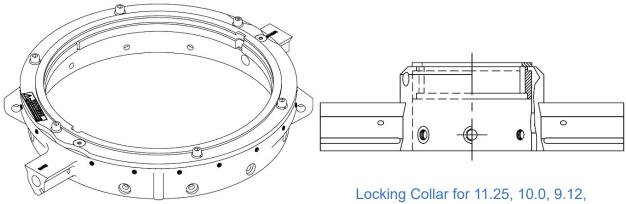
- Collars fitted to the top end of each tube except the top tube which is fitted with a top tube stop.
- Has a top tube stop that allows for the payload platform to be rotated by 180°.
- Two rectangular keys along each tube, except the base tube. These keys align with keyways in the next larger adjacent tube's collar and are used to establish azimuth (rotational) integrity between the tubes.

Items shipping with the mast include:

- Hardware Bag
- Drain Kit (P/N: 902982)
- Magnetic Warning Kit
- Mast Top Cover (P/N: 902989 or P/N: 5063501)
- Identification Plate (Ships installed on mast)
- Label Kit (Labels ship installed on the mast and with the manual)

Ultra Heavy Duty Locking Collars (Figure 3-2):

- Have T-Handle Yoke Assemblies to aid in operating the locking mechanisms.
- Include guy lugs on every collar to allow guy lines to be attached.
- Use super pins which are three times as strong as universal pins in the locking mechanism to resist downward forces applied by the guy lines.



Locking Collar for 13.5 and 12.375 Mast Sections Figure 3-2 Locking Collars (Not to Scale)



### 3.3.1.1 Hardware Bag

The mast system includes a  $4 \times 6$  inch (102 x 152 mm) plain plastic hardware bag. Depending on the specific installation application, all hardware may not be used.

Standard Duty masts ship standard with hardware bag P/N: 913963.

Heavy Duty and Super Heavy Duty masts ship standard with hardware bag P/N: 902853.

Ultra Heavy Duty masts ship standard with hardware bag P/N: 5032501.

The contents of the hardware bag (Figure 3-3) are used to:

- Secure the base plate to the mast:
  - (4) Screw 3/8-16 x 1 Flathead Stainless Steel (P/N: 2772)
  - (Ultra Heavy Duty): (4) Screw <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>-13x1.25 flathead stainless steel (P/N: 5402)
- Secure the base plate to a mounting surface:
  - (4) Bolt <sup>3</sup>/<sub>8</sub>-16 x 1-<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> Inch, Stainless Steel (P/N: 901594)
  - (4) Flat Washer, <sup>3</sup>/<sub>8</sub> Inch, Stainless Steel (P/N: 2054)
  - (4) Lock Washer, <sup>3</sup>/<sub>8</sub> Inch, Stainless Steel (P/N: 0801)
  - (4) Nut <sup>3</sup>/<sub>8</sub>-16 Inch, Hex, Heavy Duty, Stainless Steel (P/N: 901593)

Note: Ultra Heavy Duty masts ship with (6) of each of the hardware the listed above (secure the base plate to a mounting surface).

- Protect the mast from over-pressurization:
  - (1) Safety Valve:
    - For Hardware Bag 913963: <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Inch NPT, 35 PSI (P/N: 913961)
    - For Hardware Bag 902853: <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Inch NPT, 55 PSI (P/N: 913962)
    - For Hardware Bag 5032501: <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Inch NPT, 35 PSI (P/N: 913961)

Note: Do not operate mast without safety valve properly installed

- Drain water and connect to the air supply line:
  - (2) Close Nipple <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Inch Brass (P/N: 900508)
    - (1) Brass Cross (P/N: 900516)
  - (1) Drain Cock #64-T (P/N: 900382)
  - For Hardware Bag 902853:
    - (1) ¾ x ¼ Inch Reducing Bushing, 125 lb. Red Brass, NPT (P/N: 900522) (Used for Heavy Duty Masts)
    - (1) Threaded Hex Bushing <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>-<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> Inch NPT Brass (P/N: 912293) (Used for Super Heavy Duty Masts)
  - For Hardware Bag 5032501:
    - (1) <sup>3</sup>/<sub>8</sub> x <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> inch reducing bushing, 125 lb. red brass, NPT (P/N: 900522)
    - (1) Threaded hex bushing  $\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{3}{8}$  inch NPT brass (P/N: 4097601)



These components ship in the parts bag (not shown).

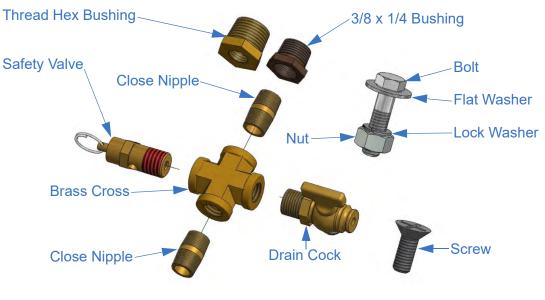


Figure 3-3 Contents of Hardware Bag

## 3.3.1.2 Drain Kit

The Drain Kit provides a means to route draining water away from the mast by attaching one end of the Drain Kit to the drain hole and the other end outside the mounting structure area. Water that has accumulated in the mast should be periodically drained, particularly after the mast has been exposed to rain, in order to prevent damage.

The Drain Kit (Figure 3-4) includes:

- (1) Washer 3/8 Inch, ID x 3/4, OD x 1/16 Thick (P/N: 900555)
- (1) Lock Nut <sup>1</sup>/<sub>8</sub> Inch Brass (P/N: 900556)
- (1) <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Inch Hose Adaptor (P/N: 900564)
- (1) <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Inch Bulkhead Fitting (P/N: 900565)
- 8 Feet (2.4 m), 1/4 Inch (6.35 mm) ID, Clear Polyethylene Tube (P/N: 900566)
- (1) Service Sheet 414 (P/N: 4306601) (Not shown)
- (1) Polyethylene Bag 11 x 18, 2 MILS (P/N: 4306301) (Not shown)

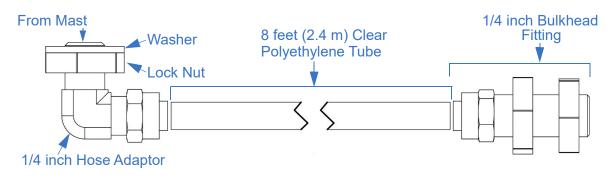


Figure 3-4 Drain Kit (P/N: 902982)



## 3.3.1.3 Magnetic Warning Kit

The Magnetic Warning Kit (Table 3-1) is a system designed to warn against moving a vehicle while the mast is partially or fully extended. The operator should always visually confirm that the mast is entirely retracted before moving the vehicle.

The Magnetic Warning Kit is packaged in a brown cardboard box, and in general includes the:

- Clamp which is a thin strip of coiled metal used to brace the switch assembly against the base tube
- Magnet which is cylindrical and covered with a wax-like coating
- Switch assembly which is attached to a small, rectangular casing
- Labels which are gray
- Flasher which has a cylindrical metal casing and is packaged in a rectangular box
- Two red plastic lights

(Table 3-1) lists the standard Magnetic Warning Kits for each mast model.

#### **Magnetic Warning Kit** Mast Model(s) Table/Figure 10-38, 7-42, 8.5-48, 12-48, 9-50, 8.5-52, 9.5-56, P/N: 904314 Table 3-2 9-58, 10-60, 10.3-60, and 10.8-76 P/N: 903523 5-20 Table 3-2 P/N: 903524 8-30 Table 3-3 P/N: 903525 6-25 and 7-30 Table 3-3 6-27 and 7-34 Table 3-3 P/N: 903598 P/N: 5450001 11.3-59 and 14.3-80 Figure 3-5 8-39 P/N: 5450002 Figure 3-5 P/N: 5450003 9.8-65.6 Figure 3-5 Note: Mast Models 14.5-80 and 15.7-100 ship standard without a Magnetic Warning Kit.

#### Table 3-1 Magnetic Warning Kits



#	Description	Quantity	
1	Clamp	1	
2	Magnet Assembly	1	
3	Switch Label	1	
4	Notice Label	1	
5	Warning Label	1	
6	Flasher	1	
7	Light	2	I MATTER AT UNDER
8	Relay	1	
9	Carton (Not Shown)	1	· · · ·

Table 3-2 Magnetic Warning Kit

### Table 3-3 Magnetic Warning Kit

#	Description	Quantity	
1	Notice Label	1	
2	Magnet Assembly	1	
3	Switch	1	
4	Switch Bracket	1	
5	Flasher	1	
6	Light	2	5 6 2
7	Clamp	1	
8	Nut	2	7 10
9	Lock Washer	2	MAST EXTENSION MAGNETIC WARDENG
10	Warning Label	1	3,4,8 &9
11	Carton (Not Shown)	1	



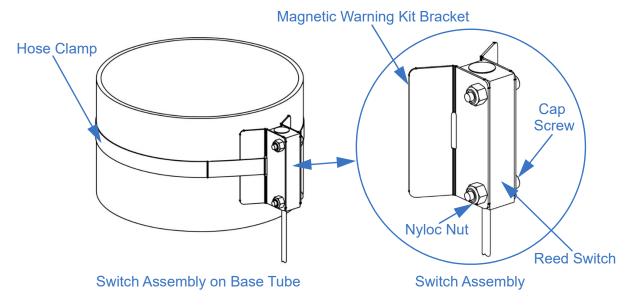


Figure 3-5 Magnetic Warning Kit

### 3.3.1.4 Mast Top Cover (P/N: 902989 or P/N: 5063501)

The mast top cover comes standard with locking masts. The mast top cover may be ordered separately for Non-Locking masts.

The mast top cover is:

- A large bag with draw strings
- Pulled over the collars of a fully retracted mast to help protect the locking mechanism and interior of the mast from water, dust, debris, and other foreign material when the mast is not in use



Figure 3-6 Mast Top Cover (P/N: 5063501 Shown)



## 3.3.1.5 Identification Plate

Information pertaining to the mast can be found on the identification plate(s) secured to the base tube collar. Standard Duty masts have two identification plates (P/N: 902852 and P/N: 914098) (Figure 3-7 and Figure 3-8). Heavy Duty, Super Heavy Duty, and Ultra Heavy Duty masts have one identification plate (P/N: 902851) (Figure 3-9).

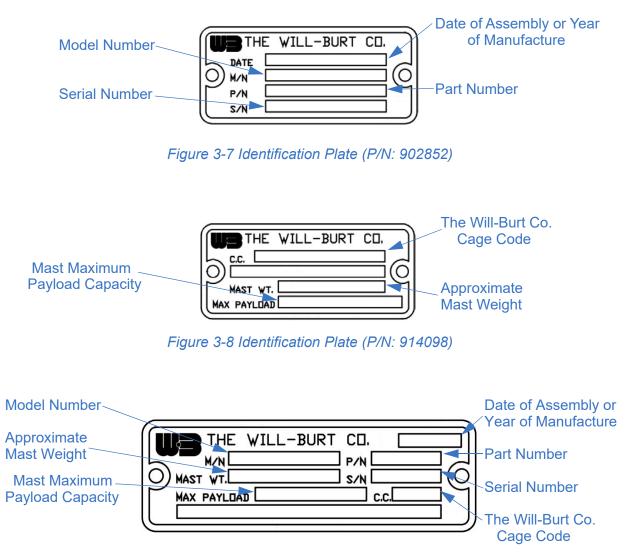


Figure 3-9 Identification Plate (P/N: 902851)

### 3.3.1.6 Label Kit

The Label Kit is used to identify potential hazards within the mast system. Some of the labels come installed on the mast system. Additional labels are provided with the operating instructions (this document). These labels should be applied where the operator will have a clear view of them while operating the mast.

Contact The Will-Burt Company for information pertaining to alternate language label kits.



## 3.3.2 **Pneumatic System Options (Sold Separately)**

The pneumatic system refers to a means of safely controlling the pressurization and depressurization of the mast. Components in the hardware bag (Section 3.3.1.1) are provided to connect the air supply to the mast through an air inlet port. The air inlet port configuration will vary based on the mast system configuration. A CE rated pneumatic system shall be selected for use in European Member States.

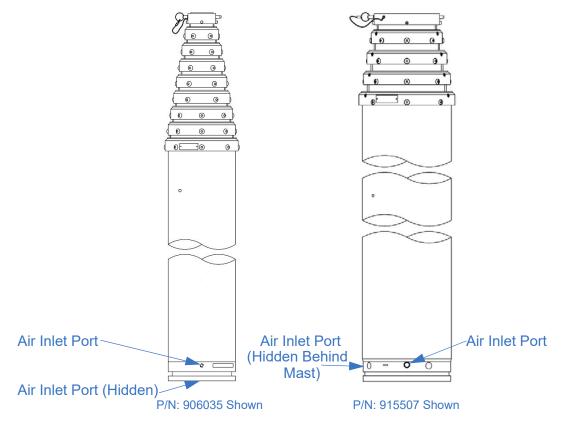
In general, air inlet ports for Standard Duty and Heavy Duty masts are as follows (Figure 3-10):

- (1) Side Air Inlet Port
- (1) Bottom Air Inlet Port

In general, air inlet ports for Super Heavy Duty and Ultra Heavy Duty masts are as follows (Figure 3-10):

- (1) Front Air Inlet Port
- (1) Rear Air Inlet Port

Some mast system configurations only have one air inlet port.



#### Figure 3-10 Air Inlet Ports (Images Not to Scale)

If desired, swivel fittings (P/N: 900481 and P/N: 900483) are available for use with the bottom air inlet port.



Possible options for the pneumatic system include:

- Air Compressors
- Filter Regulator Lubricator (P/N: 900484)
- Filter Lubricator (P/N: 900634)
- Solenoid Air Valve Kits
- Hand Pump (P/N: 5050101)

### 3.3.2.1 Air Compressors

The Will-Burt Company offers a variety of low-maintenance, oil-less air compressor systems, including those listed in Table 3-4.

Functional Characteristic	Specification	
12 VDC Compressor (P/N: 5058501)*	(CE Rated for use in EU)	
System Weight	29.8 lb. (13.5 kg)	
Dimensions (W x H x D)	8 x 11.6 x 11.7 inches (203 x 295 x 298 mm)	
Operating Temperature Range	-4 to 122°F (-20 to 50°C)	
Air Flow	6.1 CFM (173 LPM)	
Current Draw at 2.4 Bar	55 Amps	
Check Valve Cut Out	32 ± 2 psi	
24 VDC Compressor (P/N: 5058502)* (CE Rated for use in EU)		
System Weight	29.8 lb. (13.5 kg)	
Dimensions (W x H x D)	8 x 11.6 x 11.7 inches (203 x 295 x 298 mm)	
Operating Temperature Range	-4 to 122°F (-20 to 50°C)	
Air Flow	6.7 CFM (191 LPM)	
Current Draw at 2.4 Bar	30 Amps	
Check Valve Cut Out	32 ± 2 psi	
230 VAC 50Hz/60Hz Compressor (P/N: 5255801)* (CE Rated for use in EU)		
System Weight	36.4 lb. (16.5 kg)	
Dimensions (W x H x D)	8 x 11.6 x 11.9 inches (203 x 295 x 302 mm)	
Operating Temperature Range	-4 to 122°F (-20 to 50°C)	
Air Flow	6.5 CFM (185 LPM)	
Current Draw at 2.4 Bar	5.1 Amps	

#### Table 3-4 Air Compressor Specifications



#### Table 3-4 Air Compressor Specifications (Continued)

Functional Characteristic	Specification		
Check Valve Cut Out	32 ± 2 psi		
110 VAC 50Hz/60Hz Compressor (P/	N: 5255802)* (CE Rated for use in EU)		
System Weight	25.4 lb. (11.5 kg)		
Dimensions (W x H x D)	8 x 11.6 x 11.9 inches (203 x 295 x 302 mm)		
Operating Temperature Range	-4 to 122°F (-20 to 50°C)		
Air Flow	6.5 CFM (185 LPM)		
Current Draw at 2.4 Bar	10 Amps		
Check Valve Cut Out	32 ± 2 psi		
110 VAC 60Hz Compressor (P/N: 902404)**			
System Weight	45 lb. (20.4 kg)		
Dimensions (W x H x D)	15 x 8.91 x 11.61 inches (381 x 227 x 295 mm)		
Operating Temperature Range	50° to 104°F (10° to 40°C)		
Air Flow	4.4 CFM (125 LPM)		
Current Draw at 2.4 Bar	10.6 Amp		
Check Valve Cut Out	32 ± 2 psi		
220 VAC 60Hz Compressor (P/N: 912361)**			
System Weight	45 lb. (20.4 kg)		
Dimensions (W x H x D)	15 x 8.91 x 11.61 (381 x 227 x 295 mm)		
Operating Temperature Range	50° to 104°F (10° to 40°C)		
Air Flow	3.6 CFM (101 LPM)		
Current Draw at 2.4 Bar	5.3 Amp		
Check Valve Cut Out	32 ± 2 psi		
* Includes a Hand-Held Remote Control (optional 16 feet (5 m) extension cable (P/N: 5346601) available)			
** Includes in-line manual Air Control Valve			
Note: Specifications provided are for reference only and may be subject to change without notice			



## 3.3.2.2 Filter Regulator Lubricator (P/N: 900484)

A filter regulator lubricator (Figure 3-11) is available for use with the following air compressors:

- 110 VAC Air Compressor (P/N: 902404)
- 220 VAC Air Compressor (P/N: 912361)



Figure 3-11 Filter Regulator Lubricator (P/N: 900484)

### 3.3.2.3 Filter Lubricator (P/N: 900634)

A filter lubricator (Figure 3-12) is available for use with the following air compressors:

- 110 VAC Air Compressor (P/N: 902404)
- 220 VAC Air Compressor (P/N: 912361)

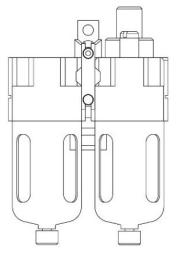


Figure 3-12 Filter Lubricator (P/N: 900634)



### 3.3.2.4 Solenoid Air Valve Kits

The Will-Burt Company offers the following Solenoid Air Valve Kits (Figure 3-13):

- 110 VAC Solenoid Air Valve Kit (P/N: 911145) for use with Air Compressor P/N: 902404
- 220 VAC Solenoid Air Valve Kit (P/N: 5079301) for use with Air Compressor P/N: 912361

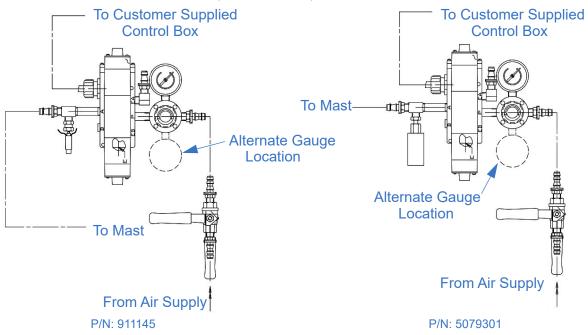


Figure 3-13 Solenoid Air Valve Kits

A Hand-Held Remote Controller (HHRC) (P/N: 912247) (Figure 3-14) is available with these Solenoid Air Valve Kits.



Figure 3-14 Hand-Held Remote Controller (P/N: 912247)



# 3.3.2.5 Hand Pump (P/N: 5050101)

The hand pump (Table 3-5) is used to deploy the mast where electric or pneumatic power is not available.

#### Features:

- Constructed of steel and aluminum
- Pumps air in both downward and upward stroke
- Operates between -4°F and 140°F (-20°C and 60°C)

The hand pump includes:

- (1) Hand Pump (P/N: 5050001)
- 6 feet (1.8 m) of Air Hose (P/N: 108768)
- (2) Push Connector Fittings (P/N: 4024001)



Table 3-5 Hand Pump (5050001 Shown)

# 3.3.3 Mounting Hardware Options (Sold Separately)

Mounting hardware is used to secure the mast in place.

Possible options for the mounting hardware include:

- Base Plate Options
  - Non-Rotatable Base Plates
  - Rotatable Hardware Kits
  - Field Mount and Dog Dish Base Plates
- Support Bracket Options
  - Internal (Roof) Mounting Kit
  - External Support Bracket
- Shelf Bracket



## 3.3.3.1 Base Plate Options

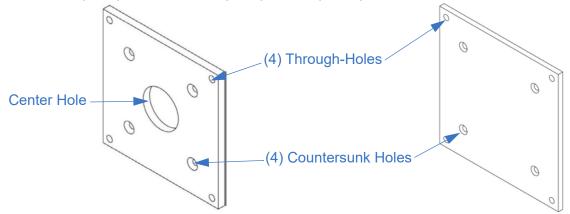
The base plate is used to stabilize the mast and to provide a means of securing the mast to a mounting surface.

Base plate options include:

- Non-Rotatable Base Plates
- Rotatable Hardware Kits
- Field Mount and Dog Dish Base Plates

#### **Non-Rotatable Base Plates**

The non-rotatable base plate is used to stabilize the mast and to provide a means of securing the mast to a mounting surface. The non-rotatable base plate (Figure 3-15) is a square plate with countersunk holes that match threaded holes on the base tube. Non-rotatable base plates for Standard Duty and Heavy Duty masts typically have a hole in the center of the base plate to allow for the option of routing air to the bottom of the base tube. Non-rotatable base plates for Super Heavy Duty and Ultra Heavy Duty masts typically do not have the center hole.



#### Figure 3-15 Non-Rotatable Base Plate (P/N: 902044 (Left) and P/N: 4995301 (Right) Shown)

Screws from the hardware bag (Section 3.3.1.1) can be used to attach the non-rotating base plate to the base of the mast. Bolts, nuts, and washers from the hardware bag are sized for the through-holes in the corners of the base plate so the mast can be secured to a mounting surface.

For more information on non-rotatable base plate options, see www.willburt.com.



#### **Rotatable Hardware Kits**

In addition to stabilizing and securing the mast to a mounting surface, the rotatable base plate (Figure 3-16) and turning handles (Figure 3-17) enable the mast to be rotated. The exact configuration of the rotatable base plate may vary.

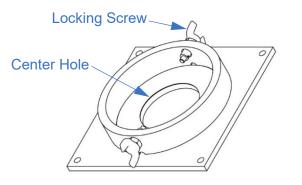


Figure 3-16 Rotatable Base Plate Assembly (P/N: 5074601 Shown)

In general, the Rotatable Hardware Kit includes:

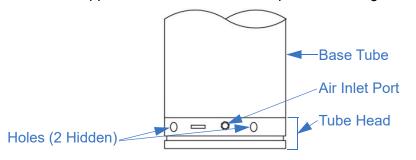
- A Rotatable Base Plate Assembly
- A Turning Handles Assembly
- An Instruction Sheet

The Turning Handles Assembly:

- Wraps around the base tube and is secured with hardware included in the kit
- Aids the operator in rotating the mast into position

A hole in the center of the rotatable base plate (Figure 3-16) allows the option of routing air to the bottom of the base tube.

Note: The Rotatable Base Plate Assembly for a Super Heavy Duty mast does not use turning handles. Instead, rotating Super Heavy Duty masts have four holes spaced 90° apart in the tube head where a customer-supplied rod can be inserted to provide leverage to turn the mast.



*Figure 3-18 Bottom of Rotatable Super Heavy Duty Mast (P/N: 909426 Shown)* 

For more information on Rotatable Hardware Kit options, see www.willburt.com.

Figure 3-17 Turning Handles Assembly (P/N: 908174 Shown)



#### Field Mount and Dog Dish Base Plates

In addition to the standard non-rotating and rotating base plates, The Will-Burt Company also offers field mount base plates (Figure 3-19) and dog dish base plates (Figure 3-20).

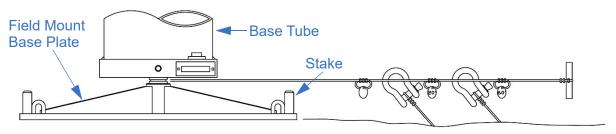


Figure 3-19 Field Mount Plate (Base Plate P/N: 903403 Shown)

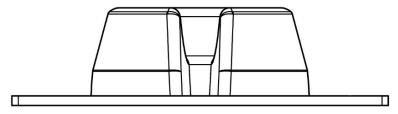


Figure 3-20 Dog Dish Base Plate (P/N: 4201401 Shown)

These base plates are typically:

- Used for field applications
- Guyed at the base tube, eliminating the need for a support bracket (Section 3.3.3.2)
- Used with taller masts

For more information on the installation and operation of these base plate options, contact The Will-Burt Company.





# 3.3.3.2 Support Bracket Options

The support bracket is used to secure the mast to a support structure.

The support bracket can be an:

- Internal (Roof) Mounting Kit
- External Support Bracket

#### Internal (Roof) Mounting Kit

The Internal Mounting Kit (Figure 3-21) contains the hardware used to position and support an internally mounted mast. Internal Mounting Kits are available for both non-rotatable and rotatable masts. Customer-supplied 1/4 inch (M6) bolts, lock washers, and hex nuts shall be used as fasteners. Bolt length depends on the specific application and is to be determined by the customer.

Internal Mounting Kits for Standard Duty and Heavy Duty masts include:

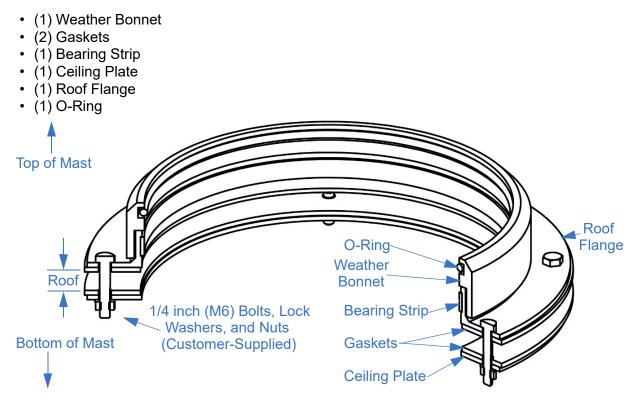


Figure 3-21 Internal Mounting Kit for Standard Duty and Heavy Duty Masts (P/N: 905733 Shown)



Internal Mounting Kits for non-rotating Super Heavy Duty masts include:

• (1) Roof Ring • (2) Gaskets • (1) Bearing Strip • (1) Ceiling Plate • (1) Retaining Ring • (1) O-Ring **Retaining Ring** Top of Mast Π ٣ **Roof Ring** Γ O-Ring Roof **Bearing Strip** Gaskets-Bottom of Mast **Ceiling Plate** 

Figure 3-22 Internal Mounting Kit for Non-Rotating Super Heavy Duty Masts (P/N: 910784 Shown)

Internal Mounting Kits for rotating Super Heavy Duty masts have the same components as the Internal Mounting Kits for non-rotating masts, but remove the O-Ring and add the flashing kit.

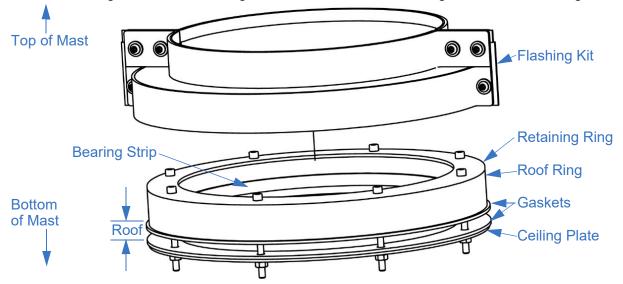


Figure 3-23 Internal Mounting Kit for Rotating Super Heavy Duty Masts (P/N: 4915901 Shown)



Internal Mounting Kits for the Ultra Heavy Duty include:

- (1) Roof Ring
- (2) Gaskets
- (1) Bearing Strip
- (1) Ceiling Plate
- (1) Retaining Ring
- (1) O-Ring
- (8) <sup>3</sup>/<sub>8</sub>-16x3.50 Bolts
- (16) %x1.0 Flat Washers
- (8) 3/8-16 Nyloc Nuts

Note: Included hardware is sized for a 1/4 inch (6.35 mm) roof. If a thicker roof is present, the customer must supply appropriate hardware.

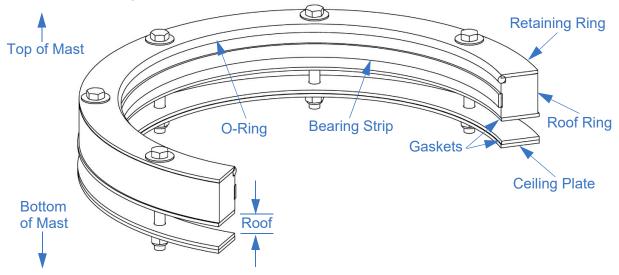


Figure 3-24 Ultra Heavy Duty Locking Internal Mounting Kit (P/N: 5476101)

For more information on Internal Mounting Kits options, see www.willburt.com.



#### External Support Bracket

The external support bracket assembly (Figure 3-25) is used to position and support the mast.

The external support bracket is constructed from:

- (1) Support bracket weldment which positions the support brackets away from the support structure
- (2) Support bracket clamps which close around the base tube and are bolted together to hold the mast against the mounting structure
- Bearing strips attached inside the support brackets which protects the base tube from being scraped by the support brackets and allows the mast to be rotated
- Hardware to secure the assembly together

Note: External support brackets for masts 9 inch (229 mm) base tube diameters have a brace across the stand-off.

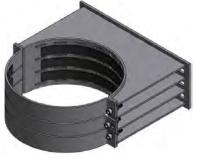


Figure 3-25 Standard Duty and Heavy Duty External Support Bracket (P/N: 4443601 Shown)

If the support bracket is too tight and hindering rotation processes, customer-provided shims may need to be added to allow for slight variation.

External support brackets are also available for Super Heavy Duty masts (Figure 3-26).





P/N: 4894901 Shown

Figure 3-26 Super Heavy Duty External Support Brackets



External support brackets are also available for Ultra Heavy Duty masts (Figure 3-27). Ultra Heavy Duty support brackets contain shims and a washer plate which are used to allow for slight variation between mast tubes.

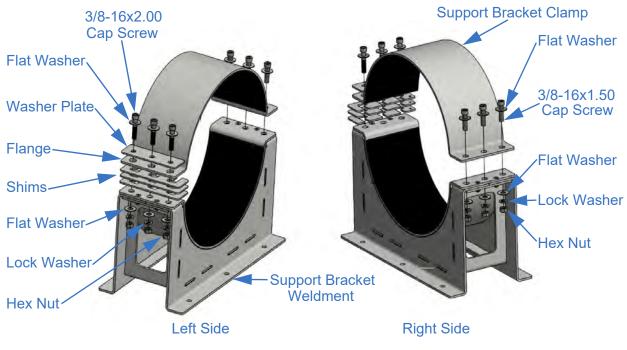


Figure 3-27 Ultra Heavy Duty External Support Bracket (P/N: 4989201 Shown)

For more information on external support bracket options, see www.willburt.com.

### 3.3.3.3 Shelf Bracket

The shelf bracket can be bolted into a support structure and used to position and support an externally mounted mast. Shelf brackets are available for use with both non-rotatable base plates and rotatable base plates and for various sized masts. When using the shelf bracket, the shelf bracket becomes the mounting surface for the base plate.

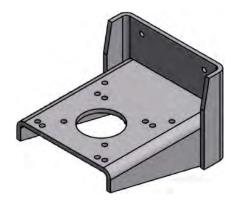


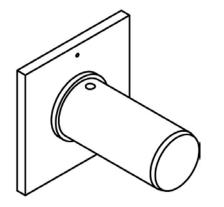
Figure 3-28 Shelf Bracket (P/N: 4434101 Shown)

For more information on the shelf bracket options, see www.willburt.com.

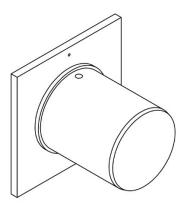


## 3.3.4 Payload Platforms and Stub Adaptors (Sold Separately)

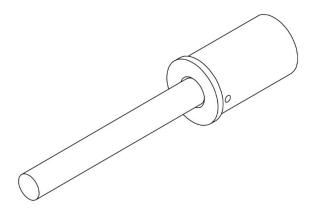
Payload platforms and stub adaptors (Figure 3-29) attach to the top of the mast and are used to secure and support the payload during operation. Payload platforms and stub adaptors come in varying sizes and configurations. It is possible to guy directly to some payload platforms and stub adaptors.



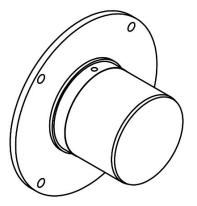
Payload Platform (P/N: 915343 Shown)



Payload Platform (P/N: 4051601 Shown)



Stub Adaptor (P/N: 910353 Shown)



Payload Platform (P/N: 4079501 Shown)



Payload Platform (P/N: 5002501 Shown) Figure 3-29 Payload Platform Examples (Not to Scale)



Payload platforms are available both with through-holes to allow for quick installation of customer payloads, and without through-holes to allow the customer to drill through-holes to match payload-specific mounting hole patterns.

# 3.3.5 Guy Line Kit Options (Sold Separately)

Guy line kits are used to further stabilize the mast by resisting environmental conditions that may cause tip-over and horizontal payload moment. Guy lines attach to guy lugs, which are located on the collars of the mast. Use of a guy line kit is required for the operation of some of the taller model masts (Section 3.3). Use of a guy line kit may be required for customer-specific payloads or to achieve specific survival wind speeds. Consult The Will-Burt Company's engineering.

Note: Not all masts have guy lugs. Before considering a guy line kit, make sure your mast is guy line compatible.

The exact configuration of the guy kit will vary based on the mast configuration and environmental requirements. Some guy kits require a payload platform or stub adaptor that can be directly guyed. Components may include:

- Guy Line Assemblies
- Ground Anchors
- A Ground Anchor location drawing

For additional information on guy kits, see www.willburt.com.



# 3.3.6 Additional Accessory Options

The Will-Burt Company provides a number of additional accessory options (Table 3-6) for the mast system.

Accessory	Used to:
Pneumatic Mast Antifreeze Kit (P/N: 4725801)	Weatherize Pneumatic Masts in extremely harsh environmental conditions.
D-TEC <sup>®</sup> Safety System	Provide overhead power line detection and above the mast illumination.
PositionIt™	Remotely pan and tilt a payload.
Trip Line Kits	Allow a mast to be deployed from the bottom up. Useful when guying tall masts.
Cable Guide Ring Kits	Manage cables, guy lines, and trip lines. Typically used on locking masts.
Yoke Snagger	Enable access to yokes beyond arms reach.
Nycoil <sup>®</sup> Cable Conduit	Manage payload cables. Typically used with non-locking masts.
Nycoil <sup>®</sup> Basket	Manage Nycoil <sup>®</sup> Cable Conduit
Intermediate Tube Clamps	Assist in attaching a payload on an intermediate tube.
External Wipers	Protect against sand and dust.

#### Table 3-6 Additional Accessory Options

For more information on these and other additional accessory options, or customized solutions to customer-specific scenarios, see www.willburt.com.



# 4 **Technical Data**

This section describes specifications for Pneumatic Masts as follows:

- Specifications for all Pneumatic Masts (Section 4.1)
- Standard Duty Non-Locking Masts (Section 4.2)
- Heavy Duty Non-Locking Masts (Section 4.3)
- Heavy Duty Locking Masts (Section 4.4)
- Super Heavy Duty Non-Locking Masts (Section 4.5)
- Super Heavy Duty Locking Masts (Section 4.6)
- Ultra Heavy Duty Locking Masts (Section 4.7)
- Installation Specifications (Section 4.8)

The model numbers listed in this section are for catalog masts with a clear anodized finish only. Masts with other heights, capacities, and finishes are available. For more information on additional mast sizes, capabilities, and finishes, see www.willburt.com.

# 4.1 **Specifications for all Pneumatic Masts**

See Mast Wind Load Capacity (Section 10.4) for wind load specifications for various masts. If the mast model is not listed, contact The Will-Burt Company. If payload extends beyond the boundaries defined for the wind analysis, contact The Will-Burt Company.

Mast Storage Temperature: -40°C to +70°C (-40°F to 158°F)

Maximum Altitude Above Sea Level: 4572 meters (15,000 feet)

Airborn Noise Emissions are as follows per ISO 3744:2010 when compared to a certified similar product. (A-weighted sound pressure level: <70 dB(A); C-weighted instantaneous pres level: <79.7 dB; A-weighted sound power level: 80 dB(A) (note this is for the mast and not the air delivery system).

Refer to Section 10.4 for mast wind load and sail area ratings.

Deployment and retraction wind speeds are payload dependent, however, the mast can typically be deployed and retracted in wind speeds up to 25 mph (40 km/h) when the mast is deployed within the maximum payload and deployment angle specifications. Check with The Will-Burt Company's Engineering team for additional customer specific loading scenarios.



# 4.2 Standard Duty Non-Locking Masts

This section lists specifications for Standard Duty Non-Locking masts.

#### Table 4-1 Standard Duty Non-Locking Mast Part and Model Numbers

*P/N	M/N
906021	5-20
906023	6-27
906025	7-34
906027	8-30

\*Part numbers listed for masts with a clear anodize finish only. Additional finishes and options available.

#### Table 4-2 Standard Duty Non-Locking Mast Specifications

M/N	Payload Capacity	Extended Height	Nested Height	Approx. Mast Weight	No. of Tubes	Tube Diameter
5-20	70 lb.	20′	5′4″	45 lb.	6	5–2.5″
5-20	31.8 kg	6.10 m	1.63 m	21 kg	0	127–64 mm
6-27	40 lb.	26' 10"	6′	54 lb.	7	5–2″
0-27	18.1 kg	8.18 m	1.83 m	25 kg		127–51 mm
8-30	100 lb.	29' 11"	8′	64 lb.	5	5–3″
8-30	45.4 kg	9.12 m	2.44 m	29 kg	5	127–76 mm
7-34	40 lb.	33' 10"	7′	67 lb.	7	5–2″
7-34	18.1 kg	10.31 m	2.13 m	31 kg	1	127–51 mm

Note:

- 1. Tube Diameter listed as Base Tube Diameter Top Tube Diameter
- 2. Dimensions and specifications provided are for reference only and are not intended for vehicle design purposes
- 3. Specifications may be subject to change without notice
- 4. Payload Capacity assumes:
- 12 inch maximum offset payload from mast centerline
- Mast deployment angle is 0° to 5°
- Operating temperature is -20° to 60°C
- Mast maximum pressure of 20 PSIG (1.4 Bar)
- Not applicable to internally wired masts



# 4.3 Heavy Duty Non-Locking Masts

This section lists specifications for Heavy Duty Non-Locking masts.

### Table 4-3 Heavy Duty Non-Locking Mast Part and Model Numbers

*P/N	M/N				
906029	6-25				
906033	7-30				
906035	7-42				
906215	8.5-48				
906037	8.5-52				
906039	9.5-56				
906041 9-58					
*Part numbers listed for masts with a clear anodize finish only. Additional finishes and options available.					



M/N	Payload Capacity	Extended Height	Nested Height	Approx. Mast Weight	No. of Tubes	Tube Diameter
6-25	200 lb.	25′	5′10″	110 lb.	6	6.75–3″
0-25	90.7 kg	7.62 m	1.78 m	50 kg	0	171–76 mm
7-30	200 lb.	29′1″	6'8"	125 lb.	6	6.75–3″
7-30	90.7 kg	8.86 m	2.03 m	57 kg	0	171–76 mm
7-42	200 lb.	41'2"	7′1″	235 lb.	9	9–3″
7-42	90.7 kg	12.55 m	2.16 m	107 kg	9	229–76 mm
8.5-48	300 lb.	48′	8′6″	275 lb.	8	9–3.75″
0.0-40	136.1 kg	14.63 m	2.59 m	125 kg	0	229–95 mm
8.5-52	200 lb.	52′	8′4″	266 lb.	9	9–3″
0.0-02	90.7 kg	15.85 m	2.54 m	121 kg	9	229–76 mm
9.5-56	300 lb.	56'2"	9′6″	296 lb.	8	9–3.75″
9.5-50	136.1 kg	17.12 m	2.90 m	135 kg	0	229–95 mm
9-58	200 lb.	58′	9′	290 lb.	9	9–3″
9-00	90.7 kg	17.68 m	2.74 m	132 kg	6	229–76 mm

#### Table 4-4 Heavy Duty Non-Locking Mast Specifications

Note:

1. Tube Diameter listed as Base Tube Diameter – Top Tube Diameter

- 2. Dimensions and specifications provided are for reference only and are not intended for vehicle design purposes
- 3. Specifications may be subject to change without notice
- 4. Payload Capacity assumes:
- 12 inch maximum offset payload from mast centerline
- Mast deployment angle is 0° to 5°
- Operating temperature is -20° to 60°C
- Mast maximum pressure of 35 PSIG (2.4 Bar)
- · Not applicable to internally wired masts



# 4.4 Heavy Duty Locking Masts

This section lists specifications for Heavy Duty Locking masts.

#### Table 4-5 Heavy Duty Mast Part and Model Numbers

*P/N	M/N
906043	7-30
906045	7-42
906051	10-60
906053	14.5-80

\*Part numbers listed for masts with a clear anodize finish only. Additional finishes and options available.

#### Table 4-6 Heavy Duty Locking Mast Specifications

M/N	Payload Capacity	Extended Height	Nested Height	Approx. Mast Weight	No. of Tubes	Tube Diameter	Collar Type	Guying Required
7-30	200 lb.	29′1″	7′	125 lb.	6	6.75–3″	Locking	Optional
7-50	90.7 kg	8.86 m	2.13 m	57 kg	0	171–76 mm	T-Handles	Optional
7-42	200 lb.	41'3"	7'9"	235 lb.	9	9–3″	Locking	Optional
1-42	90.7 kg	12.57 m	2.36 m	107 kg	9	229–76 mm	T-Handles	Optional
10-60	300 lb.	59'9"	10'1"	330 lb.	8	9–3.75″	Locking	Optional
10-00	136.1 kg	18.21 m	3.07 m	150 kg	0	229–95 mm	T-Handles	Optional
	400 lb.	79′9″	14'3"	416 lb.		9–4.5″	Locking	4 Way
14.5-80	181.4 kg	24.31 m	4.34 m	189 kg	7	229–114 mm	Trip Lines	4 Level

Note:

1. Tube Diameter listed as Base Tube Diameter – Top Tube Diameter

2. Dimensions and specifications provided are for reference only and are not intended for vehicle design purposes

3. Specifications may be subject to change without notice

- 4. Payload Capacity assumes:
- 12 inch maximum offset payload from mast centerline
- Mast deployment angle is 0° to 5° for extended heights 60' and below. 0° to 3° for heights > 60'.
- Operating temperature is -20° to 60°C
- Mast maximum pressure of 35 PSIG (2.4 Bar)
- Not applicable to internally wired masts



# 4.5 Super Heavy Duty Non-Locking Masts

This section lists specifications for Super Heavy Duty Non-Locking masts.

#### Table 4-7 Super Heavy Duty Non-Locking Mast Part and Model Numbers

*P/N	M/N				
915507	10-38				
710904800	12-48				

\*Part numbers listed for masts with a clear anodize finish only. Additional finishes and options available.

#### Table 4-8 Super Heavy Duty Non-Locking Mast Specifications

M/N	Payload Capacity	Extended Height	Nested Height	Approx. Mast Weight	No. of Tubes	Tube Diameter
10-38	1200 lb.	38′	10′	400 lb.	5	11.25–7.5″
10-30	544.3 kg	11.58 m	3.05 m	181 kg	5	285–192 mm
12-48	1200 lb.	47' 11"	12′	475 lb.	5	11.25–7.5″
12-40	544.3 kg	14.61 m	3.66 m	215 kg	5	285–192 mm

Note:

1. Tube Diameter listed as Base Tube Diameter – Top Tube Diameter

- 2. Dimensions and specifications provided are for reference only and are not intended for vehicle design purposes
- 3. Specifications may be subject to change without notice
- 4. Payload Capacity assumes:
  - 12 inch maximum offset payload from mast centerline
  - Mast deployment angle is 0° to 3°
  - Operating temperature is -20° to 60°C
  - Mast maximum pressure of 35 PSIG (2.4 Bar)
  - Not applicable to internally wired masts



# 4.6 Super Heavy Duty Locking Masts

This section lists specifications for Super Heavy Duty Locking masts.

#### Table 4-9 Super Heavy Duty Mast Part and Model Numbers

*P/N	M/N
909959	9-50
909426	10.3-60
910916	10.8-76
912970	15.7-100

\*Part numbers listed for masts with a clear anodize finish only. Additional finishes and options available.

#### Table 4-10 Super Heavy Duty Locking Mast Specifications

M/N	Payload Capacity	Extended Height	Nested Height	Approx. Mast Weight	No. of Tubes	Tube Diameter	Collar Type	Guying Required
9-50	530 lb.	50'5"	9'2"	500 lb.	8	11.25–5.25″	Locking	Optional
9-00	240.4 kg	15.37 m	2.79 m	227 kg	0	286–134 mm	T-Handles	Optional
10.3-60	530 lb.	60'6"	10′5″	500 lb.	- 8	11.25–5.25″	Locking	Optional
10.5-00	240.4 kg	18.44 m	3.18 m	227 kg	0	286–134 mm	T-Handles	Optional
	300 lb.	76'2"	10'9"	536 lb.		11.25–3.75″	Locking T-Handles	4 Way
10.8-76	136.1 kg	23.22 m	3.28 m	245 kg	10	286–96 mm	and Trip Lines	1 Level
15.7-	530 lb.	100′	15'8"	790 lb.	8	11.25–5.25″	Locking	4 Way
100	240.4 kg	30.48 m	4.78 m	361 kg		286–134 mm	Trip Lines	4 Level

Note:

1. Tube Diameter listed as Base Tube Diameter – Top Tube Diameter

2. Dimensions and specifications provided are for reference only and are not intended for vehicle design purposes

3. Specifications may be subject to change without notice

- 4. Payload Capacity assumes:
- 12 inch maximum offset payload from mast centerline
- Mast deployment angle is 0° to 5° for extended heights 60' and below. 0° to 3° for heights > 60'.
- Operating temperature is -20° to 60°C
- Mast maximum pressure of 35 PSIG (2.4 Bar)
- Not applicable to internally wired masts



# 4.7 Ultra Heavy Duty Locking Masts

This section lists specifications for Ultra Heavy Duty Locking masts.

#### Table 4-11 Ultra Heavy Duty Locking Mast Part and Model Numbers

*P/N	M/N
710991201	8-39
710905700	11.3-59
710992000	9.8-65.6
710908000	14.3-80

\*Part numbers listed for masts with a clear anodize finish only. Additional finishes and options available. No wipers.



M/N	Payload Capacity	Extended Height	Nested Height	Approx. Mast Weight	No. of Tubes	Tube Diameter	Collar Type	Guying Required	
8-39	980 lb.	39.3'	7.9′	607 lb.	Q	13.5 – 6.75″	Locking with Super	Optional	
0-39	444 kg	12 m	2.4 m	a 275 kg 8		342.9 – 171.5 mm	Pins	Optional	
11.3-59	1200 lb.	59′	11.3′	814 lb.	7	13.5 – 7.5″	Locking with Super	Optional	
11.3-59	544 kg	18 m	3.4 m	369 kg	1	342.9 – 190.5 mm	Pins	Optional	
9.8-65.6	530 lb.	65.6′	9.8′	852 lb.	10	13.5 – 5.25″	Locking with Super	Optional	
9.0-03.0	240 kg	20 m	3 m	387 kg	10	342.9 – 133.4 mm	Pins	Optional	
14.3-80	1200 lb.	80	14.3' 1078 lb.		7	13.5 – 7.5″	Locking with Super	Required	
14.5-00	544 kg	24.3 m	4.4 m	489 kg	/	342.9 – 190.5 mm	Pins	Required	

#### Table 4-12 Ultra Heavy Duty Locking Mast Specifications

Note:

- 1. Tube Diameter listed as Base Tube Diameter Top Tube Diameter
- 2. Dimensions and specifications provided are for reference only and are not intended for vehicle design purposes
- 3. Specifications may be subject to change without notice
- 4. Payload Capacity assumes:
- 12 inch maximum offset payload from mast centerline
- Mast deployment angle for masts extended up to 60 ft. (18.2 m) is:
  - 0° to 5° for payloads 200 lb. (90.7 kg) or less
  - 0° to 4° for payloads 200 lb. to 800 lb. (90.7 kg to 362.9 kg)
  - 0° to 2° for payloads 800 lb. to 1,200 lb. (362.9 kg to 544.3 kg)
- Mast deployment angle for masts extended 60 ft. to 80 ft. (18.2 m to 24.4 m) is:
  - 0° to 4° for payloads 600 lb. (272.2 kg) or less
- 0° to 1° for payloads 600 to 1,200 lb. (272.2 kg to 544.3 kg)
- Operating temperature is -20° to 60°C
- Mast maximum pressure of 35 PSIG (2.4 Bar)
- Not applicable to internally wired masts



# 4.8 Installation Specifications

This section describes installation specifications as follows:

- Mast Installation Specifications (Section 4.8.1)
- Non-Rotating Base Plate Installation Specifications (Section 4.8.2)
- Rotating Base Plate Installation Specifications (Section 4.8.3)
- Turning Handle Assembly Installation Specifications (Section 4.8.4)
- Internal Mounting Kit Installation Specifications (Section 4.8.5)
- Support Bracket Assembly Installation Specifications (Section 4.8.6)
- Shelf Bracket Assembly Installation Specifications (Section 4.8.7)

Dimensions and specifications provided are for reference only and are not intended for vehicle design purposes. Depending on the mast system and components being used, the exact design of components may vary. Masts with other heights, capacities, and finishes are available. For more information on additional mast sizes, capabilities, and finishes, see www.willburt.com.



# 4.8.1 Mast Installation Specifications

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P/N*	MODEL	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch	mm
			Standard	Duty			
906021	5-20	64	1626	51.8	1316	41.8	1062
906023	6-27	72	1829	58.4	1483	48.3	1227
906025	7-34	84	2134	70.4	1788	60.3	1532
906027	8-30	96	2438	88.4	2245	71.5	1819
		Hea	vy Duty No	on-Locking			
906029	6-25	70	1778	59.8	1519	47.6	1209
906033	7-30	79	2007	69.1	1755	55.3	1405
906035	7-42	85	2159	69.1	1755	49.6	1260
906215	8.5-48	103	2616	89.0	2261	73.6	1869
906037	8.5-52	99	2515	83.5	2121	64.0	1626
906039	9.5-56	113	2870	99.0	2515	79.5	2019
906041	9-58	107	2718	91.5	2324	72.0	1829
		н	eavy Duty	Locking			
906043	7-30	84	2134	68.3	1735	55.3	1405
906045	7-42	92	2337	68.4	1737	49.6	1260
906051	10-60	122	3099	101.1	2568	82.4	2093
906053	14.5-80	171	4343	152.5	3874	129.7	3294
		Super I	leavy Duty	Non-Lock	ing	<u>.</u>	
915507	10-38	119	3023	110.1	2797	86.3	2192
710904800	12-48	143	3658	133.9	3401	110.2	2799
		Supe	r Heavy Du	uty Locking	3		
909959	9-50	110	2794	89.6	2276	66.5	1689
909426	10.3-60	125	3175	104.6	2657	81.5	2070
910916	10.8-76	131	3327	104.6	2657	81.5	2070
912970	15.7-100	187	4750	166.6	4232	143.5	3645

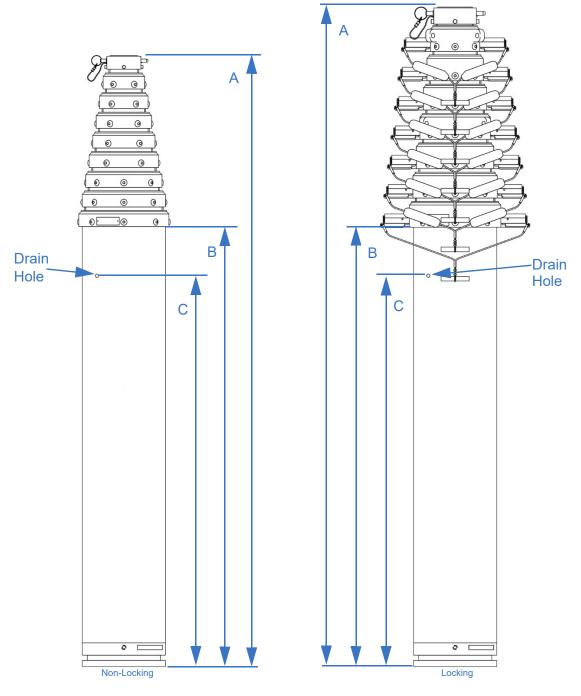
### Table 4-13 Mast Installation Specifications



### Table 4-13 Mast Installation Specifications (Continued)

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P/N*	MODEL	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch	mm					
	1		Ultra Heav	y Duty								
710991201	8-39 (2.4-12 m)	95	2413	74 11/16	1897	48 11/16	1237					
710905700	11.3-59 (3.4-18 m)	135 13/16	3450	108 ¾	2762	91 13/16	2332					
710992000	9.8-65.6 (3-20 m)	118	2997	91 ¾	2330	66 ¾	1686					
710908000	710908000       14.3-80 (4.4-24 m)       172       4363       153.74       3901       127.76       3245											
* Part Numbe	ers for clear ar	nodized finis	sh. Addition	al finishes a	are availabl	e.						









### 4.8.2 Non-Rotating Base Plate Installation Specifications

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Base Tube	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch	mm
5	5	127	4.25	108	7/16	11	0.5	12.7	4.0	101.6
6 ¾	6 ¾	171	5 ¾	146	7/16	11	0.5	12.7	4.75	120.65
9	9	229	8	203	7/16	11	0.5	12.7	7.0	177.8
11 ¼	12	305	11	279	9/16	14	0.5	12.7	9.5	241.3
13.5	13.5	343	12	305	9/16	14	0.5	12.7	11.5	292
	Tube           5           6 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> 9           11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	Base Tube         inch           5         5           6 <sup>3</sup> ⁄ <sub>4</sub> 6 <sup>3</sup> ⁄ <sub>4</sub> 9         9           11 <sup>1</sup> ⁄ <sub>4</sub> 12	Tube         Incn         Innn           5         5         127           6 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> 6 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> 171           9         9         229           11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> 12         305	Base Tube         inch         mm         inch           5         5         127         4.25           6 <sup>3</sup> /4         6 <sup>3</sup> /4         171         5 <sup>3</sup> /4           9         9         229         8           11 <sup>1</sup> /4         12         305         111	Base rube         inch         mm         inch         mm           5         5         127         4.25         108           6 <sup>3</sup> /4         6 <sup>3</sup> /4         171         5 <sup>3</sup> /4         146           9         9         229         8         203           11 <sup>1</sup> /4         12         305         11         279	Base rube         inch         mm         inch         mm         inch           5         5         127         4.25         108         7/16           6 <sup>3</sup> /4         6 <sup>3</sup> /4         171         5 <sup>3</sup> /4         146         7/16           9         9         229         8         203         7/16           11 <sup>1</sup> /4         12         305         11         279         9/16	Base Tube         inch         mm         inch         mm         inch         mm           5         5         127         4.25         108         7/16         11           6 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> 6 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> 171         5 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> 146         7/16         11           9         9         229         8         203         7/16         11           11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> 12         305         11         279         9/16         14	Base Tubeinchmminchmminchmminch551274.251087/16110.5 $6^{3/4}$ $6^{3/4}$ 171 $5^{3/4}$ 1467/16110.59922982037/16110.511 $\frac{1}{4}$ 12305112799/16140.5	Base Ube         inch         mm         inch         inch         mm         inch         mm         inch         inch         mm         inch         inch <th< td=""><td>Base Tubeinchmminchmminchmminchmminch551274.251087/16110.512.74.06<math>^{3}{4}</math>6<math>^{3}{4}</math>1715<math>^{3}{4}</math>1467/16110.512.74.759922982037/16110.512.77.011<math>^{1}{4}</math>12305112799/16140.512.79.5</td></th<>	Base Tubeinchmminchmminchmminchmminch551274.251087/16110.512.74.06 $^{3}{4}$ 6 $^{3}{4}$ 1715 $^{3}{4}$ 1467/16110.512.74.759922982037/16110.512.77.011 $^{1}{4}$ 12305112799/16140.512.79.5

#### Table 4-14 Non-Rotating Base Plate Installation Specifications

\* Part Numbers for clear anodized finish. Additional finishes are available.

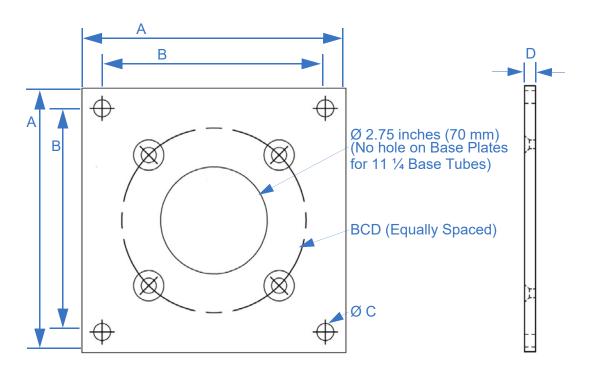


Figure 4-2 Non-Rotating Base Plate Installation Specifications (P/N: 902491 Shown)





### 4.8.3 Rotating Base Plate Installation Specifications

		A	•	E	3	(	;	Γ	)	Est.	Weight
P/N*	Base Tube	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch	mm	lb.	kg
902492	5	8	203	7	178	0.38	9.7	0.4	10	8.6	3.9
902364	6 ¾	9 ¾	248	8.7	222	0.38	9.7	0.4	10	12.4	5.6
902344	9	12	305	11	279	0.38	9.7	0.4	10	20.5	9.3
909983	11 ¼	13	330	11	279	0.50	12.7	0.56	14	12.1	5.5

#### Table 4-15 Rotating Base Plate Installation Specifications

\* Part Numbers for the Base Plate only and does not include Turning Handles. Part Numbers for 5, 6 ¾, and 9 inch Base Plates are for white powder coat finish. Part Number for 11 ¼ inch Base Plate is for clear anodize finish. Additional finishes are available. The appearance of the 11 ¼ Base Plate will be slightly different.

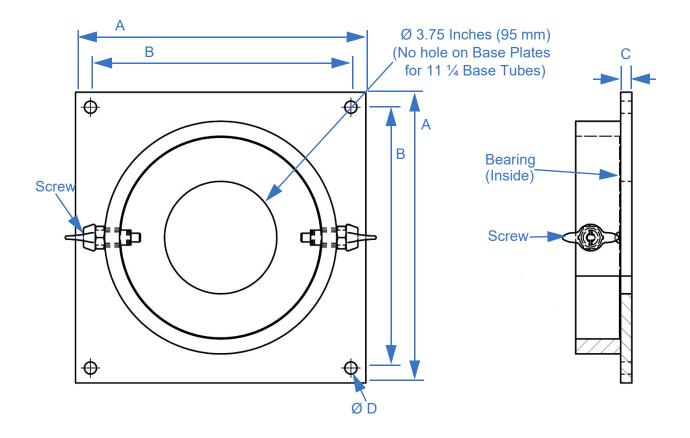


Figure 4-3 Rotating Base Plate Installation Specifications (P/N: 902492 Shown)



### 4.8.4 Turning Handle Assembly Installation Specifications

		ŀ	A Contraction of the second se
P/N*	Base Tube	inch	mm
908174	5	14	356
914480	6 3⁄4	16	406
906813	9	18	457

#### Table 4-16 Turning Handle Assembly Installation Specifications

\* Part Number is for the Turning Handles only and does not include the Base Plate. Part Numbers listed have a black paint finish. Additional finishes are available.

Note: Rotatable masts with 11 1/4 Base Tubes do not come standard with Turning Handles.

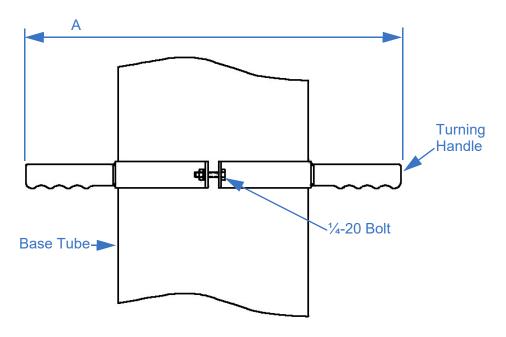


Figure 4-4 Turning Handle Assembly Installation Specifications





## 4.8.5 Internal Mounting Kit Installation Specifications

		Ø	Α		(	C	C	)	Ø	BCD
P/N*	Base Tube	inch	mm	В	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch	mm
905735	5	9	229	6	1.9	48.3	0.25	6.4	8	203
905734	6 <sup>3</sup> ⁄4	9 ¾	248	8	1.9	48.3	0.25	6.4	8 <sup>3</sup> ⁄4	222
905733	9	12	305	8	1.9	48.3	0.25	6.4	11	279
910784	11 ¼	14.25	362	8	1.8	45.7	0.25	6.4	13	330
5476101	13.5	16.5	419	8	1.75	44.5	0.25	6.4	15 ¼	387
* Part Numbers	* Part Numbers for clear anodized finish. Additional finishes are available.									

# Table 4-17 Internal Mounting Kit (Roof Flange and Roof Ring) InstallationSpecifications



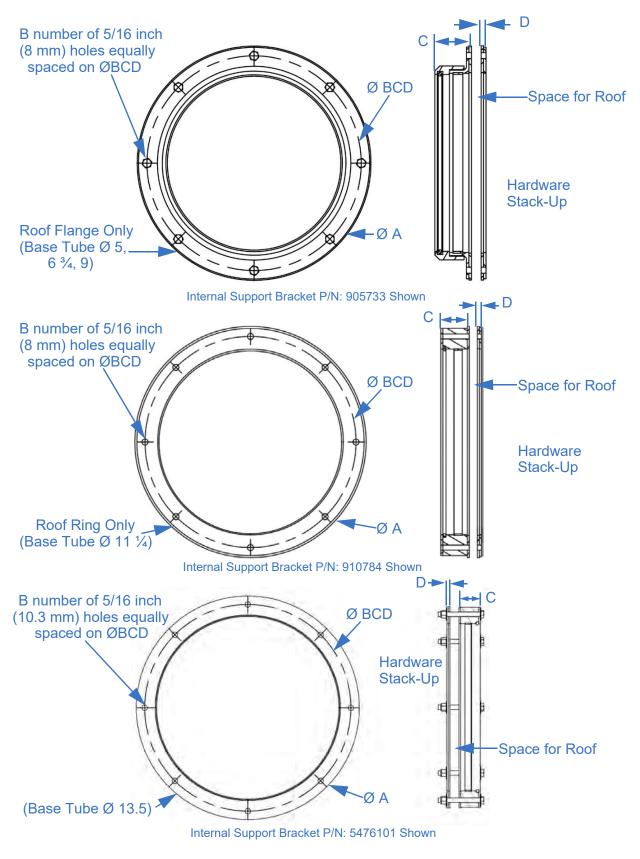


Figure 4-5 Internal Mounting Kit Hardware Installation Specifications



### 4.8.6 Support Bracket Assembly Installation Specifications

		OI	C	A	А			Est. Weight		
P/N*	Base Tube	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch	mm	lb.	kg	
4443601	5	6	152	7 ½	191	11.36	289	5.7	2.6	
4443605	6 ¾	7 ¾	197	8 1⁄4	210	12.10	307	6.7	3	
4443615	9	10 ½ 267		9 ¾	248	13.84 352		12.1	5.5	
* Part Numbers for clear anodized finish. Additional finishes are available.										

#### Table 4-18 Support Bracket Assembly Installation Specifications

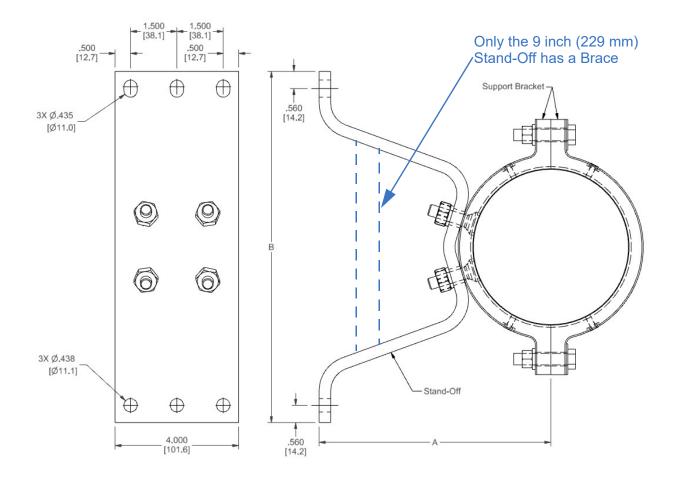


Figure 4-6 Support Bracket Assembly (Standard and Heavy Duty) Installation Specifications (P/N: 4443601 Shown)



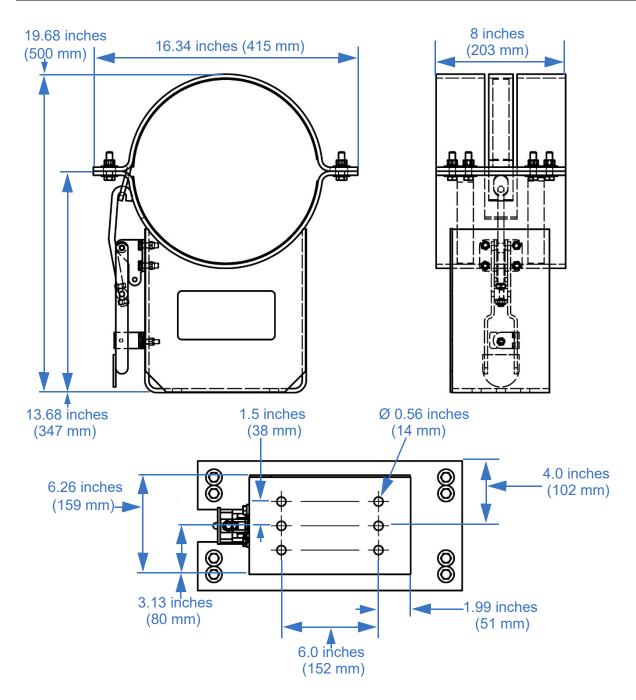


Figure 4-7 Support Bracket Assembly (Super Heavy Duty) Installation Specifications (P/N: 909984 Shown)

Note: Part Number 909984 is for a black powder coat finish. Additional finishes are available.



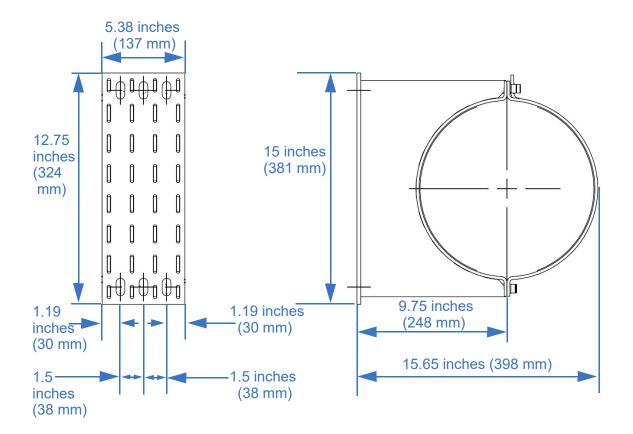


Figure 4-8 Support Bracket Assembly (Super Heavy Duty) Installation Specifications (P/N: 4894901 Shown)

Note: Part Number 4894901 is for a black powder coat finish. Additional finishes are available.



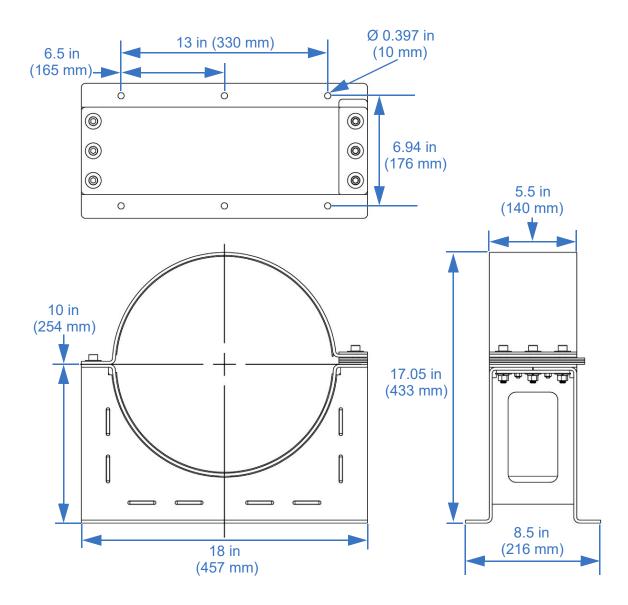


Figure 4-9 External Support Bracket (Ultra Heavy Duty) Installation Specifications (P/N: 4989201 Shown)

External support bracket P/N: 4989201 has a black powder coat finish. Additional finishes are available.



# 4.8.7 Shelf Bracket Assembly Installation Specifications

			A	<b>\</b>	В		C	;	D		E	
P/N*	Base Tube	Base Plate**	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch	mm
4434101	5	NR	8.0	203	11.8	300	6.0	152	10.5	267	6.5	165
4434101	5	R	8.0	203	11.8	300	6.0	152	10.5	267	6.5	165
4434101	6 <sup>3</sup> ⁄4	NR	8.0	203	11.8	300	6.0	152	10.5	267	6.5	165
4454001	0 /4	R	9.8	249	14.38	365	7.75	197	11.95	304	8.44	214
4454001	9	NR	9.8	249	14.38	365	7.75	197	11.95	304	8.44	214
4454101	9	R	10.0	254	15.88	403	8.0	203	14.5	368	10.75	273
913947	11 ¼	Both	12.0	305	20.25	514	8.0	203	14.5	368	10.24	260

### Table 4-19 Shelf Bracket Assembly Specifications

			F		G		ŀ	ł	J		K	
P/N*	Base Tube	Base Plate**	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch	mm
4434101	5	NR	4.3	109	0.44	11	3.75	95	5.26	134	7.87	200
4434101	5	R	4.3	109	0.44	11	3.75	95	5.26	134	7.87	200
4434101	6 <sup>3</sup> ⁄4	NR	4.3	109	0.44	11	3.75	95	5.26	134	7.87	200
4454001	0 /4	R	6.0	152	0.56	14	5.25	133	5.98	152	9.0	229
4454001	9	NR	6.0	152	0.56	14	5.25	133	5.98	152	9.0	229
4454101	9	R	6.3	160	0.56	14	3.75	95	7.3	185	9.75	248
913947	11 ¼	Both	6.0	152	0.56	14	4.0	102	7.19	183	13.75	349

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P/N*	Base Tube	Base Plate**	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch	mm
4434101	5	NR	2.75	70	2.14	54	4.25	108	0.44	11
4434101	5	R	1.38	35	0.77	20	7.0	178	0.44	11
4434101	6 ¾	NR	2.0	51	0.64	16	5.75	146	0.44	11
4454001	0 /4	R	1.25	32	1.8	46	8.7	221	0.44	11
4454001	9	NR	1.6	41	0.63	16	8.0	203	0.44	11
4454101	9	R	1.38	35	0.62	16	11.0	279	0.44	11

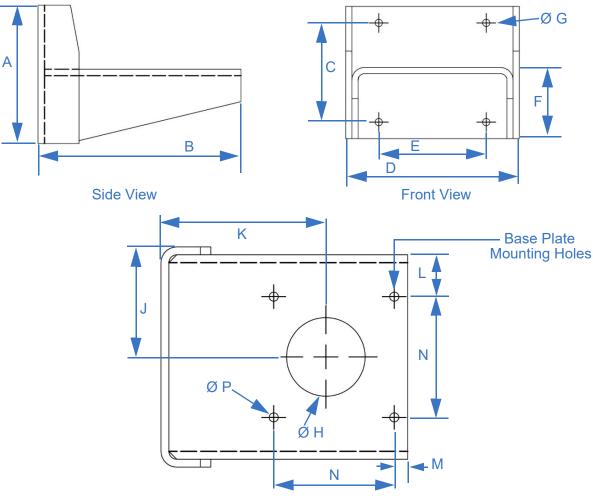
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P/N*	Base Tube	Base Plate**	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch	mm
913947	11 ¼	Both	1.38	35	1.0	25	11.0	279	0.56	14

\* Part Numbers for 5, 6 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, and 9 inch Base Plates are for clear anodize finish. Part Number for 11 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> inch Base Plate is for black powder coat finish. Additional finishes are available.

\*\* Non-Rotating (NR) and Rotating (R)



Top Down View (Mounting Hole Pattern Shown in Simplified Form)

#### Figure 4-10 Shelf Bracket Installation Specifications

Note: For clarity purposes, the base plate mounting hole pattern shown (Figure 4-10) has been simplified. Actual shelf brackets may have multiple sets of base plate mounting holes in order to accommodate multiple mast types. Use the set of base plate mounting holes appropriate for your mast system.



# 5 Installation

This section describes the installation of the Pneumatic Mast System and provides the general procedures that must be followed to ensure a successful installation. Be sure to read and understand the entire installation procedure and the Safety Summary in Section 1 before beginning installation. Use care to follow all precautions while installing.

For component installation dimensions and geometry, refer to Section 4.8.

# 5.1 **Pre-installation Check**

Before installing the mast system, ensure:

- All installers read and understand the entire installation procedure.
- Only a properly trained and qualified certified electrician performs electric installations and maintenance.
- The mounting structure is level and has sufficient room and strength to mount the mast system (Section 3.3 and 4.8).
- All purchased components are included (Section 3.3).
- All required equipment is readily available (Section 5.2).
- When installing in a vehicle, that the vehicle is stationary and on a level surface.



# 5.2 Installation Equipment

Table 5-1 lists general equipment recommended for installation. Depending on the mast system configuration, additional equipment may be required.

#### Table 5-1 Equipment Recommended for Installation

Recommended Equipment*			
Personal Protective			
Safety Glasses	Work Gloves	Safety Shoes	
Hard Hat or Helmet	Hearing Protection	Nitrile or Vinyl Gloves	
Hand Tools			
Wrenches	Screwdrivers	Hammer	
Torque Wrench	Drill	Hex Wrenches	
Plumb-Bob	Measuring Tape	Level	
Rubber Mallet	Saw	Sockets	
String or Thin Wire	Wire Washers or Spacers (For shimming)		
16 AWG Stranded Wire (For the Magnetic Warning Kit)			
Appropriate Hardware (Section 5.3)			
Equipment			
Compressed Air Supply	Hoist	Sling / Strap	
Expendables			
Pipe Thread Sealant or PTFE Tape	Rags (Clean and Dry)	Silicone Sealant	
Loctite <sup>®</sup> 242/243 (Blue) or Equivalent	Soapy Water (When installing the Weather Bonnet)		
<ul> <li>*Note:</li> <li>Depending on the local, regional, and national standards and codes of practice, and the environment, additional personal protective equipment may be necessary.</li> </ul>			

- Depending on the mast system configuration, additional equipment, including but not limited to, rubber washers or grommets (for the pneumatic system), electrical components (e.g. wire, fuses, circuit breakers, etc.), and air control valves, switches, air hose and fittings, may be required.
- When disposing of any disposables or components, do so according to any applicable local, regional, and national standards and codes of practice.



# 5.3 Installation Hardware

This section describes hardware that may be used during installation as follows:

- Table 5-2 Hardware for Internal Mount Application Installation
- Table 5-3 Hardware for External Mount Application Installation
- Table 5-4 Hardware for Ultra Heavy Duty Installation

#### Table 5-2 Hardware for Internal Mount Application Installation

Hardware*	Supplied By	Notes
Internal Mounting Kit (To the Roo	of)	
1/4 Inch (M6) Bolts	Customer	Internal Mounting Kits for 6.75, 9.0, and 11.25 inch base tubes require eight sets of
<sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> Inch (M6) Lock Washers	Customer	hardware. Internal Mounting Kits for 5.0 inch base tubes require six sets of hardware.
¼ Inch (M6) Nuts	Customer	The bolts should be sized to length to allow for the thickness of the Internal Mounting Kit, lock washer, nut, roof, and any spacers.
Non-Rotatable Base Plate (To the	e Mast)	
(4) ℁-16x1 Flathead Screws (P/N: 2772)	The Will-Burt Company	Found in the Hardware Bag
Non-Rotatable and Rotatable Bas	se Plate (To the	Mounting Surface)
(4) ℁-16x1-½ Inch Bolts (P/N: 901594)	The Will-Burt Company	Found in the Hardware Bag
(4) Flat Washers (P/N: 2054)	The Will-Burt Company	Found in the Hardware Bag
(4) Lock Washers (P/N: 0801)	The Will-Burt Company	Found in the Hardware Bag
(4) Nuts (P/N: 901593)	The Will-Burt Company	Found in the Hardware Bag
Turning Handles (To Mast)		
(2) ¼-20x1.50 Hex HD Bolts (P/N: 2000)	The Will-Burt Company	Ships with Turning Handles
(2) ¼-20 Nyloc Nuts (P/N: 1930)	The Will-Burt Company	Ships with Turning Handles



#### Table 5-2 Hardware for Internal Mount Application Installation (Continued)

Hardware*	Supplied By	Notes
Flashing Kit (Rotatable Super Heavy Duty Masts) (To the Mast)		
(6) ¼-20x0.75 Inch Bolts (P/N: 4542)	The Will-Burt Company	Ships with Flashing Kit
(12) ¼ Flat Washers (P/N: 0800)	The Will-Burt Company	Ships with Flashing Kit
(6) ¼ Nyloc Nuts (P/N: 1930)	The Will-Burt Company	Ships with Flashing Kit
* Unless otherwise indicated, the mounting hardware must include proper means to resist vibration loosening such		

\* Unless otherwise indicated, the mounting hardware must include proper means to resist vibration loosening such as thread-locking compound or locking hardware. Torque all hardware as appropriate for its size and grade. Torque values in these instructions assume the use of The Will-Burt Company provided hardware. Depending on the specific installation application, all hardware may not be used. Additional hardware may be required for additional accessories, or customer-specific applications.

### Table 5-3 Hardware for External Mount Application Installation

Hardware*	Supplied By	Notes
Shelf Bracket (Optional) (To the Support Structure)		
(4) Bolts	Customer	Bolts should be sized to length to allow for the thickness of the Shelf Bracket, support structure, and any spacers and mounting
(4) Flat Washers	Customer	hardware. Shelf Bracket P/N: 4434101 uses ¾ inch hardware. This Shelf Bracket is used for non-
(4) Lock Washers	Customer	rotating and rotating masts with 5.0 inch Base Tubes and non-rotating masts with 6.75 inch Base Tubes.
(4) Nyloc Nuts	Customer	Shelf Brackets P/N: 4454001, P/N: 4454101, and P/N: 913947 use ½ inch hardware. (Part Numbers for clear anodized finish only.)
Non-Rotatable Base Plate (To the	e Mast)	
(4) 3/8-16x1 Flathead Screws (P/N: 2772)	The Will-Burt Company	Found in the Hardware Bag
External Support Bracket (P/N: 4443601) (To the Support Structure)		
(6) Sets of ¾ Inch Hardware	Customer	The bolts should be sized to length to allow for the thickness of the External Support Bracket, support structure, any spacers, and all mounting hardware (e.g. flat washers, lock washers, and nuts).



#### Table 5-3 Hardware for External Mount Application Installation (Continued)

Hardware*	Supplied By	Notes	
External Support Bracket (P/N: 909984 and P/N: 4894901) (To Support Structure)			
(6) Sets of ½ Inch Hardware	Customer	The bolts should be sized to length to allow for the thickness of the External Support Bracket, support structure, any spacers, and all mounting hardware (e.g. flat washers, lock washers, and nuts).	
Non-Rotatable and Rotatable Base Plate (To the Mounting Surface)			
(4) ⅔-16x1-½ Inch Bolts (P/N: 901594)	The Will-Burt Company	Found in the Hardware Bag	
(4) Flat Washers (P/N: 2054)	The Will-Burt Company	Found in the Hardware Bag	
(4) Lock Washers (P/N: 0801)	The Will-Burt Company	Found in the Hardware Bag	
(4) Nuts (P/N: 901593)	The Will-Burt Company	Found in the Hardware Bag	
Turning Handles (To Mast)	Turning Handles (To Mast)		
(2) ¼-20x1.50 Hex HD Bolts (P/N: 2000)	The Will-Burt Company	Ships with Turning Handles	
(2) <sup>1</sup> ⁄ <sub>4</sub> -20 Nyloc Nuts (P/N: 1930)	The Will-Burt Company	Ships with Turning Handles	
* Unless otherwise indicated, the mounting hardware must include proper means to resist vibration loosening such as thread-locking compound or locking hardware. Torque all hardware as appropriate for its size and grade. Torque values in these instructions assume the use of The Will-Burt Company provided hardware. Depending on the specific installation application, all hardware may not be used. Additional hardware may be required for additional accessories, or customer-specific applications.			

#### Table 5-4 Hardware for Ultra Heavy Duty Installation

Hardware*	Supplied By	Notes	
Internal Mounting Kit (To the Roo	Internal Mounting Kit (To the Roof) (Used in place of the external support bracket)		
(8) ⅔-16x3.50 bolts (P/N: 5431)	The Will-Burt Company	Included with Internal Mounting Kit. Included	
(16)	The Will-Burt Company	hardware is sized for a ¼ inch (6.35 mm) roof. If a thicker roof is present, the customer must supply appropriate hardware.	
(8) ⅔-16 nyloc nuts (P/N: 2763)	The Will-Burt Company		
Non-Rotatable Base Plate (To the Mast)			
(4) ½-13x1.25 flathead screws (P/N: 5402)	The Will-Burt Company	Found in the Hardware Bag	



#### Table 5-4 Hardware for Ultra Heavy Duty Installation (Continued)

Hardware*	Supplied By	Notes
Non-Rotatable Base Plate (To the Mounting Surface)		
(6) ℁-16x1-½ Inch Bolts (P/N: 901594)	The Will-Burt Company	Found in the Hardware Bag
(6) Flat Washers (P/N: 2054)	The Will-Burt Company	Found in the Hardware Bag
(6) Lock Washers (P/N: 0801)	The Will-Burt Company	Found in the Hardware Bag
(6) Nuts (P/N: 901593)	The Will-Burt Company	Found in the Hardware Bag
External Support Bracket (To the support structure)		
(6) Sets of ¾ inch hardware	Customer	The bolts should be sized to length to allow for the thickness of the external support bracket, support structure, any spacers, and all mounting hardware (e.g. flat washers, lock washers, and nuts).
* Unless otherwise indicated, the mounting hardware must include proper means to resist vibration loosening such as thread-locking compound or locking hardware. Torque all hardware as appropriate for its size and grade. Torque values in these instructions assume the use of The Will-Burt Company provided hardware. Depending on the specific installation application, all hardware may not be used. Additional hardware may be required for additional accessories, or customer-specific applications.		

# 5.4 Lift the Mast System

During installation, it will be necessary to lift the mast. The process described in this manual represents a possible method of lifting the mast. Depending on the environment and equipment available, other methods may work better. Use the best and safest method for your circumstances.



# 5.5 Unpack the Mast System

Unpack the system as follows:

- 1. Carefully open the shipping crate.
- 2. Inspect for any shipping damage. Notify the carrier if damage is evident.
- 3. Remove all loose components, the 2 x 4 inch (38 x 89 mm) block at the top end of the mast, and the top half of the wooden mast saddles (Figure 5-1).

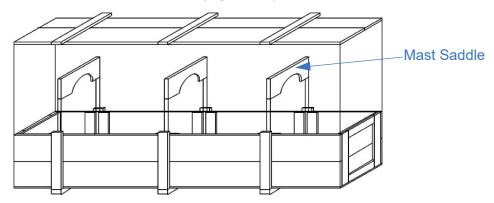
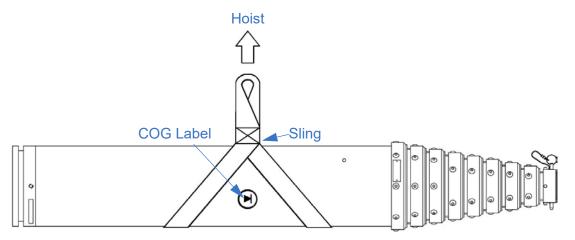


Figure 5-1 Shipping Crate

4. Using the center of gravity (COG) label as a reference, outfit the mast with a sling capable of supporting the mast weight (Figure 5-2). The sling must support the mast from at least two points. Attach the sling so that horizontal balance and control can be maintained while positioning the mast. Hoist and slowly lift the mast until just free of the mast saddles. Lower the mast and adjust the sling as necessary to balance the mast. Hoist the mast free from the crate and carefully move the mast into the desired position.



#### Figure 5-2 Hoist the Mast

The Will-Burt Company recommends keeping the shipping crate for transporting the mast, for example if shipping the mast back to the factory for refurbishment.



# 5.6 Mast Installation: Internal Mount

This section describes installation of an internally mounted mast (Figure 5-3). These internal mounting instructions assume the use of an Internal Mounting Kit (Section 3.3.3.2). For information on mounting the mast externally, see Section 5.7.

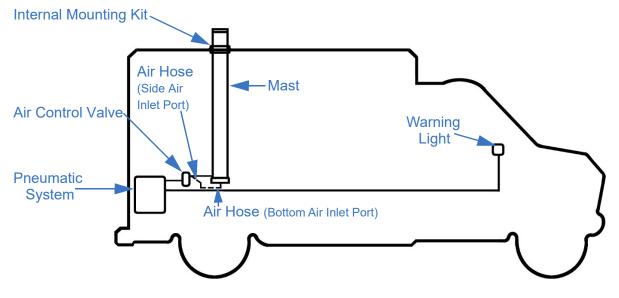


Figure 5-3 Internal Mount Installation (Not to Scale)

### 5.6.1 Internal Mount: Quick Summary

The following is a quick summary of the installation of an internally mounted mast. Detailed steps follow the quick summary (Section 5.6.1).

Install an internally mounted mast as follows:

- 1. Select a Suitable Mounting Location (Section 5.7.2.1)
- 2. Begin Installation of the Internal Mounting Kit (Section 5.6.2.2)
- 3. Lower Mast through the Internal Mounting Kit (Section 5.6.2.3)
- 4. Attach the Base Plate to the Mast (Section 5.6.2.4)
- 5. Position the Mast (Section 5.6.2.5)
- 6. Secure the Base Plate to the Mounting Surface (Section 5.6.2.6)
- 7. Complete Installation of the Internal Mounting Kit (Section 5.6.2.7)
- 8. Finalize Installation of the Mast System (Section 5.6.2.8)



### 5.6.2 Internal Mount: Detailed Instructions

The following are detailed steps describing the installation of an internally mounted mast. The exact installation procedures may vary based on the configuration of the mast system being used and the installation environment.

### 5.6.2.1 Select a Suitable Mounting Location

To select a suitable mounting location, consider the following:

• The mounting area must have sufficient room to mount the mast system. The roof area must be as flat as possible at the location of the mast. The roofline must lie between the drain hole and base tube collar. Mounting hardware must be at least 1 inch (25 mm) above the drain hole, and at least 3 inches (76 mm) below the base tube collar (Figure 5-4). The exact dimensions of the mast system will vary based on the components included. Refer to Section 4.8 for dimension information.

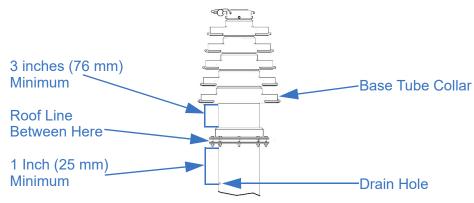


Figure 5-4 Roof Line Location (Not to Scale)

- The mounting structure must be level, solid, and capable of holding the forces required by the bolts. Check the strength and rigidity of the mounting structure (e.g. vehicle body) where the mast system is to be attached. Reinforce as necessary.
- The area underneath the mast must be free of obstructions to allow for accessibility to base plate fasteners, and if present and used, the bottom air inlet port.
- The mounting location must have sufficient access for the pneumatic system.
- Before cutting the hole in the roof, it is advised to hang a plumb-bob from the roof to find the base plate location and ensure proper alignment between the roof hole and intended base plate location. This is particularly helpful when attempting to hit specific structural members beneath a vehicle.
- For mounting applications using a rotatable base plate, ensure the location of the mast allows enough clearance to accommodate the turning handles and the air hose if the air is routed to a side air inlet port. Rotatable Super Heavy Duty masts do not use turning handles but will need clearance for a customer-supplied rod to be inserted into the tube head to turn the mast.
- As mast tubes extend, they force water out of the weep holes. Keep any personnel or sensitive equipment away from the weep hole direction.



### 5.6.2.2 Begin Installation of the Internal Mounting Kit

To begin installation of the Internal Mounting Kit:

- 1. Remove any roof liner or ceiling panels from the roof.
- 2. Cut a round hole in the roof <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> inch (6.35 mm) larger than the diameter of the base tube (Section 3.3). Cut the same size hole in any roof liner or ceiling panels ensuring the hole will properly align with the hole in the roof when the roof liner or ceiling panels are reinstalled.
- 3. Center the ceiling plate from the Internal Mounting Kit (Figure 5-5, Figure 5-6, or Figure 5-7) over the hole and use it as a template to drill bolt holes for attachment.

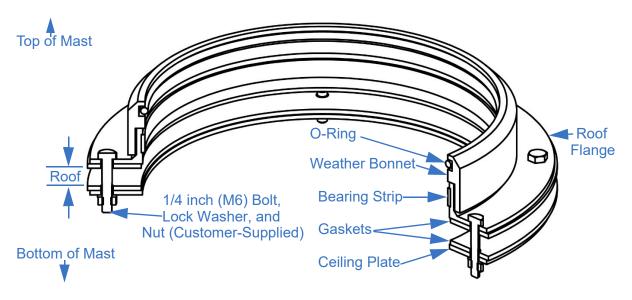


Figure 5-5 Internal Mounting Kit for Standard Duty and Heavy Duty Masts (P/N: 905733)

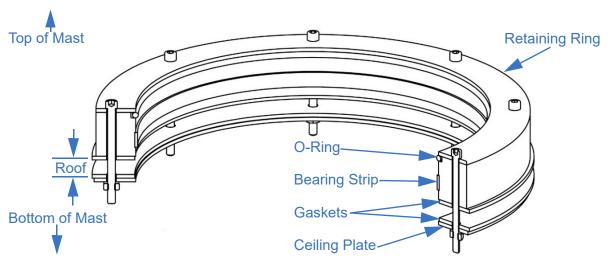


Figure 5-6 Internal Mounting Kit for Super Heavy Duty Masts (P/N: 910784 Shown)



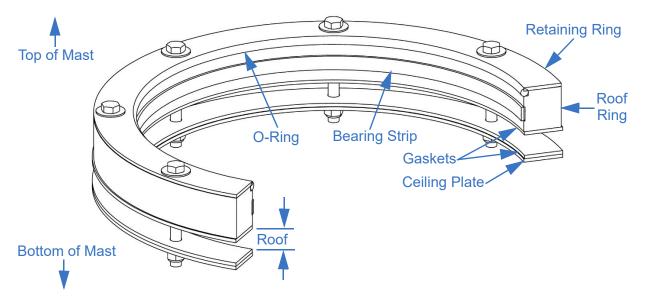


Figure 5-7 Ultra Heavy Duty Internal Mounting Kit (P/N: 5476101)

- 4. If necessary, use washers or short spacers made of ¼ inch (6.35 mm) pipe to level out any irregularities that exist in the roof.
- 5. Apply a bead of silicone sealant to both sides of one gasket.
- 6. For Standard Duty and Heavy Duty Masts:
  - a. Line up the holes of the roof, the gasket with silicone sealant applied, and the roof flange (Figure 5-5). Ensure the gasket is between the roof and roof flange.
  - b. Replace any roof liner or ceiling panel.
  - c. Fit the other gasket (Figure 5-5) against the inside of the roof. This gasket does not need sealant. It will be held in place by the ceiling plate. Fit the ceiling plate in place and ensure all holes align.



- d. Fasten this assembly (Figure 5-8) together using:
  - i. 1/4 Inch (M6) Bolts
  - ii. 1/4 Inch (M6) Lock Washers
  - iii. <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Inch (M6) Nuts

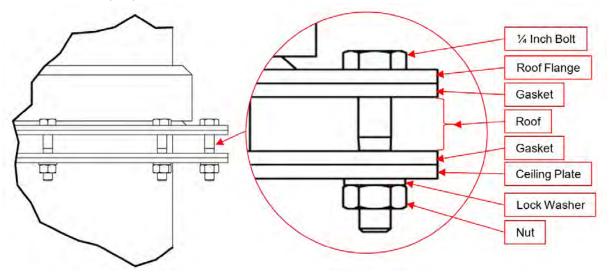


Figure 5-8 Fasten Assembly Together

The bolts should be sized to length to account for all components. The mounting hardware must include proper means to resist vibration loosening such as thread-locking compound or locking hardware. Torque all hardware as appropriate for its size and grade.

Note that the weather bonnet and o-ring are not yet installed (Figure 5-5).

- e. Clean off any silicone sealant that may have squeezed out the hole cut for the mast.
- f. Slide the weather bonnet and o-ring over the bottom of the base tube and up the mast past the drain hole towards the collar. If they are difficult to maneuver, put soapy water on the mast to allow them to slide more freely. Ensure the weather bonnet is oriented correctly, and the o-ring is in the notch in the weather bonnet (Figure 5-5).
- g. Temporarily secure the weather bonnet and o-ring in place so they cannot slide down the mast during transportation.
- h. Go to Section 5.6.2.3.



For Super Heavy Duty and Ultra Heavy Duty Masts:

a. Line up the holes in the roof, gasket, and roof ring (Figure 5-6). Ensure the gasket is between the roof and roof ring.

For Non-Rotatable Mast Systems, leave the retaining ring and o-ring off. These will be installed later.

For Rotatable Mast Systems, line up the holes in the retaining ring. Rotatable mast systems will have Flashing Kit instead of an o-ring. The Flashing Kit will be installed later.

- b. Replace any roof liner or ceiling panel.
- c. Fit the other gasket (Figure 5-6) against the inside of the roof. This gasket does not need sealant. It will be held in place by the ceiling plate. Fit the ceiling plate in place and ensure all holes align.
- d. For Non-Rotatable Mast Systems, temporarily secure this assembly together. Do not torque hardware. Hardware will be torqued during final assembly.
  - For Rotatable Mast Systems, fasten the assembly (Figure 5-9) together using:
  - i. (8) ¼ inch (M6) Bolts
  - ii. (8) ¼ inch (M6) Lock Washers
  - iii. (8) 1/4 Inch (M6) Nuts

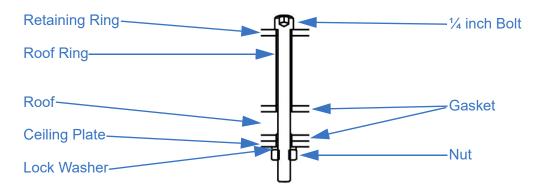


Figure 5-9 Fasten Assembly Together

The mounting hardware must include proper means to resist vibration loosening such as thread-locking compound or locking hardware. Torque all hardware as appropriate for its size and grade.



- e. Clean off any silicone sealant that may have squeezed out into the hole cut for the mast.
- f. For Non-Rotatable Mast Systems, slide the retaining ring and o-ring over the bottom of the base tube and up the mast past the drain hole towards the collar. If they are difficult to maneuver, put soapy water on the mast to allow them to slide more freely. Ensure the oring is below the retaining ring. Temporarily secure the retaining ring and o-ring in place so they cannot slide down the mast during transportation.

For Rotatable Mast Systems, no actions are required at this time for the Flashing Kit. The Flashing Kit will be installed in Section 5.6.2.7.

### 5.6.2.3 Lower Mast through the Internal Mounting Kit

To lower the mast through the Internal Mounting Kit:

- 1. Use a hoist to slowly lift the mast above the roof.
- 2. Align the base of the mast with the center hole of the Internal Mounting Kit.
- 3. Carefully lower the mast partially though the roof. The mast should be held securely in position partially through the roof so that the installer has safe access to the base of the mast to install the base plate.

### 5.6.2.4 Attach the Base Plate to the Mast

The mast may use either a non-rotatable or rotatable base plate. Follow the appropriate installation instructions for your mast system. When installing the base plate to the base of the mast, ensure the mast is securely held in position.

#### Non-Rotatable Base Plates

To install a non-rotatable base plate:

- 1. Position the base plate against the base of the mast so the mounting holes align. Ensure the countersunk holes are facing away from the mast.
- 2. Secure the base plate to the mast with the (4) <sup>3</sup>/<sub>8</sub>-16x1 flathead screws (P/N: 2772) from the hardware bag. Apply Loctite<sup>®</sup> 242/243 (Blue) or equivalent. Torque to 190-240 in.-lb.

#### **Rotatable Base Plates**

To install a rotatable base plate:

- 1. Back the locking screws far enough out of the base plate to allow the base plate to fit over the end of the mast.
- 2. Slide the base plate over end of the mast.
- 3. Tighten down the locking screws to secure the base plate to the mast.



### 5.6.2.5 **Position the Mast**

To position the mast:

- 1. Lower the mast the rest of the way to the floor.
- 2. Carefully, move the mast into position ensuring the mast is level. It is necessary to check the mast in two places 90° apart when leveling. Be certain to orient the mast so the operator has a clear view of the hazard labels.

Note: Additional labels are provided with the operator's manual and should be installed where the operator will have a clear view of them while operating the mast.

### 5.6.2.6 Secure the Base Plate to the Mounting Surface

To secure the base plate to the mounting surface:

- 1. Use the base plate as a template to drill holes through the mounting surface.
- 2. Ensure the base plate and mast are level in all directions. It is necessary to check the mast in two places 90° apart when leveling.
- 3. Secure the base plate to the mounting surface with appropriate hardware. To secure the base plate, the hardware bag contains:
  - a. (4) <sup>3</sup>/<sub>8</sub>-16x1-<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> Inch Bolts (P/N: 901594)
  - b. (4) Flat Washers (P/N: 2054)
  - c. (4) Lock Washers (P/N: 0801)
  - d. (4) Nuts (P/N: 901593)

Depending on the customer-specific mounting application, other (customer-supplied) hardware may be required. The mounting hardware must include proper means to resist vibration loosening such as thread-locking compound or locking hardware. Torque to 190-240 in.-lb.



### 5.6.2.7 Complete Installation of the Internal Mounting Kit

This section describes completing the installation of the Internal Mounting Kit as follows:

- Non-Rotatable Standard Duty and Heavy Duty Masts
- Non-Rotatable Super Heavy Duty and Ultra Heavy Duty Masts
- Rotatable Standard Duty and Heavy Duty Masts
- Rotatable Super Heavy Duty Masts
- Non-Rotatable Ultra Heavy Duty Masts
- Turning Handles

The exact installation procedures will vary depending on the configuration of the mast system. Follow the appropriate installation instructions for your configuration.

#### Non-Rotatable Standard Duty and Heavy Duty Masts

To complete installation, slide the weather bonnet, with the o-ring in the notch, down the mast and over the roof flange. If the weather bonnet is difficult to maneuver, put soapy water on the mast to allow them to slide more freely.

#### Non-Rotatable Super Heavy Duty and Ultra Heavy Duty Masts

To complete installation:

- 1. Remove the hardware securing the roof ring. Ensure the ceiling plate and gasket underneath the roof do not fall.
- 2. Slide the retaining ring and o-ring down the mast.
- 3. Press the o-ring into the notch around the roof ring.
- 4. Position the retaining ring into place and ensure all the holes of the Internal Mounting Kit align with the holes in the roof.
- 5. Fasten this assembly (Figure 5-10) together using:
  - a. (8) 1/4 Inch (M6) Bolts
  - b. (8) 1/4 Inch Lock Washers
  - c. (8) 1/4 Inch Nuts



The mounting hardware must include proper means to resist vibration loosening such as thread-locking compound or locking hardware. Torque all hardware as appropriate for its size and grade.

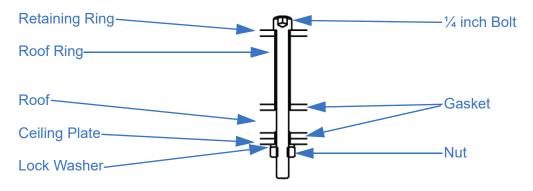


Figure 5-10 Fasten Assembly Together

#### **Rotatable Standard Duty and Heavy Duty Masts**

To complete installation, slide the weather bonnet, with the o-ring in the notch, down the mast and over the roof flange. If the weather bonnet is difficult to maneuver, put soapy water on the mast to allow it to slide more freely.

#### **Rotatable Super Heavy Duty Masts**

This section describes installing the Flashing Kit. If retrofitting a mast to use a Flashing Kit, see *Installing the Internal Mount Flashing Kit* (TP-5351001). To obtain this document, contact The Will-Burt Company.

To complete installation:

- 1. With the paper on the tape, position the flashing halves around the mast. Allow the flashing halves to rest on the internal mount.
- 2. Raise the flashing halves <sup>1</sup>/<sub>8</sub> inch (3 mm).
- 3. Ensure there will be no obstructions with the sealant or roof line when the mast rotates and mark the top of the flashing halves with a pencil.
- 4. Remove the paper from the tape, and position the flashing halves so they align with the pencil mark.



- 5. Secure the Flashing tight to the mast with:
  - a. (6) <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>-20x0.75 Inch Bolts (P/N: 4542)
  - b. (12) ¼ Flat Washers (P/N: 0800)
  - c. (6) Nyloc Nuts (P/N: 1930)

Do not overtighten the Flashing Kit because tightening too much can deform the base tube and impede the movement of the next internal section.

6. Inspect the seal and add any tape if required.

#### **Turning Handles**

Turning handles ship with rotatable base plates to assist in rotating the mast. Note that Rotating Super Heavy Duty masts do not use turning handles.

To secure the turning handles:

- 1. Determine the desired location for the turning handles. If feasible, The Will-Burt Company recommends installing above the drain hole. Do not cover drain hole with the turning handles.
- 2. Secure the band clamp halves together around the mast with:
  - (2) <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>-20x1.50 Hex HD Bolts (P/N: 2000)
  - (2) <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>-20 Nyloc Nuts (P/N: 1930)

Tighten the turning handle bolts just enough to allow the turning handles to turn the mast without slipping. Overtightening the turning handle bolts can deform the base tube and impede the movement of the next internal section.

For masts with:

- Ø 5.00 Inch Base Tube: Torque to 60 in.-lb. Maximum
- Ø 6.75 Inch Base Tube: Torque to 100 in.-lb. Maximum
- Ø 9.00 Inch Base Tube: Torque to 120 in.-lb. Maximum

The mounting hardware must include proper means to resist vibration loosening such as thread-locking compound or locking hardware.

#### 5.6.2.8 Finalize Installation of Mast System

Once the mast is installed, see Section 5.8 for information on the installation of the following components:

- Drain Kit Installation (Section 5.8.1)
- Pneumatic System Installation (Section 5.8.2)
- Magnetic Warning Kit Installation (Section 5.8.3)



# 5.7 Mast Installation: External Mount

This section describes installation of an externally mounted mast (Figure 5-11). The external mounting instructions assume the use of an external support bracket. For information on mounting the mast internally, see Section 5.6.

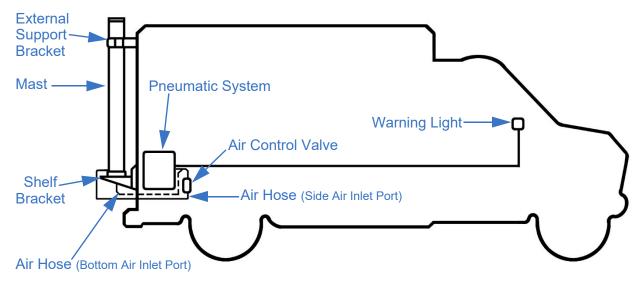


Figure 5-11 External Mount Installation (Not to Scale)

### 5.7.1 External Mount: Quick Summary

The following is a quick summary of installation of an externally mounted mast. Detailed steps follow the quick summary (Section 5.7.2).

Install an externally mounted mast as follows:

- 1. Select a suitable mounting location (Section 5.7.2.1)
- 2. Install the shelf bracket (Optional) (Section 5.7.2.2)
- 3. Attach the base plate to the mast (Section 5.7.2.3)
- 4. Position the mast (Section 5.7.2.4)
- 5. Install the external support bracket (Section 5.7.2.5)
- 6. Secure the base plate to the mounting surface (Section 5.7.2.6)
- 7. Install the turning handles (Rotatable Mast Systems Only) (Section 5.7.2.7)
- 8. Finalize installation of mast system (Section 5.7.2.8)



### 5.7.2 External Mount: Detailed Instructions

The following are detailed steps of installation of an externally mounted mast. The exact installation procedures may vary based on the configuration of the mast system being used and the installation environment.

### 5.7.2.1 Select a Suitable Mounting Location

When selecting a suitable mounting location, consider the following:

• The mounting area must have sufficient room to mount the mast system. Mounting hardware must be at least 1 inch (25 mm) above the drain hole and at least 1 inch (25 mm) below, but close to, the base tube collar (Figure 5-12). Lower than 12 inches (304 mm) (from the bottom of the base tube collar to the top of the mounting hardware) may impact the wind performance. Consult the factory. Do not cover the drain hole. The exact dimensions of the mast system will vary based on the components included. Refer to Section 4.8 for dimension information.

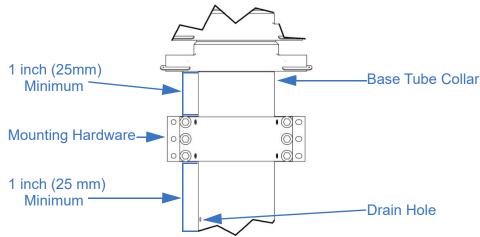


Figure 5-12 Mounting Hardware Location (Not to Scale)

- The mounting structure must be level, solid, and capable of holding the forces required by the bolts. Check the strength and rigidity of the mounting structure (e.g. vehicle body) where the mast system is to be attached. Reinforce as necessary.
  - Note: High forces to the mounting structure may result, depending on the payload, wind load, and if the mast is guyed or not. The mounting surface to which the base plate is secured will also see high downward forces and moments. For example, a typical unguyed mast can cause a 500 ft.-lb. (677.9 N m) torque, whereas a typical guyed mast can produce 3,500 lb. (1587.6 kg) of downward force onto the base plate. The Will-Burt Company's engineering should be consulted for specific payload and mounting requirements for your mast application.
- The area underneath the mast must be free of obstructions to allow for accessibility to base plate fasteners, and if present and used, the bottom air inlet port.
- The mounting location must have sufficient access for the Pneumatic System.



- For mounting applications using a rotatable base plate, ensure the location of the mast allows enough clearance to accommodate the turning handles and the air hose if the air is routed to a side air inlet port. Rotatable Super Heavy Duty masts do not use turning handles but will need clearance for a customer-supplied rod to be inserted into the tube head to turn the mast.
- As mast tubes extend, they force water out of the weep holes. Keep any personnel or sensitive equipment away from the weep hole direction.
- If the mast system is mounted in a well, provide adequate drainage. A minimum of four 1 inch (25.4 mm) drain holes (one per corner) are recommended.

## 5.7.2.2 Install the Shelf Bracket (Optional)

To install a shelf bracket (if used):

- 1. Position the shelf bracket and ensure it is level.
- 2. Use the shelf bracket as a template to drill holes through the support structure.
- 3. If necessary, use washers or short spacers made of 1/4 inch (6.35 mm) pipe to level out any irregularities that exist in the support structure.
- 4. Secure the shelf bracket to the support structure using:
  - (4) Bolts
  - (4) Flat Washers
  - (4) Lock Washers
  - (4) Nyloc Nuts

See (Table 5-3) for hardware sizing. Ensure the shelf bracket is level in all directions. The mounting hardware must include proper means to resist vibration loosening such as thread-locking compound or locking hardware. Torque all hardware as appropriate for its size and grade.



### 5.7.2.3 Attach the Base Plate to the Mast

This section describes installing the mast and base plate. The exact procedures vary depending on whether the mast system uses a non-rotatable or rotatable base plate. Follow the appropriate installation instructions for your mast system.

#### Non-Rotatable Base Plates

To install a non-rotatable base plate:

- 1. If necessary, use a hoist to lift the mast so the bottom of the mast can be accessed.
- 2. Position the base plate against the base of the mast so the mounting holes align. Ensure the countersunk holes are facing away from the mast.
- 3. Secure the base plate to the mast with the (4) <sup>3</sup>/<sub>8</sub>-16x1 flathead screws (P/N: 2772) from the hardware bag. Apply Loctite<sup>®</sup> 242/243 (Blue) or equivalent. Torque to 190-240 in.-lb.

Ultra Heavy Duty: Secure the base plate to the mast with the (4)  $\frac{1}{2}$ -13x1.25 flathead screws (P/N: 5402) from the hardware bag. Apply Loctite<sup>®</sup> 242/243 (Blue) or equivalent. Torque to 450-520 in.-lb.

#### **Rotatable Base Plates**

To install a rotatable base plate:

- 1. If necessary, use a hoist to lift the mast so the bottom of the mast can be accessed.
- 2. Back the locking screws far enough out of the base plate to allow the base plate to fit over the end of the mast.
- 3. Slide the base plate over end of the mast.
- 4. Tighten down the locking screws to secure the base plate to the mast.



### 5.7.2.4 Position the Mast

To position the mast:

- 1. Carefully move the mast into the desired mounting location.
- 2. Lower the mast the rest of the way to the mounting surface.
- 3. Carefully move the mast into position ensuring the mast is level. It is necessary to check the mast in two places 90° apart when leveling. Be certain to orient the mast so the operator has a clear view of the hazard labels.

Note: Additional labels are provided with the operator's manual and should be applied where the operator will have a clear view of them while operating the masts.

### 5.7.2.5 Install the External Support Bracket

This section describes installation of the external support bracket for the Standard Duty, Heavy Duty, and Super Heavy Duty masts. For information on how to install the external support bracket for the Ultra Heavy Duty masts, skip ahead one page and find the section that says "Ultra Heavy Duty: Install the External Support Bracket".

To install the external support bracket:

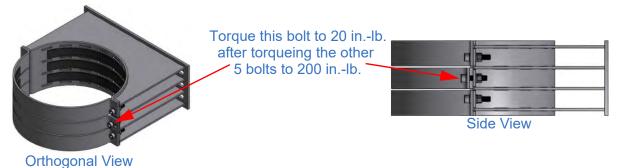
1. Determine the desired location for the external support bracket. The external support bracket must be at least 1 inch (25 mm) above the drain hole and at least 1 inch (25 mm) below the base tube collar. Do not cover the drain hole. The exact dimensions of the mast system will vary based on the components included. Refer to Section 4.8.6 for dimension information.



2. Secure the external support bracket around the base tube with the hardware from the External Support Bracket Kit. Do not overtighten the external support bracket and deform the base tube (doing this damages the mast). The mounting hardware must include proper means to resist vibration loosening, such as thread-locking compound or locking hardware. Torque all hardware as appropriate for its size and grade.

For external support bracket:

- P/N: 4443601: Torque the 3/8-16 bolts to 190-240 in.-lb. (21-27 N m)
- P/N: 909984: Torque the 3/8-16 bolts to 190-240 in.-lb. (21-27 N m)
- P/N: 4894901: Torque the first five 3/8-16 bolts to 200 in.-lb. and final 3/8-16 bolt to 20 in.lb. (Figure 5-13). Only torque the final 3/8-16 bolt after torqueing the first five bolts.



#### Figure 5-13 External Support Bracket P/N: 4894901 Installation

- 3. If necessary, use the external support bracket as a template to drill holes in the desired support structure. Ensure the mast system is level in all directions during drilling.
- 4. Ensure the mast system is level in all directions. If necessary, spacers may be added between the external support bracket and the support structure to keep the correct alignment between the external support bracket and the support structure.
- 5. Secure the external support bracket to the support structure with:
  - a. (6) Sets of 7/16 Hardware for External Support Bracket P/N: 4443601
  - b. (6) Sets of 9/16 Hardware for External Support Brackets P/N: 909984 and P/N: 4894901

See (Table 5-3) for hardware sizing. The mounting hardware must include a proper means to resist vibration loosening such as thread-locking compound or locking hardware. Torque all hardware as appropriate for its size and grade.



#### Ultra Heavy Duty: Install the External Support Bracket

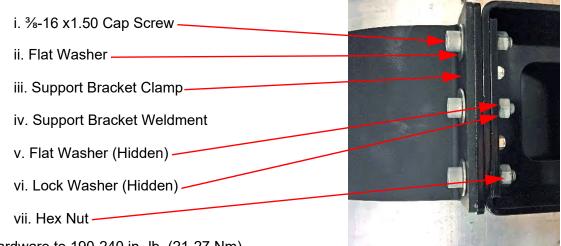
This section describes installation of the external support bracket for Ultra Heavy Duty masts. To allow for slight variation between mast tubes, the external support bracket has been designed to allow for adjustment of the tightness of the support bracket clamp. When properly installed, the external support bracket should snuggly secure the mast without bending the external support bracket or mast. To adjust the external support bracket, anywhere from zero to three shims may be installed between the support bracket weldment and support bracket clamp. Any shims not used, will be stored between the support bracket clamp and the washer plate. The washer plate is installed between the support bracket clamp and the hardware on the left (shimming) side of the external support bracket and is used to distribute the forces generated over the support bracket clamp flange.

To secure the mast in the external support bracket:

- 1. Determine the desired location for the external support bracket. The external support bracket must be at least 1 inch (25 mm) above the drain hole and at least 1 inch (25 mm) below the base tube collar. Do not cover the drain hole. The exact dimensions of the mast system will vary based on the components included. Refer to Section 4.8.6 for dimension information.
- 2. Remove the support bracket clamp. Set the hardware from the right side of the external support bracket to the right, and the hardware from the left side of the external support bracket to the left. Note that the screws on the left (shim) side of the external support bracket are longer than the screws on the right side.
- 3. As you face the mast and the support structure, position the external support bracket around the base tube so that the shims will be on the left side of the mast. Ensure the mast is properly oriented to allow for access to the drain cock, air inlet port, and locking mechanisms. Once the external support bracket is clamped down, it will not be possible to rotate the mast.
- 4. Secure the external support bracket around the base tube as follows:
  - a. Secure the mast temporarily in position to prevent it from leaning or falling throughout installation of the support bracket clamp. Ensure the mast is level and snug against the back of the external support bracket. If the mast is not snug against the external support bracket, the support bracket clamp may not be adjusted properly. It is necessary to check the mast in two places 90° apart when leveling.



b. Secure the right side of the support bracket clamp to the support bracket weldment with the hardware from the right side (Figure 5-14). Align from outside in as follows:



Torque hardware to 190-240 in.-lb. (21-27 Nm)

#### Figure 5-14 Hardware Right Side

- c. On the left side of the external support bracket, align the hardware from outside in as follows (Figure 5-15):
  - i. 3/8-16 x 2.00 Cap Screw
  - ii. Flat Washer
  - iii. Washer Plate
  - iv. Support Bracket Clamp
  - v. Support Bracket Weldment



d. The washer plate should be aligned so that its outside edge is flush with the outside edge of the support bracket clamp (Figure 5-15). If the outside edge sticks out beyond the edge of the support bracket clamp (Figure 5-15), it is installed backwards and needs flipped.

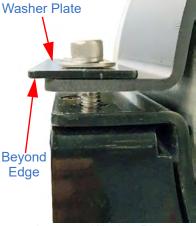


Hardware positioned on the left side of the support bracket

Support Bracket Weldment



Correct Washer Plate Alignment



Incorrect Washer Plate Alignment

#### Figure 5-15 Hardware Positioning and Alignment

e. Press with your hand against the left support bracket clamp flange and push it towards the support bracket weldment (Figure 5-16). Looking at the gap between the support bracket weldment and the support bracket clamp, estimate how many of the shims can fit in the gap while allowing the external support bracket to snugly secured to the mast, but without bending the support bracket clamp.



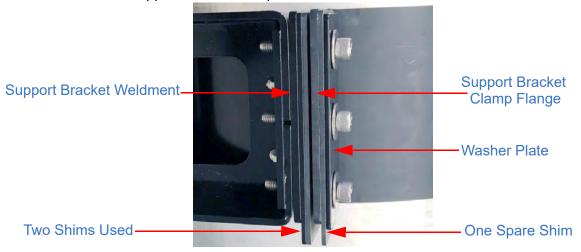
Support Bracket Clamp Flange

Figure 5-16 Press the Support Bracket Clamp Flange Towards the Bracket Weldment

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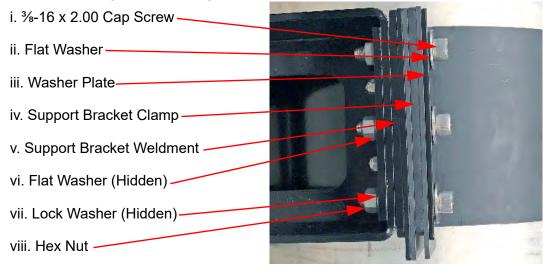


f. Release the support bracket clamp and insert the estimated number of shims between the support bracket clamp and the support bracket weldment (Figure 5-17). Do not pull out on the support bracket clamp. If a shim does not easily fit between the support bracket clamp and support bracket weldment, that shim is not necessary, and should not be used. Any unused shims should be inserted between the support bracket clamp and the washer plate. The shims should be inserted so that the bottom of the shims hangs down below the bottom of the support bracket clamp.



#### Figure 5-17 Shims Inserted (Shown with Two Shims Used and One Spare)

f. Loosely secure the left side of the support bracket clamp to the support bracket weldment with the remaining hardware. Align from outside in as follows:



#### Figure 5-18 Hardware Left Side

g. Tighten the left side. Ensure the external support bracket snuggly secures the mast without bending the support bracket clamp. If necessary, adjust the shims. Torque to 190-240 in.lb. (21-27 N m)



Note: If it is necessary to adjust the shims, they can be removed without completely loosening the hardware. To adjust the location of a shim:

i. Push up on the shim from the bottom until the bottom of the grooves in the shim touch the bolts (Figure 5-19).



Figure 5-19 Push Up Shim

ii. Pull out the shim (Figure 5-20).



Figure 5-20 Remove Shim

- iii. Relocate and insert the shim to its new position.
- iv. Push the shim down into position.
- i. Torque all hardware as appropriate for its material and size.
- 5. If necessary, use the external support bracket as a template to drill holes in the desired support structure. Ensure the mast system is level in all directions during drilling.
- 6. Ensure the mast system is level in all directions. If necessary, spacers may be added between the external support bracket and the support structure to keep the correct alignment between the external support bracket and the support structure.



7. Secure the external support bracket to the support structure with (6) sets of <sup>3</sup>/<sub>6</sub> inch hardware. The bolts should be sized to length to allow for the thickness of the external support bracket, support structure, any spaces, and all mounting hardware (e.g. flat washers, lock washers, and nuts). The mounting hardware must include a proper means to resist vibration loosening such as thread-locking compound or locking hardware. Torque all hardware as appropriate for its size and grade.

### 5.7.2.6 Secure the Base Plate to the Mounting Surface

To secure the base plate to the mounting surface:

- 1. If necessary, use the base plate as a template to drill holes through the mounting surface.
- 2. Ensure the base plate and mast are level in all directions. It is necessary to check the mast in two places 90° apart when leveling.
- 3. Secure the base plate to the mounting surface with appropriate hardware. To secure the base plate, the hardware bag contains:
  - a. (4) <sup>3</sup>/<sub>8</sub>-16x1-<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> inch Bolts (P/N: 901594)
  - b. (4) Flat Washers (P/N: 2054)
  - c. (4) Lock Washers (P/N: 0801)
  - d. (4) Nuts (P/N: 901593)

Note: Ultra Heavy Duty masts contain (6) units of hardware instead of (4) units

Depending on the customer-specific mounting application, other (customer-supplied) hardware may be required. The mounting hardware must include proper means to resist vibration loosening such as thread-locking compound or locking hardware. Torque to 190-240 in.-lb.



### 5.7.2.7 Install the Turning Handles (Rotatable Mast Systems Only)

Rotatable Base Plate Kits for Standard Duty and Heavy Duty masts ship with turning handles to assist in rotating the mast. Super Heavy Duty and Ultra Heavy Duty masts do not use turning handles.

To secure the turning handles:

- 1. Determine the desired location for the turning handles. If feasible, The Will-Burt Company recommends installing above the drain hole. Do not cover drain hole with the turning handles.
- 2. Secure the band clamp halves together around the mast with:
  - (2) <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>-20x1.50 Hex HD Bolts (P/N: 2000)
  - (2) <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>-20 Nyloc Nuts (P/N: 1930)

Tighten the turning handle bolts just enough to allow the turning handles to turn the mast without slipping. Overtightening the turning handle bolts can deform the base tube and impede the movement of the next internal section.

For masts with:

- Ø 5.00 Inch Base Tube: Torque to 60 in.-lb. Maximum
- Ø 6.75 Inch Base Tube: Torque to 100 in.-lb. Maximum
- Ø 9.00 Inch Base Tube: Torque to 120 in.-lb. Maximum

The mounting hardware must include proper means to resist vibration loosening, such as thread-locking compound or locking hardware.

#### 5.7.2.8 Finalize Installation of Mast System

Once the mast is installed, see Section 5.8 for information on the installation of the following components:

- Drain Kit Installation (Optional) (Section 5.8.1)
- Pneumatic System Installation (Section 5.8.2)
- Magnetic Warning Kit Installation (Section 5.8.3)



# 5.8 Complete Mast System Installation

The process and images shown in this section describe a possible method of installing the:

- Drain Kit (Optional for external mounting applications)
- Pneumatic System
- Magnetic Warning Kit

Depending on the environment, other methods of installation may work better. Use the best and safest method for your circumstances. Complete mast installation before installing these components. See Figure 5-21 and Figure 5-22 for the general layout of the system.

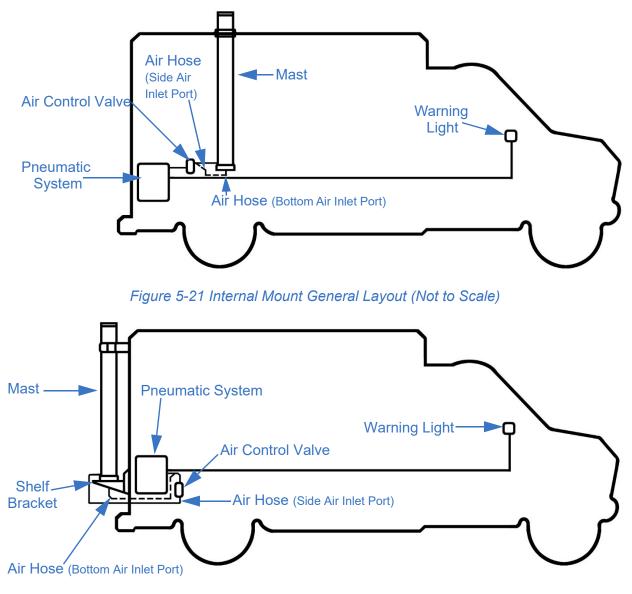


Figure 5-22 External Mount General Layout (Not to Scale)



### 5.8.1 Drain Kit Installation

Keeping water out of the mast is vital to avoid potential delays in operations and damage to the mast. Water can enter the mast through condensation in the air supply, or by rain running down the tubes and entering at the collars. Water that freezes in the mast can cause the mast to work erratically, or not at all.

The drain hole on the base tube and weep holes on the intermediate tubes are located to facilitate the drainage of water during periods of extension. The Drain Kit is designed to route water from inside the mast to outside of the vehicle or enclosure. The Drain Kit is intended to protect the interior of a vehicle or other water sensitive area from damage due to water drainage. Drain Kit installation is not required for externally mounted masts but can be installed to protect foreign matter from entering the mast and direct the water as it leaves the mast.

A drain cock, provided in the hardware bag, should also be connected to the air inlet near the base of the mast and located at the lowest point. The drain cock shall be opened when the mast is not in use, or when a locking mast is deployed and depressurized, to empty water that may accumulate inside the base tube, particularly after the mast has been exposed to rain. Installation of the drain cock is described as part of installation of the Pneumatic System (Section 5.8.2).

To install the Drain Kit:

1. Be certain the locknut and washer are threaded over the end of the ¼ inch (6.35 mm) hose adaptor (Figure 5-23).

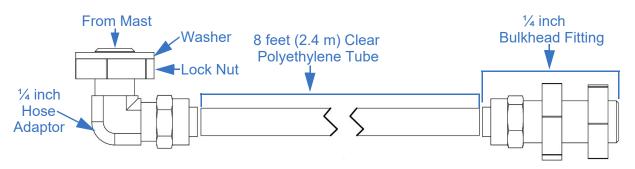


Figure 5-23 Drain Kit (P/N: 902982)



2. Fasten the hose adaptor to the drain hole (Figure 5-24). Apply PTFE Tape to all threaded joints. Turn the hose adaptor in ONLY 1 ½ to 2 times after initial engagement of the threads. Turning further will damage the mast. Tighten the locknut to secure the hose adaptor in place. Overtightening could cause the hose adaptor to contact the moving intermediate tube.

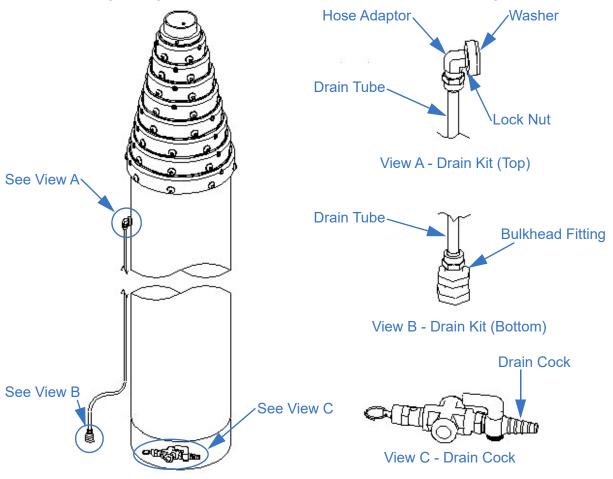


Figure 5-24 Drain Kit Installation

- 3. Drill a hole in the vehicle or enclosure to route the water outside.
- 4. Fasten the bulkhead fitting (Figure 5-23) to the hole.
- 5. Attach the polyethylene tube to the hose adaptor and the bulkhead fitting (Figure 5-23). As necessary, the polyethylene tube may be cut shorter to fit the customer-specific application. Apply PTFE Tape to all threaded joints.





### 5.8.2 Pneumatic System Installation

This section describes general principles to keep in mind during installation of the Pneumatic System. Depending on the components of the mast system and the environment, the exact configuration of the Pneumatic System may vary. Use the best and safest method for your circumstance. Use only CE marked systems for use in EU.

Air to operate the mast may be provided by an air compressor or other source of clean dry air. The Pneumatic System should be regulated to not exceed the maximum operating pressure of the mast. The maximum recommended operating pressure is:

- 20 PSIG (1.4 bar) for Standard Duty masts
- 35 PSIG (2.4 bar) for Heavy Duty, Super Heavy Duty, and Ultra Heavy Duty masts

### 5.8.2.1 General Concepts

When installing the Pneumatic System, keep the following in mind:

- **Mounting:** When mounting the Pneumatic System, leave enough space around the unit for ventilation and for access to make initial installation, periodic adjustments, and future maintenance procedures as easy as possible. To reduce vibration in the system, place rubber washers or grommets on the bolts between the mounting pads and the mounting surface. To reduce noise, separate the system from inside the workspace (e.g. the workspace of a vehicle).
- **Electrical:** In accordance with applicable electrical codes, select the proper wiring size, circuit breakers, or fuse size according to the maximum current draw of the Pneumatic System being installed. Refer to the rating information plate on the compressor motor. Be sure to properly ground the compressor motor and all other electrical components. Operation of the compressor may cause interference unless proper isolation or shielding is used. A qualified electrician should perform installation and adjustments.
- Air Supply: The air supply should have adequate ventilation to provide a sufficient amount of clean, dry air at the air intake at all times. The air supply should not be operated without the air filters in place.
- Air Control Valve: An air control valve should be installed to direct airflow in and out of the mast. The air control valve should be positioned to avoid unintentional operation. Mast movement should stop when the controller or switch is released (hold-to-run type). The air control valve should be operable by a person wearing gloves and mounted so it can be used with the mast in full view. The air control valve should be suitable for outdoor use, and marked "Up", "Down", or similar.

Note: For some Pneumatic Systems, an air control valve may not be necessary.

• **Drain and Relief Fittings:** A drain cock and safety valve must be installed to an air inlet port at the base of the mast. The drain cock empties water that may have accumulated inside the mast. The drain cock shall be opened to drain the mast when not in use, or when a locking mast is extended and depressurized. The drain cock should be left open once the mast is fully retracted. The safety valve prevents the mast from being over-pressurized.



Plumbing: A length of air hose with an ID of <sup>3</sup>/<sub>8</sub> inch (9.5 mm), plus additional loose fittings, are supplied with a The Will-Burt Company Pneumatic System if purchased. The air hose can be cut to the required length at installation. A drain hose should be attached to the exhaust port of the air control valve to drain condensation or oil mist that may exhaust from the mast. Do not remove any hose without first completely exhausting all air from the mast and then disconnecting the power supply.

### 5.8.2.2 General Procedures

This section describes general procedures and concepts to use when installing the Pneumatic System. Depending on the components and configuration of your system, the exact steps and procedures may vary. Use the best and safest method for your system.

Figure 5-25 shows the general layout of a pneumatic system. The exact configuration will vary based on the components being used in the specific system.

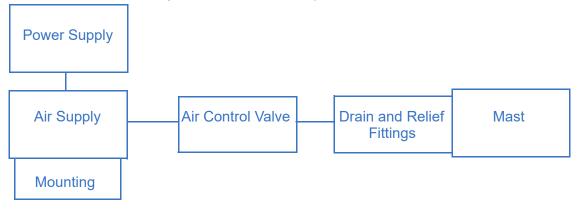


Figure 5-25 General Pneumatic System Layout



To install the Pneumatic System:

- 1. Locate the hardware bag (Section 3.3.1.1). Components from the hardware bag will be used during installation of the Pneumatic System.
- 2. Locate the air inlet port to be used. Depending on the configuration of the mast, there may be more than one air inlet port available. When installing the Pneumatic System, only use one air inlet port.
  - To use the air inlet port with the plastic plug:
    - a. Remove the plastic plug. This plug is for thread protection only and the mast should never be pressurized with this plug installed.
  - To use the air inlet port with the stainless steel plug:
    - a. Remove the plastic plug.
    - b. Remove the stainless steel plug. For:
      - Standard Duty masts, install a customer-supplied ¼ inch (6.35 mm) stainless steel plug in the air inlet port that is not going to be used to attach the Pneumatic System. Pipe thread sealant or PTFE tape should be applied to minimize leakage.
      - Heavy Duty, Super Heavy Duty, and Ultra Heavy Duty masts, install the stainless steel plug in the air inlet port that is not going to be used to attach the Pneumatic System. Pipe thread sealant or PTFE tape should be applied to minimize leakage.

Note: The plastic plug is for thread protection only. The mast should never be pressurized with the plastic plug installed. Ensure any unused air inlet port is plugged with a stainless steel plug.



3. Attach the brass cross to the desired air inlet port with a close nipple (Figure 5-26). Heavy Duty, Super Heavy Duty, and Ultra Heavy Duty masts also require a bushing. Apply PTFE tape to all threaded joints. If necessary, an air hose may be used to connect between the air inlet port and the brass cross, however, the brass cross should be installed as close to the mast as possible to ensure proper drainage.

Note: If desired, swivel fittings (P/N: 900481 and P/N: 900483) are available for use with the bottom air inlet port.

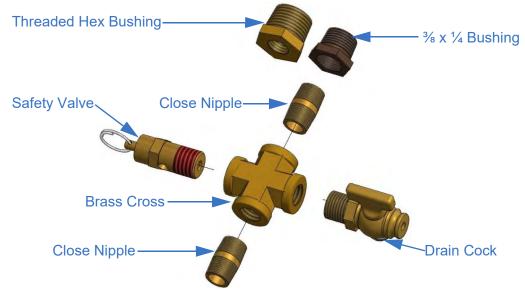


Figure 5-26 Pneumatic System Installation

- 4. Attach the safety valve to the brass cross. Apply PTFE tape to all threaded joints.
- 5. Attach the drain cock to the brass cross. Apply PTFE tape to all threaded joints.

Note: The drain cock should be located at the lowest point. When the mast is not in use, or when a locking mast is deployed and depressurized, the drain cock shall be left open.

6. If necessary, mount the air supply to the mounting structure with appropriate hardware. The mounting hardware must include proper means to resist vibration loosening such as thread-locking compound or locking hardware. Torque all hardware as appropriate for its size and grade.

Note: The air supply should not be operated without air filters in place.

7. Connect the air supply to the brass cross with air hose and a close nipple. Apply PTFE tape to all threaded joints.

Note: Depending on the air supply used, it may be necessary to install an air control valve inline between the air supply and the brass cross.

8. If necessary, connect the power supply to the air supply. Be certain to observe any local codes or regulations.



## 5.8.3 Magnetic Warning Kit Installation

When installing the mast system on a vehicle, the Magnetic Warning Kit shall be installed to provide a warning against moving the vehicle while the mast is partially or fully extended. When correctly installed, flashing lights will indicate partial or full extension of the mast when the ignition is on. When the mast is properly nested, or the ignition is off, the lights will cease to illuminate. The lead to the positive battery terminal should be connected to the ignition switch so the lights will only illuminate when the mast is extended, and the ignition is on. The operator should always visually confirm that the mast is entirely retracted before moving the vehicle. Be certain to observe any local codes or regulations.

To install the Magnetic Warning Kit:

1. Tie one end of a piece of string to the top of the magnet (Figure 5-27).

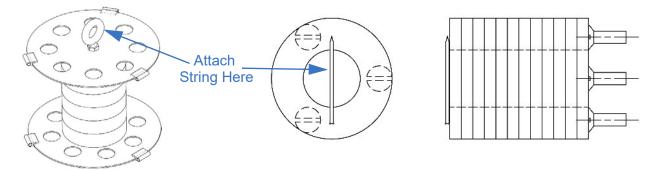


Figure 5-27 Magnet

- 2. Carefully lower the magnet into the top of the top tube.
- 3. Using the string, lower the magnet to the bottom. It is important that the magnet is resting on the bottom end of the top tube. Cut off the excess string.
- 4. Assemble the Magnetic Switch Assembly and the stainless steel band.



5. Attach the Magnetic Switch Assembly loosely around the base tube approximately 6 to 20 inches (15 to 51 cm) above the base plate (Figure 5-28). The Magnetic Switch Assembly can be located anywhere around the perimeter of the base tube.

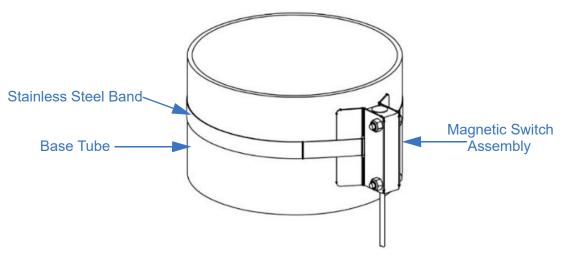


Figure 5-28 Magnetic Switch Assembly Attached to Base Tube

- 6. For applications with a relay, mount the relay. Do not mount the relay any closer than 6 inches (15 cm) from the Magnetic Switch Assembly that is clamped to the mast. When energized, the relay produces an electromagnetic field that could affect the performance of the reed switch in the Magnetic Switch Assembly if the relay is mounted too close.
- 7. Mount the flasher, keeping in mind that wire will eventually need to be routed from the Magnetic Switch Assembly to the flasher. In applications with a relay, the wire will be routed from the Magnetic Switch Assembly to the relay and then to the flasher.
- 8. Mount the lights, keeping in mind that wire will eventually need to be routed from the flasher to the lights. One flashing light should be mounted to the vehicle dash in full view of the driver.



- 9. For mast models:
  - a. 5-20, 6-27, 7-34, 8-30, 6-25, and 7-30: Use 16 AWG stranded wire (customer-supplied) to connect the flasher and lights to the wires exiting the Magnetic Switch Assembly (Figure 5-29).

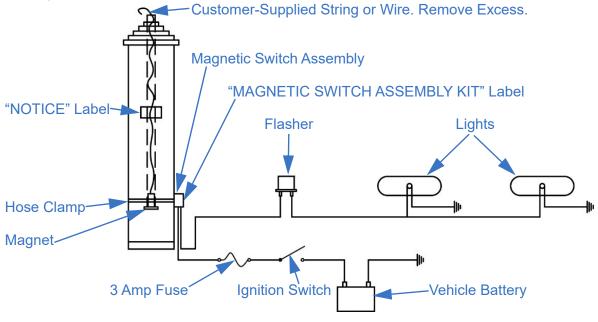


Figure 5-29 Wire the Magnetic Switch Assembly Kit

b. 10-38, 12-48, 7-42, 8.5-48, 9-50, 8.5-52, 9.5-56, 9-58, 10-60, 9-50, 10.3-60, 10.8-76, 8-39, 11.3-59, 9.8-65.6, and 14.3-80: Use 16 AWG stranded wire (customer-supplied) to connect the flasher, lights, and relay to the wires exiting the Magnetic Switch Assembly (Figure 5-30 and Figure 5-31).

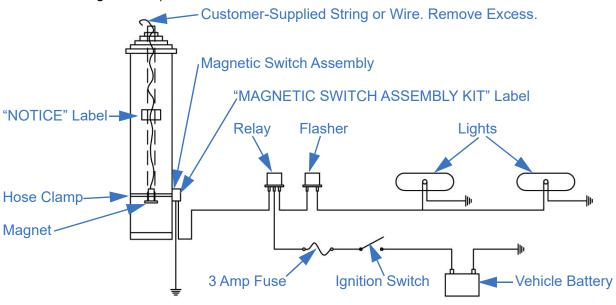


Figure 5-30 Wire the Magnetic Switch Assembly Kit



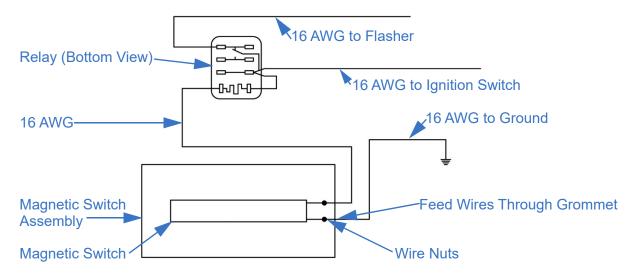


Figure 5-31 Relay and Magnetic Switch Assembly Wiring

- 10. Use customer-supplied 16 AWG stranded wire to connect the Magnetic Switch Assembly to vehicle power through the ignition.
- 11. Ensure:
  - a. The mast is fully nested.
  - b. The flasher and lights are installed and connected to the ignition through the battery.
  - c. The ignition is on.

Note: The light should be flashing unless the switch is in contact with the magnet assembly.

- 12. Slide the Magnetic Switch Assembly up and down the lower two feet (60 cm) of the base tube to locate the Magnet Assembly inside the tube. When the Magnet Assembly is located, the lights will stop flashing. The vertical sensing range should be about 1 to 3 inches (2.5 to 7.5 cm).
- 13. Tighten the band to clamp the Switch Assembly within the sensing range ensuring it is not lower than 1 inch (2.5 cm) above the lower limit of the sensing range. The 1 inch (2.5 cm) allows for seasonal variations in the top tube position.
- 14. Attach the "NOTICE" label in a visible area on the base tube (Figure 5-30).
- 15. Attach the "MAGNETIC EXTENSION WARNING KIT" label to the Magnetic Switch Assembly (Figure 5-30).
- 16. Extend the mast 1 to 2 feet (31 to 61 cm) and then nest the mast. Repeat several times to test the Magnetic Warning Kit. For information on operating the Mast System, see Section 6.3.



# 5.9 Additional Accessory Installation

Depending on the configuration of the mast system, optional components selected, or the installation environment, additional accessories such as cable guides, Nycoil<sup>®</sup> Baskets, and positioners may need to be installed. Install any additional accessories as appropriate. Contact The Will-Burt Company with any questions before performing any installation procedures.

# 5.10 Test the Installation

Follow all precautions while testing the mast system installation.

To test the installation:

- 1. Review the Pre-Operation Check.
- 2. Prepare the mast system for operation.
- 3. Extend the mast.
- 4. For rotatable applications, rotate the mast.
- 5. Lower the mast.

Note: The drain cock shall remain open to drain water when the mast is not in use. The drain cock shall be opened while a locking mast is deployed and depressurized to drain water. It is not uncommon to have mast grease exit the drain or exhaust valve on initial mast use.

See Section 6 for additional details on these procedures.



# 5.11 Install Payload

The exact installation procedures for payload will vary based on the customer-specific payload and payload platform or stub adaptor being used. For optimal performance, center the payload as best as possible. If the payload must be offset, offset the payload in-line with the keys. Contact The Will-Burt Company with any questions before performing any installation procedures.

In general, to install the payload:

- 1. Ensure the air supply is disconnected, and the drain cock is opened while installing the payload to eliminate the possibility of inadvertent mast extension.
- 2. If necessary, remove the mast top cover.

Note: If the payload is removed, the mast top cover should be put back on.

- 3. Carefully move the payload into position.
- 4. Properly secure the payload to the mast. The mounting hardware must include proper means to resist vibration loosening, such as thread-locking compound or locking hardware. Torque all hardware as appropriate for its size and grade.

Note: If securing a payload part-way along a mast tube, be sure not to overtighten the tube, or damage to the mast could occur. Intermediate tubes clamps are available to assist in attaching payloads to the intermediate tubes. See www.willburt.com for additional information.



# 6 **Operation**

This section describes the operation of the mast system. Use care to understand and follow all precautions while operating.

# 6.1 **Pre-Operation Check**

Before operating the mast system, ensure:

- All operators read and understand the entire operation procedure and are properly trained.
- The mast system is undamaged. If damage is apparent, do not use the mast system, and have it serviced prior to use.
- All electrical cables are undamaged and properly terminated.
- The area is free of power lines or other overhead obstructions. The mast system location should be no closer than a horizontal distance equal to the extended height of the mast away from power lines.
- Any objects that might obstruct motion of the mast system, cause binding, or hinder mast system function are removed.
- The mast system and payload are properly installed.
- When using a vehicle, the vehicle is not moving and is on level terrain.
  - The mast can be operated on terrain having a slope up to 5° of vertical for Standard Duty masts and Heavy Duty masts with extended heights up to 60 feet, and within 3° of vertical for Heavy Duty masts with extended heights greater than 60 feet and Super Heavy Duty masts.
  - Ultra Heavy Duty masts extended up to 60 feet (18.2 m) can be operated on terrain having a slope up to 5° of vertical for payloads 200 lb. (90.7 kg) or less, 4° of vertical for payloads 200 lb. to 800 lb. (90.7 kg to 362.9 kg), and 2° of vertical for payloads 800 lb. to 1,200 lb. (362.9 kg to 544.3 kg).
  - Ultra Heavy Duty masts extended 60 ft. to 80 ft. (18.2 m to 24.4 m) can be operated on terrain having a slope up to 4° of vertical for payloads 600 lb. (272.2 kg) or less and 1° of verticals for payloads 600 lb. to 1,200 lb. (272.2 kg to 544.3 kg).
- Any transit tie-downs have been removed.
- The mast system area is free of personnel.
- The operator has full view of the mast system during use.



# 6.2 **Operation Equipment**

Table 6-1 lists recommended equipment for operation.

#### Table 6-1 Equipment Recommended for Operation

Recommended Equipment*		
Personal Protective		
Safety Glasses	Work Gloves	Nitrile or Vinyl Gloves
Hearing Protection	Hard Hat or Helmet	Safety Shoes
* Depending on the local, regional, and national standards and codes of practice, and the environment, additional personal protective equipment may be necessary.		

# 6.3 Mast Operation

This section describes operation of the mast system. The exact operating procedures will vary based on the configuration of your mast system. Follow the appropriate operation procedures for your mast system.

Operation of the mast system is described as follows:

- Prepare the Mast System for Operation (Section 6.3.1)
- Non-Locking Mast Operation (Section 6.3.2)
- Locking Mast with T-Handle Yoke Assembly Operation (Section 6.3.3)
- Locking Mast with Trip Lines Operation (Section 6.3.4)

Note, in general:

When extending masts with both T-Handle Yoke Assemblies and trip lines:

- 1. Extend the mast sections with T-Handle Yoke Assemblies according to Section 6.3.3.
- 2. Properly guy the extended mast sections according to the Guy Kit.
- 3. Extend the mast sections with trip lines according to Section 6.3.4.

When lowering masts with both T-Handle Yoke Assemblies and trip lines:

- 1. Lower the mast sections with trip lines according to Section 6.3.4.
- 2. Properly decrease the tension for the guy lines for the mast sections with T-Handle Yoke Assemblies.
- 3. Lower the mast sections with T-Handle Yoke Assemblies according to Section 6.3.3.



# 6.3.1 **Prepare the Mast System for Operation**

To prepare the mast system for operation:

- Ensure the mast system is stationary on level, stable ground.
- Perform the Pre-Operation Check (Section 6.1).
- Prepare the pneumatic system for operation. As part of this:
  - Close the drain cock.
  - Connect the air supply to the mast.
  - If necessary, connect power to the air supply.
- If necessary, secure any cables to the mast.
- If necessary, secure the payload to the mast (Section 5.11).
- Ensure the proper personnel are available to operate the mast. For applications using guy lines, a minimum of:
  - (2) People are necessary to operate the guy lines (Guy lines must be operated opposite of each other).
  - (1) Person must observe the mast to ensure it is standing straight and not leaning in any direction. For taller masts, binoculars may be required.
  - (1) Person must operate the pneumatic system. It may be possible for the person observing the mast to also operate the pneumatic system.
- Ensure the mast is only being operated in safe wind speeds. Deployment and retraction wind speeds are payload dependent, however, the mast can typically be deployed and retracted in winds speeds up to 25 mph (40 km/h) assuming:
  - 12 inch maximum offset payload from mast centerline.
  - Mast deployment angle is:
    - 5° of vertical for Standard Duty and Heavy Duty masts with extended heights ≤ 60 feet.
    - 5° of vertical for Ultra Heavy Duty masts with payloads 200 lb. (90.7 kg) or less when extended up to 60 feet.
    - 4° of vertical for Ultra Heavy Duty masts with payloads 200 lb. to 800 lb. (90.7 kg to 362.9 kg) when extended up to 60 feet.
    - 2° of vertical for Ultra Heavy Duty masts with payloads 800 lb. to 1,200 lb. (362.9 kg to 544.3 kg) when extended up to 60 feet.
    - 3° of vertical for Heavy Duty masts with extended heights > 60 feet.
    - 3° for all Super Heavy Duty masts.
    - 4° of vertical for Ultra Heavy Duty masts with payloads 600 lb. (272.2 kg) or less when extended 60 to 80 feet (18.2 to 24.4 m).
    - 1° of verticals for Ultra Heavy Duty masts with payloads 600 lb. to 1,200 lb. (272.2 kg to 544.3 kg) when extended 60 to 80 feet (18.2 to 24.4 m).
    - Note: Sail area could impact the mast deployment angle if the wind is blowing in the direction of the tilt. Consult factory.
  - Operating Temperature -20°C to 60°C (-4°F to 140°F).

Check with The Will-Burt Company's Engineering for additional wind information for customer-specific loading scenarios.



## 6.3.2 Non-Locking Mast Operation

The following are detailed steps of operation of the Non-Locking mast.

## 6.3.2.1 Extend the Mast

This section describes extending the mast. Depending on the system configuration, it is possible to extend the mast with either powered or manual operation. When manually operating the mast, ensure all electrical circuits are de-energized and properly tagged to prevent injury during operation.

As mast tubes extend, they force water out of the weep holes. Keep any personnel or sensitive equipment away from the weep hole direction while extending the mast.

To extend the mast:

- 1. Prepare the Mast System for Operation (Section 6.3.1).
- 2. If necessary, remove the mast top cover.
- 3. If necessary, secure the payload to the mast (Section 5.11).
- 4. Ensure the payload will have enough clearance as the mast is extended.
- 5. Pressurize the mast. Maintain visual contact throughout extension to avoid overhead obstructions and cable entanglements. Do not exceed the maximum recommended operating pressure of the mast at any time. The maximum recommended operating pressure is:
  - 20 PSIG (1.4 bar) for Standard Duty masts
  - 35 PSIG (2.4 bar) for Heavy Duty, Super Heavy Duty, and Ultra Heavy Duty masts

Stop pressurizing the mast when the desired height is achieved. The mast must remain pressurized to maintain its height. Note that partially extended, Non-Locking masts may move due to internal air temperature changes.



## 6.3.2.2 Rotate the Mast (Rotatable Mast Applications Only)

Applications using a rotatable base plate can be rotated.

To rotate the mast:

1. Loosen the locking screws (Figure 6-1) on the base plate approximately one turn.

Note: The appearance of the rotating base plate may vary based on the mast system configuration.

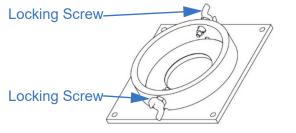


Figure 6-1 Locking Screws (P/N: 5074601 Shown)

2. For Standard Duty and Heavy Duty masts, use the turning handles to rotate the mast as desired. Maintain visual contact throughout rotation to avoid obstructions and to ensure tubing and cables are not tangled or damaged during rotation.

For Super Heavy Duty masts, insert a customer-supplied rod into one of the four holes in the tube head to provide leverage to turn the mast (Figure 6-2). As necessary, the rod can be moved between holes.

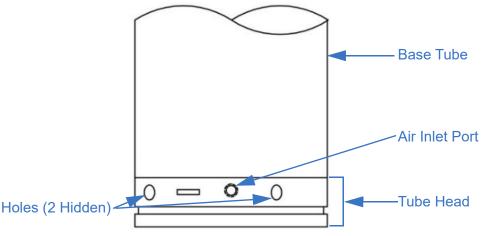


Figure 6-2 Bottom of Rotatable Super Heavy Duty Mast (P/N: 909426 Shown)

3. Re-tighten the locking screws to hold the position. Lock the mast in place by tightening the locking screws on the base plate at all times unless the mast is to be rotated.



## 6.3.2.3 Lower the Mast

To lower the mast:

- 1. Ensure the payload will have enough clearance when nested. For applications using a rotatable base plate, if necessary, rotate the mast (Section 6.3.2.2) so the payload will have the necessary clearance to nest.
- 2. Exhaust air from the mast. The mast will retract by its own weight, and the weight of the payload. Maintain visual contact with the mast during retraction to avoid cable and/or payload hang-ups.
- 3. Periodically open the drain cock when exhausting the mast to drain off any accumulated water.
- 4. Disconnect the air supply while the mast is not in use to eliminate the possibility of inadvertent mast extension.
- 5. Open the drain cock when the mast is not in use. If the drain cock is not left open when not in use, it can collect condensation and fill up with water. This water can freeze, which causes the mast to not function correctly or break.

Note: The operator should always visually confirm the mast is entirely retracted before moving the vehicle. For further information on transporting the mast system, see Section 7.

## 6.3.3 Locking Mast with T-Handle Yoke Assemblies Operation

The following are detailed steps of operation of the locking mast with T-Handle Yoke Assemblies.

## 6.3.3.1 Extend the Mast

This section describes extending the mast. Depending on the system configuration, it is possible to extend the mast with either powered or manual operation. When manually operating the mast, ensure all electrical circuits are de-energized and properly tagged to prevent injury during operation.

As mast tubes extend, they force water out of the weep holes. Keep any personnel or sensitive equipment away from the weep hole direction while extending the mast.

To extend the mast:

- 1. Prepare the Mast System for Operation (Section 6.3.1).
- 2. Remove the mast top cover.
- 3. Secure the payload to the mast (Section 5.11).





4. If guy lines are used, attach the guy lines to the color-coded lugs on the collars. If cable guides are present, ensure the guy lines are outside the cable guides for the collars below where they attach (Figure 6-3).

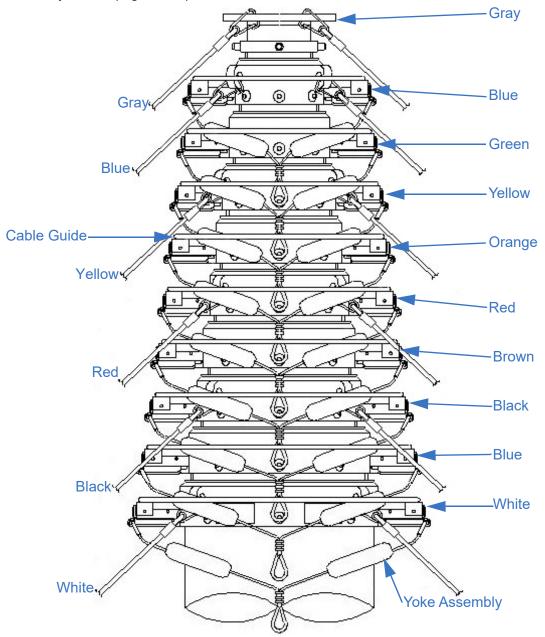


Figure 6-3 Sample of Guy Line Attachment on a Mast with Cable Guides (Mast with Trip Lines Shown)



5. Prior to extending the mast, The Will-Burt Company recommends laying out any guy lines so they do not become tangled during extension (Figure 6-4).

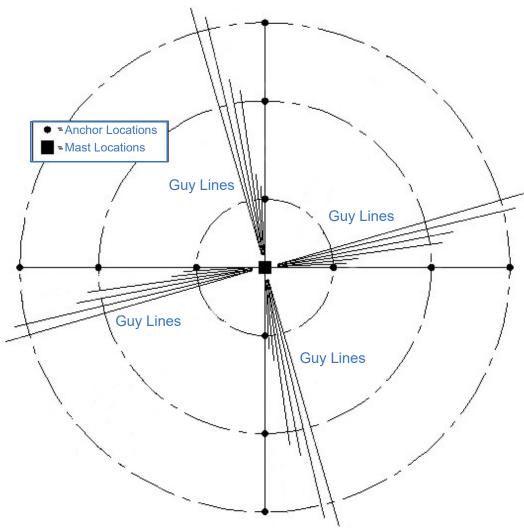


Figure 6-4 Sample of Laying Out Guy Lines (Mast with 4 Way 5 Level Guying Shown)

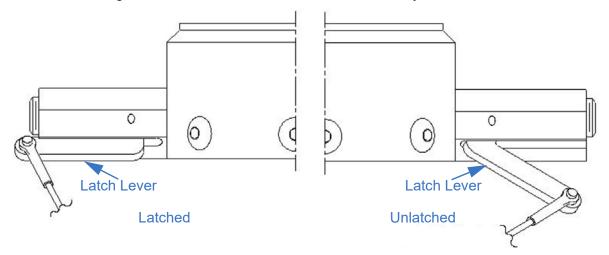
- 6. If guy lines are used, find the ground anchor locations and install the ground anchors.
- 7. Ensure the payload has enough clearance as the mast is extended.
- 8. With the mast depressurized, lightly pull down the top T-Handle attached to the smallest collar. Do not pull hard, tug, or jerk on the T-Handle (this may cause damage to the mast locks). Typically, only approximately 5 to 10 lb. (2.3 to 4.5 kg) of pressure is necessary.

Note: The mast tubes of a mast with T-Handle Yoke Assemblies are extended from smallest to largest mast tube.



9. Pressurize the mast while continuing to hold down the T-Handle. While pressurizing the mast, you should feel the locks unlatch without needing to apply substantial pressure. Observe the latch levers (Figure 6-5) to confirm they have unlatched. When unlocked, they should both be pointing down at about a 45° angle from the collar ears. It is possible for the latch levers to be at a slight angle and still be latched.

Continue holding down the T-Handle until the mast tube is fully extended.



#### Figure 6-5 Latch Lever Positions

Maintain visual contact throughout extension to avoid overhead obstructions and to ensure none of the cables become tangled or snag on anything. Do not over-pressurize the mast. Over-pressurizing the mast could cause locks to jam. Do not exceed the maximum recommended operating pressure of the mast at any time. The maximum recommended operating pressure is:

- 20 PSIG (1.4 bar) for Standard Duty masts
- 35 PSIG (2.4 bar) for Heavy Duty, Super Heavy Duty, and Ultra Heavy Duty masts
- 10. When the mast tube is fully extended, release the T-Handle and stop pressurizing the mast. The spring-loaded latch pins will lock this tube in the extended position.
- 11. Exhaust all air from the mast to confirm the mast tube is locked. If the tube comes down, repeat steps 7 to 11.
- 12. Repeat the same procedure for each subsequent mast tube going from smallest to largest. Stop extending the mast when the desired height is achieved. Any combination of tubes can be extended if the full height of the mast is not required.

Note: When leaving a mast partially extended in potentially freezing conditions, follow the *Weatherizing Instructions for Pneumatic Masts* (TP-4744301).

13. Exhaust all air.



14. Open the drain cock for prolonged deployment to release air pressure and allow for drainage of water which may enter the mast. The drain cock shall be opened while a locking mast is deployed and depressurized to drain water.

Note: When the mast is not in use, leave the drain cock open. If the drain cock is not left open when not in use, it can collect condensation and fill up with water. This water can freeze, which causes the mast to not function correctly or break.

15. Applications using a rotatable base plate can be rotated. Depending on the mast system configuration, it may be necessary to adjust additional components such as guy lines or trip lines when rotating the mast.

To rotate the mast:

a. Loosen the locking screws (Figure 6-6) on the base plate approximately one turn.

Note: The appearance of the rotating base plate may vary based on the mast system configuration.

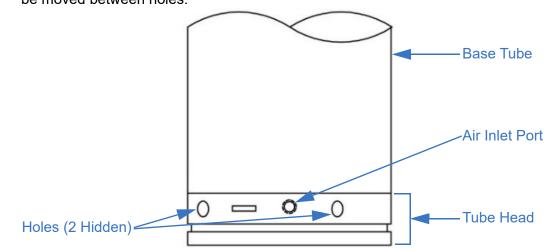
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Figure 6-6 Locking Screws (P/N: 5074601 Shown)

b. For Standard Duty and Heavy Duty masts, use the turning handles to rotate the mast as desired. Maintain visual contact throughout rotation to avoid obstructions and to ensure tubing and cables are not tangled or damaged during rotation.

For Super Heavy Duty masts, insert a customer-supplied rod into one of the four holes in

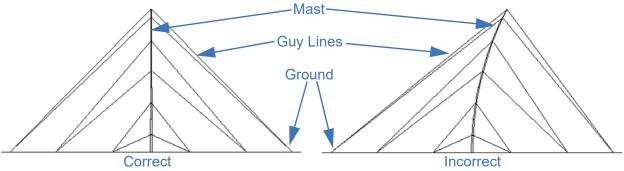




the tube head to provide leverage to turn the mast (Figure 6-7). As necessary, the rod can be moved between holes.

Figure 6-7 Bottom of Rotatable Super Heavy Duty Mast (P/N: 909426 Shown)

- c. Re-tighten the locking screws to hold the position. Lock the mast in place by tightening the locking screws on the base plate at all times unless the mast is being rotated.
- 16. If guy lines are used, properly secure and tension the guy lines immediately after raising the mast. The installer shall verify the guy anchor point strength is adequate to support the guy line forces. All guy lines should be equally tensioned. Beginning at two locations opposite each other, gradually tension each guy line. Vertical alignment of the mast is accomplished by observing the mast perpendicularly to the two guy lines being tensioned to ensure the mast is standing straight, and is not bending too far towards one side (Figure 6-8). Adjust the appropriate guy line as necessary to keep the mast plumb vertically. Check one day after initial install. Check periodically afterwards.





17. Open the drain cock for prolonged deployment to release air pressure and allow for drainage of water which may enter the mast. The drain cock shall be opened while a locking mast is deployed and depressurized to drain water.

## 6.3.3.2 Lower the Mast

To lower the mast:



- 1. Ensure the payload will have enough clearance when nested. For applications using a rotatable base plate, if necessary, rotate the mast (Section 6.3.3.1, Step 14) so the payload will have the necessary clearance to nest.
- 2. Close the drain cock.
- 3. If guy lines are used, decrease the tension on guy lines until there is slack in the lines. Never attempt to unlock a mast collar with tension on the guy lines above it. When decreasing tension on the guy lines, begin at two locations opposite of each other, and gradually decrease tension on each guy line while observing to ensure the mast is not bending too far towards one side.

Note: Do not leave mast systems that require guy lines unguyed. If the mast system has not been lowered, and personnel will not be available to operate the guy lines, re-guy the mast.

- 4. Pressurize the mast to lift the payload weight off the latch pins. The latch pins should move freely with proper pressure. Do not over-pressurize the mast. Over-pressurizing the mast could cause locks to jam.
- 5. While pressurizing the mast, lightly pull down the bottom T-Handle attached to the largest collar. Do not pull hard, tug, or jerk on the T-Handle, or damage to the mast locks could occur. Typically, only approximately 5 to 10 lb. (2.3 to 4.5 kg) of pressure will be necessary.

You should feel the locks open without needing to apply substantial pressure. Observe the latch levers to confirm they have unlocked. When unlocked, they should both be pointing down at about a 45° angle from the collar ears.

6. Exhaust air from the mast while continuing to hold down the T-Handle until the internal tube is retracted. The mast will retract by its own weight, and the weight of the payload. Maintain visual contact with the mast during retraction to avoid cable and/or payload hang-ups.

For systems using guy lines, gently pull guy lines away from the mast as it is lowered. Keeping guy lines organized will facilitate coiling the guy lines for storage, or preparing the guy lines for the next mast extension.

- 7. When the internal tube is retracted, stop exhausting air from the mast, and release the T-Handle. The spring-loaded latch pins will lock this tube in the nested position.
- 8. Repeat the same procedure for each subsequent tube going from largest to smallest until the mast is completely nested.
- 9. Periodically open the drain cock when exhausting the mast to drain off any accumulated water.
- 10. Disconnect the air supply while the mast is not in use to eliminate the possibility of inadvertent mast extension.
- 11. Remove the guy lines.
- 12. Remove the payload.



- 13. Fit the mast top cover over the mast and secure it in place to protect the mast from water and debris.
- 14. Open the drain cock when the mast is not in use.

Note: The operator should always visually confirm the mast is entirely retracted before moving the vehicle. For further information on transporting the mast system, see Section 7.

## 6.3.4 Locking Mast with Trip Lines Operation

The following are detailed steps of operation of the locking mast with trip lines. Trip lines are used to enable a mast to be guyed as it is being extended. As appropriate, guy each section according to the guy kit before extending the next section.

## 6.3.4.1 Extend the Mast

This section describes extending the mast. Depending on the system configuration, it is possible to extend the mast with either powered or manual operation. When manually operating the mast, ensure all electrical circuits are de-energized and properly tagged to prevent injury during operation.

As mast tubes extend, they force water out of the weep holes. Keep any personnel or sensitive equipment away from the weep hole direction while extending the mast.

To extend the mast:

- 1. Prepare the Mast System for Operation (Section 6.3.1).
- 2. Remove the mast top cover.
- 3. Secure the payload to the mast (Section 5.11).



4. Attach the guy lines to the color-coded lugs on the collars. If cable guides are present, ensure the guy lines are outside the cable guides for the collars below where they attach (Figure 6-9).

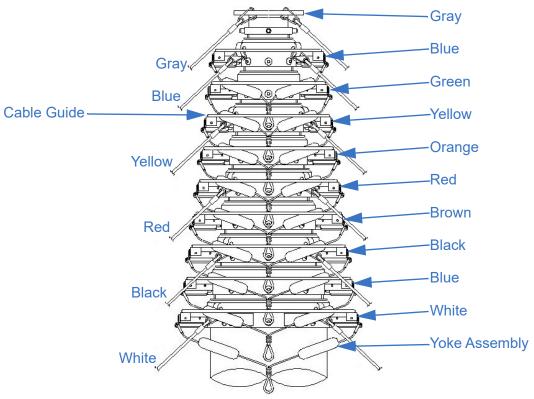


Figure 6-9 Sample of Guy Line Attachment on a Mast with Cable Guides (Mast with Trip Lines Shown)

- 5. Attach the color-coded trip lines to the matching colored Yoke Assemblies.
- 6. If cable guides are present, feed the trip lines under the cable guides on all collars up to the collar where they are to be attached. The color sequence for the trip lines from largest to smallest tube diameter is white (11.25), blue (10), black (9), brown (8.25), red (7.5), orange (6.75), yellow (6), green (5.25), blue (4.5), and white (3.75). Depending on the configuration of your mast, all trip lines may not be used.

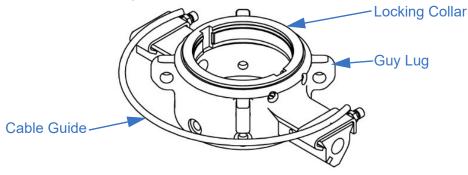


Figure 6-10 Cable Guide on Collar (Mast Tubes Removed for Clarity)



7. Prior to extending the mast, The Will-Burt Company recommends laying out the guy lines and trip lines so they do not become tangled during extension (Figure 6-11).

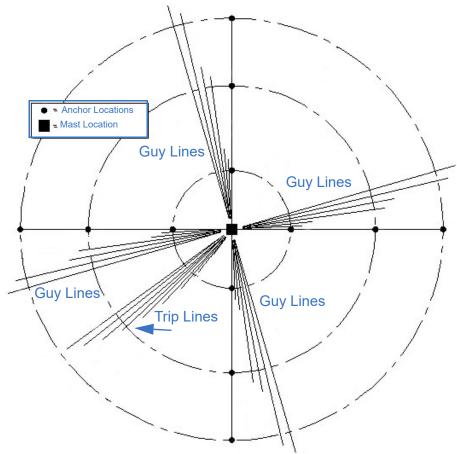


Figure 6-11 Sample of Laying Out Guy Lines and Trip Lines (Mast with 4 Way 5 Level Guying Shown)

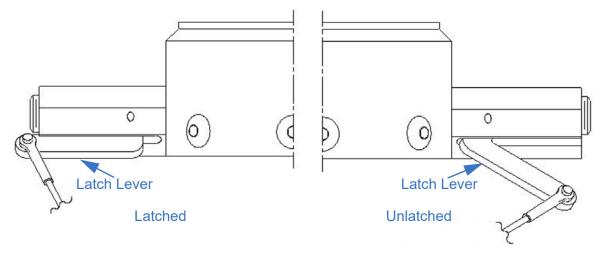
- 8. Ensure the payload will have enough clearance as the mast is extended.
- 9. With the mast depressurized, lightly pull down on the bottom trip line attached to the largest collar. Do not pull hard, tug, or jerk on the trip line, or damage to the mast locks could occur. Typically, only approximately 5 to 10 lb. (2.3 to 4.5 kg) of pressure will be necessary.

Note: The tubes of a mast with trip lines are extended from largest to smallest.



10. Pressurize the mast while continuing to hold down the trip line. While pressurizing the mast, you should feel the locks unlatch without needing to apply substantial pressure. Observe the latch levers (Figure 6-12) to confirm they have unlatched. When unlocked, they should both be pointing down at about a 45° angle from the collar ears. It is possible for the latch levers to be at a slight angle and still be latched.

Continue holding down the T-Handle until the mast tube is fully extended.



#### Figure 6-12 Latch Lever Positions

Maintain visual contact throughout extension to avoid overhead obstructions and to ensure none of the cables become tangled or snag on anything. Do not over-pressurize the mast. Over-pressurizing the mast could cause locks to jam. Do not exceed the maximum recommended operating pressure of the mast at any time. The maximum recommended operating pressure is:

- 20 PSIG (1.4 bar) for Standard Duty masts
- 35 PSIG (2.4 bar) for Heavy Duty and Super Heavy Duty masts
- 11. When the tube is fully extended, release the trip line and stop pressurizing the mast. The spring-loaded latch pins will lock this tube in the extended position.
- 12. Exhaust all air from the mast to confirm the tube is locked. If the tube comes down, repeat steps 8 to 12.



13. Repeat the same procedure for each subsequent tube going from largest to smallest. Stop extending the mast when the desired height is achieved. Any combination of tubes can be extended if the full height of the mast is not required.

Properly secure and tension the guy lines immediately after any guyed section is raised. The installer shall verify the guy anchor point strength is adequate to support the guy line forces. All guy lines should be equally tensioned. Beginning at two locations opposite each other, gradually tension each guy line. Vertical alignment of the mast is accomplished by observing the mast perpendicularly to the two guy lines being tensioned to ensure the mast is standing straight, and is not bending too far towards one side (Figure 6-13). Adjust the appropriate Guy Line as necessary to keep the mast plumb vertically. Check one day after initial install. Check periodically afterwards.

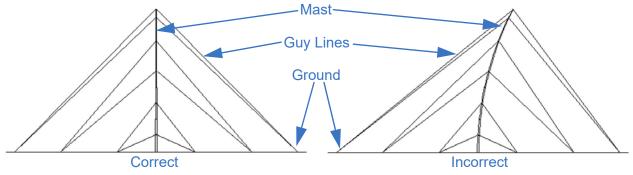


Figure 6-13 Vertically Align the Mast (Sample Shown with 6-Level Guying)

Note: When leaving a mast partially extended in potentially freezing conditions, follow the *Weatherizing Instructions for Pneumatic Masts* (TP-4744301).

- 14. Exhaust all air.
- 15. Open the drain cock for prolonged deployment to release air pressure and allow for drainage of water which may enter the mast. The drain cock shall be opened while a locking mast is deployed and depressurized to drain water.

# 6.3.4.2 Lower the Mast

To lower the mast:

- 1. Ensure the payload will have enough clearance when nested.
- 2. Close the drain cock.
- 3. Decrease the tension on the uppermost guy lines until there is slack in the lines. Never attempt to unlock a mast collar with tension on the guy lines above it. Guy lines to mast sections not currently being lowered should remain tensioned. When decreasing the tension on the guy lines, begin at two locations opposite of each other, and gradually decrease tension on each guy line while observing to ensure the mast is not bending too far towards one side.



Note: Do not leave mast systems that require guy lines unguyed. If the mast system has not been lowered, and personnel will not be available to operate the guy lines, re-guy the mast.

- 4. Pressurize the mast to lift the payload weight off the latch pins. The latch pins should move freely with proper pressure. Do not over-pressurize the mast. Over-pressurizing the mast could cause locks to jam.
- 5. While pressurizing the mast, lightly pull down on the top trip line attached to the smallest collar. Do not pull hard, tug, or jerk on the trip line, or damage to the mast locks could occur. Typically, only approximately 5 to 10 lb. (2.3 to 4.5 kg) of pressure will be necessary.

You should feel the locks open without needing to apply substantial pressure. Observe the Latch Levers to confirm they have unlocked. When unlocked, they should both be pointing down at about a 45° angle from the collar ears.

6. Exhaust air from the mast while continuing to hold down the trip line until the top tube is retracted. The mast will retract by its own weight, and the weight of the payload. Maintain visual contact with the mast during retraction to avoid cable and/or payload hang-ups.

Gently pull guy lines and trip lines away from the mast as it is lowered. Keeping guy lines and trip lines organized will facilitate coiling the lines for storage, or preparing the lines for the next mast extension

- 7. When the top tube is retracted, stop exhausting air from the mast, and release the trip line. The spring-loaded latch pins will lock this tube in the nested position.
- 8. Repeat the same procedure for each subsequent tube going from smallest to largest until the mast is completely nested.
- 9. Periodically open the drain cock when exhausting the mast to drain off any accumulated water.
- 10. Disconnect the air supply while the mast is not in use to eliminate the possibility of inadvertent mast extension.
- 11. Remove the guy lines.
- 12. Remove the trip lines.
- 13. Remove the payload.
- 14. Fit the mast top cover over the mast and secure it in place to protect the mast from water and debris.
- 15. Open the drain cock when the mast is not in use.

Note: The operator should always visually confirm the mast is entirely retracted before moving the vehicle. For further information on transporting the mast system, see Section 7.



# 7 Transportation

Before transporting the mast system, the mast system needs to be secured. The exact procedures for transportation will vary based on the mast system configuration. The process described in this manual represents a possible method of transporting the mast. Depending on the environment and equipment available, other methods may work better. Use the best and safest method for your circumstances.

# 7.1 General Transportation

To prepare the mast system for transportation:

- 1. Ensure the mast is fully nested (Section 6.3). Do not transport the mast system with the mast and payload extended. Always visually confirm the mast is fully retracted before moving the mast.
- 2. Ensure the air supply is disconnected and the drain cock is open to eliminate the possibility of inadvertent mast extension.
- 3. Isolate power to the pneumatic system.
- 4. If possible, remove and secure the payload. For locking masts, the payload should be removed, and the mast top cover fitted over the mast and secured in place.
- 5. If necessary, secure any additional components in the mast system.

Note: The operator should always visually confirm the mast is entirely retracted before moving the vehicle.



# 7.2 Shipping

When shipping the mast system, The Will-Burt Company recommends shipping the mast in the original shipping crate. If the original shipping crate is not available, contact The Will-Burt Company to order a replacement.

When shipping:

- 1. As necessary, remove the payload.
- 2. As necessary, prepare the mast system for transportation (Section 7.1).
- 3. As necessary, uninstall the mast system from the mounting structure (Section 5).
- 4. Secure the mast system in the shipping crate:
  - a. Carefully position the mast in the crate.
  - b. When shipping by air, ensure the air inlet port is open.
  - c. Secure the block at the top of the mast to prevent the mast from shifting in the shipping crate during transportation.
  - d. Secure the top half of the wooden mast saddles.
  - e. As necessary, carefully pack any additional components in the shipping crate.
  - f. Secure the lid on the shipping crate.



# 8 Maintenance, Adjustments and Disposal

This section describes maintenance procedures required to keep the mast system operational. Use care to understand and follow all precautions while performing these procedures. If the system does not perform as required, see Section 9.

Disconnect power to any devices mounted to the mast and pneumatic systems with lock-out tagout procedures as appropriate before performing mast maintenance.

# 8.1 **Pre-Maintenance Check**

Before performing maintenance procedures, ensure:

- All operators read and understand the entire maintenance procedure and are properly trained.
- The payload is removed prior to performing maintenance on the system.
- The system is level and secure.

# 8.2 Maintenance Equipment

(Table 8-1) lists recommended equipment for maintenance.

Recommended Equipment*				
Personal Protective				
Safety Glasses	Work Gloves	Safety Shoes		
Hard Hat or Helmet	Hearing Protection	Nitrile or Vinyl Gloves		
Hand Tools				
Chisel	Drill	File		
Flat Punch	Hammer	Hex Wrenches		
Plumb-Bob	Measuring Tape	Level		
Rubber Mallet	Saw	Screwdrivers		
Sockets	Torque Wrenches	Utility Knife		
Wrenches				
Equipment				
Compressed Air Supply	Hoist	Sling / Strap		
Ratchet Straps	Saw Horses or Similar Supports			

#### Table 8-1 Equipment Recommended for Maintenance



#### Table 8-1 Equipment Recommended for Maintenance

	Recommended Equipment*	
Expendables		
Acetone, Alcohol, or other solvent	Pipe Thread Sealant or PTFE Tape	Rags (Clean and Dry)
Loctite <sup>®</sup> 263 (Red)	Loctite <sup>®</sup> 380 Black Max	Loctite <sup>®</sup> 495 Instant Adhesive
Silicone Sealant	Non-Abrasive Cleaners (Soap and Water)	Pneumatic Mast Grease Kit (P/N: 4258101)
* Note:		

• Depending on the local, regional, and national standards and codes of practice, and the environment, additional personal protective equipment may be necessary.

• When disposing of any disposables or components, do so according to any applicable local, regional, and national standards and codes of practice.

# 8.3 Spare Parts

To order spare or replacement parts, always refer to the mast model number and serial number. The model number, serial number, and additional information is engraved on the mast Identification Plate (Section 3.3.1.5). Throughout this manual, "P/N" followed by a number represents the part number for that component. To order spare parts, or for the part numbers for additional components, contact The Will-Burt Company.

# 8.4 **Periodic Maintenance**

This section describes the systematic care and inspection of equipment to keep it in safe operating condition and to prevent breakdowns. If the system does not perform as required, see Section 9 for troubleshooting. If anything looks wrong and cannot be diagnosed and/or fixed, contact The Will-Burt Company. Table 8-2 provides a schedule of periodic inspections and procedures required to keep the mast system in safe operating condition.



#### Table 8-2 Periodic Inspections

Frequency	Inspection	Action
As Needed; In salt water or sandy environments clean the mast every 3 months.	Inspect to ensure the Mast System is kept clean and free from foreign material. Dirt, grease, oil, sand and debris may cover up a serious problem.	Clean the mast per the procedure in section 8.4.
During Operation	Inspect for damage during operation.	If damage is apparent, do not use the mast, and have it serviced prior to use.
Monthly	Visually observe tube motion during extension and retraction to ensure the tubes move smoothly and do not cause excessive impact loads when each tube fully extends or retracts.	Clean and lubricate the mast per the procedure in section 8.4. If the condition remains after lubrication, cease all mast use and contact The Will-Burt Company Service immediately.
Monthly	Inspect for any damage to electric cables and pneumatic tubes.	Replace cables/tubes as required.
Monthly	Test the Vehicle Interconnect safety warning circuit to ensure the vehicle driver is warned or prevented from driving with the mast deployed.	Repair the interconnect circuit if not functioning properly.
Monthly	Inspect all hardware to ensure fasteners are not damaged, loosening, backing out or missing. Take special note of hardware keeping the payload mounted, mast collar bolts, and hardware used to mount the mast to the support structure.	Tighten or replace any loose, damaged or missing fasteners.
Every 6 Months (3 months in salt water environment)	If the mast remains idle for long periods of time, operate the mast to full extension at least once every six months (3 months in salt water environment).	Exercise mast.
As every use	Inspect to ensure the Drain Cock is left open when the mast is not in use, or when a locking mast is deployed and depressurized.	Open the Drain Cock.
In potentially freezing conditions.	Ensure the mast is weatherized (Section 8.4.2).	Weatherize the mast (Section 8.4.2)



## 8.4.1 Cleaning and Lubrication

The Will-Burt Company's Pneumatic Masts come from the factory pre-lubricated. Under normal operating conditions, the grease applied at the factory is sufficient for five years and no scheduled maintenance is required. In extremely harsh environmental conditions, maintenance of the mast may be required.

An optional mast lubricant (P/N: 900600) may be added to ensure smooth operation and prolong the useful life of the mast in harsh environmental conditions. The mast lubricant is a blue-colored mineral oil specifically designed for telescoping masts and their operating environment. Mast lubricant comes in a 16 fl oz capped plastic bottle.

Signs cleaning and lubrication might be needed can be:

- A noticeable gritty film on the exterior surfaces of the tubes
- Erratic extension or retraction of the mast
- Noisy operation of the mast
- Sticking of one or more tubes when mast is extending or retracting

To clean the mast:

- 1. The Will-Burt Company recommends removing the payload from the mast. This allows the tubes of a Non-Locking mast to more easily be extended from smallest to largest. On Locking masts, the sequence of extension can be controlled by locking and unlocking the collars.
- 2. When a regulator exists in the pneumatic system, reduce its pressure to between 5-10 psig (0.34-0.69 bar).

Note: A pressure of 10 psig (0.69 bar) should be sufficient to extend all tubes without a payload. If any tube will not extend with 10 psig (0.69 bar), the mast may require an overhaul. Consult the factory.

- 3. One person, operating the air control valve or switch, should slowly pressurize the mast just enough to extend the top tube. On Non-Locking masts, another person may need to hold down the intermediate tubes to ensure the proper sequence of extension. Close the air control valve or switch as soon as the top tube is extended.
- 4. Dampen a rag with a non-abrasive cleaner or solvent such as lacquer thinner to wipe down the extended tube. Do not allow the cleaning fluid or solvent to run down inside the collar.



5. If not lubricating the mast, repeat this procedure for each tube from smallest to largest.

If lubricating the mast (optional, but helpful in extremely harsh conditions):

- a. Inject approximately ½ oz. of mast lubricant (P/N: 900600) into the weep hole of the exposed tube. The weep holes are located between 1 and 3 feet (30 and 91 cm) below the collar on each tube except the top tube. Do not lubricate the exterior of the mast. This attracts dust and contaminants from the air.
- b. Repeat 3, 4, and 5a for each of the remaining tubes. The larger diameter tubes should be injected with approximately 1 oz. of lubricant.
- c. Lower the mast completely. Allow several minutes for the lubricant to settle and spread around the wear ring and seal at the bottom of each tube.
- d. Extend the mast again, one tube at a time from smallest to largest. Wipe off any excess lubricant that flows out of the weep holes.

## 8.4.2 Weatherizing

For weatherizing your mast in extremely harsh, cold weather environmental conditions, The Will-Burt Company recommends following the *Weatherizing Instructions for Pneumatic Masts* (TP-4744301). See www.willburt.com for these instructions. These instructions assume the use of the Pneumatic Mast Antifreeze Kit (P/N: 4725801).

The Pneumatic Mast Antifreeze Kit includes:

- (2) Flush Caution Labels
- (1) Gallon Will-Burt Non-Toxic Pneumatic Mast Antifreeze with MSDS
- (1) Will-Burt Non-Toxic Pneumatic Mast Antifreeze Application Bottle
- (1) Mast Lubricant with MSDS and Service Sheet
- (1) Copy of the *Weatherizing Instructions* for *Pneumatic Masts* (TP-4744301)

Will-Burt Non-Toxic Pneumatic Mast Antifreeze (P/N: 473801) can also be purchased by the gallon



Figure 8-1 Application Bottle (Left) and Gallon of Will-Burt Non-Toxic Pneumatic Mast Antifreeze (Right)



# 8.5 Corrective Maintenance

This section describes corrective maintenance for the system. Depending on the mast system configuration and the conditions of the mast system, all corrective maintenance procedures may not be required. Follow the appropriate instructions for your mast system.

Prior to performing corrective maintenance, remove the:

- Payload from the mast
- Mast from the mounting structure

For reference information on tube diameters and collar dimensions, see Section 10.2.

## 8.5.1 Replace Seals on Standard Duty Masts

This section describes replacing the seals on Standard Duty masts. For information on replacing the seals, expanders, and yoke assemblies on Heavy Duty, Super Heavy Duty, and Ultra Heavy Duty masts, see Section 8.5.2.

Disassemble the mast starting with the top tube and working towards the base tube. Remove any plugs from the air inlet ports.

To disassemble the mast:

- 1. Place the mast horizontally on a pair of sawhorses or similar supports. Secure the base tube to the supports so the mast does not roll off. Use care to follow all applicable lifting precautions whenever lifting the mast or components of the mast.
- 2. Start disassembly from the top by pulling the top tube several inches away from the collar.
- 3. Remove the top tube stop.
- 4. Remove the collar bolts on the top collar and slide the collar over the end of the tube.
- 5. Pull out the top tube and set it aside. Use care not to drop the tube as it comes out. Tubes can be very heavy. Two or three people or the use of a hoist is required. Use care to follow all applicable lifting precautions whenever lifting the mast or components of the mast.
- 6. Remove the wear ring from the butt plate and wipe it clean.
- 7. Remove the old seal and clean the seal groove.
- 8. Thoroughly clean and inspect the inside and outside of the tube with a solvent such as lacquer thinner. Do not use anything that might scratch the honed inside surface of the tube. Tubes may need to be cleaned repeatedly before reassembly to remove all debris.
- 9. Repeat steps 4 through 8 for each subsequent tube. Be careful not to damage or oblong collar bolt holes when removing the tubes.



- 10. As necessary, refer to the appropriate section(s) for replacement steps for the following:
  - a. Replacement of the Collar Bearing Strips (Section 8.5.3)
  - a. Replacement of the Collar Inserts (Non-Locking Masts) (Section 8.5.4)
  - b. Replacement of the Wear Rings (Section 8.5.5)
  - c. Replacement of the Internal Bumpers (Section 8.5.6)
  - d. Replacement of the External Bumpers (Section 8.5.7)
- 11. Oil the new seal with the Pneumatic Mast Grease Kit (P/N: 4258101). With the lip edge of the seal toward the bottom end of the tube, slide it on the butt plate and into the seal groove. Replace the wear ring on the butt plate. Repeat this procedure for each tube.
- 12. Before reassembling the mast, use the Pneumatic Mast Grease Kit to lightly oil the lip of the seal and the inside honed surface of each tube, except the top tube. When reassembling the mast, begin with the base tube and work towards the top tube.
- 13. Secure the base tube horizontally on saw horses or similar supports.
- 14. Using a second person or a brace to support the top end, hold the next tube so the top end of the tube is at a lower elevation than the seal end. Rest the lip of the seal on the inside of the receiving tube (Figure 8-2). Use care to follow all applicable lifting precautions whenever lifting the mast or components of the mast.

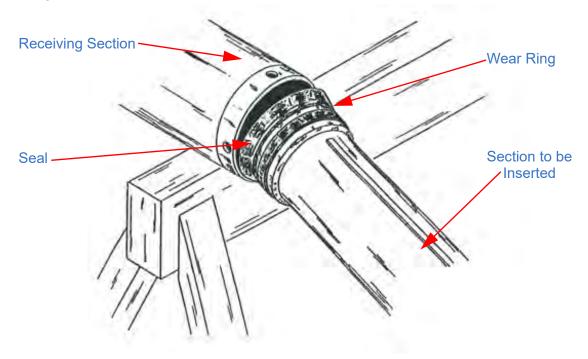


Figure 8-2 Seal Replacement



- 15. Slowly raise the lower end of the tube to horizontal while carefully pressing the lip of the seal into the receiving tube. Use your thumbs and forefingers to press simultaneously on both sides of the seal in an upward motion. Work this way until your fingers meet at the top.
- 16. Ensure the seal is in properly. If not, the mast will eventually leak air. If the seal has not been inserted into the receiving tube correctly, remove the tube and repeat the process.
- 17. Once the seal is inserted, guide the wear ring into position within its groove and slide in the tube. Be careful not to damage the seal as it slides past the collar bolt holes that are located near the insertion end of the receiving tube.
- 18. Slide the tube in leaving several inches protruding. Rotate the tube so the "0" stamps on the tubes are aligned.
- 19. Replace the collar on the tube. Align the "0" stamp on the collar with the "0" stamp on the tube. Ensure all bolt holes in the collar align exactly with the holes in the tube. Install and hand-tighten the collar bolts and lock washers. Ensure the collar bolts are wiped free of grease prior to installation. Torque the collar bolts to 100-120 in.-lb.

Note: Ensure the collar bolts engage in the holes in the tube. If collar bolts do not engage the holes in the tube, the mast can separate during extension.

20. Repeat steps 12 through 19 for each subsequent tube.

## 8.5.2 Replace Seals, Expanders, and Yoke Assemblies on Heavy Duty, Super Heavy Duty, and Ultra Heavy Duty Masts

This section describes replacing the seals, expanders, and yoke assemblies on Heavy Duty, Super Heavy Duty, and Ultra Heavy Duty masts. For information on replacing the seals on Standard Duty masts, see Section 8.5.1.

Disassemble the mast starting with the top tube and working towards the base tube. Remove any plugs from the air inlet ports.

To disassemble the mast:

- 1. Place the mast horizontally on a pair of sawhorses or similar supports. Secure the base tube to the supports so the mast does not roll off. Use care to follow all applicable lifting precautions whenever lifting the mast or components of the mast.
- 2. Start disassembly from the top by pulling the top tube several inches away from the collar. On locking collar models, it is necessary to retract the latch pins to allow the tube to be pulled out.



3. For Non-Locking masts, or locking masts that do not need corrective maintenance done to the locks, skip to step 4.

For locking masts that do need corrective maintenance done to the locks:

a. Remove the set screw from the end of each latch pin lug (the ears on each side of the collar) (Figure 8-3).

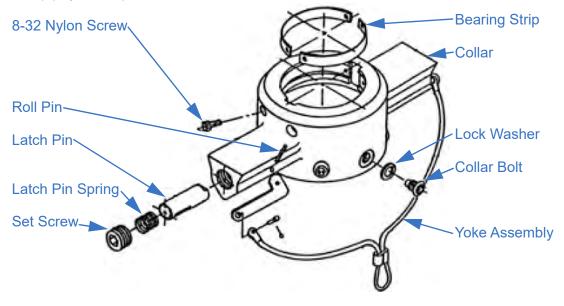


Figure 8-3 Locking Collar Assembly

- b. Slide the latch pin spring from the end of each lug.
- c. Using a hammer and a punch, drive out the roll pin on each lug just far enough to remove the Yoke Assembly.
- d. Slide the latch pin out of the latch pin lug using a small screwdriver inserted into the slot located on the underside of each lug.
- 4. Remove the collar bolts and slide the collar over the end of the tube. On locking collar models, retract the latch pins fully to allow the collar to slide off the end of the tube.
- 5. Pull out the top tube and set it aside. Use care not to drop the tube as it comes out. Tubes can be very heavy. Two or three people or the use of a hoist is required. Use care to follow all applicable lifting precautions whenever lifting the mast or components of the mast.



 Remove the orifice bolt, lock washer, backup washer, expander, and seal from the bottom of the tube. Note the orifice bolt ID and corresponding tube for use when reassembling (Figure 8-4).

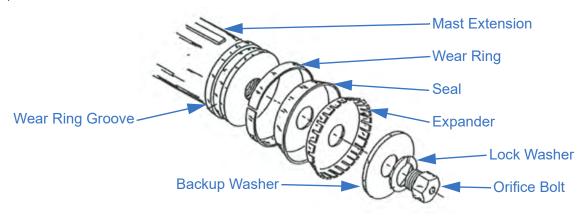


Figure 8-4 Seal Area (Heavy Duty and Super Heavy Duty)

- 7. Thoroughly clean and inspect all parts. The tube should be cleaned inside and outside with a solvent such as lacquer thinner. Do not use anything that might scratch the honed inside surface of the tube. Tubes may need to be cleaned repeatedly before reassembly to remove all debris.
- 8. Repeat steps 4 through 8 for each subsequent tube. Be careful not to damage or oblong collar bolt holes when removing the tubes.
- 9. As necessary, refer to the appropriate section(s) for replacement steps for the following:
  - a. Replacement of the Collar Bearing Strips (Section 8.5.3)
  - b. Replacement of the Wear Rings (Section 8.5.5)
  - c. Replacement of the Collar Inserts (Non-Locking Masts) (Section 8.5.4)
  - d. Replacement of the Internal Bumpers (Section 8.5.6)
  - e. Replacement of the External Bumpers (Section 8.5.7)
- 10. Reassemble the orifice bolt, lock washer, backup washer, new expander, and new seal on the bottom of the tube. Match orifice bolts with the correct tube by using the orifice bolt ID and tube OD. The ID of the orifice bolts should decrease as the tube OD decreases. For example, the top tube will have the smallest tube diameter and the orifice bolt with the smallest ID.

As the orifice bolt is being tightened, center the seal, expander, and backup washer on the butt plate. Torque the orifice bolt to 16 ft.-lb. Repeat this procedure for each tube.

11. Before reassembling the mast, use the Pneumatic Mast Grease Kit (P/N: 4258101) to lightly oil the lip of the seal and the inside honed surface of each tube, except the top tube. When reassembling the mast, begin with the base tube and work towards the top tube.





- 12. Secure the base tube horizontally on saw horses or similar supports.
- 13. Using a second person or a brace to support the top end, hold the next tube so the top end of the tube is at a lower elevation than the seal end. Rest the lip of the seal on the inside of the receiving tube (Figure 8-5). Use care to follow all applicable lifting precautions whenever lifting the mast or components of the mast.

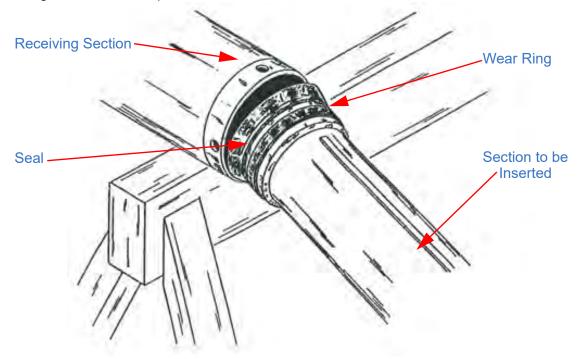


Figure 8-5 Seal Replacement

14. Slowly raise the lower end of the tube to horizontal while carefully pressing the lip of the seal into the receiving tube. Use your thumbs and forefingers to press simultaneously on both sides of the seal in an upward motion. Work this way until your fingers meet at the top.

Note: Use care not to press too hard as this can bend the expander.

- 15. Ensure the seal is in properly. If not, the mast will eventually leak air. If the seal has not been inserted into the receiving tube correctly, remove the tube and repeat the process.
- 16. Once the seal is inserted, guide the wear ring into position within its groove and slide in the tube. Be careful not to damage the seal as it slides past the collar bolt holes that are located near the insertion end of the receiving tube.
- 17. Slide the tube in leaving several inches protruding. Rotate the tube so the "0" stamps on the tubes are aligned.



18. Replace the collar on the tube. Align the "0" stamp on the collar with the "0" stamp on the tube. On locking masts, retract the latch pins to allow the collar to slide onto the end of the tube. Ensure all bolt holes in the collar align exactly with the holes in the tube. Install and hand-tighten the collar bolts and lock washers. Ensure the collar bolts are wiped free of grease prior to installation. Torque the collar bolts to 100-120 in.-lb.

Note: Ensure the collar bolts engage in the holes in the tube. If collar bolts do not engage the holes in the tube, the mast can separate during extension.

- 19. Replace the Yoke Assembly as follows:
  - a. Replace the latch pins with the flats on the ends perpendicular to the key on the mast tube.
  - b. Replace the Yoke Assembly. Ensure the hole in the latch lever lines up with the hole in the latch ear. Drive in the roll pin while holding it in place with a punch. Ensure that the latch lever does not get jammed.
  - c. Install the latch pin spring and set screw. Turn the set screw all the way until it stops. Then back out the set screw approximately 1/4 to 1/2 turn.
  - d. Repeat this procedure for the other latch ear.
  - e. Check the Yoke Assembly for smooth operation. It may be necessary to readjust the set screw as much as one full turn. If the set screw is too tight, it may not allow the latch pin to retract fully when the Yoke Assembly is pulled. If the set screw is too loose, spring tension may not adequately load the latch pin.
  - f. While pulling the Yoke Assembly, slide the mast section through the collar several times. Check for smooth operation. Observe the flat surface on the keys of the mast for wear marks. If wear marks exist, the latch pin is causing friction, and the set screw must be loosened.
- 20. Repeat this procedure for each subsequent tube.



### 8.5.3 **Replace Collar Bearing Strips and Wear Bands**

This section describes replacement of collar bearing strips. Some collars have collar inserts instead. For information on replacing collar inserts, see Section 8.5.4.

Inspect the bearing strip or wear band (Figure 8-6) and the machined keyways of the collar for wear. If the keyways of the collar are badly worn, the collar should be replaced. If the bearing strips or wear band are worn down to the metal collar, they should be replaced.

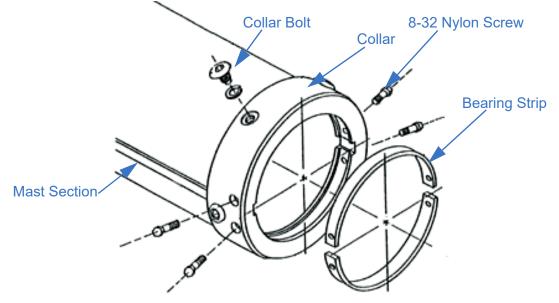


Figure 8-6 Bearing Strip and Keyway

To replace the bearing strips:

- 1. Remove the nylon screws from the collar.
- 2. Pull out the bearing strips and clean the collar.
- 3. Press the new bearing strips firmly into the groove.
- 4. Align the holes in the bearing strips with those in the collar.
- 5. Install and hand-tighten the new nylon screws through the collars into the threaded holes for the bearing strip. Apply Loctite<sup>®</sup> 495 Instant Adhesive or equivalent to the nylon screws before installation. Do not overtighten the nylon screws.
- 6. Cut off or file off the ends of the nylon screws protruding through the bearing strips until they are flush.
- 7. Carefully file off any excess bearing strip that may protrude into the keyway of the collar.



- 8. Before reassembling the mast, slide each collar over its mating tube. If the collar does not slide freely over the tube, it will be necessary to sand high spots on the bearing strip to fit. The high spots will be evident by shiny or gray marks on the white bearing strip.
- 9. Wipe the collars clean before reassembling the mast.

### 8.5.4 Replace Collar Inserts (Non-Locking Masts)

This section describes replacement of collar inserts. Some collars have collar bearing strips instead. For information on replacing collar bearing strips, see Section 8.5.3.

Inspect the collar insert and the machined keyways in it for wear. If the keyways of the collar are badly worn (elongated), the collar insert should be replaced.

To replace the collar inserts on Non-Locking masts:

- 1. Using a knife, carefully remove the flat rubber external bumper that is glued to the top of the collar.
- 2. Remove the (3) <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>-28 socket head cap screws from the collar with a hex wrench. This allows the collar insert to be removed.
- 3. Carefully tap around the top edge of the collar insert with a hammer and flat punch or chisel to drive the collar insert out the bottom of the collar. The collar insert can only be removed from the bottom of the collar.
- 4. Clean the collar.
- 5. Install the new collar insert into the collar. Make sure to align the holes in the collar insert with the holes in the collar. It may be necessary to gently tap the collar insert into the collar. Use care not to damage the collar insert.
- 6. Apply adhesive, such as Loctite<sup>®</sup> 495 Instant Adhesive, to the ends of the ¼-28 socket head cap screws and replace the screws.
- 7. Replace the external bumper (Section 8.5.7).



- 8. Before reassembling the mast, slide each collar over its mating tube. If the collar does not slide freely over the tube, it will be necessary to sand high spots on the insert to fit. The high spots will appear as shiny or discolored marks on the inside diameter of the collar insert.
- 9. Clean the collars before reassembling the mast (Figure 8-7).

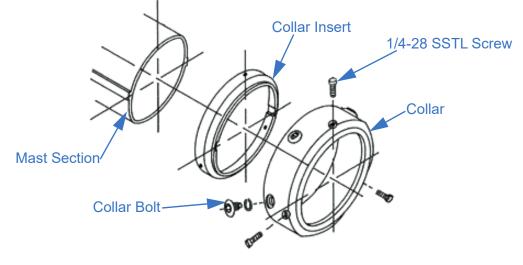


Figure 8-7 Replacing Collar Inserts



### 8.5.4.1 Ultra Heavy Duty Bearing Strips

The Ultra Heavy Duty mast has two types of locking collars. The previous procedure (Section 8.5.3) explains the process for the bearing strips for 11.25, 10.0, 9.12, and 8.25 collars. Below describes the process for bearing strips for 13.5 and 12.375 collars.

To replace the bearing strips for 13.5 and 12.375 collars (Figure 8-8):

- 1. Loosen the eight 5/16-18x0.75 bolts securing the collar together.
- 2. Remove and discard the external bumper.
- 3. Make a note of the orientation of the collar retainer and remove the collar adjustment retainer.
- 4. Lift out and discard the collar bearing strips.
- 5. Do not remove the collar push plates or set screws.
- 6. As necessary, clean the collar.
- 7. Insert the new collar bearing strips.
- 8. Reposition the collar adjustment retainer making sure to orient it in the same manner as it was originally secured. Apply Loctite<sup>®</sup> 243 to the hardware and torque to 75 to 85 in.-lb.

Note: Ensure the bolts engage the holes in the locking collar and are properly secured. If the bolts are not secured, the mast can separate during extension.

- 9. Clean a new external bumper.
- 10. Apply Loctite 380 Black Max or equivalent to the external bumper and properly align it to the collar adjustment retainer. As necessary, cut the external bumper flush around the key slots as required.
- 11. Before reassembling the mast, slide each collar over its mating tube. If the collar does not slide freely over the tube, it will be necessary to sand high spots on the bearing strip to fit. The high spots will be evident by shiny or gray marks on the white bearing strip.



12. Wipe the collars clean before reassembling the mast.

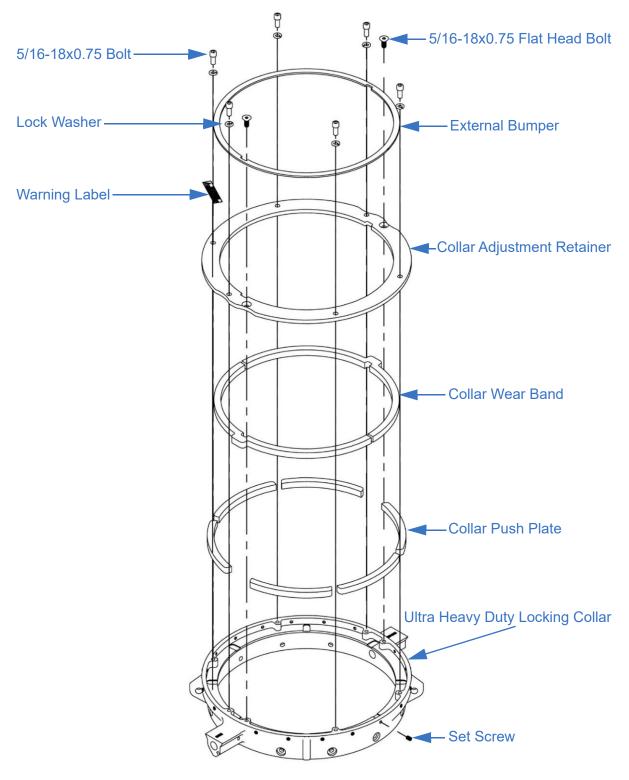


Figure 8-8 Ultra Heavy Duty 13.5 and 12.375 Locking Collars



### 8.5.5 Replace Wear Rings

Wear rings are preformed split synthetic bearings that fit around the butt plate above the seal on each interior tube. Wear rings can be replaced when the mast is disassembled for seal replacement. Check the wear rings for wear. If the wear ring is worn down to the butt plate surface, it must be replaced.

The following are instructions to replace the wear rings in Standard Duty, Heavy Duty, and Ultra Heavy Duty mast. For instructions on replacing wear rings on Super Heavy Duty masts, skip to 8.5.5.1.

To replace the wear rings:

1. Clean the butt plate and wear ring groove (Figure 8-9).

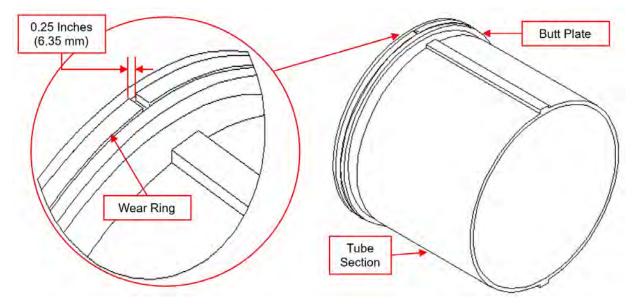


Figure 8-9 Replacing Wear Rings

- 2. Slide the wear ring over the mast and into the groove. Press the wear ring into the groove to make sure there is at least ¼ inch (6.35 mm) clearance between the two ends (Figure 8-9). If necessary, cut enough off one end to get the required gap.
- 3. The wear ring must be held in place until this tube is inserted into the receiving tube. Apply a bead of adhesive inside the groove on the butt plate to bond the wear ring in place. If the wear ring prevents the tube from sliding inside the next tube, lightly grind the wear ring OD as necessary.



4. Before reassembling the tubes, slide each tube inside its mating tube. If the smaller tube does not slide freely inside the next largest tube, it will be necessary to sand high spots on the wear ring to fit. The high spots will appear as shiny or discolored marks on the outside diameter of the wear ring.

Note: On masts manufactured before 1986, bearing strips were cemented to the butt plates of the tubes. Wear rings can be used to replace the old bearing strips in many of these masts. Consult the factory with your model and serial number for verification before ordering replacement wear rings.

### 8.5.5.1 Super Heavy Duty Pneumatic Mast Wear Ring Installation

These instructions discuss how to install the wear rings on the butt plates of a Super Heavy Duty mast.

#### Wear Ring Sizing

When installing wear rings, use the appropriated sized wear ring(s) (Table 8-3).

#### Table 8-3 Wear Ring(s) for Each Tube

Tube Size (OD)	Wear Ring	Number to Use				
5.25 Inch	5.25 (P/N: 902421)	1				
6.00 Inch	6.00 (P/N: 902422)	1				
6.75 Inch	6.75 (P/N: 902423)	1				
7.50 Inch	7.50 (P/N: 902424)	1				
8.25 Inch	8.25 (P/N: 902424)	1				
9.12 Inch	8.25 (P/N: 902424)*	2				
10.00 Inch	8.25 (P/N: 902424)*	2				
* Cut to fit						

The wear rings for the 9.12 inch tube and the 10.00 inch tube must be cut to fit. Two wear rings are used for both the 9.12 inch tube and the 10.00 inch tube. One wear ring is cut to fit on the top half of the tube and the other wear ring is cut to fit on the bottom half of the tube. When installed on the tubes, these wear rings should have  $1/4\pm1/16$  inch gap between the ends of the wear rings.



To size the wear rings for the 9.12 and 10.00 inch tubes:

1. Line up (1) end of an 8.25 wear ring (P/N: 902424) with the midpoint of the mast keyway (Figure 8-10).

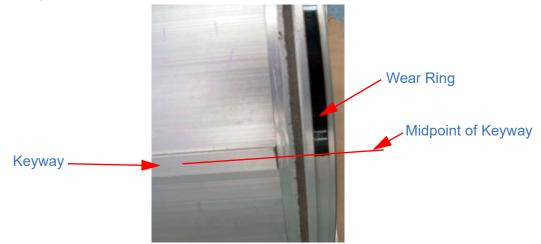


Figure 8-10 Wear Ring Aligned with Keyway Midpoint

- 2. Mark the wear ring where it reaches the midpoint of the opposite keyway and cut off the extra.
- 3. Repeat this process with the second wear ring for the tube. Use both wear rings when installing.

#### Wear Ring Installation

To install wear rings:

1. Check the butt plate for any burrs (Figure 8-11).

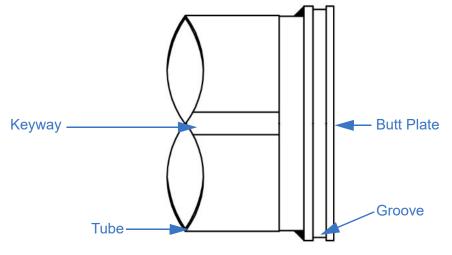


Figure 8-11 Tube and Butt Plate

2. Clean the butt plate with Acetone.



3. Slip the appropriate sized wear ring onto the tube past the butt plate (Figure 8-12). Leave it loose and easily accessible. For 9.12 and 10.00 inch tubes, use both wear rings.



Figure 8-12 Wear Ring Loose on Tube

4. Run Loctite® 380 Black Max adhesive all the way around the groove of the butt plate (Figure 8-13).



Figure 8-13 Loctite® 380 Black Max in Groove

5. Slide the wear ring down into the groove (Figure 8-14). For 9.12 and 10.00 inch tubes, use both wear rings.

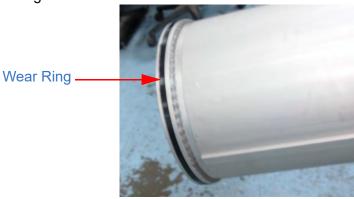


Figure 8-14 Wear Ring in Butt Plate Groove



- 6. Move the wear ring back and forth slightly in order to evenly distribute the Loctite® 380 Black Max adhesive.
- 7. Secure the wear ring in place with electrical tape (Figure 8-15).



Figure 8-15 Electrical Tape Securing Wear Ring

8. Once the Loctite® 380 Black Max adhesive has dried, remove the electrical tape.



### 8.5.6 Replace Internal Bumpers

On locking masts, the internal bumper, which looks like an o-ring, is located on the top edge of the stop panel on each internal tube. When the mast is disassembled, check the condition of the internal bumper. If the internal bumper has deteriorated, it should be replaced.

Some older model Non-Locking Pneumatic Masts may also have an internal bumper. These can be removed during maintenance and do not need replaced.

To replace the internal bumper:

- 1. Remove the old internal bumper.
- 2. Carefully stretch the new internal bumper over the end of the tube and insert it into the groove machined in the keys. The internal bumper should fit tightly against the tube immediately above the stop panel (Figure 8-16).

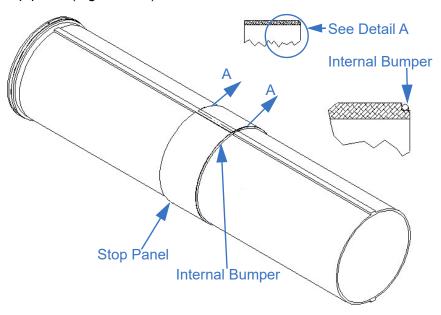


Figure 8-16 Replacing Internal Bumpers



### 8.5.7 Replace External Bumpers

The external bumper is a flat rubber ring cemented to the top of each mast collar. Check the condition and the adhesion of each external bumper. If the external bumpers become loose, they can usually be reused unless they have been damaged.

To replace the external bumpers:

- 1. Remove the old external bumper.
- 2. Use acetone to clean off any old adhesive from the collar. Clean the replacement external bumper with acetone. Allow it to dry thoroughly.
- 3. At room temperature, apply a light bead of Loctite<sup>®</sup> 380 Black Max or equivalent around the top of the collar. Follow the manufacturer's instructions.
- 4. Place the external bumper on the collar and align the inside diameter edges. Hold pressure on the external bumper and collar using a uniform weight for at least 90 seconds.
- 5. Using a razor knife, notch out keyways in the external bumper to match those in the collar (Figure 8-17).

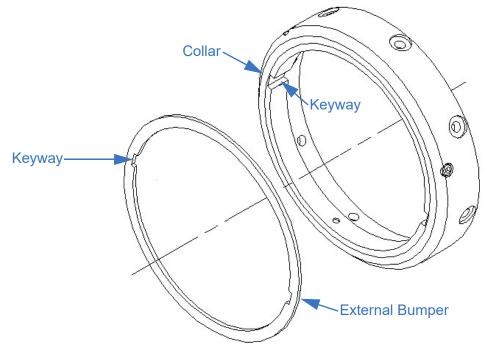


Figure 8-17 Replacing External Bumpers



## 8.6 Long-Term Storage

When putting the system into long-term storage, ensure the:

- Mast is fully nested (Section 6.3).
- Drain cock is open to eliminate the possibility of inadvertent mast extension.
- Mast is stored in a clean and dry environment.
- Mast is stored vertically when storing for more than six months with provisions to keep the mast from tipping over.
- Mast is extended and lowered every six months (Section 6.3).

## 8.7 System Disposal

Dispose of the mast in accordance with the national environmental regulations.



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# 9 Troubleshooting

This section describes troubleshooting for the mast system. Use care to understand and follow all precautions while troubleshooting the mast system.

#### Table 9-1 Troubleshooting

Problem	Possible Cause	Possible Solution						
Mast is from	zen in the extended position							
	Base Tube was not drained routinely. Typically freezes around collar area.	<ol> <li>Wrap warming blankets around collar until ice melts. Use a heat gun or 500W quartz light.</li> <li>Depressurize mast. Inject 1 oz. Will- Burt Antifreeze (P/N: 4735801) where the top of the collar and intermediate tube meet.</li> </ol>						
	There is ice buildup on the exterior of the mast.	Follow the <i>Instructions for Clearing Ice</i> <i>Buildup on the Exterior of a Pneumatic</i> <i>Mast</i> (TP-5253501).						
	Locks are stuck in the locked position due to lack of exercising	Use Lock Pin Extractor Kit (P/N: 5448601)						
Mast is frozen in nested position								
	Base tube was not drained routinely. Typically damages tubes.	Send to the manufacturer for repair or replacement.						
Largest int	ermediate tube stuck							
	Turning Handles too tight (Typical Standard Duty)	Remove turning handles and cycle. If the mast cycles properly, reinstall the turning handles. If the mast does not cycle, the tubes are damaged. Send to the manufacturer for repair or contact regarding base tube replacement.						
	Support bracket too tight.	Loosen shims. Shim as necessary between clamp halves.						
Cannot slic	de weather bonnet over the base tube							
	Weather bonnets are designed to be tight.	<ol> <li>Use soapy water.</li> <li>Use a mallet to tap evenly around the diameter of the weather bonnet.</li> </ol>						



#### Table 9-1 Troubleshooting (Continued)

Problem	Possible Cause	Possible Solution				
Mast will n	ot lower without rocking					
	Not enough weight. (Typically only with Standard Duty)	<ol> <li>See section for mast cleaning and lubrication.</li> <li>Add weight to platform or stub adaptor.</li> </ol>				
	Bent tube.	Check tube trueness. If bent, order replacement.				
	Broken internal bumper.	Depressurize mast. Remove the collar and lift the tube to check the internal bumper. If necessary, order replacement.				
	Collar inserts tight. (Typically Heavy Duty, Super Heavy Duty, and Ultra Heavy Duty)	Depressurize and disassemble mast. File or lightly grind to pre-fit collar inserts as necessary.				
Rotational	movement in tubes					
	Bearing strips or inserts worn.	<ol> <li>Locking strip collar: Order new bearing strips. Customer must pre- fit.</li> <li>Non-Locking Insert Collar: Order insert. Customer must pre-fit.</li> </ol>				

For additional information, please contact The Will-Burt Company's Customer Service at +1 330 684 4000.



# **10 Reference**

This section provides reference information for the system as follows:

- Extended Glossary of Terms (Section 10.1)
- Reference Dimensional Information (Section 10.2)
- Drawings (Section 10.3)
- Mast Wind Load Capacity (Section 10.4)

## **10.1 Extended Glossary of Terms**

This section defines terms used within this manual as follows:

- General Terms and Abbreviations (Section 10.1.1)
- Mounting Position Terms (Section 10.1.2)

### **10.1.1 General Terms and Abbreviations**

This section describes general terms and abbreviations used within this manual.

- Amp: stands for ampere, which is a unit of electric current.
- **AWG:** stands for American Wire Gauge.
- **Bar:** is a metric unit of pressure. One bar is approximately equal to the atmospheric pressure at sea level.
- **Base Tube:** refers to the tube with the largest diameter. When the mast is fully extended, this is the tube closest to the mounting surface.
- BCD: stands for Bolt Circle Diameter.
- **Bearing Strips:** refer to plastic strips located in some collars where tubes make contact with each other.
- Butt Plate: refers to the bottommost plate on each intermediate tube.
- **CFM:** stands for Cubic Feet per Minute.
- **Collar Inserts:** refer to machined pieces of plastic with a notch for the key located in some collars.
- Collars: attach to the top of each tube except the top tube.
- **Drain Hole:** refers to the threaded hole on the side of the base tube designed to facilitate the water drainage during periods of extension. A Drain Kit may be installed to the drain hole to route water away from the mast system. The base tube has one drain hole.
- **Extended:** refers to the partial- or full-raised position of the mast that the mast pneumatically goes to from the nested position. In the extended position, some or all the tubes have risen.
- **ft.-lb.:** stands for foot-pounds, which is a unit of torque equal to the force in pounds multiplied by the distance in feet to the pivot point.
- HDL: stands for Heavy Duty Locking.
- HDNL: stands for Heavy Duty Non-Locking.
- Hz: stands for Hertz and is defined as one cycle per second.
- **ID:** stands for Inside Diameter or the diameter to the inside edge of a circle.
- **in.-lb.**: stands for inch-pounds, which is a unit of torque equal to the force in pounds multiplied by the distance in inches to the pivot point.



- Intermediate Tubes: refer to the tubes between the base tube and the top tube.
- LPM: stands for liters per minute.
- Mast: refers to the telescoping Pneumatic Mast.
- **Mast System:** refers to the entire Pneumatic Mast System (telescoping mast, pneumatic system, mounting hardware, and additional accessories).
- **Nested:** refers to the position of the mast where no tubes have risen. The mast remains retracted. This position is sometimes referred to as "stowed".
- **N m:** stands for Newton-Meter, which is a form of torque.
- **NPT:** stands for "American National Standard Pipe Thread" or "National Pipe Thread" for short; a United States standard for thread specifications on pipes and fittings. NPT threads are tapered.
- **OD:** stands for Outside Diameter or the diameter to the outside edge of a circle.
- **Payload:** refers to the object or equipment being raised by the mast to an operational height.
- **PSI:** stands for pound-force per square inch.
- **PSIG:** stands for pound-force per square inch gauge. PSIG refers to a gauge that has been calibrated to read zero at sea level.
- **P/N:** stands for Part Number. These are The Will-Burt Company part numbers for various components in the mast system.
- **SCFM:** stands for standard cubic feet per minute, or CFM adjusted to 14.7 PSI (1 Bar) and 68°F (20°C).
- SHDL: stands for Super Heavy Duty Locking.
- SHDNL: stands for Super Heavy Duty Non-Locking.
- **Top Tube:** refers to the tube with the smallest diameter. When the mast is fully extended, this is the tube furthest from the mounting surface.
- **Top Tube Stop:** refers to the component at the top of the top tube. The top tube stop prevents the top tube from sliding too far down into a nested mast.
- **Tube Head:** refers to the component at the base of the base tube. The tube head can be set up for either non-rotating masts (without a groove in the tube head) or rotating masts (with a groove in the tube head). The type of tube head will impact the nested height of the mast.
- UHDL: stands for Ultra Heavy Duty Locking.
- UHDNL: stands for Ultra Heavy Duty Non-Locking.
- Wear Rings: refers to the preformed split synthetic bearings that fit in the wear ring groove around the butt plate above the seal on each interior tube. The wear rings guide the bottom of the tube through the next larger tube.
- Weep Holes: refer to the holes on the intermediate tubes which are designed to facilitate the drainage of water during periods of extension. Each intermediate tube has four weep holes.
- Ø: stands for diameter.



### 10.1.2 Mounting Position Terms

For the purposes of this manual, regions of the mounting location are defined as follows:

- Mounting Structure: the overall structure where the mast is mounted.
- **Mounting Surface:** the surface to which the base plate is secured. When the shelf bracket is used (in external mount applications only), it serves as the mounting surface for the base plate. When installing inside a vehicle, this will likely be the floor.
- **Roof:** the horizontal surface to which the internal mounting kit is secured. This term applies to internal mount applications only.
- **Support Structure:** the vertical surface to which the external support bracket is secured. This term applies to external mount applications only.

## **10.2 Reference Dimensional Information**

This section describes reference dimensional information as follows:

- Tube Diameter (Section 10.2.1)
- Collar Information (Section 10.2.2)

### **10.2.1 Tube Diameters**

	Stand	ard D	uty	Heavy Duty			Super Heavy Duty			Ultra Heavy Duty					
-	ube	Q	ðА			Ø	A	-	Tube	Øł	٩			ØA	<b>\</b>
	upe	in	mm		ube	in	mm		Tube	in	mm		Tube	in	mm
	2	2.0	51		3	3.0	76		3 ¾	3.75	95		5 ¼	5.25	133
	2 ½	2.5	64		3 ¾	3.75	95		4 ½	4.5	114		6	6.0	152
	3	3.0	76		4 ½	4.5	114		5 ¼	5.25	133		6 ¾	6.75	171
	3 ½	3.5	89		5 ¼	5.25	133		6	6.0	152		7 1⁄2	7.5	191
	4	4.0	102		6	6.0	152		6 ¾	6.75	171		8 ¼	8.25	210
	4 ½	4.5	114	В	6 ¾	6.75	171		7 1⁄2	7.5	191		9 1⁄8	9.125	232
В	5	5.0	127		7 ½	7.5	191		8 ¼	8.25	210		10	10.0	254
					8 1⁄4	8.25	210		9 1⁄8	9.125	232		<b>11</b> 3/16	11.188	284
				В	9	9.0	229		10	10.00	254		12 ¾	12.375	314
								В	11 ¼	11.25	286	В	13 ½	13.5	343

#### Table 10-1 Tube Diameters

Note: "B" designates a base tube section.



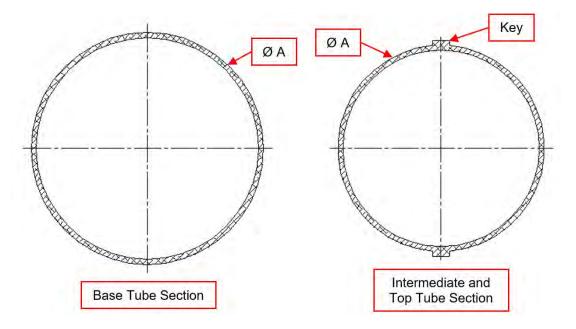


Figure 10-1 Tube Diameters

### **10.2.2** Collar Information

#### Table 10-2 Standard Duty Collar Information

Tube	Non-Loc	Collar Bolts	
Tube	in	mm	
2 1⁄2	3.25	83	4
3	3.75	95	4
3 1⁄2	4.25	108	6
4	4.75	121	6
4 1/2	5.25	133	6
5	5.75	146	6



	Non-Locking OD		L	ocking OI	А			
Tube	in	mm	Collar Bolts	in	mm	Collar Bolts	in	mm
3 <sup>3</sup> ⁄4	4.50	114	6	4.50	114	6	10.50	267
4 1/2	5.20	132	6	5.25	133	6	11.25	286
5 ¼	6.00	152	6	6.00	152	6	12.00	305
6	6.75	171	6	6.75	171	6	12.75	324
6 ¾	7.50	191	6	7.50	191	6	13.50	343
7 1⁄2	8.25	210	8	8.25	210	6	14.25	362
8 1⁄4	9.00	229	8	9.00	229	6	15.00	381
9	9.75	248	8	9.75	248	6	15.75	400

#### Table 10-3 Heavy Duty Collar Information

#### Table 10-4 Super Heavy Duty Collar Information

	Non-Locking OD		L	ocking OI	А			
Tube	in	mm	Collar Bolts	in	mm	Collar Bolts	in	mm
4 1/2	5.20	132	6	5.25	133	6	11.25	286
5 1⁄4	6.00	152	6	6.00	152	6	12.00	305
6	6.75	171	6	6.75	171	6	12.75	324
6 <sup>3</sup> ⁄4	7.50	191	6	7.50	191	6	13.50	343
7 1⁄2	8.25	210	8	8.25	210	6	14.25	362
8 1⁄4	9.00	229	8	9.00	229	6	15.00	381
9 1⁄8	10.13	257	8	9.75	248	6	15.75	400
10	11.00	279	8	10.75	273	6	16.63	422
11 ¼	12.13	308	8	11.75	298	6	17.50	445



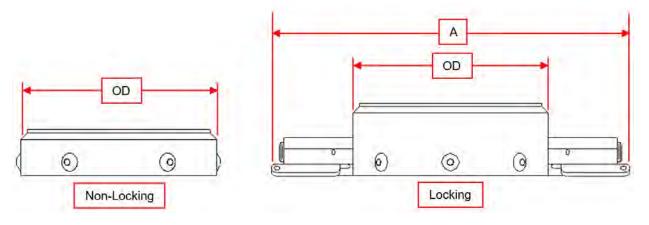


Figure 10-2 Collar Information

Tube	Non-Loc	cking OD	Collar Bolts	А			
Tube	in	mm		in	mm		
6.0	6.75	171	6	12.75	324		
6.75	7.50	191	6	13.50	343		
7.5	8.25	210	6	14.25	362		
8.25	9.00	229	6	15.00	381		
9.12	9.75	248	6	15.75	400		
10.0	10.75	273	6	16.63	422		
11.25	11.75	298	6	17.50	445		



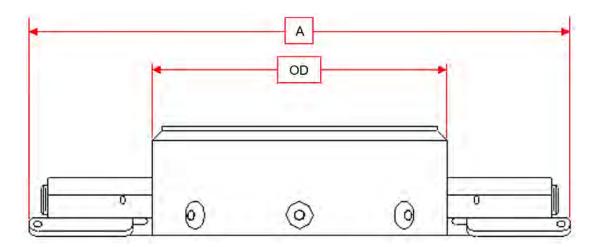


Figure 10-3 Ultra Heavy Duty Locking Collar Information

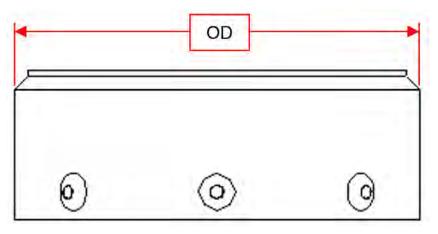


Figure 10-4 Ultra Heavy Duty Non-Locking Collar Information

Tube	А		A ØB		Ø	С	D	Collar	
Tube	in	mm	in	mm	in	mm	in	mm	Bolts
12.375	15.73	400	13.94	354	12.30	312	17.73	450	8
13.50	16.85	428	15.13	384	13.42	341	18.91	480	10

#### Table 10-6 Ultra Heavy Duty Collar Information for 13.5 and 12.375 Collars



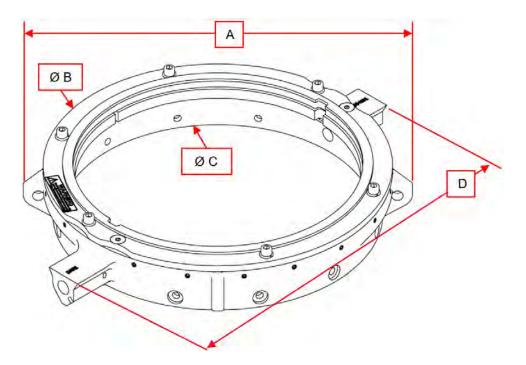


Figure 10-5 Ultra Heavy Duty Locking Collar Information

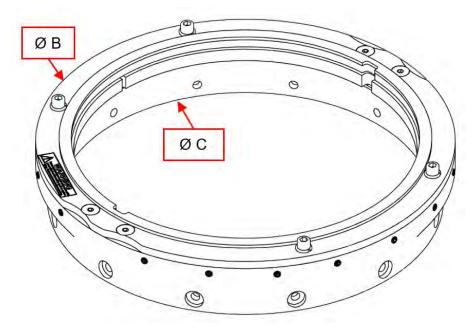


Figure 10-6 Ultra Heavy Duty Non-Locking Collar Information

## 10.3 Drawings

Refer to the www.willburt.com for drawings of your mast system.

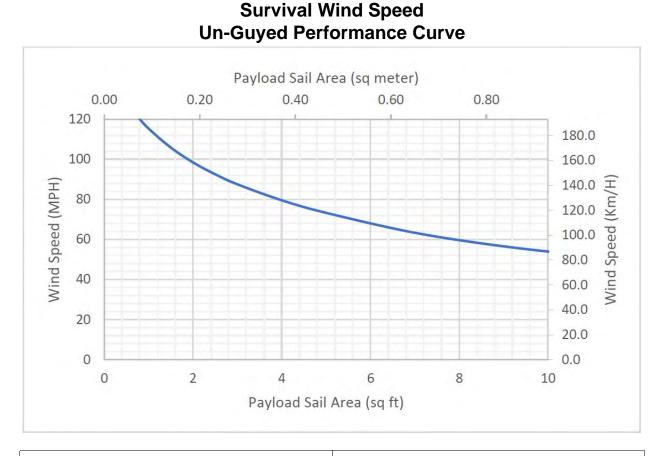


## **10.4 Mast Wind Load Capacity**

The following graphs define the survival wind speed capacity as a function of payload sail area. Note carefully the assumptions at the bottom of each graph. If your payload application exceeds any of these assumption values, contact The Will-Burt Company's Engineering for the wind load capacity for your specific application. These graphs are generic in nature and not intended to cover every possible payload situation. The wind load values represent a theoretical prediction of mast performance based on the assumptions used. Actual performance may vary slightly.



## 5-20 Standard Duty Non-Locking Pneumatic Mast



#### Mast

- 5-20 STDNL Pneumatic Mast
  - Nest Height = 5 ft. 3 in. [1.61 m]
  - Fully Extended Height = 20 ft. 0 in. [6.08 m]
    No. of Tubes = 6

• Max Payload Capacity = 70 lb. [31.8 kg]

• Tube Set = 2.50" – 5.00"

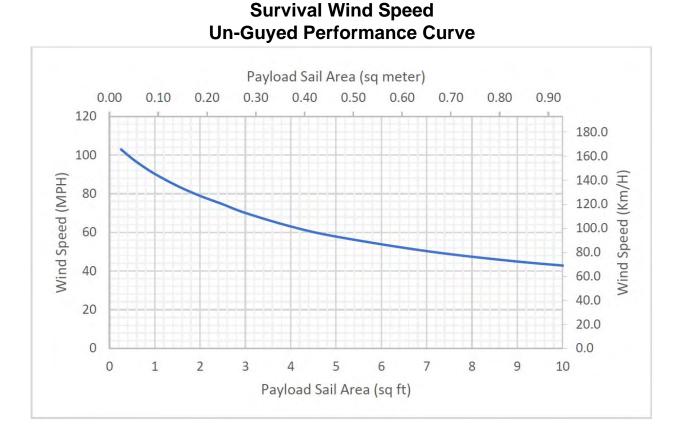
- Survival Wind Speed Assumptions
  - Payload Weight = 70 lb. [31.8 kg]
  - Payload Coefficient of Drag = 1.3
  - Payload centroid is on mast axis and 12" [304.8 mm] above top of mast
  - Mast securely constrained at bottom of mast as well as approximately 5" [127 mm] below collar of base tube by WB supplied hardware or equivalent
  - 0 degree mast base deployment angle
  - All wind speeds measured at 33 ft above ground level
  - Cabling is secured together and fixed to the mast
  - Survival wind speed will be reduced for increasing payload centroid distance above top of mast
- This analysis does not include any evaluation of the stability of a trailer, the trailer, outriggers, and anchors are assumed fixed.





### 10.4.2 Catalog Model 6-27 STDNL

## 6-27 Standard Duty Non-Locking Pneumatic Mast



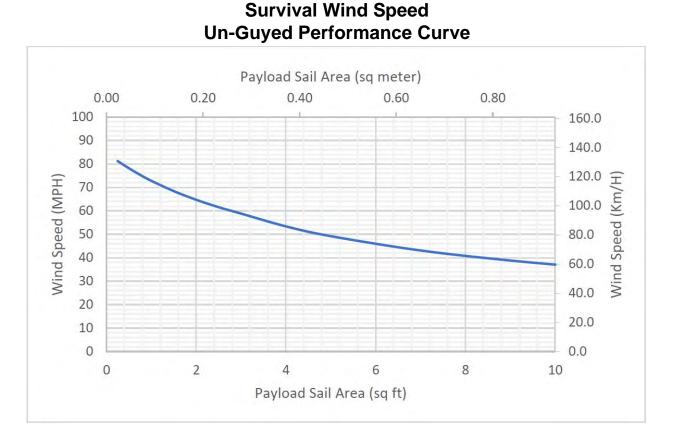
#### <u>Mast</u>

- 6-27 STDNL Pneumatic Mast
  - Nest Height = 6 ft.0 in. [1.82 m]
    - Fully Extended Height = 26 ft. 10 in. [8.17 m] • No. of Tubes = 7
    - Tube Set = 2.00" 5.00"
    - Max Payload Capacity = 40 lb. [18.2 kg]

- Survival Wind Speed Assumptions
- . . .
- Payload Weight = 40 lb. [18.2 kg]
   Payload Coefficient of Data = 1.2
- Payload Coefficient of Drag = 1.3
- Payload centroid is on mast axis and 12" [304.8 mm] above top of mast
- Mast securely constrained at bottom of mast as well as approximately 5" [127 mm] below collar of base tube by WB supplied hardware or equivalent
- 0 degree mast base deployment angle
- All wind speeds measured at 33 ft above ground level
- Cabling is secured together and fixed to the mast
- · Survival wind speed will be reduced for increasing payload centroid distance above top of mast
- This analysis does not include any evaluation of the stability of a trailer, the trailer, outriggers, and anchors are assumed fixed.

#### Catalog Model 7-34 STDNL 10.4.3

## 7-34 Standard Duty **Non-Locking Pneumatic Mast**



#### Mast

- 7-34 STDNL Pneumatic Mast
  - Nest Height = 6 ft. 0 in. [2.12 m]
    - Fully Extended Height = 33 ft. 10 in. [10.3 m]
    - No. of Tubes = 7 • Tube Set = 2.00" – 5.00"

    - Max Payload Capacity = 40 lb. [18.2 kg]

#### Survival Wind Speed Assumptions

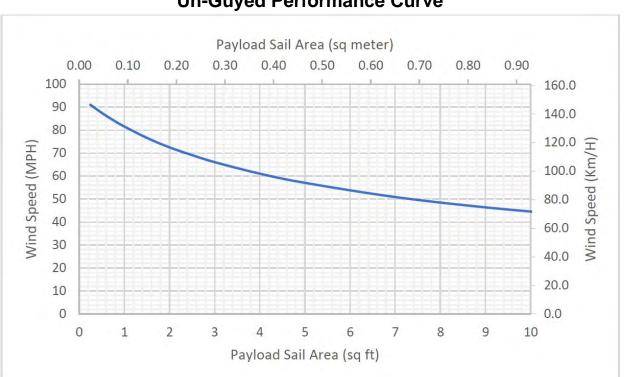
- Payload Weight = 40 lb. [18.2 kg]
- Payload Coefficient of Drag = 1.3
- Payload centroid is on mast axis and 12" [304.8 mm] above top of mast
- Mast securely constrained at bottom of mast as well as approximately 5" [127 mm] below collar of base tube by WB supplied hardware or equivalent
- 0 degree mast base deployment angle
- All wind speeds measured 33 ft. above ground level •
- ٠ Cabling is secured together and fixed to the mast
- Survival wind speed will be reduced for increasing payload centroid distance above top of mast
- This analysis does not include any evaluation of the stability of a trailer, the trailer, outriggers, and anchors are assumed fixed.





### 10.4.4 Catalog Model 8-30 STDNL

## 8-30 Standard Duty Non-Locking Pneumatic Mast



#### Survival Wind Speed Un-Guyed Performance Curve

#### Mast

- 8-30 STDNL Pneumatic Mast
- Nest Height = 8 ft. 2 in. [2.50 m]
  - Fully Extended Height = 29 ft. 11 in. [9.11 m] • No. of Tubes = 5
  - No. of Tubes = 5 • Tube Set = 3.00" – 5.00"
  - Max Payload Capacity = 100 lb. [45.4 kg]

#### Survival Wind Speed Assumptions

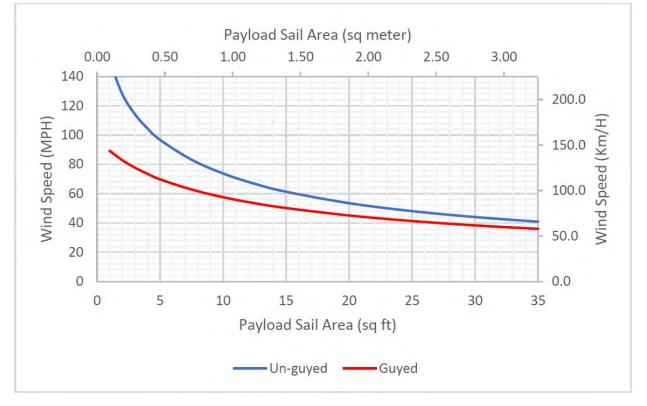
- Payload Weight = 100 lb. [45.4 kg]
- Payload Coefficient of Drag = 1.3
- Payload centroid is on mast axis and 12" [304.8 mm] above top of mast
- Mast securely constrained at bottom of mast as well as approximately 5" [127 mm] below collar of base tube by WB supplied hardware or equivalent
- 0 degree mast base deployment angle
- All wind speeds measured 33 ft. above ground level
- Cabling is secured together and fixed to the mast
- · Survival wind speed will be reduced for increasing payload centroid distance above top of mast
- This analysis does not include any evaluation of the stability of a trailer, the trailer, outriggers, and anchors are assumed fixed.



#### 10.4.5 Catalog Model 6-25 HDL

## 6-25 Heavy Duty Locking Pneumatic Mast

### Survival Wind Speed Performance Curve



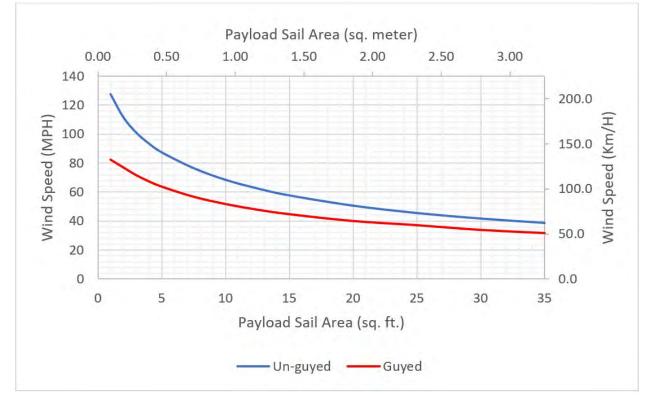
#### Mast **Guying Kit** 6-25 HDL Pneumatic Mast • WB P/N: 906236 • Nest Height = 6 ft. 1 in. [1.86 m] 1-level, 4-way guying to Platform • Fully Extended Height = 25 ft. 1 in. [7.65 m] • 25 ft. [7.62 m] guying radius • No. of Tubes = 6 • 1/4" Kevlar Guy Lines • Tube Set = 3.00" - 6.75" • (4) Guy Stakes • Max Payload Capacity = 200 lb. [90.7 kg] Survival Wind Speed Assumptions Payload Weight = 200 lb. [90.7 kg] Payload Coefficient of Drag = 1.3 Payload centroid is on mast axis and 12" [304.8 mm] above top of mast Mast securely constrained at bottom of mast as well as approximately 5" [127 mm] below collar of base tube by WB supplied hardware or equivalent 0 degree mast base deployment angle All wind speeds measured at 33 ft above ground level Cabling is secured together and fixed to the mast Survival wind speed will be reduced for increasing payload centroid distance above top of mast This analysis does not include any evaluation of the stability of a trailer, the trailer, outriggers, and anchors are assumed fixed.



### 10.4.6 Catalog Model 7-30 HDL

## 7-30 Heavy Duty Locking Pneumatic Mast

### Survival Wind Speed Performance Curve



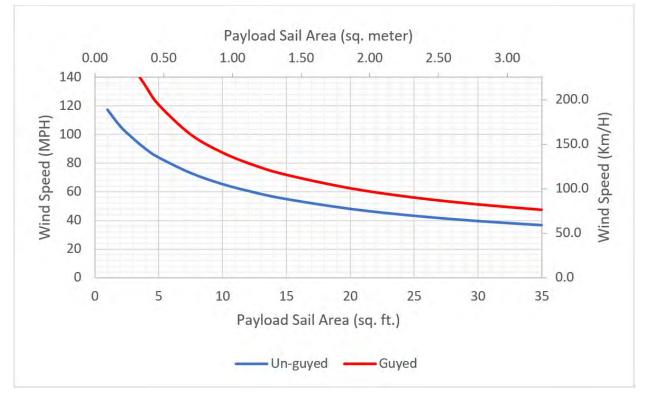
Mast         • 7-30 HDL Pneumatic Mast         • Nest Height = 7 ft. 0 in. [2.12 m]         • Fully Extended Height = 29 ft. 2 in. [8.89 m]         • No. of Tubes = 6         • Tube Set = 3.00" – 6.75"         • Max Payload Capacity = 200 lb. [90.7 kg]	Guying Kit• WB P/N: 906162• 2-level, 4-way guying to 3.75" and 5.25" collars• 30 ft. [9.14 m] guying radius• ¼" Kevlar Guy Lines• (4) Arrowhead Anchors					
<ul> <li>Survival Wind Speed Assumptions</li> <li>Payload Coefficient of Drag = 1.3</li> <li>Payload controid is on mast axis and 12" [304.8 mm] above top of mast</li> <li>Mast securely constrained at bottom of mast as well as approximately 5" [127 mm] below collar of base tube by WB supplied hardware or equivalent</li> <li>0 degree mast base deployment angle</li> <li>All wind speeds measured at 33 ft above ground level</li> <li>Cabling is secured together and fixed to the mast</li> <li>Survival wind speed will be reduced for increasing payload centroid distance above top of mast</li> <li>This analysis does not include any evaluation of the stability of a trailer, the trailer, outriggers, and anchors are assumed fixed.</li> </ul>						



#### 10.4.7 Catalog Model 7-42 HDL

## 7-42 Heavy Duty Locking Pneumatic Mast

#### Survival Wind Speed Performance Curve



#### Mast

7-42 HDL Pneumatic Mast
Nest Height = 7 ft. 8 in. [2.33 m]

#### <u>Guying Kit</u>

- WB P/N: 5221601
- 2-level, 4-way guying to 3.75" and 6.00" collars
- 30 ft. [9.14 m] guying radius
- 3/16" steel guy lines
- (4) 6" Screw Anchors

#### Survival Wind Speed Assumptions

• No. of Tubes = 9

• Tube Set = 3.00" - 9.00"

- Payload Weight = 200 lb. [90.7 kg]
- Payload Coefficient of Drag = 1.3
- Payload centroid is on mast axis and 12" [304.8 mm] above top of mast
- Mast securely constrained at bottom of mast as well as approximately 5" [127 mm] below collar of base tube by WB supplied hardware or equivalent
- 0 degree mast base deployment angle
- All wind speeds measured at 33 ft above ground level

• Fully Extended Height = 41 ft. 3 in. [12.58 m]

• Max Payload Capacity = 200 lb. [90.7 kg]

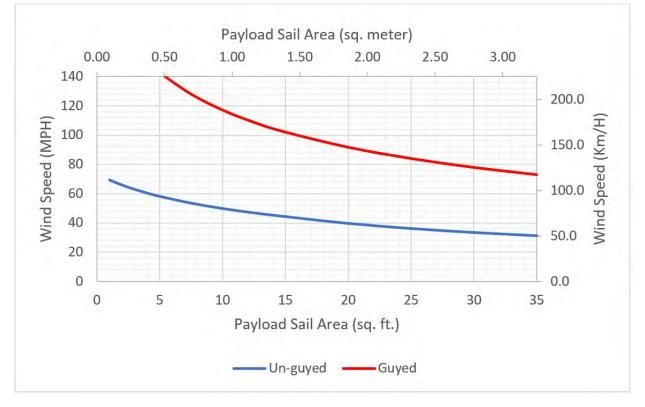
- Cabling is secured together and fixed to the mast
- Survival wind speed will be reduced for increasing payload centroid distance above top of mast
- This analysis does not include any evaluation of the stability of a trailer, the trailer, outriggers, and anchors are assumed fixed.



### 10.4.8 Catalog Model 10-60 HDL

# 10-60 Heavy Duty Locking Pneumatic Mast

### Survival Wind Speed Performance Curve



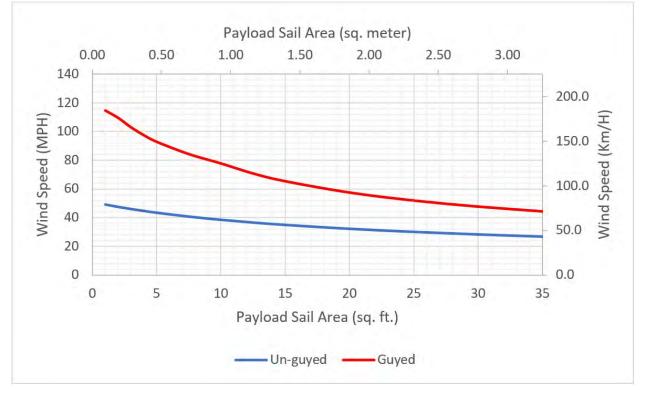
#### Mast **Guying Kit** • 10-60 HDL Pneumatic Mast • WB P/N: 5338101 • Nest Height = 10 ft. 2 in. [2.80 m] 2-level, 4-way guying to platform and 4.50" collar ٠ • Fully Extended Height = 60 ft. 5 in. [15.40 m] 60 ft. [18.29 m] Guying Radius • • No. of Tubes = 8 3/16" steel guy lines • • Tube Set = 3.75" - 9.00" (4) 6" Screw Anchors • Max Payload Capacity = 300 lb. [136.1 kg] Survival Wind Speed Assumptions Payload Weight = 300 lb. [136.1 kg] Payload Coefficient of Drag = 1.3 Payload centroid is on mast axis and 12" [304.8 mm] above top of mast Mast securely constrained at bottom of mast as well as approximately 5" [127 mm] below collar of base tube by WB supplied hardware or equivalent 0 degree mast base deployment angle All wind speeds measured at 33 ft above ground level Cabling is secured together and fixed to the mast Survival wind speed will be reduced for increasing payload centroid distance above top of mast This analysis does not include any evaluation of the stability of a trailer, the trailer, outriggers, and anchors are assumed fixed.



#### 10.4.9 Catalog Model 14.5-80 HDL

# 14.5-80 Heavy Duty Locking Pneumatic Mast

### Survival Wind Speed Performance Curve



#### Mast

- 14.5-80 HDL Pneumatic Mast
  - Nest Height = 14 ft. 3 in. [4.33 m]
  - Fully Extended Height = 79 ft. 10 in. [24.33 m]
    - No. of Tubes = 7
    - Tube Set = 4.50" 9.00"
  - Max Payload Capacity = 400 lb. [181.4 kg]

#### Survival Wind Speed Assumptions

- Payload Weight = 400 lb. [181.4 kg]
- Payload Coefficient of Drag = 1.3
- Payload centroid is on mast axis and 12" [304.8 mm] above top of mast
- Mast securely constrained at bottom of mast as well as approximately 5" [127 mm] below collar of base tube by WB supplied hardware or equivalent

**Guying Kit** 

•

• WB P/N: 913366

3/16" steel guy lines

(4) 6" Screw Anchors

collars

4-level, 4-way guying to 5.25", 6.75", 8.25", and 9.00"

20 ft. [6.1m] and 60 ft. [18.3m] Guying Radius

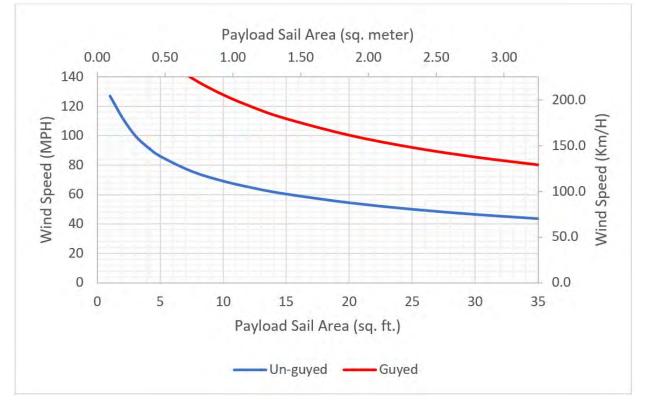
- 0 degree mast base deployment angle
- All wind speeds measured at 33 ft above ground level
- Cabling is secured together and fixed to the mast
- Survival wind speed will be reduced for increasing payload centroid distance above top of mast
- This analysis does not include any evaluation of the stability of a trailer, the trailer, outriggers, and anchors are assumed fixed.



### 10.4.10 Catalog Model 9-50 SHDL

# 9-50 Super Heavy Duty Locking Pneumatic Mast

### Survival Wind Speed Performance Curve



#### Mast **Guying Kit** • 9-50 SHDL Pneumatic Mast • WB P/N: 4021701 • Nest Height = 9 ft. 2 in. [2.80 m] 2-level, 4-way guying to platform and 6.00" collar • Fully Extended Height = 50 ft. 6 in. [15.40 m] • 50 ft. [15.24 m] Guying Radius • No. of Tubes = 8 • 3/16" steel guy lines • Tube Set = 5.25" - 11.25" • (4) 6" Screw Anchors • Max Payload Capacity = 530 lb. [240.4 kg] Survival Wind Speed Assumptions Payload Weight = 530 lb. [240.4 kg] Payload Coefficient of Drag = 1.3 Payload centroid is on mast axis and 12" [304.8 mm] above top of mast Mast securely constrained at bottom of mast as well as approximately 5" [127 mm] below collar of base tube by WB supplied hardware or equivalent 0 degree mast base deployment angle

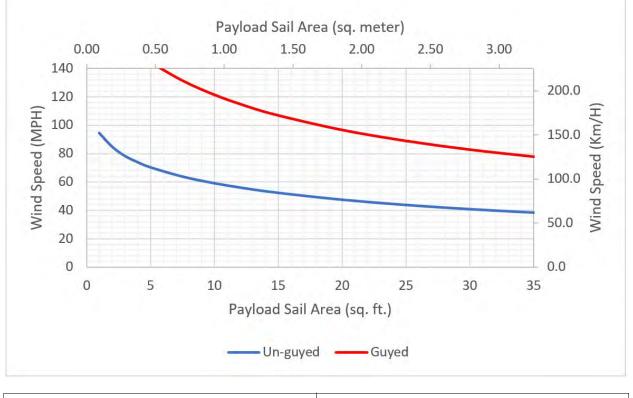
- All wind speeds measured at 33 ft above ground level
- Cabling is secured together and fixed to the mast
- Survival wind speed will be reduced for increasing payload centroid distance above top of mast
- This analysis does not include any evaluation of the stability of a trailer, the trailer, outriggers, and anchors are assumed fixed.



### 10.4.11 Catalog Model 10.3-60 SHDL

# 10.3-60 Super Heavy Duty Locking Pneumatic Mast

### Survival Wind Speed Performance Curve



#### Mast

 Iast
 Guying Kit

 • 10.3-60 SHDL Pneumatic Mast
 • WB P/N: 909428

 • Nest Height = 10 ft. 5 in. [3.19 m]
 • Club Plus Extended Height = 60 ft. 6 in. [18.45 m]

 • No. of Tubes = 8
 • Tube Set = 5.25" – 11.25"

 • Max Payload Capacity = 530 lb. [240.4 kg]
 • WB P/N: 909428

 • WB P/N: 909428
 • 2-level, 4-way guying to platform and 6.00" collar

 • 70 ft. [21.34 m] Guying Radius
 • 3/16" steel guy lines

 • Max Payload Capacity = 530 lb. [240.4 kg]
 • (4) 6" Screw Anchors

#### Survival Wind Speed Assumptions

• Payload Weight = 530 lb. [240.4 kg]

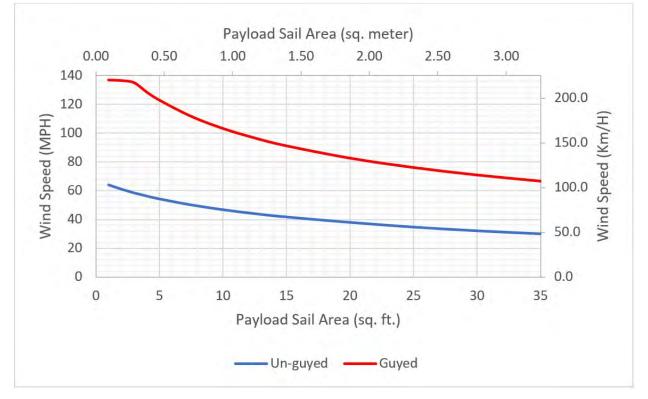
- Payload Coefficient of Drag = 1.3
- Payload centroid is on mast axis and 12" [304.8 mm] above top of mast
- Mast securely constrained at bottom of mast as well as approximately 5" [127 mm] below collar of base tube by WB supplied hardware or equivalent
- 0 degree mast base deployment angle
- All wind speeds measured at 33 ft above ground level
- Cabling is secured together and fixed to the mast
- · Survival wind speed will be reduced for increasing payload centroid distance above top of mast
- This analysis does not include any evaluation of the stability of a trailer, the trailer, outriggers, and anchors are assumed fixed.



### 10.4.12 Catalog Model 10.8-76 SHDL

# 10.8-76 Super Heavy Duty Locking Pneumatic Mast

### Survival Wind Speed Performance Curve



#### Mast

10.8-76 SHDL Pneumatic Mast
 Nest Height = 10 ft. 11 in. [3.33 m]

• No. of Tubes = 10

• Tube Set = 3.75" - 11.25"

#### <u>Guying Kit</u>

- WB P/N: 910917
- 2-level, 4-way guying to platform and 5.25" collar
- 75 ft. [22.86 m] Guying Radius
- 3/16" steel guy lines
- (4) 6" Screw Anchors

#### Survival Wind Speed Assumptions

- Payload Weight = 300 lb. [136.1 kg]
- Payload Coefficient of Drag = 1.3
- Payload centroid is on mast axis and 12" [304.8 mm] above top of mast
- Mast securely constrained at bottom of mast as well as approximately 5" [127 mm] below collar of base tube by WB supplied hardware or equivalent
- 0 degree mast base deployment angle
- All wind speeds measured at 33 ft above ground level

• Fully Extended Height = 76 ft. 1 in. [23.19 m]

• Max Payload Capacity = 300 lb. [136.1 kg]

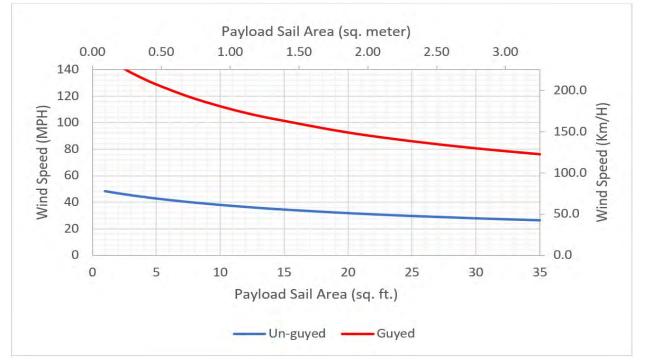
- Cabling is secured together and fixed to the mast
- Survival wind speed will be reduced for increasing payload centroid distance above top of mast
- This analysis does not include any evaluation of the stability of a trailer, the trailer, outriggers, and anchors are assumed fixed



### 10.4.13 Catalog Model 15.7-100 SHDL

# 15.7-100 Super Heavy Duty Locking Pneumatic Mast

### Survival Wind Speed Performance Curve



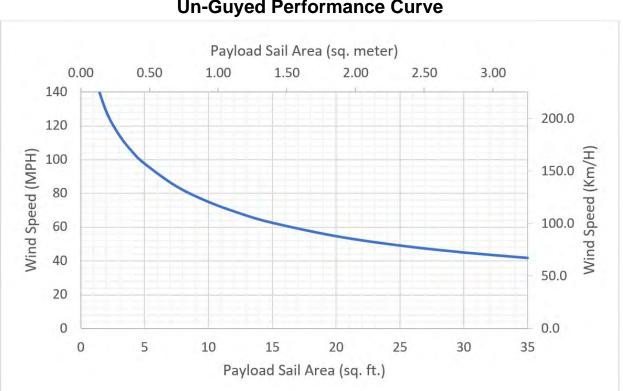
Mast	Guying Kit
<ul> <li>15.7-100 SHDL Pneumatic Mast <ul> <li>Nest Height = 15 ft. 8 in. [4.78 m]</li> <li>Fully Extended Height = 100 ft. [30.51 m]</li> <li>No of Tubes = 8</li> <li>Tube Set = 5.25" – 11.25"</li> <li>Max Payload Capacity = 530 lb. [240.4 kg]</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>WB P/N: 913043</li> <li>5-level, 4-way guying</li> <li>Guyed to platform and 6.25", 7.50", 9.13", and 11.25" collars</li> <li>30 ft. [9.14 m] and 80 ft. [24.38 m] Guying Radius</li> <li>1/4" steel guy lines</li> <li>(4) Expanding Anchors</li> </ul>
Survival Wind Speed Assumptions	
<ul> <li>Payload Weight = 530 lb. [240.4 kg]</li> <li>Payload Coefficient of Drag = 1.3</li> </ul>	

- Payload centroid is on mast axis and 12" [304.8 mm] above top of mast
- Mast securely constrained at bottom of mast as well as approximately 5" [127 mm] below collar of base tube by WB supplied hardware or equivalent
- 0 degree mast base deployment angle
- All wind speeds measured at 33 ft above ground level
- Cabling is secured together and fixed to the mast
- · Survival wind speed will be reduced for increasing payload centroid distance above top of mast
- This analysis does not include any evaluation of the stability of a trailer, the trailer, outriggers, and anchors are assumed fixed.



### 10.4.14 Catalog Model 6-25 HDNL

# 6-25 Heavy Duty Non-Locking Pneumatic Mast



#### Mast

- 6-25 HDNL Pneumatic Mast
  - Nest Height = 5 ft. 10 in. [1.78 m]
  - Fully Extended Height = 25 ft. 0 in. [7.63 m]
  - No. of Tubes = 6
  - Tube Set = 3.00" 6.75"
  - Max Payload Capacity = 200 lb. [90.7 kg]

#### Survival Wind Speed Assumptions

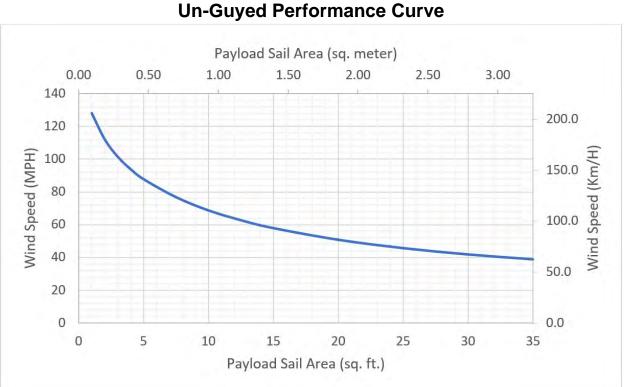
- Payload Weight = 200 lb. [90.7 kg]
- Payload Coefficient of Drag = 1.3
- Payload centroid is on mast axis and 12" [304.8 mm] above top of mast
- Mast securely constrained at bottom of mast as well as approximately 5" [127 mm] below collar of base tube by WB supplied hardware or equivalent
- 0 degree mast base deployment angle
- All wind speeds measured at 33 ft above ground level
- Cabling is secured together and fixed to the mast
- Survival wind speed will be reduced for increasing payload centroid distance above top of mast
- This analysis does not include any evaluation of the stability of a trailer, the trailer, outriggers, and anchors are assumed fixed.

Survival Wind Speed Un-Guyed Performance Curve

### 10.4.15 Catalog Model 7-30 HDNL



# 7-30 Heavy Duty Non-Locking Pneumatic Mast



### Survival Wind Speed Un-Guyed Performance Curve

#### Mast

- 7-30 HDNL Pneumatic Mast
  - Nest Height = 6 ft. 7 in. [2.02 m]
    - Fully Extended Height = 29 ft. 2 in. [8.88 m]
    - No. of Tubes = 6
    - Tube Set = 3.00" 6.75"
    - Max Payload Capacity = 200 lb. [90.7 kg]

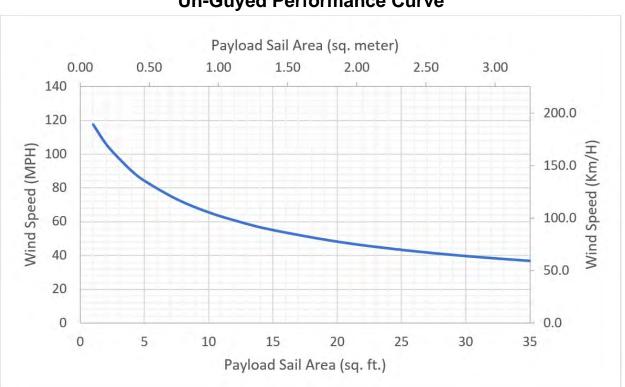
#### Survival Wind Speed Assumptions

- Payload Weight = 200 lb. [90.7 kg]
- Payload Coefficient of Drag = 1.3
- Payload centroid is on mast axis and 12" [304.8 mm] above top of mast
- Mast securely constrained at bottom of mast as well as approximately 5" [127 mm] below collar of base tube by WB supplied hardware or equivalent
- 0 degree mast base deployment angle
- All wind speeds measured at 33 ft above ground level
- Cabling is secured together and fixed to the mast
- · Survival wind speed will be reduced for increasing payload centroid distance above top of mast
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### 10.4.16 Catalog Model 7-42 HDNL

# 7-42 Heavy Duty Non-Locking Pneumatic Mast



### Survival Wind Speed Un-Guyed Performance Curve

#### Mast

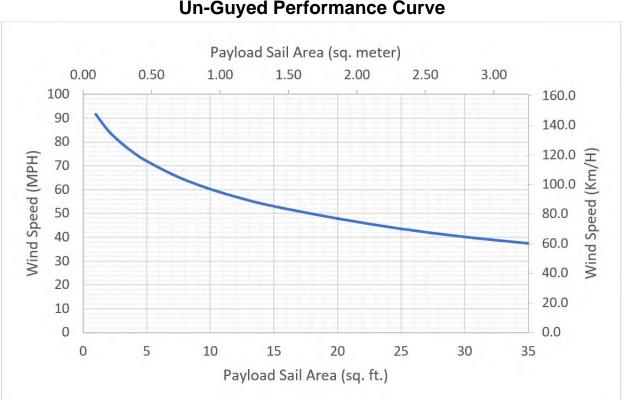
- 7-42 HDNL Pneumatic Mast
  - Nest Height = 7 ft. 1 in. [2.15 m]
    - Fully Extended Height = 41 ft. 3 in. [12.56 m]
  - No. of Tubes = 9
  - Tube Set = 3.00" 9.00"
  - Max Payload Capacity = 200 lb. [90.7 kg]

#### Survival Wind Speed Assumptions

- Payload Weight = 200 lb. [90.7 kg]
- Payload Coefficient of Drag = 1.3
- Payload centroid is on mast axis and 12" [304.8 mm] above top of mast
- Mast securely constrained at bottom of mast as well as approximately 5" [127 mm] below collar of base tube by WB supplied hardware or equivalent
- 0 degree mast base deployment angle
- All wind speeds measured at 33 ft above ground level
- Cabling is secured together and fixed to the mast
- Survival wind speed will be reduced for increasing payload centroid distance above top of mast
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### 10.4.17 Catalog Model 8.5-48 HDNL

# 8.5-48 Heavy Duty Non-Locking Pneumatic Mast



#### Mast

- 8.5-48 HDNL Pneumatic Mast
  - Nest Height = 8 ft. 7 in. [2.61 m]
    - Fully Extended Height = 48 ft. 8 in. [14.83 m]
    - No. of Tubes = 8
    - Tube Set = 3.75" 9.00"
    - Max Payload Capacity = 300 lb. [136.1 kg]

#### Survival Wind Speed Assumptions

- Payload Weight = 300 lb. [136.1 kg]
- Payload Coefficient of Drag = 1.3
- Payload centroid is on mast axis and 12" [304.8 mm] above top of mast
- Mast securely constrained at bottom of mast as well as approximately 5" [127 mm] below collar of base tube by WB supplied hardware or equivalent
- 0 degree mast base deployment angle
- All wind speeds measured at 33 ft above ground level
- Cabling is secured together and fixed to the mast
- Survival wind speed will be reduced for increasing payload centroid distance above top of mast
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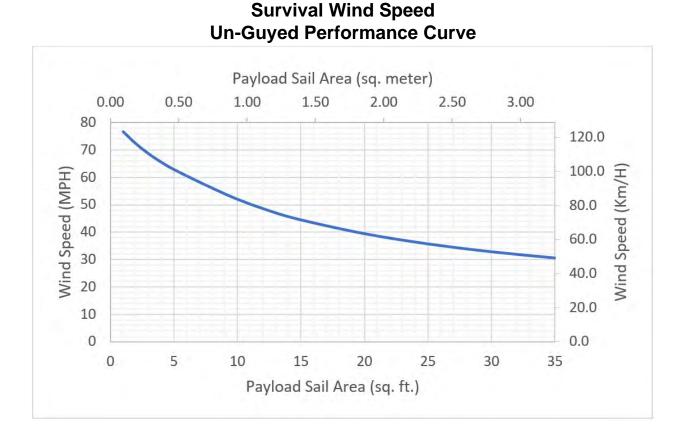


### Survival Wind Speed Un-Guyed Performance Curve



### 10.4.18 Catalog Model 8.5-52 HDNL

# 8.5-52 Heavy Duty Non-Locking Pneumatic Mast



#### <u>Mast</u>

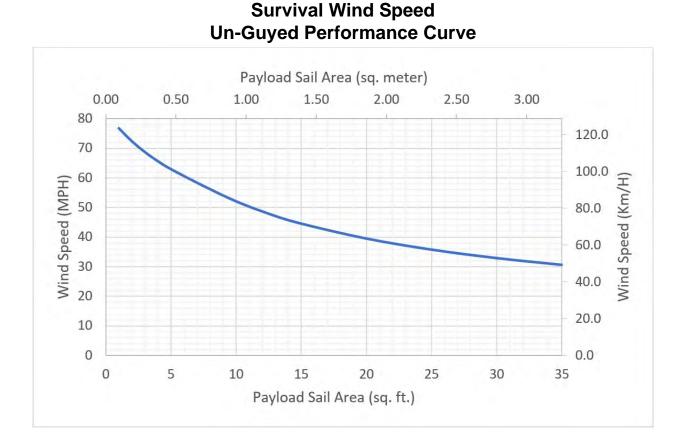
- 8.5-52 HDNL Pneumatic Mast
  - Nest Height = 8 ft. 3 in. [2.51 m]
    - Fully Extended Height = 52 ft. 0 in. [15.86 m]
    - No. of Tubes = 9
    - Tube Set = 3.00" 9.00"
    - Max Payload Capacity = 200 lb. [90.72 kg]

Survival Wind Speed Assumptions

- Payload Weight = 200 lb. [90.72 kg]
- Payload Coefficient of Drag = 1.3
- Payload centroid is on mast axis and 12" [304.8 mm] above top of mast
- Mast securely constrained at bottom of mast as well as approximately 5" [127 mm] below collar of base tube by WB supplied hardware or equivalent
- 0 degree mast base deployment angle
- All wind speeds measured at 33 ft above ground level
- Cabling is secured together and fixed to the mast
- Survival wind speed will be reduced for increasing payload centroid distance above top of mast
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### 10.4.19 Catalog Model 9.5-56 HDNL

# 9.5-56 Heavy Duty Non-Locking Pneumatic Mast



#### Mast

- 9.5-56 HDNL Pneumatic Mast
  - Nest Height = 9 ft. 5 in. [2.86 m]
  - Fully Extended Height = 56 ft. 2 in. [17.12 m]
  - No. of Tubes = 8
  - Tube Set = 3.75" 9.00"
  - Max Payload Capacity = 300 lb. [136.1 kg]

#### Survival Wind Speed Assumptions

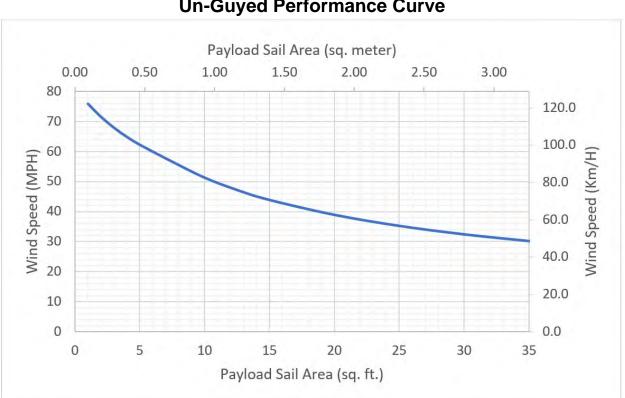
- Payload Weight = 300 lb. [136.1 kg]
- Payload Coefficient of Drag = 1.3
- Payload centroid is on mast axis and 12" [304.8 mm] above top of mast
- Mast securely constrained at bottom of mast as well as approximately 5" [127 mm] below collar of base tube by WB supplied hardware or equivalent
- 0 degree mast base deployment angle
- All wind speeds measured at 33 ft above ground level
- Cabling is secured together and fixed to the mast
- Survival wind speed will be reduced for increasing payload centroid distance above top of mast
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### 10.4.20 Catalog Model 9-58 HDNL

# 9-58 Heavy Duty Non-Locking Pneumatic Mast



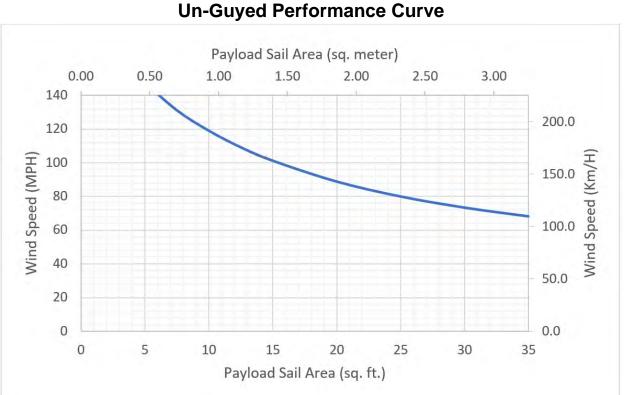
#### Mast

- 9-58 HDNL Pneumatic Mast
  - Nest Height = 8 ft. 11 in. [2.72 m]
  - Fully Extended Height = 58 ft. 0 in. [17.69 m]
  - No. of Tubes = 9
  - Tube Set = 3.00" 9.00"
  - Max Payload Capacity = 200 lb. [90.72 kg]
- Survival Wind Speed Assumptions
- Payload Weight = 200 lb. [90.72 kg]
- Payload Coefficient of Drag = 1.3
- Payload centroid is on mast axis and 12" [304.8 mm] above top of mast
- Mast securely constrained at bottom of mast as well as approximately 5" [127 mm] below collar of base tube by WB supplied hardware or equivalent
- 0 degree mast base deployment angle
- All wind speeds measured at 33 ft above ground level
- Cabling is secured together and fixed to the mast
- Survival wind speed will be reduced for increasing payload centroid distance above top of mast
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### Survival Wind Speed Un-Guyed Performance Curve



# **10-38 Super Heavy Duty Non-Locking Pneumatic Mast**



#### Mast

- 10-38 SHDNL Pneumatic Mast
  - Nest Height = 9 ft. 11 in. [3.01 m]
  - Fully Extended Height = 38 ft. 0 in. [11.59 m]
  - No. of Tubes = 5
  - Tube Set = 7.50" 11.25"
  - Max Payload Capacity = 1,200 lb. [544.3 kg]

#### Survival Wind Speed Assumptions

- Payload Weight = 1,200 lb. [544.3 kg]
- Payload Coefficient of Drag = 1.3
- Payload centroid is on mast axis and 12" [304.8 mm] above top of mast
- Mast securely constrained at bottom of mast as well as approximately 5" [127 mm] below collar of base tube by WB supplied hardware or equivalent
- 0 degree mast base deployment angle
- All wind speeds measured at 33 ft above ground level
- Cabling is secured together and fixed to the mast
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# Survival Wind Speed





### 10.4.22 Catalog Model 12-48 SHDNL

# 12-48 Super Heavy Duty Non-Locking Pneumatic Mast



#### <u>Mast</u>

- 12-48 SHDNL Pneumatic Mast
  - Nest Height = 11 ft .10 in. [3.62 m]
    - Fully Extended Height = 48 ft. 0 in. [14.62 m]
    - No. of Tubes = 5 • Tube Set = 7.50" – 11.25"
    - Tube Set = 7.50° 11.25°
       Max Payload Capacity = 1,200 lb. [544.3 kg]

#### Survival Wind Speed Assumptions

- Payload Weight = 1,200 lb. [544.3 kg]
- Payload Coefficient of Drag = 1.3
- Payload centroid is on mast axis and 12" [304.8 mm] above top of mast
- Mast securely constrained at bottom of mast as well as approximately 5" [127 mm] below collar of base tube by WB supplied hardware or equivalent
- 0 degree mast base deployment angle
- All wind speeds measured at 33 ft above ground level
- Cabling is secured together and fixed to the mast
- · Survival wind speed will be reduced for increasing payload centroid distance above top of mast
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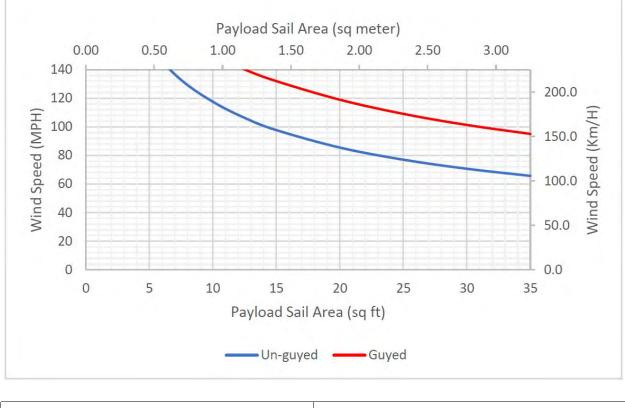




#### 10.4.23 Catalog Model 8-39 UHDL

# 8-39 Ultra Heavy Duty **Locking Pneumatic Mast**

### **Survival Wind Speed Performance Curve**



#### Mast Guying Kit 8-39 UHDL Pneumatic Mast WB P/N: 4519701 • Nest Height = 7 ft 10 in. [2.4 m] 2-level, 4-way guying to platform and 7.50" collar • Fully Extended Height = 39 ft. 4 in. [12.0 m] 50 ft. [15.24 m] Guying Radius • No. of Tubes = 8 3/16" steel guy lines • Tube Set = 6.75" - 13.50" (4) 6" Screw Anchors Max Payload Capacity = 980 lb. [444.5 kg] Survival Wind Speed Assumptions • Payload Weight = 980 lb. [444.5 kg] Payload Coefficient of Drag = 1.3 • Payload centroid is on mast axis and 12" [304.8 mm] above top of mast Mast securely constrained at bottom of mast as well as approximately 5" [127 mm] below collar of base tube by WB supplied hardware or equivalent

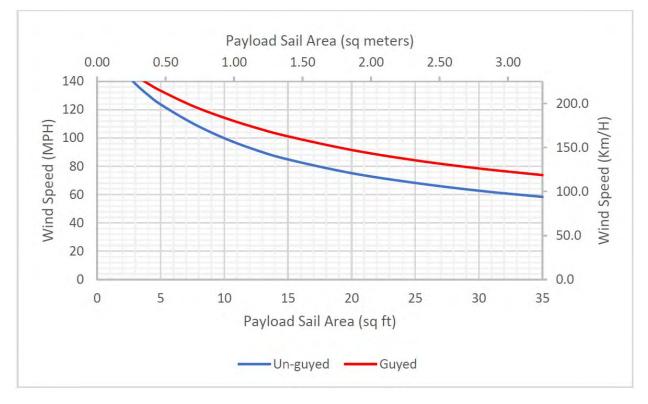
- 0 degree mast base deployment angle
- All wind speeds measured at 33 ft above ground level
- Cabling is secured together and fixed to the mast
- Survival wind speed will be reduced for increasing payload centroid distance above top of mast •
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### 10.4.24 Catalog Model 11.3-59 UHDL

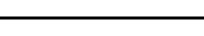
# 11.3-59 Ultra Heavy Duty Locking Pneumatic Mast

### Survival Wind Speed Performance Curve



#### Mast Guying Kit 11.3-59 UHDL Pneumatic Mast WB P/N: 5034901 • Nest Height = 11 ft 4 in. [3.45 m] 2-level, 4-way guying to platform and 9-1/8" collar • Fully Extended Height = 59 ft. 0 in. [18 m] 60 ft. [18.83 m] Guying Radius No. of Tubes = 7 3/16" steel guy lines • Tube Set = 7.50" - 13.50" (4) 6" Screw Anchors • Max Payload Capacity = 1,200 lb. [544.3 kg] Survival Wind Speed Assumptions • Payload Weight = 1,200 lb. [544.3 kg] Payload Coefficient of Drag = 1.3 Payload centroid is on mast axis and 12" [304.8 mm] above top of mast Mast securely constrained at bottom of mast as well as approximately 5" [127 mm] below collar of base tube by WB supplied hardware or equivalent 0 degree mast base deployment angle All wind speeds measured at 33 ft above ground level

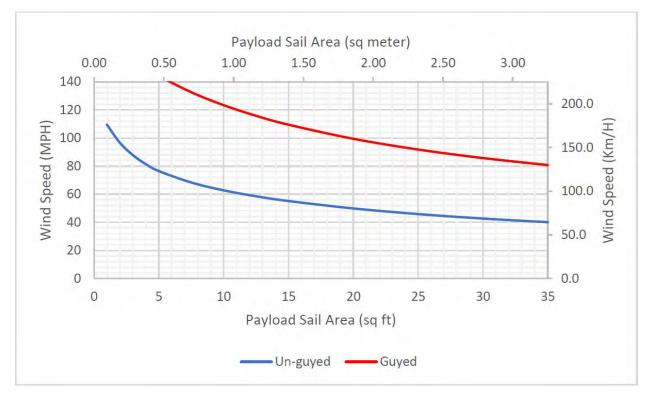
- Cabling is secured together and fixed to the mast
- Survival wind speed will be reduced for increasing payload centroid distance above top of mast
- This analysis does not include any evaluation of the stability of a trailer, the trailer, outriggers, and anchors are assumed fixed.



### 10.4.25 Catalog Model 3-20M UHDL

# 3-20M Ultra Heavy Duty Locking Pneumatic Mast

### Survival Wind Speed Performance Curve



#### Mast Guying Kit 3-20M UHDL Pneumatic Mast WB P/N: 5063301 • Nest Height = 9 ft 10 in. [3.0 m] 2-level, 4-way guying to platform and 9.14" collar 58 ft. [17.8 m] Guying Radius • Fully Extended Height = 65 ft. 7 in. [20.0 m] • No. of Tubes = 10 • Tube Set = 5.25" – 13.50" 1/4" steel guy lines (4) 6" Screw Anchors • Max Payload Capacity = 530 lb. [240.4 kg] Survival Wind Speed Assumptions • Payload Weight = 530 lb. [240.4 kg] Payload Coefficient of Drag = 1.3 • Payload centroid is on mast axis and 12" [304.8 mm] above top of mast Mast securely constrained at bottom of mast as well as approximately 5" [127 mm] below collar of base tube by WB supplied hardware or equivalent

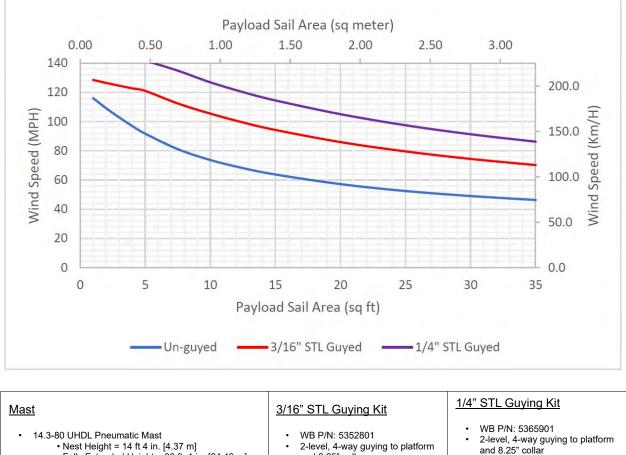
- 0 degree mast base deployment angle
- All wind speeds measured at 33 ft above ground level
- Cabling is secured together and fixed to the mast
- · Survival wind speed will be reduced for increasing payload centroid distance above top of mast
- This analysis does not include any evaluation of the stability of a trailer, the trailer, outriggers, and anchors are assumed fixed.



#### Catalog Model 14.3-80 UHDL 10.4.26

# 14.3-80 Ultra Heavy Duty **Locking Pneumatic Mast**

### **Survival Wind Speed Performance Curve**



• Nest Height = 14 ft 4 in. [4.37 m] • Fully Extended Height = 80 ft. 1 in. [24.40 m]

• Max Payload Capacity = 1,200 lb. [544.3 kg]

- and 8.25" collar
  - 70 ft. [21.34 m] Guying Radius
- 3/16" steel guy lines
  - (4) 6" Screw Anchors

#### Survival Wind Speed Assumptions

No. of Tubes = 7

• Payload Weight = 1,200 lb. [544.3 kg]

• Tube Set = 7.50" - 13.50"

- Payload Coefficient of Drag = 1.3
- Payload centroid is on mast axis and 12" [304.8 mm] above top of mast
- Mast securely constrained at bottom of mast as well as approximately 5" [127 mm] below collar of base tube by WB supplied hardware or equivalent
- · 0 degree mast base deployment angle
- All wind speeds measured at 33 ft above ground level
- Cabling is secured together and fixed to the mast
- Survival wind speed will be reduced for increasing payload centroid distance above top of mast •
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70 ft. [21.34 m] Guying Radius

1/4" steel guy lines

(4) 6" Screw Anchors



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# **11 Document History**

#### Table 11-1 Document History

Document Revision	Date	Change Details	Changes Backward Compatible with Previous Manual Version
Pneumatic Mast Op. Man. Rev. 13	Oct. 2012	Revised Tables, Reference Data 1.4	
Pneumatic Mast Op. Man. Rev. 14	Nov. 2013	Updated warranty page	
Pneumatic Mast Op. Man. Rev. 15	Mar. 2014	Updated lubrication requirements.	
Pneumatic Mast Op. Man. Rev. 16	Apr. 2014	Adjusted by 0.05" the distance between the mounting holes for a 6 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> " rotating base plate.	
Pneumatic Mast Op. Man. Rev. 17	Mar. 29, 2016	Updated Section 1.2 and 3.3.2. Added Section 4.5. Updated Tables 1-2, 1-4, 1-6, 1-8, and 1-10.	
TP-4022306-A	Mar. 30, 2017	Restructured and updated entire manual. Previously the manual was 4022306. Now the manual is TP-4022306.	
ТР-4022306-В	Apr. 3, 2017	Updated Section 5.5.2	
TP-4022306-C	Sept. 7, 2017	Updated figures 1-3 and 2-24.	
TP-4022306-D	Feb. 12, 2018	Updated Section 2.3 and Section 5.5.2.	
TP-4022306-E	Aug. 2, 2018	Updated Section 1.5.6	
TP-4022306-F	July 26, 2019	Updated Corporate Address and EU Authorized Representative; General updates throughout.	
TP-4022306-G	Sept. 3, 2019	Updated Section 8.4.7.	Yes
TP-4022306-H	Mar. 2021	Updated Section 8.4.7	Yes
TP-4022306-J	Mar. 2021	Updated contact information and CE	Yes



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TP-4022306-L	Dec. 2023	Updated 6-25 HDL SWS info, updated hardware bag info, added logo to title page	Yes	

#### Table 11-1 Document History (Continued)