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STILETTO MAST OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS



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Safety Summary

This section describes safety precautions for the Stiletto. These are recommended precautions that personnel must understand and apply throughout many phases of installation, operation, transportation, maintenance, storage, and troubleshooting. Be sure the read and understand the entire manual and contact The Will-Burt Company with any questions before performing any procedure outlined in this manual.

Signal Word Definitions

Per the ANSI Z535.4 standard, 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. It is also used to alert against unsafe practices.

General Safety Instructions

The following are general safety precautions that are not related to any specific procedures. These are recommended precautions that personnel must understand and apply throughout installation, operation, transportation, maintenance, storage, and troubleshooting. Additional precautions that apply to specific procedures and steps may be listed with the procedure or step to which they apply.

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. Be sure to allow sufficient clearance on all sides of the mast to allow for side sway. Do not operate mast in lightning. Be certain electrical cables are undamaged and properly terminated. Always disconnect power before performing service, repair or test operations.

A DANGER

Relocation/Driving Hazard! Do not relocate the system during operation or while the mast is extended to any height above the nested position or powered up. Do not move vehicle until the mast has been securely nested and isolated from power. Power-up and operate the mast only if the vehicle is stationary and securely parked with the parking brake properly applied. Do not move vehicle without the vehicle interlock circuit installed to confirm the mast is nested.



Relocating the system during operation or after mast is extended could result in death or serious injury. Contact Will-Burt Engineering for special on-the-move situations for military only use.

A WARNING

Safety Instruction – Read Manual! Failure to follow operating instructions could result in death or serious injury. Read and understand the operating instructions before using the mast.

A WARNING

Resuscitation! Personnel working with or near high voltages should be familiar with modern methods of resuscitation. Such information may be obtained from the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery.

WARNING

Trained Personnel Only! Only trained and qualified personnel should perform installation, operation, and maintenance procedures. Death or serious injury could result if proper procedures are not observed.

A WARNING

Safety Equipment! Helmets or hard hats, eye protection, gloves, and safety shoes shall be properly worn while working in the deployment area. Improperly secured payload components, ice formations, etc. could be dislodged from the mast and fall. Death or serious injury could result if proper safety equipment is not properly worn.

A WARNING

Crush Hazard – Mast Failure! Do not stand directly beneath the mast or its payload. Be certain the payload is properly installed and secured. Death or serious injury could result if mast fails suddenly.

A WARNING

Equipment Damage – Lock Mechanism! Do not modify the mast lock mechanism or lock housing or attach any components to the lock housing. Do not remove the locks with the mast extended. Equipment damage and dangerous mast collapse could occur if the lock mechanism is modified. Do not let the payload control/power cables get between the lock housing and the lock post during retraction. Pinching the cable with the lock during nesting can result in an unsafe operating condition or damaged to cables.

A WARNING

Equipment Damage – Electrical! Power shall be disconnected before connecting or disconnecting any system connector. For example, power must be disconnected when connecting or disconnecting J1, J2, J3 and J4 on the control box.

A WARNING

Equipment Damage – Electrical! Do not disconnect the power cable from the control box J1 port, the mast or the power source while the mast is in motion (extending or retracting). This could result in damage to the control box



A WARNING

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

A WARNING

Health and Safety Hazard! Solvent used to clean parts is potentially dangerous. Follow solvent manufacturer's safety procedures and recommendations. Avoid inhalation of fumes and also prolonged contact to skin. Death or serious injury could occur if solvents are not handled properly.

A WARNING

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

A WARNING

Tip Over Hazard! Mast tip over could result in death or serious injury. Do not operate in high winds above specification limits. Be certain mast is level, stable, and secure before and during installation, operation, maintenance, and transportation. Make sure all persons and operators stand clear of mast and mast payload during operation. Before operating, the base section shall be within:

- 10° of vertical for models at or below 10M extended height
- 5° of vertical for models greater than 10M extended height

A WARNING

Pinch Point Hazard! Moving parts can crush and cut resulting in death or serious injury. Keep clear of moving parts while operating mast.

A WARNING

Mounting Structure Hazard! Before installation, ensure the mounting structure is capable of resisting forces generated from all loading and environmental conditions, including, but not limited to, Mast System size and weight, payload size and weight, vehicle dynamic loads, sail size, wind speed, support bracket or roof line location and base plate assembly. The lower structure at the base plate shall be sized to support all vertical loads from the mast and payload. The support bracket is not intended to carry vertical loads. The support bracket mounting structure shall be tied to the same vehicle structure/frame (i.e. do not mount the support bracket to vehicle body and the base plate to the vehicle chassis frame. This would put the vehicle suspension system between the mounting points). Mounting the Mast System into a structure unable to resist the forces generated from the customer-specific loading scenario could result in death or serious injury and could damage the Mast System.



A WARNING

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 Will-Burt engineering.

A WARNING

Mast Extension Hazard! Extending mast into obstructions could result in death or serious injury and could render the mast inoperable and partially extended. Before applying power and operating the 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 the mast.

A WARNING

Safety Instruction – Observe Proper Lifting Procedures! Use extreme caution while lifting the Mast System and when Mast System is suspended to avoid injury and equipment damage. Be certain the Mast System is properly secured. 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. Death or serious injury could result if proper procedures are not followed.

A WARNING

Safety Instruction – Operation! For outdoor use only. Do not use in areas that have been classified as hazardous as defined in Article 500 of the National Electric Code.

A WARNING

Safety Instruction – Potential Air Contaminants! If internally mounted in a vehicle, air from the mast and any accumulated water will discharge into the vehicle. Appropriate drainage location shall be defined by the installer.

A CAUTION

Equipment Damage – Control Box! Do not open the Control Box. The Control Box is vacuumsealed at the factory. Opening the Control Box could cause equipment damage and will void the warranty.

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

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Equipment Damage – Qualified Personnel! All persons installing and maintaining this equipment should be suitably qualified and work to local, regional, and national standards and codes of practice.

A CAUTION

Equipment Damage – Support Bracket! Do not overtighten the mast support bracket. Overtightening may damage the Base Tube causing the mast tubes to stick.

A CAUTION

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

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

Lifting Hazard – Manually Lifting! 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 CAUTION

Entanglement Hazard! Tangled cables can cause equipment damage. Ensure payload cables, are not tangled and are free to pay out as mast is extended.

A CAUTION

Frozen Water Hazard! Water freezing inside mast may render mast inoperable and cause major equipment damage such as tube deformation. Ensure water is free to exit at the base of the mast.



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

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Symbols

The following are symbols that are used with the system and their meaning. Contact The Will-Burt Company with any questions before performing any procedure outlined in this manual.



This symbol indicates an electrocution hazard or hazardous voltage hazard. There is DC voltage present inside the mast and control box. Do not operate mast near electrical lines or during lightning events. 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, installation, maintenance and operation. System tip-over could result in death or serious injury.



This symbol indicates a general warning. In this unit, this symbol indicates a frozen water hazard. Water must be permitted to exit the mast to avoid ice damage to the 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 operator's manual before operating or installing the mast system.



This symbol indicates a hard hat is required when working under the mast operating area. Failure to wear a hard hat could result in death or serious injury.



This symbol indicates an electrical ground connection point.



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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Section 1 Introduction & Intended Use

Review this manual 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 describes installation, operation, transportation, maintenance, storage, and troubleshooting procedures for the Stiletto Mast System. These procedures assume the use of standard catalog Mast Systems. Procedures and characteristics for Mast Systems customized to meet customer-specific needs may vary.

This manual is for the following Stiletto masts:

- 3-Meter Stiletto
- 4-Meter Stiletto
- 6-Meter Stiletto
- 10-Meter Stiletto
- 15-Meter Stiletto

This manual does not cover Stiletto HD or Stiletto AL models. See <u>www.willburt.com</u> for information on these and other Will-Burt products.

A typical Stiletto Mast System consists of:

- A telescoping mast with a 28 VDC Drive Assembly and a Support Bracket Assembly
- Control Box
- Optional Accessories

The Stiletto mast system is intended to be installed and operated by trained professionals to elevate critical payloads. It is not intended for use by non-professionals. The Stiletto mast is designed to lift a specific payload for lighting, surveillance, or communication use only. Do not use the mast to lift personnel. The mast is intended for stationary use. Contact The Will-Burt Company with any questions on the intended use, special on-the-move use for military applications only, or available training programs for installation and operation.



1.1 Specification Compliance

CE Declaration of Conformity

Refer to the Product page at <u>www.willburt.com</u> for the latest Declaration of Conformity.

1.2 Safety Precaution Notification

Refer to the Safety Summary for precautions to be observed while installing, operating, or maintaining this equipment.

1.3 Manual Organization

This manual is organized into the following sections:

Section 1 Introduction Section 2 Installation Section 3 Operation Section 4 Transportation Section 5 Maintenance Section 6 Long-Term Storage Section 8 Troubleshooting Section 9 Reference

1.4 Definitions of Terms

Throughout this manual, the following terms are used:

- Mast: refers to the mechanical telescoping mast
- **Mast System:** refers to the entire Stiletto Mast System (telescoping mast, Control System, and additional accessories)
- **Payload:** refers to the object or equipment being raised by the mast to an operational height



See Section 9.1 for an Extended Glossary of Terms used within this manual. The Extended Glossary of Terms includes:

- General Terms and Abbreviations (Section 9.1.1)
- Mounting Position Terms (Section 9.1.2)



1.5 Specifications

This section describes specifications for the Mast System. The specifications listed in this section are for catalog masts only. Masts with other heights, capacities, and finishes are available. For more information on additional mast sizes, capabilities, and finishes, see www.willburt.com.

Specifications*	3-Meter	4-Meter	6-Meter	10-Meter	15-Meter		
Physical Characte	Physical Characteristics						
Fully Extended	3.0 m	4.1 m	5.79 m	9.9 m	15 m		
Height (+102 / -0 mm) (+4.0 / -0 inches)	9.8 feet	13.5 feet	19 feet	32.5 feet	49.2 feet		
Fully Nested	1 m	1 m	1.17 m	1.7 m	2.4 m		
Height (+25 / -0 mm) (+1 / -0 inches)	41 inch	39 inch	46 inch	67 inch	94.5 inch		
Rated Payload	122 kg	113 kg	113 kg	113 kg	91 kg		
Capacity (center of gravity within 300 mm of mast centerline)	270 lb.	250 lb.	250 lb.	250 lb.	200 lb.		
Approximate Mast System	80 kg	89 kg	95 kg	121 kg	145 kg		
Weight (Including the Support Bracket Assembly, Control Box, and Cables)	176 lb.	196 lb.	209 lb.	267 lb.	320 lb.		
Approximate	2.5 kg						
Control Box Weight	5.5 lb.						
	286x448 mm	446 x 285 mm					
Mast Footprint	11.25x17.63 inches	17.56 x 11.19 inches					
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Table 1-1 Stiletto Mast System Specifications

Table 1-1	Stiletto Mast System	Specifications	Continued
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Specifications*	3-Meter	4-Meter	6-Meter	10-Meter	15-Meter	
Control Doy Footorint			311 x 203 mm			
Control Box Footprint		12.23 x 8.0 inches				
Mast Type		El	ectro-Mechanic	cal		
Drive System		S	STL Drive Scre	W		
Emergency Operation		Ma	nual Hand-Cra	ink		
Collar Type	ļ	uto Self-Lockir	ng with Integrat	ed Ice-Breaker	s	
Number of Sections	5	9	9	9	9	
Tube Outside Diameter	262 to 185 mm	262 to 110 mm	262 to 110 mm	262 to 110 mm	262 to 110 mm	
Range (Base Tube to Top Tube)	10.31 to 7.3 inches	10.31 to 4.31 inches	10.31 to 4.31 inches	10.31 to 4.31 inches	10.31 to 4.31 inches	
Number of Keys		2				
Tube Material			Carbon Fiber			
Height Readout	Meters or US Customary (Request when ordering. Defaults to meters.)					
Electrical Characteristics	1					
Input Operating Voltage			18.1-33 VDC			
Optimal Voltage (MIL-STD-1275)		28 VDC				
Steady State Current Draw (Maximum Operating		• •	cal, 28VDC, 12	• •		
Conditions)	Up te	o 40 Amps (ang	led deploymer	nt; harsh condit	ions)	
Inrush Current (Maximum Operating Conditions)	120 Amps					
Wind Performance						
Doploymont Wind Speed	80 km/h	80 km/h	64 km/h	55 km/h	53 km/h	
Deployment Wind Speed	50 mph	50 mph	40 mph	34 mph	33 mph	
Survival Wind Speed*	177 km/h	177 km/h	160 km/h	129 km/h	105 km/h	
Survival Wind Speed*	110 mph	110 mph	100 mph	80 mph	65 mph	
Rotational Accuracy (Twist)	±1°					
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Specifications*	3-Meter	4-Meter	6-Meter	10-Meter	15-Meter
Extension and Retraction Performance (See Note Below)					
Approximate Extension Time (Powered, 28 VDC)	< 45 seconds	< 60 seconds	< 90 seconds	< 162 seconds	< 240 seconds
Maximum Tilt From Vertical	(See Note Below	v)			
Operational	10°	10°	10°	10°	5°
Maximum Altitude Above Se	ea Level				
Operational	4572 m (15,000 feet)	4572 m (15,000 feet)	4572 m (15,000 feet)	4572 m (15,000 feet)	4572 m (15,000 feet)
Temperature Performance (See Note Below)	1			
Operating Temperature Range		-40°C to	o 55°C (-40°F to	o 131°F)	
Storage Temperature Range	-40°C to 71°C (-40°F to 160°F)				
Airborne Noise Emissions (measured accord	ding to EN ISO 3	744:2010)		
Deploying & Retracting	equivalent A-weighted sound pressure level at the operating position is less than 70 dB(A)				
Guying					
Is guying required?			No		
Is guying an option?	Yes. Consult factory.				
 * Note: Dimensions and specifications are provided for reference only and are not intended for vehicle design purposes. Specifications may be subject to change without notice. Maximum payload weight will impact other performance specifications. Consult The Will-Burt Company for additional information. Maximum Tilt from Vertical assumes the rated payload with the center of gravity within 300mm of the mast centerline. Typical Payload Sail Area (CD = 1.5) is as follows: 3-meter, 4-meter, and 6-meter Stiletto: 0.74 square meter (8 square feet) 10-meter Stiletto: 0.36 Square meters (6 square feet) 15-meter Stiletto: 0.37 square meters (4 square feet) Consult factory for larger sail areas, as the payload and wind capacities may be reduced. 					

Table 1-1 Stiletto Mast System Specifications Continued

1.6 Finishes

The Will-Burt Company offers a variety of mast finishes. The Drive Assembly, the Base Tube and intermediate tubes will be painted the appropriate color. CARC finish is available.

For information on available mast finishes, see <u>www.willburt.com</u>.



1.7 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.

1.7.1 Telescoping Mast

The telescoping mast (Figure 1-1):



Figure 1-1 Mast (4-Meter Stiletto P/N: 711290461 Shown)

The mast includes:

- Collars (Section 1.7.1.1)
- Top Tube Ring (Section 1.7.1.2)
- Drive Assembly (Section 1.7.1.3)
- Support Bracket Assembly (Section 1.7.1.4)
- Motor and Brake Cable



- Mast Sensor Cable
- Power Cable Connector (Section 1.7.1.5)
- Identification Plate (Section 1.7.1.6)
- Crank Handle Assembly (Section 1.7.1.8)
- Grease Gun (Section 1.7.1.9)
- Label Kit (English) (Section 1.7.1.10)

1.7.1.1 Collars

Collars are fitted to the top end of each tube except the Top Tube, which has a Top Tube Ring (Section 1.7.1.2). The collars have automatic locks and integrated icebreakers. Do not attach any devices, remove the screws on the locks or alter the locks in any way.



Figure 1-2 Collars (4-Meter Stiletto P/N: 711290461 Shown)



1.7.1.2 Top Tube Ring

The Top Tube Ring is attached to the Top Tube and provides the payload mounting point. The Top Tube Ring below is applicable to masts with a Top Tube outer diameter of 110 mm (4.31 inches). See mast drawings for the Top Tube Ring dimensions for other Top Tube diameters.



Figure 1-3 Top Tube Ring (4-Meter Stiletto P/N: 711290461 Shown)



1.7.1.3 Drive Assembly

The Drive Assembly (Figure 1-4) extends and retracts the mast tubes.



The Drive Assembly includes the Drive Screw, Motor, Motor Housing, and Mast Drive Housing:

Drive Screw

The mast is driven by a stainless steel, electro-mechanical Drive Screw. Each moving tube (all except the Base Tube) has an Extension Nut attached to its bottom which rotates on the Drive Screw.

Motor

The Motor is used, in powered operation, to rotate the Drive Screw. Friction in the drive system keeps the payload supported when the motor is not energized.



1.7.1.4 Support Bracket Assembly

The Support Bracket Assembly (Figure 1-5) secures the mast to the support structure. Along with the mounting holes in the base of the mast, it is an essential part of mounting the Mast System. Hardware to secure the Support Bracket Assembly to the mast ships with the Mast System.

Hardware to secure the Support Bracket Assembly to the support structure varies based on the customer-specific mounting application. This hardware is customer-provided.



Figure 1-5 Support Bracket Assembly

1.7.1.5 Power Cable Connector (P/N: 213075)

The Power Cable Connector (Figure 1-6):

• Is a MS3106E24-11S Connector



- Connects the customer-supplied power cable to the Control Box at J1 (or on the EMI filter input side as required)
- Ships with the Mast System



Figure 1-6 Power Cable Connector

1.7.1.6 EMI Filter

The EMI Filter (Figure 1-7):

- Is required for CE EMC/EMI compliance
- Is ordered separately from the mast assembly
- Includes a shielded cable (multiple lengths available) to the Control Box J1 connector
- Mates with customer-supplied shielded cable to power supply and customer control



Figure 1-7 EMI Filter

1.7.1.7 Identification Plate

Information pertaining to the mast can be found on the Identification Plates (Figure 1-8):

- On the Mast Drive Housing
- On the side of the Control Box

The information on the Identification Plates is the same.



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CONTRACT NO.	
MODEL NO.	
SERIAL NO.	FSCM NO.
VOLTAGE	IP RATING
CURRENT	MFG. DATE
FULL LOAD CUR	RENT
MAX PAYLOAD	

Figure 1-8 Identification Plate (P/N: 4518302 Shown)

1.7.1.8 Crank Handle Assembly

The Crank Handle Assembly (Figure 1-9) can be used to manually crank the Motor to extend and retract the mast. It ships with the mast.

When manually cranking the Motor, it is necessary to remove all power from the Mast System.



Figure 1-9 Crank Handle Assembly

1.7.1.9 Grease Gun (P/N: 912541)

The Grease Gun is used to lubricate the Drive Screw with a super-premium aerospace lubricant. This lubricant is available from The Will-Burt Company in three fluid ounce cartridges (P/N: 912542).



Figure 1-10 Grease Gun



1.7.1.10 Label Kit (English) (P/N: 4562802)

The Label Kit is used to identify potential hazards and connection points within the Mast System. These labels come installed on the Mast System. Additionally, the Label Kit includes Ground Straps (P/N: 299053) and hardware used to ground the Mast System and control box.

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

1.7.2 Control Box (P/N: 4600201)

This section describes the Control Box. Additional options are available. Contact The Will-Burt Company for additional information.

The Control Box (Figure 1-11):

- Combines customer input, power input, sensor input, and power output to allow the customer to extend and retract the mast without running past sensor or software limits
- Contains power MOSFETs to control Motor direction and to dynamically brake the Motor. When a directional command is terminated, the Control Box automatically shorts the Motor leads for a second or two to dynamically brake the Motor
- Can be factory-set to show the intermediate extension height in metric or US customary units
- Is wired to allow for an optional Hand-Held Remote Control (HHRC) or PC Interface
- Has some self-diagnosis capability (errors and warnings)
- Is housed in an aluminum NEMA 4X box
- Is vacuum-sealed at the factory. Opening the Control Box voids the warranty



Figure 1-11 Control Box



The Control Box works with input from the:

• Nested Limit Switch:

- Prevents the mast from being over-nested
- o Is installed in the mast
- Is an electronic switch triggered by a probe attached to the bottom of the center tube
- Fully Extended Limit Switch:
 - o Prevents the mast from being overextended
 - Is a Reed switch mounted on the base tube that detects a permanent magnet attached to the bottom of the largest moving tube
- Proximity Sensor:
 - o Counts the teeth on a sprocket attached to the Drive Screw
 - Interprets this data as an extension distance to generate the intermediate extension height

Components of the Control Box (Figure 1-12)

- Display
- UP/DOWN Switch with Waterproof Boot
- OVERRIDE Switch with Waterproof Boot
- Bulkhead Connectors (J1, J2, J3, and J4)
- Printed Circuit Board (Not shown)





1.7.2.1 Display

The Control Box has an eight-digit, infrared secure, green LED alphanumeric display.

The Display shows the:

- Mast Status and Software Version
- Cycle Count of the Mast
- Error Codes

Mast Status

Mast Status is shown as:

- "NESTED" when the mast is fully nested
- "DEPLOYED" when the mast is fully extended
- An intermediate extension height (in meters or feet) as interpreted from the Proximity Sensor in real-time as the mast extends

The intermediate extension height is shown:

- In metric mode as "XX.XX M" where:
 - \circ $\;$ XX.XX is the extension of the mast in meters
 - Resolution is 0.002 meters
 - Accuracy is ±0.05 meters
- In US customary mode as "XX.XX F" where:
 - o XX.XX is the extension of the mast in feet
 - o Resolution is 0.01 feet
 - Accuracy is ±0.17 feet

Note: Extension shown on the display of the Control Box is measured from the top of the mast. Height readout does not include the nested height of the mast.

Remember:

Total	Mast Extension Height	Mast System	Mounted Height of
Height	(Shown on Display)	* Nested Height	* Mast System

Note: If using the PC Interface, it is possible to enter a Mast Offset Height to account for the nested height of the Mast System and the height the Mast System is off the ground.



In order to output the most accurate intermediate extension height, the mast:

- 1. Must be returned to the fully nested position where the intermediate extension height automatically returns to zero.
- 2. Must then be taken to the height required with little or no additional up and down movement. This additional movement can add inaccuracies within the intermediate extension height output.

Cycle Counts and Temperature

When the mast is nested and the UP/DOWN switch is held DOWN, the Display alternately shows the cycle count of the mast and the temperature inside the Control Box. The cycle count is used during Periodic Maintenance (Section 5.4).

Error Codes

In the event of any unexpected switch feedback, communication errors, or amp draws on the mast, the Display will show the associated error message.

1.7.2.2 UP/DOWN Switch

The UP/DOWN Switch is:

- Used to extend and retract the mast
- Located on the side of the Control Box
- Protected by a switch guard and waterproof boot
- A SPDT (Mom-Off-Mom) toggle switch

1.7.2.3 OVERRIDE Switch

The OVERRIDE Switch is:

- Used with the UP/DOWN Switch to ignore any errors returned by the Control Box in order to extend and retract the mast
- Located on the side of the Control Box
- Protected by a switch guard and waterproof boot
- A SPST (Off-Mom) toggle switch

1.7.2.4 Bulkhead Connectors

The Control Box contains the following military screw-type connectors:

- **J1:** a 9-pin connector for customer power and handshake lines
- J2: a 7-pin connector for sensor interface
- J3: a 2-pin connector for the Motor Cable from the mast



• **J4:** an 8-pin connector for optional components such as the PC Interface, Hand-Held Remote Control (HHRC), or D-TEC. The J4 connector on the standard Control Box is RS-485, however an RS-422 option is also available

1.7.2.5 Printed Circuit Board

The Control Box contains a printed circuit board.

The printed circuit board has three pairs of handshakes contacts as follows:

- An enable input (for a hatch switch, vehicle stationary or other precondition contact closure located between pins A and B on J1)
 - An open circuit will cause the Control Box to display its software version and will inhibit extension
 - A closed circuit is required between these pins to enable mast operation
- A fully extended output (located between pins C and I of J1) is closed when fully extended
- A fully nested output (located between pins G and H of J1) is closed when fully nested

The rated output of the handshake contacts is one amp at 28 VDC. The contacts change state when the mast is fully extended or nested. These shall be used as customer interlocks or indicators (visual or audible). For more information on electrical installation of the Mast System, see Section 2.6.2.7.

1.7.3 PC Interface

The Mast System ships standard with Stiletto Control Remote Access Management (SCRAM) software enabled. If desired, this allows the operator to control the Mast System through a PC or proprietary control system. SCRAM provides the same functionality as the Control Box, plus additional functions and information that is not directly accessible through the standard hardware interface.

Functions include controls to:

- Extend the mast
- Retract the mast
- Nest the mast
- Stop the mast
- Move the mast to a specific desired height
- Input the Mast Offset Height
- Monitor mast parameters and limit switch inputs in real-time

In addition to the SCRAM software, The Will-Burt Company also offers PC Interface Application Notes which allow customers to create their own GUI that communicates with the Control Box to operate the Mast System. This is particularly useful when integrating the Mast System into a proprietary control system. When using the Application Notes, the customer must write their own software using the commands provided in the Application Notes.

When using a PC or proprietary control system to operate the Mast System, it is necessary to connect the PC or proprietary control system to J4 on the Control Box. The standard protocol for J4 is RS-485, however, modified Control Boxes that use RS-422 are available. To connect from the Control Box to the PC or proprietary control system, The Will-Burt Company offers various lengths of RS-485 to RS-232 Communications Cables, RS-485 to USB Communications Cables, and Y-Cables (which, when used with the Communications Cables, allow for the use of both a HHRC and PC or proprietary control system).

For more information about SCRAM, PC Interface Application Notes, or cables used to connect the Mast System and PC or proprietary control system, contact your sales representative at The Will-Burt Company.

1.7.4 Accessory Options (Sold Separately)

This section describes accessory options available for the Mast System as follows:

- Hand-Held Remote Control (HHRC) (Section 1.7.4.1)
- D-TEC[®] (Section 1.7.4.2)
- Additional Accessory Options (Section 1.7.4.3)

1.7.4.1 Hand-Held Remote Control

The optional HHRC:

- Contains an SPDT (Mom-Off-Mom) toggle switch (UP/DOWN) protected by a switch guard and waterproof boot to extend and retract the mast
- Uses three LED lights to backlight text to indicate the status of the system as follows:
 - "EXTENDED" to indicate the mast is fully extended
 - "PARTIAL" to indicate the mast is partially extended
 - "NESTED" to indicate the mast is fully nested
- Includes a cable with a MS3106 8-pin screw-type connector that attaches to the front of the Control Box at bulkhead J4. Multiple cable lengths are available
- Is enclosed in a NEMA 4X box
- Does not have an alphanumeric display to show intermediate extension readouts





Figure 1-13 Hand-Held Remote Control (HHRC)

The optional HHRC comes in multiple configurations including:

- Black HHRC with 20 ft. Cable (P/N: 912202)
- White HHRC with 20 ft. Cable (P/N: 912254)
- Black HHRC with 50 ft. Cable (P/N: 4214201)
- Turkish HHRC with 20 ft. Cable (P/N: 4214203)

For additional information on the HHRC, see <u>www.willburt.com</u>.

1.7.4.2 D-TEC®

The D-TEC[®] Safety System (Figure 1-14) is a safety device which:

- Mounts at the highest point of the mast/payload configuration
- Provides overhead power line field detection
- Provides above-the-mast illumination

The D-TEC[®] system automatically stops mast extension when an electric field above the sensing threshold is detected. This provides added protection for the operator and equipment from overhead power line hazards. This unit is intended as a safety tool and in no way is a substitute for common sense and caution.




Figure 1-14 D-TEC

The D-TEC Features:

- Two detection modes that operate simultaneously:
 - $\circ~$ Electric Field (E-Field) detection to sense the presence of nearby high voltage AC
 - $\circ~$ Magnetic Field (H-Field) detection to sense the presence of nearby high current AC
- An LED Look-Up Light and an Ambient Light Sensor to ensure the Look-Up Light only illuminates when it is dark

The D-TEC communicates over an RS-485 link with the Control Box, which acts as the communications master. This means the Control Box initiates all communication. The D-TEC only allows or disallows the operator to extend the mast and does not provide direct power to the mast. Both the D-TEC and the Control Box perform self-diagnostic routines each time the Mast System is powered up.

Specifications for the D-TEC are listed in Table 1-2.

Functional Characteristics	Operational Parameters
Detection	Simultaneous AC Voltage (Electric Field) and Electromagnetic and Electrostatic (Magnetic Field) Detection
Minimum Voltage Detection	2.3 Kilovolts/Meter at 0° (Reduced with angle)
Look-Up Light	LED
Input Voltage	11 to 33 VDC
Power Requirements	12 VDC 10 Amps or 24 VDC 5 Amps
Operating Temperature Range	-40°C to 71°C (-40°F to 160°F)
Duty Cycle	100%

 Table 1-2
 D-TEC Specifications

For more information on the D-TEC, see <u>www.willburt.com</u>.

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1.7.4.3 Additional Accessory Options

Table 1-3 describes a number of additional accessory options available for the Mast System.

Accessory Description						
Input Power Cable Pigtails	Connects customer power to the Mast System.					
	Mast Systems ship standard with a Power Cable Connector that the customer wires according to the specific mounting application needs. The customer then attaches to J1 on the Control Box or EMI Filter input.					
	The optional Input Power Cable Pigtails have a Power Cable Connector with pre-wired flying leads of predetermined lengths to simplify the process.					
P/N: 4674701	Unshielded 5 Meter.					
P/N: 4674702	Unshielded 8 Meter.					
P/N: 4784001	Shielded 5 Meter.					
Roof Seal Kit (P/N: 913730)	4M model: Used with internal mounting applications (i.e. mounting inside an enclosure of vehicle).					
Nycoil [®] Cable Conduit	Manages payload cables. The Nycoil [®] Cable Conduit length should be two times the difference between the mast extended and nested heights. To go around the mast, a minimum of 1 ¼ inch (31.8 mm) cable ID with a 21.5 inch (546 mm) coil OD is required. Smaller sizes are available if the Nycoil [®] Cable Conduit is offset.					
Power Supply Kits						
110 VAC Power Supply Kit (P/N: 4655201)	Converts 110 VAC input to 24 VDC output.					
220 VAC Power Supply Kit (P/N: 4655202)	Converts 220 VAC input to 24 VDC output.					
Stiletto Capacitor Bank Kits	Used when the customer power supply is not strong enough to start the Mast System.					
P/N: 4534504	Has a 12 inch (30.5 cm) cable.					
P/N: 4534501	Has a 36 inch (91.4 cm) cable.					
P/N: 4534502	Has an 84 inch (213.4 cm) cable.					
P/N: 4534503	Has a 120 inch (304.8 cm) cable.					
P/N: 4534509	Has a 360 inch (914.4 cm) cable.					

Table 1-3 Additional Accessory Options

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



Section 2 Installation

This section describes the installation of the Mast System and provides general procedures that must be followed to ensure a successful installation. Use care to understand and follow all precautions while installing.

2.1 Pre-Installation Check

Before installing the system, ensure:

- All installers read and understand the entire installation procedure
- Only a properly trained and qualified certified electrician performs electric installations and maintenance
- All components are included (Section 1.7)
- All required equipment is readily available (Section 2.2)
- The mounting structure is level with sufficient room to mount the system (Section 2.4)
- When installing in a vehicle, that the vehicle is stationary and on a level surface
- The following precautions are understood and followed:

A DANGER

Equipment Damage! At survival wind speed or contacting an obstruction, an extended mast can generate 83,333 lb.-ft. (1,000,000 lb.-in. or 113,000 N-m) of overturning moment at the Base before breaking the mast. The mounting structure must be designed accordingly. Before installation, ensure the mounting structure is capable of resisting forces generated from all loading and environmental conditions, including, but not limited to, Mast System size and weight, payload size and weight, sail size, wind speed, Guy Line arrangement, support bracket or roof line location and base plate assembly. Mounting the Mast System into a structure unable to resist the forces generated from the customer-specific loading scenario could result in death or serious injury and could damage the Mast System.

A WARNING

Trained Personnel Only! Only trained and qualified personnel should perform installation procedures. Only a properly trained and qualified certified electrician should perform electric installations. Death or serious injury could result if proper installation procedures are not observed. All persons installing and maintaining this equipment should be suitably qualified and work to local, regional, and national standards and codes of practice.

WARNING

Mounting Structure Hazard! The mounting hardware must include proper means to resist vibration loosening such as thread-locking compound or locking hardware. Mounting the Mast System to a structure unable to resist the forces generated from customer-specific loading scenario could result in death or serious injury and could damage the Mast System.



A WARNING

Mounting Structure Hazard! Before installation, ensure the mounting structure is capable of resisting forces generated from all loading and environmental conditions, including, but not limited to, Mast System size and weight, payload size and weight, vehicle dynamic loads, sail size, wind speed, support bracket or roof line location and base plate assembly. The lower structure at the base plate shall be sized to support all vertical loads from the mast and payload. The support bracket is not intended to carry vertical loads. The support bracket mounting structure and the base plate mounting structure shall be tied to the same vehicle structure/frame (i.e. do not mount the support bracket to vehicle body and the base plate to the vehicle chassis frame. This would put the vehicle suspension system between the mounting points). Mounting the Mast System into a structure unable to resist the forces generated from the customer-specific loading scenario could result in death or serious injury and could damage the Mast System.

A WARNING

Equipment Damage – Lock Mechanism! Do not modify the mast lock mechanism or lock housing or attach any components to the lock housing. Do not remove the locks with the mast extended. Equipment damage and dangerous mast collapse could occur if the lock mechanism is modified. Do not let the payload control/power cables get between the lock housing and the lock post during retraction. Pinching the cable with the lock during nesting can result in an unsafe operating condition or damaged to cables.

A CAUTION

Disconnect Power! Power must be disconnected before connecting or disconnecting any Mast System connector. For example, power must be disconnected when connecting or disconnecting J1, J2, J3, and J4 on the Control Box. Do not disconnect the power cable from J1 on the Control Box, mast or from the power source while the mast is in motion (extending or retracting). This could result in damage to the Control Box.

A CAUTION

Equipment Damage – Cable Routing! Cabling or Nycoil should be routed such that it cannot become trapped or pinched between the mast collars during retraction. This can interfere with the lock mechanism functionality.

A CAUTION

Equipment Damage – Cutting! Wear gloves when installing the electrical ground strap, and handling icebreakers to avoid possible injury.

A CAUTION

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

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.



2.2 Installation Equipment

Table 2-1 lists equipment recommended for installation.

Ta	ble 2-1 Equi	oment Recomn	nended for In	stallation	

	Recommended Equipment*						
P	Personal Protective						
	Safety Glasses	Work Gloves	Nitrile or Vinyl Gloves				
	Hearing Protection	Hard Hat or Helmet	Safety Shoes				
н	and Tools						
	Appropriate Hardware (Section 2.3)	Drill	Level				
	Measuring Tape	Rubber Mallet	Torque Wrench				
	Wrenches	Washers or Spacers (For Shir	nming)				
E	quipment						
	Hoist	Sling					
E	xpendables						
	Anti-Seize	Loctite [®] Blue 243 or Equivaler	nt				
	Rags (Clean and Dry)						
1 *	 Note: Depending on the local, regional, and national standards and codes of practice, and the environment, additional personal protective equipment may be necessary. 						
	 Depending on the Mast System configuration, additional equipment, including but not limited to electrical components (e.g. wire, switches, fuses, circuit breakers, etc.), 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.



2.3 Installation Hardware

Table 2-2 describes hardware that may be used during installation. Depending on the specific installation application, all hardware may not be used.

		Table 2-2 Installati	on nardware			
ŀ	lardware*	Supplied By	Notes			
Support Bracket Assembly (bolting the halves together)						
	(12) 3/8x1.0x0.1 300 SSTL Flat Washer (P/N: 2054)	Will-Burt	Ships with Mast System			
	(6) 3/8-16x1.0 18-8 SSTL Bolts (P/N: 0848)	Will-Burt	Ships with Mast System			
	(6) 3/8 18-8 SSTL Lock Washers (P/N: 0801)	Will-Burt	Ships with Mast System			
	(6) 3/8-16 18-8 SSTL Nuts (P/N: 0817)	Will-Burt	Ships with Mast System			
S	upport Bracket Assembly (To the	Support Structu	ire)			
	(6) M10 (3/8 Inch) Sets of Stainless Steel Hardware	Customer	The bolts should be sized to length to allow for the thickness of the Support Bracket Assembly, support structure, any shims, and all mounting hardware (e.g. flat washers, lock washers, and nuts).			
B	ase of Mast System (To the Moun	ting Surface)				
	(4) M12 (½ Inch) (Minimum) Sets of Stainless Steel Hardware	Customer	The bolts should be sized to length to allow for the thickness of the base of the mast, mounting surface, any shims, and all mounting hardware (e.g. flat washers, lock washers, and nuts). Use heavy-duty, extra-thick (MS 15795- 819) stainless steel flat washers.			
С	Control Box (To the Support Struct	ure)				
	(6) M6 (¼ Inch) Sets of Stainless Steel Hardware	Customer	The bolts should be sized to length to allow for the thickness of the Control Box, mounting surface, any shims, and all mounting hardware (e.g. flat washers, lock washers, and nuts).			
E	MI Filter (To the Support Structure	e)				
	(4) M4 (#8) Sets of Stainless Steel Hardware	Customer				
G	Ground Straps					
	10-32 UNF-2B Hardware	Will-Burt	Ships with Mast System			
Ρ	ayload (To the Mast System)					
	(6) ¹ / ₄ -20 Sets of Hardware	Customer	The standard Payload Attachment Interface comes with (6) ¼-20 holes. When using stainless steel hardware, use an anti-seize to prevent galling.			

Table 2-2 Installation Hardware



* Unless otherwise indicated, the mounting hardware must include proper means to resist vibration loosening such as thread-locking compound and locking hardware. Torque all hardware as appropriate for its size and grade. Torque values in these instructions assume the use of Will-Burt 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.

2.4 Installation Dimensions

This section describes installation dimensions as follows:

- Mast Installation Dimensions (Section 2.4.1)
- Support Bracket Assembly Dimensions (Section 2.4.2)
- Control Box Dimensions (Section 2.4.3)

Dimensions 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 <u>www.willburt.com</u>.

2.4.1 Mast Installation Dimensions

Model		A	E	3	C*	
	mm	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch
3-Meter	213.9	8.42	452	17.78	653	25.71
4-Meter	213.9	8.42	452	17.78	476	18.75
6-Meter	213.9	8.42	452	17.78	653	25.71
10-Meter	213.9	8.42	452	17.78	1188.7	46.8
15-Meter	213.9	8.42	452	17.78	1905	75.0
*Support Bracket height can be adjusted						

Table 2-3 Mast Installation Dimensions





Top Down View



Side View

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Figure 2-1 Mast Installation Dimensions (Not to Scale)

2.4.2 Support Bracket Assembly Dimensions



Figure 2-2 Support Bracket Assembly Bolt Hole Pattern (not to scale)



2.4.3 Control Box Dimensions

	4	E	3	(Ç	[þ	E	Ξ
mm	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch
13	0.5	102	4.0	146	5.75	191	7.5	203	8.0
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mm	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch
7	0.28	13	0.5	102	4.0	165	6.5	191	7.5
	L	N	Л		N		>	C	2
mm	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch
13	0.5	191	7.5	203	8.0	190	7.49	203	8.0
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mm	inch	mm	inch	mm	inch				
311	12.23	109	4.3	211	8.29				

Table 2-4 Support Bracket Assembly Bolt Hole Pattern Dimensions





Figure 2-3 Control Box Installation Dimensions (Measurements in Inches)



2.4.4 EMI Filter Dimensions

Inch [mm]



2.5 Power Supply Requirements

This mast requires a 28VDC power supply that meets the characteristics set forth by MIL-STD-1275. If the application or installation does not allow for such a power supply, storage batteries or a power supply supplemented with a capacitor bank are also viable options.

The motor draws about 15 amps continuously and about 120 amps on start-up under "normal" conditions. However, to ensure proper operation under high load and/or icing conditions, a minimum 18.1 Volt supply voltage must be maintained at the control at up to 60 amps for 2 second intervals and 40 amps continuous.

Table 2-5 lists the specifications for the auto-resetting circuit breaker in the system.

Functional Characteristic	Specification*
Breaker Current Rating	15
Approximate Open Time 1.8 Seconds at 600% Rated Current	90
Approximate Open Time 2.3 Seconds at 500% Rated Current	75
Approximate Open Time 4.3 Seconds at 400% Rated Current	60
Approximate Open Time 8.8 Seconds at 300% Rated Current	45
Approximate Open Time 18.2 Seconds at 200% Rated Current	30
Must Carry 100% Rated Current for Minimum 1 Hour	15
* Cole Hersee P/N: 30172-15 Circuit Breaker Used	

Table 2-5 Circuit Breaker Specifications

Contact The Will-Burt Company with any questions.

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2.6 Mast System Installation

This section describes installation of the Mast System, assuming an external mounting application. For internal mounting applications (i.e. mounting inside an enclosure or vehicle), The Will-Burt Company recommends:

- Using a Roof Seal Kit (P/N: 913730)
- Redirecting water from the bottom drain holes to outside the enclosure. An optional drain pan is available (P/N: 913749)

For additional information, please see the *Stiletto Series Roof Seal Kit Installation Instructions* (TP-5532101). If necessary, contact The Will-Burt Company to obtain these instructions.

2.6.1 Installation Quick Summary

The following is a quick summary of installation of the Mast System. Detailed steps follow the quick summary (Section 2.6.2).

In general, install the Mast System as follows:

- 1. Select a Suitable Mounting Location (Section 2.6.2.1)
- 2. Unpack the Mast System (Section 2.6.2.2)
- 3. Secure the Support Bracket Assembly (Section 2.6.2.3)
- 4. Secure the Base of the Mast (Section 2.6.2.4)
- 5. Finalize Physical Installation of the Mast (Section 2.6.2.5)
- 6. Install the Control Box (Section 2.6.2.6)
- 7. Electrically Install the Mast System (Section 2.6.2.7)
- 8. Connect Power to the Mast System (Section 2.6.2.8)

2.6.2 Installation Detailed Instructions

The following are detailed steps describing the installation of the Mast System. The exact installation procedures may vary based on the configuration of the Mast System being used and the installation environment.

These instructions assume that the mounting hole locations are not pre-drilled and that the Mast System components will be used as templates to drill these holes during installation. Alternatively, the mounting hole locations could be found and pre-drilled using the installation dimensions (Section 2.4). When pre-drilling the mounting holes, use care to ensure the mounting holes properly align.



2.6.2.1 Select a Suitable Mounting Location

To select a suitable mounting location, consider the following:

- The mounting structure must have sufficient room to mount the system. Ensure the installation site does not interfere with the cables or crowd them into the mast where, during retraction, they can be pinched between collars or speared by trigger posts
- The mounting structure must be level in all directions, solid, and capable of holding the forces required by the bolts. Check the strength and rigidity of the mounting structure where the system is to be attached. Reinforce as necessary. The support bracket and base support structure shall be mounted to a common frame (i.e. not separated by vehicle suspension elements)
- The area underneath the mast must be free of obstructions to allow for accessibility to the fasteners
- Do not obstruct the Drain Holes (for rainwater and condensation) located on the bottom of the base plate under the mast base tube (Figure 2-4). Keep any personnel or sensitive equipment away from the Drain Hole direction. An optional drain plate is available





- Cables will eventually need routed between components of the system as follows:
 - Customer power to the Control Box
 - The Motor Cable and the Mast Sensor Cable must be routed between the Control Box and mast
 - o Additional cables may need routed for optional components



2.6.2.2 Unpack 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.

WARNING

Safety Instruction – Observe Proper Procedures! Use extreme caution while lifting the Mast System and when Mast System is suspended to avoid injury and equipment damage. Be certain the Mast System is properly secured. 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 the 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. Death or serious injury could result if proper procedures are not followed.

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.
- 4. Remove the top half of the wooden saddles that secure the mast in place (Figure 2-5).



Figure 2-5 Shipping Crate

- 5. Outfit the mast with a sling and hoist capable of supporting the mast weight. The sling must support the mast from at least two points. Attach the sling at the center of gravity label so that horizontal balance and control can be maintained while positioning the mast. Use care not to damage or crush the Fully Extended Limit Switch or Fully Extended Limit Switch Cable while transporting the mast. The base tube collar can be used to support the mast weight during installation.
- 6. Slowly lift the mast until just free of the mast saddles.

If necessary, lower the mast and adjust the sling as necessary to balance the mast.



- 7. Ensuring the sling does not catch on anything, lift the mast without any sharp or jerking motions until it is free of the shipping crate.
- 8. Slowly move the mast to the desired mounting location. The hoist operator should be able to view the mast at all times to ensure the mast does not collide with any obstructions.
- 9. Slowly lower the mast until the mast is on the mounting surface and the weight of the mast has settled. Stop lowering the mast once the mast weight has settled.
- 10. Ensure the mast is temporarily secured to prevent it from tipping over during the installation process.

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.

2.6.2.3 Secure the Support Bracket Assembly

To secure the Support Bracket Assembly:

- 1. Carefully move the mast into position in the mounting location. Be certain to orient the mast so the operator has a clear view of the hazard labels.
- 2. Ensure the mast is level in all directions. If necessary, shims may be added to correct the alignment of the mast. It is necessary to check the mast in two places 90° apart when leveling.
- 3. Determine the desired location for the Support Bracket Assembly. Refer to Section 2.4.1 for the minimum height of the Support Bracket Assembly on the mast.
- 4. Secure the Support Bracket Assembly around the Base Tube with the included hardware. Shim as necessary to avoid overtightening the Support Bracket Assembly on the Base Tube (overtightening damages the mast). 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. (21-27 N-m).
- 5. Use the 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. Loosely secure the Support Bracket to the support structure with six ³/₆ inch (M10) sets of customer-provided stainless steel hardware. Do not torque the hardware at this point. This will be done later in these procedures. The mounting hardware must include a proper means to resist vibration loosening such as thread-locking compound or locking hardware.



2.6.2.4 Secure the Base of the Mast

To secure the base of the mast:

- 1. Use the base of the mast as a template to drill holes through the mounting surface.
- Loosely secure the Mast System to the mounting surface with four ½ inch (M12) sets of customer-provided stainless steel hardware. Use heavy-duty, extra-thick (MS 15795-819) stainless steel flat washers. Do not torque the hardware at this point. This will be done later in these procedures. The mounting hardware must include a proper means to resist vibration loosening such as thread-locking compound and/or locking hardware.

2.6.2.5 Finalize Physical Installation of the Mast

A CAUTION

Equipment Damage – Cutting! Wear gloves when installing the electrical ground strap to avoid possible injury.

With the mast loosely secured at the Support Bracket Assembly and at the base of the mast:

- 1. Ensure the mast is level in all directions. If necessary, shims may be added to correct the alignment of the mast. It is necessary to check the mast in two places 90° apart when leveling.
- 2. Torque all hardware as appropriate for its size and grade to secure the mast in place against the support structure and mounting surface. Ensure the mast remains level as it is torqued. Torque values for stainless steel fasteners are as follows:

M10:	245-290 inlb. (28-33 Nm)
3/8-16:	190-240 inlb. (21-27 Nm)
1⁄2-13 & 1⁄2-20:	450-530 inlb. (51-60 Nm)
M12:	355-425 inlb. (40-48 Nm)

Use manufacturer's specified torque values for other fastener materials/grades.

 Attach one end of the Ground Strap to the mast at any of the Ground Stud locations. The #10-32 screws provided with the Ground Strap can be installed in any of the Ground Stud locations as needed. The Ground Stud locations are designated with the electrical ground label (Figure 2-6). Torque to 24-31 in.-lb. (2.7-3.5 N-m).





4. Attach the other end of the Ground Strap to a known earth ground such as the chassis of the vehicle. Torque to 24-31 in.-lb. (2.7-3.5 N-m).

2.6.2.6 Secure the Control Box (and EMI Filter)

The Control Box and EMI Filter may be installed outside or inside an enclosure such as the cab of a vehicle.

To install the Control Box and EMI Filter (for CE):

1. Using the Control Box and EMI Filter as a template, drill six M6 (¼ inch) clearance holes into the mounting structure for the Control Box. Drill four clearance holes for M4 fasteners for the EMI Filter.

Note: The Control Box has seven mounting holes. It is only necessary to use six of the mounting holes to secure the Control Box.

- Attach the Control Box using six M6 (¼ inch) stainless steel fasteners. Attach the EMI Filter using four M4 stainless steel fasteners. Torque all hardware as appropriate for its material and size. The mounting hardware must include proper means to resist vibration loosening such as thread-locking compound or locking hardware. The recommended torque for stainless steel M6 fasteners is 60-72 in.-lb. (7-8 Nm). The recommended torque for stainless steel M4 fasteners is 19-23 in.-lb. (2.1-2.6 Nm).
- 3. Use 10-32 UNF-2B hardware and a Ground Strap to ground the Control Box from the designated ground location (Figure 2-7) to the chassis of the vehicle or a known earth ground. The ground location on the Control Box is designated with the electrical ground label. Torque the ground strap hardware to 24-31 in.-lb. (2.7-3.5 N-m).





Figure 2-7 Control Box Ground Location

2.6.2.7 Electrically Install the Mast System

Power must be disconnected before connecting or disconnecting any system connector. For example, power must be disconnected when connecting or disconnecting J1, J2, J3, and J4 on the Control Box. The EMI filter is required for CE conformity. For non-CE applications, power connects directly to J1 without the filter installed.



To electrically install the Mast System:

1. Refer to Figure 2-8 for an overview of the system wiring, and to Figure 2-9 for the Control Box schematic.



Figure 2-8 Stiletto Wiring





Figure 2-9 Control Box Schematic Views (based on WD-46002 Rev 00) [EMI Filter not shown]



- 2. Plug the 7-pin Mast Sensor Cable into bulkhead connector J2 on the Control Box. Screw the connector in place so that the cable is secure.
- 3. Plug the 2-pin Motor Cable into bulkhead connector J3 on the Control Box. Screw the connector in place so that the cable is secure.
- 4. Depending on the Mast System configuration, a data cable may be used. For example, a data cable is used with optional components including the Hand-Held Remote Control (HHRC), PC Interface, or D-TEC.

If used, plug in the 8-pin data cable to bulkhead connector J4. Screw the connector in place so that the cable is secure.

If not used, ensure the dust cap to J4 is installed and secure.

2.6.2.8 Connect Power to the Mast System

Power and the handshake lines enter the Control Box through bulkhead connector J1. The Will-Burt Company supplies a 9-pin Power Cable Connector (Section 1.7.1.5) to connect to J1. If the EMI filter is required (for CE conformity), the connector plugs into the input side of the filter and the cable supplied with the filter connects from the filter output side to the Control Box J1. The customer is responsible for integrating 10-gauge (6 mm²) power lines (with optional ground) and any handshake lines into the Power Cable Connector. With cable runs longer than three meters (ten feet), a lower gauge wire will be needed.

The enable input circuit (hatch switch) on J1 Pins A and B require a closed circuit to enable mast operation. If no switch is installed to provide a closed circuit, a jumper is required to connect J1 Pins A and B.

The Will-Burt Company also offers optional Input Power Cable Pigtails (Section 1.7.4.3) which have a Power Cable Connector with pre-wired flying leads of predetermined lengths to simplify the wiring process.

The mast does not have a master power switch. If a master power switch is desired, the customer must provide it with the source power.

An Emergency Stop Switch Kit (P/N: 4792701) (Figure 2-10) is supplied with each mast. This kit includes a panel mounted push-pull E-Stop switch, and a legend plate. The emergency stop shall be installed in a position reachable by the operator when operating the mast with the mast controls. This Emergency Stop Switch kit must be used for CE compliance.





Figure 2-10 Emergency Stop Switch Kit

To connect customer power to the Mast System:

1. Wire the Power Cable Connector and Emergency Stop Switch according to Figure 2-11.



Figure 2-11 Power Cable Connector Wiring

2. Plug customer power into J1 on the Control Box. Screw the connector in place so that the cable is secure.



2.7 Additional Accessory Installation

Depending on the configuration of the Mast System, optional components selected, or the installation environment, additional accessories such as PC Interface, Capacitor Bank, or positioners may need to be installed. Install any additional accessories as appropriate.

General installation procedures to keep in mind when installing optional accessories include:

- Use connector J4 on the Control Box to connect the following optional components:
 - o D-TEC
 - Hand-Held Remote Control (HHRC)
 - PC Interface

Note: Will-Burt offers an adaptor Y-Cable to allow for the use of both the PC Interface and an HHRC.

2.8 Test the Installation

Follow all precautions while testing the Mast System installation.

A CAUTION

Equipment Damage! Verify that a power source capable of delivering the specified Mast System voltage and current has been properly connected to the Control Box.

A CAUTION

Polarity! Ensure the electrical mains polarity is correct before initializing the Mast System.

To test the installation:

- 1. Review the Pre-Operation Check (Section 3.1).
- 2. Prepare the Mast System for operation.
- 3. Extend the mast.
- 4. Lower the mast.

See Section 3 for additional details on these procedures.



2.9 Install Payload

The exact installation procedures for payload will vary based on the customer-specific payload and any adaptor being used. For optimal performance, center the payload as best as possible. If the payload will be offset a significant amount, contact The Will-Burt Company. Contact The Will-Burt Company with any questions before performing any installation procedures.

A WARNING

Payload Lifting Hazard! Do not exceed specified payload capacity. Do not use mast to lift personnel. 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.

A WARNING

Safety Instruction – Mounting Instructions! Before operation, be certain the mounting structure is capable of resisting forces generated from all loading and environmental conditions including, but not limited to payload size and weight, sail size, and wind and ice loading. The mounting hardware must include proper means to resist vibration loosening such as thread-locking compound or locking hardware. Mounting the payload into a structure unable to resist the forces generated from the customer-specific loading scenario could result in death or serious injury, and could damage the mast and mounting structure.

A WARNING

Safety Instruction – Payload Mounting! The payload shall be bolted to the mast using all six of the provided mounting holes using proper thread locking techniques such as lock washers and locking compound.

A WARNING

Relocation Hazard! The payload must be supported or removed prior to driving the vehicle to prevent damage to the mast and payload. Remove any payload tie down or locking features before operating the mast. Do not move the mast while it is being raised or lowered.

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.

In general, to install the payload:

- 1. Ensure power is removed from the Mast System while installing the payload to eliminate the possibility of inadvertent mast extension.
- 2. Carefully move the payload into position.
- Properly secure the payload to the mast with customer-provided ¼-20 high strength hardware. Choose the appropriate length of screw in order to allow maximum thread engagement with the threaded inserts. The standard Payload Interface has six ¼-20 UNC 2b I0.43 (11mm) holes (Figure 2-12). If required, the Ø0.22 (5.6 mm) I 0.375 (9.5



mm) hole may be used for orientation. The mounting hardware must include proper means to resist vibration loosening such as thread-locking compound and/or locking hardware. Torque all hardware as appropriate for its size and grade.

The six thru holes on the side of the payload mount can be used for additional ¼-inch bolts, quick release pins or a tether for additional payload security. These holes are oriented 30° from the bolt pattern on the top of the payload mount and are at a height of 0.25 inches below the top payload mount surface. Please contact Will-Burt Engineering to determine if your application requires these precautions.

Note: The Payload Interface has stainless steel inserts. When using stainless steel hardware, use an anti-seize to prevent galling. Use vibration locking methods that do not rely on thread locking compound when using anti-seize.



Figure 2-12 Mounting Hole Pattern (4-Meter Stiletto P/N: 711290461 Shown)

Contact the factory for alternatives to the depicted interface.



Section 3 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. This section assumes the mast is not guyed. See Section 9.2 for information pertaining to guying of the mast. Use care to understand and follow all precautions while operating.

3.1 Pre-Operation Check

Before operating the system, ensure:

- All operators read and understand the entire operation procedure
- The Mast System is properly installed and undamaged
- The payload is properly installed. The payload should be bolted to the mast using the six 1/4-20 UNC threaded holes in the top of the Top Tube Ring with high strength bolts and the appropriate thread locker. The six thru holes on the side can be used for additional bolts, quick release pins or a tether for additional payload security. Please contact Will-Burt Engineering to determine if your application requires these precautions
- 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
- All payload cables are not tangled and are free to pay out as the mast extends
- Any transit tie-downs on the payload have been removed
- 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
- When using a vehicle, ensure that it is not moving and is on level terrain. The mast can be operated on terrain having a slope up to 10° for models up to 10M height and 5° for models above 10M
- The Mast System area is free of personnel
- The operator has full view of the Mast System during use
- Ensure that the following precautions are understood and followed:

WARNING

Trained Personnel Only! Only trained and qualified personnel should perform operating procedures. Deviation from standard operating conditions and procedures could cause dangerous Mast System failure.



A WARNING

Safety Instruction – Operation! Mast is recommended for outdoor operation. If used indoors, ensure overhead area is free of power lines or other overhead obstructions. Do not use in areas that have been classified as hazardous as defined in Article 500 of the National Electric Code (United States).

A WARNING

Keep Clear! Keep personnel clear of the Mast System and mast extension path during operation. Do not lean over the mast.

A WARNING

Electrocution Hazard! Mast components are conductive to electrical current. Ensure the area is free of overhead power lines and other unwanted sources of electricity. Follow applicable safety regulations when working near energized power lines. Operator death may occur by extending the mast into power lines or use during electrical storms. Be sure to allow sufficient clearance on all sides of the Mast System to allow for side sway. Do not deploy the mast if power lines are less than 50 ft. (15 m) from the center of the deployment site. Death or serious injury could result if proper precautions are not performed.

A WARNING

Mast Extension Hazard! Before applying power and operating the mast, visually verify there is sufficient clearance above and to all sides of the expected location of the fully extended mast and payload. Check for and remove any objects that might obstruct motion, cause binding, or hinder function of the system. Ensure the operator has full view of the Mast System during use. Striking overhead obstructions could result in death or serious injury, and can damage the mast and payload, and could render the mast inoperable and partially extended.

A WARNING

Relocation/Driving Hazard! Do not relocate the system during operation or while the mast is extended to any height above the nested position or powered up. Do not move vehicle until the mast has been securely nested and isolated from power. Power-up and operate the mast only if the vehicle is stationary and securely parked with the parking brake properly applied. Do not move vehicle without the vehicle interlock circuit installed to confirm the mast is nested. Relocating the system during operation or after mast is extended could result in death or serious injury. Contact Will-Burt Engineering for special on-the-move situations for military only use.

A WARNING

Pinch Point Hazard! Moving parts can crush and cut resulting in death or serious injury. Keep clear of moving parts while operating mast.

A CAUTION

Tangled and Damaged Cables! Ensure cables are not tangled and are free to pay out as the mast is extended. Tangled cables can cause equipment damage. Ensure cables have adequate clearance from the Mast System so that the cables are not pinched between the collars or speared by the trigger posts as the mast is retracted.



A CAUTION

Voltage and Current! Verify that a power source capable of delivering the specified Mast System voltage and current has been properly connected to the Control Box. Damage to the Control Box may occur if voltage drops below 18 volts during operation of the mast. Do not disconnect the power cable from J1 on the Control Box or from the power source while the mast is in motion (extending or retracting). This could result in damage to the Control Box.

A CAUTION

Polarity! Ensure the electrical mains polarity is correct before initializing the Mast System.

A CAUTION

Slip Clutch! This Stiletto Mast System is supplied with a friction slip clutch to prevent serious damage to the mast in the event of a jam. There is no way to detect the action of the slip clutch other than operator observation. When the clutch begins to slip, that is, when the motor is running and the mast is neither extending nor retracting, release the UP / DOWN toggle switch immediately to avoid overheating the clutch.

3.2 Operation Equipment

Table 3-1 lists recommended equipment for operation.

Recommended Equipment*						
Personal Protective						
Safety Glasses	Work Gloves	Nitrile or Vinyl Gloves				
Hearing Protection Hard Hat or Helmet Safety Shoes						
Hand Tools						
Crank Handle Assembly (P/N: A3209918) (For manual operation only.)						
* Depending on the local, regional, and national standards and codes of practice, and the environment, additional personal protective equipment may be necessary.						



3.3 Controls

The Mast System can be operated with the:

- Control Box (Powered Operation) (Section 3.4)
- PC Interface (Powered Operation) (Section 3.5)
- Crank Handle Assembly (Manual Operation) (Section 3.6)

3.3.1 Control Box (Powered Operation)

Controlling the Mast System with the Control Box allows for:

- Extending the mast
- Retracting the mast
- Nesting the mast
- Stopping the mast
- Moving the mast to a specific height (manual stop once target height is reached)
- Monitoring the mast parameters and limit switch inputs in real-time (issued error codes)
- Viewing the cycle count

3.3.2 PC Interface (Powered Operation)

The optional PC Interface allows for:

- Extending the mast
- Retracting the mast
- Nesting the mast
- Stopping the mast
- Moving the mast to a specific height
- Monitoring the mast parameters and limit switch inputs in real-time
- Viewing the cycle count

3.3.3 Crank Handle Assembly (Manual Operation)

The Crank Handle Assembly allows for:

- Extending the mast
- Retracting the mast
- Nesting the mast



3.4 Control Box Operation

This section describes operation of the Mast System using the Control Box.

If an emergency stop is required at any time, release the UP/DOWN Switch or press the emergency stop button. This will cause the mast to stop extending or retracting.

Quick Reference

The following is a quick summary of operation of the Mast System using the Control Box. Detailed instructions (Section 3.4.1) follow the quick summary.

In general, operate as follows:

- 1. Prepare the System for Powered Operation (Section 3.4.1.1).
- 2. Extend the Mast with UP/DOWN Switch (Section 3.4.1.2).
- 3. Extend the Mast with OVERRIDE Switch (Emergency Operation) (Section 3.4.1.3).
- 4. Retract the Mast with UP/DOWN Switch (Section 3.4.1.4).
- 5. Retract the Mast with OVERRIDE Switch (Emergency Operation) (Section 3.4.1.5).
- 6. Access the Cycle Count and Temperature with UP/DOWN Switch (Section 3.4.1.6).

3.4.1 Detailed Instructions

The following are detailed instructions describing the operation of the Mast System using the Control Box.

3.4.1.1 Prepare the System for Powered Operation

To prepare the Mast System for powered operation:

- Ensure the Mast System is stationary on level, stable ground
- Perform the Pre-Operation Check (Section 3.1)
- If necessary, remove any transit tie-downs
- If necessary, secure any cables to the mast
- If necessary, secure the payload to the mast (Section 2.9)
- If necessary, reset the emergency stop
- If necessary, turn on the optional (customer supplied) master power switch to supply power to the Mast System. The Control Box will scroll the "STILETTO ..." message and then display, NESTED, DEPLOYED, an intermediate height, or an error code as appropriate

The Mast System is now operational.



3.4.1.2 Extend the Mast with UP/DOWN Switch

To extend the mast with the UP/DOWN Switch:

- 1. Push back the switch guard covering the UP/DOWN Switch.
- 2. Hold the UP/DOWN Switch in the up position (Figure 3-1). As long as the UP/DOWN Switch is held in the up position, the mast will extend and the Display will show the appropriate intermediate extension height. Be sure to stay clear of the collars during operation as they create a pinch point hazard.



Figure 3-1 UP/DOWN Switch Up Position

3. Release the UP/DOWN Switch when the desired height is reached.

If the UP/DOWN Switch is released before the maximum extension is reached, the mast will quickly stop and the display will show the current extension.

If the UP/DOWN Switch is held long enough, the mast will automatically stop when the Full Extension Limit Switch is reached and the display will show "DEPLOYED".

4. Push the switch guard back into position to protect the UP/DOWN Switch.



3.4.1.3 Extend the Mast with OVERRIDE Switch (Emergency Operation)

The OVERRIDE Switch is used with the UP/DOWN Switch to ignore any errors returned by the Control Box in order to extended and retract the mast. Use the OVERRIDE Switch only for emergency operation of the mast to complete a mission. Address the error code before the next mission.

A CAUTION

Equipment Damage – Overriding Sensor and Faults! Only use OVERRIDE Switch for emergency operation of mast. When the OVERRIDE Switch is engaged, all sensors and faults generated by the controls of the mast are ignored. Power to the Motor will continue as long as the OVERRIDE Switch is held, even at the extreme high and low ends of travel. The limit switches typically used to prevent the mast from over-travelling at the extreme ends of travel will not function normally. Use extreme caution when using the OVERRIDE Switch at the fully extended and fully nested areas of mast deployment. Holding the UP/DOWN Switch beyond the limits of travel may result in equipment damage.

When using the OVERRIDE Switch to extend the mast:

- 1. Push back the switch guards covering the OVERRIDE Switch and the UP/DOWN Switch.
- 2. Hold the OVERRIDE Switch in the engage position and the hold the UP/DOWN Switch in the up position (Figure 3-2). As long as both switches are held, the mast will extend and the display will show the appropriate intermediate extension height. Be sure to stay clear of the collars during operation as they create a pinch point hazard.





Figure 3-2 OVERRIDE Switch Engage Position and UP/DOWN Switch Up Position

- 3. Release the UP/DOWN Switch and OVERRIDE Switch when the desired height is reached.
- 4. Push both switch guards back into position to protect the UP/DOWN and OVERRIDE Switches.

3.4.1.4 Retract the Mast with UP/DOWN Switch

To retract the mast with the UP/DOWN Switch:

- 1. Push back the switch guard covering the UP/DOWN Switch.
- 2. Hold the UP/DOWN Switch in the down position (Figure 3-3). As long as the UP/DOWN Switch is held in the down position, the mast will retract and the display will show the appropriate intermediate extension height. Be sure to stay clear of the collars during operation as they create a pinch point hazard.





Figure 3-3 UP/DOWN Switch Down Position

3. Release the UP/DOWN Switch when the desired height is reached.

If the UP/DOWN Switch is released before the Nested position is reached, the mast will quickly stop and the display will show the current extension.

If the UP/DOWN Switch is held long enough, the mast will automatically stop when the Full Nested Limit Switch is reached and the display will show "NESTED".



3.4.1.5 Retract the Mast with OVERRIDE Switch (Emergency Operation)

The OVERRIDE Switch is used with the UP/DOWN Switch to ignore any errors returned by the Control Box in order to extend and retract the mast. Use the OVERRIDE Switch only for emergency operation of the mast.

A CAUTION

Equipment Damage – Overriding Sensor and Faults! Only use OVERRIDE Switch for emergency operation of mast. When the OVERRIDE Switch is engaged, all sensors and faults generated by the controls of the mast are ignored. Power to the Motor will continue as long as the OVERRIDE Switch is held, even at the extreme high and low ends of travel. The limit switches typically used to prevent the mast from over-travelling at the extreme ends of travel will not function normally. Use extreme caution when using the OVERRIDE Switch at the fully extended and fully nested areas of mast deployment. Holding the UP/DOWN Switch beyond the limits of travel may result in equipment damage.

When using the OVERRIDE Switch to retract the mast:

- 1. Push back the switch guards covering the OVERRIDE Switch and the UP/DOWN Switch.
- 2. Hold the OVERRIDE Switch in the engage position and the hold the UP/DOWN Switch in the down position (Figure 3-4). As long as both switches are held, the mast will retract and the display will show the appropriate intermediate extension height. Be sure to stay clear of the collars during operation as they create a pinch point hazard.



Figure 3-4 OVERRIDE Switch Engage Position and UP/DOWN Switch Down Position


- Release the UP/DOWN Switch and OVERRIDE Switch when the desired height is reached.
- 4. Push both switch guards back into position to protect the UP/DOWN and OVERRIDE Switches.

3.4.1.6 Access the Cycle Count and Temperature with UP/DOWN Switch

The cycle count and temperature:

- Can only be accessed using the Control Box or PC Interface
- Cannot be accessed during manual operation

To access the cycle count and temperature:

- 1. Ensure the mast is nested and the UP/DOWN Switch is released.
- 2. Hold the UP/DOWN Switch in the down position. The cycle count and temperature inside the Control Box will alternately show on the Display.

Note: The cycle count drives periodic maintenance procedures. The cycle counter increments every time the DOWN Limit Switch is released and then made again. This occurs anytime the mast is raised approximately one inch or more and lowered to the fully retracted position.

The cycle count only updates when using the Control Box or PC Interface. Manually operating the mast will not adjust the cycle count.

3.5 PC Interface Operation

For information on operation using the PC Interface, contact The Will-Burt Company.



3.6 Crank Handle Operation

This section describes operation of the Mast System using the Crank Handle Assembly.

WARNING

Safety Instruction – Electrical Hazard! Never manually operate the mast while power is still applied to the system. Ensure the Mast System is de-energized and the power source is properly tagged out. Any attempt to electrically energize the Mast System when manually operating the mast may result in injury.

A WARNING

Safety Instruction – Kinetic Energy! This Stiletto Mast System is supplied with a friction slip clutch to prevent serious damage to the mast in the event of a jam. There is no way to detect the action of the slip clutch other than operator observation. When the clutch begins to slip, that is, when the motor is running and the mast is neither extending nor retracting, release the extend/retract toggle switch immediately to avoid overheating the clutch.

A WARNING

Safety Instruction – Protective Equipment! Appropriate safety helmet and gloves shall be worn when operating the mast manually.

A CAUTION

Equipment Damage – Manual Operation! When manually extending or retracting the mast, do not drive past the normal extended or nested stops. Do not apply in excess of 50 lb.-ft. (68 N-m) when using the Crank Handle Assembly. The normal protections are being bypassed and equipment damage could occur.

A CAUTION

Equipment Damage – Manual Operation! Use caution to avoid strain when operating the hand crank.

Note: When not in use, store the Crank Handle Assembly in an accessible area in close proximity to the mast.

3.6.1 Quick Reference

The following is a quick summary of operation of the Mast System using the Crank Handle Assembly. Detailed instructions (Section 3.6.2) follow the quick summary.

In general, operate as follows:

- Prepare the System for Manual Operation (Section 3.6.2.1)
- Extend the Mast with the Crank Handle Assembly (Section 3.6.2.2)
- Retract the Mast with the Crank Handle Assembly (Section 3.6.2.2)



3.6.2 Detailed Instructions

The following are detailed instructions describing the operation of the Mast System using the Crank Handle Assembly.

Use manual operation for emergency situations only. The normal limit switches and software limits are not in effect during manual operation. There are mechanical hard stops just beyond both the upper and lower limit switch locations that will stop the mast safely, however, it is good practice to stop the mast at the normal positions.

Note: When manually operating the mast, the intermediate height on the Control Box will not change.

3.6.2.1 Prepare the System for Manual Operation

To prepare the Mast System for manual operation:

- Ensure the Mast System is stationary on level, stable ground
- Perform the Pre-Operation Check (Section 3.1)
- Ensure power is removed from the Mast System. Do not manually operate the Mast System with power to the Mast System.
- Retrieve the Crank Handle Assembly from its storage location.

The Mast System is now operational.

3.6.2.2 Extend and Retract the Mast with Crank Handle Assembly

When power is removed from the Mast System, friction in the drive system supports the mast tube and payload weight. Be sure the mast tubes stop moving before removing the hand crank from the mast override shaft after manual operation as the dynamic braking of the motor is unavailable.

To extend/retract the mast manually:

- 1. Ensure the mast is not powered. Do not access the Manual Override until power has been removed from the Mast System.
- 2. Locate the Manual Override (Figure 3-5).
- 3. Remove the cap to expose the Manual Override Shaft.
- 4. Insert the Crank Handle Assembly.





Figure 3-5 Manual Override

- 5. Use the Crank Handle Assembly to extend the mast by turning the Crank Handle Assembly clockwise or retract by turning counter-clockwise. Be sure to stay clear of the collars during operation as they create a pinch point hazard.
- 6. When the mast has reached the desired height and the tubes are not moving, remove the Crank Handle Assembly.

Note: The mast will hit a hard stop when completely extended or completely retracted as the normal limit switches will not function without power. The best practice is to stop just before these hard stops are reached.

7. Store the Crank Handle Assembly in an accessible area in close proximity to the mast.

The manual input point can normally only be accessed from above. The Will-Burt Company offers an optional 90° gear box variant which bolts onto the manual input point and provides an identical ½ inch square interface to the hand crank. This variant can be oriented either to the side or to the rear per customer instruction. The operation is identical to hand crank operation. The 90° gear drive should only be used for manual extension and retraction in the event of an electrical power loss. Damage to the 90° gear drive could result from trying to input too much torque by hand, such as breaking through ice, or other similar high torque applications. Consult The Will-Burt Company for more information for this optional equipment.



3.7 Special Instructions for Clearing Heavy Ice Buildup

During periods of heavy precipitation and high ice buildup on the mast, there is a chance that jamming can occur during the retraction of a deployed mast. This high ice buildup on the collar sections (horizontal surfaces) of the mast could cause the tube lock mechanisms to become "out of time" and cause internal damage. This ice buildup must be cleared away during retraction just before the individual tube and collars contact each other. Refer to Figure 3-6 for areas to clear the ice away from the tubes and collars prior to nesting.

A CAUTION

Equipment Damage – Cutting! Wear gloves when handling icebreakers to avoid possible injury.

3.7.1 Detailed Instructions

The order of operations concerning the ice removal is as follows:

Note: Only retract the mast with electrical power, do not attempt to use the manual crank input. Internal damage may occur using the manual crank during high torque applications.

- Attempt to retract the mast with electrical power only. If the mast begins to break the ice on its own, proceed to Step 4. If the mast stalls and does not retract then proceed to Step 2. Do not continue to labor the motor with a stalled tube set as this could cause premature wear on the mast.
- 2. Begin clearing away the ice on horizontal surfaces (collar) closest to the operator. Utilizing non-piercing tools, begin by breaking the ice bond and using a striking motion away from the tube (tangent to the tube). Continue to do this ice clearing around the collar. Then remove the remaining ice from the vertical lock post on the collar. Next, begin to remove the ice buildup on the "nesting" tube. Use extreme caution when removing ice from the circumference of the tube, only 1-2 vertical inches of ice will need to be removed. Use a tangential clearing motion to keep from piercing the tube. Proceed to Step 3.
- 3. Attempt to retract the mast electrically again. If the tube set is still stalled and will not retract, then ice has built up internally and the unit will need to be thawed in order to regain functionality. Do not continue to labor the motor with a stalled tube set. If the mast does retract, proceed to Step 4.
- 4. Continue to retract the tube until it is a few inches from nesting and contacting the lower collar. Begin clearing away the ice on horizontal surfaces (collar) closest to the operator. Utilizing non-piercing tools, begin by breaking the ice bond and using a striking motion away from the tube (tangent to the tube). Continue to clear ice in this manner around the collar. Next, remove the remaining ice from the vertical lock post on the collar. Operate the mast until the collars make contact and the next tube begins to retract. At this point, repeat Steps 1 and 4.
- 5. If the mast continues to break ice during retraction but experiences trouble <u>only</u> near a locking transition, then ice has frozen inside the lock body. This ice in the lock body is interfering with the normal unlocking of the interfaces. To clear the ice, use a small, hard tool to reach inside the opening at the bottom of the housing. Manually chip and clear the



ice from the internal parts, then set the latch to the proper "Locked" orientation, as illustrated in Figure 3-7. Attempt to retract the mast again under electrical power.

6. Repeat steps until the mast is nested:



Figure 3-6 Ice Removal Areas



Utilizing a small, hard tool, remove the ice buildup from the housing and internal parts:



Figure 3-7 Lock Housing Ice Removal

Once the internal ice is cleared away, observe the orientation of the lock mechanism. If it is witnessed to be in the "Un-locked" position, then push on the rocker to trip it back to the "Locked" position. When the mast operator has clear access to the internal parts of the lock housing, the orientation should <u>only</u> be "Locked". Under no circumstances should the locks be simultaneously set in the "Un-Locked" orientation while the mast is being operated.



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Section 4 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.

A WARNING

Relocation Hazard! Do not relocate the system during operation or while mast is extended. Do not move vehicle until the mast has been securely nested. This applies especially to vehicle-mounted masts. The payload must be supported or removed prior to driving the vehicle to prevent damage to the mast and payload. Remove any payload tie down or locking features before operating the mast.

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.

4.1 General Transportation

To prepare the Mast System for transportation:

- 1. Ensure the mast is fully nested. Do not transport the Mast System with the mast and payload extended. Always visually confirm the mast is fully retracted before moving the mast. Please contact Will-Burt Engineering for special circumstances for transportation without the mast nested for military use only.
- 2. The vehicle interlock circuit should confirm the mast is nested and disconnect power to the unit before moving the vehicle.
- 3. If used, ensure the optional master power switch is off to eliminate the possibility of inadvertent mast extension.
- 4. Ensure the payload is removed, supported, or otherwise isolated from the Top Tube to prevent damage to the mast and payload. Consult Will-Burt Engineering for applications where the payload is not removed or supported.
- 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.



4.2 Shipping

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

A WARNING

Safety Instruction – Observe Proper Procedures! Use extreme caution while lifting the Mast System and when Mast System is suspended to avoid injury and equipment damage. Be certain the Mast System is properly secured. 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 the 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. Death or serious injury could result if proper procedures are not followed.

When shipping:

- 1. As necessary, remove the payload.
- 2. As necessary, prepare the Mast System for transportation (Section 4.1).
- 3. As necessary, uninstall the Mast System from the mounting structure (Section 2).
- 4. Secure the Mast System in the shipping crate:
 - a. Carefully position the mast in the crate.
 - b. Secure the block at the top of the mast to prevent the mast from shifting in the shipping crate during transportation.
 - c. Secure the top half of the wooden mast saddles.
 - d. As necessary, carefully pack any additional components in the shipping crate.
 - e. Secure the lid on the shipping crate.



Section 5 Maintenance

This section describes maintenance procedures required to keep the system operational. Use care to understand and follow all precautions while performing these procedures.

Disconnect power to the mast system and any devices mounted to the mast with lock-out tagout procedures as appropriate before performing mast maintenance. The J1 connector on the Control Box can be removed to isolate power to the mast and control box. Be sure source power is removed before removing the J1 connector.

5.1 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
- The following precautions are understood and followed:

A WARNING

Trained Personnel Only! Only trained and qualified personnel should perform maintenance and servicing procedures. Only a properly trained and qualified certified electrician should perform electric maintenance and service. Death or serious injury could result if proper maintenance procedures and inspections are not observed.

A WARNING

Tip Over Hazard! Before performing maintenance or repair, ensure the Mast System is level and secure. Injury to personnel or equipment damage could occur if the Mast System tips over.

A WARNING

Health and Safety Hazard! Solvent used to clean parts is potentially dangerous. Follow solvent manufacturer's safety procedures and recommendations. Avoid inhalation of fumes and also prolonged contact to skin. Death or serious injury could occur if solvents are not handled properly.

A WARNING

Fire Hazard! Do not smoke. Use cleaning solvent in a well-ventilated area. Keep cleaning solvent away from ignition sources including open flame, arcing equipment, heaters, and excessive heat. Always store cleaning solvent in the proper marked container. Cleaning solvent, used for maintenance, is flammable and can be explosive resulting in death or serious injury.



WARNING

De-Energized! Always ensure all electrical circuits to the Mast System are de-energized and properly tagged and locked out prior to performing maintenance or repair procedures.

A WARNING

Remove Payload! Remove payload before performing maintenance on the Mast System.

WARNING

Safety Instruction – Observe Proper Procedures! Use extreme caution while lifting the Mast System and when Mast System is suspended to avoid injury and equipment damage. Be certain the Mast System is properly secured. 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. Death or serious injury could result if proper procedures are not followed.

A WARNING

Health and Safety Hazard! Death or serious injury could occur if alcohol is not handled carefully. Use it in a well-ventilated area away from open flame, arcing equipment, ignition sources, heaters or excessive heat. Always store alcohol in a properly marked container. Do not smoke.

A CAUTION

Disconnect Power! Power must be disconnected before connecting or disconnecting any Mast System connector. For example, power must be disconnected when connecting or disconnecting J1, J2, J3, and J4 on the Control Box. Do not disconnect the power cable from J1 on the Control Box or from the power source while the mast is in motion (extending or retracting). This could result in damage to the Control Box.



5.2 Maintenance Equipment

Table 5-1 lists recommended equipment for maintenance.

	Recommended Equipment*					
Ρ	Personal Protective					
	Safety Glasses	Work Gloves	Nitrile or Vinyl Gloves			
	Hearing Protection	Hard Hat or Helmet	Safety Shoes			
н	and Tools					
	Paint Brushes	Screwdrivers	Torque Wrench			
	Wire Brush	Wrenches				
Е	quipment					
	Grease Gun	Hoist	Sling			
Е	xpendables					
	Denatured Alcohol or Other Solvent	Drive Screw Lubricant (P/N: 912542)	Non-Abrasive Cleaners (Soap and Water)			
	Rags (Soft, Clean, and Dry)	Touchup Paint				
*	* 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.



5.3 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 1.7.1.6). 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.

5.4 Preventative Maintenance Checks and Services (PMCS)

This section describes the systematic care, inspection, and servicing of equipment to keep it in good condition and to prevent breakdowns.

If the Mast System does not perform as required, see Section 8. If anything looks wrong and cannot be diagnosed and/or fixed, the Mast System should be taken to the next higher level maintenance facility.

The Will-Burt Company recommends creating and maintaining a maintenance log for each Mast System.



5.4.1 Schedule

Table 5-2 provides a schedule of preventative maintenance inspections and procedures required to keep the Mast System in good operating condition.

Frequency	Inspection	Action
As Needed (In salt water environments, clean the mast at least every three months.)	Keep Clean – Inspect to ensure the Mast System is kept clean and free from foreign material. Dirt, grease, oil, and debris may cover up a serious problem.	Clean as you work and as needed. Use denatured alcohol on all metal surfaces. Use water when cleaning rubber or plastic material. Use soap and water when cleaning the exterior surfaces of the mast tubes. Use a soft, non-abrasive cloth to wipe clean the bezel on the Control Box display.
During Operation	Damage – Inspect for damage before use. During extension and retraction of the mast, inspect the outer surfaces for damage.	If damage is apparent, do not use the Mast System and have it serviced before use.
During Operation	Binding – During extension and retraction of the mast, observe mast operation for evidence of binding.	Remove any foreign material or obstructions as necessary. Do not use if the mast is extending or retracting erratically.
Weekly	Damage – Inspect all visible surfaces for damage.	If damage is apparent, do not use the Mast System and have it serviced before use.
Weekly	Finish – Inspect the condition of the mast finish. Look for bare metal, rust, and corrosion.	Remove any rust or corrosion with a wire brush. Touchup any bare metal with touchup paint.
Weekly	Fasteners – Inspect external fasteners. Look for loose, missing, bent, or broken fasteners. Look for chipped paint, bare metal, or rust around the bolt heads. Pay particular attention to the fastener securing the Mast System to the mounting surface, the mast to the Drive Assembly, the Motor to the Drive Assembly, and the payload to the mast.	Replace any missing or damage hardware. If any hardware is found loose, retighten. If loose fasteners joining major components cannot be tightened, do not use the Mast System and have it serviced before use.
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Table 5-2 Preventative Maintenance Schedule



Frequency	Inspection	Action
Weekly	Mast Cables – Inspect Mast System cables. Look for cracked, frayed, or broken insulation; bare wires; loose or broken connectors. Ensure the cables and bulkhead connectors are clean, the pins undamaged, and the threads in good condition.	Replace cables as required. Tighten loose connections. If the bulkhead connectors are unable to mate with the corresponding cable, do not use the Mast System and have it serviced before use.
Weekly	Payload Cables – Inspect any cables going up to the payload for signs of pinching between the collars or spearing by the trigger posts.	Replace cables as required.
Weekly	Cycle Counter – Check to ensure Cycle Counter is operating properly by noting that during initial cycle of the mast, the cycle counter increases by one. Refer to Section 3.4.1.6 for cycle counter operation.	
50 – 100 Cycles or as Required	Corrosive Environment – When the Mast System is in a corrosive environment, inspect for damage and lubricate the mast. See Section 5.4.3.1.	
250 Cycles	Lubricate – Lubricate the Drive Screw. See Section 5.4.2.	
2500 Cycles	Extension Nuts – Replace the Extension Nuts.	Replacing the Extension Nuts requires special training due to potential collapse hazard. Contact The Will-Burt Company for details about factory training and/or factory rebuild.
5,000 Cycles (or 7 Years)	Overhaul – Return for complete factory overhaul and rebuild.	

Table 5-2 Preventative Maintenance Schedule Continued



5.4.2 Lubricate the Drive Screw

This section describes how to lubricate the Drive Screw. The Drive Screw should be lubricated every 250 cycles.



Equipment Damage! Do not substitute any grease for the Will-Burt drive screw lubricant (P/N: 912542). This is a super-premium aerospace grade product and is required for specified performance and life.

Lubricate the Drive Screw as follows:

- 1. Charge the Grease Gun (P/N 912541) that shipped with the Mast System with a cartridge of Drive Screw Lubricant (P/N: 912542). Drive Screw Lubricant can be ordered separately from The Will-Burt Company.
- 2. Fully extend the mast.
- 3. Remove the hex-shaped access plug from the grease port on the side of the Base Tube (Figure 5-1).



Figure 5-1 Grease Port

4. Remove the hydraulic coupling (cap) from the output tube of the Grease Gun.

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- 5. Prime the Grease Gun by pumping the handle a few times until grease is seen to exit the tube.
- 6. Insert the tube through the access holes to touch the Drive Screw directly.
- 7. Apply a generous dab of grease (two strokes of the handle or approximately 1/14 of the cartridge) onto the Drive Screw.
- Jog the mast about ¾ inch (19 mm) (one half revolution of the Drive Screw) and apply another generous dab (two strokes of the handle or approximately 1/14 of the cartridge). It is not necessary to use an entire cartridge of grease during a single maintenance procedure. The cartridge should last for seven greasing operations.
- 9. Replace the access plug into the access plate. Screw the hydraulic coupling (cap) back onto the output tube of the Grease Gun.
- 10. Retract the mast completely, extend it completely and retract it completely to distribute the grease over all the Extension Nuts and the complete Drive Screw.
- 11. Record the date, cycle count, and procedure in the mast's maintenance record.

5.4.3 Special Instructions

This section describes less common maintenance procedures related to the following:

- Corrosive Environments (Section 5.4.3.1)
- Mast Damage (Section 5.4.3.2)

5.4.3.1 Corrosive Environments

This section describes procedures to be done when the Mast System is in a corrosive environment. These procedures should be done every 50 to 100 cycles or as needed.

Required Tools and Materials include:

- Assorted Hand Tools sized for metric fasteners
- Pressurized Air

Inspect and repair as follows:

- 1. With the mast nested, visually inspect all fasteners. Replace any damaged, corroded, or pitted fasteners.
- 2. With the mast nested, visually inspect all cables and connectors. Replace any damaged, corroded, or pitted cables and connectors.
- 3. Inspect for rust and corrosion. While extending and retracting the mast tubes, inspect for rust and corrosion on the mast tubes. Remove any rust or corrosion with a wire brush. Touchup any bare metal with touchup paint or Alodine (chemical conversion coating) where appropriate.



5.4.3.2 Mast Damage

If damage to the mast occurs, do not use the Mast System and have it serviced before use. Servicing the Mast System may require removal of the Mast System. If the Mast System is installed on a vehicle, consult the vehicle manual for specific installation details.

In general, remove the Mast System as follows:

- 1. Disconnect power from the Mast System.
- 2. Disconnect the power cable from J1 on the Control Box.
- 3. Disconnect Mast Sensor Cable from J2 on the Control Box and J6 on the mast.
- 4. Disconnect the Motor and Brake Cable from J3 on the Control Box and J5 on the mast.
- 5. Disconnect any data cable from J4 on the Control Box.
- 6. Remove the Support Bracket Assembly.
- 7. Remove the mounting hardware from the base of the mast.



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Section 6 Long-Term Storage

This section describes the best practice for long-term storage (longer than one month) of the Mast System.

A CAUTION

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

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

- Mast is fully nested
- Payload is removed
- Mast System is clean. Dirt, grease, oil, and debris only serves to collect additional dirt during storage. Use denatured alcohol on all metal surfaces. Use water when cleaning rubber or plastic material. Use soap and water when cleaning the exterior surfaces of the mast tubes. Use a soft, non-abrasive cloth to wipe clean the bezel on the Control Box display
- Inspect the condition of the mast finish. Look for bare metal, rust, and corrosion
- Inspect external fasteners. Look for loose, missing, bent, or broken fasteners. Look for chipped paint, bare metal, or rust around the bolt heads. Pay particular attention to the fastener securing the Mast System to the mounting surface, the mast to the Drive Assembly, the Motor to the Drive Assembly, and the payload to the mast
- Inspect Mast System cables. Look for cracked, frayed, or broken insulation; bare wires; loose or broken connectors. Ensure the cables and bulkhead connectors are clean, the pins are undamaged, and the threads are in good condition

Once the Mast System has been inspected and repaired, it should be stored:

- In a clean and dry indoor environment
- Out of direct sunlight
- In the shipping crate. If necessary, replacement shipping crates may be ordered
- Between 0°C to 32°C (32°F to 90°F)

If the Mast System is stored for a period of time greater than five years, the mast is to be inspected by a factory-trained technician before operation.



Section 7 Mast System Disposal

Components can be disposed of according to the regulations prevailing in the respective country. Please contact The Will-Burt Company (+1 330 684 4000) with any questions on disposal.



Section 8 Troubleshooting

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

This section provides troubleshooting information as follows:

- Error Conditions (Section 8.1)
- Error (Fault) Codes (Section 8.2)
- Warning Codes (Section 8.2.2)

8.1 Error Conditions

Table 8-1 shows many of the more probable error conditions. Where multiple probable causes can explain an error condition, they are listed in order of probability from highest to lowest. It should be noted that some "errors" are more aptly called "states" and do not necessarily indicate improper operation.



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Possible Solution Problem Possible Cause Inspect for and remove The mast has stopped obstructions or tangled moving upward, or is Interference to the mast. payload cables, or lighten moving very slowly. the payload. **Damaged Motor** Disconnect the Motor Cable. Cable from the mast. Inspect the cable for continuity and shorts. Replace faulty cable. Damaged or Replace the Motor. inoperative Motor. Contact authorized service Malfunctioning center for evaluation and Control Box. possible return for repair. Extension Nuts fail to Try retracting the mast 76 synchronize with mm (3 inches) and Drive Screw. approach that region again. If this does not work, the Extension Nuts may be worn out and will need to be replaced. Try raising the mast with the Crank Handle Assembly. There may be a burr on the Extension Nut and action with the Crank Handle Assembly, which is not limited by the torque limits of the Motor, may power through it. Do not apply in excess of 50 lb.-ft. (68 N-m) when using the Crank Handle Assembly. If this does not work, the Extension Nuts may be worn out and will need to be replaced.

Table 7-1 Troubleshooting Continued

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For additional information, please contact Will-Burt Customer Service at 330-684-4000.

8.2 Error (Fault) and Warning Codes

This section describes error (fault) codes and warning codes. Error (fault) Codes and Warning Codes will display on the Control Box. If Stiletto Control Remote Access Management (SCRAM) (Section 1.7.3) is used, they will also appear on the SCRAM GUI.

If multiple errors occur, the Control Box will display combined error codes.

For example:

- If error 0001 and error 0010 both occur, the error will display as 0011
- If error 0100 and error 0200 both occur, the error will display as 0300

The same principle should hold true for warnings. When errors and warnings both occur, only the errors will show until the errors are cleared.



8.2.1 Error (Fault) Codes

Table 8-2 shows error (fault) codes that may appear on the Control Box Display. Reoccurrence of error codes is possible if trigger conditions are met.

Error Code	Trigger Condition	System Response	Latch Until	Possible Cause
0001	System voltage drops below 17 VDC for 5 consecutive seconds	Excessive Low Volts Fault (ERR 0001): Disable all normal output functions. If the OVERRIDE Switch is activated while this fault is active, re-enable all outputs. CAUTION: Avoid unnecessary attempts to operate the mast at excessive low voltage levels to prevent system damage. NOTICE: Even though outputs are enabled, the mast may not be able to move due to the low system voltage.	 System is above 18 volts and no Up/Down inputs are active - or - System power is cycled and is above 18 volts 	 Excessive battery drain without sufficient charge current/time Excessive Motor current due to mast resistance, excessive payload, or drive chain binding Insufficient power supply Too long/undersized power supply line (mains)
0002	Control Box detects 80 Amps for more than 5 seconds	Excessive Motor Current Fault (ERR 0002): Disable the Motor Outputs.	 5 OVERRIDE Switch activations within 3 seconds or - System power is cycled and trigger conditions cleared 	• Excessive Motor current due to mast resistance, excessive payload, or drive system binding

Table 8-2 Error (Fault) Codes



Table 7-2 Error (Fault) Codes Continued



Error Code	Trigger Condition	System Response	Latch Until	Possible Cause
0040	From Nested position, Up Switch active for more than 2 seconds with no Down limit switch change	Down Limit Switch Failed/Stuck Fault (ERR 0040): Disable the Motor Outputs unless the OVERRIDE Switch is also active. Can occur on combination with ERR 0001 or ERR 0002; indicated as ERR 0041 or ERR 0042.	 5 OVERRIDE Switch activations within 3 seconds or - System power is cycled and trigger conditions cleared 	 Switch requires adjustment or recalibration Switch failed and requires replacement Drive system damaged
0080	From Fully deployed position, Down Switch active for more than 2 seconds with no Up limit switch change	Up Limit Switch Failed/Stuck Fault (ERR 0080): Disable the Motor Outputs unless the OVERRIDE Switch is also active. Can occur on combination with ERR 0001 or ERR 0002; indicated as ERR 0081 or ERR 0082.	 5 OVERRIDE Switch activations within 3 seconds or - System power is cycled and trigger conditions cleared 	 Switch requires adjustment or recalibration Switch failed and requires replacement Drive system damaged
0100	OVERRIDE Switch has been active for an excessive time period	Override Switch Stuck Fault (ERR 0100): Ignore OVERRIDE Switch input. Note: This fault cannot be overridden.	 OVERRIDE Switch is no longer active or - System power is cycled and trigger conditions cleared 	 Switch is being held on Switch is damaged Water ingress may be activating switch input
0200	Up and Down Limit Switches are active at the same time (not physically possible)	Conflicting Up/Down Limit Switch Fault (ERR 0200): Disable the Motor Outputs unless the Override Switch is also active.	 Either switch is no longer active or - System power is cycled and trigger conditions cleared 	 Switch(es) require adjustment or recalibration Switch(es) failed and require replacement(s) Cable or connection failure

Table 7-2 Error (Fault) Codes Continued



Table 7-2 Error (Fault) Codes Continued



8.2.2 Warning Codes

Table 8-3 shows warning codes that may appear on the Control Box Display. Reoccurrence of warning codes is possible if trigger conditions are met.

Warning Code	Trigger Condition	System Response	Latch Until	Possible Cause
0001	Both Up and Down switches detected simultaneously. (Local and Remote switches conflict)	Conflicting Mast Up/Mast Down Switch Commands Warning (WRN 0001): Disable the Motor Outputs unless the OVERRIDE Switch is also active.	 One or both of the conflicting switch inputs are no longer active or - System power is cycled and trigger conditions cleared 	 One or both Switch(es) are being held on One or more Switch(es) are damaged Water ingress may be activating switch input(s) Cable or connection failure
0002	System voltage has dropped below 20 VDC for 5 consecutive seconds. (Remaining above 18 VDC)	Low Volts Warning (WRN 0002): Allow all mast normal functions.	 System voltage reaches 21 VDC for 5 consecutive seconds. - or - System power is cycled and trigger conditions cleared 	 Excessive battery drain without sufficient charge current/time High Motor current due to mast resistance or large payload

Table 8-3 Warning Codes

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Table 7-3 Warning Codes Continued



Code	Condition	System Response	Latch Until	Possible Cause
0010	Invalid (or no) response from Temperature Sensor	Temperature Sensor Failure Warning (WRN 0010): Allow all normal mast functions.	 Valid temperature reading received or - 5 OVERRIDE Switch activations within 3 seconds or - System power is cycled and trigger conditions cleared 	 Temperature Sensor failed and requires replacement Temperature Sensor Wiring damaged and requires repairs or replacement
0020	Pulses not detected during mast positioning	Pulse Counter Warning (W0020): Allow all normal mast functions. NOTICE: Mast height readout will be inaccurate.	 Valid pulse count detected 5 override switch activations within 3 seconds System power is cycled and trigger conditions cleared 	 Pulse counter requires adjustment or recalibration Pulse counter failed and requires replacement Pulse counter wiring damaged and requires repairs or replacement

Table 7-3 Warning Codes Continued



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Table 7-3 Warning Codes Continued



Section 9 Reference

This section provides reference information for the system as follows:

- Extended Glossary of Terms (Section 9.1)
- Guying (Section 9.2)
- Drawings (Section 9.3)

9.1 Extended Glossary of Terms

This section defines terms used within this manual as follows:

- General Terms and Abbreviations (Section 9.1.1)
- Mounting Position Terms (Section 9.1.2)

9.1.1 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
- **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
- CD: stands for coefficient of drag
- **Collars:** attach to the top of each tube except the Top Tube
- EMC: stands for electromagnetic compatibility
- EMI: stands for electromagnetic interference
- **Extended:** refers to the partial- or full-raised position of the mast that the mast mechanically goes to from the nested position. In the extended position, some or all the tubes have risen
- 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: refers to the tubes between the Base Tube and the Top Tube
- **Ib.-ft.:** stands for pounds-feet, which is a unit of torque equal to the force in pounds multiplied by the distance in feet to the pivot point
- Mast: refers to the mechanical telescoping mast
- **Mast System:** refers to the entire Stiletto Mast System (Telescoping Mast, Control System, and additional accessories)



- MOSFET: stands for metal-oxide semiconductor field-effect transistor
- **NEMA 4X:** refers to watertight enclosures as defined by the National Electrical Manufacturers Association
- **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"
- 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
- **N-m:** stands for Newton Meters, which is a unit of torque equal to the force of one newton applied perpendicularly to a moment arm, which is one meter long
- **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
- **P/N:** stands for Part Number. These are Will-Burt part numbers for various components in the Mast System
- **Top Tube:** refers to the tube with the smallest diameter. When the mast is fully extended, this is the tube farthest from the mounting surface
- Ø: stands for diameter

9.1.2 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 System is mounted
- Mounting Surface: the surface to which the base of the mast is secured
- **Support Structure:** the vertical surface to which the Support Bracket Assembly is secured



9.2 Guying

Stiletto masts are not typically guyed, however, light guying is possible and can help with deflection. Only one level of guying is recommended.

In general, to guy the mast:

- 1. Prepare the Mast System for operation (Section 3).
- 2. Secure the payload to the mast.
- 3. Attach the Guy Lines to the mast. Ensure the Guy Lines do not interfere with any payload cables or intermediate payloads.
- 4. Prior to extending the mast, The Will-Burt Company recommends laying out any Guy Lines so they do not become tangled during extension (Figure 9-1).



Figure 9-1 Lay Out Guy Lines

- 5. Extend the mast (Section 3).
- 6. Properly secure and tension the Guy Lines immediately after raising the mast. The installer shall verify that the Guy Anchor point strength is adequate to support the Guy Line forces. All Guy Lines should be equally tensioned.
 - a. 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.
 - b. Adjust the appropriate Guy Line as necessary to keep the mast plumb vertically. Check periodically.

9.3 Drawings

Refer to <u>www.willburt.com</u> for drawings of your Mast System.



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