



20 FOOT TELESCOPIC FLAG POLE KIT

Model 95598

ASSEMBLY AND OPERATION INSTRUCTIONS



(Kit includes 1 U.S.A. Flag)

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SPECIFICATIONS

Pole	5 piece, aluminum pole - 20'
Mounting Tube	PVC pipe
Flags	One 5' W. x 3' H. USA Flag
Weight	8.15 pounds

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You will need the manual for the safety warnings and precautions, assembly instructions, operating and maintenance procedures, parts list and diagram. Keep your invoice with this manual. Write the invoice number on the inside of the front cover. Keep the manual and invoice in a safe and dry place for future reference.

SAFETY WARNINGS AND PRECAUTIONS

WARNING: When using product basic safety precautions should always be followed to reduce the risk of personal injury and damage to the product.

1. **Keep work area clean.** Dark and cluttered areas invite injuries.
2. **Keep children away.** Children must never be allowed in the work area during assembly or installation. Do not let them climb on the Flag Pole. Install in area away from children or animals.
3. **Store idle equipment.** When not in use, the Flag Pole must be stored in a dry location to inhibit corrosion. Always keep out of reach of children.
4. **Use eye protection.** Always wear ANSI approved impact safety goggles and heavy-duty work gloves during the installation process.
5. **Maintain products with care.** Keep the Flag Pole clean.
6. **Stay alert.** Watch what you are doing, and use common sense when installing Flag Pole. Do not install while tired or under the influence of drugs, alcohol, or medication.
7. **Check for damaged parts.** Check for alignment and binding of moving parts; any broken parts or mounting fixtures; and any other condition that may affect proper operation. Any part that is damaged should be properly repaired or replaced.
8. **Flag Pole must be installed in accordance with local and neighborhood ordinances.** Check with local zoning authorities for guidelines.
9. **WARNING: The brass components of this product contain lead, a chemical known to the State of California to cause birth defects (or other reproductive harm).** (California Health & Safety code § 25249.5, et seq.)

Flag Precautions and Rules

1. **It is the universal custom to display the flag only from sunrise to sunset on buildings and stationary flagstaffs.** However, when a patriotic effect is desired, the flag may be displayed twenty-four hours a day if fully illuminated during the hours of darkness.
2. **No part of the flag should ever touch anything beneath it, such as the ground, the floor, or water.**
3. **The flag should not be displayed on days when the weather is inclement or extremely windy.** See installation warnings.
4. **The flag should never be displayed with the union down except as a signal of dire distress, in instances of extreme threat to life, property, or national interest.**
5. **Do not fly a flag that is faded, torn or tattered.** When a flag is no longer fit for display it should be disposed of in a manner consistent with State and Local laws and ordinances.

UNPACKING

When unpacking, check to make sure that all parts listed are included. If any parts are missing or broken, please call Harbor Freight Tools at the number on the cover of this manual as soon as possible.

INSTALLATION

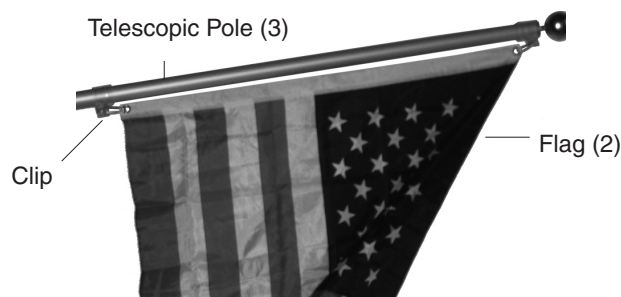
1. The Mounting Tube (1) needs to be buried at least 12 to 14 inches in the ground. It is recommended that the Mounting Tube be encased in concrete to ensure stability. If the Mounting Tube is just installed in the ground, the earth must be packed solidly to provide stability.

Caution: Be aware that, if the Flag Pole is not properly installed, under extreme wind conditions and/or severe weather, the Flag Pole could be uprooted, resulting in possible personal injury and/or property damage.

Caution: Carefully inspect the area where you intend to install the Flag Pole. Do not install the Flag Pole near any overhead power or telephone lines. Do not install the Flag Pole in areas where there might be gas, water, or electric lines beneath the surface. If you are not sure, contact your local utility companies.

2. Allow at least 6 feet clearance around the pole to clear the edge of the flag in full span.
3. Dig a hole 12 to 14 inches deep. Make sure there is at least 6 inches of space between the Mounting Tube (1) to all sides of the hole.
4. Set the Mounting Tube (1) in the hole, level the top edge and brace it (braces not included), so that it stands in the center of the hole.

5. Fill the hole with pre-mix concrete (not included). Follow the instructions on the concrete bag.
6. Check if the Mounting Tube (1) is level and correct as necessary.
7. After the recommended curing time (as determined by the directions on the concrete bag), remove the braces.
8. If you are not using concrete, after leveling and bracing the Mounting Tube, add a few shovelfuls of dirt at a time and pack it down firmly before adding more. Continue this process until the Mounting Tube (1) is packed securely in the ground. Take care to ensure that the Mounting Tube (1) is level throughout the process.
9. Insert the bottom of the Telescopic Pole (3) into the Mounting Tube (1).
10. Extend the top section of the Telescopic Pole, turn clockwise to secure and attach flag to the Clips.



Note: The flag of the country you are in, should always fly above all other flags on the pole.

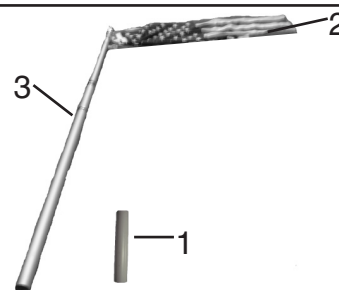
10. Extend the next section, turn clockwise to secure, and attach a second flag if so desired.
11. Repeat process until Flag Pole is fully erected.

MAINTENANCE

1. BEFORE EACH USE, inspect the general condition of the Flag and Flag Pole. Check for rips in the fabric, binding of moving parts, cracked or broken parts and any other condition that may affect its safe operation. Do not use damaged equipment.
2. Clean Flag and Pole to maintain appearance.
3. Check Flag Pole for stability before each use.

PARTS LIST

Part	Description	Qty
1	Mounting Tube	1
2	Flag	1
3	Telescopic Pole	1



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