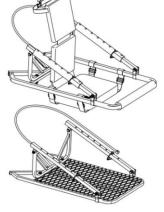




Instruction Manual CLIMBER 2.0

Maximum Weight Capacity (User and Equipment) - 300 pounds (136 kg)





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CLIMBING STAND SAFETY



Every year people are injured from hunting related falls. Most of these injuries could have been prevented by following the instructions and warnings provided with the tree stand and safety harness. Tree stands are used at height and falls can result in serious injury or death. Your own safety, and the safety of any user of this product, should be your first priority. In order to reduce your risk of injury, you MUST read and thoroughly understand all of the safety warnings, usage instructions and other information contained within the written and safety video instructions and warnings provided with this product, and any other hunting equipment used. Retain the instructional and warning materials and review them periodically (at least once a year and always with any new user). Failure to follow all instructions and warnings may lead to serious injury or death. DO NOT USE THIS PRODUCT UNTIL AND UNLESS YOU HAVE READ AND THOROUGHLY UNDERSTAND ALL INSTRUCTIONS, SAFETY WARNINGS AND OTHER MATERIALS. If you have any questions, do not use the product until you have contacted the manufacturer at 949-262-3416 or email customerservice@innopower.biz.

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Note: Before beginning assembly of product, make sure all parts are present. Compare parts with package content list and hardware contents. If any part is missing or damaged, do not attempt to assemble the unit. Contact customer service for replacement parts.

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WARNING! THE SAFE USE AND OPERATION OF THIS PRODUCT(S) IS THE SOLE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE USER. IT IS THE SOLE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE OWNER TO PROVIDE ANY PERSON(S) WHO BORROW OR PURCHASE THIS PRODUCT WITH ALL WRITTEN AND SAFETY VIDEO INSTRUCTIONS AND WARNINGS PRIOR TO USE. DO NOT ALLOW A PERSON TO USE THE PRODUCT THAT HAS NOT REVIEWED ALL WRITTEN AND SAFETY VIDEO INSTRUCTIONS AND WARNINGS PRIOR TO USE. FAILURE TO FOLLOW THESE INSTRUCTIONS MAY RESULT IN SERIOUS INJURY OR DEATH! STORE ALL WRITTEN AND SAFETY VIDEO INSTRUCTIONS AND WARNINGS IN A SAFE LOCATION WHERE THEY CAN BE SHARED WITH POTENTIAL USERS. IF ANY INSTRUCTIONS OR WARNINGS ARE LOST OR DISCARDED, DO NOT USE THE PRODUCT AND DO NOT ALLOW ANY OTHER PERSON TO USE THE PRODUCT.



WARNING! THIS PRODUCT CARRIES A STRICT WEIGHT LIMITATION. DO NOT USE THIS PRODUCT IF YOU EXCEED THIS TOTAL LIMIT. PLEASE NOTE THIS WEIGHT LIMIT INCLUDES THE USER AND EQUIPMENT. FAILURE TO FOLLOW THESE INSTRUCTIONS MAY RESULT IN SERIOUS INJURY OR DEATH!



WARNING! Prior to each hunt, make certain you have a signaling device (e.g., mobile phone, cell phone, radio, whistle, signal flare, Personal Locator Device [PLD], etc.) in your possession and on your person in an operable condition. This device must be within easy access should you experience the need to contact emergency assistance. Failure to follow this instruction may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! Failure to read and strictly comply with the instructions contained in this instruction manual may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! Thoroughly inspect this or any other Game Winner product(s) prior to use for signs of wear, rot, corrosion, cracks, fraying, deterioration, and/ or any other type of damage. DO NOT use this or any other Game Winner product(s) if they show evidence of wear, rot, corrosion, cracks, fraying, deterioration, and/ or any other type of damage. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! This product is designed for adult use only. No one under the age of 18 should attempt to use this or any other Game Winner product(s) without direct adult supervision.



WARNING! Do not remove, modify any portion, or otherwise mechanically modify this product or its assemblies in any manner. Make certain that all parts are used in the assembly of this product. Parts are designed and tested to work together. Modification, additions, misuse, part omission, or substitution shall immediately void your factory warranty and may result in serious injury or death! If you suspect a part(s) is missing and/or damaged, immediately contact Innopower Inc. for replacement of missing or defective parts. Never modify your stand in any way by making repairs, altering, omitting, adding, or attaching anything to it. ALWAYS USE GENUINE FACTORY AUTHORIZED INNOPOWER INC. REPLACEMENT PARTS. USE OF ANY REPLACEMENT PARTS OTHER THAN GENUINE INNOPOWER INC. PARTS VOIDS YOUR WARRANTY AND RELIEVES INNOPOWER INC. OF ANY RESULTANT LIABILITIES AND MAY RESULT IN SERIOUS INJURY OR DEATH!



WARNING! Prior to attempting to use this or any Game Winner product(s), you must take a moment and become familiar with its assembly, setup, installation, and removal. You must practice setting-up, using, and removing the product(s) at ground level prior to attempting to use it at heights above ground-level. Once you have become thoroughly knowledgeable and comfortable with this products set-up, use, and removal at ground-level, you are now ready to use it at heights above ground-level. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! When hunting from a treestand, falls can occur any time after leaving the ground causing injury or death. Always wear your full-body fall arrest system (FAS) comprising a full-body harness, tether, tree belt, and Suspension Relief Device at all times after leaving the ground. You must stay connected at all times after leaving the ground when using a climbing treestand. Single safety belts and chest harnesses are no longer allowed and should never be used as they put the user at serious risk of injury or death. If you are not wearing your full-body arrest harness properly attached to the tree that is protecting you from a fall, do not leave the ground. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! Never rely on a tree branch for support while climbing. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! You must always inform someone of your hunting location, where the tree stand will be located, and the expected duration of the hunt. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! Inspect all safety devices each time before each use. DO NOT leave the ground or use these devices if they show signs of wear, damage, deterioration, vandalism, fraying, or other damage. Factors such as tree growth, vandals, weather, and animals may affect the performance of an unattended tree stand or safety device. Do not store outdoors when not in use. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! Practice using your full-body fall arrest harness at ground-level in the presence of a responsible adult to experience the feeling of hanging suspended before using in a hunting environment. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! The length of the full-body fall arrest tether must be minimized at all times. It should be adjusted so that it is above the head with no slack (snug) in the sitting position and you should have the minimum amount of slack possible when climbing. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! Failure to follow harness instructions could result in not being able to return to the stand and being suspended in a harness after a fall. If your hunting location is unknown by anyone and communications efforts are unsuccessful, you must have a personal plan for self-recovery/escape should you experience a fall. Prolonged suspension in a harness can be fatal. It is important to exercise the legs by pushing against the tree or doing other forms of continuous leg exercise to avoid blood pooling while being suspended. Varying degrees of physical fitness may require different plans for self-recovery/escape to avoid the effects of prolonged suspension. Have a personal plan and practice it in the presence of a responsible adult before leaving the ground. No one escape/rescue plan will work for every hunter, on every tree, in every circumstance. Only you can determine the best self-recovery/escape plan for your hunting situation and you must have a self-recovery/escape plan for your individual situation before leaving the ground. There is time to make a correct decision on what action to take if a fall occurs while wearing a full-body fall arrest harness. It is important to remember, "DO NOT PANIC." You must only hunt from the ground when self-recovery/escape ability is absent. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!

Several optional products/systems are available that offer self-recovery or self-extraction from a fall when suspended in a harness. Some systems automatically descend the user while others allow user control. One of these products/systems can be considered for use as an additional safety precaution against prolonged suspension and suspension trauma. Be sure to follow the manufacturers' directions on the safe use of these products/systems.



WARNING! A suspension relief device must be on your person and readily accessible while using your full-body fall arrest harness. These devices allow the user to relieve the load on the lower extremities if suspended in a harness and help maintain circulation in the legs, mitigate suspension trauma (blood pooling) or allow descent to the ground. Be sure to follow the directions on the safe use of any suspension relief device. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! If you have a limiting physical and/or health condition. DO NOT hunt from heights above ground level. Hunt from ground when self-recovery escape ability is absent. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! NEVER allow the harness tether to get under your chin or around your neck. This poses a choking hazard that can lead to serious injury or death. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death.



WARNING! Never attempt to climb up or climb down with a weapon and/or gear. ALWAYS unload your weapon and pull it up to hunting height using a pull up rope. When raising or lowering firearms, the chamber must be open and the barrel pointing toward the ground. ALWAYS lower your unloaded weapon down to the ground prior to attempting to climb down. Use this same method when raising or lowering all other gear. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! DO NOT attempt to use this and/or any other Game Winner product(s) when ice, snow, and/or freezing rain has deposited or formed on any portion of the product or tree you intend to climb. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! ALWAYS maintain three (3) point contact when climbing up/down when using this product. Proper three (3) point contact means having either two (2) feet with one (1) hand on step or one (1) foot with two (2) hands on the step portion of the climbing aids at all time when climbing up or down. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! NEVER adjust ANY straps, cables, and/or adjustable support bars while standing on treestand. Make all adjustments at ground level. DO NOT use any treestand if there is wear, rot, corrosion, cracks, fraying, deterioration, and/or any other type of damage on any part of the treestand. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! DO NOT modify, fix/repair, alter, bend, cut, weld, or heat this product in any way. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! DO NOT lean out from a treestand for any reason. Never use your full-body arrest harness to help you lean out from your treestand to make a difficult shot. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! DO NOT use this or any other Game Winner product(s) if you have a history of heart problems, back problems, impaired vision, joints that lock-up, spinal fusions, equilibrium problems, high blood pressure, are not well-rested, and/or any other physical impairment that may limit your ability to use and/or operate this product(s) in the safe manner outlined in this instruction manual. Additionally, do not use this or any other Game Winner product(s) if you are currently taking any medication (including prescription or over-the-counter [OTC]) and/or using and/or consuming any substance, or consumed any substance, including alcohol, that may limit your ability to use this product as outlined and described in this instruction manual. Never use a tree stand when feeling ill, nauseous, or dizzy. Do not use any Game Winner product(s) without consent from your medical doctor. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! DO NOT attempt to use this or any other Game Winner product(s) when lightning or thunderstorms are threatening and/or present within five (5) miles. Do not attempt to use this or any other Game Winner product(s) during or under threat of any adverse weather condition. This includes weather conditions which have the potential for producing winds, lightning, rain, snow, sleet, and/or any other atmospheric condition which may limit the user's ability to operate this product in a safe manner as described in this instruction manual. Should inclement weather conditions arise during your use of this product, return to the ground immediately. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! DO NOT use this product, or attempt to use a treestand, on a dead, leaning, diseased, loose barked tree (bark that flakes or falls off), irregular shaped trees or utility poles. DO NOT use this product on any tree that does not allow for a level standing platform. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury and death!



WARNING! Never jump or bounce on a treestand for any reason. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!

#### SPECIAL CONSIDERATIONS FOR CLIMBING TREESTAND USAGE



WARNING! As a tree grows upward from the ground, it gradually narrows. When installing your climber at ground level, you must consider this gradual narrowing and adjust your standing and seating platforms slightly upward. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! A connector strap has been included with your Game Winner climber. It is designed to connect the standing platform to the seating platform. In the unlikely event you lose contact with either while climbing, this connector strap allows you to regain control. Prior to climbing, insure this connector strap is installed. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! Standing and seating platform adjustments may only be made at ground level. Never attempt to make adjustments while off the ground. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! While climbing, adjustments to the full-body fall arrest harness lanyard/tree belt will be frequent and must be coordinated with treestand movement to maintain the least amount of slack in the lanyard that will allow for safe climbing. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! You must familiarize yourself with the use of your climber by practicing at ground level before using in a hunting environment. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! Never leave a treestand in a tree for more than two (2) weeks (14 days). Weather, elements, animals, vandalism, and/or other mechanisms could damage the treestand. Tree growth can also stress and damage straps, chains, and buckles. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! ALWAYS have a second adult present, or at least accessible, by cell phone or other means when installing/removing or using a treestand. The ability to get help quickly may save your life in the event of a fall. A good non-slip safety boot is important for your safety. Be especially careful that bootlaces do not get hooked on the treestand or climbing aids (tuck shoelaces into boot before climbing). Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! At a minimum, replace tree straps and cables every two years or sooner. If wear, damage, deterioration, rust, cuts, tears, rot, etc. or any other damage is detected or suspected, do not use the treestand and replace immediately. Only replace with official Game Winner replacement parts. The use of unauthorized replacement parts may result in serious injury or death.



WARNING! BEFORE each use, make sure all nuts and bolts are secure. CHECK the treestand and all hardware, cables, attachment points, and webbing prior to every use to make sure no damage has occurred. Keep webbing from coming into contact with any sharp edges. DO NOT USE THIS PRODUCT IF ANY DAMAGE IS SEEN OR SUSPECTED ON THE TREESTAND OR ANY OF ITS COMPONENTS. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!

### **FULL-BODY FALL ARREST HARNESS SYSTEM (FAS)**



A full-body fall arrest harness has been included with this product for your use. The full-body fall arrest harness has been designed to keep you from experiencing a fall. Remember, the most important part of your hunt is returning home to your family safe and sound.

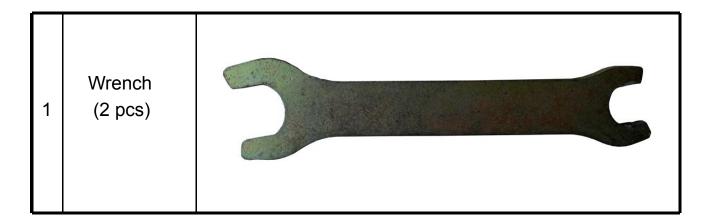
READ THE FULL-BODY FALL ARREST HARNESS MANUAL CAREFULLY AND FOLLOW ALL THE INSTRUCTIONS! YOUR NEW FULL-BODY FALL ARREST HARNESS IS DESIGNED FOR A MAXIMUM CAPACITY OF 300 POUNDS (136kg). ADDITIONALLY, YOUR NEW FULL-BODY FALL ARREST HARNESS MUST BE REPLACED AFTER THREE (3) YEARS OF SERVICE! REPLACE YOUR HARNESS IMMEDIATELY SHOULD YOU EXPERIENCE A FALL WHILE WEARING IT.



WARNING! Not to use without a Full Body Harness (Fall Arrest System) that meets the requirements of Test Method F2337. Use only the full body harness that has been tested by a third party testing laboratory to meet or exceed industry standards and is provided with this product.

NOTE: You must store your full-body harness out of direct sunlight and out of any other harsh environmental conditions that may adversely affect its performance. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death! Read and understand the manufacturer's warnings, expiration date, and instructions on how to use and how to properly adjust the harness.

# **Tools Required (Provided)**



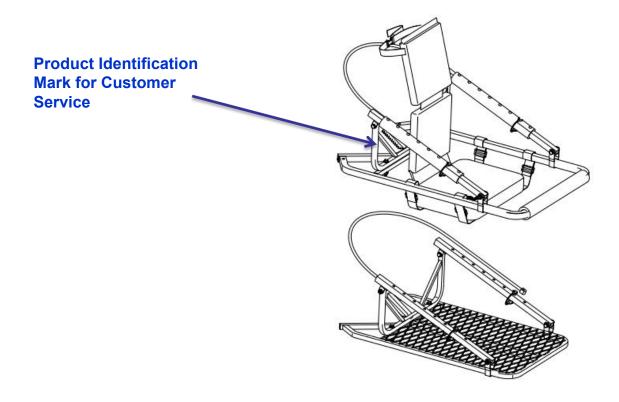
# **Parts List**

1	Assembled Seating Platform (includes Platform, Cable, Shoulder Straps, Cable Support Arms, Cable Locking Pins and M8x60 Bolts)		Qty 1
2	Assembled Standing Platform (includes Platform, Cable, Foot Straps, Cable Support Arms, Cable Locking Pins and M8x60 Bolts)		Qty 1
3	Seat Cushion	GAME WINNER	Qty 1
4	Ratchet Tree Strap with 2 Hooks	S	Qty 1
5	Cable Cinch Strap with 1 Hook		Qty 2
6	Full-Body Fall Arrest Harness with Instruction Manual		Qty 1

# Hardware

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Step 1	M8X60 (with 2 steel washers, and 1 locknut) (preassembled on standing platform)	M8x60	2
Step 2	M8X60 (with 2 steel washers and 1 locknut) (preassembled on seating platform)	M8x60	Qty 2

# **Product Diagram**



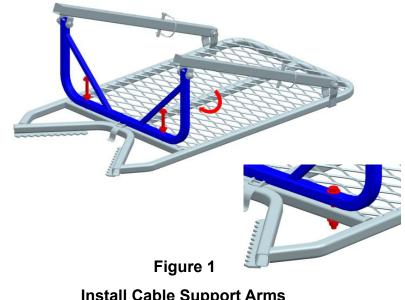
# **Assembly Instructions**

### Step 1:

Locate the Cable Support Arms of Standing Platform. Rotate the Cable Support Arms up into an erect position and secure using two (2) M8x60 Bolts, four (4) Steel Washers and two (2) Locknuts (preassembled on support bar) as shown in Figure 1.

#### WARNING!

DO NOT overtighten the hardware. Overtightening can lead to structural damage and may negatively affect the performance of your stand. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



**Install Cable Support Arms** 

# **Assembly Instructions**

#### Step 2:

Locate the Cable Support Arms of Seating Platform. Rotate the Cable Support Arms up into an erect position and secure using two (2) M8x60 Bolts, four (4) Nylon Washers and two (2) Locknuts (preassembled on support bar) as shown in Figure 2.

#### **WARNING!**

DO NOT overtighten the hardware. Overtightening can lead to structural damage and may negatively affect the performance of your stand. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!

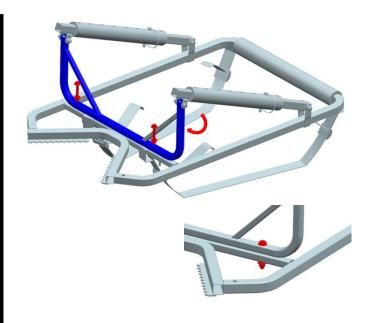


Figure 2
Install Cable Support Arms

### Step 3:

Locate the Cable Assembly preinstalled on standing platform. You will notice that there are two molded ends on the cables. Insert one of these molded ends into the receiver on the Cable Support Arms as shown in Figure 3.

One end of cable must be secured onto the cable support arm (Step 5) before mounting / positioning climber to the tree trunk.

The other one end of cable must be secured onto the cable support arm when mounting/positioning climber to the tree trunk.

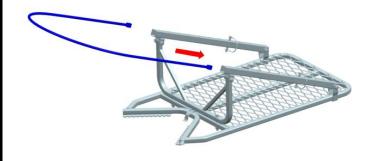


Figure 3
Insert End of Cable Into Support Arm

## **Assembly Instructions**

#### Step 4:

Locate the two Cable
Assemblies. You will notice that
there are two molded ends on
the cables. Insert one of these
molded ends into the receiver
on the Cable Support Arms as
shown in Figure 4.

One end of cable must be secured onto the cable support arm (Step 5) before mounting / positioning climber to the tree trunk.

The other one end of cable must be secured onto the cable support arm when mounting/positioning climber to the tree trunk.

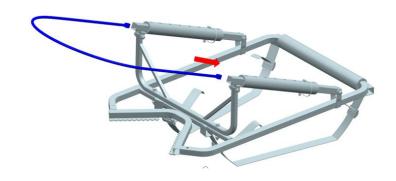


Figure 4
Insert End of Cable Into Support Arm

### Step 5:

Insert the Cable Locking Pin through the Cable Support Arm and Cable Assembly with the spring clip facing the OUTSIDE of the stand. Secure the spring clip on the Cable Locking Pin as shown in Figure 5. Do this for both Cable Locking Pins on Seating and Standing Platforms.

WARNING! The Cable Locking Pin MUST positioned with the spring clip on the outside of the Cable Support Arm. Prior to using your climber stand, ensure that the Cable Locking Pins are indeed engaged with the Cable Assemblies for both of Seating & Standing Platform. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!

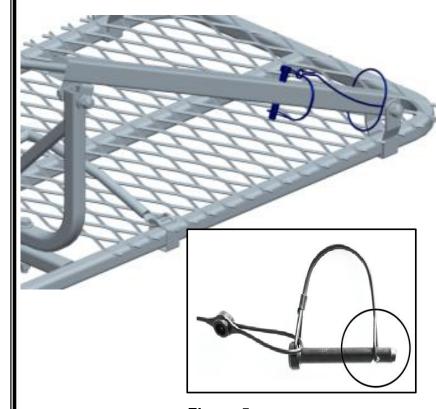


Figure 5
Install Cable Locking Pin

## **Assembly Instructions**

#### Step 6:

Locate the Seat Cushion.
Unfasten the buckles that are attached on seat. Slip the Seat Cushion into the Seating Platform. Lay the seat straps over the Seating Platform frame and thread buckles as shown in Figure 6.

NOTE: Lengthen or shorten the seat straps to a comfortable seating height.

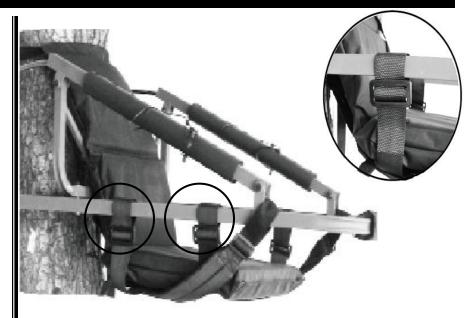


Figure 6

**Install Seat Cushion** 

### Step 7:

Climber stand is equipped with a 1 inch wide Connector Strap. The purpose of this strap is to connect the Standing Platform to the Seating Platform. During use, should the Standing Platform inadvertently slip off the user's feet, the connector strap will keep the platform from slipping down the tree. Retrieve it by simply pulling on the Connector Strap.

WARNING! Conector Strap has been factory pre-installed for your safety. It is for the express purpose of connecting the Standing Platform to the Seating Platform. DO NOT modify or disconnect this Connector Strap for any reason. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



#### **SELECTING A SAFE TREE:**



TREESTAND MINIMUM AND MAXIMUM TREE SIZE: 9 – 22" DIAMETER!

Never use treestand on a dead, leaning, diseased, loose barked tree, tree with excessive vines, or on a utility pole, or any other man made structure.

Never use on trees that contain nails, screws, or other sharp objects that may cut, sever, or puncture strap webbing or cables!

Never rely on a tree branch for support!

Failure to follow these instructions can lead to serious injury or death!

- Select a healthy straight tree that fits within size limits (larger than 9-inches in diameter and smaller than 22-inches in diameter) at attachment height.
- Always thoroughly inspect tree from all sides before installing product.
- Be sure treestand platform is level. Tree must not lean or have any irregular shapes.
- Do not select a tree with vines or limbs below your desired hunting height.
- Never attach treestand to limbs! Always attach treestand to main trunk of tree.
- Never use treestand on trees with wet, icy, slippery, loose, or scaly bark.

#### PRACTICE AND BECOME FAMILIAR WITH PRODUCT AT GROUND LEVEL:

Always practice attaching/detaching, adjusting, and using treestand and full body harness at ground level prior to using at elevated positions.

Prior to using treestand at elevated positions for first use of each season, test operation and use at ground level.

### **FULL BODY SAFETY HARNESS (FALL ARREST SYSTEM – FAS):**

You must wear and use supplied full body harness with tree strap before attempting to install or climb into this treestand.

Always remain connected to tree with tree strap from the moment you leave the ground until you return to ground.



Read and understand included Full Body Harness instructions, warnings, and watch safety video for instructions on using your full body harness with tree strap.

Use of full body harness is required to stabilize yourself to tree when installing, climbing up/down, climbing aid, and/or climbing into/out of climbing treestand.

Never allow tether strap to get under your chin or around your neck.

Failure to follow these instructions can result in serious injury or death.

Refer to Full Body Harness (FAS) Instruction Manual supplied with this treestand for proper wear, adjustment, usage, and maintenance.

THE REST OF THE INSTRUCTIONS IN THIS MANUAL REQUIRE YOU TO WEAR AND USE THE SUPPLIED FULL BODY HARNESS SUPPLIED WITH THIS TREESTAND.

Always make sure connector strap is connected to seating and standing platform of climbing treestand before using. If they are not connected with connector strap, do not use climbing treestand. Connector strap length is preset and no adjustment is needed.



Follow all warnings and expiration dates listed on tree strap warning label and in maintenance section for cables.

Prior to every use, inspect cables and all hardware for damage, including corrosion. DO NOT USE THIS PRODUCT IF ANY DAMAGE IS SUSPECTED, including but not limited to cuts, frayed portions, corrosion, bends, or other damage to treestand, straps, or cables. If such damage is visible or suspected, DO NOT USE THE PRODUCT.

Failure to follow these instructions can result in serious injury or death.

#### SETTING UP THE GAME WINNER CLIMBER ONTO THE TREE

#### Step 1:

Place the Standing Platform approximately 12 inches off the ground on the base of tree. Wrap the Cable Assembly around the back of the tree trunk and slip into the Cable Support Arm and insert the Cable Locking Pin refer to Step 3 through 5 on Pages 12 and 13. Repeat this step to attach Seating Platform to tree above Standing Platform as shown in Figure 8.

#### **WARNING!**

The Cable Locking Pin MUST be positioned with the spring clip on the outside of the Cable Support Arm. Prior to using your climber stand, ensure that the Cable Locking Pins have indeed engaged the Cable Assemblies for both of Seating & Standing Platform. Failure to follow these instructions may result serious injury or death!



Figure 8

Place Standing & Seating

Platform to the tree

#### Step 2:

Locate two Cable Cinch Straps. Attach loop end of Cinch Strap on one side of Cable as shown in Figure 9 for both of Seating & Standing Platform.

Do not tighten straps until you reach desired hunting height. Tighten straps by pulling webbing through buckle.

For Cable Cinch Strap threading instructions refer to Figure 10.

**WARNING!** The Cable Cinch Straps have been included to help stabilize this Game Winner climber treestand. They must be engaged after reaching climbing height. You must disengage the Cable Cinch Straps prior to attempting to climb down. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



Figure 9 Install Cable Cinch Straps







Figure 10

### Step 3:

Locate Ratchet Strap as shown in Figure 11. Place ratchet strap in your pocket.

Ratchet strap is used to secure the seating platform once you reach desired hunting height.



Figure 11 Ratchet Straps

### ADJUSTING CLIMBER ANGLE FOR GRADUAL TREE NARROWING

To properly set up your Game Winner climber treestand, you must take into consideration the gradual narrowing of the tree. To compensate for this gradual narrowing, you must tilt both of the standing and seating platforms slightly in an upward direction to compensate for this narrowing as shown in Figure 12. If care is not taken to set up the treestand in this manner at ground level, once you reach your desired climbing height, your stand will be at an awkward and unusable angle.



Figure 12



WARNING!

Initial angle of seating and standing platforms of climbing treestand at ground level must allow for the decrease in tree diameter while ascending by tilting slightly upward.

Never climb or hunt with either seating and standing platform angled downward. If this occurs, return to ground and tighten cable to increase upward angle.

Never adjust seating and standing platform angle while in climbing treestand.

All leveling adjustments of seating and standing platforms must be made at ground level.

Failure to follow these instructions can result in serious injury or death.

To safely use this product, seating and standing platforms must be level at hunting height. Since trees narrow as you climb the tree, the front of climber sections must be slightly tipped upward at ground level. Too small of an upward angle at ground level can result in an unsafe downward angle at hunting height. If this occurs, you must return to ground and tighten tree cable.

Obtaining the right ground angle depends on how much tree diameter changes between ground level to hunting height. With experience, you will learn how much ground angle is needed to achieve level climber sections at desired hunting height.

Prior to every use, inspect cables, seat, and all hardware for damage, including corrosion. DO NOT USE THIS PRODUCT IF ANY DAMAGE IS SUSPECTED, including but not limited to cuts, frayed portions, corrosion, bends, or other damage to treestand, straps, or cables. If such damage is visible or suspected, DO NOT USE THE PRODUCT.

Follow all warnings and expiration dates listed on tree strap warning label and in maintenance section for cables.

Always check to ensure cable locking pins are engaged before entering and using climbing treestand.

Initial angle of seating and standing platforms of climbing treestand at ground level must allow for the decrease in tree diameter while ascending by tilting slightly upward.

Always make sure connector strap is connected to seating and standing platforms of climbing treestand before using. If they are not connected with connector strap, do not use climbing treestand. Connector strap length is preset and no adjustment is needed.

While climbing, always make adjustments to harness attachment to tree (tether/tree belt) frequently and coordinated with treestand movement to maintain the least amount of slack in the tether that is allowed for climbing.

Always position safety harness tree strap with tether above your head so tether is minimized at all times.

Never allow tether strap to get under your chin or around your neck.

Hunt from ground when self-recovery/escape ability is absent.

Never jump or bounce on treestand in an attempt to cause it to dig into the tree.

Do not jump, bounce, hop, rock back and forth, etc. on treestand. Do not lean out or against treestand. Always stay centered on platform with minimal movement.

Do not stand on treestand seat, top/seat section, or footrest (if included). Do not climb onto or use treestand with another person. This product is designed for and intended for only one person.

Always use hoist rope to pull up bow, crossbow, firearm, backpack, or other gear only after being secured in treestand. Firearm, crossbow, and bow must be pulled up unloaded with firearm chamber open and muzzle down.

Failure to follow these instructions can result in serious injury or death.

- Always inform someone of hunting location, where treestand will be located, and expected duration of hunt.
- Always have second adult present or at least accessible by cell phone or other means when using treestand. Ability to get help quickly may save your life in event of a fall.
- Always take and use signal device (mobile phone, radio, whistle, signal flare, or personal locating device (PLD)) when using this product. Always keep signal device on you and readily available at all times. Never hunt out of a treestand at heights you are not completely comfortable. Depending on tree and conditions, choose minimum height that allows for safe and effective hunting.
- Never hurry! While climbing, make slow, even movements and make sure you have proper contact with treestand every time you move.



### **ASCENDING (CLIMBING UP) THE TREE**

#### Step 1:

Double check to assure you are wearing and properly attached to tree with full body harness. If you are not, STOP and do not leave the ground.



Read and understand included Full Body Harness instructions, warnings, and watch safety video for instructions on using your Full Body Harness with tree strap.

Always remain connected to tree with tree strap from moment you leave ground until you return to ground.

#### Step 2:

Raise seating platform up about 4 feet above standing platform and step onto platform. Lower seating platform so it is waist high. Attach harness tree strap to tree as shown in Figure 14.

WARNING! ALWAYS FOLLOW INCLUDED SAFETY HARNESS INSTRUCTION.



Figure 14

#### Step 3:

While facing the tree, slide seat close to the tree.

Insert your feet into the looped foot stirrups on the platform and pull bungee strap up around back of your ankles. See Figure 15.

**IMPORTANT NOTE:** You may need to adjust foot stirrups loop size by adjusting webbing through buckles.

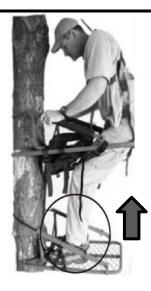


Figure 15

### Step 4:

With safety harness properly adjusted, sit on climbing bar and tip standing platform section forward and lift up standing platform section by lifting your legs approximately 8-12 inches. Level standing platform section by rotating legs so standing platform teeth dig into tree. See Figure 16.

WARNING! NEVER JUMP OR BOUNCE TO SEAT/DIG TREESTAND INTO TREE.



#### Step 5:

Raise harness tree strap higher up tree according to harness manufacturers instructions as shown in Figure 17.

Lift up seating platform as shown in Figure 18 so it is at waist high.

WARNING! ALWAYS KEEP HARNESS TETHER SLACK AT MINIMUM.

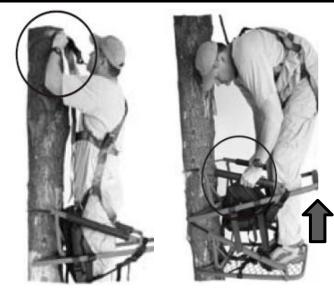


Figure 17

Figure 18

#### Step 6:

Sit down on climbing bar on seating platform. See Figure 19.
Continue repeating steps 4 and 5 to slowly climb up tree, moving approximately 12 inches at a time until seating or standing platform becomes level or you reach desired hunting height.

WARNING! IF SEATING OR STANDING PLATFORM IS LEANING/TILTED DOWN, STOP! RETURN TO GROUND AND RE-ADJUST CLIMBER CABLE LENGTH.



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Figure 19

Never climb or hunt with front of seating or standing platform leaning/tilted down from tree.



If this occurs, climb down tree and while standing on ground, tighten cables to increase upward angle.

Never adjust climbing treestand angle or remove Cable Locking Pins while in treestand. All adjustments must be made at ground level.

#### Step 7:

Once you reach your desired hunting height position, adjust the seating platform so it is at comfortable sitting height. Sit on climbing bar so teeth bite into tree.



Sit on climbing bar so teeth bite into tree. Never jump or bounce on climbing bar to

seat/dig teeth into tree.

Always attach security straps to top and bottom sections once hunting height is reached.

#### Step 8:

Locate Cable Cinch Strap assembled on one side of Cable. Attach end of Cinch Strap with hook on another side of Cable. Pull webbing through buckle to tighten straps as shown in Figure 20 for both of Seating & Standing Platform.

For Cable Cinch Strap threading instructions refer to Figure 21.

**WARNING!** The Cable Cinch Straps have been included to help stabilize this Game Winner climber treestand. They must be engaged after reaching climbing height. You must disengage the Cable Cinch Straps prior to attempting to climb down. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



Figure 20 Install Cable Cinch Straps







Figure 11

Figure 21

### Step 9:

Locate Ratchet Strap. Attach hook of Ratchet Strap on Seating Platform frame attachment. Wrap Ratchet Strap around tree and attach another hook on other side of Seating Platform frame as shown in Figure 22 and ratchet tight.

For ratchet strap threading instructions, refer to Figure 23.

**WARNING!** The Ratchet Strap has been included to help stabilize this Game Winner climber treestand. It must be engaged after reaching climbing height. You must disengage the Ratchet Strap prior to attempting to climb down. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



Install Ratchet Strap





Figure 22

Figure 23

#### Step 7:

Once you reach your desired hunting height position, adjust the seating platform so it is at comfortable sitting height.

Sit on climbing bar so teeth bite into tree.

Tighten Cable Cinch Straps and Ratchet Strap as instructed on Page 16.

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Sit on climbing bar so teeth bite into tree. Never jump or bounce on climbing bar to

seat/dig teeth into tree.

Always attach security straps to top and bottom sections once hunting height is reached.

#### Step 8:

Raise harness tree strap higher up tree according to harness manufacturers instructions. See Figure 24.

WARNING! ALWAYS FOLLOW INCLUDED SAFETY HARNESS INSTRUCTIONS



Figure 24

#### Step 9:

Remove your feet from foot stirrups.

#### Step 10:

Attach back of Seat Cushion to tree by wrapping strap around tree and attaching buckle. Position so back of seat cushion extends up tree to create hammock shape. See Figure 25.

Turn away from tree and sit down in seat cushion.

You are now ready to safely pull up your hunting gear and begin hunting.



Figure 25

### **Removal Instructions**

### **DESCENDING (CLIMBING DOWN) THE TREE**



WARNING! STOP! Make sure that you are wearing your full-body fall arrest harness! Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



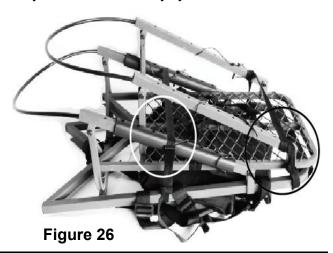
WARNING! Always use hoist rope to lower bow, crossbow, firearm, backpack, or other gear down to the ground prior to attempting to climb down. Firearm, crossbow, and bow must be lowered unloaded with firearm chamber open and muzzle down.



WARNING! You must disengage the ratchet strap and cable cinch straps prior to attempting to climb down. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!

To climb down tree, reverse the climb up instructions step 1 through step 10.

Place the standing platform on top of seating platform. With the standing platform nested, wrap two cable cinch straps around seating & standing platforms and cinch tight. See Figure 26. Pick-up climbing treestand and loop shoulder straps over shoulders. Climber is ready to backpack.



### **Care and Maintenance**

This product contains no user serviceable parts except for tree strap, cables, seat cushion, and full body harness.

Replace tree strap and cables every two years or sooner if wear, damage, deterioration, rust, cuts, tears, rot, etc. or vandalism is detected or suspected. Only replace with official Game Winner replacement parts.



Replace full body harness every three years or sooner if wear, damage, deterioration, cuts, tears, rot, etc. are detected or suspected.

Proper maintenance and inspection is required for this product.

Always inspect treestand, climbing aids, and all safety devices for damage including, but not limited to, corrosion, rust, cracks, deformity, bends, rot, wear, cuts or fraying and other damage to tree strap, cables, crimps, hardware, platform, upright, seat, etc. Do not use or leave the ground if damage is detected or suspected.

Failure to follow these instructions can lead to serious injury or death.

Store treestand and full body safety harness indoors in a clean, dry environment free from direct sunlight, harmful chemicals, excessive heat, and dust. Exposure to sunlight, excessive heat, and the elements can weaken tree strap or affect its performance.

## **Warranty Information**

### **Important Warranty Information**

Innopower Inc. warrants this product against defect(s) in material and workmanship, under proper use and storage, for the period of one (1) year from the date of purchase. Proof of purchase, plus, the return of your warranty application card to our home office, is required for any warranty claim. In the events this product is found to be defective within the warranty period, Innopower Inc.'s only obligation and your exclusive remedy shall be replacement or repair of any defective parts at our discretion. To obtain warranty service, please contact Innopower Customer Service at (949) 262-3416. Exclusions to this warranty include seat, paint, plastics, webbing and/or defects caused by operator misuse and/or abuse. Limitation to liability include the forgoing warranty is made in lieu of all other warranties, express or implied and Innopower Inc. disclaims any implied warranty of merchantability and fitness. Innopower Inc. shall not be liable for any damages direct, consequential or incidental arising out of the use or inability of this product.

Warranty Application Card				
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