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- 2. Avoid work that imposes a sideways load on ladders, such as side-on drilling through solid materials.
- 3. DO NOT use standing ladders for access to another level.

- DO NOT step off a leaning ladder at a higher level without additional security, such as tying off or use of a suitable stability device. 4
- 5 Ladders should only be used for light work of a short duration.
- Take precautions against children plaving on the ladder. 6.
- Secure doors (not fire exits) and windows where possible in the work area. 7
- Keep a secure grip on the ladder when ascending and descending. Maintain a handhold whilst working from a ladder or take additional safety 8. precautions if you cannot.
- 9 Face the ladder when ascending and descending.
- 10. DO NOT move a ladder while standing on it.
- 11. Standing ladders shall not be used as a leaning ladder unless it is designed to do so.
- 12. DO NOT use the ladder as a bridge.
- 13. DO NOT wear unsuitable footwear when climbing a ladder.
- 14. Avoid excessive side loadings e.g drilling brick and concrete.
- 15. DO NOT spend long periods on a ladder without regular breaks (tiredness is a risk).
- 16. DO NOT carry equipment which is heavy or difficult to handle while using a ladder.
- 17. Maintain a handhold whilst working from a ladder or take additional safety precautions.
- 18. Use a ladder with restraint devices engaged only.
- 19. Only use the ladder in the direction as indicated, only if necessary due to design of the ladder.



20. When used in the standing ladder position with the extending ladder at the top or in the stairway position, DO NOT climb above the rung or tread recommended by the supplier but with the minimum requirement of not standing on the top four steps/rungs to be indicated on the rung.



21. Locking devices should be fully secured before use if not operated automatically.

Repair, maintenance and storage:

Repairs and maintenance shall be carried out by a competent person and be in accordance with these instructions.

Note: There are NO user replaceable parts.

- The ladder should be stored in accordance with these instructions. •
- Keep the ladder in a secure, clean, dry cool place.
- Hold the ladder firmly when carrying it.
- Never store materials on your ladder.
- Keep your ladder clean and free from any foreign matter.
- Clean the ladder after each use.
- Important considerations when storing your ladder (not in use) should include the following:-
- Is the ladder stored away from areas where its condition could deteriorate more rapidly (e.g. dampness, excessive heat, or exposed to the elements)?
- Is the ladder stored in a position which helps it to remain straight (e.g. hung by the stiles on proper ladder brackets or laid on a flat clutter free surface)? Weight H (mm) L (mm) Part No: LADC Kg
- Is the ladder stored where it cannot be damaged by vehicles, heavy objects, or contaminants?
- Is the ladder stored where it cannot cause a trip hazard or an obstruction?
- Is the ladder stored securely where it cannot be easily used for criminal purposes?
- if the ladder is permanently positioned (e.g. on scaffolding), is it secured against unauthorised climbing (e.g. by children)?

For regular inspection: - Check that..

- The stiles/legs (uprights) are not bent, bowed, twisted, dented, cracked, corroded or rotten. 1.
- Stiles/legs around the fixing points for other components are in good condition. 2
- Fixings (usually rivets, screws or bolts) are not missing, loose or corroded. 3
- Rungs/steps are not missing, loose, excessively worn, corroded or damaged. 4
- The hinges between front and rear sections are not damaged, loose or corroded. 5 The locking stays horizontal, back rails and corner braces are not missing, bent, loose, 6.
- corroded or damaged.
- The rung hooks are not missing, damaged, loose or corroded and engage properly on the 7. runas.
- 8. Guide brackets are not missing, damaged, loose or corroded and engage properly on the matina stile.
- 9 Rubber feet end caps are not missing, loose, excessively worn, corroded or damaged.
- 10. The entire ladder is free from contaminants e.g dirt, mud, paint, oil or grease.
- 11. Locking catches (if fitted) are not damaged or corroded and function correctly.

12. The platform (if fitted) has no missing parts or fixings and is not damaged or corroded. If any of the above checks cannot be fully satisfied, you should NOT use the ladder.

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Regularly check the parts and hinges of the ladder. Oil the hinges

- regularly, being careful not to drip oil on the rungs or side rails. Ladders should be stored out of direct sun light.
- The ladder should be stored in position that helps it remain straight.

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