

STOCKMASTER AUTO-GATE - RISK ASSESSMENT AND INSTRUCTIONS FOR ASSEMBLY AND USE.

1. Design Purpose and Safe Operation.

This product has been designed as a safety aid to reduce the risk of falls from the entry face of StockMaster Navigator, StockMaster Tracker and StockMaster Lift-Truk mobile platform ladders.

2. Operating the Auto-Gate

StockMaster Auto-Gate features two arms in an L shape configuration and a gravity latch mechanism to lock the gate in the closed position when the platform is occupied. Release of the latch automatically moves the gate to the open position allowing exit from the platform. Similar to a turnstile, in the open position one arm spans the face of the platform entry and the gate is automatically urged to the closed position as the platform is entered. Movement of the gate to the fully closed position operates the gravity latch and locks the gate in the closed position.

In the open position one arm of the gate spans the face of the platform entry and the second arm projects away from the platform. This is the default position when the platform is unoccupied.

Ensure the Gate is securely locked when the platform is occupied.

Do not climb on the gate

Do not sit on or lean against the gate

Do not lock the gate when the platform is unoccupied.

3. Assembly

General Assembly

Instructions for assembly are provided in graphic form. These must be followed to ensure correct assembly and safe working of the product. They also provide the simplest method for assembly. If you are unsure of any of the instructions, please consult your dealer. Note: Any defect arising as a result of incorrect assembly will not be covered under your product warranty. **DO NOT STAND ON THE STOCKMASTER PLATFORM TO ASSEMBLE THIS PRODUCT.**

If the assembly can not be performed when standing on the ground a suitably sized secondary ladder or platform must be used to enable safe assembly. Alternatively the gate may be assembled to the platform prior to assembly of the ladder frames.

4. Checking and Testing

On completion of the assembly and BEFORE INITIAL USE, do the following:

- a) Check that there are no loose fastenings. (Bolts and nuts)
- b) Check that the gravity latch engages and locks the gate firmly when it is moved to the fully closed position.
- c) Check that the Auto-Gate returns fully to the open position when the gravity latch is released.

5. Maintenance

When correctly assembled, little maintenance is required. It is however advisable to periodically check that all fastenings in the structure remain tight, and the assembly keys should be retained for this purpose.

STOCKMASTER ROTA-GATE - RISK ASSESSMENT AND INSTRUCTIONS FOR ASSEMBLY AND USE.

1. Design Purpose and Safe Operation.

This product has been designed to provide improved ergonomics and access to the workface from the working side of StockMaster Navigator, StockMaster Tracker and StockMaster Lift-Truk mobile platform ladders.

2. Operating the Rota-Gate

StockMaster Rota-Gate features a C shape configuration and a spring pin latch mechanism to lock the gate in the closed position. When the platform is occupied the gate may be opened by releasing the spring pin latch and rotating the gate towards the rear safety rail of the platform. To close and lock the gate reverse the procedure.

When using the Rota-Gate place the ladder so that the gate is as close as practicable to the workface.

Do not climb on the gate

Do not sit on or lean against the gate

Ensure the Gate is securely locked when not in use.

3. Assembly

General Assembly

Instructions for assembly are provided in graphic form. These must be followed to ensure correct assembly and safe working of the product. They also provide the simplest method for assembly. If you are unsure of any of the instructions, please consult your dealer. Note: Any defect arising as a result of incorrect assembly will not be covered under your product warranty.

DO NOT STAND ON THE STOCKMASTER PLATFORM TO ASSEMBLE THIS PRODUCT.

If the assembly can not be performed when standing on the ground a suitably sized secondary ladder or platform must be used to enable safe assembly. Alternatively the gate may be assembled to the platform prior to assembly of the ladder frames.

4. Checking and Testing

On completion of the assembly and BEFORE INITIAL USE, do the following:

- a) Check that there are no loose fastenings. (Bolts and nuts)
- b) Check that the spring pin latch engages and locks the gate firmly when it is moved to the closed position.

5. Maintenance

When correctly assembled, little maintenance is required. It is however advisable to periodically check that all fastenings in the structure remain tight, and the assembly keys should be retained for this purpose.