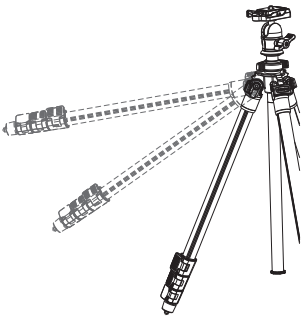
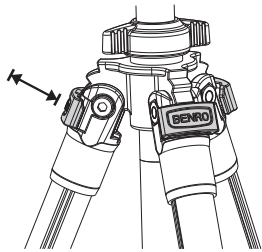
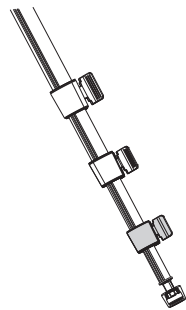


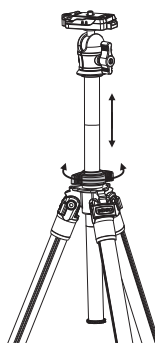
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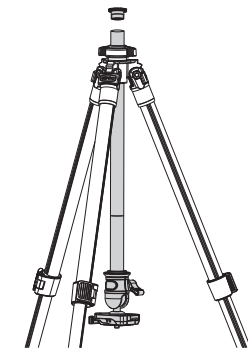
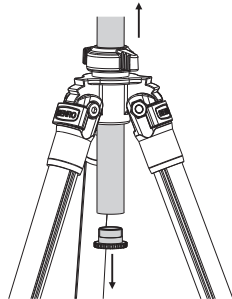
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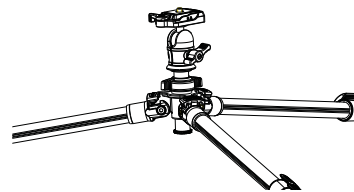
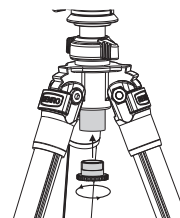
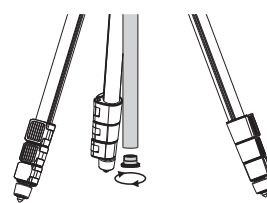
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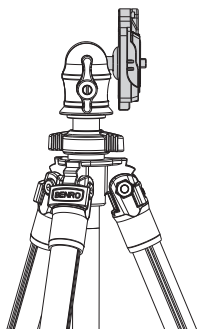
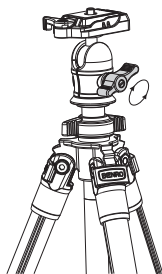
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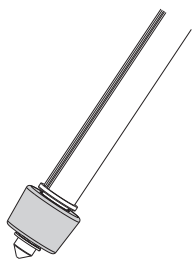
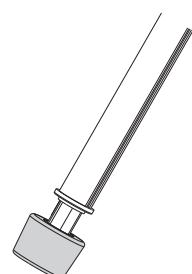
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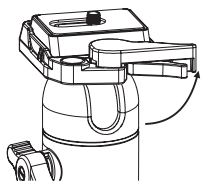
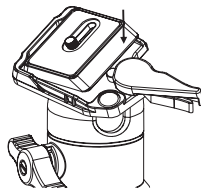
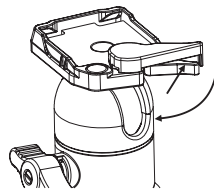
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OPERATION

Before use, adjust each Leg Section to the desired height and Leg Angle Setting. Make sure that the Tripod is firmly resting on a level surface and mount your camera securely on the Tripod Head. Always engage any safety locks on the Tripod Head to prevent any accidental dismounting.

FOR BEST RESULTS: Do not raise the Tripod higher than necessary and extend the largest diameter Leg Sections first. Only extend the Center Column if required to reach maximum height or to fine-tune the vertical position.

Leg Angle Adjustment (FIGURE 1)

To accommodate uneven terrain, awkward shooting situations or for low angle shooting, your Benro Tripod includes a 3-position Leg Angle Adjustment Sliding Lock. Each Leg can be adjusted by pulling the Leg Angle Lock out and selecting one of the three positions. Please make sure that the Leg Angle Lock is securely pushed back into the lock position after you have selected the desired Leg Angle.

Leg Section Adjustment (FIGURE 2)

Each Leg section can be adjusted to the desired length by opening the Flip Lock Lever so the Leg is free to slide in or out. Once the desired length is achieved, snap the Flip Lock Lever closed so that the Leg Section is securely locked. Repeat this step for each Leg and each Section until the Tripod is set to the desired height.

NOTE: To prevent any accidental damage to your gear, always remove any mounted equipment (camera, etc.) from the Tripod before adjusting the Leg Sections.

Raising and Lowering the Center Column (FIGURE 3)

To raise or lower the Center Column, turn the Center Column Locking Knob counter clockwise and set the Column to the desired position. While holding the Column in position, turn the Center Column Locking Knob clockwise to secure the Column in place. Don't over-tighten the Center Column Lock, as this could damage the threads.

NOTE: Take special care when raising or lowering the Center Column, if a camera or equipment is mounted on the Tripod. Never loosen the Center Column Locking Knob without holding the Center Column. Failure to follow these instructions could result in damaged equipment.

Reversible Two Part Center Column (FIGURES 4 & 5)

Your Tripod has the ability to shorten the Center Column for low level work and also to reverse the Center Column for close-up photography, copy work and for difficult to reach objects. To reverse the Center Column, unscrew the Column Stop located on the bottom of the Center Column. Loosen the Center Column Locking Knob and pull the Center Column out. Insert the Center Column through the bottom with the Mounting Plate upside-down and retighten the Center Column Locking Knob securely. To split the center column unscrew the lower half from the bottom of the Center Column then unscrew and move the Column Stop from the bottom column to the shortened column that is still in the tripod.

NOTE: Do not reverse the Center Column when a camera or equipment is mounted.

Rubber Feet and Spike Feet (FIGURE 6)

Rubber Feet retract to expose Steel Spikes to insure your tripod sits solid on almost any terrain. Turn the Rubber Pads clockwise to expose the Spikes and turn counterclockwise to use the Rubber Feet.

HEAD OPERATION

The single-action Ball Locking Lever controls all movements of the Ballhead. When released, the Ballhead and the Mounting Platform can move freely within a 360° rotational adjustment. And a U-shaped opening provides 90° angular movement of the Mounting Platform.

Quick Release Plate

Ball Locking Lever (FIGURE 7)

The single-action Ball Locking Lever controls all movements of the Ballhead. The Ballhead incorporates a Quick Release Plate system. It offers a quick method of mounting or releasing a Camera or Equipment from the Head. It's important that the correct Quick Release Plate be used along with the proper mounting screw (a spare 1/4-20 plate is available as an

accessory). Extra Plates are recommended as you can screw one to each Camera or Lens for even greater convenience when rapidly mounting and dismounting gear.

Quick Release Locking Lever (FIGURE 8)

When used properly, the patented Dual Lock Quick Release system offers two levels of security for your gear. To remove the Quick Release Plate, squeeze both the Plate Locking Lever and the Security Locking Lever and pull the larger Locking Lever out. The Quick Release Plate will disengage allowing it to be removed. To reconnect the Quick Release Plate, insert the angled part of the Plate into the groove on the opposite side of the Locking Levers and press down flat. The Locking Levers will automatically engage the locking system and will return to the safety lock position. Press the Plate Locking Lever in firmly to secure.

NOTE: Do not over tighten the Locking Lever as this could damage the Ballhead locking mechanism.

USER NOTICE

Thank you for choosing Benro. Please read this general instruction sheet before using, to avoid any accidental damage.



Do not exceed the load capacity of this products, (see the specifications)



Always ensure the locks and devices are in safety condition to avoid accidental damage of the camera and other equipment.



Do not use the product at temperture less than -20°C or more than +70°C. It is not recommended to use in seawater.



Avoid leaving the product in high temperture, e.g in the sun for long time or in a car near the car window for hours.



Ensure keeping the product out of reach of children when working at the public place in case any accidental hurt. Use it carefully in dangerous place.



Do not scrub the spirit-level , the precision could be lost temporarily.



Remove the equipment from the products during transportation.



It is not necessary to do regular lubrication , but if required, the standard lubricant oils and grease is ok for the equipment.



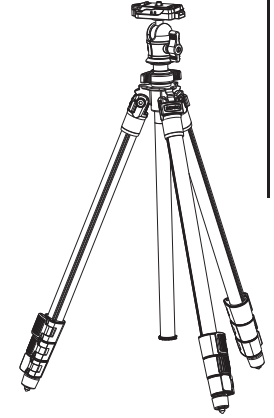
After using in the wet, dusty, sandy, windy days, it is recommended to clean and dry the tripod with soft cloth. The dirt, dust, and sand in all leg locks, threads, should be removed after use. Clean with mild detergent or alcohol.



For your own safty, don't let this products near any electrical power source and chemical substances.

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