

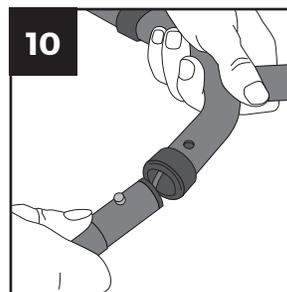
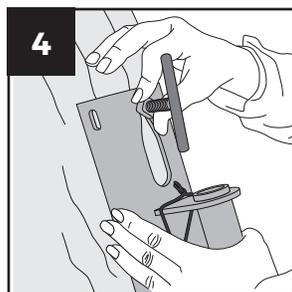
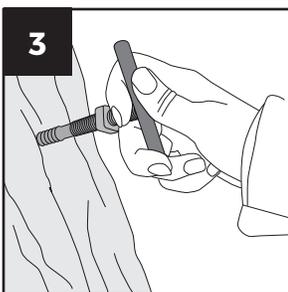
The SkyRest™ Overhead Shooting Rest

⚠ Important Safety Notices ⚠

- **You are responsible your own safety.**
- **You must read, understand and follow these instructions. Failure to do so could result in serious injury or death.**
- When installing the SkyRest in a tree stand setting or hunting with the SkyRest, the user must be securely connected to the tree with a TMA-certified fall restraint system.
- Always ensure that your tree stand is securely installed and in good repair before attempting to use the SkyRest.
- Always bring any firearm up to the tree stand AFTER you have securely installed both your tree stand and the SkyRest.
- Always keep any firearm unloaded with the chamber open until you are ready to hunt.
- Practice installing the SkyRest at ground level until you are comfortable installing and assembling it.
- Install at ground level and test the SkyRest with an unloaded firearm until you are comfortable with its operation. Determine your ideal height for the SkyRest prior to attempting to install it above an elevated tree stand.
- Be aware of the control cord hanging behind your head so that it doesn't startle you when you are in your stand
- Never hang from the SkyRest or rely on the SkyRest to support any of your body weight as you position yourself in your tree stand.
- Never lean into a shot, expecting the SkyRest to support your body weight.
- Always install your tree stand and the SkyRest on a straight, healthy hardwood tree that is free from ice, moss, or other slippery substances.
- Remember, you can fall any time after leaving the ground.

Installation Instructions

1. Read and follow all safety information in this package as well as any safety instructions included with your tree stand or climbing gear.
2. Sit in your tree stand and mark a spot approximately 12-18 inches above the top of your head while seated upright.
3. Using this location, thread the T-screw into the tree until it is sturdy, then loosen the retaining bolt.
4. Slide the mounting plate's oblong opening over the T-screw, seat the plate on the screw, and hand-tighten the retaining bolt over the opening of mounting plate. Give the T-screw a half turn to tighten the mounting plate to the tree.
5. Loosen the mounting strap to a length sufficient to wrap around the entire tree.
6. Hook one end of the mounting strap to one of the lower holes on the mounting plate.
7. While steadying yourself with three points of contact, carefully reach around the tree and pass the other end of the strap to the other side of the mounting plate.
8. Take the loose end of the mounting strap and hook it to the lower holes of the mounting plate.
9. Again, while steadying yourself with three points of contact, tighten the mounting strap until the mounting plate is snug to the bark of the tree. Note: The mounting strap must be used, or the mounting plate will come loose while hunting.
Note: Read and observe local regulations around the use of the T-screw in trees in your area. Another strap can be used in place of the T-screw if necessary (additional strap not included), using the top pair of holes on the sides of the mounting plate
10. If your SkyRest Y-arm is disassembled, depress the spring button clip on one of the SkyRest arms and insert the arm into the Y neck of the SkyRest, taking up cord slack between the parts if necessary. Twist the Y arm until the spring button clip snaps into place in its alignment hole.
11. Repeat this step for the other Y arm.
12. Insert the Y neck into the mounting tube of the mounting plate from the bottom, and secure with the cotter pin.
13. Flip the retaining ring over the top of the mounting tube.



Usage Instructions

The SkyRest is compatible with just about any long firearm, including rifles and shotguns. Take time before hunting season to get comfortable aiming with the SkyRest.

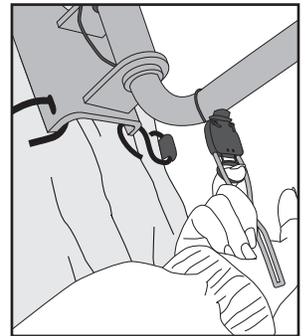
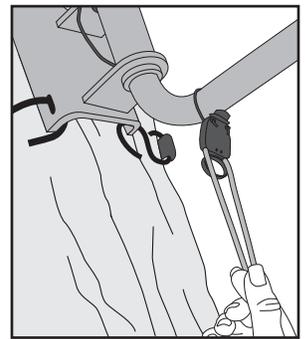
Insert your firearm, muzzle first into the opening between the suspension cords and above the saddle. With your forearm hand (left hand for right-handed shooters), grab the saddle and position it between your hand and the forearm of the gun. Shoulder your gun as you typically would, while keeping your front hand gripping the forearm of the gun and the saddle of the SkyRest simultaneously. Adjust the forearm grip as you shoulder your gun, and as you become more comfortable with the support of the SkyRest.

Elevation adjustment

Note the general area where you expect game to appear, and adjust the resting elevation of your aim using the cord release behind your head. To raise the gun, simply pull on the suspension cord, raising the saddle. To lower, gently pull on the ring of the cord release as the weight of your gun slowly lets out the suspension cord. Once the general elevation of your aim is set, use the pivoting action of the SkyRest to evaluate your horizontal range of motion.

Fine Adjustment

Make minor elevation changes to your aim by sliding the saddle up or down along the forearm of your gun, or by simply raising or lowering your shoulders slightly. Meanwhile, use the suspension of the SkyRest to hold your aim steady over a wide lateral range of motion.



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