

# EURO 232 DOUBLE WIDTH 3T INSTRUCTION MANUAL



MAX SAFE WORKING LOAD FOR STRUCTURE: **750KG**MAX SAFE WORKING LOAD FOR PLATFORM: **250KG** 

## **GENERAL SAFETY RULES**

- Check instructions before use. Mobile access working towers may only be assembled and dismantled by persons familiar with these instructions for safe use.
- Do not use any scaffold tower which is damaged, which has not been properly assembled, which is not firm and stable, and which has any missing or damaged parts.
- 3. Do not assemble a scaffold tower on unstable ground or objects such as loose bricks, boxes or blocks. Only a sound rigid footing must be used.
- 4. Ensure that the scaffold tower is always level and the adjustable legs are engaged. Check that you have taken all necessary precautions to prevent the tower being moved, or rolling away. Always apply all castor brakes or use base plates.
- Ensure that all frames, braces and platforms are firmly in place and that all locking hooks are functioning correctly. Ensure that all frame locking clips are engaged. If any missing, replace them.
- Ensure that the scaffold tower is within the maximum platform height stated, and that the stabilizers are fitted and adjusted appropriately.
- Outdoor scaffold towers should, wherever possible, be secured to a building or other structure. It is good practice to tie in all scaffold towers of any height, especially when they are left unattended, or in exposed or windy conditions.
- 8. A scaffold tower must not be used in winds stronger than 7.7 meters per second. Beaufort scale 4. Be cautious if assembling or using the tower in open places, such as hangers or unclad buildings. In such circumstances the wind forces can be increased, as a result of the funnelling effect.
- 9. Do not use sheeted towers.
- $10. Do \ not \ assemble \ or \ use \ a \ scaffold \ tower \ near \ un-insulated, live \ or \ energised$  electrical machinery or circuits, or near machinery in operation.

- 11. If an overhead hazard exists, head protection should be worn
- 12.Do not lean ladders against the tower, or climb the outside of the tower. Whatever your intended access system, it should only be used inside the tower.
- 13. Never climb on horizontal or diagonal braces. Do not gain access or descend from the working platform other than by the intended access system.
- 14. Do not work from ladders or stairways, they are a means of access only.
- 15. Guardrails and toeboards must be fitted to all working platforms.
- 16. Never jump on to or off platforms.
- 17.Do not exceed the safe working load of the platform or structure by accumulating debris, material or tools on platforms as these can be a significant additional load.
- 18.If you must move a tower, remove all materials and personnel. When moving a scaffold tower, force must always be moved from the base. The tower should only be moved manually on firm, level ground which is free from obstacles. Normal walking speed should not be exceeded during relocation. The ground over which a tower is moved should be capable of supporting the weight of the structure.
- 19.Should you require additional platform height, add further components. NEVER extend your adjustable legs to achieve extra height, these are for levelling only. NEVER use a ladder or other objects on the platform to achieve additional height.
- 20.It is not permissible to attach and use hoisting facilities on towers, unless specifically provided for by the manufacturer.
- 21.It is not permissible to attach bridging sections between a scaffold tower and a building. Refer to the tower manufacturer.
- 22.ALWAYS TAKE CARE OF ALUMINIUM SCAFFOLD TOWER EQUIPMENT.
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  THE EQUIPMENT. RESPECT IT.

### MAINTENANCE RULES

### 1. Ensure that the scaffold tower is kept clean, especially the spigots and sockets. These should fit together with ease and be secured by an interlock

- Check frames and braces, adjustable legs and boards for paint, grit, burrs etc. Remove any foreign substance with a light wire brush. Check no slip hazards exist on the platform.
- Where brace, ladder and platform hooks attach the frames, ensure that the frame rungs are kept clean.
- Ensure that all locking hooks function correctly. If necessary lubricate with light oil.
- The inside diameter of all hooks should be kept clean to ensure they fit to other components without being forced.
- If in any doubt about the proper use and maintenance of the scaffold tower equipment, consult the manufacturer.
- 7. Do not misuse or abuse the scaffold tower with heavy objects, hammers etc. Do not throw components in and out of vehicles or to the ground when the tower is being dismantled. Such abuse may reduce the structural integrity of the scaffold tower.
- Under no circumstances use a scaffold tower which damaged, has not been properly assembled, is it not rigid and which has any missing parts.

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### **USE OF STABILIZERS**

and improve the STABILITY of the tower.

Position the stabilizers symmetrically to obtain the MAXIMUM BASE DIMENSION.

MAX HEIGHT TELESCOPIC STABILZER

1.7M	5.5M	CLOSED
6.4M	7.3M	1ST EXTENSION POINT
8.2M	9.2M	2ND EXTENSION POINT
10.1M	12.0M	FULLY EXTENDED

Due to general tower rigidity it is recommended that the maximum platform height of a double width tower outside is 8.0m unless the tower is tied in.

For further information on tying in please refer to Pasma Guidance Note Tying Mobile Towers

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BASE DIMENSION

## EURO 232 DOUBLE WIDTH 3T KITTING LIST

EUR	O 232 DC	DUBL	E WIL	OTH TO	OWER					KIT LI	ST	
PLATFORM	WORKING				(No Plain	Platforms	s - All Tra	pdoors)				
HEIGHT	HEIGHT	K5CR	KALA	FKD2/4	FKD4/8	BKD2	BKH2	PKT2	Y250	TKD2/B	RTBC	Kg
1.7M	3.7M	4	4	2	2	2	6	2		1	4	111
2.6M	4.6M	4	4		4	4	10	3	4	1	4	173
3.6M	5.6M	4	4	2	4	6	10	3	4	1	4	188
4.5M	6.5M	4	4		6	8	10	3	4	1	4	202
5.5M	7.5M	4	4	2	6	10	14	4	4	1	4	243
6.4M	8.4M	4	4		8	12	14	4	4	1	4	257
7.3M	9.3M	4	4	2	8	14	18	5	4	1	4	298
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8.2M	10.2M	4	4		10	16	18	5	4	1	4	312
9.2M	11.2M	4	4	2	10	18	22	6	4	1	4	353
10.1M	12.1M	4	4		12	20	22	6	4	1	4	367
11.0M	13.0M	4	4	2	12	22	26	7	4	1	4	409
12.0M	14.0M	4	4		14	24	26	7	4	1	4	422

K5CR	K5CR 5" Castors			
KALA	Adjustable Leg Assembly			
FKD2/4	4 Rung Double Width Frame			
FKD4/8	8 Rung Double Width Frame			
BKD2	2.5 M Diagonal Brace			
BKH2	2.5 M Horizontal Brace			
PKT2 2.5 M Trapdoor Platform				
Y250	Telescopic Stabilizer			
TKD2/B	2.5 M DW Toeboard Kit			
RTBC	Red Toeboard Clip			

PLATFORM LEVEL	BASE FRAME	NEXT FRAME	Work Platform on rung*	Total no. of rungs in tower	FRAMES		
1.7M	4	8	7	12	4+8		
2.7M	8	8	11	16	8+8		
3.6M	4	8	15	20	4+8+8		
4.5M	8	8	19	24	8+8+8		
5.5M	4	8	23	28	4+8+8+8		
6.4M	8	8	27	32	8+8+8+8		
7.3M	4	8	31	36	4+8+8+8+8		
8.2M	8	8	35	40	8+8+8+8		
9.2M	4	8	39	44	4+8+8+8+8		
10.1M	8	8	43	48	8+8+8+8+8		
11.0M	4	8	47	52	4+8+8+8+8+8		
12.0M	8	8	51	56	8+8+8+8+8+8		
* 5 rungs required above all rest and working platforms							

#### **BASE SET UP**

YOU MUST GET YOUR BASE SET UP CORRECT IN ORDER TO ENSURE SAFE ASSEMBLY

4 RUNG FRAMES ARE TO BE USED AS BASE FRAMES ONLY\*

#### STOCK UTILISATION

\*2 x 4 RUNG FRAMES MAY BE USED IN EXCHANGE FOR ONE 8 RUNG FRAME, THESE MUST BE CLIPPED TOGETHER BEFORE USE TO MAINTAIN SAFETY DURING ASSEMBLY

#### **PLATFORM REPOSITIONS**

CORRECT PLATFORM LEVELS ENABLE SAFE WORKING LEVELS

REPOSITIONED PLATFORMS MUST BE FITTED WITH SAFE GUARDRAILS INCLUDING TOP AND MIDRAILS

#### **BRACE POSTIONING**

IF A PLATFORM IMPEDES A DIAGONAL BRACE IT IS PERMISSIBLE TO REPOSITION IT UP/DOWN ONE RUNG WITHOUT EFFECTING THE STRUCTURAL INTEGRITY OF THE TOWER

NEVER OMIT A DIAGONAL BRACE FROM THE STRUCTURE

DIAGONAL BRACING ENDS ON THE RUNG, ON OR BELOW THE WORKING PLATFORM, NO DIAGONALS RUN PAST THE WORKING PLATFORM ON ANY EURO TOWER.

# EURO 232 DOUBLE WIDTH 3T ASSEMBLY GUIDE

The Assembly pictures are for illustrative purposes only.

The tower set up is that of 3.6m (Odd Metre Height Tower), Even Metre Height Towers see **NOTES** during the Assembly Guide.



1. Insert legs and castors into each 4 rung

Even Metre Towers: 8 rung frames. NOTE: 4 rung frames are base frames only. \*See Stock Utilization if more than 1 set of 4 rungs is issued with the tower.



5. Level base using a spirit level as a guide by larger towers or to overcome obstacles.



2. Fit 2 horizontal braces to the vertical member of the frames, as low as possible, above the 1st rung and lock the castors.



3. Add 1st set of 8 rung frames and engage the interlock clips

Even Metre Towers: Skip this step.



adjusting the leg nuts as required and secure stabilizers as low down as possible to increase tower stability, adjust according to the guide for



6. Fit 2 diagonals continuing the run, as shown. Even Metre Towers: Add 2 further diagonals continuing the run.

You should now have 6 diagonals fitted.



7. Fit trapdoor platform onto the rung above where the braces meet.

Even Metre Towers: 2nd brace meeting point (above rung 10).

directions on either side, starting on the 2nd rung. Even Metre Towers: Add platform\* to 2nd rung and add next frames. \*Temporary on some towers. NOTE: Add handrails if identified as necessary by your risk assessment.

4. Fit 2 diagonal braces running in opposite

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8. Access internally through the trapdoor and sitting with your feet on the rungs below, fit the mid and top handrails to form a safe guardrail to the 2nd and 4th rungs above the platform.



9. Add next set of 8 rung frames and engage the interlock clips.



10. Fit the next 2 diagonal braces running in opposite directions continuing the run, as shown.

REPEAT STEPS 7-10 AS REQUIRED UNTIL WORKING PLATFORM LEVEL IS ACHIEVED.



14. Fit red clips and toeboards in the correct position ensuring trapdoor opens freely.



11. Fit 1st working level platform over to one side, 1 rung above the brace hooks.

#### **DISMANTLING PROCEDURE**

DISMANTLING IS THE REVERSE OF ASSEMBLY.

#### DO NOT THROW EQUIPMENT DOWN

REMOVE TOEBOARDS BEFORE HANDRAILS, TOEBOARD CLIPS CAN BE FITTED TO BRACES TO AID DISMANTLING. DISCONNECT THE GUARDRAIL BRACES FROM THE FAR END AND THEN FROM A SITTING POSITION THROUGH THE TRAPDOOR REMOVE THE GUARDRAILS

DO NOT REMOVE THE GUARDRAILS WHILST STANDING ON THE PLATFORM, THIS WOULD LEAVE YOU AT RISK



 Fit 2nd working level platform alongside the other platform one rung above the brace hooks.

NOTE: NO DIAGONAL BRACE RUNS PAST THE WORKING PLATFORM ON ANY EURO TOWER.



13. Access internally through the trapdoor and sitting on the fixed deck with your feet on the rungs below, fit the mid and top handrails to form a safe guardrail to the vertical tube above the 2nd and 4th rungs.



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