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THE ULTIMATE IN STABILITY LIGHTWEIGHT & ROBUST





Tested to EN131 Professional

If you are using your ladder for any form of employment, you must be familiar with "Working at Height Regulations (WAHR) details of which can be obtained from the Health and Safety Executive (HSE). HSE and BERR recommend EN 131 ladders for use at work. You should also carry out a "risk assessment" of the work involved.

How do I do a risk assessment?

There are five steps to a risk assessment:

- 1. Look at your workplace for hazards.
- 2. Decide who might be harmed and how.
- 3. Evaluate the risks and decide whether the existing precautions are adequate or whether more should be done.
- 4. Record your findings.
- 5. Review your assessment.

All Hendon Tripod ladders are tested to 150kg (330lbs) safe working load. This is the combined weight of the person plus their tools. Never exceed this and never work with more than 1 person on the ladder. Our Tripod ladders are designed for light trade or domestic use and should not be used for heavy duty industrial use.





Before Use

Ensure that you are fit enough to work from a ladder. Certain medical conditions or medication could make

working from a ladder unsafe. If you are transporting the ladders on a roof rack, trailer or in the back of a pickup, make sure they are placed and secured to prevent damage. Always take care when tying down your ladder on the back of a truck. Never pull down on the middle as this could bend the ladder. After transporting, inspect the condition and operation of all parts.

For professional users regular inspection of the ladder is required. Ensure the ladder is suitable for the work to be done. Do not use, if ladder shows any signs of damage, as accidents may occur.



Tripod Ladder Safety

The safe working height up to 1.8m (6ft) you should stand no higher than 3 steps from the top. With ladders over 1.8m (6ft) you should stand no

higher than 4 steps from the top. You should also take into consideration your own height and reach.

Always use the rear leg chain fully extended, so that the front and back legs are at the correct distance for the size of ladder, and the legs are at equal angles of 75 degrees.

Do not shorten the back leg to get closer to your work. Either work sideways to the job, or if you are working in, over or around a hedge, bush or tree, put the back leg into the hedge or bush to get your correct working position. Never put bricks or blocks under any leg of the ladder for any reason. When working on slopes, always face uphill, adjusting the rear leg so that the front and back legs are at an equal angle and the leg chain is fully extended. Do not over reach; the user should always keep their body in between the stiles of the ladder and both feet on the same step/rung throughout the task. When carrying your ladder always be aware of your surroundings, as not to damage your ladder. Always be careful never to work in a position where something

like a branch could fall onto you or the ladder after being cut. Always check that there are no overhead hazards like electrical wires.



Ladder Inspection

Although extruded and welded aluminium is exceptionally strong for its weight, heavy scratching or dents could cause failure. You

are responsible for your own safety; therefore we advise that you should inspect your ladder on every occasion prior to use. Always be careful when storing your ladder that it is not damaged by other stored items.

Hendon 3 Leg Adjust Ladder

Before using, always make sure that all adjustable leg pins are in place, and leg is secure. If any of the parts are missing, reorder from ladder supplier.

Part No.

Pin	58-147-01
Spring	58-148-01
Ring	58-164-01

All the Hendon ladders can have rubber boots fitted to the clawed feet. This is to protect wooden patios or decorative flag stones around the home, or just to give more stability on hard flat surfaces.

Part No.

Rubber Boots 60352

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