

 **STREAMLINE** | INSTRUCTION MANUAL

POLE GUIDE

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The Streamline® OVA8® Range of poles is fully telescopic with lateral clamps, overlap guides and stopper tape on each section. All poles feature a glass fibre insulated handle section for maximum safety.

Initial Assembly
General Responsibilities

On receiving the pole, you will need to fit a brush and jets to the pole, as follows:

1. Fit the brush to the gooseneck by pushing the socket on the brush into the Angle Adapter on the pole — ensure that it is fully inserted, and the purple button pops up in the socket release hole.
2. Push the black aluminium hose pipe insert fitted to pipe end into the brush T connector and then fit the jet pipes into T connector and into brush.

Before first use, it is advisable to check the adjustment on all the clamps. The clamp levers should be easy to open and close and yet still grip the section firmly. A simple way to test is to hold the handle section and pull on the brush. If one clamp allows the section to move it will need to be adjusted until it grips firmly.

2 How to use the pole

How To Use The Pole

1. Open the No.2 clamp lever (No. 1 is for the brush) and extend the first section.
2. As the section is nearly fully extended slow down the rate of extension and either look at the clamp area until you can see the blue/silver or gold overlap area appear out of the clamp or until you can 'feel' the stopper-indicator tape being restrained by the clamp.
3. Do not over extend the section. The stopper tape is designed to give you a limit on how far to extend. If pulled hard enough you can pull the section out past this tape, but this is not advised for maximum strength and rigidity.
4. Repeat for all further sections until the desired height is reached.

Servicing Schedule

1. In addition to the above schedule, we would recommend fully taking apart the pole every couple of months to clean and service. Loosen all clamps and allow the sections to slide apart.
2. Whilst apart, clean and dry all sections and check and replace, if needed, the stopper-indicator tape and the wrap of tape at the base of each section.
3. Additionally, a spray of dry-film PTFE spray over the overlap area will improve the life of the pole. **DO NOT USE OIL-BASED LUBRICANTS SUCH AS WD-40 or GT-85**

The clamps are fitted with shims in the clamps (purple shims) between lever and clamp body. The shims are designed to take most of the wear during use. Check these periodically for wear and replace when required.

3 Cleaning Schedule

Cleaning Schedule

Cleaning & Service Schedule for all Telescopic Poles

It is important to clean, maintain and service your telescopic pole in line with the guide below in order to maintain the maximum working life of the pole and to preserve all of its features.

Cleaning Schedule

1. Keep the pole as clean as possible at all times. Wiping the pole hose after each use will reduce the amount of dirt entering the pole. A wipe with a cloth as you are coiling the hose away is sufficient.
2. Hose the pole down once a week or after working in gritty or sandy environments. To do this, either hose up from the base of the pole with all clamps open or undo clamp bolts until loose and slide sections apart to clean between the sections. Whilst sections are apart check the joint indicator and base tape - if damaged or missing then replace before re-assembling.

4 FAQ

FAQ

- 1 The endcap has worn away with use - do I need to replace it?

Yes, as this prevents damage to the bottom edge of the carbon sections which could lead to splintering & splitting of the sections. Failure to replace will invalidate the warranty.

2. The section keeps extending past the stop-indicator tape, why?

This stopper tape is designed to act as a positive Indication of the joint stopping position (in addition to the visual overlap markers). If pulled enough it will extend out, however this will be felt by the operator, thereby acting as the stop indicator. When the tape is worn this may happen too easily so to prevent this, either adjust the clamp bolt up slightly tighter (checking that the section still slides easily) or replace the joint-indicator tape with new tape, applying slightly more tape in its place.

FAQ

3. Why do the sections have overlap markers as well as tape?

This is to provide maximum user convenience and pole safety. At no point should a section be used over-extended, past its safe maximum. The overlap marker also acts as a visual guide if a user has worn out the joint-indicator tape and has failed to renew it as part of their ongoing maintenance. Some users like to remove sections in use and the overlap marker gives a quick visual guide on where to clamp.

4. Why does each section have a wrap of tape at the base of each section?

This is added to the base of each section to help improve the wear on the sections. Please replace when worn as part of your servicing routine - Failure to replace will invalidate the warranty.

5. My pole has become worn with age and the clamp is not auto-adjusting enough to clamp the worn area of the section, how do I get them to tighten properly?

This indicates that the lever will need tightening slightly. Extend the section so that the most worn part is under the clamp jaws. Adjust the clamp bolt until the clamp grips this section fully when closed. The clamp is now adjusted to match this worn area.

4 Warranty Information

Warranty Information

Streamline® Telescopic poles are covered for 12 months against any manufacturing defects. Should such a defect be found then the pole will need to be returned to Streamline® for workshop assessment and if found faulty the item will be repaired or replaced at the discretion of Streamline® Systems. The return procedure would be carried out in accordance with current procedure at the time, details can be found on the company's website. We shall not be liable in any way for consequential damage or loss or injury. Any modifications or adaptations or fitting of non-approved accessories (brushes, flow devices etc) render the above guarantee null and void. This warranty does not cover 'wear & tear', glued items or serviceable items such as joint-indicator tape, end caps or lever shims. This warranty will only be valid if the pole has been regularly maintained in line with the instructions contained within this user guide. Poles that are used outside of normal operating parameters will not be covered under warranty.



