



#### **Features**

Micro-fluid head delivers precise and smooth action.

Variable leg angle adjustments allow for flexible positioning.

Padded leg wraps for added comfort.

Flip lever leg locks for rapid set up and height adjustment.

Anodized aluminum legs for sturdy support.

Balance hook holds extra weight for greater stability in windy conditions. Adjustable quick-release plate and

Rubber feet stand sure-footed on slick surfaces.

#### **Specifications**

locking mechanism.

**Height Range** 8.9-68.0" Maximum Load II pounds **Leg Sections Leg Angles** Weight 5.0 pounds **Folded Height** 26.0" Folded Width 4.5"







For rock-solid performance in the most demanding situations, you need a Skyline™tripod. Rugged anodized legs and a smooth, precise microfluid head will help deliver maximum performance from your optics set-up.



### Adjusting the micro-fluid head

Use the Pan and Tilt Tension Adjust Knobs to set desired tensions for

Tilt Tension

Adjust Knob

horizontal and vertical movement.

To remove the quick-release (QR) plate, loosen the QR

Plate Hold-Down

Knob. Then, slide the

Adjust Knob plate and turn the Plate Safety Release Knob counter-clockwise. The quick-release plate can then be removed and attached to desired optic or camera. Reinstall the quick-release plate, adjust balance point, and



Loosen and tighten the Control Arm Adjust Knob to adjust the handle angle.

Pan Tension

Control Arm

#### **Bubble Level**

If desired, reference the Bubble Level to ensure tripod plate is level.





# Adjusting the center column

Change the position of the center column to raise the tripod head for additional height. Unlock the center column by pushing the silver Safety Latch down and flipping the Lever Lock upward. Once you have moved the center column to the desired height, lock the height in place by flipping the center column lock back down.





2. Flip the Lever Up and Adjust Center Column

For very low heights, the center column can be split by unscrewing and removing the lower section.



# Adjusting the leg length

To extend a leg, release the Flip Lever Lock and slide the leg section out to the desired length. Press the flip lever back down to secure a section in place. Leg will extend to a maximum of three sections.

Padded upper sections on two legs provide a comfortable place to grip and extra comfort when carrying.



Release the Flip Lever Lock to Adjust Leg Length

# Adjusting the leg angle

The legs of the Skyline can be set at one of three angles. To adjust the leg angle, slide the **Release Tab** to the right and pivot the leg outward to the desired angle.



I. Push Release Tab to Right



2. Pivot Leg and Engage Release Tab at Desired Angle

#### **Balance Hook**

To help stabilize the tripod in windy conditions, attach the **Balance Hook** and hang a weight (not supplied) from it.

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# THE VORTEX 3-YEAR WARRANTY

This tripod is warranted to be free of defects in materials and workmanship for three years after purchase. If found to be defective in materials or workmanship upon our inspection, Vortex Optics will repair or replace the product or part.

Rest assured, if your tripod should ever require repair, all you need do is contact Vortex Optics at 800-426-0048 for prompt, professional, and friendly service.

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