

## Safety Anchor Post OEM, Site-Specific Safety Equipment and Innovation

# **Instructional Manual**

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### Anchors for embedment in cast-in-place concrete.

#### ADMINISTRATIVE REQUIREMENTS

Product Data: Manufacturer's data sheets on each product to be used, including: Preparation instructions and recommendations. Storage and handling requirements and recommendations. Installation methods.

Shop Drawings: Drawings showing plans, elevations, sections and details of components. Show member sizes and part identification, fasteners, anchors, fittings and evidence of compliance with structural performance requirements.

#### **PROJECT CONDITIONS**

Field Measurements: Where handrails and railings are indicated to fit to other construction, check actual dimensions of other construction by accurate field measurements before fabrication.

#### PREPARATION

Clean surfaces thoroughly prior to installation.

Prepare surfaces using the methods recommended by the manufacturer for achieving the best result for the substrate under the project conditions.

#### DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

Deliver materials to the job site in good condition and adequately protected against damage.

Inspect rail sections for damage before signing the receipt from the trucking company. Truck driver must note damaged goods on the bill of lading if damaged product is found.

When using post installed anchors on Post Tension slabs deck they should be scanned first to avoid damaging any existing strands.

#### INSTALLATION

Install in accordance with manufacturer's instructions, approved submittals and in proper relationship with adjacent construction.

When using thin slab anchors TEK screws must be installed per manufactures recommendations.

Tie spider anchors to rebar mat to hold location. Do not wet set anchors.

#### PROTECTION

Protect installed products until completion of project.

Touch-up, repair or replace damaged products before Substantial Completion.

#### WARRANTY

Warranty: Provide manufacturer's limited two year warranty.

Safety Anchor Post System (SAPS) is an Active Fall Protection System requires Training. This manual specifically list a detail engineered drawing with General Notes; Clearly labels the "D-ring" Only dedicated Point of Tie-Off Single Person. Clearly illustrates recommendation (Type-2 SRL) training requirements for individuals using the Safety Anchor Post System. Safety Anchor Post System shall only be used with anchors 1 ft (0.3 m) from any slab edge.

SAPS system Safety Guidelines and Procedures: Each Safety Anchor Post shall be inspected prior to installation by a competent person in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations. And shall be inspected not less than twice annually by a competent person. The date of each inspection shall be documented. Shall be inspected prior to each use for wear, damage, and other deterioration, and defective components shall be removed from service.

Emergency Response Protocols: Contractor shall ensure adequate vertical clearance from ground, or other impact point, for fall arrest system to take up life line deflection, lanyard elongation, and worker height. The employer shall provide for prompt rescue of employees in the event of a fall or shall assure that employees are able to rescue themselves. If any Safety Anchor Post is ever compromised removed by trained personnel or competent individuals responsible for inspecting and replacing safety equipment.

Visual Aids: SAPS engineered with wire-rope rail members are listed in a diagram with minimum and maximum configurations listed. CLT Engineering is listed; Q-Decking engineering is listed; Please refer to <u>wwwsafetyanchorpost.com</u> for all listings.

Regular Updates: All Safety Anchor Posts as of 2024 will include a QR code; Trained personnel or competent individuals responsible for inspecting and replacing safety equipment should scan Qr Code for the lates of SAPS updates.



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Place spider anchor in desired location and tie to rebar to ensure anchor does not move during the pour.



Use whisker set plugs for ease of locating anchors after pouring concrete. Set top of plug at top of slab to ensure easy removal. Whisker Set Plug must be greased with Lithium White Grease prior to installation.

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- Step One Elevated Shoring Formwork
- Step Two Perimeter Edge of Deck Formwork
- Step-Three Snap Chalk-Line (Layout for Spider Anchors for SAPS Stanchions) Min 1'-00" from Leading Edge
- Step Four Install Steel Reenforcement mats & Post Tension Cables
- Step Five Install spider anchors over chalk-line and space at 8'-00" O.C.; Tie-wire spider anchors to rebar mat to prevent unintentional movement. Do not wet set anchors.
- Step Six Before placing concrete, verify that installation of concrete forms, accessories, and reinforcement, and embedded items is complete.

Safety Anchor Post System (SAPS) with anchors sized to fit slabs ranging from 6 to 24 in. (152 to 610 mm) in thickness. By using an embedded anchor, the SAPS system protects reinforcing bars and post-tensioning tendons from damage that might occur if anchors were installed in drilled holes instead.

#### Installation and Use of SAPS Anchors in Concrete Construction

In the construction industry, the proper installation and use of SAPS (Surface-Adhered Post-Tensioning System) anchors are crucial for ensuring the structural integrity and stability of concrete elements. According to industry standards, SAPS anchors must be installed with specific guidelines to ensure their effectiveness.

#### Installation Guidelines:

Placement: SAPS anchors must be installed no closer than 1 ft (0.3 m) from the slab edge. This distance is necessary to prevent any potential edge effects that could compromise the anchoring system's performance.

Spacing: The anchors should be spaced at no more than 8 ft (2.4 m) on center. This spacing ensures adequate distribution of the post-tensioning forces throughout the concrete element, enhancing its load-bearing capacity.

Concrete Placement Process: Once the reinforcing bars, post-tensioning tendons, and SAPS anchors are securely fastened to the formwork according to design specifications, concrete placement can commence. It is essential to follow a systematic approach to ensure that all components are properly integrated into the concrete structure.

Anchor Utilization Criteria: The SAPS anchors are considered ready for use once the concrete reaches a compressive strength of 2500 psi (17 MPa). This threshold indicates that the concrete has achieved sufficient strength to effectively transfer and distribute loads through the post-tensioning system anchored by SAPS devices.

By adhering to these installation guidelines and utilization criteria, construction professionals can optimize the performance and durability of SAPS anchors in concrete structures, thereby enhancing overall safety and structural reliability.



## SAP42DEX Endless Capabilities



Install w/ Coil-rod or Anchor Bolt





Grease coil-rod from SAP post with Lithium White grease prior to installation.

Place Toe-Board plate over Whisker Antenna Set-plug cavity; Surface thread mount SAP in a clock-wise motion until Base-Plate becomes parallel flush-mount to Toe-board plate. Use Tightening Arm to tighten-down.



Inspected By	Model Number	Inspection Date & Time	Inspection Items and Noted	<b>Corrective Action</b>	Maintenance Performed	Date Purchased

Safety Anchor Post Inspection and Maintenance Log



SAPS CLT3 Anchors: Engineered for CLT Panels with Thin Polished Concrete Slab and Inbound Guardrail

- Fire Topping Utilizes (8) standard 3-inch wood screws
- Cross-Laminated Timber Construction 3-Inch Fire Stop Concrete





CLT5 anchor welds onto Structural Beam

CLT5 Anchor

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