

BUCKINGHAM MFG.

P/N 2TS series – TRANSFORMER ROPE SLINGS

Warning: Do not use this product if you cannot understand and follow the instructions and warnings that come with it and complete all necessary functions.

CAUTIONS / WARNINGS

Read carefully, understand and heed these cautions / warnings packaged with this product before using this equipment. Failure to do so could result in your serious injury or death.

Employer – instruct employee as to the proper use, cautions and warnings before use of this equipment.

ABRASIONS:

Avoid all abrasive conditions. Rope slings will be severely damaged if subjected to rough surfaces or sharp edges. Do not drag slings over the ground or rough surfaces as dirt and grit picked up can work into the rope strands resulting in internal abrasion damage.

CHEMICALS:

Consider chemical exposure, such as solvents, acids and alkalis or where fumes, vapors or mists are present. Rope slings are subject to damage by chemicals therefore avoid chemical exposure.

TEMPERATURE:

Rope slings have lower tensile strength and work load limits at elevated temperatures. Continued exposure at these levels can melt, part or cause permanent damage therefore do not use at temperature in excess of 180° F / 82° C.

STORAGE & CARE

Rope slings should be stored clean, dry, out of direct sunlight, and away from sources of heat

INSPECTION

Failure to carefully and completely inspect your equipment could result in serious injury or death.

- ◆ Avoid using rope slings that show signs of aging and wear. If there is any doubt, do not use the sling; remove it from service for evaluation by a qualified person.
- ◆ Inspect prior to each use. Inspection should include but not be limited to, inspection for cuts, kinks, abrasions, burns, excessive swelling, excessive wear, discoloration, cracks, charring, broken fibers, chemical or physical exposures, frayed strands and broken yarns. A pulled strand can snag during use.
- ◆ Both inner and outer rope fibers contribute to the strength of the rope. When either is worn, the rope is weakened and must be replaced.
- ◆ Heavy use will cause the rope to be compacted or hard. This is an indication that the tensile strength and the dielectric strength of the rope has been reduced and must be replaced.
- ◆ UV degradation, which renders the product unsafe for use, is indicated by discoloration and the presence of splinters on the rope surface.

STATEMENT of OBSOLESCENCE:

Precise “useful life expectancy” or “shelf life” for this product is not specified, as the degree of use, conditions of use, and the degree of care and storage determines useful life. All users maintain responsibility to select proper equipment for the job, be properly trained in its use, and ensure all personnel support equipment passes inspection before each use. Upon evidence of defects, damage or deterioration, all equipment shall be removed from service immediately and tagged or marked as unusable or destroyed. Additionally, all equipment shall be inspected on a regular basis not to exceed one year by a Competent Person, as defined by OSHA/ANSI, to verify that the equipment is safe for use. In the event of any question or concern regarding the condition of such equipment, users shall remove the equipment from service for further inspection. All users must comply with OSHA/ANSI/ASTM standards prior to and in using such equipment. For more information regarding safe and appropriate use of equipment, please contact Buckingham Manufacturing at 1-800-937-2825.

INTERNATIONAL USERS:

Notwithstanding the above, please know that certain international jurisdictions require manufacturers of equipment to provide customers with a maximum useful lifespan (sometimes referred to as a “Statement of Obsolescence”). To the extent required, Buckingham personal protective equipment manufactured from synthetic fiber materials including but not limited to items such as webbing and/or rope are subject to a maximum useful lifespan of ten (10) years from the date of manufacture. As stated above proper usage, storage, maintenance, and care impacts the useful lifespan of equipment. Extreme circumstances may require that product must be retired after only one use. This statement is made in conformance and compliance with BS EN 365:2004. International users must ensure that product inspections are completed by Competent Persons as defined by international standards including but not limited to British Standard (“BS”). If equipment fails any inspections, it must be immediately withdrawn from service and destroyed. For more information regarding safe and appropriate use of equipment, please contact Buckingham Manufacturing at 1-800-937-2825.

OUR GUARANTEE:

We guarantee the equipment we manufacture to be free from defects in material and workmanship. We will repair any equipment deemed to be defective which is returned to us by the original purchaser. However, this guarantee is void if any product is changed or altered in any way, or if the product is used in a manner other than for which it is intended. This express guarantee supersedes all other expressed or implied guarantees, obligations or liabilities. There are no implied warranties of merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose and as such, all implied warranties are specifically disclaimed.

LIMITATION ON LIABILITY:

In no event will Buckingham or buyer be liable to the other for lost revenues, lost profits or any other indirect, consequential, special or punitive losses or damages, however caused, whether in action for breach of contract, strict liability, tort, or otherwise, even if advised of the possibility of such losses or damages. In no event will Buckingham’s liability exceed the total amount paid by the buyer to Buckingham for the product or equipment giving rise to such claim(s).

Please see other terms and conditions relating to this product at <https://buckinghammfg.com/terms-conditions/>

REGISTRATION:

Before use of the product, ensure to register and confirm the product at www.buckinghammfg.com/register.

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