



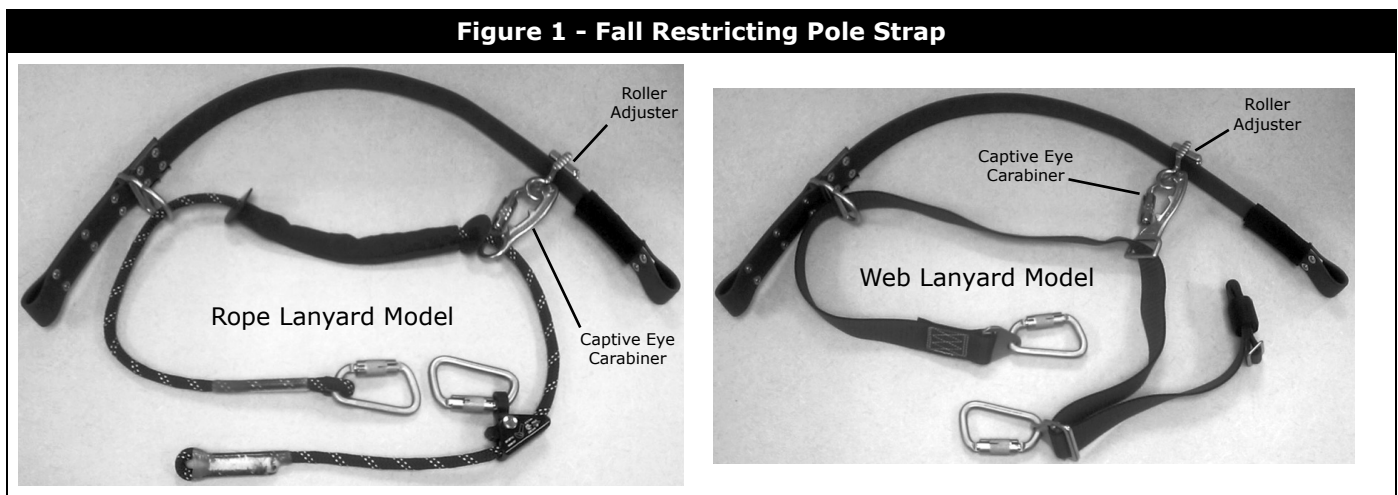
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**DBI SALA™ WOOD POLE RESTRICTION DEVICE
USER INSTRUCTION SUPPLEMENT**

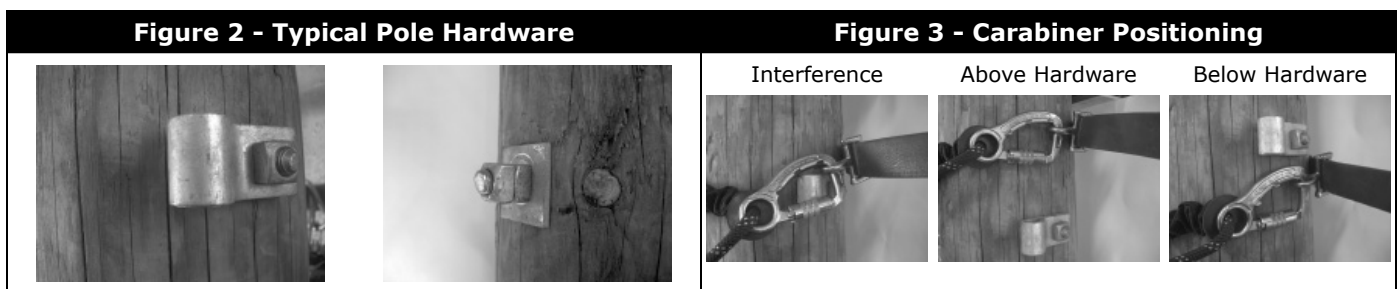
Use this Supplemental Instruction with the DBI Sala User Instruction Manual 5903095. This supplement addresses potential Captive Eye Carabiner Twist-Gate interference issues.

The DBI-SALA Cynch-Lok Fall Restricting Pole Strap (Figure 1) is safe to use provided the following precautions are taken by linemen. A remote risk exists that the double locking captive eye carabiner can be forced to roll open if the gate is compressed against pole hardware.



During the climbing or descending process or while in a working position on the pole, it is possible for the captive eye carabiner to come in contact with various pole hardware elements. Figure 2 shows examples of typical pole hardware.

If such contact occurs while under pressure of loading the carabiner against the hardware, it is possible for the hardware element to interfere with the normal function gate of the captive eye carabiner, as shown in Figure 3.



Although it is extremely unlikely that such a condition will result in a fall hazard, linemen need to be aware of the potential for this type of interaction with the captive eye carabiner.

When using the Cynch-Lok system, Capital Safety recommends that linemen use caution while working around pole hardware. Do not allow the captive eye carabiner to rest on or against such hardware while in a work position, if possible. Working above or below the hardware is preferred to avoid possible interference (see Figure 3).

Please note that other fall protection manufacturers use captive eye carabiners that are similar to the DBI-SALA version.



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