

# **MAXICROC FOR WORKERS AT HEIGHT (BUILDERS, FORESTRY SPECIALISTS AND ELECTRICIANS)**



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Maxicroc is an easy-to-use Swiss made device which enables you to pass a rope around a distant object in order to secure it. Maxicroc is a brand new invention which has been tested by professionals in various fields and used to increase their performance, their efficiency and their safety at work. The main advantage with using Maxicroc to secure a rope is that you can do so without taking any risks, with extreme ease and speed, and can therefore maintain higher safety standards.

## **IF YOU ARE INVOLVED IN A FIELD THAT WORKS AT HEIGHT**

The most secure way to work at height, for instance when ascending a tree or a pylon, is to have two anchor points; the first one needs to be as high as possible combined with the use of an adjustable lanyard and the second one needs to be closer and more mobile, generally used with a shorter lanyard.

It's predominantly during the installation of the highest anchor point that the Maxicroc becomes an essential tool and asset. The fact that the anchor point has to be as high as possible, means that precision is required in order to reach it. The Maxicroc enables you to be quick and precise in reaching your target.



### **1) Forestry specialists**

Most tree professionals work by step by step by reaching the first branch, ascending to it and then reaching a higher second branch, etc. It's only after reaching the first branch that they can start to work with two ropes, one of them being the backup. This is important to point out as it means that with traditional means, the security is not complete during the first step of the work. Furthermore, the installation can be long and fastidious depending on the type of tree.



Using the Maxicroc will help you to install with speed and precision the highest anchor point or reach the highest branch. Furthermore, the security of the worker will be effective immediately. All the tree professionals, currently using the Maxicroc, agree that they can execute their activities safer and quicker. For a live demonstration, please check out our video on our website [www.maxicroc.com](http://www.maxicroc.com)

### **2) Electricians and workers at height**

The approach for ascending a pylon or a post is pretty similar to that of the forestry specialists. The adjacent picture shows you the use of two closed fixed points. It would be even better if the second anchor point would be higher up. When an accident occurs from a fall, injuries are generally caused by the impact, not by the fall itself. The use of a higher anchor point with an adjustable rope significantly diminishes the impact.



When you use the Maxicroc, you can reach a higher anchor point with precision and ease. This is a win-win situation for the company and for its workers.

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The Maxicroc was invented by a Swiss engineer, Jean-Marc Massy, working on high voltage electrical wires and pylons. During his daily activity, he constantly had to fasten a security line and he wasted a lot of time and energy trying to pass the line around the different cables or pylons. He invented Maxicroc in 2008 and this device is now used by all his colleagues.