

SLIK® DAIWAVT-551 II

Operating Instructions

Thank you very much for choosing SLIK product.

SLIK Corporation has designed to be a sturdy, rugged, dependable product that will provide you with many years of satisfactory use. Please take a few moments to read this operating instruction carefully before use so that you can take full advantage of many fine features. Retain this operating instruction in case you might want to refer back to it.

This caution icon refers to information pertaining to important safety procedures in preventing injuries, or damages which may occur as a result of mishandling this product.

○ Prohibition

This prohibited icon refers to information pertaining to prohibited contents. Please refer to instructions closely to avoid accidents.

Specification

Folded length 675mm

Max. operating height 1,375mm

Bowl leveler 60mm

Weight 1,960g

+80/-67° Tilt range

T048

Pan Head Components Video pin (retractable) Quick release shoe Camera mouting screw (U1/4") Pan & Tilt handle Shoe locking lever Tilt lock lever Bowl leveler Handle lock knob Leg angle adjustment lock Belt for strap Pan lock lever Leveler *The Bubble Level on the tripod does not guarantee that the equipment Bowl lock knob Please check the level on your equipment if necessary. Load capacity Carrying the tripod **O** Prohibition **○** Prohibition

This product has been designed to handle equipment weighing under 3 kgs.

Do not overload.

Some equipment weighing under 3 kgs, such as long lenses, may not balance well due to its weight distribution.

In such cases, please use a larger tripod.



Carrying a tripod with equipment attached can result in unexpected accidents.

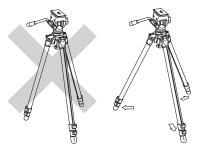
Remove your equipment while carrying the tripod.

Setting up

Rubber leg tip

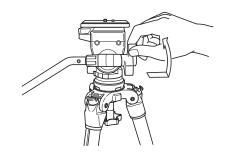
Leg lock lever

♠ Caution



To prevent accidental equipment fall or tripod tipping over, making sure all levers, knobs and handles on the tripod are securely tightened. And all three legs are opened completely.

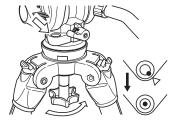
Install the Pan & Tilt Handle



Please remove the Handle lock knob, and insert Pan & Tilt handle in the axis hole.

Please tighten the knob with required angle. You can change the position of the knob when you pull the knob.

Adjust the level of pan head

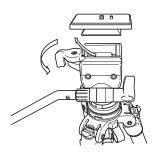


Adjust the level before putting the camera on the pan head.

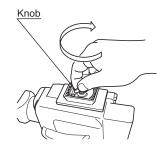
- 1) Loosen the bowl lock knob and adjust the bubble in the level to fit into the red color mark.
- 2) Tighten the bowl lock knob.
- This is just rough aim and recommendable to test in advance before operating.



Attaching equipment to the quick release shoe



Remove the quick release shoe from the pan head by turning the shoe locking lever. Do not attempt to return the shoe locking lever by force. It remains in it's open position when the quick release shoe is not in place.



Attach your equipment to the quick release shoe after aligning the video pin with the locating hole on the base of the equipment.

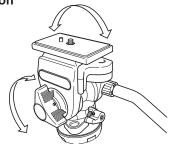
Fix the quick release shoe to the equipment firmly by turning the screw knob.

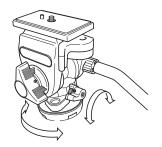


Attach the equipment onto the pan head and lock the shoe firmly with the shoe locking lever.

Using the pan head

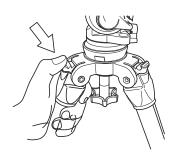






Leg angle adjustment

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To change the angle of each leg, close the leg slightly, and the push the leg angle adjustment lock out.

There is a choice of two other angle positions.

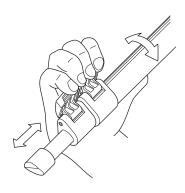
Loosen the tilt lock lever, and the head will back and forth.

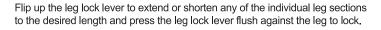
Loosen the pan lock lever, and the head will rotate along the horizontal direction.

* Since the pan head has the structure of a smooth feeling on operation, it looks sometimes locked while it is unlocked actually.

Please be sure to lock a tilt lock lever when you leave from your tripod.

Attachment Accessory







It is easier to extend the tripod logs if you turn the leg-tips to the foot, while leaving legs close.

Care of the product

- DO NOT apply any grease or oil to this product.
- Clean with a mild detergent and a soft cloth only.
- DO NOT use the unit close to flame. Avoid extreme heat.



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