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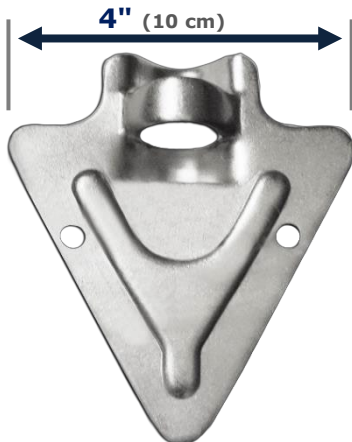
4ST-60CC | Specification

4" steel arrowhead with 5' cable and cable clamps



Anchor

Galvanized steel



Cable

Galvanized steel aircraft cable

Diameter: 3/16" (4.8 mm)

Length: 5' (1.5 m)

Breaking strength:
4,200 lb (18.7 kN)

Available in stainless steel
as special order

Cable clamps

Galvanized steel



Use all three clamps for
maximum loop strength
(approx. 90% of cable
breaking strength)

LOAD CAPACITY

Pullout strength at MINIMUM DEPTH 2 1/2' (.8 m)



Soil Class 1	Soil Class 2	Soil Class 3	Soil Class 4	Soil Class 4
Hardpan Asphalt	Sandy gravel Very dense sand	Silty/clayey sand Silty gravel	Loose/med dense sands Loose sands Firm clays	Loose fine un- compacted sand
3,500 lb 15.6 kN	2,200 lb 9.79 kN	1,900 lb 8.45 kN	900 lb 4.00 kN	475 lb 2.11 kN

Soil classification per ASTM D-2487/2488



4ST-60CC | Installation

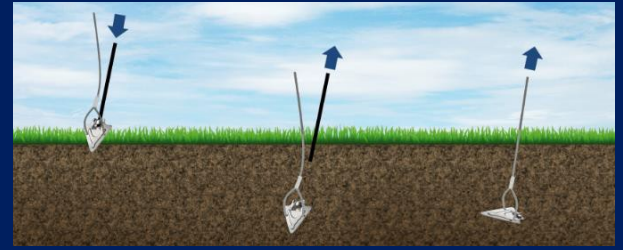
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Don't use rebar – it can get stuck in the anchor!



Drive rod fits into back of arrowhead



1 DRIVE
anchor to minimum depth of 2½' (.8 m)

2 REMOVE
the drive rod

3 PULL
the cable to turn ("lock") the anchor

Into the ground

3' (.9 m) drive rod

¾" (19 mm) diameter

DR-4ST



Hammering head
DRH-SM



Safety holding handle
DR-SHH



Sledge hammer



Demolition hammer

Locking the anchor



During locking, anchor will pull up as it turns, settles, and locks. Depending on soil type, this can typically be 1-5 inches (3-13 cm).

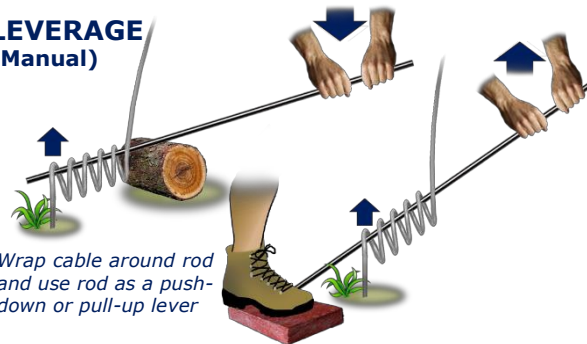
SIMPLE PULL



Wrap cable around rod, hold coils down, and PULL

Most common method for this size anchor

LEVERAGE (Manual)



Wrap cable around rod and use rod as a push-down or pull-up lever

LEVERAGE (Mechanical)

Not usually needed for this size anchor



Ratchet-lever hoist ("come-along")

Bumper jack

Through asphalt

Make slot through asphalt



One method:
Jackhammer with chisel



Non-vertical load

Install at same angle as load for maximum pullout strength

