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# **Terms and definitions**

Terms	Definitions	
Certified technician	Person who has gone through the relevant training associated with the scheduled task from Avanti or from a certified trainer and is in possession of a valid (non expired) certificate for the task.	
User	Person who has gone through the relevant training associated with the Avanti service lift use and daily inspection and is in possession of a valid (non expired) certificate for the task.	
Manual descent	Action performed to descend the lift at a controlled speed without power supply by manually opening the hoist electromagnetic brake. (Also manual no-power descent)	

## **1 WTG requirements**

The following information is necessary for the correct integration of the service lift inside a wind turbine tower.

#### 1.1 Height and angle

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The service lift can be installed in towers up to 150 m high for Pegasus L03.

The maximum inclination angle to the ladder axis is of  $\pm 2^{\circ}$  and of  $\pm 0.5^{\circ}$  for every 3 m of ladder.

#### 1.2 Lift holes at platforms and air gap to tower parts

The service lift must have an air gap of at least 25 mm around it along the tower to avoid collision with tower components and to avoid finger trapping. The wind tower manufacturer must verify this as part of the integration process not only in the static position but also considering possible movement of components inside the tower as a consequence of the tower sway.



The gaps on the loading side of the service lift shall conform to the applicable requirements of 5.11 of ASME A17.1-2013/CSA B44-13  $^{10}$ .



The components subject to possible movement inside the tower may include, but are not limited to, dampers, cables, doors, hatches, etc. The service lift needs a gap of 500mm below the lowest landing area to accommodate the bottom mechanical stop.

#### 1.3 Tower brackets

The ladder is attached to the tower brackets by means of ladder anchorages (there shall be a ladder anchorage in each ladder section). These may be distanced maximum 3000 mm for Pegasus L03 between ladder rungs attachments.

The tower brackets shall be so designed that the ladder anchorages can be mounted.

When designing the tower brackets, the reaction forces on the screws shall be considered.

The general requirements stated above may vary depending on the installation characteristics. Contact AVANTI to get detailed information.







#### 1.4 WTG electrical supply requirements

Electrical supply requirements			
Version	Requirements		
Power Supply Type	3 Phase +PE + N		
Voltage	400 V ± 10 %		
Frequency	50 / 60 Hz		
Current	16 A		
Protection	Acc. To EN 60204 - 1 and EN 60204-32		

### **1.5 Tower illumination**

The platform control boxes shall be properly illuminated (e.g. an illumination of at least 50 lux according to EN 50308).

The loading side of the platform holes shall be properly illuminated.

The landing platform shall be properly illuminated (e.g. an illumination of not less than 27 lx at the standing surface according to A17.1, 5.11).

The tower shall provide emergency lighting in case of power failure (e.g. an illumination of at least 10 lux according to EN 50308).

#### 1.6 Other requirements

The WTG manufacturer must provide any other means necessary to ensure the safe use of the service lift according to AVANTI's recommendations and its own risk assessment for the integration that shall include items which are not under AVANTI's scope.



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A detailed list of integration requirements is available from AVANTI upon request.



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The WTG power supply must be protected against indirect contacts according to local regulations. Verify that the rated grid and motor voltages are identical.

# 2.Transport

The transport conditions shall be agreed with the customer. If special transport requirements are needed, the customer must specify them to AVANTI prior to delivery. The following conditions shall be considered.

### 2.1 Cabin

- Land transport: rear support over pallet, non-stackable.
   Dimensions for Pegasus L03 : 2800x1100x1000 mm.
- Sea transport: package using wooden box and plastic shrink on a pallet.
   Dimensions for Pegasus L03: 2800x1100x1000 mm.

## 2.2 Installation accessories

The installation accessories other than mast sections (rest platforms, power cable, etc.) are supplied on a European pallet.

### 2.3 Mast sections

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Mast sections are supplied on a pallet. The dimensions of these pallets depend on the length of mast sections being supplied.

# **3. Delivery inspection**

Check the delivery against shipping lists and look for transport damages. Should there be any damage, report it to the responsible transport insurance company within 24 hours from the date of arrival of the goods.

Other claims should be made to AVANTI representative within the same period.

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# 4. Storage

The storage conditions shall be agreed with customer. If special storage requirements are needed, customer shall specify them to AVANTI prior to delivery. The following conditions shall be considered.

# 4.1 Before installation of service lift on

## WTG tower section

Keep the service lift in its original packaging until it is mounted on the WTG tower section.

Avoid direct contact of package with floor by placing a pallet under it. Position the pallet on a stable ground. Store the service lift in a dry place and protected from rain (i.e. in roofed areas). In corrosive environments (i.e. near the sea or in foggy places) store indoors. Store in a clean and ventilated place, free of negative influences of chemical and water vapours or other corrosive substances.

Store within the survival temperature range. If possible, avoid sudden temperature changes.

Handle the service lift with care and store in a safe place in order to avoid unintended damages.

Do not stack.

Should any of these conditions not be maintained, the service lift could be spoilt with dirt or other substances, which could start corrosion before even the service lift is put into operation.

Store the package so that its labelling is clearly readable.

# 4.2 After installation of service lift on WTG tower section

After installing the service lift in the WTG tower section, confirm that the service lift is properly attached to the ladder (i.e. pinions are engaged with rack, and rollers and anti-derailment brackets are mounted).



Close top and bottom holes of WTG tower sections with covers to prevent water entry.

# 4.3 During WTG tower erection

During the erection of the WTG tower sections, and while there is risk of rain entry, protect the service lift with wrapping film to prevent water entry.



If WTG tower erection is left uncompleted, close the top hole of the WTG tower section with a cover.

# 4.4 After service lift is put into service

If the service lift is not going to be used for a long period of time:

- Clean all the parts of the service lift using non-abrasive brushes.
- Clean the pinions and racks thoroughly and grease them to prevent corrosion.

Before using the service lift, if it has not been used for a long period of time:

- Clean all the parts of the service lift of accumulated dust.
- Grease the shafts, pinions and rack.
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# **5. Installation**

## 5.1 Cautions on site

All installation process must be made according to the installation drawing supplied by AVANTI.



Prior to installation, check the instructions and drawings.

Prior to installation, ensure that building sections involved will be able to withstand the service lift loads.



Prior to installation, ensure that all necessary parts and tools are available and fully functional.



Prior to installation, ensure that platform holes are protected with fences.



Wear PPE for protection against falls if falling height us higher than 2 m.



Installation shall only be carried out by certified technicians.



The customer must define the maximum allowable wind speed ensuring safe installation.



For Pegasus L03, at the end of the workday security measures must be taken to put the service lift out of service and make the ladder accessible. Place a warning sign: OUT OF SERVICE.



The service lift may be used during its installation phase, but only to carry out the installation itself.

## 5.2 Torques assurance



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All the screw connections listed in the following tables shall be marked to indicate their position once the final tightening torque is applied.

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Check the tightening torque of all the screw connections, using an approved and calibrated torque wrench, in each of the following cases:

1. In the tower factory, during the assembly of the ladder section to the tower section.

2. On site, during the pre-commissioning, and in each annual inspection.

The correct tightening torque of each screw connection is listed the following tables.

Apply the torques indicated in the table with lubricated screws (not dry).

Only use lubricant type Molycote G-Rapid Plus.

Replace the selflocking nuts that are loose.

Mark the screws and nuts after tightening them (preferably with a white mark).



	JOINT	METRIC	TORQUE (N·M) AT TOWER FACTORY	TORQUE (N·M) ON SITE
1	Gear box –	0	15	15
	Centrifugal brake	0	15	15
2	Motor group –	o	15	15
0	Main structure	0	15	15
3	Centrifugal brake	8	15	15
4	Fall protection an-			
	chor point – Cabin	12	15	15
5	Roller shafts –			
	Main structure	12	50	50
6	Counter roller			
	guide shafts – Main	16	80	80
	structure			
7	Anti-derailment			
	brackets	8	30	30
8	Rung U-bolts	12	50	50
9	Rest platforms			
	attachment	12	50	50
10	Ladder sections	12	50	50
11	Ladder anchorages			
	- Tower brackets	12	50	12
12	Ladder – Top			
	mechanical stop	8	15	15
13	Ladder – Bottom			
	mechanical stop	8	15	15



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5.3 Installation of Pegasus L03 5.3.1 Tower section T3 in tower factory of Pegasus L03

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1. Install and adjust upper ladder section at the top of the top tower section (see Fig. 1 and installation drawing). Use 15 N·m torque for M8 and 50 N·m for M12.



2. Install the rest of the ladder sections from top to bottom (see Fig. 2).



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3. Install the rest platforms approximately every 9 m (see Fig. 3 and installation drawing).



4. Install the top mechanical stops and the top limit plate (see Fig. 4 and installation drawing). Use 15 N·m torque for M8 and 50 N·m for M12.



Fig. 4

5.3.2 Tower section T2 in tower factory of Pegasus L03

1. Install and adjust upper ladder section at the top of the intermediate tower section (see Fig. 1 and installation drawing).

2. Install the rest of the ladder sections from top to bottom (see Fig. 2).

3. Install the rest platforms approximately every 9 m (see Fig. 3 and installation drawing).

4. Install the electric cable arm support (see Fig. 5 and installation drawing).



5. (If platform switch <sup>1)</sup> on service lift is provided) install a safe zone plate on the ladder at each platform.

### 5.3.3 Tower section T1 in tower factory of Pegasus L03

1. Install and adjust upper ladder section at the top of the bottom tower section (see Fig. 1 and installation drawing).



Fig. 5

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2. Install the rest of the ladder sections from top to bottom (see Fig. 2).

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3. Install the rest platforms approximately every 9 m (see Fig. 3 and installation drawing).

4. Position the cabin inside the bottom tower section ensuring that bottom guiding rollers are aligned with a ladder anchorage support (see Fig. 6).



Fig. 6



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Mount the guiding rollers shafts into the correct holes: green shafts into green coloured holes and orange shafts into orange coloured holes.

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Fig. 8

Fig. 9

5. Install the bottom mechanical stop and the bottom limit plate (see Fig. 9 and installation drawing).

It is also possible to install the cabin and bottom mechanical stop on site.

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### 5.3.4 Installation on site of Pegasus L03

After the tower sections are erected:

1. Climb up to the second tower flange.

2. While descending to the previous tower flange, loosen connection bolts between the ladder rack anchorages from the tower support brackets.

3. Lower down the loose ladder section until it contacts the previous ladder section, so that no gap exists.

4. Tighten the connection bolts between the ladder sections (see Fig. 10).



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5. Check that the dimension C (see 6.3.2.2) is between acceptable ranges.

6. While climbing up, tighten the connecting screw (M12) between the ladder rack anchorages and tower support brackets with a torque of 12 N·m (see Fig.11).





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Check that the gap between each connecting screw (M12) and the top end of its corresponding oblong hole is at least 5 mm.

7. Climb up to next tower flange and repeat actions 2 to 5 until there are no gaps between the ladder sections.

8. Check that gap between anti-derailment bracket and ladder stile is according to point 6.3.4.

9. With the service lift at bottom platform:
9.1. For bucket type: adjust the bottom mechanical stop so that it is possible to open the double door just above the fence railing. The service lift must stop when obstruction device reaches the bottom mechanical stop (see Fig. 12).

9.2 For bucket type: with bottom limit switch configuration, adjust the bottom limit plate stop so that is possible to open the double door just above the fence railing.



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#### 5.3.5 Electrical connections on site of Pegasus L03

Electrical connections must be made in accordance with EN 60204-1 and En 60204-32.

1. Install the top and bottom platform control boxes and connect the cable connections and the electrical boxes.

2. Use cable ties to attach the fixed cable to the cable tray (see Fig. 13).



3. Install and connect the power cable.





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When unwinding the power cable, ensure that it does not present loops nor twists. If the cable length is too long wind up the cable excess and fix it to the intermediate platform by means of cable ties.

#### 5.3.6 Alignment stickers of Pegasus L03 bucket type

1. Stick the alignment sticker inside the cabin next to the grid of holes at a height of 1,5 m from cabin floor.



2. There is an alignment sticker for each tower platform. Stick the sticker on right ladder stile at a height of 1,5 m from each platform, and with triangle pointing to the left.

3. For top platform, and for ring shape platforms, stick the sticker on right ladder stile at 0,9 m under each platform, and with triangle pointing to the left.

### 5.3.7 Two runs without grease on the rack of Pegasus L03

1. Once the installation is complete, and before applying the grease on the rack, ascend and descend the service lift along the complete travel path two times. This way, any metal swarfs coming from the galvanised rack will be removed.

2. Remove the pinion covers and clean off the galvanising flakes.

- 3. Put back the pinion covers.
- 4. Grease the rack.

#### 5.3.8 Inspection before the first use of Pegasus L03

An inspection shall be carried out before the first use of the service lift.



The inspection before the first use shall only be carried out by certified technicians.

The inspection before the first use shall be carried out following and filling in the "Annual Inspection checklist" Appendix and the "Inspection log sheet" Appendix for future possible reference. The chapter "6.3 Annual inspection" shall be used as a more detailed guideline for some of the inspection steps.

#### Maintenance 6.

A maintenance is required and necessary:

- To avoid premature wear
- To prolong the lifetime of the machine
- To maintain the level of safety which the service lift was designed and manufactured to.

## 6.1 Maintenance planning



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The lift must be inspected by an expert that has been trained by AVANTI. The inspection should be annual or every 40 hours of use, whichever occurs sooner.

The service lift is designed for a lifetime of 20 years with a frequency of use of approximately 12.5 h/year of 250 h during lift. In case frequency of use is higher, service and inspections are required and replacement of components might be necessary according to the replacement criteria stated on this manual.

The traction system must be overhauled at an authorised workshop by the manufacturer for every 250 hours of operation.

The inspections shall be carried out filling in the "Annual inspection checklist" Appendix and the "Inspection log sheet" Appendix for future reference.

Frequency	Carried out by	Inspection checklist reference	Components
Daily	Supervisor	1	Travel zone
		2	Control and safety devices
		3	Cabin
At least	Certified	1	Travel zone
months,		2	Control and safety devices
depending		3	Cabin
regulations		4	Guiding system
		5	Doors and hatches
		6	Electrical system
		7	Electronic system
		8	Motor groups
		9	Overload limiter
		10	Trapped key
		11	Guard locking
		12	Platforms
		13	Information signs and documents
		14	Final assessment

## 6.2 Cautions



Before any maintenance operation check that the service lift is out of service.

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- If required secure the workplace and

- Stop working,

- Rectify the fault!

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Make sure that nobody is exposed to danger below the service lift, for instance from falling parts.

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Before any maintenance task, ensure that walking way surfaces are dry and not slippery.

During maintenance tasks, personnel shall:

- Wear at least the following PPE: fall arrest equipment (when falling height is more than 2 m), hand gloves, helmet, safety glasses and working gear.
- Place service lift at bottom platform and disconnect power supply.
- Use an electricity measuring tool when carrying out inspection of electrical components.
- Use a hand winch attachable to the ladder when handling big/ heavy loads and carried out at least by 2 persons.
- The panel parts shall be removed to facilitate access to confined spaces.
- The guiding rollers shall be replaced one by one.
- Use a cable grip when replacing travelling cable.
- Keep service lift doors closed when using a 3-step ladder.

Electrical installation tasks shall be carried out only by certified technicians.

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# 6.3 Annual inspection



Annual inspection shall only be carried out by certified technicians.

# 6.3.1 Pinions

Check that the pinions are free from deterioration, damage or abrasion.

Measure the wear limit of the pinion on the primitive line and at 3 different points, each separated 120°. The "A" dimension shall be within the range stated in the table.

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The pinion replacement criteria is shown in the table below:

DIMENSION	NEW PINION (mm)	REPLACEMENT CRITERIA (mm)
A	27.49	< 26.49

# 6.3.2 Ladder rack



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The personnel shall inspect the full length of the ladder by climbing along the ladder.

1. Check that the rack is free from deterioration, damage or abrasion.

2. Check that the ladder has no cracks, dents or damages.



The detailed instructions of the measuring procedure of the rack and pinions are available from AVANTI upon request.

### 6.3.2.1 Wear limit

 Using a calibrated rod of Ø 12 mm h6, check that the dimension control "B" is between 33.39 and 34.59 mm.
 Repeat this measurement on each mast section.



The rack replacement criteria is shown in the table below:

DIMENSION	NEW RACK (mm)	REPLACEMENT CRITERIA (mm)
В	34.59	< 33.39

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### 6.3.2.2 Tolerance between 2 consecutive ladder sections

Using 2 calibrated rods of Ø 12 mm h6 check that the distance "C" is within the range described in the following table.



DIMENSION	MINIMUM (mm)	MAXIMUM (mm)
с	49.1	49.9

### 6.3.2.3 Looseness limit:

To evaluate the looseness, check that the control dimension "D" is within the range described in the following table. If "D" is not OK, the shafts of the counter guiding rollers need to be revised.



DIMENSION	MINIMUM (mm)	MAXIMUM (mm)
D	57	58

### 6.3.2.4 Lubricate the rack

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Check that the lubricant on the rack and pinions is in proper conditions. If the lubricant is not in proper conditions, proceed as follows:

1. Place the lift at the bottom platform and disconnect the power supply.

2. Clean the old lubricant off the rack and pinions. 3. Use a grease gun and a zipper sleeve to lubricate the low pinion through the lubricating nipple.



4. Turn on the power supply and enter the lift. 5. Remove the female adaptor form the grease gun and connect the gun to the lubricating hose. Its location is indicated by means of a lubricating point sign. 6. Apply lubricant to the top pinion from inside the cabin

throughout the ascent.

7. Repeat the lubrication throughout the descent. 8. If necessary, clean the excess of new lubricant off the rack.



### The type of grease shall be LUBERKRAFFT KL.

In case of using an equivalent grease, it must be previously verified by AVANTI.

## 6.3.3 Guiding rollers and counter guiding rollers

Clean and lubricate the rack every time you replace a section of the ladder. If use is more severe, it will be necessary to lubricate more often.

1. Check that the outer surface of the rollers is uniform and free from damage.

2. Check that the control dimension "E" on each counter guiding roller is within the range described in the following table.

DIMENSION	NEW COUNTER GUIDING ROLLER (mm)	REPLACEMENT CRITERIA (mm)
E	50	<48

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3. Check that the control dimension "F" on each guiding roller is within the range described in the following table.

DIMENSION	NEW GUIDING ROLLER (mm)	REPLACEMENT CRITERIA (mm)
F	50	<46



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### 6.3.4 Anti-derailment brackets

Check that the gaps between the anti-derailment brackets and the ladder stiles are within the ranges described in the following table.

DIMENSION	MINIMUM (mm)	MAXIMUM (mm)		
G (L03)	7	9		
H (L03)	6	8		
I (L03)	6	10		
J (L03)	3	4		

Check the gaps on ALL the antiderailment brackets.

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### 6.3.5 Torques assurance

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Check the torques of the screws. See point 5.2.1.

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## 6.3.6 Overload limiter

1. Introduce 250 kg inside the cabin for Pegasus L03.

Press and hold the UP button. The lift shall ascend.
 Introduce 25 kg more for Pegasus L03 (275 kg in total) inside the cabin.

4. Press and hold the UP button. The lift shall not ascend, and the overload light (yellow) shall light up.5. If any of the previous steps is unsatisfactory, readjust the overload limiter by following the instructions of the "Adjustment of the overload limiter" Appendix.

# 6.3.7 Motor group

### 6.3.7.1 Gear box

1. Visually check for oil leaks. If an oil leak is found, certified technicians shall check that the gear box is proper conditions.

2. If needed, replace the gasket of the gear box cover, and re-fill with oil as needed.

3. Then close the cover of the gear box and apply the correct torque to the screws.

### 6.3.7.2 Centrifugal brakes

If the hour counter reads 90 h or more since the last inspection of the centrifugal brakes follow the steps below.

1. Open the motor cover.

2. Dismount the bottom motor from the centrifugal brake.

3. Extract the brake hub from the brake housing.

4. Replace brake linings if their thickness less than 1,5 mm.

5. Insert the brake hub back in the brake housing.

6. Mount the bottom motor on the centrifugal brake.

7. Repeat the previous steps with the top motor.

8. Close the motor cover.

Record the thickness measurings and the hour counter reading in the "Inspection log sheet" Appendix. The detailed instructions of the adjustment of the motor brakes are available from AVANTI upon request.

This operation shall be done only by certified technicians and following the centrifugal brake manufacturer instructions.

### 6.3.7.3 Electromagnetic brakes

The test and adjustment of the electromagnetic brakes shall be done only by certified technicians and following the steps described in the "Test and adjustment of the electromagnetic brakes" Appendix.

### 6.3.8 Obstruction devices

Clean and lubricate the guiding shafts of the top and bottom obstruction devices, in order to guarantee that the obstruction devices compress and decompress properly.

#### 6.3.9 Bottom and top mechanical stops

1. Check that the bottom and top mechanical stops are not bent.

2. If the mechanical stops are bent, fix them, and revise the bottom, top and emergency limit switches thoroughly.

### 6.4 Ordering spare parts

Only original parts must be used. Spare parts list is available from AVANTI upon request.

# 7. Disassembling

The disassembling shall be done following the installation instructions but in reverse order.

The disposal shall be done in accordance with local authority regulations.

# **Appendix A: Adjustment of the overload limiter**

certified technicians and following the steps described below.

# **A.1 Workflow**



The adjustment of the overload limiter shall be done only by

### A.2 Buttons

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The "P" button is used to confirm the value and to continue to the next step. The "UP Arrow" button is used to change the value of a parameter.



"P" button "UP Arrow" button





7. Once the "no load" setting is set, the display shows "NC" which means "number of cells". 8. Press the "P" button. The display should show "4". (Informational note: this value should be set 4 from factory.) 8.1 If the display shows "4", press the "P" button to confirm. 8.2 If the display shows a value different to "4", correct it by pressing the "UP Arrow" button and finally confirm by pressing the "P" button. 9. The display shows "AL2", which is the top overload limit to be set. 10. Press the "P" button.

The display shows the triggering limit of the overload limiter. It must be 265 kg for Pegasus L03.

10.1 If the display shows "265" for Pegasus L03 press the "P" button.

The display shows "NO". Finally, press the "P" button. The display shows "0 0". The process is finished. 10.2 If the display does not show "265" for Pegasus L03, press the "P" button. The display shows "NO". 10.2.1 Press the "UP Arrow" button.

The display shows "SI". 10.2.2 Press the "P" button. The display shows a dot next to the third digit. 10.2.3 Press the "UP Arrow" button to modify the value of the third digit as needed. 10.2.4 Press the "P" button. The display shows a dot next to the second digit. 10.2.5 Press the "UP Arrow" button to modify the value of the second digit as needed. 10.2.6 Press the "P" button. The display shows a dot next to the first digit. 10.2.7 Press the "UP Arrow" button to modify the value of the first digit as needed. 10.2.8 Finally, press the "P" button. The display shows "0 0". The process is finished.







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# **A.3 Instructions**

1. Switch ON the lift and open the cabin control box. The display shows "0 0".

2. Press and hold the "P" button for 2 or 3 seconds until the display shows "CAb".

3. Press the "P" button. The display shows "tr".

4. Press the "P" button. The display shows "NO".

5. Press the "UP Arrow" button. The display shows "SI".

6. Press the "P" button. The display shows "SI". It is flashing.

You have 10 seconds to get out the lift.

Then the lift measures the weight of the empty cabin.

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# **Appendix D: AVANTI lift anchor**

# **D.1 Caution**

AVANTI LIFT ANCHOR is an anchor point used for protection against falls from heights intended for use with a full body harness approved according to EN 361 or Z359.1:2007 as applicable. Connection to the LIFT ANCHOR is only allowed by using self-closing connectors according to EN 362 or Z359.1:2007 as applicable.

Use in connection with other equipment than specified, may be potentially dangerous. User shall be equipped with a means of limiting the maximum dynamic forces exerted on the user during the arrest of a fall to a maximum of 6kN. In case of doubt, please contact AVANTI.

The maximum load that can be transmitted in service from the anchor device to the structure is 22.2 kN in  $\pm 15^{\circ}$  vertical direction. The maximum deflection of the anchor point that can occur in service is 10mm.

AVANTI LIFT ANCHOR is tested and approved only to be mounted on AVANTI lifts. This manual always needs to be represented in language of sale and provided for use by all technicians. Activities at height are dangerous and may lead to severe injury or even death.

Gaining an adequate apprenticeship in appropriate techniques and methods of protection is important and is your own responsibility. Users are obliged to read and understand this User Manual. Further they need to be proper equipped and instructed with the use of the necessary fall arrest equipment and emergency procedures in case of injury or sudden illness.

Users going to install AVANTI LIFT ANCHOR need to be familiar with the installation section of this manual. It's essential to the safety, that the user always attach the energy absorber as high as possible above his/her position, to minimize the fall distance most possible in case of a fall.

The position of the anchor point is crucial for fall arrest – the height of the fall, elongation of lanyard and energy absorber or pendulum movement of the user should be considered in order to minimize the risk of impact in obstacles in case of a fall. It's prohibited for the user to do many modifications or use non original Avanti components when assembling AVANTI LIFT ANCHOR.

Re-use of demounted AVANTI LIFT ANCHORS or parts is not allowed. Any changes or other uses beyond this manual are strictly forbidden.

Any changes or other uses beyond this manual are strictly forbidden. This documentation must be kept in the service lift for the purpose of subsequent examinations of the anchor device.

## **D.2 Danger**

The AVANTI LIFT ANCHOR is for the use of one person only. It is strictly forbidden to carry out work if the person is in unfit mental or physical condition. Climbing and working under the influence of alcohol, drugs or any medication which can interfere with the safety are also much prohibited. If there are any doubts to the safety of the AVANTI LIFT ANCHOR, or it isn't proper fixed, deform or damaged with cracks or similar incompatible harms it may never be used – Please contact the manufacture immediately. In case of corrosion the anchor immediately needs to be removed.

#### Observations:

Only to be used by instructed workers! Instructed workers must be aware, instructed and prepared to utilize site rescue plans.

Only to be used for preventing vertical fall!

Only to be used for fall arrest, not to hoist or hang in goods or similar! Before attaching in the ANCHOR the user needs to check it is sitting fixed and screws are sitting tight and proper.

If AVANTI LIFT ANCHOR has arrested a fall it may never be used again. Part must be removed from service immediately.

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# **D.3 Marking**

Marking on Lift Anchor plate:



After installation, marking shall be completely accessible; otherwise additional marking near the anchor device will be necessary.

# **D.4 Installation**

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The installation must be performed by a certified technician following the instructions of this manual.

AVANTI LIFT ANCHOR is tested and approved only to be installed on AVANTI lift. AVANTI LIFT ANCHOR made from AISI 304 Steel has to be screwed with two bolts DIN 933 A2-70 M12 mm, 4 washers DIN 125A A4 and self locking nuts DIN 985 A4 M12. In case of doubt, please contact AVANTI.

Before installing the AVANTI LIFT ANCHOR in heights, assure to be proper secured against fall from height by using relevant fall arrest equipment.



1. Fix the anchor point to the structure using the supplied hardware as shown in the picture below.

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2. Torque the nuts with 15 N·m (11 lb·ft).

3. Make sure the Anchor is fully seated and properly tightened.

4. Fill in "Installation form".

5. Carry out yearly inspection by following the procedure in the section "Inspection".



# **D.5 Inspection**

#### After installation:

An inspection must be carried out by a certified technician following the inspection form in this manual.

#### Before use:

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Each time using the AVANTI LIFT ANCHOR the user inspects the ANCHOR visual and manually by twisting / pulling. Check the parts are properly fixed and free of deformities, damages, cracks or similar unacceptable defects. Periodical examination:

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A periodic examination at least every 12 month is essential for the safety of the AVANTI LIFT ANCHOR. The examination must be performed by a certified technician following the inspection form in this manual.

For the AVANTI LIFT ANCHOR the certified technician only needs to be trained in any metallic component covered by the European/American standard norms for fall arrest equipment.

## **D.6 Inspection form**

	Manufacturer:	Avanti
PFPE Anchor:	Type / Model:	Lift Anchor
	Identification no.:	
Fixing structure:	Lift serial no.:	
	Lift model:	
	Wind farm / WTG no.:	
Installed by:		
Installation company:		

OK not OK

1. Lift structure does not show any deterioration.	
2. Anchor locking screws are fully inserted and tightened with 15 $N \cdot m.$	
3. Anchor does not show cracks, deformities, corrosion or other damages.	
4. Anchor installed on the lift structure according to the instructions.	
5. Anchor marking is clearly readable.	



Signature of competent: Name of competent in capital letters: Date:

If the AVANTI LIFT ANCHOR is found not OK, it must be removed / replaced by a new AVANTI LIFT ANCHOR! The result of the periodic examination must be recorded in the Registration form of anchor.

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**D.7 Registration form of anchor** 

Avanti lift Anchor			Identification no.:		Avanti Wind Systems, S.L. Calle Ángeles (Los), Num. 88	
				50198 Muela (La) - (Zaragoza) - Spain P: +34 976 149524 F: +34 976 149508 www.avanti-online.com		
	Date of purchase:		Date first put into service:			
	Per	iodic	examination a	and repair hist	tory	
Date	Reason for entry (per. ex	(am)	OK / not OK	Inspector	Periodic exam next due date	

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Appendix E: Service tool kit<sup>1)</sup> for Pegasus L03

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## **E.1 Description**

The service tool kit is an optional portable tool that allows a user to ride on top of the service lift in order to perform installation and service tasks along the travel zone:

• During erection of WTG: installing WTG power supply and auxiliary cables running close to the lift.

Maintenance: tightening and verifying torque of WTG flange bolts.

Repair: replacing components which are accessible from the lift: lights, junction boxes and cables.



1. When STK is mounted on lift:

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- the top obstruction device (roof) is compressed and therefore activated; consequently control is interrupted.

2. When STK is mounted on lift and service control box is connected:

- the controls of cabin control box and platform control boxes are overridden, but

- the controls of service control box are still not operational.

3. When STK is mounted on lift, service control box is connected, NORMAL/SERVICE selector of cabin control box is turned to SERVICE position:

- the controls of cabin control box and platform control boxes are overridden.

- the controls of service control box are operational, and

- the rated load inside the cabin is decreased from 250 kg to 30 kg. This way it is not possible to travel inside the cabin when STK is installed.

The connection of the service control box does not override any safety: if any hatch, door or limit switch, or emergency stop button, is activated, no travel will be possible. There are three controls available on the service control box: UP and DOWN buttons and an emergency stop button. Horizontal railings have non-slip surface.

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### **E.2 Technical specifications**

Service tool kit				
Service tool kit weight	<25 kg			
Rated load inside the cabin when service tool kit	30 kg			
installed				
Max. nº persons inside the cabin	0 person			
Max. nº persons on service tool kit	1 person			
Free working space (W x D)	583 x 500 mm			
Height of guardrail	1100 mm			

# E.3 Dimensions

Space inside the service tool kit is limited to one user only.

# E.4 Cabin control box

When service tool kit is supplied, the cabin control box features a NORMAL/SERVICE selector.

Cabin control box with service



- 1. Platform Light (Green)
- 2. Fault Light (Red)
- 3. Up / Down Buttons
- 4. Normal / Service Selector
- 5. Buzzer for Send <sup>1)</sup> and
- **Call Operations**
- 6. Overload Light (Yellow)
- 7. Ready Light (Green)
- 8. On / Off Selector (Green)

- 9. Emergency Stop Button

- E.5 Cautions



Only one user on service tool kit is allowed.

During service tool kit travelling, no person is allowed inside the cabin. During service tool kit travelling, user shall constantly verify that travel zone is free of obstacles.

During service tool kit travelling, user shall be attached to service anchor point at all times.

During service tool kit travelling, user shall use both hands to actuate the two-hand control buttons.

During service tool kit travelling, user shall not extend body parts beyond the service tool kit perimeter.

During service tool kit travelling, no person is allowed at platforms located over it.

<sup>1)</sup>Optional

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# E.6 Information signs and documents

The following information signs and documents are supplied with the service tool kit and shall always be available.

Location	Document				
Service tool kit	Standing on top only with service tool kit sticker				
	Quick guide of service tool kit				
	Electrical hazard warning sticker				
	Evacuation guide of service tool kit				
	Pull to release sticker <sup>1)</sup>				



Standing on top only with service tool kit sticker



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Electrical hazard warning sticker

# **E.7 WTG integration requirements**

Service tool kit

quick guide

Evacuation guide of

service tool kit

Special attention shall be given to the integration of the service tool kit in the WTG.

WTG component	General integration requirements		
Fences of intermediate and top platforms.	Top surfaces of horizontal railings shall feature non-slip treatment.		

# E.8 Service top limit plate

The service top limit switches override those ones on the cabin. They are activated by a service top limit plate, which shall be installed on the ladder so that top obstruction device (roof) is at least 2500 mm from overhead tower components when the service lift reaches its maximum top travel.



# E.9 Installation

The preassembled set can be entered through the tower door. The service tool kit is installed on the top of the cabin and fastened with bolts through lifting eyes.

- 1. Install the service top limit plate on the ladder.
- 2. Remove the front and back roof extensions.



- 3. Fix the lifting eyes on to the cabin.
- 4. Position the preassembled structure over the service lift roof.

5. Insert the bolts through the vertical profiles, the three lifting eyes and the reinforment for installation.

- 6. Tight the bolts with nuts.
- 7. Connect the service control box to the cabin control box.

8. Turn the NORMAL/SERVICE selector of the cabin control box to the SERVICE position.

Disassembling is done in reverse order.



After the service tool kit has been disassembled from the service lift, perform an inspection filling in the "Annual inspection checklist" Appendix and the "Inspection log sheet" Appendix. After the service tool kit has been disassembled from the service lift, remember to remove the lifting eyes, the reinforcement for installation and the service top limit plate! And remember to install the front and back roof extensions!



<sup>1)</sup>Optional

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Disassembling is done in reverse order.



When standing on top of cabin, installer shall be attached to safety ladder by means of the fall arrest equipment.

Use a hand winch attachable to the ladder to safely elevate preassembled service tool kit over service lift.



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After installation of the service tool kit and before use, an inspection must be performed following the "E.15 Inspection checklist" and results shall be recorded in "Inspection log sheet" Appendix.

# E.10 Instructions for use at

## **bottom platform**

To access service tool kit from bottom platform:

- 1. Level service lift floor with platform floor.
- 2. Climb up the internal cabin ladder.
- 3. Open top hatch and climb through it, using the lateral nonslip railings of the service tool kit.
- 4. Close the top hatch.
- 5. Hook your fall arrest equipment to the service anchor point.
- 6. Press and hold the UP and OK buttons simultaneously (two-hand controls) to ascend.

Egress from service tool kit is done in reverse order.



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### E.11 Instructions for use at intermediate and top platforms

To egress to intermediate and top platforms from service tool kit:

1. Level service lift roof with platform floor.

2. Attach second fall arrest equipment to guiding ladder.

3. Release first fall arrest equipment from service anchor point.

3. Climb over service tool kit fence and overpass platform fence as specified by manufacturer.

4. Release fall arrest equipment from guiding ladder.

To access the service tool kit from intermediate and top platforms:

1. Attach fall arrest equipment to guiding ladder.

2. Overpass platform fence as specified by manufacturer and climb over service tool kit fence.

3. Attach second fall arrest equipment to the service anchor point.

4. Release fall arrest equipment from guiding ladder.

# **E.12 Safety measures**

If lift is stopped between platforms with unconscious person on service tool kit:

1. Climb up to the lift.

2. Check that victim has no body parts extending through service tool kit perimeter.

3. Enter the cabin through the bottom hatches.

4. Perform manual descent to the closest

platform.

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5. Use a hand winch attached to a ladder to elevate the victim over service tool kit and to place him on platform floor.



When attaching the shock absorber to the guiding ladder, it must be hooked to the right stile (no rack side).

# E.13 Maintenance planning

Frequency	Performed by	Components		
Daily	Supervisor	Control and safety devices of service tool kit (only when mounted)		
Annually	Certified technicians	Control and safety devices of service tool kit (only when mounted)		



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# E.14 Troubleshooting

Breakdown	#	Cause	Solution	
The service tool kit cannot	A1	It overrides cabin control box.	Use service control box.	
		Service emergency top limit switch (S13r) is activated.	Perform manual descent from inside the cabin until switch is released.	
Service tool kit can descend but cannot ascend.	B1	Service top limit switch (S1.1r) is activated.	Descend service tool kit until switch is released.	

# E.15 Inspection checklist

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1	CONTROL & SAFETY DEVICES OF SERVICE TOOL KIT	ок	Not OK	ISSUE DESCRIPTION
1.1	Top limit plate is placed so that top obstruction device (roof) is at least 2500 mm from the overhead tower components when the service lift reaches its maximum top travel.			
1.2	The lifting eyes, the reinforcement for installation and the fixing bolts are properly mounted: so that service tool kit activates the top obstruction device (roof).			
1.3	Turn NORMAL/SERVICE selector of cabin control box to NORMAL position: controls of cabin control box do not function. And controls of service control box do not function.			
1.4	Turn NORMAL/SERVICE selector of cabin control box to SERVICE position: controls of cabin control box do not function. And controls of service control box function.			
1.5	Insert around 40 kg inside the cabin: controls of service control box do not function. Then, remove the 40 kg.			
1.6	Press and hold UP and second hand buttons simultaneously (two-hand controls): ascent is possible (2 m).			
1.7	While triggering service top limit switch (S1.1r), press and hold UP and second hand buttons simultaneously: ascent is not possible.			
1.8	While triggering service top limit switch (S1.1r), press and hold DOWN and second hand buttons simultane- ously: descent is possible (1 m).			
1.9	Press and hold DOWN and second hand buttons simultaneously (two-hand controls): descent is possible (1 m).			
1.10	While triggering service emergency top limit switch (S13r), press and hold UP/DOWN and second hand but- tons simultaneously: ascent/descent is not possible.			
1.11	Press emergency stop button of service control box, and press and hold UP/DOWN and second hand buttons simultaneously: ascent/descent is not possible.			
1.12	Pull to release emergency stop button, and press and hold UP/DOWN and second hand buttons simultane- ously: ascent/descent is possible (0.5 m).			
1.13	All emergency stop buttons function properly.			
1.14	Bottom obstruction switches sit and function properly.			
1.15	Bottom cabin hatch switch sits and functions properly.			
1.16	Bottom obstruction hatch switch sits and functions properly.			
1.17	Top hatch switch sits and functions properly.			
1.18	(If provided) Bottom limit switch sits and functions properly.			
1.19	(If provided) Door switch sits and functions properly.			
1.20	(If provided) Door guard locking switch (S19.3) sits and functions properly.			
1.21	Service anchor point is free of damage and properly installed.			

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# Appendix F: Test and adjustment of the electromagnetic brakes

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The test and adjustment of the electromagnetic brakes shall be carried out only by certified technicians and following the steps described below.

1. Readjust the overload limiter to allow to carry 315 kg for Pegasus L03 in the cabin. To do so, follow the instructions of the "Adjustment of the overload limiter" Appendix of the manual, but inserting a value of 320 instead of 265 for Pegasus L03.

2. Load the cabin with 315 kg.

3. Release one of the 2 motor brakes by actuating its manual descent actuator.

4. While keeping the brake open, press and hold the DOWN button and stop after 3 m. The brake shall stop and hold the lift (the lift shall not slide down).

5. If the brake fails to stop and hold the lift, go to point 9.

6. Repeat the test with the second motor brake. If the second brake fails to stop and hold the lift, go to point 9.

7. Unload the cabin.

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8. Readjust the overload limiter to allow to carry 250 kg for Pegasus L03. To do so, follow the instructions of the "Adjustment of the overload limiter" Appendix of the manual. The process is finished.

9. Measure the thickness of the brake disc. Replace the brake disc if needed.



10. Measure the gap between the magnetic body and the anchor plate. Adjust the gap if needed.



Between 0.3 and 0.4 mm

11. Measure the gap between the magnetic body and the handle. Adjust the gap if needed.



12. Repeat the measurements with the second electromagnetic brake.

13. After replacing or adjusting, repeat the dynamic tests (go to point 3).



The detailed instructions of the adjustment of the electromagnetic brakes are available from AVANTI upon request.

Workflow:



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