











#### ESG & ESG/8 EXPANDABLE SINGLE 6' & 8' OFFSET FOOTBALL GOALS PARTS LIST

* * *	4" x 42" red nylon streamer	Streamer	3C
* * *	5/16" eyebolt, stainless steel	Eyebolt	3B
* 4	Uprights have a cap at the top welded then powdercoated white or yellow:  4" o.d. x .125 wall x 20' lg., 6061T6 aluminum tube	Upright Assembly Upright	3 3A
* * *	UHMW easy-slide internal guide	Internal Guide	2F
* * *	UHMW easy-slide guide collar	Guide Collar	2G
* * *	UHMW easy-slide anti-rotation device	Anti-Rotation Device	2F
œ	Shell covers used in expanded HS configuration, powder-coated same color as crossbar	Crossbar Cover (Shell)	2E
* * *	4-1/2" dia. x .25" wall, 6061T6 aluminum tube	Expandable Insert Sleeve	2D
* * *	3-3/4" dia. x .375" wall, 6061T6 aluminum tube	Sleeve Insert	2C
* * *	4" dia. x .125" wall, 6061T6 aluminum tube	Outer Sleeve	2B
* * *	5" Sch. 40 aluminum pipe, 5-9/16" o.d. x .258 wall x 24'-2" lg., 6061T6	Crossbar	2A
2	Crossbar assembly is completely welded then powder-coated white or yellow:	Crossbar Assembly	2
* * *	12" x 15" x 1/4"steel reinforcing plate, HRS, w/ welded end cap	C-Channel Rib	1E
* * *	5-9/16" x 2-1/8" legs x 1/4" wall, 42" lg., HRS	C-Channel	1D
* * *	4-1/2" x 3" x 1/4" thick HRS	Baseplate Rib	10
* * *	5-1/2" o.d. x .188" wall steel tubing	Gooseneck	1B
* * *	15" sq. x 3/4" thick, HRS	Baseplate	1A
2	Gooseneck assembly composed of the following components are welded then powder-coated white or yellow:	Gooseneck Assembly	_
Qty.	Description	Item	Part#

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Nut	Washer	Bolt	Nut	Loc-washer	Washer	Bolt	Washer	Nut	Vinyl Cap	J-Bolt	Foundation Template	Clip
1/2"-13 nut, galvanized steel	1/2" washer, galvanized steel	1/2"-13 x 5" bolt, galvanized steel	5/8"-11 nut, galvanized steel	5/8" loc-washer, galvanized steel	5/8" washer, galvanized steel	5/8"-11 x 7" bolt, galvanized steel	1" doc washer, grade 5, galvanized steel	1"-8 nut, grade 5, galvanized steel	1" dia. x 8" lg. red vinyl cap protector	1"-8 x 33" lg. j-bolt, grade5, galvanized steel	15" sq. x 11 gauge HRS, galvanized	Aluminum pear clip
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\*\*\* Items are included in the assembled part.

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## TEMPLATE ASSEMBLY: (See Dwg. No. ESG-L-C-005)

- Thread 1"-8 galvanized steel hex nuts (Item no. 7) onto the J-bolts (Item No. 5). Position the first 4 nuts so that the top of each nut is 9" down from the top of the J-
- 5 the top of the J-bolts to protect the threads until goal assembly. "tighten" with the remaining 1"-8 hex nuts. Place the vinyl caps (Item No. 5B) over Insert each assembled J-bolt through the holes in the template (Item No. 6) and
- ယ Once assembled, all the J-bolts should point out from the template (as pictured).

# TEMPLATE INSTALLATION: (See Dwg. No. ESG-8-L-C-002)

- the end zone lines that are located and not the goal line. Locate the centerline of the football field and the end zone lines. Make sure that it is
- 2 the end zone - See Dwg. No. ESG-8-L-C-002 for details) football field. (The "front edge" denoting the edge of the 4" painted line closest to Locate a point 8'-2" back from the front edge of the end line, on the centerline of the
- ယ Using this point as the center, dig a hole approximately 42" in diameter, and 5'0" for concrete depth and drainage requirements.) 6'0" deep. (This is the minimum recommended depth - consult local building codes
- 4. again - consult local codes.) Add 4" - 6" of crushed stone to the bottom of the hole for proper drainage. (Once
- 5 Use #5 Rebar or something comparable to help reinforce the concrete installation. Typically only used in California to meet earthquake codes

#### SET THE TEMPLATE ASSEMBLY IN PLACE: (See Dwg. No. ESG-8-L-C-002)

- Using 2"x4"s, or some other suitable supporting member, suspend the foundation the foundation plate assembly so that the top of the foundation plate is exactly 12" from the front edge of the end line on the centerline of the football field.) Position the center of the hole. below ground level. Use a plumb bob to check that the center of the plate is over center of the hole (Remember - the center of the hole should be exactly 8'-2" back assembly over the excavated hole so that the center of the plate is exactly over the
- 2 bolts is pertinent to the successful installation of the goal. If these bolts are not parallel to the end line when the concrete is poured, no adjustment can be made Make sure that the assembly is centered, level and plumb over the hole. The front anchor bolts MUST be parallel with the end line. The orientation of these anchor

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idler.

Note: Refer to Drawing No. ESG-8-L-C-002, and make sure that the dimensions between "the J-Bolts" match that to the dimensions given on drawing. (12" Horizontally, 12" Vertically, & 17" Diagonally.)

- ယ Once all the adjustments have been made, and the foundation assembly is properly 5B) are not on the studs already, place them on now to protect the stud while the used for the foundation. concrete is being poured. We suggest that a minimum of 3000 lb. concrete mix be supported, the concrete may be poured. If red plastic "stud protectors" (Item No.
- 4. Allow more than ample time (16-18 days) for the concrete to cure before erecting

# ASSEMBLING THE GOAL: (See Dwg. No. ESG-8-L-C-004)

- Cement should be hardened completely before continuing.
- 2 All goals are stamped with corresponding numbers and letters. When erecting the goal make sure that all pieces correspond properly.
- ယ the studs. Brush the foundation clean of any dust, debris, etc. Keep the "stud protectors" on
- 4. before goal is assembled. Take the 4 nuts (already on j-bolts) on top of the template and run them up to a distance of 7-1/2" from ground/grade level. Place 1" washers on top of the 4 nuts
- 5 will damage the threads and cause irreversible damage! (Once entire goal is against the nut. Trying to tighten the nut with the weight of the goal pressing on it the nuts on the baseplate of the goal without first relieving the pressure of the goal later if final adjustments need to be made. NOTE: Never attempt to tighten down may be loosened later if final adjustments need to be made. Nuts may be loosened nuts. Using a torque wrench, tighten all hex nuts to 100 foot-pounds apiece. Nuts top of the c-channel (it should be 10') make any adjustments using the leveling maneuvered, align it as best as possible. Check the height from ground level to the washer, then two 1"-8 hex nuts (Item Nos. 7 & 8). While the goal can still be back on the studs.) Thread on second nut using the same foot pounds as the first erected and all final adjustments have been made, cut & place the stud protectors the foundation plate studs, remove the "stud protectors" and attach using a 1" flat foundation. Using at least 4 men, lift and hinge the main standard into place over Lay the main standard (gooseneck assembly) (Item No. 1) in front of the concrete
- <u></u> Using three (3) men and three (3) ten-foot ladders, (one at each end of the crossbar and one at the middle) raise the crossbar (Item No. 2) into position on the C-

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Channel (Item No. 1D). Attach crossbar to C-channel using 5/8"-11 x 7" hex bolts, flat washers, lock washers, and hex nuts (Item Nos. 9,10,11, & 12). One (1) flat washer should be installed on the front side of the crossbar, with a flat washer, lock two inside hex nuts till split washer closes. torque wrench, tighten two outer hex nuts to 75-80 foot pounds a piece, and tighten washer and hex nut on the rear. Install all crossbar bolts and hardware. Using a

- .7 If red streamers (Item No. 3C & 3D) are not attached to the top of the 4" uprights do so at this time with the enclosed hardware. Eyebolts are provided at the top of each upright for attachment.
- φ upright and on the inside of the upright. Torque bolts to 60 foot pounds a piece Move two (2) ladders to one end of the crossbar. Using two people, lift the upright (item No. 2C) using 1/2"- $13 \times 5$ " hex bolts, flat washers, and hex nuts (Item Nos. 13,14, & 15). Attach hardware so that the heads of the bolts are on the front of the (Item No. 3) into position on the crossbar. Attach upright through aluminum sleeve
- Repeat Step No. 8 for other upright.
- <u>1</u>0. Make any necessary adjustments to make the goal plumb, and square with the end line. The top of the crossbar should be 10'-0" from ground level. Any additional entire goal is erected and all final adjustments have been made, cut & place the the split washer on the 2 inside bolts) attaching the crossbar to the c-channel. Once up on each upright two (2) men should pull back on uprights until perpendicular upright and one in the center of the crossbar on a ladder), attaching a rope four feet loosening the 4 crossbar bolt assemblies, and using three (3) men (one at each torque wrench tighten the 2 outside bolts to 90 foot pounds and only tighten to close perpendicular have the person on the center ladder re-torque the 4 bolts (using a (use a 4' level to check and make sure they are plumb). Once they are adjustments should be made, such as the uprights leaning forward can be fixed by vinyl protector caps back on the J-bolts.
- 11. Repeat Steps 1-10 to assemble other goal.

# EXPANDING THE CROSSBAR/UPRIGHTS IN (NCAA)/OUT (HS):

(See Dwg. No. ESG/HEG-C-006)

- Loosen and remove two bolts for NCAA or four bolts for H.S., then pull/push the expandable upright out/in to desired H.S./NCAA specification. Level-up and tighten bolts. The inner bolt, closest to the gooseneck, should be torque to 80 foot pounds
- 2 When expanding for HS use the Crossbar Cover (Shell) and attach using bolts and hardware per drawing.

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#### **OPERATION AND CARE:**

- If the goal is to be removed, AAE's foundation box and covers (FBC-GA/ASG) should be used. "Stud protectors" should be placed on the studs whenever applied to the hardware prior to re-installation. possible. If the stainless hardware is removed, anti-seize compound should be
- $\dot{\mathcal{S}}$ with any other large equipment, could lead to serious injury or death. destroy bolts or studs. Failure to properly maintain the goal on a regular basis, as aforementioned torque specifications be followed as over-torquing will snap or All bolts and nuts should be checked and re-torqued each year. It is important the
- ယ Never attempt to tighten down the nuts on the baseplate of the goal without first relieving the pressure of the goal against the nut. Trying to tighten the nut with the weight of the goal pressing on it will damage the threads and cause irreversible
- 4 **ALWAYS** wear protective gloves and hardhat when assembling goals!