

TA Targets Double Breakdown Base Setup/Assembly



Upon Unboxing you will notice that your Double Breakdown base will need assembled. Assembly is VERY similar to the Single Breakdown Base. This manual is IN SUPPLEMENT to the Single Breakdown Base Manual. If you have questions at all, or if you did not receive the single breakdown base manual, please immediately email us BEFORE using your new base at info@tatargets.com. OR visit our site and download the manual for free under "resources" on the home page.

***BEFORE YOU BEGIN:** The Breakdown base is very different from our Gen 1 and Gen 2 welded bases. The entire base breaks down into a more compact and portable system. During setup it is extremely important to make sure ALL hardware is adequately tightened. Loose hardware can result in an unstable target system. ALWAYS verify hardware is properly tightened. You do not need to torque the hardware, tighten until the nuts are tight. Make sure they are not loose.

*Lost Components: During setup, tear-down and transport it is extremely important to make sure you do not lose any of your hardware or components. Always be mindful of how and where you tear down your base to reduce the risk of losing hardware or components.

Components included with each Double breakdown base:

- <u>Hardware Kit:</u>
 - o (8) 3/8"x3" Carriage Bolts (attaching base legs to 2X4 base tube)
 - (8) Lock nuts for carriage bolts
 - \circ (4) 3/8"x ³/4" Carriage Bolts to attach paper holders
 - (4) 3/8" Flat Washers for paper holders
 - \circ (4) 3/8" Wing Nuts to attach paper holders
 - (4) 3/8" X 1" Thumb Screw
 - (4) 3/8"X1.5" Thumb Screw
 - o (ONE) Breakdown Base Tool
- Breakdown Base Legs:
 - (2) Breakdown Base Legs. Note: There are NOT left and right legs. They are interchangeable.
- <u>2X4 Tube (Bent with 3 tapped Holes):</u>
 - (4) BENT 2X4 Tubes with tapped holes. This tube accepts standard 2X4 boards, our custom wood target posts, and our adjustable armored posts.
- Bent Paper holders.
 - (ONE) Right Side paper Holder
 - o (ONE) Left Side Paper Holder

Assembly Process:

- 1.) Lay all components out on the ground. Ensure that all components are accounted for.
- 2.) Install 3/8"X3" Carriage bolts through the BDB legs AND 2X4 Tubes and center leg.
- **3.)** Attach locking nuts & tighten with either the included BDB tool or a 14mm socket or open wrench.
- 4.) Ensure all bolts are tightened properly. The base should feel very rigid.
- 5.) Install paper holders (if desired) or leave off if you do not plan to shoot paper.
- 6.) Insert target post or falling tree upright into 2X4 tubes.
- **7.)** Tighten thumb screws with ample torque while "wiggling the upright or post." (This ensures the post is locked into place properly
- **8.)** You are now ready to use your Double Breakdown Base.



Basic Breakdown Base Guidelines:

PLEASE REFER TO OUR SAFE SHOOTING INSTRUCTION MANUAL PRIOR TO USING THIS PRODUCT. HANDLING FIREARMS, AMMUNITION, STEEL TARGETS AND OTHER RANGE EQUIUIPMENT CAN BE DANGEROUS. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT THE SAFETY OR USE OF THE PRODUCT, EMAIL OR CALL US PRIOR TO USING. DO NOT USE THIS PRODUCT IN AN UNSAFE OR CARELESS MANNER. SERIOUS INJURY OR DEATH OR PROPERTY DAMAGE CAN RESULT FROM MISUSE OF THIS PRODUCT

Basic Target Guidelines:

- Mounting Multiple Steel target systems side by side on a single base CAN cause erratic fragmentation patterns. For this reason, we never recommend mounting TWO steel targets side by side. Users should place one target in the front tube and one in one of the rear tubes in a staggered configuration. When using multiple steel target systems or our Falling Tree system, the Breakdown Base will need to be staked into the ground.

- The Breakdown base is NOT armored. It is NOT designed to be directly impacted with bullets EVER. Impacting your breakdown base OR its components WILL result in damage. You will need to purchase replacement components at YOUR cost if you damage your breakdown base. Our warranty ONLY covers proper fitment of final product and a guarantee against defects prior to use. It is the end user's responsibility to ensure the breakdown base is ALWAYS used carefully and properly.

- Please note: Depending on terrain and target systems/calibers used, users may need to stake the target to the ground. Never place rocks, tires, or debris under targets for stability. The ONLY acceptable method is purchasing our stakes on our website. Under most normal conditions, staking is NOT required. If your target system seems unstable, find flatter ground, OR consider staking. Unstable target systems are not safe. It is your responsibility to ensure your targets are set up properly. Refer to each instruction manual for each system. For further details.

-ALWAYS WEAR APPROVED EYE AND EAR PROTECTION WHILE SHOOTING!

- ALWAYS HANDLE USED TARGETS WITH GLOVES AND OTHER PPE. NEVER EAT WHILE ON THE RANGE. ALWAYS WASH HANDS AND CLOTHES AFTER RANGE TIME OR TARGET HANDLING.

-Please read our separate safe shooting pamphlet included with this packaging. It outlines basic range safety and safe shooting practices. Please consult with trained professionals BEFORE partaking in ANY range shooting

If you have any other questions, please feel free to email our team and we'll be able to further assist you with setting up your new target system.

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