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**WARNING [EN]**

For climbing and mountaineering only. Climbing and mountaineering are dangerous activities. Under no circumstances should you participate. Minors and others not able to assume this responsibility must be under the direct control of an experienced and responsible person. You are responsible for your own actions and decisions. Before using this product, read and understand all instructions and warnings that accompany it and familiarize yourself with its proper use, capabilities and limitations. Seek qualified instruction. Contact Black Diamond if you are uncertain about how to use this product. Do not modify this product in any way. Failure to read and follow these warnings can result in severe injury or death!

**INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE**

Black Diamond ice tools are designed for use in mountaineering and ice climbing. Some models are also designed for extreme mixed climbing (ice, rock and snow) and drytooling (moistly rock). Good ice climbing technique develops with experience. The ability to read ice and find solid placements is painstakingly gained through experience and instruction, for which no piece of literature, no matter how complete, can substitute. Learn and practice the proper techniques for climbing and self-arresting before you rely on your ice tools.

In most cases, you should have two tools, to climb. To protect yourself, always carry at LEAST one spare tool, as well as a spare carabiner and rope. If you are unsure of the safety of some of the risks involved in ice climbing and mountaineering, climbing without leashes increases your risk of falling and of dropping your ice axe. DO NOT climb without leashes when gear, destroy it to prevent falling or falling from above.

**CARE AND MAINTENANCE**

Always wear gear that must not come into contact with corrosive materials, such as battery acid, battery fumes, solvents, chlorine bleach, antifeeze, isopropyl alcohol or gasoline.

Use contact with saltwater or salt air, always rinse and dry textile products, and clean metal products.

**INSPECTION, RETIREMENT AND LIFESPAN**

Under normal use (20 to 50 days per year), the lifespan of a Type 2 ice axe is 5 years, a Type 2 ice axe is 3 years, and a replaceable pick on a Type 2 (1) ice axe is 1 year. More frequent use or extreme climbing can reduce the lifespan of your ice tool. Some activities that reduce its lifespan are hitting rocks, twisting the axe and pick, and drytool climbing on rock.

Your ice tools are strong, but not indestructible. Any part of an ice tool could conceivably break.

Ice climbing is hard on ice tools. Regular use will gradually weaken any tool. If a tool or component is worn but not obviously damaged it still may be ready for retirement.

If you have any doubts about the dependability of a tool or component, retire it and get a new one. Anytime you retire a piece of equipment, you are responsible for its safe use.

**STORAGE AND TRANSPORTATION**

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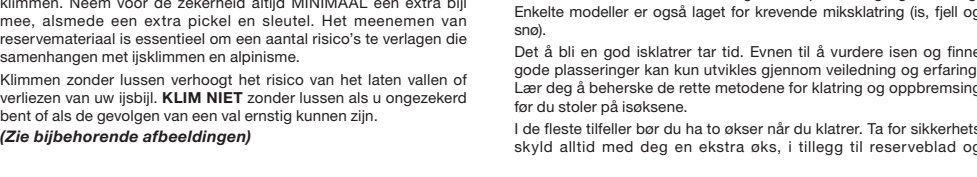
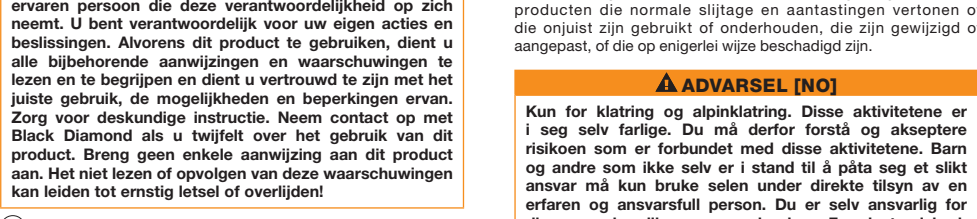
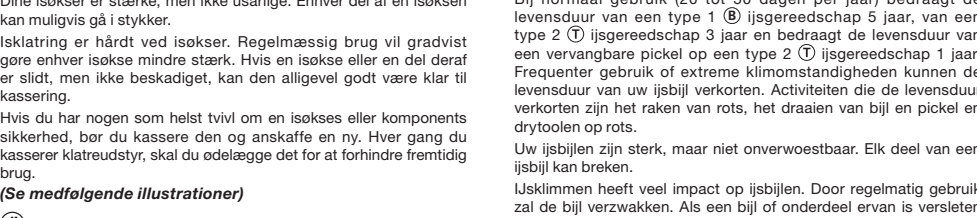
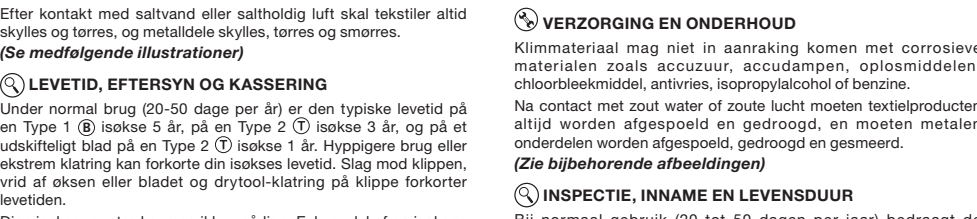
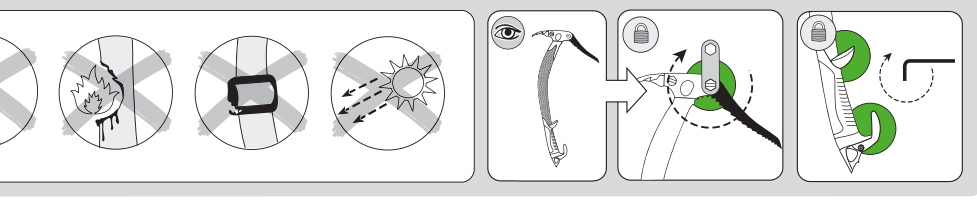
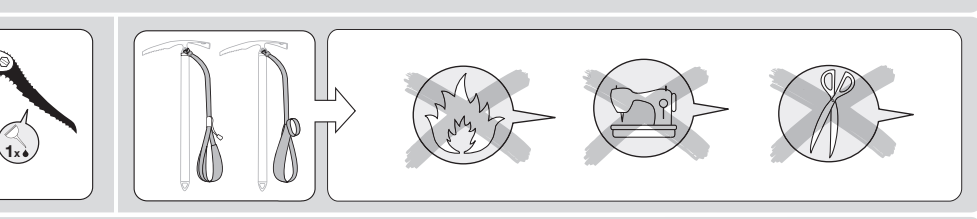
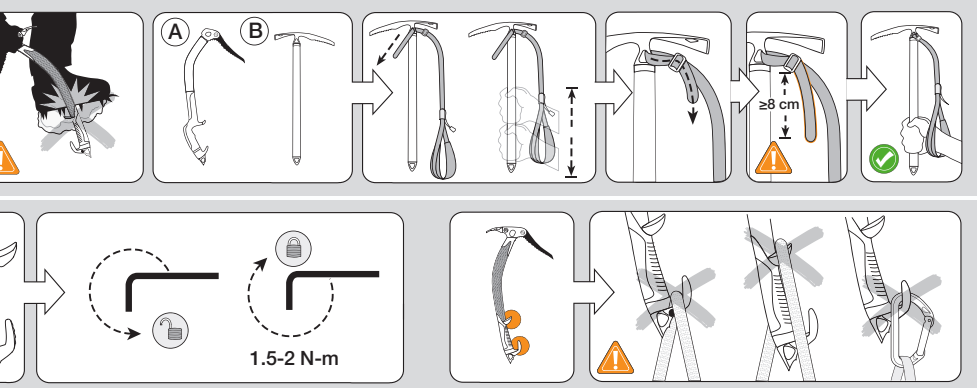
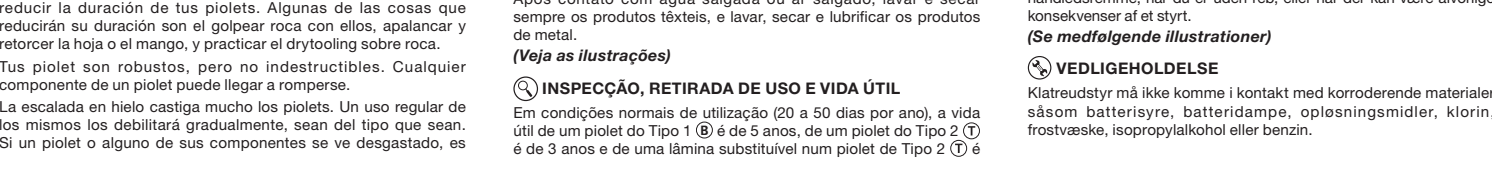
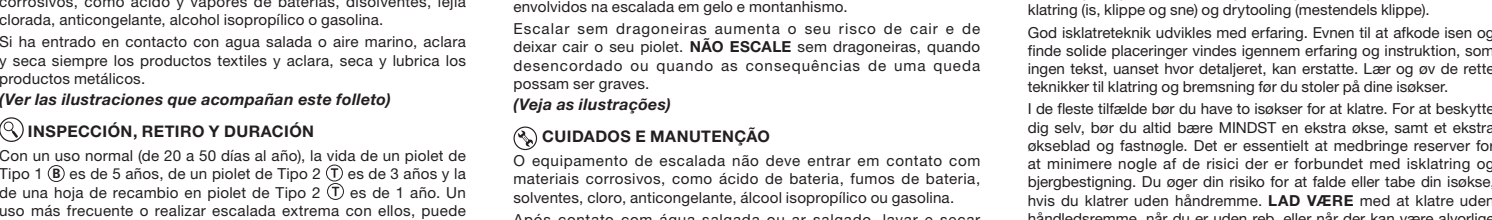
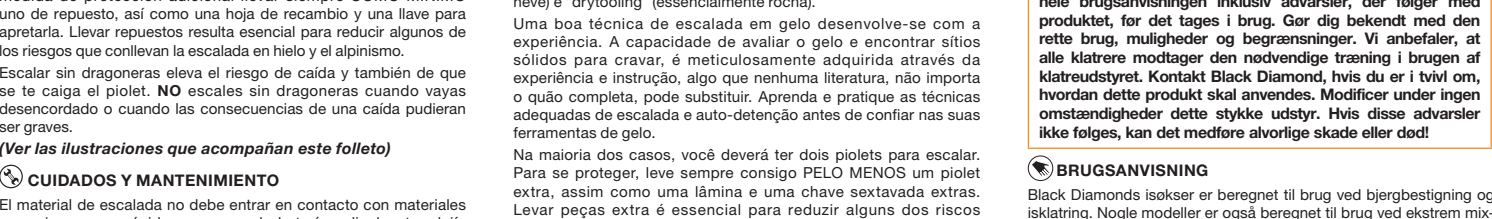
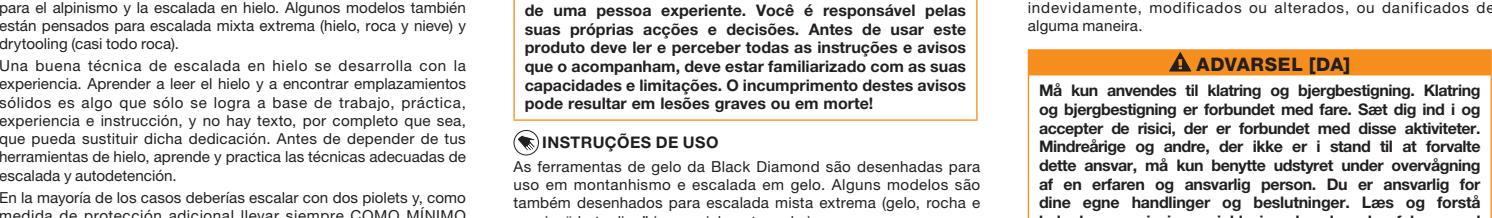
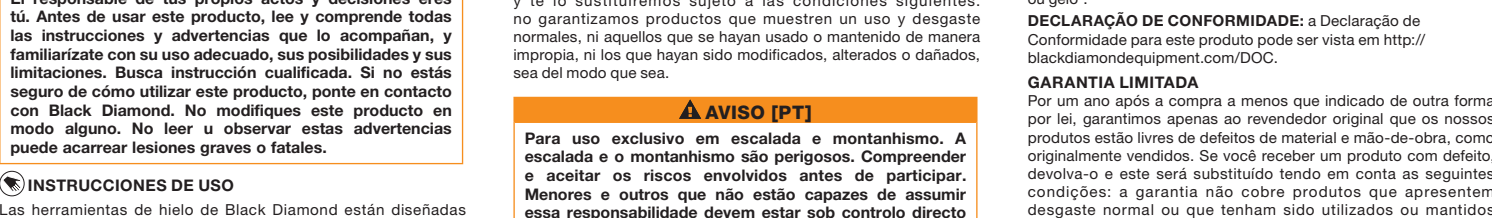
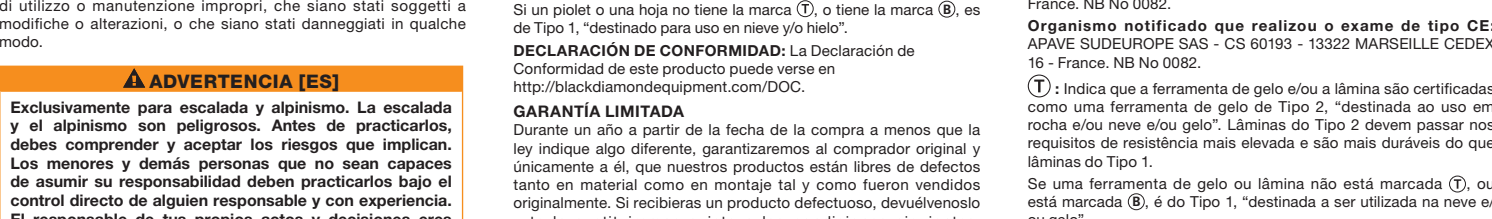
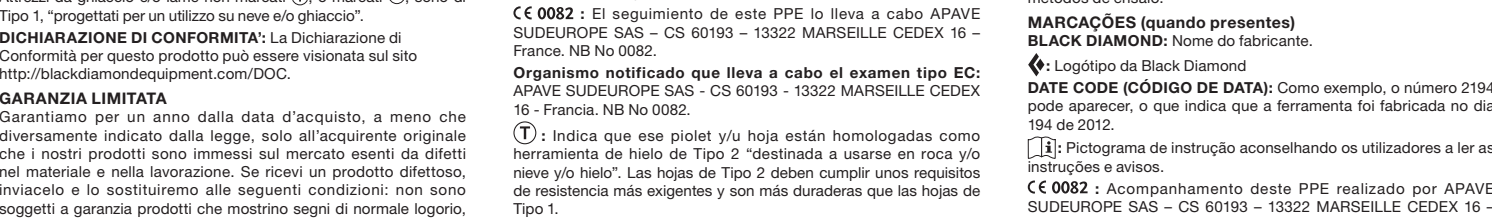
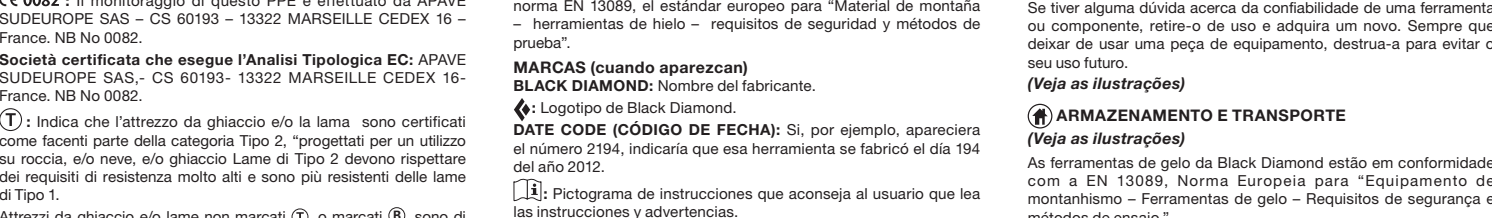
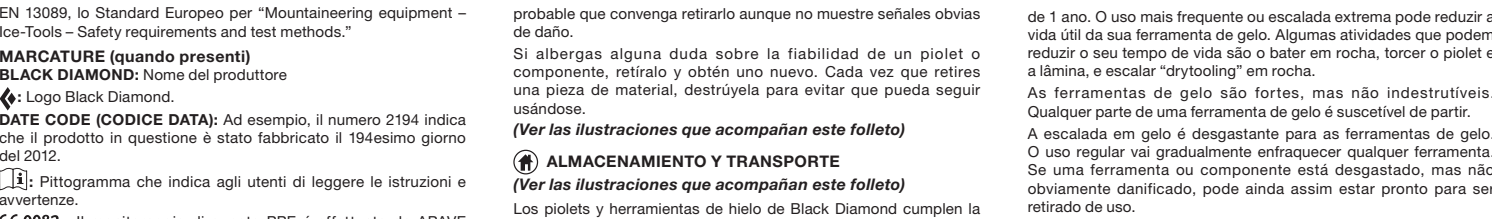
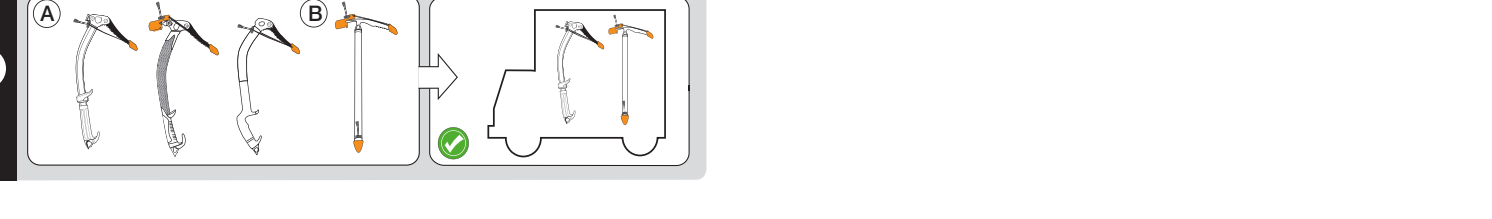
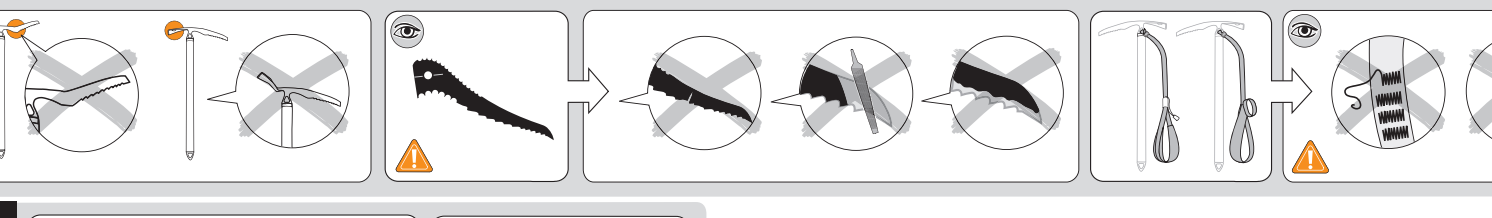
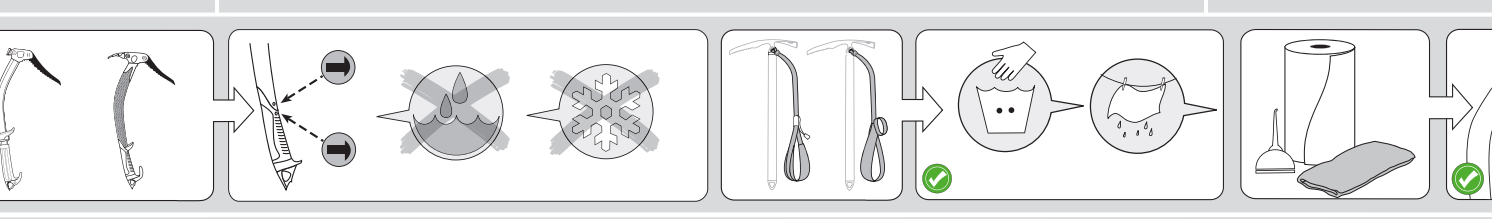
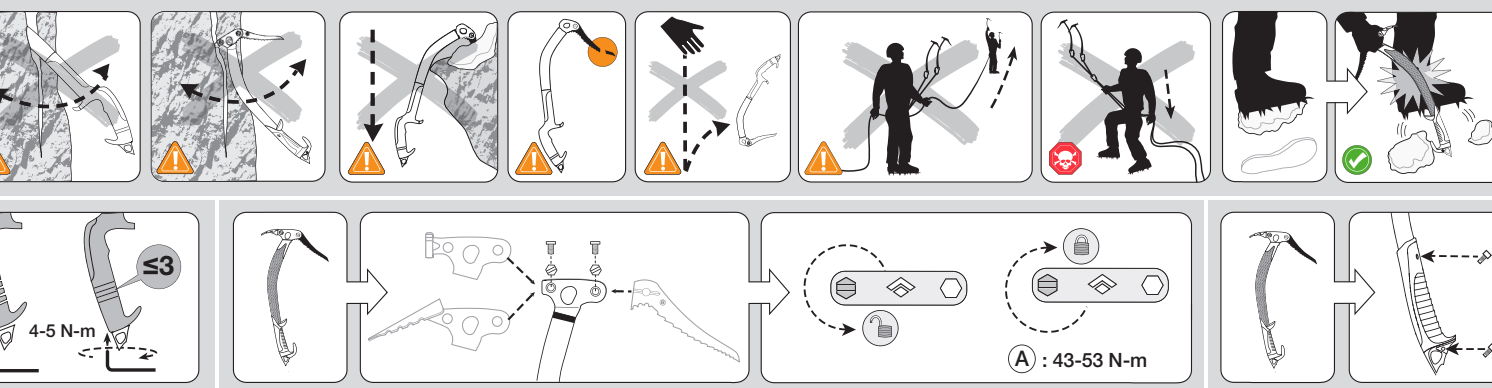
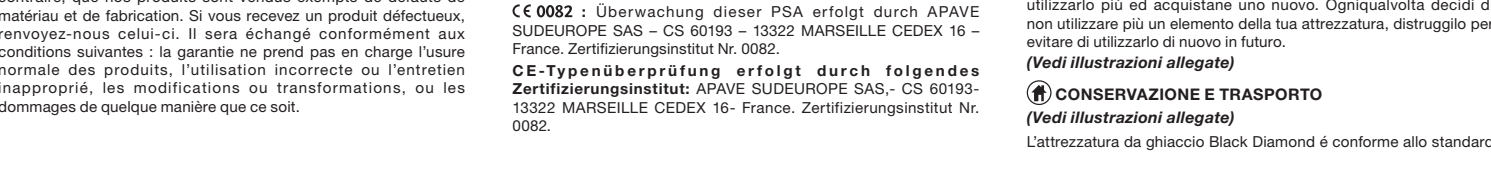
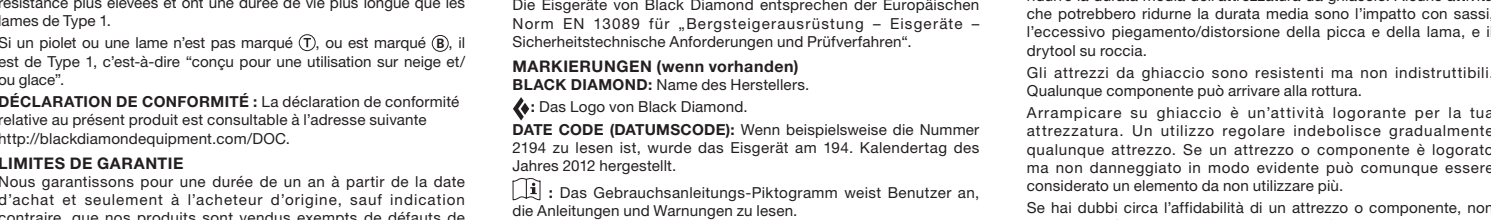
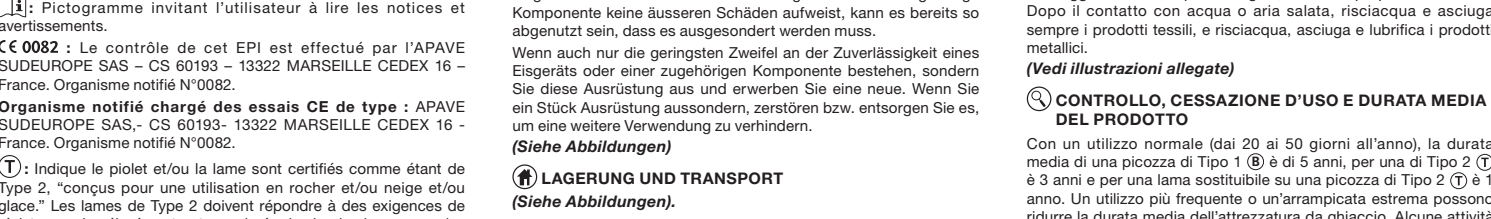
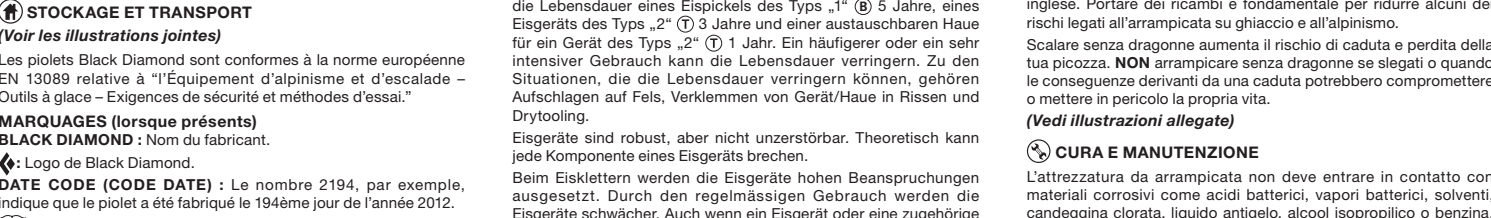
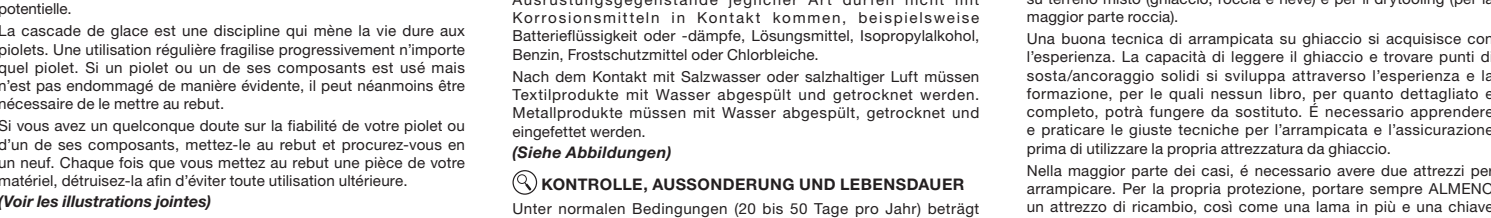
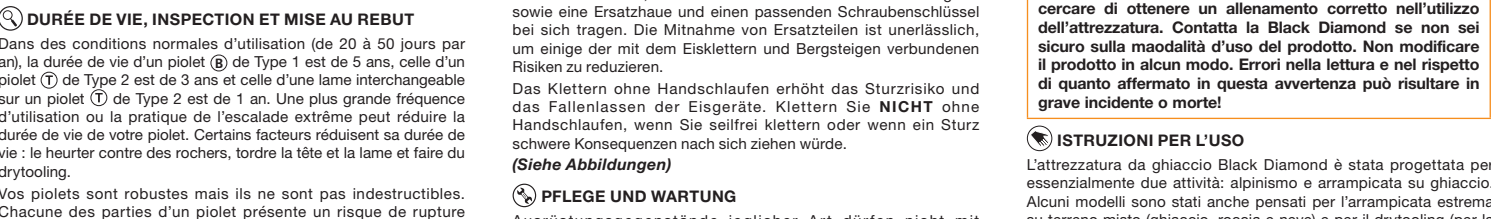
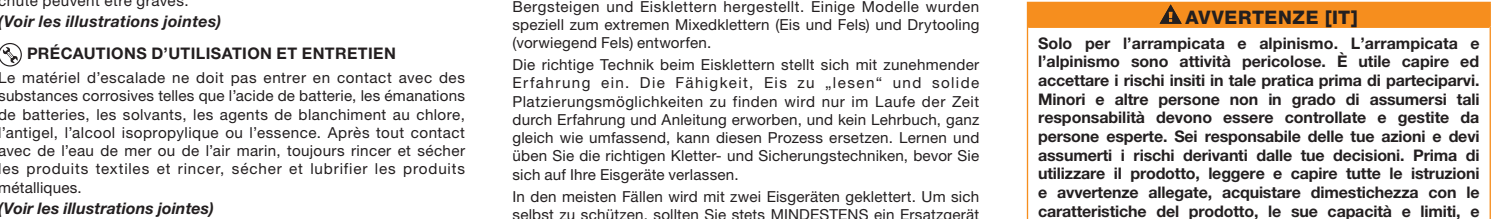
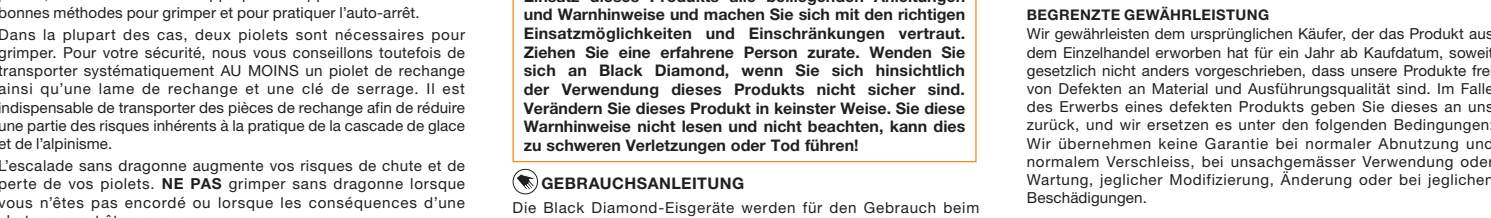
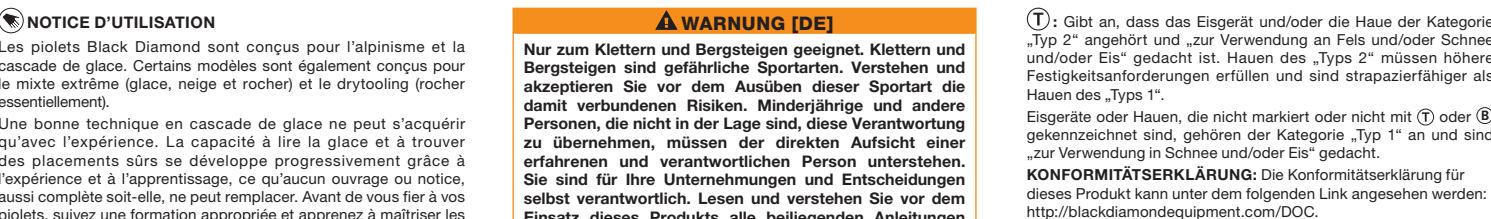
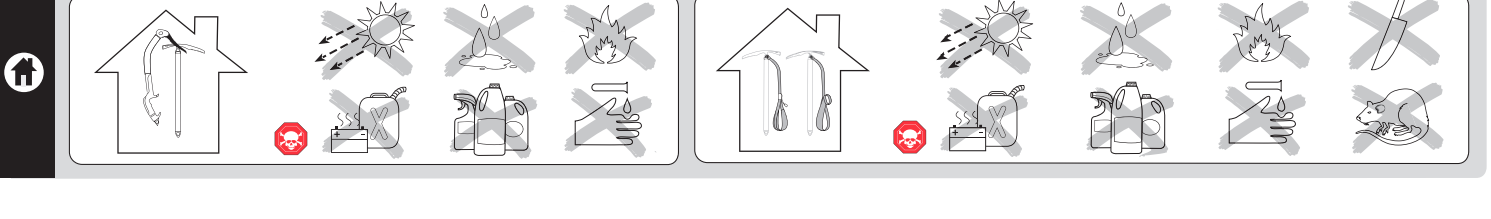
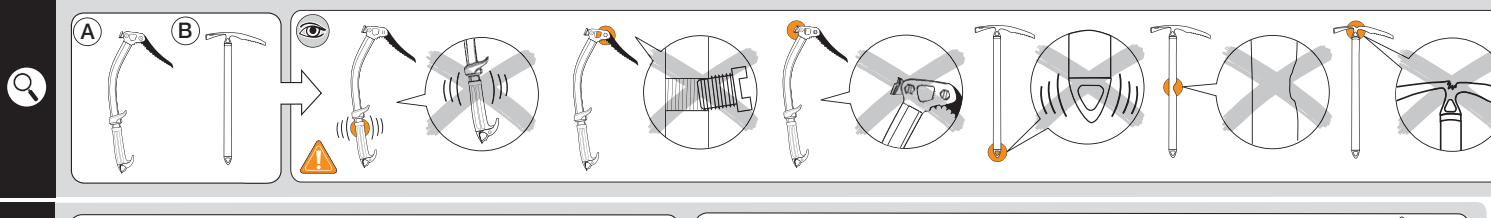
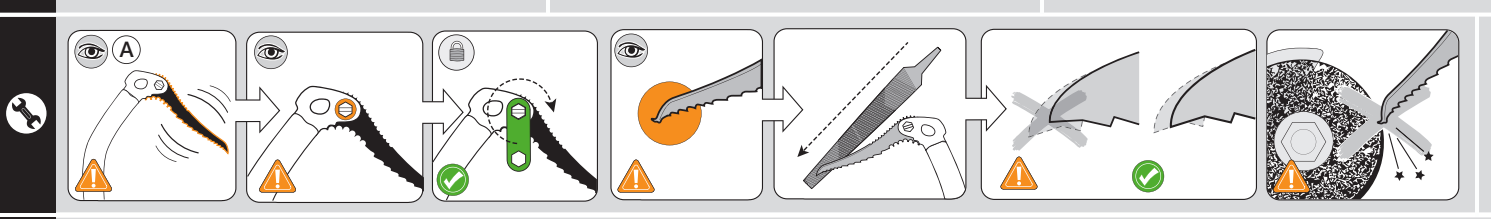
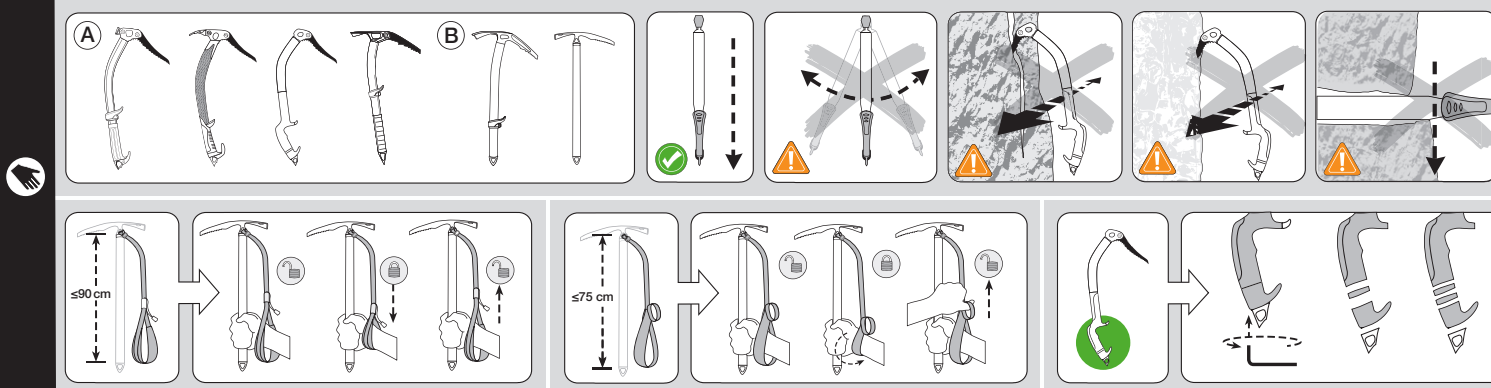
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reservat. Det er nødvendig å ta med et minimum av ekstrastøv og reservedel for å redusere risikoen med å gå på glatt is.

Klättring uten håndstøper øker risikoen for å falle og sjansen for å misse isoklene. **DU MÅ IKKE** bruke uten håndstøper når du ikke er knyttet inn i tauet eller når nokonsevensen av et fall kan bli alvorlig.

**OPBEVARING OG VEDLIEHOLD**

Klätretøyet må ikke komme i kontakt med etsende stoffer som f.eks. batterisyre, syredamp, løsemidler, klorblekemidler, frostvasker, isopropanol eller bensin.

Utstyr som har vært i kontakt med sjøsalt må alltid vaskes og tørkes grundig. Metallprodukter må smøres etter kontakt med sjøsalt.

**KONTROLL, KASSERING OG LEVETID**

Ved normal bruk (20 til 50 dager per år) vil levetiden for en type-1-saks (1) være 5 år, for en type-2-saks (2) 3 år, og levetiden for reservedel for en type-2-saks (1) er 1 år. Hyppigere bruk eller svært krevende klättring kan redusere levetiden på produktene. Levetiden reduseres for eksempel ved støt mot fjell, vridding av øksen og bladet og ved mikslättring på is.

Isøkene er solide, men ikke ukusale. Alle leder kan bli ødelagt. Isklättrings sliker på utstyret som brukes. Regelmessig bruk vil gradvis svekke utstyret/Isaker. Utstyr eller deler som er kasserte, men som ikke har synlige skader, kan likevel være egnet for utskifting.

Hvis du er tvil om utstyret du bruker er pålitelig, bør du se til det og skifte det ut. Når du kasserer utstyr, bør du ødelegge det for å forhindre fremtidig bruk.

**LAGRING OG TRANSPORT**

Klimamaterialer skal ikke bli anarraking kombinert med corrosive materialer zoals accuzuur, accudampem, oplosmiddelen, chloorblekemiddel, antivies, isopropanol/ alcohol of benzine.

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