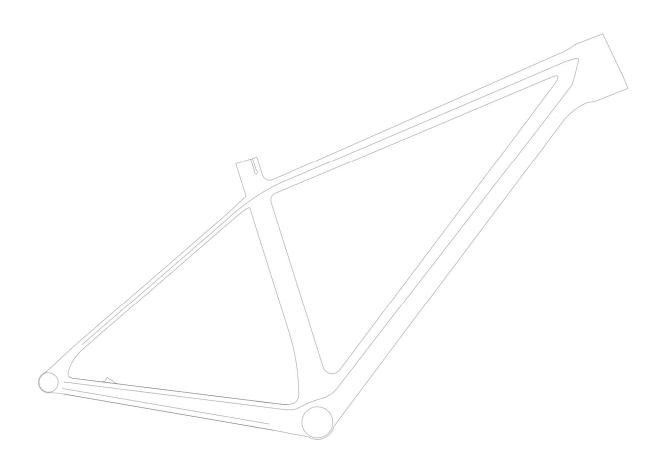




# INSTRUCTION MANUAL

THE FRAME



For the safe and long-term unse of our products, please note the following.

Non-compliance can lead to accidents with serious injuries or even death

## WARNINGS

- Do not exceed the permissible system weight (complete bike & rider) of maximum
  115kg.
- Observe the installation instructions and the permissible tightening torques on the enclosed data sheet!
- Follow the specified area of use ASTM 3 of the frame.
- Install, maintain and care for the frame properly.
- Avoid transport damage.
- Check the frame for damage before riding and after every crash.
- Do not use the frame if it is damaged externally! Have it professionally inspected by us first.

## ASSEMBLY // MAINTENANCE

- **Our recommendation:** ask a bicycle mechanic to help you fit the necessary attachments and assemble the frame.
- The frame may only be used with components that meet the technical requirements specified in the enclosed data sheet.
- In addition to compatibility, it is essential to observe the specified maximum torques of the individual components. In the event of multiple specifications at a component interface, the lower torque applies.
- Check the frame for damage before every ride and especially after crashes or special events.

For safety reasons, an obviously **damaged frame** must **never be used** or **repaired by the user** and should be replaced immediately! It must be **ensured** that a damaged frame **cannot** be **used by third parties.** 

#### CARF // CI FANING INSTRUCTIONS

To enjoy our BIKE AHEAD COMPOSITES frame for a long time, you need to follow a few basic care instructions:

- Clean the frame with water only, using a soft cloth or a soft brush add a mild bike cleaner for stubborn dirt
- Do not use solvent-based cleaners!
- Do not use a high-pressure cleaner or steam jet!
- Store the frame in a dry environment.

#### **DFFFCTS**

Our frame consists of heavy-duty carbon fibers embedded in a plastic matrix. This results in a very stiff and robust product despite its low weight. However, even this material has load limits and can show defects as a result of overloading.

This means that the frame must be checked by your dealer or us after every possible overload, such as a serious crash. This is the only way to guarantee that continued use is absolutely safe. If you are unsure, you are welcome to send your frame to us for an inspection. Please contact us in advance by email or telephone.

### TRANSPORTATION AND STORAGE

Do not expose your BIKE AHEAD COMPOSITES frame to temperatures **above 80°C!** Therefore, avoid:

- Heat, constant and non-changing sunlight, such as in the trunk of a car
- Permanent storage close to strong heat sources
- Hot exhaust gases from an exhaust pipe can also cause thermal damage when using a rear bike rack
- During transportation, always ensure that **no loads** can act on the frame

#### **DFFICIENCY**

all ahead composites GmbH has manufactured and tested the product you have purchased with the utmost care and in accordance with the current state of the art. If, contrary to expectations, manufacturing and/or material defects should nevertheless occur, you have the statutory 24-month liability for material defects (warranty) for material and workmanship. Furthermore, all ahead composites GmbH is not liable for any indirect or consequential damage resulting from this.

Warranty claims can only be asserted with a valid proof of purchase and only by the original purchaser. The dealer from whom you purchased your BIKE AHEAD COMPOSITES product is your point of contact.

In the following cases there is **no** entitlement to warranty:

- Normal wear and tear due to use of the product
- Improper use, assembly, repair or handling
- Use of unsuitable products or modification of the component
- Rental or commercial use
- Damage due to accidents or delivery and transport damage
- Modification, obliteration or removal of the serial number

If your component is damaged, all ahead composites GmbH offers a voluntary special discount. For more information about **CRASH REPLACEMENT**, please contact us or visit our homepage.

## MADE IN EUROPE

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We are delighted that you have chosen a BIKE AHEAD COMPOSITES product. This high-quality lightweight product is 100% developed and manufactured in Europe using state-of-the-art technology.

## CONTACT

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