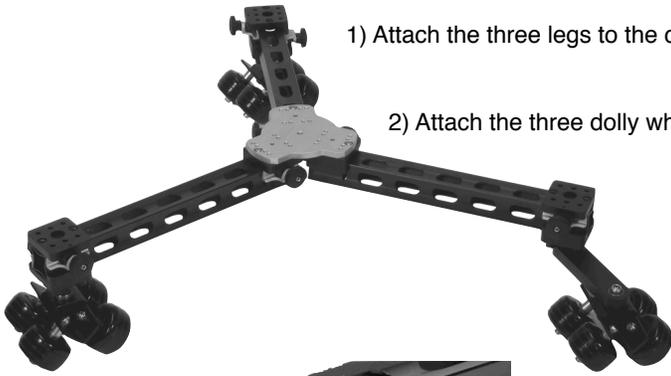


# Explorer Dolly Instructions

1) Attach the three legs to the center hub.

2) Attach the three dolly wheels to the end of the legs.



3) Attach the three extra clamps provided to the end of each dolly leg. Orient the clamp so that its locking knob is not on the same side as the wheel clamp's locking knob connected on the lower side of the dolly leg. This will prevent the knobs from hitting each other.

*There are no spring-loaded safety pins in these clamps so that you can change the angle of the tripod legs from the normal spread to the column-like spread. The column-like spread is used to increase the overall height of the jib and to allow the weight bucket to pass by without hitting a leg.*

4) Extend the legs of the tripod a few inches. This will facilitate mounting the tripod onto the dolly by raising the tripod's leg locks away from the tripod feet and provide access for the allen wrench. Then, using the three 3/8-16x3/4 inch button head screws, bolt the the foot of the tripod into the 3/8" tapped holes on the upper clamps.

Our most recent tripod no longer uses the Manfrotto foot with the rubber straps. It now has a foot permanently attached to the leg. It will look like this when attached to the dolly's upper clamp. Note the screw mounting the foot to the clamp.

5) Another tripod mounting approach is to first attach the clamps to the tripod feet, and then drop them onto the top of the dolly's legs. You may find it easier to turn the tripod upside down as you connect the clamps to the tripod feet.

6) Make sure the floating wheel is on one track rail and the two fixed wheels are on the other rail. This will allow the dolly to adjust for the deviation in the spacing between the two rails.

