



### **Condition of the body and the anti-return stop**

Check that the body is free from cracks, deformities. They are the sign of a fall of factor higher than 1. Beware there are no trace of wear or corrosion. Pay particular attention to the area where the rope runs, level with the holes. Check also for any deformities that may be present on the upper part of the body. Check for deformities of the anti-return stop (sign of a fall of factor higher than 1).

### **Condition of the cam**

Check that all the teeth are present and their state of wear. If the teeth are worn, test the operation of the rope clamp/grab on a muddy rope. Beware there is no trace of corrosion. Inspect the condition of the rivet.

### **Condition of the security catch**

Check that the catch is not broken. Check its pin.

### **Check, on the rope, of sliding upwards and jamming when pulled downwards**

For this check, use the different diameters of rope as advised (at least the diameters of rope that you use).

Check that the rope clamp / grab slides up the rope easily and that it jams when it is pulled downwards.

### **Effectiveness of the spring of the cam**

Clean with a brush and soapy water and, if necessary, oil with silicone. Oil the pins and the spring. Warning, wipe the friction components with a rag.

### **Effectiveness of the spring of the security catch**

Clean with a brush and soapy water and, if necessary, oil with silicone. Oil the pins and the spring. Warning, wipe the friction components with a rag.

### **Opening of the security catch**

Check the safety catch opens completely on the body of the rope clamp/grab.