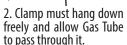


Applies to: P/N: 25418(+5) & 25442(+5), 96179, 96178, 20034, 98064, & 98065

UPPER ADAPTER RAIL SYSTEMS INSTALL

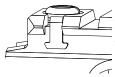
1. Rotate Screw Counter-Clockwise to free Clamp (clamp must hang down as shown below). Do not detach screw from Retainer Clip from Rail.

3. Insert Front Spring Tab Under Handguard Cap and push firmly and fully forward.



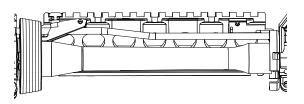


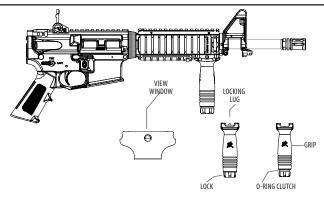
Screw & Screw Retainer Clip should remain assembled together as a unit.



Screw & Screw Retainer Clip Assembly is P/N: 13011435 or KAC P/N: 25443

CAUTION: Tighten Locking Screw to only 20-Inch Pounds





The KAC Forward (or Vertical) Pistol Grip consists of three parts: the Grip, the Lock, and the O-Ring Clutch. Before installing Grip to the rail, install 2, 4, 5, or 6-Rib Handguard Panels, as appropriate for your shooting comfort, between the magazine well and the rail position desired for the Grip. (Do not position the Grip too close to the magazine well because it may interfere with rapid magazine changes.)

Installation:

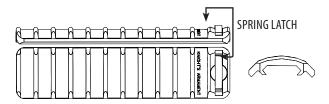
- 1. Loosen Lock counter-clockwise so the Locking Lug is below the view window.
- 2. Slide Grip onto rail and align the View Window with the rail groove where you want the Grip centered.
- 3 . Rotate Lock clockwise to tighten in selected groove. Note: Lock is slotted for a coin or key to fully tighten to rail. Inspection for Serviceability: Replace unit if Locking Lug is chipped or not well formed. Replace Clutch O-Ring (P/N: 22020) when it fails to keep the Lock tight during firing. If very aggressive use of the Grip is anticipated, use Lower Rail 20033 or 25420 with integral changes.

Install the lower RAS assembly in the same manner as a standard lower handguard by inserting its front edges into the forward hand guard cap at the angle shown below. Orient the lower RAS assembly by confirming that the arrow on its inner surface points towards the muzzle of the weapon, and compressing the rear handguard slip ring while pivoting the lower RAS assembly up and into its final position.



RAS HANDGUARD PANELS

Handguard panels are quickly attached and detached from the RAS. A spring latch at one end of each handguard panel automatically engages cutouts positioned at either end of the rail sections. To slide a handguard panel beyond a cutout, or to remove it, apply thumb pressure to its spring latch and slide it in the desired direction.



To cover the side and bottom quadrants, install the handguard panels from the muzzle end of the RAS.

