



SLX[®] 4-16x44

**FIRST FOCAL PLANE
OPTIC MANUAL**

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If you have any problems with a Primary Arms product, we urge you to contact us immediately and let our customer service professionals handle the situation for you. There is no need to return your optic to the retailer.

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PRIMARY ARMS SLX® 4-16X44 FIRST FOCAL PLANE RIFLE SCOPE

Congratulations on your purchase of the Primary Arms SLx 4-16x44mm FFP Rifle Scope.

This rifle scope is part of our SLx optic line. SLx optics built our reputation for innovation, reliability, and value. All SLx optics undergo rigorous field testing during development to best serve you in any environment.

This user manual will help you learn more about this scope and its features, so you can achieve its best possible performance.

Some of these features include...

- Compact 10.1" design for agile, low-profile setups
- 4–16x magnification with first focal plane reticle
- Premium glass for exceptional clarity and low-light performance
- Forgiving eye box for quick, comfortable target acquisition
- Waterproof, fog-resistant, and shockproof
- Adjustable parallax from 10 yards to infinity
- Backed by an industry-leading Lifetime Warranty

OPTIC FEATURES



DAYLIGHT VISIBLE

Suitable for any environment, our Daylight Visible scopes offer bold reticle illumination, visible even in broad daylight.



SHOCKPROOF

Our Shockproof optics are reinforced against impact, capable of facing the rigors of duty use.



WATERPROOF

Our Waterproof optics are sealed for reliable function, even when fully submerged in water.



MULTI-COATED LENS

Our Multi-Coated Lenses are treated with a special finish to reduce reflections and increase light transmission.

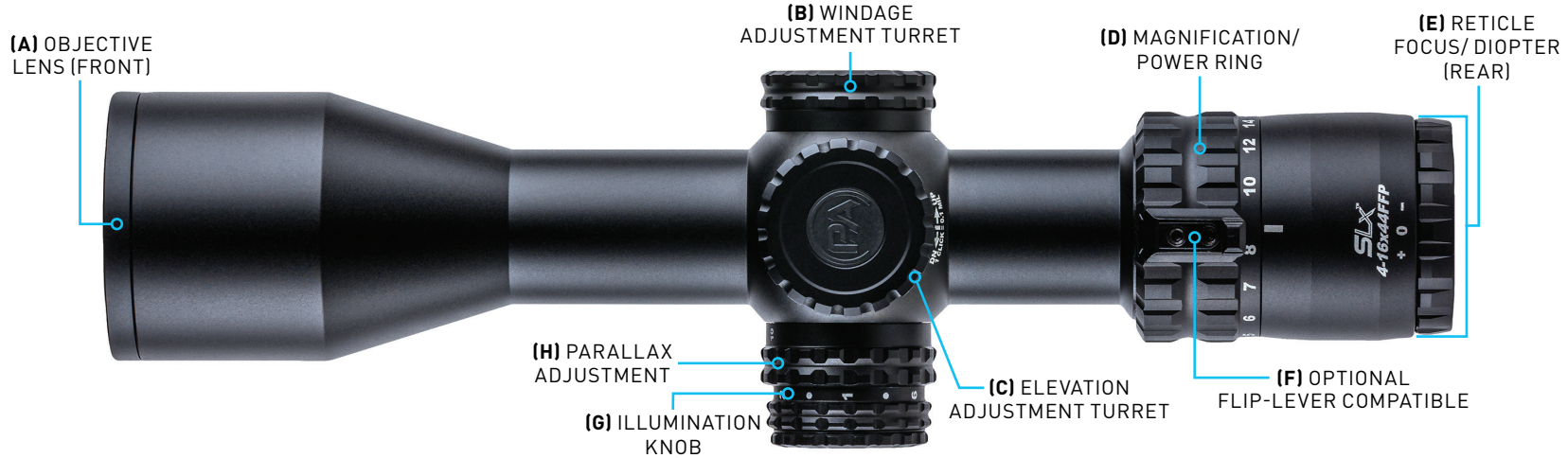


UML LEVERS

Our UML Levers attach directly to your scope's magnification ring for faster, smoother turning.



**SCAN TO SEE MORE
PRIMARY ARMS OPTICS
FEATURES**



ACHIEVING A CLEAR RETICLE PICTURE

This rifle scope features an adjustable diopter. The diopter's position affects the focus of the reticle as you see it inside the scope.

Setting the diopter correctly is the critical first step to successful precision shooting.

1. Turn the power selector ring to its highest setting and point the scope at a bright, featureless background, such as blue sky or a blank white wall.

2. With your head in position behind the scope's ocular lens, look at the wall or sky. If you look through prescription glasses when shooting, wear them.

3. Close your eyes.

4. Open your eyes and look through the scope.

5. If the reticle appears blurry before sharpening, the diopter is not in its correct position. You must adjust the diopter ring and try again.

6. If the reticle appears sharp as soon as you look through the scope, the diopter is in its correct position. Many users will leave a witness mark at this position using paint or fingernail polish. This makes it easier to reset if the diopter is ever turned.

HOW TO ADJUST PARALLAX

The Parallax Knob is on the left side of the scope, marked with ranges from 10 yards to infinity.

Adjusting the Parallax Knob eliminates parallax error at different ranges by bringing the reticle into the same focal plane as the target. Parallax error is most noticeable at high magnification.

To do this, follow the steps below.

1. Turn the Parallax Knob until the target appears to be in focus. This will get you close to the correct adjustment.
2. Looking through the scope at the target, move your head just slightly from side to side. If you lose the sight picture, you are moving too much.
3. Go slowly and see if the reticle appears to move relative to your target. A target that appears to be floating around the reticle as you move your head shows parallax error.
4. Turn the Parallax Knob counterclockwise if the target appears to move in the opposite direction of your head. Turn the Parallax Knob clockwise if the target appears to move in the same direction as your head. Move the Parallax Knob a small amount and re-check.
5. Once the reticle and target hold their positions as you move your head from side to side, parallax error is eliminated for targets at this range.

HOW TO SET RETICLE ILLUMINATION

The Reticle Illumination Knob (G) on the left side of the scope has 6 settings. Between each setting, the 'OFF' setting can be used to save battery when not in use.

The cap unscrews counterclockwise, holding a CR 2032 battery with the positive (+) side facing toward the cap.

Reticle bleed-out, abnormalities, and small imperfections may be visible when viewed indoors or in low light conditions at the brightest settings. This is a normal result of the reticle etching process. Abnormalities at these settings will not be visible when viewed in daylight conditions. Using the brightest settings in low-light situations will overpower your eye's ability to see the target and make the reticle appear distorted.

The right amount of illumination creates a clear contrast between the reticle and your intended target, without straining the eye.

HOW TO ZERO YOUR OPTIC

1. Using a bipod or sandbags, preferably on a bench or in the prone position, turn the Power Ring (D) to a high magnification to see your target as easily as possible.
2. Turn the Elevation Turret (C) counterclockwise to bring the point of impact up (if your shots hit below the aiming point). Turning clockwise will lower the point of impact (if your shots are hitting above the aiming point).
3. Turn the Windage Turret (B) counterclockwise to bring the point of impact right (if your shots hit to the left of the aiming point). Turning clockwise will shift the point of impact to the left (if your shots hit to the right of the aiming point).
4. With the optic zeroed, you can reset the windage and elevation turrets by following the instructions on the next page.

LENS CARE

Please do not use any organic solvent such as alcohol or acetone on your scope. First, blow dust or any foreign objects off of the lens. Then, use a soft cotton or microfiber lens cloth to clean any fingerprints or smears off the lens. Alternatively, you may use a piece of professional lens paper for further cleaning, if necessary.

SLx 4-16x44 FFP RIFLE SCOPE SPECIFICATIONS		
Focal Plane: First Focal Plane	FOV @ 1x / 100 yd : 31.5 ft - 7.88 ft	Illumination Settings: 6
Magnification: 4x (low) - 16x (high)	Total Windage: 60 MOA	Length (w/o Lens Covers): 10.12 in
Eye Relief: 4 in	Elevation: 80 MOA	Weight (with Battery, without Lens Covers): 20.5 oz
Exit Pupil: 11 mm (low) - 2.7 mm (high)	Tube Diameter: 30 mm	Battery: 3v CR 2032 (included)
Objective Lens Diameter: 44 mm	Adjustment Click Value: 0.1 MIL	Warranty: Lifetime Warranty

REMEMBER: THE FOUR RULES OF FIREARMS SAFETY

- Treat every firearm as if it were loaded.
- Never let your muzzle cover anything you are not willing to destroy.
- Keep your finger off the trigger until your sights are on target.
- Be sure of your target and what is behind it.

 **WARNING:** Always ensure your firearm is unloaded (chamber empty and magazine removed) before installing optics or accessories.

 **WARNING:** Improper installation of firearm parts or accessories may result in death or serious personal injury. If you are not properly trained in the installation of these parts, have them installed by a gunsmith or armorer.

 **WARNING:** This product can expose you to chemicals including Nickel (Metallic), a carcinogen, and Lead, a reproductive toxicant. See www.P65Warnings.ca.gov

WARNING

- **INGESTION HAZARD:** This product contains a button cell or coin battery.
- **DEATH** or serious injury can occur if ingested.
- A swallowed button cell or coin battery can cause **INTERNAL CHEMICAL BURNS** in as little as **2 HOURS**.
- **KEEP** new and used batteries **OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN**.
- **SEEK IMMEDIATE MEDICAL ATTENTION** if a battery is suspected to be swallowed or inserted inside any part of the body.



- Remove and immediately recycle or dispose of used batteries according to local regulations and keep away from children. Do NOT dispose of batteries in household trash or incinerate.
- Even used batteries may cause severe injury or death.
- Call a local poison control center for treatment information.
- Non-rechargeable batteries are not to be recharged.
- Do not force discharge, recharge, disassemble, heat above (manufacturer's specified temperature rating) or incinerate. Doing so may result in injury due to venting, leakage or explosion resulting in chemical burns.
- Ensure the batteries are installed correctly according to polarity (+ and -).
- Do not mix old and new batteries, different brands or types of batteries, such as alkaline, carbon-zinc, or rechargeable batteries. Remove and immediately recycle or dispose of batteries from equipment not used for an extended period of time according to local regulations.
- Always completely secure the battery compartment. If the battery compartment does not close securely, stop using the product, remove the batteries, and keep them away from children.

WEAPON				DATE
SHOT NO.	DIRECTION/DEFLECTION	ELEVATION	RANGE	AMMO
NOTES:				



LIFETIME WARRANTY

Your Primary Arms SLx 4-16x44 Rifle Scope is covered by the Primary Arms Lifetime Warranty. If a defect due to materials or workmanship, or even normal wear and tear has caused your product to malfunction, Primary Arms will either repair or replace your product. You can find more details about our lifetime warranty at www.primaryarmsoptics.com.

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