



# ELITE 2 HARNESS USER GUIDE



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### ELITE 2 HARNESS PARTS



WAIST/LOWER SHOULDER ASSEMBLY



UPPER SHOULDER ASSEMBLY



CROTCH STRAP ASSEMBLY

## ASSEMBLY

### WAIST STRAP

The Elite 2 comes with two lengths of 2 in (5.1 cm) nylon webbing straps. Use the shorter of the two to construct the waist strap assembly. Working from the backside of the backplate, run the 2 in (5.1 cm) nylon webbing through the waist slots on the backplate as shown (**Fig. 1, 2**). Next run the shoulder strap plate through the waist strap as shown (**Fig. 3**). Repeat on the other side. Install the belt slide and D-ring one on each side as shown (**Fig. 4, 5**).



Fig. 1

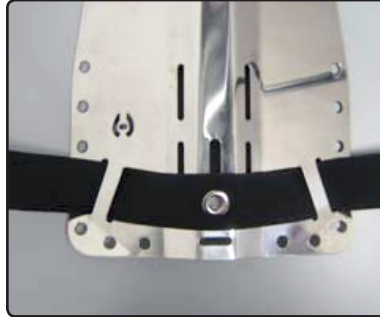


Fig. 2



Fig. 3



Fig. 4



Fig. 5

### UPPER SHOULDER STRAP

With the longer of the two lengths of webbing provided with the Elite 2 weave the strap as follows. From the back side of your backplate insert the webbing as shown (**Fig. 6, 7, 8**).



Fig. 6



Fig. 7



Fig. 8

On the left side weave the shoulder pad with the 2 in (5.1 cm) webbing panel at the top as shown in (Fig. 9, 10). Next weave through a belt slide and then through the panel on the epaulette (**Fig. 11**).



Fig. 9



Fig. 10



Fig. 11

Weave a belt slide and bent D-Ring as shown (**Fig. 12**). Then weave under the 1 in (2.5 cm) panel (**Fig. 13**). Next weave another belt slide and bent D-Ring onto the webbing (**Fig. 14, 15**).



Fig. 12



Fig. 13



Fig. 14



Fig. 15

Take one of the two D-Rings with the webbing leads and clips attached and weave the webbing as shown (**Fig. 16**). Make sure the larger female clip faces down. The sternum strap (lead with the smaller clip) should face inward toward the center chest (**Fig. 16, 18**). Weave the webbing back through the 3 belt slides (**Fig. 17**). The left side shoulder strap should now look like the photo (**Fig. 18**).



Fig. 16



Fig. 17



Fig. 18

Repeat the steps to install the shoulder strap on the right hand side.

### CROTCH STRAP

Take the side of the crotch strap that is not looped; secure a D-Ring with a belt slide leaving about 8 in (20.3 cm) of webbing between the slide and the end of the webbing. Then weave webbing through the backplate from the back side (**Fig. 19**). Use the larger slot at the center of the backplate's bottom and weave the webbing back through the belt slide (**Fig. 20**). This is where adjustment to the crotch strap will be made. The looped end will thread onto the waist strap. When adjusted properly the D-ring should be spaced approximately one hand width from the backplate, facing the backside, and secured with a belt slide (**Fig. 21**).

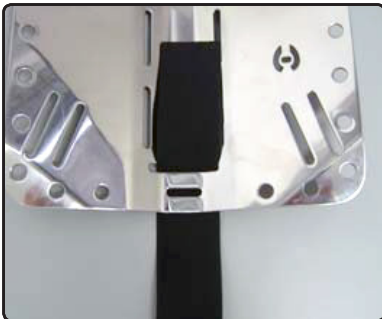


Fig. 19



Fig. 20



Fig. 21

### WAIST BUCKLE

Insert the waist buckle on the left side of the waist webbing. See pictures for recommended buckle weave. Weave (**Fig. 22**). When at the desired length pull the remaining webbing through the first slot and tighten (**Fig. 23**).

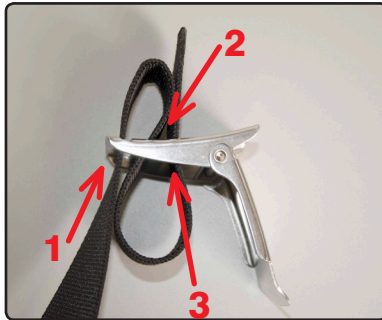


Fig. 22

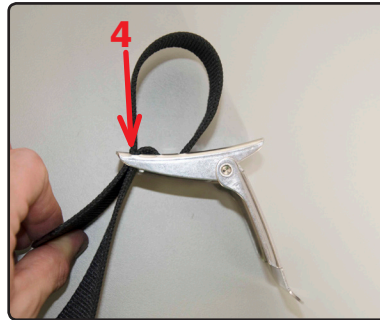


Fig. 23

**!** NOTE: Excess waist strap material may be trimmed. To prevent fraying, use a lighter to burn the edge of trimmed webbing.

### POST DIVE CARE

Rinse with fresh water and allow to air dry.