

English

USE

These slings are specifically manufactured for mountaineering and rock climbing.

All parts of this product has not been designed for skydiving.

The various components of the safety chain

harness, rope, belay devices, tangles, anchors, belaying devices, descenders) should conform to UIAA or EN Standards.

Check that this product is compatible with the other components of your equipment.

It is essential for security that this placement

is always correctly positioned and that the user

takes care to reduce to a minimum the risk of

fall and the length of a fall, (figs. 2 & 3).

Where practicable this product should be treated as Personal Protective Equipment and allocated personally to a competent person for the lifetime of the system.

PRECAUTIONS

The slings must be protected from sharp edges and other mechanical hazards.

When affected by water or ice they become

much more sensitive to abrasion and lose

strength: redouble your precautions.

Their strength is mainly reduced by knots

made for purposes of use.

The temperature in which they are stored

or used must never exceed 80°C. The melt-

ing temperature of polyamide is 215°C,

that of Dacron is 145°C and that of polyester is

260°C.

Before and during use, the possibility of

escape in case of difficulty must be considered.

Users must ensure that their state of health

will not affect their security whilst using the

product.

Check the compatibility of this product with

other elements of the system.

CARE AND MAINTENANCE

The slings must not be left in contact with

chemical agents, particularly acidic which may

destroy the fibers without visible evidence.

Avoid unnecessary exposure to UV, store

the slings in a cool, shaded place, away from

dampness and direct heat. For transporting,

bear the same considerations in mind.

If they get dirty, wash in cold, clean water, if

necessary using a cleaning agent suitable for

delicate fabrics, with a soft synthetic fibre brush.

Disinfect only using materials that have no effect

on the synthetic materials used.

To dry, after use or washing, leave in a dry

shaded place away from direct heat.

Before and after each use, check the state

of the stitching and the tape, in particular the

state of the edges.

This product must be inspected periodically

and meticulously, every 3 months if in frequent

use, annually for occasional use.

All and every modification or repair is for-

bidden.

Never hide any deterioration under adhe-

sive tape.

The product is personal equipment. During

any use away from you it may be subject to

grave damage, which may not be visible.

LIFETIME

Lifetimme = Time of storage before first use +

time in use.

The working life depends on the frequency

and the type of use.

Abrasion, UV exposure and humidity grad-

ually degrade the properties of the slings.

Storage time : In good storage conditions this

product may be kept for 5 years before first use

without affecting its future lifetime duration in use.

Lifetime = The potential lifetime of this product in use is

10 years.

Attention : This is only a potential lifetime. It

is the inspections which determine if the prod-

uct must be scrapped more quickly. Proper

storage between uses is essential. The lifetime

of the sling in use must never exceed 10 years.

The total maximum lifetime (storage before

use + lifetime in use) is thus limited to 15 years.

A sling must be scrapped without delay if :

- it has taken a major fall, approaching fall

factor 2;

- on inspection it appears to be damaged,

- it has been in contact with dangerous chemi-

cal products;

- if there is the slightest doubt about its secu-

RURITY

It is essential to adhere strictly to the recom-

mendations above.

The various cases of wrong use shown in this

notice are not exhaustive, there are innumerable

wrong use possible, it is not feasible to show them all.

Caving, climbing and mountaineering are

dangerous activities which can result in grave

injury or death.

Special knowledge and training are required

for this product.

Apprenticeship in techniques and compe-

tence specific to this product are essential for

its use.

Failure to follow these warnings increases

the risk of injury or death.

The use of "second-hand" equipment is

strongly discouraged.

One is responsible for your own actions

and decisions.

It is essential for the security of the user

that the seller supplies this user notice in the

language of the country where it will be used.

MEANING OF MARKINGS :

CE: Conformity to the European directive

0120 : Numéro de l'organisme intervenant dans le

control de la fabrication, SGS 217-221 London Road - Camberley - Surrey - GU15 3EY - United Kingdom

Control number and serial number : The last 2 dig-

its indicate the year of manufacture.

Notified body for CE type-examination : APA-

VE-SUDEUROPE SAS - CS60193 - 13322 MAR-

SEILLE Cedex 16- France, no 0082.

BEAL GUARANTEE

This product is guaranteed for 3 years against any

failures in materials or manufacture.

For the guarantee: normal wear and tear, modifications

or alterations, incorrect storage, poor maintenance,

damage due to accidents, to negligence, or to im-

proper use.

Responsibility

BEAL is not responsible for the consequences,

direct, indirect or accidental, or any other type

of damage resulting or resulting from its products.

Français

UTILISATION

Tous les anneaux sont spécialement fabriqués pour la pratique de l'alpinisme et l'escalade.

Toute utilisation à laquelle ce produit n'est destiné est interdite.

Tous les éléments composants de la chaîne d'as-

surage (harnais, corde, mousquetons, sangles,

points d'ancrages, appareils d'assurage, des-

cendeurs) doivent être conformes aux normes

UI.A.A. ou E.N.

Vérifier la compatibilité de ce produit avec

les autres éléments du système.

CARE AND MAINTENANCE

Les cordes ne doivent pas être mis en contact

avec des agents chimiques, principalement des

acides qui peuvent détruire les fibres sans

évidence visible.

Éviter l'exposition au soleil et à l'eau.

Conserver les cordes dans un endroit sec et

à l'abri des températures extrêmes.

Ne pas faire de frottements excessifs sur les

cordes.

Nettoyer régulièrement les cordes avec un savon

neutre et de l'eau tiède.

Ne pas utiliser de nettoyants abrasifs.

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