

# BELT ACCESSORIES

## MULTI-USE STRAP™ / NFPA LADDER STRAP



UL Certified to NFPA 2500:2022ED  
NFPA Ladder strap  
NFPA Positioning Point  
Escape anchor

### Use Examples:

As one leg harness, RIT operations to drag and carry a down firefighter, aerial platform, bucket safety, and roof ladder operations.

Tethering during search activities



Multi-Use-Strap: 1101-0090



MUS used as a Ladder strap

## ACCESSORY STORAGE POUCH

Accessory pouches allow stowage of the Multi-Use-Strap as well as a multitude of firefighter accessories such as tethers, gloves, etc.



Accessory Pouch: 1101-0080

## AXE SCABBARD



Use caution when donning/doffing your belt with an axe scabbard. Tool may fall and cause serious injury.

The Leather Scabbard is available for left or right side mount, half or full scabbard, 45 or 90 degree rake angle. (shown here is a right, full, 45 configuration)



## AXE - TOOL HOLDER



Use caution when donning/doffing your belt with a tool in the Axe/Tool Holder. Tool may fall and cause serious injury.

The Tool/Axe Loop can be installed on any available Gear Loop, although the recommended installation is on the second Gear Loop from the fixed Attachment Point.



## ! WARNING

Activities involving the use of this equipment are inherently dangerous. You are responsible for your own actions and decisions.

Before using this equipment, you must:

- Read and understand all instructions before each use.
- Get specific training in its proper use.
- Become acquainted with its capabilities and limitations.
- Understand and accept the risks involved.



Failure to follow these instructions could result in serious injury or death.

## USER INFORMATION

User information shall be provided to the user of the product. NFPA Standard 1983 recommends separating the user information from the equipment and retaining it in permanent record. The standard also recommends making a copy of the User Information to keep with the equipment and that the information should be referred to before and after each use.

Additional information regarding auxiliary equipment can be found in NFPA 1500, Standard of Fire Department Occupational Safety and Health Programs, and NFPA 1983, Standard on Life Safety Rope and Equipment for Emergency Services, and NFPA 1858.

## INSPECTION

Inspect the belt/Harness according to your department's policy for inspecting life safety equipment. Equipment should be inspected after each use by an inspector that meets your departments' training standard for inspection of life safety equipment. Each user should be trained in equipment inspection and should do a cursory inspection before each use.

Inspect the belt/Harness for frayed, cut or worn material. Buckles should look uniform with no cracks, chips or out of shape appearance. Look for excessive chaffing at the wear points; typically where the Kevlar or Nylon webbing comes into contact with the metal buckles. Inspect any attached accessories and ensure they are fastened or sewn securely to the belt and in the proper position.

If the Harness/Belt is impact loaded, it should be inspected by a qualified inspector prior to being returned to service. In some cases, a visual inspection might not be able to determine if the equipment has been damaged. Based on the history of the incident, if there is any doubt regarding the safety of the equipment, it should be removed from service and retired.

## RETIREMENT CRITERIA

This Belt/Harness is to be removed from service immediately if: any of the questions listed above cannot be answered or are answered "yes", If the device does not pass visual inspection or if there is any doubt about the safety or serviceability of the device.

## REPAIR

Fire Innovations requires that all repair work be done by the manufacturer. All other repair work or modifications may void the warranty and shall release Fire Innovations, LLC from all liability and responsibility as the manufacturer.

## MAINTENANCE

Clean and dry this equipment after each use to remove any dust, debris and moisture. Do not expose the belt to flame or high temperatures. Do not store your Fire Innovations Firefighter belts in direct sunlight.

## SAMPLE LOG

The log below suggests records that should be maintained by the purchaser or user of rescue equipment.

## WARRANTY & RETURN POLICIES

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## EQUIPMENT INSPECTION & MAINTENANCE LOG

Model: **MOHAWK ESCAPE BELT**

Serial # \_\_\_\_\_ Purchase Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Date	Event / Repair	Inspected By	Comments

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# INSTRUCTION FOR USE

# MOHAWK®

## NFPA ESCAPE BELT NFPA LADDER BELT



## BELT DESIGN FEATURES



Design to quickly adjust to any firefighter's waist size.



Sized to be donned over the coat. Easy forward fine adjustment.



With the optional Multi-Use Strap®, this belt is a NFPA Ladder Belt.



Three gear loops allow installation of multiple tool holders and accessories.

# MOHAWK®

NFPA ESCAPE BELT  
NFPA LADDER BELT

**CERTIFIED NFPA 2500 (1983) 2022 EDITION  
ESCAPE BELT • LADDER BELT**  
PAT. #US 6,732,834



"MEETS THE BELT REQUIREMENTS OF NFPA 1983, INCORPORATED IN THE 2022 EDITION OF NFPA 2500, AND THE OPTIONAL FLAME RESISTANCE REQUIREMENTS OF NFPA 1983, TYPE ESCAPE / LADDER\*"

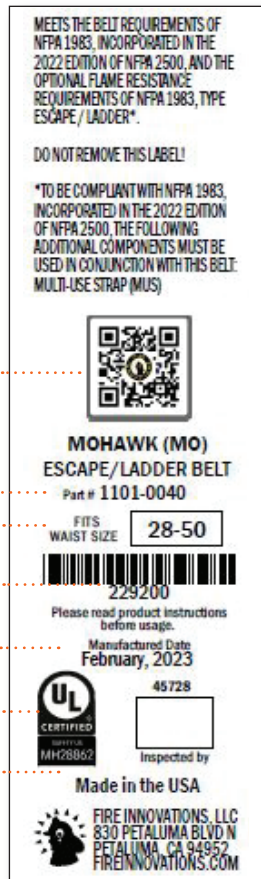
"TO BE COMPLIANT WITH NFPA 1983 INCORPORATED IN THE 2022 EDITION OF NFPA 2500, THE FOLLOWING ADDITIONAL COMPONENTS MUST BE USED IN CONJUNCTION WITH THIS BELT: MULTI-USE-STRAP (MUS)



Additional information regarding escape belts can be found in NFPA 1500 and NFPA 1858 and NFPA 1983, incorporated in the 2022 edition of NFPA 2500

## UNDERSTANDING BELT LABEL DETAILS

1. Fire Innovations part number.
2. Waist size. Belt is designed with a 6" adjustment to allow donning on turnout coat.
3. The serial number is provided for NFPA tracking. This number is unique for every belt manufactured by Fire Innovations.
4. Production date.
5. Underwriters Laboratories registration number. For the latest information about certification on Fire Innovations products, please refer to this number MH28862 when searching for UL registration.
6. Country of origin. Fire Innovations takes pride in the fact that we use premium raw goods for our belts. Our belts are manufactured in California, United States.
7. The QR code will direct you to a the product specific information, including features, installation and video demonstrations.



Mohawk Escape Belt  
1101-0040



# MOHAWK®



## PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Mohawk Escape Belt is a certified NFPA 2005 (1983) 2022 Edition Fire Resistance (FR) option. It is easy to use and makes an outstanding multi-function firefighter escape and ladder belt. The accessory Kevlar gear loops are located on both sides, and add the modular design of this belt. They add to its great versatility by allowing incorporation of various upgrades and accessories. A patented Multi-Use Strap can be added, and functions as a NFPA ladder strap, a one leg harness, and various RIT and victim carries/drops. This strap can be neatly stowed inside an accessory pouch or a turnout pocket. The Mohawk series double layered Kevlar® construction, and comes standard with an attachment point for bailout and/or connecting a NFPA ladder strap.

## HIGHLIGHTS

- One-size-fits-most design 28"-50"
- NFPA Escape & Ladder Belt
- Ambidextrous design (Left or right handed)
- Rapid size adjustment
- Easy pull forward final adjustment
- UL rated buckles

## VERSATILITY

The Mohawk Series belts are multi sized and accommodate waists from 28" to 50". They have six inch (6") fine adjustment single point forward adjustment feature lets the firefighter quickly adjust to the proper fit. This belt can be outfitted with a variety of different bailout systems and accessories for added versatility.

## MODULAR & UPGRADABLE

The Mohawk belt accessories can be added at anytime. This keeps the cost down on the initial purchase. One only needs to buy one belt, and then add accessories as needed to meet your requirements.

- Axe/Tool Loop
- Leather Axe Scabbard
- Chainsaw/Light Box Holder
- Accessory Pouches
- Bailout or Utility Rope Bags
- Custom Accessories

## SIZING & DONNING

The Mohawk escape belt was designed to be fit waists between 28" and 50". The adjusting system comprises of a gross adjustment (in the back) and a pull forward fine adjustment in the front. With some practice the custom fit to an individual can be achieved in seconds.

## IMPORTANT

Belt should be donned prior to donning your SCBA.



Don the belt; rotate it, so the rear adjusting buckle is located towards the front.

Pull the rear adjustment strap to approximate your waist size. It should feel snug. 1

Rotate the belt in position, so the snap buckle and D-ring are positioned to the front.



Position the belt around the waist low on the hips.

Pull the front adjusting strap forward until snug. 2

The multi-Use Strap™ pouch (if installed) should be positioned over the thigh. 3

The D-Ring (next to buckle) should be placed mid line to the body 4.

SCAN THE QR CODE FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THIS PRODUCT INCLUDING VIDEOS AND SETUP INSTRUCTIONS.

