

Instruction for Use – Replacement Component

CLS Rescue Line Assembly (Part of the CLS Upgrade Kit)

1. Product Identification

Product name: CLS Rescue Line Assembly

Product type: Replacement component for the CLS Upgrade Kit

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2. Intended Use

The CLS Rescue Line Assembly is a **replacement component** of the **CLS Upgrade Kit**. It is designed to be used **exclusively** as part of the CLS Rescue System, together with:

- a compatible throwable life-saving device (horseshoe buoy or ring buoy), and
- CLS Harness Kit.

The harness is intended to:

- controlled horizontal towing of a person in the water,
- safe and tangle-free deployment of the rescue line,
- improved grip and line handling during rescue operations.

⚠ This product is not a standalone life-saving appliance.

3. Product Description

The CLS Rescue Line Assembly consists of:

- buoyant hollow-braided rescue line,
- floating plastic handle with rope holder and integrated V-cleats,
- two buoyant carabiners for quick attachment.

All components are designed for marine environments and water rescue use.

4. Compatibility

Compatible with the CLS Harness Kit (Ring Buoy or Horseshoe Buoy version) and most standard-sized ring and horseshoe lifebuoys commonly used on recreational and professional vessels.

⚠ Note:

Due to variations in buoy shape and construction, compatibility with **all** commercially available buoys cannot be guaranteed. Always verify correct fit and secure attachment to the connected parts before first use and after reinstallation.

5. Limitations of Use

⚠️ IMPORTANT

- This product is **NOT a standalone life-saving appliance**.
- The harness must **never** be used for lifting or hoisting a person vertically.
- The harness is intended for **horizontal towing only**.
- Do not use as a climbing, lifting, or securing equipment.
- Do not use with incompatible or damaged equipment.

Improper use may result in loss of control, equipment failure, or delayed rescue.

6. Product Description

1. Attach the black carabiner to the towing eye of the harness or to a suitable fixed point.
2. Ensure the rope is properly stored in the rope holder.
3. Throw the buoy toward the person in the water.
4. Allow the person to grasp the buoy and/or rope.
5. Fix the rescue line to a suitable fix point using the colored carabiner.
6. Pull the person toward safety using controlled, steady force.
7. Use the V-cleats on the handle to assist grip and force control if necessary.

7. Safety Highlights – Read Before Use

⚠️ SAFETY INFORMATION

- Use only with compatible equipment.
- Do not modify the assembly or any of its components.
- Always ensure correct attachment before use.
- Inspect the rope, handle, and carabiners for damage before use.
- Do not use if any component is visibly damaged or missing.
- Follow official maritime safety regulations and good seamanship practices.

8. Inspection and Maintenance

- Inspect monthly and before any planned or non-emergency use.
- Check:
 - rope condition and abrasion,
 - carabiner function,
 - handle integrity and rope holder condition.
- After use in salt water, rinse thoroughly with fresh water and allow to air dry.
- Do not use high-pressure washers or aggressive chemicals.

9. Replacement and Service Life

The Rescue Line Assembly is a **wearing component**. Replace it immediately if:

- rope shows fraying, cuts, or significant wear,
- carabiners do not function correctly,
- handle or rope holder is damaged.

Use beyond the recommended service life can fail the intended use. The expected service life depends on frequency of use, environmental exposure, and maintenance.

10. Relationship to CLS Upgrade Kit Documentation

This replacement component is assessed and covered as part of the CLS Upgrade Kit system. Product safety, risk assessment, and conformity are addressed within the technical documentation of the CLS Upgrade Kit, including the *Product Safety & Risk Assessment Declaration – CLS Rescue Line Assembly (Replacement Component)*, which confirms that no additional hazards are introduced when the component is used as intended.

For full system description, safety information, and operating instructions, refer to:

Instruction for Use – CLS Upgrade Kit

11. Manufacturer's Limited Warranty

- This replacement component is covered by a limited manufacturer's warranty against material and manufacturing defects for a period of 12 months from the date of purchase.
- The warranty applies only when the product is used as part of a compatible CLS Upgrade Kit, installed according to the Instruction for Use, and maintained as specified.
- The warranty does not cover normal wear and tear, UV-related discoloration, misuse, improper installation, modification, use with incompatible devices, or damage resulting from external forces or environmental conditions.
- This warranty does not affect statutory consumer rights applicable in the country of purchase.

12. Disclaimer

The manufacturer assumes no responsibility for damages arising from:

- use outside the intended scope,
- incompatible equipment,
- improper installation,
- modification of the product.

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