



# VALUE GUIDE

# MAST-CLIMBING DEVICES

	ATN TOPCLIMBER	BLACK DIAMOND	BRION TOSS PRO / CRUISER	HARKEN	STANDARD	PLASTIMO COMFORT	PRO	SPINLOCK
<b>PRICE</b>	\$300	\$70	\$400 / \$485	\$162	\$115	\$124	\$214	\$175
<b>WARRANTY</b>	3 months	1 year	2 years	2 years		1 year		2 years
<b>WEIGHT</b>	5 lbs., 8 oz.	2 lbs., 13 oz.	4 lbs., 12 oz.	5 lbs., 4 oz.	2 lbs.	3 lbs., 2 oz.	3 lbs., 9 oz.	1 lb., 10 oz.
<b>HOISTING FASTENER</b>	NA	None	2 stainless-steel, one sewn tether	Stainless-steel triangle	Stainless-steel triangle			Nylon
<b>SUPPORT WEBBING</b>	1½ in. ballistic webbing	¾ in. nylon	1¾ in. nylon	1½ in. polyester	NA	1½ in. polyester	2 in. nylon	¾ in. nylon
<b>BODY MATERIAL</b>	1½ in. ballistic webbing	Single-ply nylon	Ballistic nylon/closed-cell foam	Ballistic nylon	2-ply polyester	Coated polyester	Coated PVC	Nylon, Cordura, neoprene
<b>SEAT STIFFENER</b>	½ in. FRP	3/8 in. ply, ½ in. closed-cell foam	3/8 in. closed cell foam*	5/8 in. plywood, 1 in. foam		½ in. ply		NA
<b>CONSTRUCTION</b>	Very good	Fair	Excellent	Very good	Fair	Fair	Good	Very good
<b>COMFORT</b>	Fair	Good	Very good	Very good	Fair	Fair	Fair	Good
<b>HARDWARE</b>	Good	Fair	Excellent	Good	Fair	Fair	Fair	Good
<b>TOOLBAG/POCKETS</b>	Good	Poor	Excellent	Very good	Poor	Good	Good	Poor
<b>EXTRAS</b>	Excellent	Fair	Excellent	Good	Poor	Fair	Fair	Fair
<b>COMMENTS</b>	Bosun's chair plus climbing clutches. New model now available.	Climber's chair; should be used with harness.	The best chair/harnesses but expensive; Cruiser features stainless-steel hardware.	Best traditional chair. Plenty of pouches, and lanyard attachment points.	Poorly designed belts and buckles on the Standard and Comfort. Pro model is better built but doesn't match similarly priced Harken.			Modified climber's harness, more secure than a bosun chair.

★ Best Choice Recommended Budget Buy

