

HARNESSES & LAYARDS

INSPECTION - MAINTENANCE - SIZING

HARNESS SIZING

Buckingham offers a full array of standard design full body harnesses to be used in fall arrest, work positioning, suspension, retrieval and rappelling applications.

CHEST SIZE						
HEIGHT	34 - 36	38 - 40	42 - 44	46 - 48	50 - 54	56 - 60
5' 4" - 5' 7"	S	S	М	L	X	XX
5' 8" - 5' 11"	S	М	L	Χ	XX	XXX
6' 0" - 6' 3"	М	М	L	X	XX	XXX
6' 3" +	L	L	X	X	XX	XXX
S = Small	M = Mediu	m L = Lar	ge X = Ex	ktra Large	XX = 2X	XXX = 3X



Shoulder straps should lie flat & in close to the neck

Torso buckles should lie flat and positioned at waist level

Leg straps should be snug but not so tight as to restrict



Chest strap should be snug and positioned approximately 6" below the

Leg strap buckles should lay flat on legs approximately 4" - 5" below waist



Y-Style Tower Harness

below the

buttocks

HARNESS STYLES





Model

- 9KV rated Dielectric hardware.
- Dielectric dorsal D-Ring. • Dual trauma straps.
- Electric Arc Rated shoulder pads.

X-Style



Model 603A8Q4

- 9KV rated Dielectric hardware
- Web loop dorsal & sternal attachment
- Dual trauma straps
- Electric Arc Rated shoulder pads

Y-Style



Model 69B9DQ5

- Quick connect leg buckles
- Sternal D-Ring
- Web dorsal loop
- Electric Arc Rated

- Built-in body belt for work positioning
- Sternal & umbilical D-Rings
- Padded leg straps with quick connect buckles for easy donning
- Electric Arc Rated

Model

61992



Indicates meets ASTM F887 Electric Arc Performance Requirements

HARNESS/BELT INSPECTION

Full Body Harness Inspection

Before each use, it is important to check for the following:

Webbing

□ Cuts ☐ Burns or charring □ Kinks ☐ Broken fibers ■ Swelling ■ Abrasions

☐ Chemical/Physical exposure □ Cracks

☐ Loose, cut or missing **□** Excessive wear

■ Discoloration

☐ Chest strap Hook & Loop have sufficient

Hardware

☐ Cracks or nicks

□ Distorted/Bent

operate properly

■ Moderate to severe rust or corrosion

□ Quick connect buckles

stitching

☐ Evidence of shock load to harness adhesion





Burns



Stitching



Chemical



Broken



Severe Rust/ Corrosion

IF ANY OF THESE CONDITIONS EXIST CEASE USE IMMEDIATELY!

LANYARD STYLES/INSPECTION

Flexibilty & reduced arresting force

Model 84+G7E16S1

BuckYard™

BuckArrest[™]



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Energy Absorbing Lanyard Inspection

☐ Broken fibers

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■ Swelling

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■ Burns or charring

☐ Chemical/physical exposures □ Cracks □ Loose, cut or missing stitching ■ Abrasions

■ Evidence of shock loading □ Discoloration **□** Excessive wear



Hardware

□ Distorted/bent

☐ Cracks or nicks

■ Moderate to severe rust or corrosion

□ Locking & snap keepers operate freely & smoothly

□ Locking mechanism functions improperly

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DO'S & DON'TS/OSHA

Do's & Don'ts

- Always, prior to each use, inspect your fall protection equipment
- Always attach to a 5,000 lb. anchorage point or an anchor point designed/installed as part of a complete personal fall arrest system under the supervision of a qualified person
- Always use Personal Protection Equipment manufactured to the current standards
- Always use a properly sized & adjusted full body harness Always have a rescue plan in place
- Never rig yourself so you can free fall more than 6' or come in contact with a lower level
- Never attach a steel snap to a web loop unless loop has a built in wear guard
- · Never use Fall Protection equipment that has been subjected to impact loading • Never make modifications to Personal Fall Protection Equipment

OSHA - Regulatory

OSHA 1926.502 1926.502(d) 1910.269 1910.269(g)(2)

ANSI

ASTM

1910 Subpart D 1926.954

Fall Protection Systems Criteria & Practices Personal Fall Arrest Systems

Electric Power Generation, Transmission & Distribution

Fall Protection Walking-Working Surfaces

Electric Power Transmission and Distribution

ASTM/ANSI - Consensus Standards for Manufacturers

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Fall Protection Code Personal Climbing Equipment Harnesses Shock Absorbing Lanyards

F887 22 Electric Arc Performance