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Reserve parachute handles for the EVO XC2, SKYPPER, SHAMANE and SHAMANE FR

1 / What is this warning all about ?

It was brought to our attention that a few reserve parachute deployment handles equipping the following harness models : SKYPPER, EVO XC2, EVO XC3, SHAMANE , SHAMANE FR, VAMP, PROFEEL, ACRO 3 and ACRO BASE had a manufacturing defect.

When the force exerted on the reserve parachute handle does not correspond to the (70 DaN) certification norm, it is possible during adverse circumstances for the strap connecting the handle to the pod, to suddenly rupture during the extraction sequence.

2 / Which are the concerned the products :

All the reserve parachute handles associated with the following models :

- SKYPPER
- EVO XC2
- EVO XC3
- SHAMANE
- SHAMANE FR
- VAMP
- PROFEEL
- ACRO 3
- ACRO BASE



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3 / How to verify my reserve parachute's integrity?

The bridle connecting the handle to the POD must be held in place with the Velcro strip two stitched lines.

A few handles were assembled without the bridle reaching the second stitched line. To check the handle, you must look underneath the Velcro strip and see if it is visible under the stitched line .



4 / What to do after the verification ?

If the handle conforms then, reposition it as it initially was.

If the handle does not conform : you must contact your nearest SUPAIR dealer, or SUPAIR representative in your country, or SUPAIR-France directly, at sav@supair.com to proceed with the free of charge reserve parachute handle replacement.

Please accept our apologies for the inconvenience.