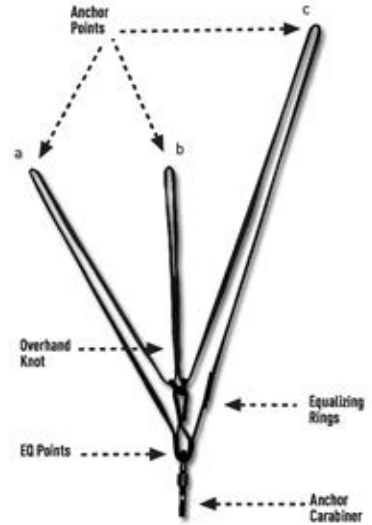
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ALPINE EQUALIZER

INSTRUCTIONS



Use the Alpine Equalizer to tie off and equalize multiple anchors. To use:

- Locate three Anchor Points in the most solid rock or ice available. It is perfectly acceptable to have them all in a line as in a vertical crack.
- Pull three loops of the webbing through the AE and clip each into one of the Anchor Points.
- Check to see that the angle formed by the EQ Point and the two outer Anchor Points, (a) and (c), is no more than 90 degrees, and preferrably less than 70 degrees. Any angle greater than 70 degrees will increase the load on the outer Anchor Points.
- To prevent the possibility of the AE lengthening or extending if an Anchor Point fails, knot or clove hitch each webbing loop to a separate Anchor Point. (Fig A)
- To protect against an upward pull, place a fourth piece of protection below the EQ point, oriented in an upwards direction, and clip it into the EQ point with a tight sling.
- Use slings or quickdraws to extend the Anchor Points if needed.



FIG A

If you have any questions, check out the Alpine Equalizer page on our website at www.trango.com. If you don't see your question answered there please call us at 800.860.3653.