



INSTRUCTIONS

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(REV B)

Canopy Strap Replacement Guide

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TOOLS REQUIRED:

- DRILL WITH 1/8" BIT
- POP RIVET TOOL

PARTS INCLUDED:

- (1) 0338 1" X 60" STRAP
- (2) 0337 1" X 36" STRAP
- (1) 5638 SHORT STRAP (2006 CANOPY)
- (2) 0072 RIVET, 1/8"

TO INSTALL:

1. Carefully drill out the rivets holding the old straps to the canopy poles. Note the direction the straps are placed on the poles and the number of wraps before removing them.
2. To attach the new 36" straps, wind tightly over the pole with the strap pulling outboard. The strap should be placed so that when the canopy is up on the boat, the strap is not pulling against the head of the rivet. This would cause the strap to eventually tear off from the rivet.
3. Melt a small rivet hole in the strap with a heated pin or metal item of under 1/8" diameter. Pop rivet the strap to the pole.
4. To attach the 60" strap you will note that a rivet is no longer required. You will need to detach the other bows from the main (aft) bow to which the 60" strap must be attached. This is accomplished by removing the Eye Ends from the Jaw Slides. Then remove the Jaw Slides from one side of the bow to which the 60" must be attached. Please note the precise Jaw Slide locations before removing, as you will need to re-attach them in the same place. Partially remove the main bow from the Sewn Canopy until you can slip the 60" Strap Loop around the end of the bow at the center cut-out of the Sewn Canopy.
5. If your 3-bow canopy is a 2006 ½ model year or newer, you will also need to attach the Short Strap Assembly to the Aft and Middle bows at this time. You will need to disconnect the Middle bow from the jaw slides at this time as well. Slide the sewn loops of the short strap over the ends of both the middle and main bows at the same time that the 60" strap is placed on the main bow. The short strap must be oriented with the adjusting buckle tab in the down facing direction.

6. Slide the bow(s) back to proper position and re-attach the Jaw Slides to the bow, and re-attach the Eye Ends to the Jaw Slides.