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Heavy duty
Australian-made dog
equipment for dogs of
all shapes and sizes

Snub Line (Quick Release Line)

The Quick Release (Snub) Line is a two piece line, approximately 8 metres long, which incorporates a panic snap (quick release clip).

The snub line provides an anchor for your sled or rig while you hitch up before a run or are looking after your team after a run. Once you are standing securely on the sled or rig and are ready to unhitch the team, open the panic snap and the snub line will release.

There are two ways to use a Quick release line:

1. Static snub line: The snub line stays behind when released.

To use a snub line in this way, attach the shorter quick release section to the base of the gangline on your sled or rig. Loop the long snub section of the line around the fixed object and attach the ring end to the panic snap. (see photo at right)

2. Dynamic snub line: The snub line comes with you when released.

To use a snub line in this way, attach the loop end of the snub line to the loop just in front of the panic snap. (see photo at right)

Then run the long snub line section around the tree or post and attach to the panic snap by the metal ring.





Upon release, the snub line will trail behind you, so you will need to reel the line in quickly and secure it on your sled or rig.

Caution: you will need to ensure that the line does not snag on anything before you reel it in, or your team will come to a sudden stop. Your anchor point should be relatively smooth so the snub line will pull away easily.

In both cases, the loop end of the quick release section must be attached to the <u>base</u> of your gang line.

Caution: Never attach a snub line directly to your rig or sled – with a team pulling forward on the gangline and a snub line holding the sled or rig back, the tension of the pull is concentrated on the rig or sled, which can pull a sled apart.

By attaching the snub line to the gangline, the team is pulling directly on the snub line and there is no stress on the rig or sled.

