

USER MANUAL – EN Inline Skates

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## **PRODUCT DESCRIPTION**

Boot	PP or polyamide
Chassis	Aluminium or PP, PP brake
Inside of the boot	Nylon with synthetic leather, inner padding made of polyurethane foam
Wheels	64, 70, 72, 76, 80, 84, 90 mm, bearings ABEC 5 + ABEC 7

### Class

As per the EN 13843 European standard, inline skates are divided into two classes. **Class A** includes inline skates with weight limit between 20 and 100 kg. **Class B** includes inline skates with weight limit between 20 and 60 kg and the length of the foot under 260 mm.

## SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

Retain this manual for future use.

- Children under 5 years of age can only use this product under adult supervision. The assembly and disassembly can only be carried out by an adult.
- Only use this product for sports and recreational purposes in suitable places (flat and clean surfaces, away from other road users). The most suitable are tarmac or concrete surfaces, quality paving or a wooden court. Rising on unsuitable surfaces (rough tarmac, sand, gravel, cobble heads, etc.) or performing extreme feats (riding on stairs, jumps, etc.) may result in the damage or disproportionate wear of the product. Do not skate on wet or oily surfaces, or rough terrain.
- Follow local laws and regulations. Do not ride in traffic.
- Always use protective features (wrist, elbow and hand protectors, helmet, etc.). Contact your local retailer for more information.
- Do not modify the inline skates in any way that could compromise the safety of the user.
- Do not use the inline skates in temperatures under -5 °C, at night and on wet surfaces.
- Always make sure that all screws and quick-release mechanisms are tightened and secured.

## **INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE**

- Some skate models can be adjusted in size by pushing or pulling the tip of the shoe into place. The size can be adjusted using a regulation button or a lever on the shoe (see instructions below). You don't need any other tools. Buttons and levers have quick-release mechanisms. To maintain their effectiveness, only use these mechanisms for their intended function.
- After you put the inline skates on, try to make several steps to find out if the skates are properly tightened. If you discover any lose parts, stop immediately.

#### Skating steps

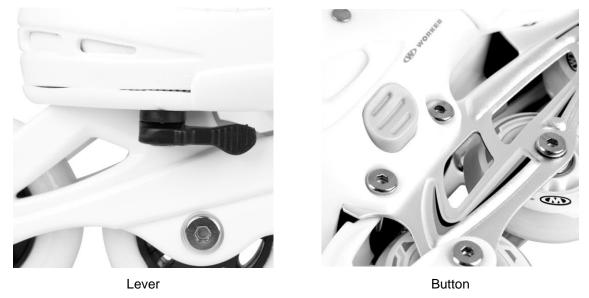
• **Ready position:** Stand near a wall or any other similar support surface. Stand so that there is a space between your feet approximately 15-25 cm and slightly bend your knees. Lean forward a bit, put your hand in front of you and look straight ahead. In this position, practice maintaining balance. Once you are sufficiently sure on your feet, push off the wall and glide slowly without changing the position of your feet. If you are not sure you'll be able to stop on your own, it's good to have a friend to help you practice.

- Make several steps: To get used to the skates on your feet, try to walk on grass at first. Then return to a smooth surface and assume the ready position. Point the tips of your skates forward and make a few steps. In order to try and maintain balance, your legs will start to move further apart. This is to be expected. Once you get used to the sensation, bring your feet back together.
- Bend your knees and lean forward slightly: This stance will help you avoid falling over as you learn. Bring your hands to your knees whenever you feel like you are losing balance.
- Keep trying and maintain balance: Each time you make a step, shift your weight to the front foot. This will start to feel natural after you practice and feel your weight shift as you move. Try going a little faster each time to get the sense of balance with the movement. But don't try to go too fast yet!
- **Practice basic techniques:** At this stage, it is helpful to have a partner that is already familiar with skating to help you out. There are several skating techniques you'll need to master in order for your skating to work well.
  - The A-frame: This position is similar to the ready position, but your legs need to be even further apart. Stand with your feet at shoulder width. If you spread your legs further, you'll probably fall down. Keep your toes pointing forward and your ankles straight. In this position, your weight shifts onto the inside edge of the skate. Practice moving from the ready position to this position as you move along and you'll get a basic idea of what it's like to skate.
  - **Push and glide:** If you tried gliding earlier from the ready position, you already have an idea about how it feels. This time, place one foot at a 45° angle and glide with the other foot along on the ground. Bring the foot that didn't move up to the other foot and keep gliding. Practice skating on one foot only. Glide on the left foot and the right foot in turns and lift the foot that's not gliding off the ground. Learn to keep balance on each leg as you glide. Transfer the weight from your back foot to your front foot as you push and glide. At first, only move very slowly, until the sensation begins to feel normal.
- **Braking:** Learn to brake safely. Most inline skates have a heel brake. Before purchase, make sure the product has a quality brake. Maintain the brake regularly. To use the brake, put the foot with the heel brake forward by approximately 10 cm and put pressure on the brake with your heel. One foot needs to be in front of the other while you lift the tip of the braking skate and lean slightly backwards. The brake will come into contact with the surface of the road and slow you down. Frequent use may render the brake less effective, that's why it is important to check it regularly.
- Inline skates allow you to ride very fast, that's why you need to be careful and not underestimate your abilities. It is recommended that small children skate only under adult supervision.

## SIZE ADJUSTMENT (\*model-specific)

The skate size can be adjusted up to 3 sizes. The adjustment mechanism may differ, depending on the model. Follow the instructions below.

The size can be adjusted either by a regulation lever or button.



- 1. Turn the adjustment lever counter clockwise by 90° or push the regulation button.
- 2. Push or pull the tip of the skate to adjust the size.



Pull the tip (regulation button)



Push the tip (regulation button)

3. Once the size is adjusted, secure the lever by turning it back by 90° in clockwise direction or release the regulation button.



Secure the lever



Release the lever

4. Some types of levers are secured differently.



Release the lever

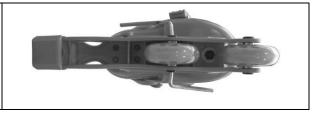
Secure the lever

## WHEEL ADJUSTMENT (\*model-specific)

Some models can be adjusted so that there are two wheels at the rear of the skate or the other way around. The following instructions will help you with the wheel assembly and disassembly.

1. Loosen the screws.	
<ol> <li>Remove the long screw, wheels, spacers and socket.</li> </ol>	
<ol> <li>Thread the socket and spacers through the long screw to keep them safe for future use.</li> </ol>	0;0
<ol> <li>Take out the shorter screw – one set (2 pcs) per one wheel.</li> </ol>	
<ol> <li>Put the wheel in place and thread the screw through both the wheel and the chassis.</li> </ol>	

6. Tighten the screws. Repeat the last steps to assemble the other wheels.



## MAINTENANCE

Regular maintenance increases your safety while riding. If any repairs are needed, it is recommended to seek a customer service.

- Check the wheels before every ride and make sure all screws are properly tightened. Tighten all loose screws use a screwdriver of the appropriate size. Clean any dirt and dust with a dry cloth.
- If the wheels get damaged, don't use them and replace them with an appropriate model.

**Wheel replacement:** To replace the wheels, use a no. 4 Allen key. Always use wheels that are compatible with your inline skates. It is recommended to use PU wheels, they are of higher quality and have better riding attributes.

- The bearings inside the wheels may start being noisy after a while. You will solve this problem by applying a small amount of lubricant. (Never use petroleum jelly or oil to lubricate the bearings. It is recommended to use graphite or silicone lubricants).
- Regularly check the wheels for wear. To use all wheels to their full capacity, regularly change the places of the front and rear wheels. When you skate unevenly, you can regularly turn the wheels by 180°.
- The wheels and bearings of the less expensive models are more susceptible to wear. This kind of wear does not prevent you from using the inline skates and is not covered by the warranty.
- Replace the wheels and bearings at the same time. If you don't, it may have a negative impact on the stability of your inline skates.

**Bearings replacement:** To replace bearings, use a no. 4 Allen key. Remove the wheels and push the bearings out. As a replacement use 608Z or ABEC1 – ABEC7 bearings. The most quality are the ABEC7 bearings.

- Aluminium chassis are generally noisier than PP chassis. The amount of noise the skates make correlates with the amount of time they have been used (the wheels and bearings). Such wear is not covered by the warranty. Also, wheels made of PVC with cheaper bearings (608Z, 608ZZ) are usually noisier than others.
- In case of a malfunction, stop using the skates immediately to prevent further damage. There is also a risk of an injury.
- If you find any sharp edges on the skates, take appropriate steps to prevent an injury to the user.
- Always check the skates before using them and make sure all binding mechanisms are properly secured. If you find some parts loose or missing, stop using the skates immediately.
- To clean the inner padding and the shell of the skate use a cloth and a mild soap diluted in water. Let the skates dry at room temperature. Under no circumstances use organic solvents.
- Store the skates in a dry place and out of direct sunlight. This way, you'll prevent corrosion and prolong the product's service life.

## **TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF WARRANTY, WARRANTY CLAIMS**

#### **General Conditions of Warranty and Definition of Terms**

All Warranty Conditions stated hereunder determine Warranty Coverage and Warranty Claim Procedure. Conditions of Warranty and Warranty Claims are governed by Act No. 40/1964 Coll. Civil Code, Act No. 513/1991 Coll., Commercial Code, and Act No. 634/1992 Coll., Consumer Protection Act, as amended, also in cases that are not specified by these Warranty rules.

The seller is SEVEN SPORT s.r.o. with its registered office in Borivojova Street 35/878, Prague 13000, Company Registration Number: 26847264, registered in the Trade Register at Regional Court in Prague, Section C, Insert No. 116888.

According to valid legal regulations it depends whether the Buyer is the End Customer or not.

"The Buyer who is the End Customer" or simply the "End Customer" is the legal entity that does not conclude and execute the Contract in order to run or promote his own trade or business activities.

"The Buyer who is not the End Customer" is a Businessman that buys Goods or uses services for the purpose of using the Goods or services for his own business activities. The Buyer conforms to the General Purchase Agreement and business conditions to the extent specified in the Commercial Code.

These Conditions of Warranty and Warranty Claims are an integral part of every Purchase Agreement made between the Seller and the Buyer. All Warranty Conditions are valid and binding, unless otherwise specified in the Purchase Agreement, in the Amendment to this Contract or in another written agreement.

#### Warranty Conditions

#### Warranty Period

The Seller provides the Buyer a 24 months Warranty for Goods Quality, unless otherwise specified in the Certificate of Warranty, Invoice, Bill of Delivery or other documents related to the Goods. The legal warranty period provided to the Consumer is not affected.

By the Warranty for Goods Quality, the Seller guarantees that the delivered Goods shall be, for a certain period of time, suitable for regular or contracted use, and that the Goods shall maintain its regular or contracted features.

#### The Warranty does not cover defects resulting from (if applicable):

- User's fault, i.e. product damage caused by unqualified repair work, improper assembly, insufficient insertion of seat post into frame, insufficient tightening of pedals and cranks
- Improper maintenance
- Mechanical damages
- Regular use (e.g. wearing out of rubber and plastic parts, moving mechanisms, joints etc.)
- Unavoidable event, natural disaster
- Adjustments made by unqualified person
- Improper maintenance, improper placement, damages caused by low or high temperature, water, inappropriate pressure, shocks, intentional changes in design or construction etc.

#### Warranty Claim Procedure

The Buyer is obliged to check the Goods delivered by the Seller immediately after taking the responsibility for the Goods and its damages, i.e. immediately after its delivery. The Buyer must check the Goods so that he discovers all the defects that can be discovered by such check.

When making a Warranty Claim the Buyer is obliged, on request of the Seller, to prove the purchase and validity of the claim by the Invoice or Bill of Delivery that includes the product's serial number, or eventually by the documents without the serial number. If the Buyer does not prove the validity of the Warranty Claim by these documents, the Seller has the right to reject the Warranty Claim. If the Buyer gives notice of a defect that is not covered by the Warranty (e.g. in the case that the Warranty Conditions were not fulfilled or in the case of reporting the defect by mistake etc.), the Seller is eligible to require a compensation for all the costs arising from the repair. The cost shall be calculated according to the valid price list of services and transport costs.

If the Seller finds out (by testing) that the product is not damaged, the Warranty Claim is not accepted. The Seller reserves the right to claim a compensation for costs arising from the false Warranty Claim.

In case the Buyer makes a claim about the Goods that is legally covered by the Warranty provided by the Seller, the Seller shall fix the reported defects by means of repair or by the exchange of the damaged part or product for a new one. Based on the agreement of the Buyer, the Seller has the right to exchange the defected Goods for a fully compatible Goods of the same or better technical characteristics. The Seller is entitled to choose the form of the Warranty Claim Procedures described in this paragraph.

The Seller shall settle the Warranty Claim within 30 days after the delivery of the defective Goods, unless a longer period has been agreed upon. The day when the repaired or exchanged Goods is handed over to the Buyer is considered to be the day of the Warranty Claim settlement. When the Seller is not able to settle the Warranty Claim within the agreed period due to the specific nature of the Goods defect, he and the Buyer shall make an agreement about an alternative solution. In case such agreement is not made, the Seller is obliged to provide the Buyer with a financial compensation in the form of a refund.

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