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1999
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Gerber Legendary Blades



Knives & Tools for All Reasons & All Seasons.

Since 1939 Gerber Legendary Blades® has produced high quality innovative products for the outdoors. We continue that tradition in 1999 with many new and exciting items for recreation, travel and general everyday use. The breadth of our new product offering is extensive, providing knives and tools for any season. All our products are “items you need for work and play” such as our new stylish keychain tool series called the “KeyStyle™”. This line includes attractive finishes from Burlwood to Black Lacquer. The KeyStyle™ is not only attractive, but also extremely handy with Fiskars® scissors, cutting blade, tweezers/eyeglass screwdriver, flat head screwdriver, and crosshead screwdriver in a compact size. The perfect gift item that everyone will enjoy having in their pocket, purse, or on their keychain.

Gerber® was the first to introduce lightweight knives to the world with our L.S.T.® series. For 1999, we are again the first to introduce a revolution in folding knives. The new Chameleon™ series of knives have a “SAF.T.GRIP™” handle design that allows your forefinger to pass through the handle at the blade pivot point. The resulting grip and feel is like no other knife you have handled. You must feel it to believe how much control and comfort this design feature provides. The

Chameleon™ comes in three sizes and two blade edges to fit every hand and every use. The blade lock on these knives is the time tested, patented Bolt-Action™ locking mechanism, adding to the overall safety and security of the SAF.T.GRIP™ System. Let the Chameleon™ change your perspective on folding knife comfort, safety and use.

In patented multi-function tools, Gerber® is the market leader. For 1999, we are introducing a new multi-function locking tool called the Multi-Plier® 400 Series. We took the patented Multi-Plier® design and squeezed it down into a convenient, compact new size while retaining the features of the larger 600 Series tools. The Multi-Plier® 400 Series should be your companion everyday and in all of life’s adventures. Sized just right, full of features, and priced to fit your budget, what more could you ask for in a multi-function locking tool?

Gerber Legendary Blades® is committed to quality, innovation, price and overall value, keeping our company the market leader in knives and tools. We work hard for your business and it shows. As you review our 1999 catalog, you will see the results of our dedicated work force who strive to maintain our position as market innovators and producers of high quality, high value products.

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New Products for 1999

KeyStyle™ Series

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Multi-Plier® 600 Series

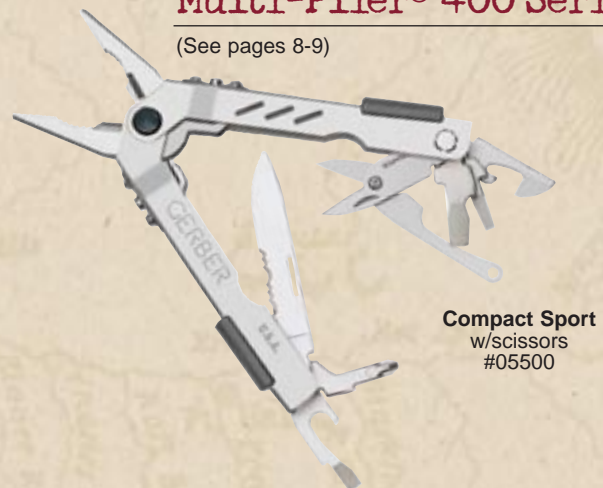
Archer & E.O.D.

(Formerly the Multi-Lock Series.)



Multi-Plier® 400 Series

(See pages 8-9)



Multi-Plier® 600 Series

(Formerly Multi-Lock Series)

Deluxe model (other models will have different components)

#07564

SAF.T.PLUS™ System



Slide lock release forward to disengage component.

1999 New Product

Saw Coupler & Saw



The Saw Coupler is designed to accept 2 3/4" universal tang blades (see pg. 30 for more info).

Tool Kit Included

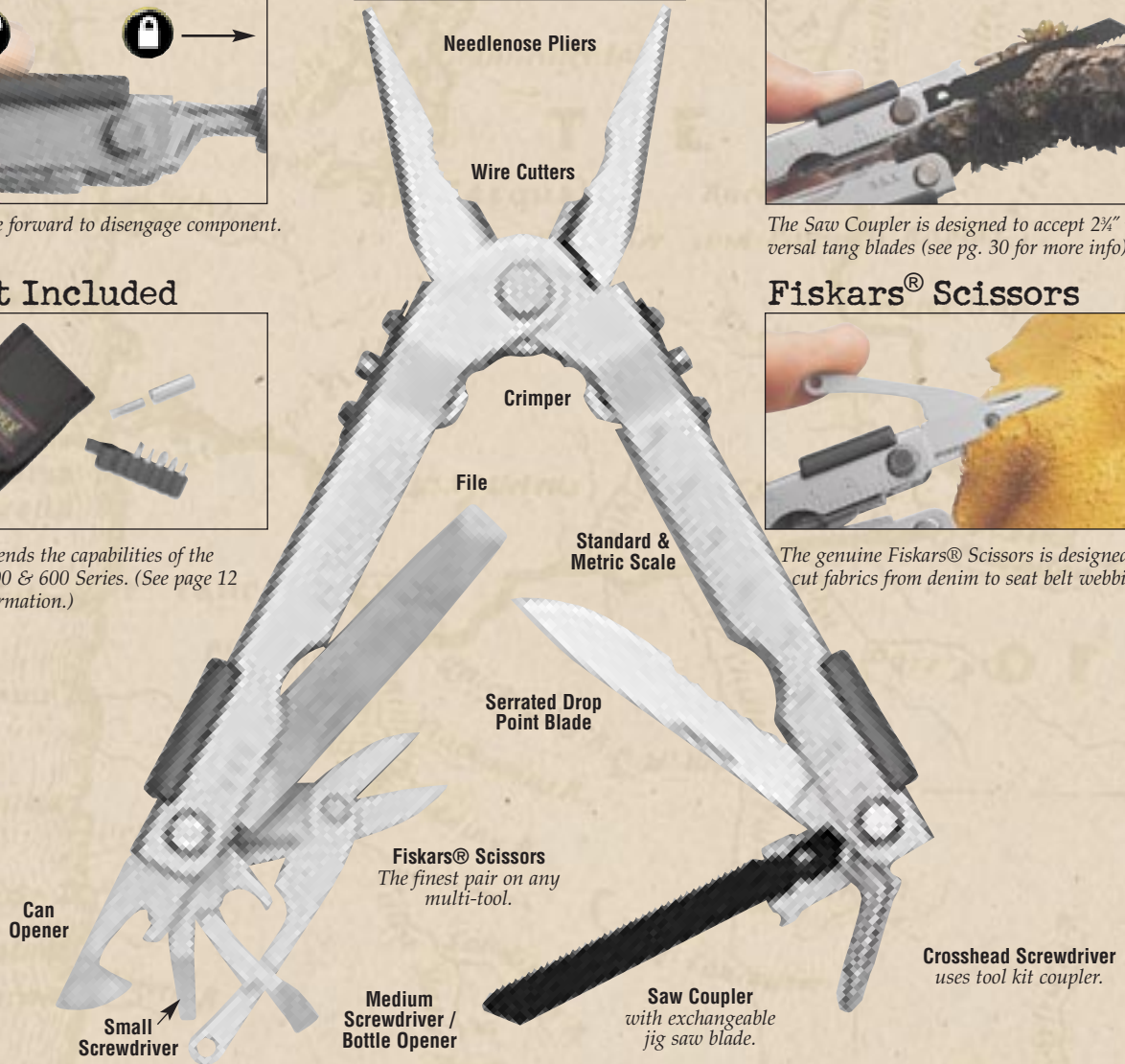


The Tool Kit extends the capabilities of the Multi-Plier® 400 & 600 Series. (See page 12 for Tool Kit information.)

Fiskars® Scissors



The genuine Fiskars® Scissors is designed to cut fabrics from denim to seat belt webbing.



The Ultimate Line of Multi-Function Tools.

Gerber's Multi-Plier® 600 Series is simply the best multi-function tool available today. Introduced in 1997, the Multi-Plier® 600 Series is already one of the top selling tools in the world. It has features not found on any other multi-function tool, features that insure when your customers pick it up, they won't put it back down. Gerber® makes different versions of the 600 Series to fit the needs of all your customers.

All Multi-Plier® 600 Series tools

have one-handed plier opening. No handle rotation or gyrations are necessary. Just a flick of the wrist slides the plier jaws into the locked and ready position.

The Multi-Plier® 600 Series has easy to access, all locking components. The locking system is the safest and easiest to use of all multi-function tools. Components lock up against a solid bar of steel, rather than a spring like other tools. To close, simply slide the lock release

back and the component can then be rotated back into the handle. The Multi-Plier® 600 Series also has independent tool rotation, allowing access to the component your customer wants without the other tools following it out.

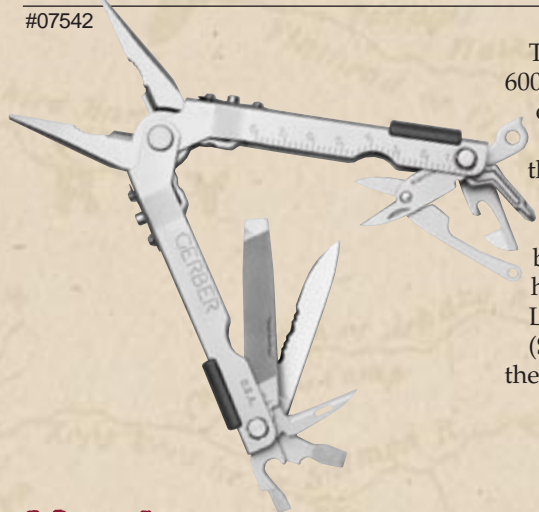
Other notable features include smooth, non-pinching handles, stainless steel construction, and a Limited Lifetime Warranty.

Patents #5,142,721 and #5,212,844 and patent pending.



scout

#07542



This is the perfect Multi-Plier® 600 Series model for fisherman and outdoorsman. It has a pair of Fiskars® scissors that will cut through all braided fishing lines as well as light wire. The Multi-Plier® 600 scout also has a carbide coated sharpener for fish hooks and knives.

Limited Lifetime Warranty.
(See page 33 for information on the SAFT.PLUS™ System.)

Features



Needlenose Pliers • Fiskars® Scissors • Awl • Wire Cutter • Standard / Metric Scale • Lanyard Ring • Crosshead Screwdriver • Bottle / Can Opener • Crimper • Large & Medium Flathead Screwdrivers • Carbide Coated File / Sharpener • Serrated Drop Point Blade

Woodsman

#07531



This tool boasts a patented coupler that accepts 2 3/4" universal tang jig saw blade. This allows the user to have a saw blade capable of cutting almost any material they want. The blades are inexpensive, accessible, and replaceable. This is a Gerber exclusive.

Limited Lifetime Warranty.
(See page 33 for information on the SAFT.PLUS™ System.)
(See page 30 for saw coupler.)

Features



Needlenose Pliers • Replaceable Saw Blade • Wire Cutter • Standard / Metric Scale • Crosshead Screwdriver • Bottle / Can Opener • Crimper • Large, Medium & Small Flathead Screwdrivers • File • Drop Point Blade

1999 New Product

Trailrider

#07562



We asked serious horsemen what they wanted in a multi-function tool; and this is the result.

Trailrider has a hoof pick, 1/2-serrated knife blade, a leather punch, and Fiskars® scissors that will cut through five ounce leather.

Limited Lifetime Warranty.
(See page 33 for information on the SAFT.PLUS™ System.)

Features



Needlenose Pliers • Hoof Pick • Simonds® Extra Coarse Cut File • Wire Cutter • Standard / Metric Scale • Lanyard Ring • Fiskars® Scissors • Crosshead Screwdriver • Crimper • Awl with Sewing Eye • Large & Small Flathead Screwdrivers • Serrated Drop Point Blade

1999 New Product

Multi-Plier® 600 Series

Archer

#07584



Designed for archers, this model has a nock crimper, a saw coupler designed to accept 2 3/4" universal tang blades (see page 30 for saw coupler), a saw blade, Fiskars® scissors, and the Gerber® Tool Kit in a Realtree® camo sheath. Special bits used by archers include: 3/16, 3/32, 3/64, 1/8 and 3/64. Limited Lifetime Warranty. (See page 33 for information on the SAFT.PLUS™ System.)

1999 New Product

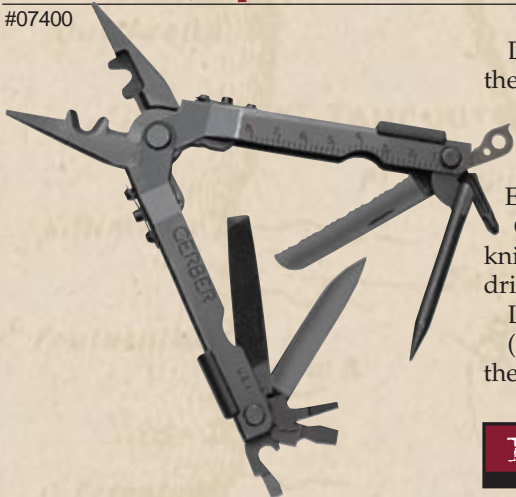
Features



Needlenose Pliers • Saw Coupler & Saw • Fiskars® Scissors • Tool Kit with Special Bits • Wire Cutter • Standard / Metric Scale • File • Crosshead Screwdriver • Bottle / Can Opener • Crimper • Medium & Small Flathead Screwdrivers • Serrated Drop Point Blade

E.O.D. (Explosives Ordinance Disposal)

#07400



Developed in conjunction with the U.S. military, this is the only multi-function tool certified for Explosive Ordinance Disposal units. The Multi-Plier® 600 E.O.D. has a blasting cap crimper, C-4 punch, a serrated sheepsfoot knife blade, drop point blade, screwdrivers and file. Limited Lifetime Warranty. (See page 33 for information on the SAFT.PLUS™ System.)

1999 New Product

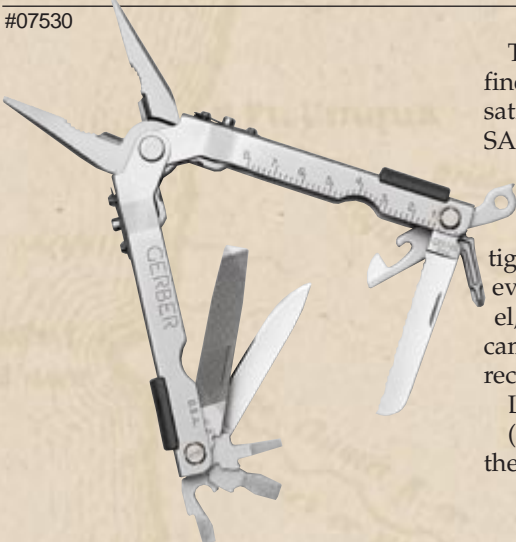
Features



Needlenose Pliers • Blasting Cap Crimper • C4 Punch • Wire Cutter • Standard / Metric Scale • Lanyard Ring • Crosshead Screwdriver • Bottle Opener • Large, Medium & Small Flathead Screwdrivers • File • Serrated Sheepsfoot Blade • Drop Point Blade

Needlenose

#07530



The Needlenose version combines finesse with a rugged toughness to satisfy your daily needs. With the SAFT.PLUS™ System, each component opens independently of any other, locks tightly against a positive stop rollbar and stays tight until you unlock it. Use it for every situation: construction, travel, car, home, all purpose kit, camping/hiking and other outdoor recreational activities. Limited Lifetime Warranty. (See page 33 for information on the SAFT.PLUS™ System.)

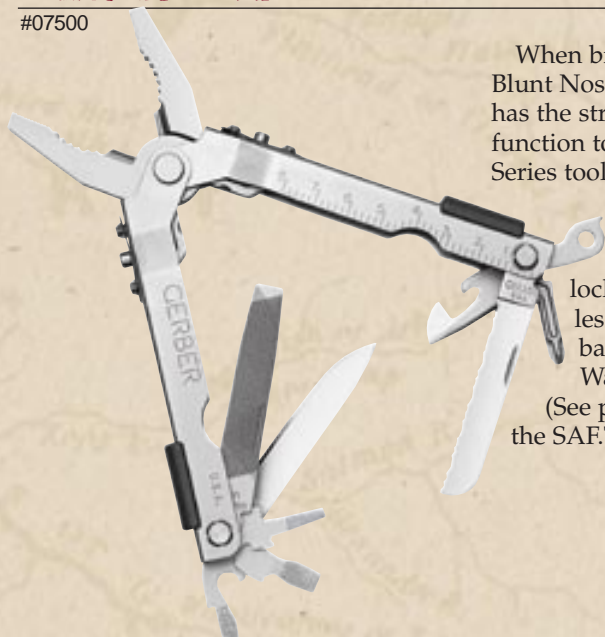
Features



Needlenose Pliers • Wire Cutter • Crimper • Standard / Metric Scale • Lanyard Ring • Crosshead Screwdriver • Bottle / Can Opener • Serrated Sheepsfoot Blade • Large, Medium & Small Flathead Screwdrivers • File • Drop Point Blade • Adapts to Gerber Tool Kit

Blunt Nose

#07500



When brute force is required, the Blunt Nose version has no peer. It has the strongest jaws of any multi-function tool available. Like all 600 Series tools, the Blunt Nose has one-handed opening pliers, independent tool rotation, and all components lock in place. Made of stainless steel, the Blunt Nose is backed by a Limited Lifetime Warranty.

(See page 33 for information on the SAFT.PLUS™ System.)

Features



Blunt nose Pliers • Wire Cutter • Crimper
• Standard / Metric Scale • Lanyard Ring •
Crosshead Screwdriver • Bottle / Can Opener •
Serrated Sheepsfoot Blade • Large, Medium &
Small Flathead Screwdrivers • File • Drop
Point Blade

Other Multi-Plier® 600 Products

Needlenose, Black Finish
#07550

Blunt Nose, Black Finish
#07520

Needlenose with Tool Kit
#07540

Blunt Nose with Tool Kit
#07510



Specifications

Product	Part #	Length Open	Length Clsd	Weight	Materials
Deluxe	07564	6.625"	5.125"	11.50 oz	Stainless Steel, Ballistic Sheath
scout	07542	6.625"	5.125"	8.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Ballistic Sheath
Woodsmen	07531	6.625"	5.125"	8.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Ballistic Sheath
Trailrider	07562	6.625"	5.125"	8.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Ballistic Sheath
Archer	07584	6.625"	5.125"	11.50 oz	Stainless Steel, Ballistic Sheath (Realtree®)
Blaster	07400	6.625"	5.125"	8.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Ballistic Sheath
Needlenose	07530	6.625"	5.125"	8.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Ballistic Sheath
Needlenose, Black Finish	07550	6.625"	5.125"	8.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Ballistic Sheath
Needlenose with Tool Kit	07540	6.625"	5.125"	11.50 oz	Stainless Steel, Ballistic Sheath
Blunt Nose	07500	6.375"	4.875"	8.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Ballistic Sheath
Blunt Nose, Black Finish	07520	6.375"	4.875"	8.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Ballistic Sheath
Blunt Nose with Tool Kit	07510	6.375"	4.875"	11.50 oz	Stainless Steel, Ballistic Sheath

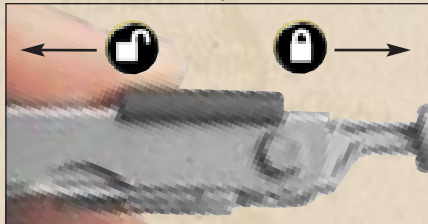
Multi-Plier® 400 Series

Compact Sport

#05500

1999 New Product

SAFT.PLUS™ System

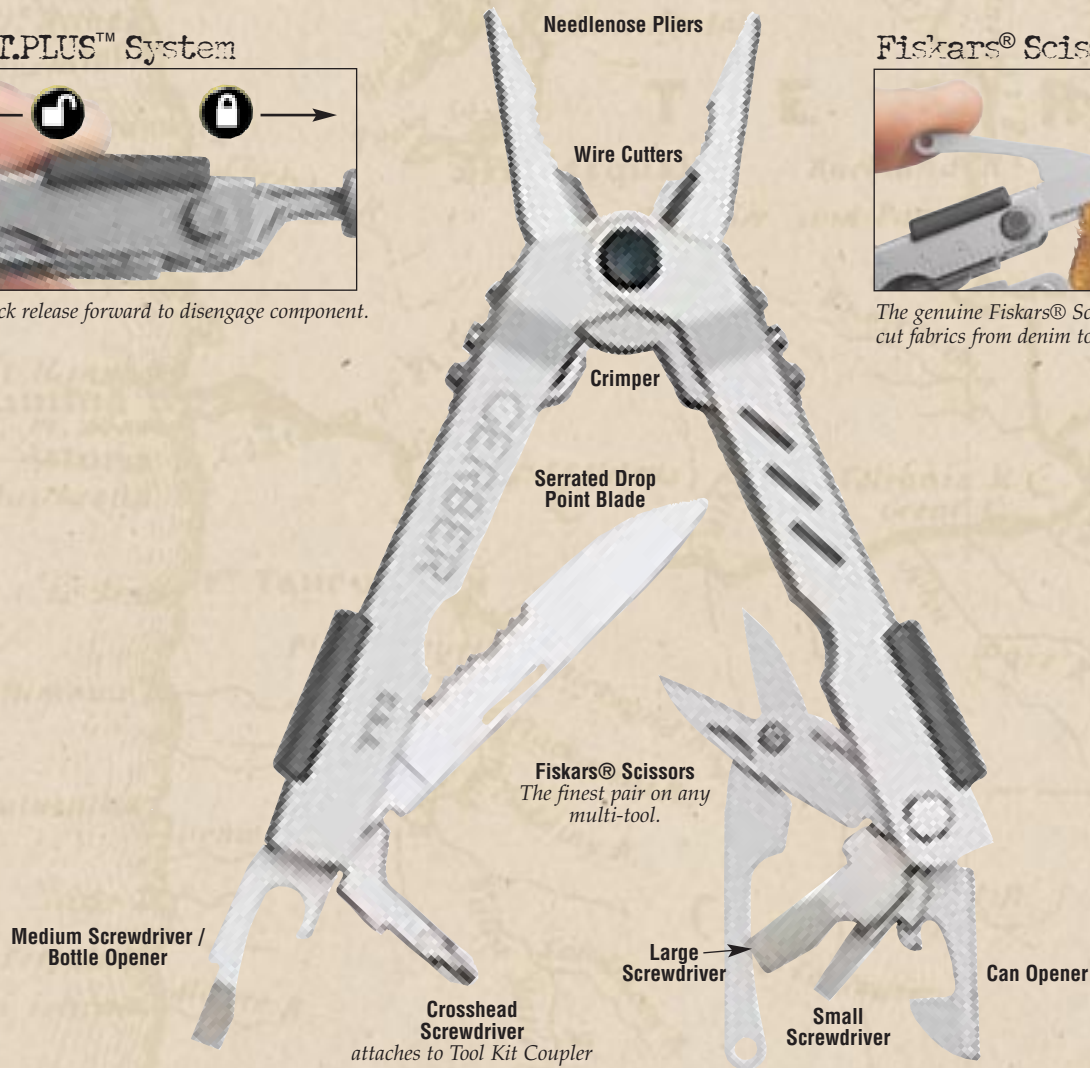


Slide lock release forward to disengage component.

Fiskars® Scissors



The genuine Fiskars® Scissors is designed to cut fabrics from denim to seat belt webbing.



The Compact Tool with Full Size Performance.

Lightweight, full functioned. That is the best way to describe the Multi-Plier® 400 Series. Some customers like multi-function tools, but want something compact to carry at all times. The Multi-Plier® 400 Series was designed specifically for those customers. It is a lighter, compact version of the 600 series. The Multi-

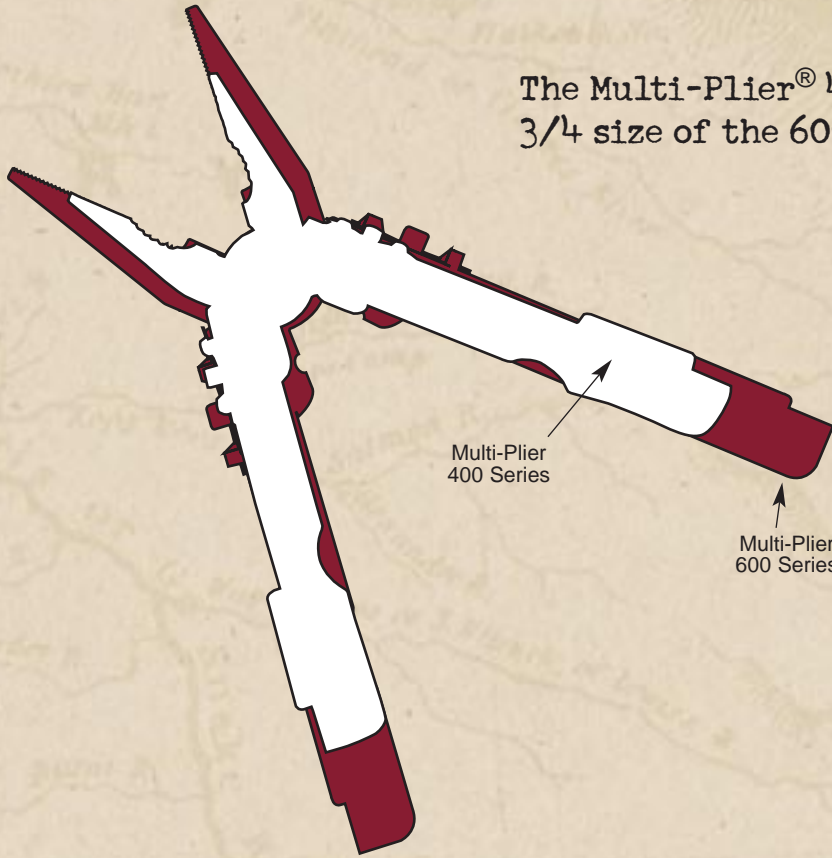
Plier® 400 Series has ¾ size handles and plier jaws, yet packs the full size components of the 600 Series. Multi-Plier® 400 Series has all of the same superior design features that makes the 600 Series the best tool available.

Multi-Plier® 400 Series is one handed opening, has all locking components, independent tool rota-

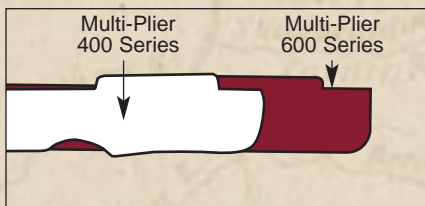
tion, and comfortable, smooth, no-pinch handles. Multi-Plier® 400 Series has stainless steel construction, comes with a sheath, and is backed by Gerber's Limited Lifetime Warranty

Patents #5,142,721 and #5,212,844 and patent pending.

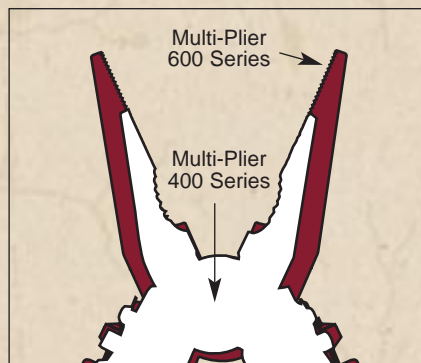
Size Comparison



The Multi-Plier® 400 Series is 3/4 size of the 600 Series.



The shorter handles of the 400 make for a more compact tool that is easier to carry as well as being lighter. The 400 Series' handles house the full size 600 components, have the SAFT.PLUS™ Locking System, and have independent tool rotation. Compact Sport sacrifices nothing in performance.



To help reduce weight and size, the plier head is also more compact. This allows the tool to take up less room, as well as reduce weight. The strength to weight ratio remains the same as the 600 Series.

Features



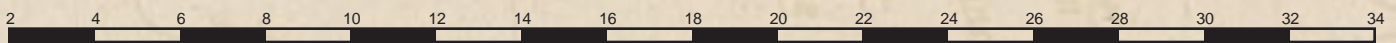
The Compact Sport offers the genuine Fiskars® scissors. It's designed to cut fabrics from denim to seat belt webbing.



The Tool Kit extends the capabilities of the Multi-Plier® 400 Series Compact Sport. (See page 12 for Tool Kit information.)

Specifications

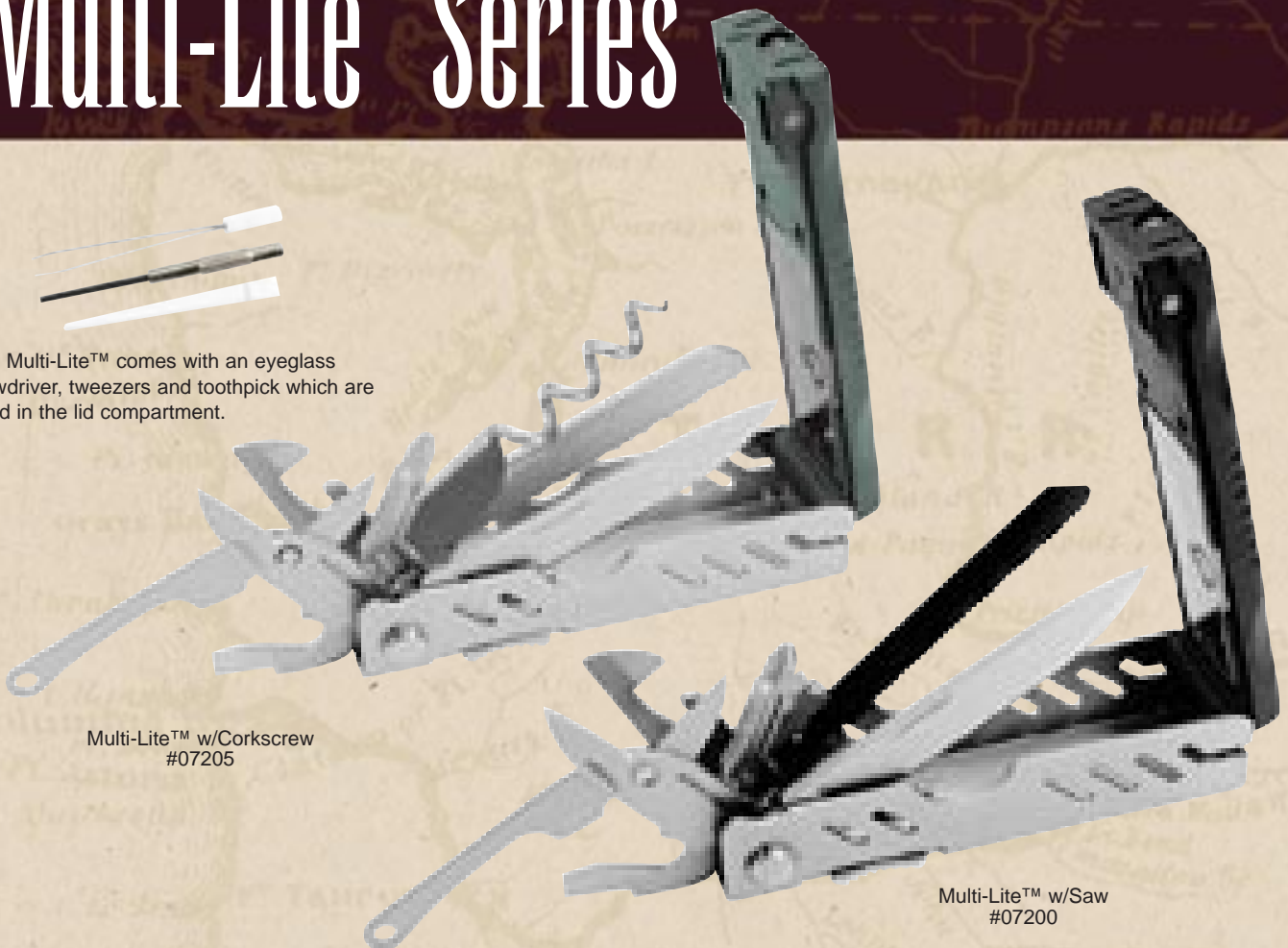
Product	Part #	Length Open	Width	Weight	Materials
Compact Sport	05500	5.750"	1.200"	6.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Ballistic Sheath, Nylon



Multi-Lite™ Series



Each Multi-Lite™ comes with an eyeglass screwdriver, tweezers and toothpick which are stored in the lid compartment.



Multi-Lite™ w/Corkscrew
#07205

Multi-Lite™ w/Saw
#07200

Great Outdoor Companion.

Backpacker's Equipment editor, Kristen Hostetter, said the Multi-Lite™ is "the first fully featured multi-tool I've used that justifies its weight." (June, 1998) It's easy to see why. Weighing just under five ounces, the Multi-Lite puts a veritable tool box at your customers finger tips.

The Multi-Lite™ with Saw features Gerber's patented saw coupler, a drop point knife blade, crosshead screwdriver, flathead screwdriver, Fiskars® scissors, can opener, eyeglass screwdriver, tweezers, and an emergency LED light.

All of Multi-Lite™ tool's interior components feature independent tool rotation, and lock in place for use. Unlocking components is as simple as sliding back the lock release located on the sides of the tool.

Multi-Lite™ is the perfect tool for the traveler, backpacker, or anybody who does not need a full size multi-tool, yet wants the peace of mind of being prepared. Multi-Lite™ is a

unique concept in multi-function tools sure to attract the consumers attention. Multi-Lite™ is made in the U.S.A. and is backed by Gerber's Limited Lifetime warranty. Add the Tool Kit (#05200) for added features.

The Multi-Lite™ can be purchased with a fine tooled leather sheath. An optional leather sheath to hold the tool kit caddy, bits and coupler is also available.

Patent Pending.

Two Styles to Choose From.



Multi-Lite™ w/Saw #07200

The Multi-Lite™ with Saw features Gerber's saw coupler (patent pending), a drop point knife blade, crosshead screwdriver, flathead screwdriver, Fiskars® scissors, can opener, eyeglass screwdriver, tweezers, and an emergency LED light. (See page 30 for more information on saw coupler.)



Multi-Lite™ w/Corkscrew #07205

The Multi-Lite™ with Corkscrew features a stainless steel corkscrew, a drop point knife blade, crosshead screwdriver, flathead screwdriver, Fiskars® scissors, can opener, eyeglass screwdriver, tweezers, and an emergency LED light.

Features



The emergency amber L.E.D. light is designed with a replaceable battery and L.E.D.



Gerber's patented saw coupler will accept any standard 2 3/4" jig saw blade. (See page 30 for saw coupler.)



The stainless steel corkscrew is excellent for picnics and outdoor excursions.



The Multi-Lite™ Tool Kit Pouch conveniently stores your Gerber® Tool Kit.



With this optional Multi-Lite™ Pouch, you can take your tool anywhere.



Like all the Multi-Plier® Series multi-function tools, the Multi-Lite™ features independent tool rotation, and all locking components. To unlock, simply pull back on the lock release buttons and fold the component back into the handle.

Other Multi-Lite™ Products

Multi-Lite™ Corkscrew
w/ Sheath
07225



Multi-Lite™ Saw
w/ Sheath
07220



Specifications

Product	Part #	Length	Width	Thickness	Weight	Component Materials
Multi-Lite™ w/Corkscrew	07205	3.500"	1.000"	0.750"	< 5.00 oz.	420 High Carbon Steel
Multi-Lite™ Corkscrew w/ Sheath	07225	3.650"	1.250"	0.900"	5.25 oz.	420 High Carbon Steel
Multi-Lite™ w/Saw	07200	3.500"	1.000"	0.750"	< 5.00 oz.	420 High Carbon Steel
Multi-Lite™ Saw w/ Sheath	07220	3.650"	1.250"	0.900"	5.25 oz.	420 High Carbon Steel
Multi-Lite™ Leather Sheath	08772	4.000"	1.600"	1.300"	1.20 oz.	Tooled Leather
Tool Kit w/Leather Sheath	08773	3.300"	1.600"	1.000"	3.00 oz.	Tooled Leather, 6 Bits, Coupler, Caddy

Tool Kit



Tool Kit-Only #05200
Tool Kit w/Blunt Nose Multi-Plier® 600 Series #07510
Tool Kit w/Needlenose Multi-Plier® 600 Series #07540

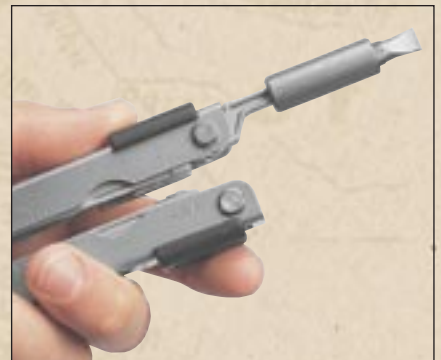
Multi-Function Tool Expander.

This accessory increases the versatility of all Gerber® multi-function tools. The Tool Kit has a coupler that fits over the crosshead screwdriver, allowing the use of any standard 1/4" hex bit. Almost all fasteners have drivers in the 1/4" hex bit format. Gerber® was the first to offer such a coupler with a multi-functional tool, and it's still the best one on the market. Sold either with a multi-function tool or without, the

tool kit is a great accessory to carry for your Gerber® multi-function tool.

The Tool Kit comes with the coupler, six bits, a coupler/bit carrier, and a sheath to hold a Multi-Plier®, and the loaded coupler/bit carrier. The Tool Kit will work with any Gerber® multi-function tool, and is backed by Gerber Legendary Blades' Limited Lifetime Warranty.

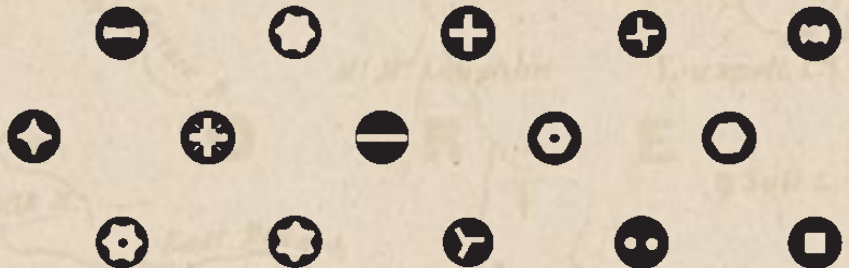
Features



Kit includes the coupler unit, six hex bits (three flat head drivers and three crosshead drivers) and a compact carrier to prevent loss.

Hex Bit Examples

The Gerber® Tool Kit comes with a coupler, six hex bits (three flathead and three crosshead screwdriver bits), and a ballistic sheath. The Tool Kit accepts any standard 1/4" Hex Bit. (Shown here are a few 1/4" bits available at your local hardware store. These bits are not included in Tool Kit.)



Other tool kit products

Product	Part #	Lgth-Open	Lgth-Clsd	Weight	Materials
Archer	07584	6.625"	5.125"	11.50 oz	Stainless Steel, Ballistic Sheath
Needlenose with Tool Kit	07540	6.625"	5.125"	11.50 oz	Stainless Steel, Ballistic Sheath
Blunt Nose with Tool Kit	07510	6.375"	4.875"	11.50 oz	Stainless Steel, Ballistic Sheath

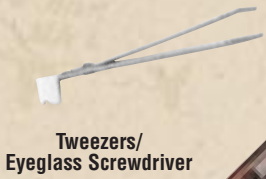
KeyStyle™

1999 New Product

— Locking Tools —

Crosshead Screwdriver, Sheepsfoot Blade, Flathead Screwdriver

Fiskars® Scissors



Tweezers/
Eyeglass Screwdriver



Locking
Crosshead
Screwdriver

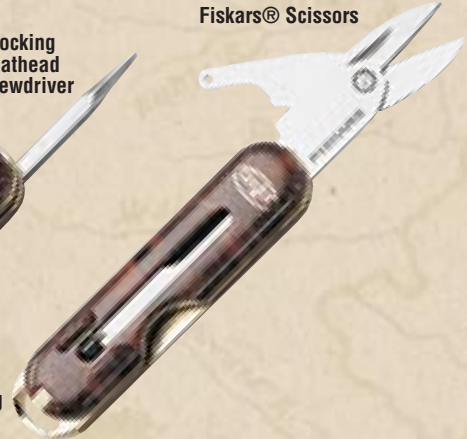


Locking
Sheepsfoot
Blade



Locking
Flathead
Screwdriver

Key Ring



Form and Function.

KeyStyle™, the most useful and stylish keychain accessory, is now available from Gerber Legendary Blades. KeyStyle™ puts six of the most commonly used tools into a smooth, contoured 2 ounce package. KeyStyle™ is available in a variety of finishes.

KeyStyle™, as functional as it is attractive, features Fiskars® scissors, a knife blade, a crosshead screwdriver, a flathead screwdriver, and eye-glass screwdriver/tweezers. All tools are made of stainless steel and

housed in a sturdy metal frame. Designed to provide a degree of style not found on any other multi-tool, KeyStyle™ is currently available in three finishes; Green Marble, Black, and Wood Grain.

The KeyStyle™ is packed with the tools you need. It is versatile enough to be attached to your keyring or backpack; or simply carry it in your pocket or purse.

The KeyStyle™ is backed by a One Year Warranty.

Features



With a forward push motion, the screwdrivers and blade slide out and lock with ease.

KeyStyle™ Series

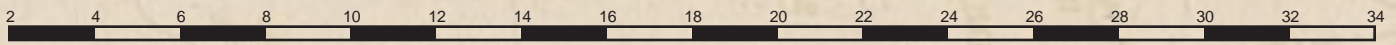


More Style Plates to come in 1999.

Gerber can decorate KeyStyle™ side plates with almost any finish imaginable. New processes and technology have resulted in flexibility unheard of before now. Many new styles will be available as the 1999 model year unfolds.

Specifications

Product	Part #	Length	Width	Weight	Materials
KeyStyle™-Black	48103	2.650"	0.580"	2.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Metal Frame
KeyStyle™-Green Marble	48100	2.650"	0.580"	2.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Metal Frame
KeyStyle™-Burlwood	48101	2.650"	0.580"	2.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Metal Frame
KeyStyle™-Iridescent (not shown)	48102	2.650"	0.580"	2.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Metal Frame



Chameleon™

1999 New Product



Chameleon™ III Serrated
#06435

Chameleon™ II
#06420

A Revolution in Knife Design.

This revolutionary design will win the hearts of knife enthusiasts worldwide. The patent pending SAFT.GRIP™ System, with its open pivot design, allows for a grip that is comfortable and secure. With your forefinger securely nestled in the cavity, the possibility of slippage or loss of a knife is diminished. The open pivot design also offers an ergonomic hold that reflects the natural position of your hand. This new design also allows the size of the knife to remain relatively small without compromising the comfort or grip.

The blade rotates along the circumference of the pivot point for a smooth and easy opening. Once opened, the blade remains locked into position until manually released. The blade lock on these knives is the time tested, patented Bolt-Action locking mechanism. To release the lock, simply push the button away from the blade while rotating the blade back into the handle.

The Chameleon comes in three sizes and two blade edges to fit every hand and every use. Patents pending. Limited Lifetime Warranty.

Features



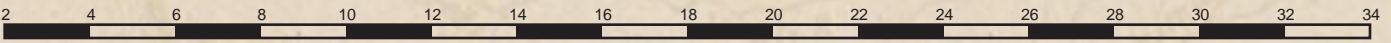
The SAFT.GRIP™ System, with its open pivot design, allows for a grip that is comfortable and secure.

Other SAFT.GRIP™ Knives



Specifications

Product	Part #	Lgth-Open	Lgth-Clsd	Weight	Materials
Chameleon™ I	06410	5.719"	3.437"	4.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Glass Filled Nylon Handle, Nylon Sheath
Chameleon™ I Serrated	06415	5.719"	3.437"	4.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Glass Filled Nylon Handle, Nylon Sheath
Chameleon™ II	06420	7.149"	4.297"	5.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Glass Filled Nylon Handle, Nylon Sheath
Chameleon™ II Serrated	06425	7.149"	4.297"	5.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Glass Filled Nylon Handle, Nylon Sheath
Chameleon™ III	06430	8.579"	5.156"	5.50 oz	Stainless Steel, Glass Filled Nylon Handle, Nylon Sheath
Chameleon™ III Serrated	06435	8.579"	5.156"	5.50 oz	Stainless Steel, Glass Filled Nylon Handle, Nylon Sheath



River Guides™ I & II

1999 New Product

River Guide™ I
Yellow Handle
#05648



River Guide™ I
#05646



Try Our New SAF.T.GRIP™ System

These knives were designed with the help of Northwest river guides to be the best water rescue tools on the market. The large rubber handles provide a secure grip in any weather condition: wet or dry, hot or cold, bare handed or gloved.

The River Guide™ I (#05646) has a chisel tip blade for prying or scraping, full serrations that cut rope and other materials quickly, and a line cutting hook for emergency use.

The River Guide™ II (#05647) has a pointed drop point blade, a serrated section for rope cutting, and an emergency line cutting hook.

We are also very proud to introduce the most innovative and versa-

tile sheath available in water safety today. It keeps the sheath secure during any motion, while keeping the knife easily accessible with the push of a button. After pushing the button through the handle, the finger stays in the large hole and the knife is ready to be used. No re-adjustment is needed and it's safe. The sheath system allows the knife to be secured in multiple applications and positions; the smaller sheath is designed for use on most common lash tabs; attach the accessory plate to the smaller sheath, then use with rubber straps to secure the knife to your leg, arm or raft.

Limited Lifetime Warranty.

Features



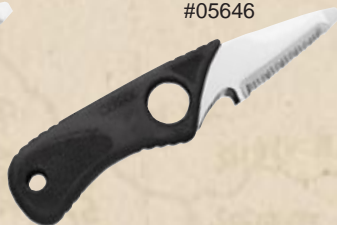
The SAF.T.GRIP™ System, with its open pivot design, allows for a grip that is comfortable and secure.

River Guide™ Series

River Guide™ I
Yellow
#05648



River Guide™ I
#05646



River Guide™ II
Yellow
#05649

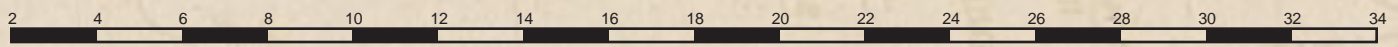


River Guide™ II
#05647



Specifications

Product	Part #	Length	Blade Length	Weight	Materials
River Guide™ I	05646	8.250"	3.250"	8.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Kraton® Handles, Rubber Straps
River Guide™ I-Yellow	05648	8.250"	3.250"	8.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Kraton® Handles, Rubber Straps
River Guide™ II	05647	8.250"	3.250"	8.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Kraton® Handles, Rubber Straps
River Guide™ II-Yellow	05649	8.250"	3.250"	8.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Kraton® Handles, Rubber Straps



Colonel Rex Applegate (1914-1998)



Donovan. Donovan personally tasked Applegate to “learn all there was to know about close combat with and without weapons” with the idea of setting up a facility to train future OSS field operatives.

APPLEGATE WAS the right person at the right place and time. He found and set up the OSS training site, called Area B, at what is now the presidential retreat Camp David. He went to England and learned as much as possible from the British Commandos and SOE. He even went on Commando raids against the Germans. During this period he worked closely with W. E. Fairbairn and E.A.

where he became the chief instructor for close quarters combat. Under his instruction and with feedback from field operatives, modern close quarters combat training reached a pinnacle not achieved since then.

HE AUTHORED several books that have become standard references in their field including Kill Or Get Killed, Scouting and Patrolling, and Riot Control. Working in Latin America in the post-WWII period Applegate became the world’s leading authority on riot control. He was even appointed as a brevet general in the Mexican Army for a short period. He was also an early proponent of such non-lethal weapons as Mace, the riot baton, and pepper spray and such lethal innovations as the Glaser prefragmented handgun bullet. He was directly responsible for S&W’s introduction of the internal hammer Centennial revolver series. He has authored numerous articles on a wide range of topics in firearms, law enforcement, and military journals. Applegate has also produced a variety of video tapes on exhibition shooters and point shooting. His video Shooting For Keeps has become a best seller for training in close quarters combat shooting. Even though he was well into his eighties, one of the most respectable qualities of the Colonel was that he remained active in his field of expertise. He continued to travel the country as a consultant on firearms training, riot control, and as an outspoken proponent of point shooting.

With sorrow we must note the passing of a friend and colleague, Colonel Rex Applegate. He passed away July 14, 1998 while attending a law enforcement conference in San Diego, California. It was an honor to work with him, and an even greater pleasure to know him.

REX APPLEGATE had a life that reads more like an adventure novel than a conventional biography. He was the patriarch of one of the oldest and most significant families in the early history of his home state of Oregon. His uncle by marriage was the famous Remington exhibition shooter, Gus Peret. From him he learned to hunt and shoot and received advanced firearms training at an early age.

JUST BEFORE WWII he graduated from the University of Oregon and its ROTC program and entered the Army as a reserve officer in the Military Police. He competed with 10,000 other reserve officers for 100 regular Army commissions and came out 11th from the top. This led to his being selected as one of the first people assigned to the Office of Strategic Services (OSS) headed up by COL "Wild Bill"

Sykes, co-designers of the famous Fairbairn-Sykes British Commando knife. These former Shanghai policemen were the allies’ top experts on close quarters combat.

APPLEGATE SET UP the OSS close combat training along with the help of Fairbairn who was on loan to the U. S. as an instructor. For six weeks during this period Applegate was tasked with being the personal bodyguard of President Roosevelt when he was at the lodge near area B where he met with Churchill and other dignitaries. Applegate and Fairbairn collaborated on improved versions of both the F-S Commando knife and the Smatchet. Years later these were introduced commercially as the Applegate-Fairbairn Combat Knife and the Applegate- Fairbairn Combat Smatchet. These in turn led Applegate to recently introduce miniature versions of both knives, for use as concealment or boot knives, and a folding version of the A-F Combat knife which is being made by Gerber as the A-F Combat Folder.

IN 1942 APPLEGATE was transferred to the Military Intelligence Center at Camp Ritchie, Maryland

IN RECENT YEARS Applegate was honored by being selected to the Blade Magazine Cutlery Hall of Fame and also as a recipient of the 1996 Outstanding American Handgunner Award. He has also been a devout defender of the 2nd Amendment and has served as a member of the NRA Board of Directors.

COL REX APPLEGATE is a unique American treasure.

Colonel Applegate is survived by his wife Carole, two daughters, eight grandchildren and one great-grandchild, to whom we offer our deepest condolences.

Applegate-Fairbairn®

Covert™ Folder
#05785



Combat Folder
Single Edge
#05790



Legendary, Classic, Solid.

Designed by the Legendary Colonel Rex Applegate, a man who knew as much as anybody about close quarters combat, these knives embody his vision of a folding combat knife. Gerber's Applegate-Fairbairn® line of knives are one handed opening, liner lock knives ideal for many situations.

The Applegate-Fairbairn® Combat Folder has a double beveled blade measuring a 4½ inches. It is also available in a single edge version. Both knives come with a ballistic cloth sheath.

The Covert™ is a ¾ version of the Combat Folder. Designed for incon-

spicuous carry, the Covert™ has a reversible stainless steel pocket clip. With an opening stud on both sides, this knife is easily adapted for left handed use. The blade is made from ATS-34 stainless steel. The Covert™ also is the first production knife to incorporate the Interlock, a Gerber exclusive. This is a safety that firmly locks the liner in place, preventing accidental unlocking of the blade.

All of Gerber's Applegate-Fairbairn® knives are made in the U.S.A., and backed by a Limited Lifetime Warranty. Design patent #0,373,521.

Features



Features one-handed opening and the patented Interlock™ locking system.

Applegate-Fairbairn® Series

Covert™ Folder
#05785

Covert™ Single Edge
#05795

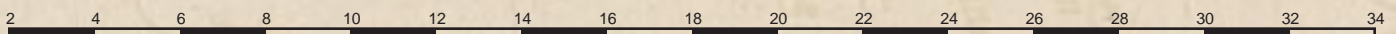
Combat Folder
#05780

Combat Single Edge
#05790



Specifications

Product	Part #	Length Open	Blade Length	Weight	Materials
Covert™ Folder	05785	8.500"	3.875"	4.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Nylon Handle,
Covert™ Single Edge	05795	8.500"	3.875"	4.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Nylon Handle,
Combat Folder	05780	10.250"	4.500"	5.50 oz	Stainless Steel, Nylon Handle, Ballistic Sheath
Combat Single Edge	05790	10.250"	4.500"	5.50 oz	Stainless Steel, Nylon Handle, Ballistic Sheath



E-Z-Out™



E-Z-Out™
Serrated
#06751

E-Z-Out™ Jr
#06501

E-Z to Access, E-Z to Open, E-Z to Use.

The Gerber® E-Z-Out™ is one of the nations top selling knives, and for good reason; it has all of the best features that user's expect from today's pocket knife. E-Z-Out™ knives are one-handed opening, pocket clip knives, superior by design and quality of manufacture. All E-Z-Out™ knives are made in the U.S., and backed by a Limited Lifetime Warranty.

E-Z-Out™ knives have design features not found on other pocket clip knives. The handles feature molded Kraton® rubber inserts, assisting one-handed opening, as well as providing a positive and comfortable

grip during use. The pocket clip is stainless steel, removable and replaceable. The low profile oval hole in the blade allows one-handed opening, yet keeps the blade shape unobtrusive for everyday use. E-Z-Out™ knives are only 3 ounces, giving your customer a full size knife they can carry in any situation

The Gerber® E-Z-Out™ is also available with premium ATS-34 stainless steel, the blade material of choice for discriminating knife users. Its chemistry allows it to stay sharper longer.

Limited Lifetime Warranty.

Features



The E-Z-Out™ knives clip easily to your pocket or belt.

E-Z-Out™ Series

E-Z-Out™
Junior
#06501

E-Z-Out™ Junior
Serrated
#06551

E-Z-Out™
#06701

E-Z-Out™
Serrated
#06751

E-Z-Out™ ATS-34
#06768

E-Z-Out™ ATS-34
Serrated
#06770



Specifications

Product	Part #	Lgth-Open	Blade-Lgth	Weight	Materials
E-Z-Out™	06701	8.000"	3.500"	3.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Zytel™/Kraton® Handle
E-Z-Out™ Serrated	06751	8.000"	3.500"	3.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Zytel™/Kraton® Handle
E-Z-Out™ Junior	06501	5.500"	2.375"	1.70 oz	Stainless Steel, Zytel™/Kraton® Handle
E-Z-Out™ Junior Serrated	06551	5.500"	2.375"	1.70 oz	Stainless Steel, Zytel™/Kraton® Handle
E-Z-Out™ ATS-34	06768	8.000"	3.500"	3.00 oz	ATS-34 Stainless Steel Blade, Zytel™/Kraton® Handle
E-Z-Out™ ATS-34 Serrated	06770	8.000"	3.500"	3.00 oz	ATS-34 Stainless Steel Blade, Zytel™/Kraton® Handle

Gator®



Gator® ATS-34
#06064

Gator® ATS-34
Serrated
#06065

Gator-Mate®
#06149

Durable, Comfortable, Indispensable.

The Gator® is one of the best folding knives your customers can own. Its handle design, mechanics, and assembly combine to make it superior to any other knife in its class. Anyone who needs a full size folding knife won't find a better value.

Patented handle technology sets this knife apart from all others. Soft Kraton® rubber is molded around and through a Zytel® frame, forming a one piece handle that is more durable than a metal knife handle, yet soft and comfortable to grip and use, even when wet.

Unlike many other factory knives, Gerber® uses pivot pins and fasteners that are precision machined rather than wire extruded. This makes for a much tougher, longer lasting knife.

The Gerber® Gator® is now available with a drop point blade made from ATS-34 stainless steel. This is the material of choice for custom makers, and holds an edge longer than other stainless steels. Its drop point blade, comfortable, easy to grip handle, and lightweight make it the perfect hunting knife.

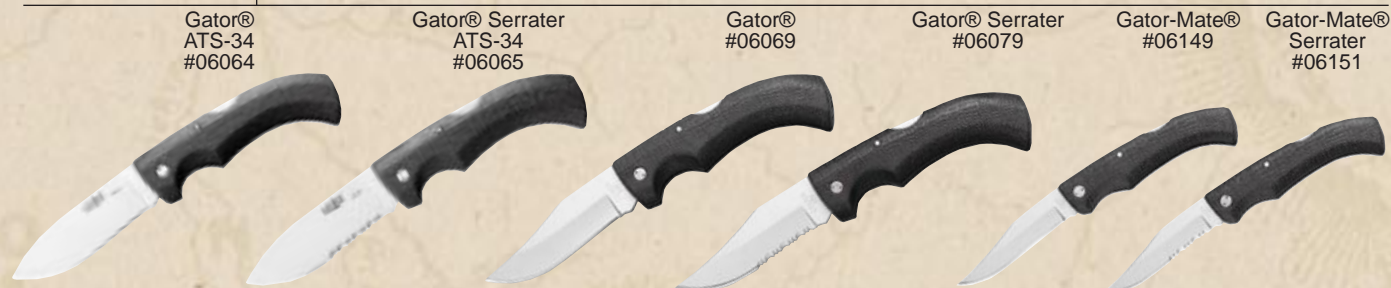
Limited Lifetime Warranty.

Features



Comfortable, soft Kraton® rubber handle provides a sure grip even during wet conditions

Gator® Series



Gator®
ATS-34
#06064

Gator® Serrater
ATS-34
#06065

Gator®
#06069

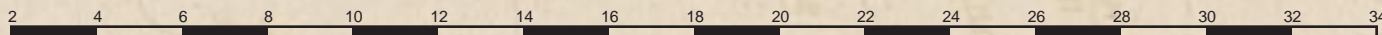
Gator® Serrater
#06079

Gator-Mate®
#06149

Gator-Mate®
Serrater
#06151

Specifications

Product	Part #	Length Open	Blade Length	Weight	Materials
Gator® ATS-34	06064	8.750"	3.750"	5.00 oz	ATS-34 S-Steel, Ballistic Sheath, Kraton®/Zytel™ Handle
Gator® ATS-34 Serrated	06065	8.750"	3.750"	5.00 oz	ATS-34 S-Steel, Ballistic Sheath, Kraton®/Zytel™ Handle
Gator®	06069	8.750"	3.750"	5.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Ballistic Sheath, Kraton®/Zytel™ Handle
Gator® Serrater	06079	8.750"	3.750"	5.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Ballistic Sheath, Kraton®/Zytel™ Handle
Gator-Mate®	06149	6.875"	2.750"	3.20 oz	Stainless Steel, Ballistic Sheath, Kraton®/Zytel™ Handle
Gator-Mate® Serrater	06151	6.875"	2.750"	3.20 oz	Stainless Steel, Ballistic Sheath, Kraton®/Zytel™ Handle



Lightweights



Magnum L.S.T.®
#06038

L.S.T.®
Black
#06009

Light, Smooth, Tough.

In 1980, Pete Gerber introduced the L.S.T.®, the first knife to use an all synthetic handle, revolutionizing the way the world thought about knives. L.S.T.s are light, smooth, and tough. Each knife has a fiberglass filled nylon handle and high carbon stainless steel blades. This combination of materials makes a knife that is exceptionally durable, yet light enough to be carried anywhere. The Magnum L.S.T.® is a full size folding knife with a

3½" blade, yet weighs only 4.2

ounces, and comes with a ballistic cloth sheath.

If your customer needs a light-weight pocket knife, make sure they look at an L.S.T.®, there is no better combination of lightweight, smooth action, and toughness. All L.S.T.s are made in the U.S.A., except the Stallion.

The L.S.T.® (#06009) is Blackie Collins original design.

Limited Lifetime Warranty.

Features



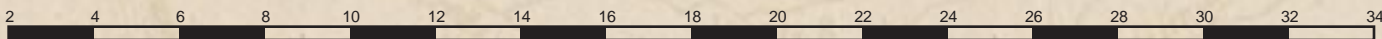
There's an L.S.T.® folding knife at any size for any task.

L.S.T.® Series



Specifications

Product	Part #	Length Open	Blade Length	Weight	Materials
Microlight L.S.T.®	06095	3.750"	1.750"	0.04 oz	Stainless Steel, Zytel® Handle
Ultralight L.S.T.®	06050	4.750"	2.000"	0.60 oz	Stainless Steel, Zytel® Handle
L.S.T.® Black	06009	6.125"	2.625"	1.30 oz	Stainless Steel, Zytel® Handle
Magnum L.S.T.®	06038	8.125"	3.500"	4.20 oz	Stainless Steel, Zytel® Handle, Ballistic Sheath
Magnum L.S.T.® Serrated	06014	8.125"	3.500"	4.20 oz	Stainless Steel, Zytel® Handle, Ballistic Sheath
Magnum L.S.T.® Jr.	06058	6.250"	2.750"	3.20 oz	Stainless Steel, Zytel® Handle
Stallion	07559	8.750"	3.750"	5.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Ballistic Sheath



River Knives



Clip-Lock™
Single Edge
#05301

River Shorty
Yellow Handle
#05645

Best Assortment of River Knives Anywhere.

Made from 100 percent stainless steel, Clip-Lock™ knives have a hard molded sheath with a quick-release system that secures the knife. When the knife is returned to the sheath, it locks into place for safety. We recommend the optional cordura sheath accessory that attaches permanently to your vest or pack for easy and convenient access. Blade options include the Single Edge and the double-edged Rivermaster which has

both a serrated and fine edge.

Divers and white water rafters enjoy the River Shorty and River Runner™ knives. With the Shorty's full blade serration and blunt tip for prying or the Runner's half-serrated and half edge with point, these two knives will cater to most rafting needs. The sheaths come with buttons that can be used to attach them to a vest or pack and a belt clip to complete your knife toting options.

Features



Our River Knives are rugged enough for any situation.

River Knife Series

Clip-Lock™
Rivermaster
#05302

Clip-Lock™
Single Edge
#05301

River Shorty
Yellow Handle
#05645

River Shorty
#05640

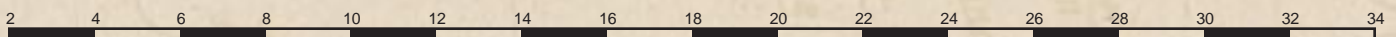
River Runner™
Yellow Handle
#05743

River Runner™
#05740



Specifications

Product	Part #	Length	Blade Length	Weight	Materials
Clip-Lock™ Single Edge	05301	8.000"	3.500"	5.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Molded Sheath
Clip-Lock™ Rivermaster	05302	8.000"	3.500"	5.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Molded Sheath
River Shorty-Black Handle	05640	6.625"	3.000"	3.90 oz	Stainless Steel, ABS Handle, Molded Sheath
River Shorty-Yellow Handle	05645	6.625"	3.000"	3.90 oz	Stainless Steel, ABS Handle, Molded Sheath
River Runner™-Black Handle	05740	6.625"	3.000"	3.90 oz	Stainless Steel, ABS Handle, Molded Sheath
River Runner™-Yellow Handle	05743	6.625"	3.000"	3.90 oz	Stainless Steel, ABS Handle, Molded Sheath



Fillet Knives



7 1/2" SilverSerrater™
#75329

Perfect Knives for All Fishing Tasks.

Gerber's fillet knives are the sharpest most comfortable on the market. Soft, easy-to-grip handles, superior blades, and built in sharpeners make any filleting job a pleasure.

PowerGrip® and SilverSerrater™ fillet knives have full tang stainless steel blades; tempered to hold an edge, yet retain an amazing amount of flex, critical in a good fillet knife. The blades are embedded in a soft Kraton® rubber handle, the perfect grip material for a fillet knife. Kraton® provides a positive, comfortable grip, even when wet.

All of Gerber's fillet knives come with a hard molded plastic sheath for safety and convenience. The PowerGrip® and Graphite fillet knives have a ceramic sharpener in the tip of the sheath, making edge touch up quick and easy.

Like all Gerber® knives, all of the fillets knives are backed by a limited Lifetime Warranty.

Patents #4,428,515 on PowerGrip® and Graphite Fillets. Patents #4,825,552 on PowerGrip® and SilverSerrater™ Fillets.

Features



The PowerGrip® and Graphite fillet knife sheaths feature a convenient sharpener at their tip.

Fillet Knives

6" Black Graphite
#75212

6" SilverSerrater™
#75328

7 1/2" SilverSerrater™
#75329

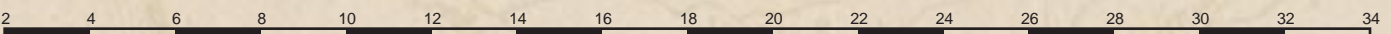
6" PowerGrip®
#75230

7 1/2" PowerGrip®
#75231



Specifications

Product	Part #	Length	Blade Length	Weight	Materials
6" Black Graphite	75212	10.875"	6.000"	2.20 oz	Stainless Steel, Sheath
6" PowerGrip®	75230	10.875"	6.000"	3.10 oz	Stainless Steel, Kraton® Handle, Sheath
7 1/2" PowerGrip®	75231	11.937"	7.500"	3.20 oz	Stainless Steel, Kraton® Handle, Sheath
6" SilverSerrater™	75328	10.875"	6.000"	3.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Kraton® Handle, Sheath
7 1/2" SilverSerrater™	75329	11.937"	7.500"	3.10 oz	Stainless Steel, Kraton® Handle, Sheath



Survival



Guardian Back-Up®
#05803

Mark II™
#05700

Built for the World's Most Rugged Conditions.

Features

The award winning Guardian Back-Up® is a sleek, comfortable, and lightweight boot knife. The patented sheath allows the user to adjust the amount of pressure required to insert and remove the blade. The Mark II™ fixed blade knives have been favorites with the military since their inception. The Military Provisional Tool (or M.P.T.®) contains a needlenose and standard plier, wire cutters, crosshead screwdriver, small, medium and large flathead screwdrivers,

bottle opener, lanyard ring, file, scale, drop point blade, utility blade and can opener.

Gerber's classic Bowie knife measures 14 inches overall and come with a rugged Cordura® sheath.

All Gerber® survival knives, except the Bowie, are made in USA.

Guardian Back-Up design patent #0,267,104.

Limited Lifetime Warranty.



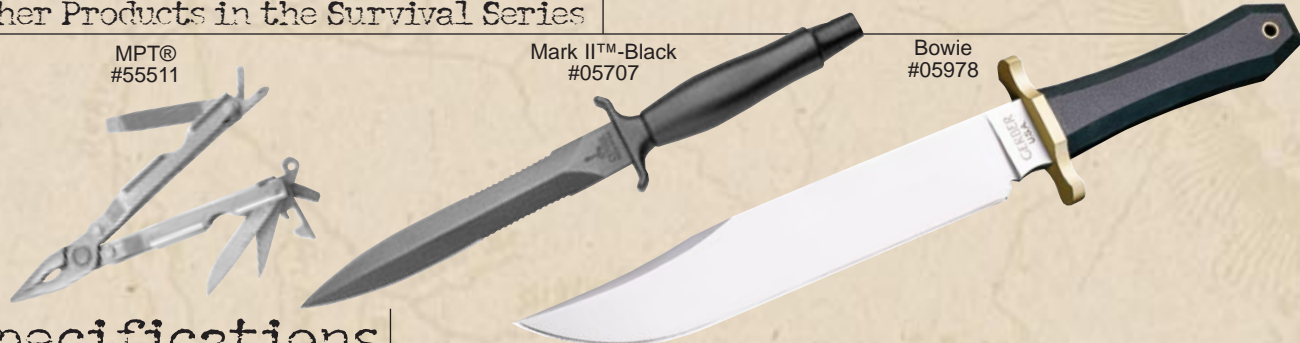
The patented Guardian Back-Up® sheath can be worn on a belt, strap or as a lightweight boot knife.

Other Products in the Survival Series

MPT®
#55511

Mark II™-Black
#05707

Bowie
#05978



Specifications

Product	Part #	Length	Blade Length	Weight	Materials
M.P.T.®	55511	7.000"	•	6.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Leather Sheath
M.P.T.®-Blackened	55721	7.000"	•	6.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Leather Sheath
Guardian Back-Up®	05803	7.125"	3.250"	3.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Nylon & Santoprene® Handle
Mark II™	05700	11.500"	6.500"	8.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Aluminum Handle, Ballistic Sheath
Mark II™-Black	05707	11.500"	6.500"	8.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Aluminum Handle, Ballistic Sheath
Bowie	05978	14.500"	9.500"	18.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Ballistic Sheath

Axes, Saws & Spade



Camp Axe
#45905

Sport Axe
#45907

Back Paxe™
#45912

Tough Tools for Tough Jobs.

The Gerber® Axes are the toughest axes on the market today. The Camp Axe, Sport Axe, and new Back Paxe™ are sized to fit your needs. Each axe has a forged steel head for durability and superior edge retention and a unique handle made from Polymid™ Fiberglass that is virtually indestructible. The handle is injection molded around the axe head to guarantee never to separate or come loose.

The Exchange-A-Blade Sport Saw has a textured, non-slip Kraton® insert fastened into an ergonomic glass filled A.B.S. handle. The saw provides a great way of changing or replacing blades when needed and comes with a coarse double cutting blade. The fine tooth blade prunes brush and slices through bones easily.

The Fiskars® Folding Spade, by Fiskars® Finland, is the only folding

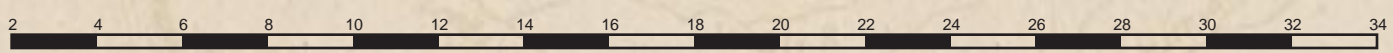
spade approved by NATO. This highly engineered combination of nylon and steel creates the lightest and strongest spade you'll ever need to dig or pry. It's design is meant to do the job once-worry free.

Fiskars® Folding Saw is light and easy to use. The blade slides in and out and locks with a twist of the locking knob.

Limited Lifetime Warranty.

Specifications

Product	Part #	Length	Blade Length	Weight	Materials
Back Paxe™	45912	8.875"	1.750"	17.50 oz	Forged Steel, Polymid™ Handle, Ballistic Sheath
Sport Axe	45907	13.875"	1.750"	24.00 oz	Forged Steel, Polymid™ Handle, Ballistic Sheath
Camp Axe	45905	17.500"	2.500"	36.80 oz	Forged Steel, Polymid™ Handle, Ballistic Sheath
Coarse Blade	70151	6.250"	•	•	Stainless Steel
Fine Blade	70176	6.250"	•	•	Stainless Steel
Exchange-A-Blade Sport Saw	46034	14.500"	6.250"	6.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Glass Filled A.B.S. Handle
Exchange-A-Blade Sport Saw with two blades	46036	14.500"	6.250"	8.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Glass Filled A.B.S. Handle, Ballistic Sheath
Fiskars® Folding Spade	05940	23.000"	9.450"	39.04 oz	Boron Steel, PBT Glassfiber, Polymid Plastic Sheath
Fiskars® Sport Saw	46043	14.250"	6.500"	3.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Polymid™ Handle



1999 New Product



Fiskars® Sport Saw
#46043



Fiskars®
Folding Spade
#05940



Exchange-A-Blade
Sport Saw w/ 2 Blades
#46036

Features



Sport Saw: Blades lock open and close, and are replaceable.



Axes: These durable axes provide the perfect combination of strength and weight.



Fiskars® Sport Saw: Light and easy to use, the saw blade slides in and out and locks with a twist of the locking knob.



Folding Spade: In the compact position the folding spade is only 9.45" x 2.17" x 6.10".



Folding Spade: The pick position allows the folding spade to be used as a hoe or pickaxe.



Folding Spade: The spade position turns the blade into a sturdy digging tool with durable edges.

Cool Tool®



Cool Tool®
#41945

Quick Release Tool
#01947

L.I.T.E. Tool
#01946

“Award Winner,” “Editors Choice,” “Consumer Favorite.”

This award winning bike tool is consistently reviewed as the editors choice throughout the cycling industry. With 13 of the most useful tools for bike repair in one package, the Cool Tool® is the essential bike tool for professionals and beginners alike. The Cool Tool® features an adjustable head wrench (opens to 19mm), an emergency tire lever, a chain tool, Allen wrenches (sizes 4-5-6-8-10 mm), 14 & 15 mm sockets, cross head screwdriver, spoke wrench, and a bottle opener.

The L.I.T.E. and the Q.R. Tools attach to the bike so they will always be available. The L.I.T.E. Tool fits inside your seat post or handle bars and has a flathead screwdriver, expansion rubber, 9 mm socket, and chain tool. The Q.R. Tool is designed to replace the standard seat post quick release mechanism and has dual size spoke adjusting skewer nut, 4-5-6 mm allen wrenches, and 10 mm socket wrench.

Patents #4,967,435 and #5,303,439. Limited Lifetime Warranty.

Features



The Cool Tool® is designed to handle almost any emergency repair.



You'll want the Cool Tool® to accompany you on every ride.

Cool Tool® Accessories

Bottom Bracket Wrench



Head Set 32mm



Head Set 36mm



Head Set 40mm



Specifications

Product	Part #	Length	Width	Weight
Cool Tool®	41945	5.000"	1.750"	7.50 oz
L.I.T.E. Tool	01946	•	•	3.00 oz
Quick Release Tool	01947	•	•	2.50 oz
Head Set 32mm	01948	•	•	2.00 oz
Head Set 36mm	01949	•	•	2.00 oz
Head Set 40mm	01950	•	•	2.00 oz
Bottom Bracket Wrench	01951	•	•	1.50 oz

Sport Utility Pack

1999 New Product

Sport Utility Pack
#05638



For All Your Off-Road Adventures.

Gerber® has the perfect piece of equipment for the owner of a 4W drive, the Gerber® Sport Utility Pack. This pack measures only 12"x11"x3", yet packs five of the highest quality tools indispensable for emergency situations.

The Gerber® Sport Utility Pack carries a Fiskars® Folding Spade, Gerber® Back Paxe™, Gerber® Needlenose Multi-Plier® 600, a Gerber Exchange-a-Blade Sport Saw, and a Mag-Lite® 2-D Flashlight.

Fiskars® Folding Spade is the best folding shovel available. (See pg. 24-25.)

Gerber's Back Paxe™ is the most compact fully functional hatchet on the market. (See pg. 24-25.)

The Needlenose Multi-Plier® 600 is the finest, most user friendly multi-function tool ever made. All tools solidly lock into place for use. (See pg. 6.)

The Exchange-a-Blade Sport Saw's stainless steel blade is replaceable and folds into an ergonomic, lightweight handle. (See pg. 24-25.)

The Pack also comes with the best flashlight available, a Mag-Lite® 2-D model. This flashlight has a virtually unbreakable aluminum shell, an easy to use on/off button, and a replaceable Krypton® bulb.

Limited Lifetime Warranty.

Features



When the kit is folded down, it measures only 12" x 11" x 3" and will fit under most van, truck and SUV seats.

SUV Kit Includes:

Needlenose Multi-Plier® 600
#07530

Exchange-A-Blade Sport Saw
#46034

Mag Lite®

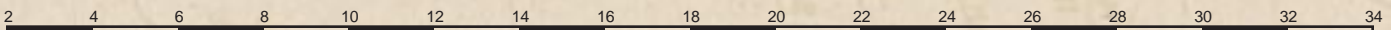
Back Paxe™
#45912

Fiskars® Folding Spade
#05940



Specifications

Product	Part #	Length-Open	Length-Clsd	Weight	Materials
Sport Utility Pack	05638	28.500"	12" x 11"	8.40 lbs	600 denier polyester
NN Multi-Plier® 600 Series	07530	6.375"	4.875"	8.00 oz	Stainless Steel
Back Paxe™	45912	8.875"	1.750"	17.50 oz	Forged Steel, Polymid™ Handle
Exchange-A-Blade Sport Saw	46034	14.500"	6.250"	6.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Glass Filled A.B.S. Handle
Fiskars® Folding Spade	05940	•	9.450"	2.44 lbs	Boron Steel, PBT Glassfiber, Polymid Plastic
Mag-Lite® 2-D Flashlight	•	•	•	•	Batteries not included



Personalization



Electro Etch

Screen Print

Display Your Corporate Message with Gerber® Products

Outdoor recreation is an undeniably large market today. Gerber® can help your business tie in to this trend by creating a quality outdoor knife or tool for your company awards or collectables. The examples on this page are just a few of the choices available to help you distinguish your company name. Let Gerber® help you capitalize on the popularity of outdoor recreation by contacting

our office for ideas that will work best for you. Minimum quantities apply.

Personalizing techniques include:

- Electro Etching
- Custom Sheath Labels
- Silkscreening
- Embroidery
- Hot Stamping

Features



This hot stamped two color logo is one example of how the new KeyStyle™ can be personalized for your company.

Other Applications

Embroidery

Custom Label

Silk Screening

Custom Label



Accessories



Gerber® Cap
Blue
#06000



Shear/Sheath Set
#46001

Gerber® Cap
Realtree®
#05999

Quality Accessories to Finish the Job.

To complete your outdoor gear, Gerber Legendary Blades® offers some essential accessories to fit your needs. The Pocket Sharpener is manufactured with coarse and fine ceramic stones set at proper grinding angles to put an edge on any worn blade, yet it weighs under 1 ounce for easy carrying. Our Diamond Sharpener with pocket clip, retracts into its handle for easy accessibility and is great for putting a quick edge

on your fishing hook or blade in the field. The Gerber® Snips are ideal for cutting fishing line or threads. Gerber® Hats are USA made from top quality cotton to assure breathability. These hats make great gifts. One size fits all.

The Gerber® Shear and Sheath Set is the ideal scissor for fowl and fish. Limited Lifetime Warranty.

Features



The Diamond Sharpener is simple to use and efficient for everyday use. (See page 32 for sharpening instructions.)

Additional Accessories

Pocket Sharpener
#04307



Gerber® Snip
#04302

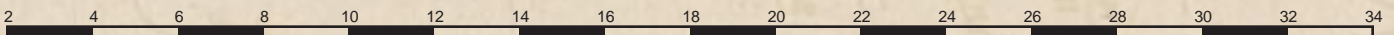


Diamond Sharpener
#09841

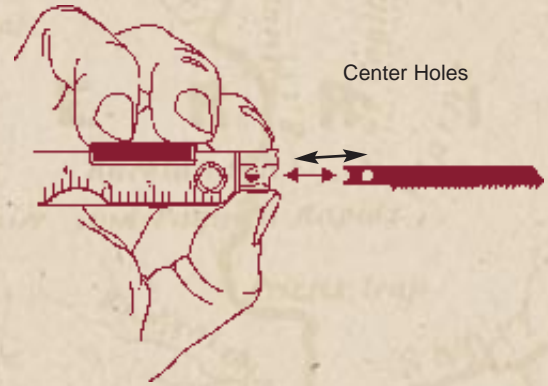


Specifications

Product	Part #	Length	Blade Length	Weight	Materials
Shear/Sheath Set	46001	9.250"	3.250"	5.20 oz	Stainless Steel, Ballistic Sheath, Nylon
Gerber® Cap-Blue	06000	•	•	2.60 oz	Cotton/Nylon
Gerber® Cap-Realtree®	05999	•	•	2.60 oz	Cotton/Nylon
Pocket Sharpener	04307	2.750"	•	0.60 oz	Molded Plastic
Gerber® Snip	04302	•	•	1.00 oz	Stainless Steel, Molded Plastic Handle
Diamond Knife Sharpener	09841	8.000"	•	0.70 oz	Diamond Coated Steel



How To Use the Saw Coupler



The Saw Coupler is on the Multi-Plier® 600 Series:
Woodsman
Archer
Deluxe
Multi-Lite™ with Saw.

Instructions.

1. Place forefinger on top of saw adapter. Push and hold down clip flush to top of saw adapter.
2. Place thumb on clip and push out until clip tab has cleared the center hole of the saw blade.
3. While holding clip out, grasp saw blade with opposite hand and pull. The blade will slide out easily.

4. To put in a new blade* repeat steps in reverse order.

5. Make sure clip tab is engaged in saw blade center hole. To make sure blade is engaged, pull back and forth on it.

*Accepts most 2 3/4" universal tang jig saw blades.
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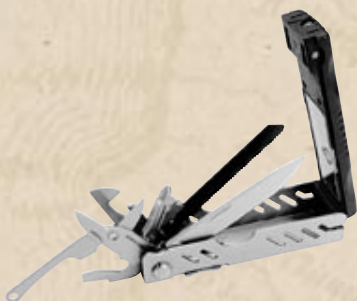
Saw Coupler



The coupler is designed to accept most 2 3/4" universal tang jig saw blades.

Saw Coupler Products

Multi-Lite™ w/Saw
#07200



Multi-Plier® 600 Series
Woodsman
#07531



Multi-Plier® 600 Series
Archer
#07584



Display Program



Displays that Sell.

A good display shows product well - an excellent display helps sell product. The new displays from Gerber® are a retailer's dream come true. Not only do they display more knives and tools than any system on the market, the person behind the counter can sell items directly from the display without worrying about filling a void. Four styles of clips hold all Gerber® products against the red perforated metal backing. Magnets with Gerber® product

names and item numbers come pre-printed in the set along with blank sections for personalized products. This gives the retailer maximum flexibility of layout. The two and three panel displays come with a lockable base unit for storage and the displays rotate for ease of viewing products. Each panel's clear front window can be locked for extra security. The window can also be easily removed for demonstrations.

Features



By combining the four styles of product clips, any number of arrangements can be displayed.

Display Styles



Single Panel Display



Double Panel Display



Triple Panel Display

Specifications

Single Panel Display	100023	Single panel, Instructions, magnets, clips.
Double Panel Display	100024	Two single panels, base with double rotator, side panels, Instructions, magnets, clips.
Triple Panel Display	100025	Three single panels, base with triple rotator, side panels, Instructions, magnets, clips.

Sharpening & Warranties

Sharpening

What Type of Sharpener is Required: There are many good sharpeners on the market today. The main factor in sharpening is the device you use to remove the material from the blade must maintain a uniform angle for you and not allow your efforts from stroke to stroke to change the angle of pressure you are putting on the cutting surface of the blade. If this angle relationship is changing from stroke to stroke, you will end up with a rounded edge that will feel sharp for a short period of time and dull rapidly.

There are three styles of systems on the market that Gerber® recommends:

1. One that holds the knife stationary and controls the abrasive angle that you achieve against the blade with a guide rod.
2. The second system has the abrasive sitting horizontal on a flat surface and the blade is clamped into a device that sets the angle that the blade touches the surface of the stone.
3. The final system is the easiest to use and Gerber® feels that it is the most flexible related to sharpening almost anything that needs sharpening. This unit places the abrasive (two v-shaped rods or preferably triangles) in a vertical format with the knife blade being stroked downward over these rods. The angle is not maintained as precisely as the other two systems, but the technique is easily mastered and the ease of operation and simplicity make it Gerber's recommendation.

None of these systems require a high level of skill to master and with a little patience and practice you will be putting a factory edge on your cutlery in no time.

Edge Angle: The angle of the edge recommended for Gerber® knives is a 30 degree included angle, with 15 degrees per side for both a concave or hollow grind (see inset). This angle will provide a good working edge that will be sharp and durable at the same time. The sharpening systems mentioned above will instruct you as to how to set and maintain this angle while utilizing your sharpener.



Gerber® Limited Lifetime Warranty

Gerber® products are warranted to the original consumer purchaser, for as long as he or she lives, against defects in materials, manufacture or assembly. [Battery not warranted.] Normal wear and tear is to be expected on any product and, therefore, not covered under warranty. Damage due to abuse, misuse or neglect is also not covered. Defective products will be repaired, replaced or substituted with the same item or item of equal value. In order to get service under this warranty, send the product, prepaid, together with an explanation of the defect, to the address listed below. It is recommended that you insure the defective products to be returned.

Gerber® will not be responsible for any damages for loss or use of defective products or for other consequential or incidental damages. Some states do not allow the exclusion or limitation of incidental or consequential damages, therefore the above exclusion may not apply to you.

This warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may also have other rights which vary from state to state.

Gerber® Limited One Year Warranty

This product is warranted to the original consumer purchaser, for one year from date of purchase, against defects in materials, manufacture or assembly. Battery not warranted [for products that require batteries]. Damage due to abuse, misuse or neglect is not covered. Defective products will be repaired or replaced. Discontinued items that are not repairable will be exchanged for items of equal value. In order to get service under this warranty, send the product, prepaid, with original receipt, together with an explanation of the defect, to the address listed below. It is recommended that you insure the defective products to be returned.

Gerber will not be responsible for any damages for loss or use of defective products or for other consequential or incidental damages. Some states do not allow the exclusion or limitation of incidental or consequential damages, so the above exclusion may not apply to you.

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Definitions

Quality and Innovation Explained

ATS-34 Stainless Steel

The use of ATS-34 stainless steel is the result of extensive research by our engineering and operations team. Until now, this high performance blade steel has been used primarily by custom knife makers. Our comprehensive research has resulted in mastering the techniques that bring about the best in the material and allows us to produce the finest quality product at a reasonable price.

With our special heat treating and tempering techniques, we can harden ATS-34 stainless steel to Rc 59-61 (Rc is the Rockwell C scale of hardness that is the standard comparison for knife steels). At this hardness, the blade is very tough and shows no signs of being brittle. This also gives the blade a longer edge life, therefore, less sharpening is required. It is a very expensive material and is more difficult to process, but blades produced from this material are truly superior.

Although this blade is "stainless steel," it must be cared for more frequently than conventional stainless steels because of its higher carbon content. To prevent corrosion and rust, the blade must be wiped clean after each use to remove contaminants - especially around salt water. A light coating of oil must be applied after cleaning to ensure proper life expectancy. The blade can be re-sharpened with conventional diamond or ceramic sharpeners, just like our standard 440 series blades. We recommend an edge angle of 30° included, with 15° per side. See back of catalog for sharpening techniques.

Handle Material

In many cases, the handle is the most important feature of the knife; if it doesn't feel right, you won't use it. When picking up a knife for the first time, it must fit into your hand like an extension of your arm. Kraton® and Santoprene® are two of the most popular handle materials today due to comfort and security. The non-slip feel and shock absorbing characteristics lend to better knife control in all weather conditions; cold and wet or dry and hot. Your hand naturally wraps around the handle in any position to give you the best control in any situation.

Gerber® has pioneered many manufacturing techniques with utility and design patents. The Gator® and Fillet handles are completely coated in the rubbery material for the most functional grip, especially in wet

conditions. The E-Z-Out™ and Sport Saw have the material positioned ergonomically to provide maximum comfort. These compounds are either permanently molded or bonded with the strongest adhesive for a lifetime of use.

SAFT.PLUS™ System

The SAFT.PLUS™ System provides a new way of locking components in place on multi-purpose tools. It is a group of different but interrelated systems working together.

Wedge and Tang Design: Every component has a special tang that is identical and provides a secure fit to the spring loaded wedge. This Wedge and Tang Design helps resist fold over when each tool is extended completely out and also helps prevent secured components from rotating out. Rotating a component will lodge the wedge under the tang of the tool. This locks the component tight until the wedge is manually pulled back using the safety release button. The Wedge and Tang Design is central to the SAFT.PLUS™ System. *Patent Pending*

Axle Rod: The Axle component is a stainless steel rod designed for strength and versatility. By incorporating a removable smooth rod, the tool components housed in the handles can be replaced or repaired efficiently and effectively. The user can change side pressure by adjusting end screw if tool pack is too tight or loose. This smooth rod also enables Gerber Legendary Blades® to design a virtually unlimited combination of tool systems for Gerber's current and future multi-purpose tool line. *Patent Pending*

Independent Tool Rotation System: To prevent rotating out more than one tool at a time, stainless steel Anti-Rotation washers were placed between each tool. This enables one tool to be pulled out without affecting other tools because there is no contact between the tools—contact is only between the washers and the tools. *Patent Pending*

(Note: All Multi-Pliers utilize the SAFT.PLUS™ System and should be repaired under the Limited Lifetime Warranty.)

Information

Company History



Joseph Gerber began Gerber Legendary Blades® in 1939 in Portland, Oregon. The company began by exclusively making kitchen cutlery and quickly became known as one of the finest manufacturers of cutlery in the United States. Making the best knife available has always been the company's goal.

By 1958, then president Pete Gerber began to experiment with the manufacture of sport knives. Having success, he began to market hunting, fishing and pocket knives of the highest quality. Gerber® became synonymous with the best sport knives money could buy.

Gerber® was the first knife company to put out a truly exceptional lightweight knife. The company is known as the innovative industry leader. As evidence of this claim, Gerber® came out with the incredibly popular Gator® and Gator-Mate® knives. These knives feature a

handle of fiberglass filled nylon molded to an outer layer of Kraton® rubber. The result is a comfortable grip on a knife that is virtually impossible to damage.

Other Gerber® lightweights come with a handle made of DuPont Zytel®. These handles come with a checkered pattern for a positive grip and are incredibly durable and lightweight. Examples of these knives are the Microlight, Ultralight, L.S.T.®, Magnum L.S.T. and Magnum Junior.

Gerber® is also well known for their survival knives. Unsurpassed attention to detail and hand-assembled components make them the industry standard. As with all of Gerber's knives, the blades are made from the finest high-carbon stainless steel available.

In 1987, Gerber® was purchased by Fiskars® of Finland. Fiskars®, known for superior scissors world-

wide, has invested in Gerber® to insure that quality is always the number one priority.

Today, Gerber® is expanding their scope to include outdoor recreational products for that quickly growing market. Efforts along these lines have produced such products as the Multi-Plier® 600 Series and 400 Series pocket tools. These tools can be opened with one hand, giving the user access to many handy tools in one compact design. Other products in the outdoor recreational market include Sport Saws, an assortment of axes, a Sport Utility Pack, a NATO approved Folding Spade, and more.

Gerber® products carry either a Limited Lifetime Warranty or One Year Warranty (see specific product for more information). When you buy a Gerber®, you're not just buying a knife, you're buying a legend.

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Product of the week

Keystyle

Keystyle, the most useful and stylish keychain accessory, is now available from Gerber Legendary Blades. Designed to be used as a keychain, Keystyle puts six of the most commonly used tools into a smooth, contoured 2 ounce package.

Keystyle, functional as it is attractive, features Fiskars® scissors, tweezers, a knife blade, Phillips®, flathead, and eyeglass screwdrivers. All tools are made of stainless steel and housed in a chrome plated, sturdy metal frame. Designed to provide a degree of styling not found on any other multi-tool, Keystyle is available in three finishes: Green Marble, Black, and Wood Grain.

Comfortable, smooth and ergonomic, keystyle is at home as a keyring, in a pocket, attached to a backpack, or carried in a purse. Keystyle is backed by a One Year Warranty.

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