



Switching LH/RH

Remove the screw opposite the handle and pull the handle and shaft out of the reel. Then replace it on the opposite side ensuring to tighten the handle screw firmly, but do not over tighten!

We advise using some form of thread-locker on the screw threads to prevent loosening from vibration on a boat. If needed (model 1097) use a high quality, sturdy reel seat (ie. Muzzy Tac Rail Reel Seat) when mounting the reel to the bow.

Drag

We recommend setting the drag just heavy enough to snatch your arrow out of the bottom or slow down a normal size fish.

After each outing, rinse excessive debris from the reel and ensure all screws are tight.

Before shooting

Do not attempt to shoot your bow without opening the spool!

Open spool by depressing button (1097, 1079) or moving lever to the left (1069)

Each time you draw and let down, be sure to reel up the slack. After reeling in the slack, remember to reopen the spool!

Helpful tips

Each time you go out, throw your arrow and a nominal amount of line into the water. Once saturated, reel line and arrow back in, keeping tension on the line while reeling. This will ensure the line is tight on the spool which will make for smoother shots and reduce hangups and tangles.

We also recommend using a small amount of silicon spray after wetting the line.

If you tie to the back of your arrow, lay the line on the rest and the arrow on top of it. Always reel up any slack in the line before drawing your bow.

Warranty

Muzzy Products warrants this reel for 1 year from the original date of purchase against manufacturers defects and workmanship. The warranty does not cover Muzzy products damaged from abuse, misuse, normal or excessive wear or from neglect due to improper use or abuse, alteration, modifications to the original reel or by products used for commercial or rental use.

Defective products are to be returned to Muzzy for warranty/repair evaluation and service, postage prepaid, and all returns must include a copy of the original purchase receipt. Muzzy will repair or replace the product at our option and return product to the customer. Pre-approved return authorization is required prior to returning any product to Muzzy by contacting customer service at orders@muzzy.com and obtaining a return authorization number prior to return of the product.

Muzzy products not covered under this warranty can be returned for repair at a nominal charge to purchaser, provided parts are available and the product is returned postage prepaid.

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We recommend using 200# Muzzy Braided Bowfishing line (Item 1076) or 150# Muzzy Tournament Bowfishing Line (Item 1078).

***Do not use any braided Dacron line in our reels.**

This reel will hold approximately 100ft of 200# line and 150ft of 150# line. Before removing the reel hood, be sure to loosen the drag. Remember to do this each time you remove the hood.

Installing line

Due to the slick nature of synthetic line materials, care should be taken when installing line to eliminate line slippage on the spool and maximize the performance of the reel and line. Install line by tying a small loop in the end of the line. Insert the line through the loop, creating a self-tightening cinch. Place the cinch around the spool and pull tight. Once tight, begin reeling line onto the spool.

To prevent line twist, be sure to place the spool of line on a rod or arrow shaft as you spool the reel so the spool of line will rotate as line is applied. Make sure the drag is lightly set while you wind the line into the reel. The spool is full when it becomes hard to reel and the drag begins to slip. Remove the hood and make sure the line is up to the outer edge of the spool. The line will flow more smoothly with a full spool. Cut any excess line so it doesn't hang out of the reel.



1097

Reel Seat Needed

Drag Setting

Turn clockwise to decrease drag

Turn counter clockwise to increase drag

*all models

Push Button Activation

(1079,1097)

Extended Hood

*all models

Single Bolt Mounting

(1069,1079)

Threaded Port for Shoot Through Tip

(1069,1079)

1079

Integrated Reel Mount

Lever Activation

1069

