

WORKING ON / RECOVERY FROM SLOPES

TRAINING:

The training and pack are designed for operatives to work on shallow slopes.

A shallow slope we would deem you are able to stand up on your own feet, supporting your own weight.

Obviously a persons ability to stand on a slope of differing inclines would have varying factors such as operator ability, weather, obstructions, slope material etc

SAFETY & BUILT IN RESCUE PLAN:

The safety system, rope, devices etc are there to prevent a fall in case of an emergency.

Built onto this system is the ability for a trained operator / supervisor to assist the main operator on the rope by recovering them from their supervising position at the top of the slope.

The top person is not connected into the system and could feasibly supervise several systems at once, just stepping in to assist the operator in trouble when required.

STEEPER SLOPES:

Both shallow and steep slopes, as well as recovery from slopes is all taught in one day.

EQUIPMENT:

We have a pack to train with, but I'd highly suggest you purchase some of our slope packs

- these are what we are training you to use, so you will need some anyway.

- one pack per operative on a slope

Operative

Safety rope with grab for shallow slopes, additional rope and self-locking belay device for steeper slopes, our work positioning harness and leg bag(s)

25m LSK Rope(s)

Supervisor

Haul kit to recover and secure the casualty

A SYSTEM OF 2 HALVES:

The operator secures the rope(s) to the anchor point (or lifeline) and works independently up and down, side to side on the slope, managing their own rope(s) and device(s), doing their main task.

In an emergency, the supervisor uses the haul pack to recover an operator.

LINKS:

[Course](#) - webpage



[Harness](#) - Blog - simply the best harness we've worn (half the price and more comfortable than other harnesses we've worn!)