



GAASTRA KITES

2010

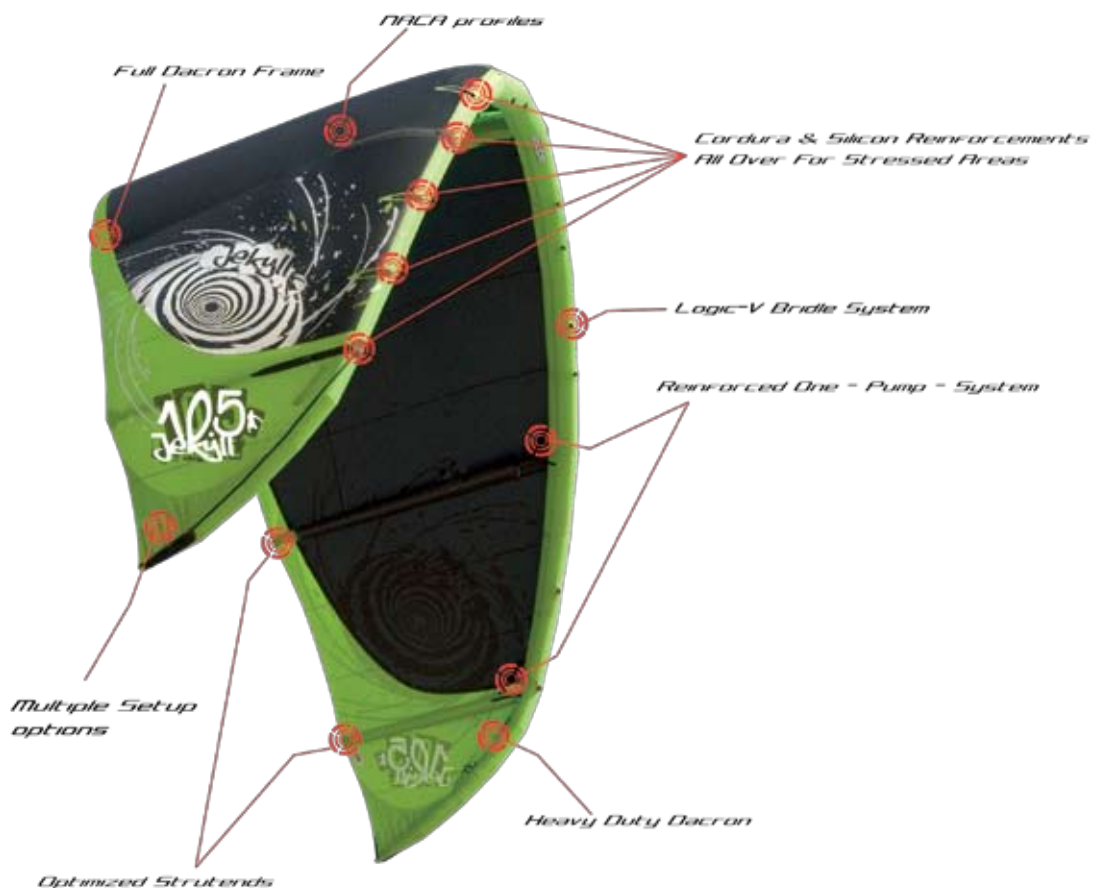


Enjoy your ride!

We are proud to present you the next generator in kite surfing: The 2010 Gaastra Kites line up. After massive research and testing we came up with some amazing flying kites. Our R&D Team built tons of prototypes and made our test team busy around the world to come up with the perfect setup.

Another main focus for 2010 was the production of the final products. We worked extremely hard on the manufacturing procedures, because we want you to fly with the best products possible. Gaastra Kites offers the best quality available today.

Wherever you may roam, you'll enjoy your ride with Gaastra Kites.



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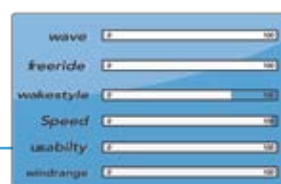
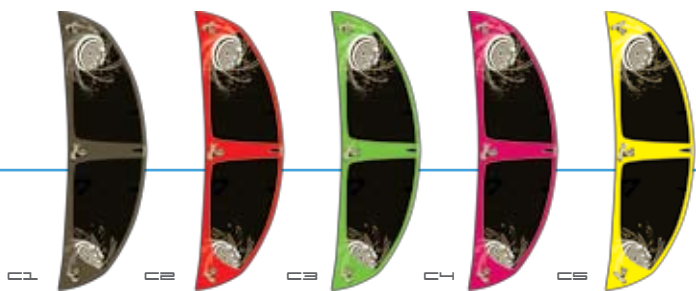
"The Ultimate SLE Kite"

The Jekyll does it all! We believe there is no other kite on the entire market which will offer you so many riding styles with such a brilliant performance. The 2010 Jekyll has a super big sweet-spot and offers insane lift and hang-time which will boost you up big time!

Whether you are a beginner or a advanced kiter, you will love and push your limits with Gaastra's 2010 Jekyll! You are more into freestyle? No problem! You can easily do all tricks out there with the Jekyll. Remove the 3m extensions on the new bar system you will be surprised, as this kite will be a better freestyle kite than some C-shape kites out there, with all the advantages of a state of the art SLE kite. The Jekyll works without any pulleys, delivering you a clean and direct flying experience and there is no chance of destroyed lines at all.

Each size has a huge range, which enables you to depower your kite up to 90%, but unlike several other kites, it keeps steering perfectly. A big advantage in powered up conditions and waves, making it easy to put the kite where you want it anytime. The perfect choice for anyone: easy to set up, fun to fly and incredible durable.

Be aware of the Jekyll 2010!



Model	Size	Range	proj. Area	Kg	AR	Struts	Bar Width	Bar
Jekyll 5.0	5.0	23 - 40 Kn	3.6 m ²	TBA	5.0	5	46 cm	Gaastra 4-line Bar
Jekyll 7.0	7.0	19 - 39 Kn	5.0 m ²	TBA	5.0	5	46 cm	Gaastra 4-line Bar
Jekyll 8.0	8.0	17 - 34 Kn	5.7 m ²	TBA	5.0	5	46 cm	Gaastra 4-line Bar
Jekyll 9.0	9.0	15 - 30 Kn	6.5 m ²	TBA	5.0	5	46 cm	Gaastra 4-line Bar
Jekyll 10.5	10.5	13 - 25 Kn	7.2 m ²	TBA	5.0	5	52 cm	Gaastra 4-line Bar
Jekyll 12.0	12.0	10 - 23 Kn	8.6 m ²	TBA	5.0	5	52 cm	Gaastra 4-line Bar
Jekyll 14.0	14.0	8 - 18 Kn	10.1 m ²	TBA	5.0	5	52 cm	Gaastra 4-line Bar

Compatible with all default setup bar systems (Full Power -> All Lines Same Length)



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JEKYLL Facts:

- **New size flow:** Give you more control and a better overall quiver selection. The windrange has been increased on all sizes. Depowering the kite is effortless thanks to the new adjustment system. You can boost sick airs with a simple pull and land in control
- **Upwind ability:** The Jekyll has amazing upwind drive that keeps you coming back for more. Focus on fun, not getting back to the beach
- **Logic-V Bridle system:** The all-new Gaastra signature Logic-V Bridle system allows for more leading edge support with less bridles. This gives a more precise kite setup, like in the past with no pulleys! Easy system that has been calculated and tested by our top team riders
- **Refined leading edge:** Gives more power to the center of the kite while offering more control to the tips of the kite
- **Strutends:** The new struts give more stability to the leading edge and make for a smooth release off the trailing edge
- **Full Dacron Frame:** Tough lightweight construction offers reinforcements where it's needed the most. Gaastra's superior manufacturing technology pays specific attention to workflow details at all seams and every stitch. The full Dacron frame provides a bullet proof and lightweight perimeter of protection that will keep the kite in top notch condition
- **Speedpump:** Delivers quick and easy setup
- **NACA profiles:** With the revolutionized Gaastra Jekyll, you get a more solid flying experience. The proven NACA profiles give ultimate power and control to the rider
- **Optional 5th line:** The Jekyll come ready to use with an optional 5th line if desired. Many options to this great all- round kite
- **100% Safety:** In case of emergency the Jekyll is 100% flightless
- **No Pulleys:** Very clean and perfect working line setup

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"The Hybrid Freestyle Kite"

When you are looking for a no-compromise freestyle kite, the all new Gaastra Max is your easy choice. This state of the art freestyle kite will make your competitors cry when they see your effortless unhooked power moves. This modern C kite has all the advantages of a modern kite. It has a huge range and will withstand intense punishment due to its bullet proof quality and proven Gaastra construction. Advanced aerodynamic technology coming from NACA profiles give the Gaastra MAX newfound advantages over any other kite out there.

Get radical with the all new Max!



Max Facts:

- **Fast turning:** This kite gives ultimate control for the crazy moves
- **Direct steering:** Combined with the optimized profile give more low end grunt and more leeward acceleration allowing the kite to do what you tell it to
- **V-Line Connection:** The Gaastra V-Line Power Connection system offers more precise power/depower control. This Leading Edge Angle of Attack Stabilization System gives less torsion in the tip area and promotes faster turning
- **Refined leading edge:** The newly designed trailing edge is aerodynamically approved for optimized shape characteristics while the new strut shape supports the foil giving a solid feel to this incredible kite
- **Full Dacron Frame:** Tough lightweight construction offers reinforcements where it's needed the most. Gaastra's superior manufacturing technology pays specific attention to workflow details at all seams and every stitch. The full Dacron frame provides a bullet proof and lightweight perimeter of protection that will keep the kite in top notch condition
- **Speedpump:** Delivers quick and easy setup
- **NACA profiles:** The redesigned Gaastra Max will get you a more solid flying experience. The proven NACA profiles give ultimate power and control to the rider
- **5th line:** The Max offers a 5th line setup to balance out flying behavior and offer safety and comfort
- **Easy relaunch:** The Max specializes in quick and easy relaunches, enabling you to spend more time on the water.

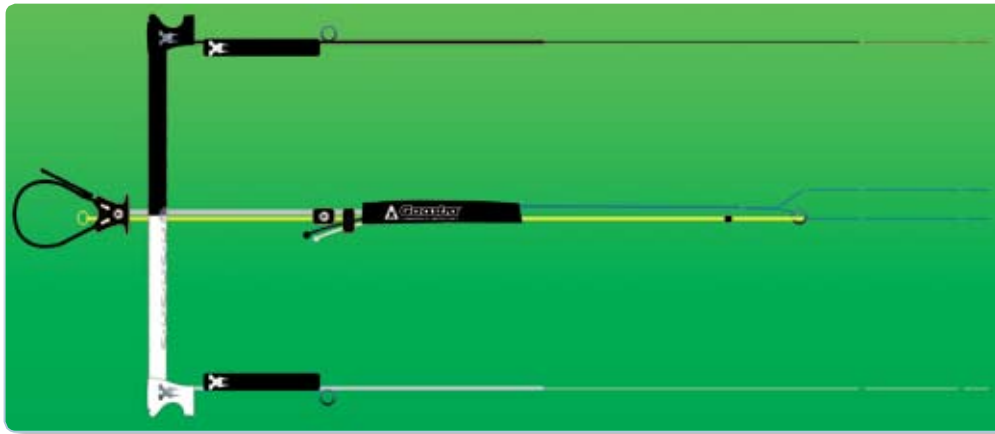


Model	Size	Range	proj. Area	Kg	AR	Struts	Bar Width	Bar
Max 6.0	6.0	24 - 40 Kn	4.0 m ²	TBA	5.2	5	46 cm	Gaastra 5-line Bar
Max 8.0	8.0	18 - 35 Kn	5.3 m ²	TBA	5.2	5	46 cm	Gaastra 5-line Bar
Max 10.0	10.0	15 - 30 Kn	6.2 m ²	TBA	5.2	5	46 cm	Gaastra 5-line Bar
Max 12.0	12.0	12 - 26 Kn	8.0 m ²	TBA	5.2	5	52 cm	Gaastra 5-line Bar
Max 14.0	14.0	11 - 21 Kn	9.2 m ²	TBA	5.2	5	52 cm	Gaastra 5-line Bar
Max 16.0	16.0	10 - 18 Kn	10.5 m ²	TBA	5.2	5	52 cm	Gaastra 5-line Bar

Compatible with all default setup bar systems (Full Power -> All Lines Same Length)

BAR SYSTEM

4-line Bar



default system for
Jekyll & Schoolkite

5-line Bar



default system for
Max

"The most versatile Bar system"

Gaastra does it again with new technology. A new Bar system that gives you the all in one bar! Make the bar either a 46 or 52 cm wide or modify it easily for 4 or 5 line setup. Durable and top of the line components give this bar a completely new feeling. Huge depower options as well as a new adjustment system give the rider exactly what he is looking for. This is a new industry standard that is sure to be followed.

- **New QR:** The new simple quick release system is 100% safe and easy to use
- **New color setup:** The new optimized color coding makes it easy and safe to set up
- **New Stopper:** One line Stopper for more comfort and options while riding
- **O-Shit:** There are O-Shit options on both sides of the bar to get you out of potential trouble
- **3D EVA:** The 3-D molded EVA grip is the perfect diameter
- **Heavy-duty adjusters:** With new guide. Covered with neoprene cover for more comfort
- **21 + 3 lines:** New line system adds the ability to fly short or long lines. You have the freedom of choice to use your favorite line setup - short for wakestyle and high wind or long for light air freeride conditions
- **Gaastra default setup:** Easy to trim system. At full power -> all lines are the same length. This gives you a perfect trim guide to start out with and offers easy set up and maintenance
- **Variable Bar Ends:** For your freedom of choice to ride in 46 or 52 cm setup

Model	Size	Width	Line length	Adjuster range	Depower range	Weight
Gaastra 5-line Bar	N / W	46 / 52 cm	21+3 m	20 cm	50 cm	TBA
Gaastra 4-line Bar	N / W	46 / 52 cm	21+3 m	20 cm	50 cm	TBA
Gaastra 2-line Bar	-	46 cm	20 m	-	-	TBA

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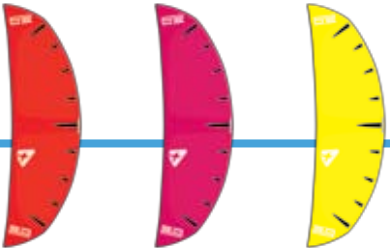
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"Entry Kite"

The Gaastra SCHOOLKITE is set to teach anyone to Kiteboard- It meets all the safety requirements for Schools and Beginner needs. The kite is purpose built for easy relaunch and easy handling. It has a large windrange that allows students to keep control in any condition. The full Dacron Frame gives maximum durability and stability to this 4 line safety concept learner kite!

SCHOOLKITE Facts:

- Heavy Duty dacron Tips
- Cordura reinforcements
- Speed pump offers more watertime
- Super usability due to the high fronttube diameter
- Multiple setup option
- 100% depower
- Full Dacron Frame



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Model	Size	proj. Area	Kg	AR	Struts	recom. Bar Width	recom. Bar
Schoolkite 3.0	3.0	2.1 m ²	TBA	4.6	3	46 cm	Gaastra 4-line Bar
Schoolkite 5.0	5.0	3.6 m ²	TBA	4.6	3	46 cm	Gaastra 4-line Bar
Schoolkite 7.0	7.0	5.1 m ²	TBA	4.6	3	46 cm	Gaastra 4-line Bar

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"The Foil"

The Gaastra TRAINERKITE has been perfectly developed for all land-based kite powered sports. It can be utilized to improve your skills on land as well as power you up hills on your snowboard. This 2 line design keeps things simple while giving the kite a "Real Feel" in the hands. A great learning tool that will teach you how to fly powerkites safely while educating you on crucial kite handling skills. Prepare for your first kiteboarding lesson right now!

Model	Size	proj. Area	Kg	AR	Struts	recom. Bar Width	recom. Bar
Trainerkite 1.2	1.2	1.0 m ²	TBA	3.7	-	46 cm	Gaastra 2-line Bar
Trainerkite 1.8	1.8	1.55 m ²	TBA	3.7	-	46 cm	Gaastra 2-line Bar

"Directional Boards"

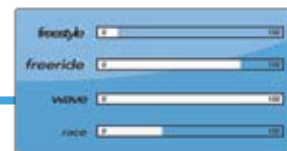
Plain and simple, Gaastra makes it easy for you to choose your new wave weapon. 2 Boards with very specific design criteria will cover all wave riding conditions. From mushy, medium sized waves around Europe to the big and powerful waves of Maui or South Africa, Gaastra has you covered. Waveriding in has come a long way and these two new boards follow the trend of riding the waves more like a surfer- with the drive and power generated from the wave rather than using too much power from the kite. This way you have more contact to the wave and it will give you the surf style feeling. No wonder our boards look exactly like surfboards these days. The 2009 Kite Surfboards are developed and tested in Cape Town by our international team, radical wave conditions make this a proving ground for the best boards on the water.



5'6"



5'10"



SURFKITE 5'6" Facts:

The 5'6" will deliver in any conditions where you want a compact but powerful board. In European waters with mostly onshore conditions this board will make it easy for you stay in contact with the wave and will help you to have fun in almost any conditions. With the newly developed kites on the market you will have all the abilities to ride the waves rather than generating the power from the kite. This board will work from the smallest wave up to 3m swell in almost any wind condition. Take the smallest possible kite and go surfing.

- Rounder outline for maximum maneuverability
- Medium rocker gives you maximum power in gusty conditions
- Square tail for a compact board feel and better turning at lower speed
- Sharp box rails from the fins to the tail make it a more powerful board on the cut back for a faster release
- Multiple strap position to trim the board for different rider weight

SURFKITE 5'10" Facts:

The 5'10" is your best friend in all side shore wind conditions. The board has got a slightly straightened outline and a rounded pintail for better control. As with the shorter 5'6" we have decided to go for a more powerful scoop rocker line to generate the power rather from the board than from your kite. The very balanced outline in conjunction with the faster rocker line will make it easy for you to control fast bottom turns and take the speed right to the top of the wave. Use speed to take off with a nice aerial and you will be able to land it in front of the waves without to much help from your kite. From shoulder high waves up to anything the ocean might throw at you, this will be the right board.

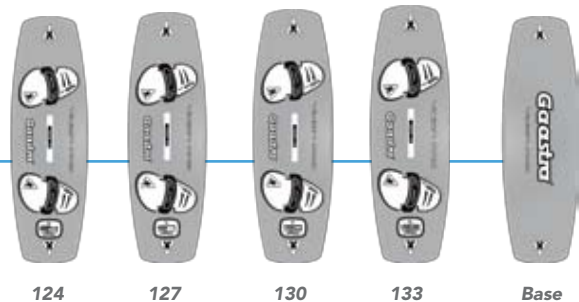
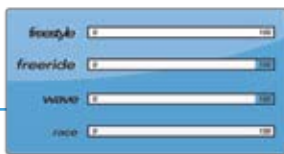
- Straighter outline for better control
- Medium rocker will deliver effortless acceleration
- Rounded pin tail for fast bottom turns
- Sharp box rails from the fins to the tail make it a more powerful board on the cut back for a faster release
- Multiple strap position to trim the board for different rider weight

Model	Size	Length	Width	Thickness	Weight	Fin
Surfkite 5'6"	5'6"	165 cm	45 cm	51 mm	3.0 kg*	3x Surf G5
Surfkite 5'10"	5'10"	172 cm	45 cm	53 mm	3.1 kg*	3x Surf G5

* Estimated weight.

“CNC’ed full wood core”

A Full wood Core and new technology construction takes this board up another notch. Stiff in the center and flexy on the tips the board keeps speed easily and can be adjusted with good rider input. More advanced kites can push this board to the limits while beginners will enjoy the easy ride feel.



VISION PRO Facts:

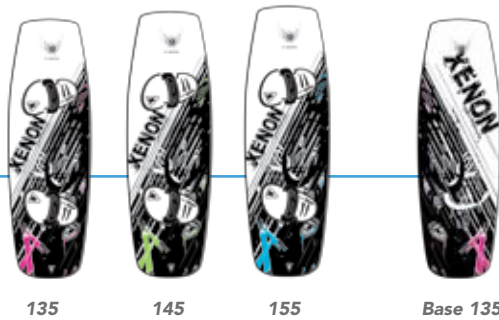
- Full Wood cores are CNC machined for perfect performance.
- Refined Torsion Box configuration to really tune the Flex/Reflex response.
- Industries best high-performance fiberglass construction.
- The graphic surface is a unique aluminium fibre which has excellent Flex/reflex properties and also has the other advantage of making the boards lighter giving improved performance.
- Our epoxy resin application system has been carefully selected for its ratio of performance and total board weight characteristics – our technique has proven to reduce 30% of extra resin, ensuring for a lighter board.
- Rockers remain constant and feature the 4.5mm single concave throughout the bottom with riding flats.
- Thinner ABS rails, 3mm in the sides, 2mm in the tips for extra tip flex control.
- ABS side wall construction the best FULL WOOD core available for optimum weight and durability combination.
- Torsion Box Technology – the result of having biaxial and unidirectional fibres over a wood core, creating a box of specific fibres with angled orientation - produces optimum torsional and longitudinal flex.
- Ergonomic adjustable foot straps for maximum comfort.
- Wider stance options for new school wake style tricks.
- 4 CAD designed pro fins. The foils are slightly thinner with fine entry which results in super fast boards that hold control in demanding conditions.
- Comfortable quick-grab centre handle
- Metal snowboard inserts throughout the range, this is the strongest and best solution without doubt.

Model	Size	Length	Width	Weight	Fin
Vision Pro 124	124	124 cm	37.5 cm	2.3 kg*	4x 50mm CAD Fin
Vision Pro 127	127	127 cm	38.5 cm	2.3 kg*	4x 50mm CAD Fin
Vision Pro 130	130	130 cm	40.5 cm	2.5 kg*	4x 50mm CAD Fin
Vision Pro 133	133	133 cm	42.0 cm	2.6 kg*	4x 50mm CAD Fin

* Estimated weight.

"The Xenon Ride"

A great school board that excels in light wind conditions for all riders. The hi-tech PU core offers durability and stiffness without compromising performance.



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XENON Facts:

- 4.5 mm concave throughout the bottom with running flats and proven fast motion remain untouched.
- The ABS side wall remains at 5mm and the tips are foiled out to help with fin flex control and smooth landings. With high performance construction engineering and a high-density core reduced to a minimum save weight and tune in the flex.
- ABS side wall construction.
- New hi-tech PU core further refined for 2009 Xenon Boards providing the optimum weight to durability combination.
- Refinements to Torsion Box Technology that were improved for the 2009 Vision Pro's is transferred to the Xenon, resulting in even lighter and technologically advanced boards with improved flex/reflex responses.
- Ergonomic adjustable foot straps for maximum comfort.
- Wider stance options for new school wakestyle tricks.
- 4 Cad designed pro fins. The foils are thinner with fine entry, which results, in fast boards with total control in demanding conditions.
- Central grab handle
- Metal snowboard inserts throughout the range – the time tested industry standard – proven to be the best solution for inserts.

Model	Size	Length	Width	Weight	Fin
Xenon 135	135	135 cm	41 cm	2.8 kg*	4x 60mm CAD Fin
Xenon 145	145	145 cm	43 cm	3.1 kg*	4x 60mm CAD Fin
Xenon 155	155	155 cm	45 cm	TBA	4x 60mm CAD Fin

* Estimated weight.

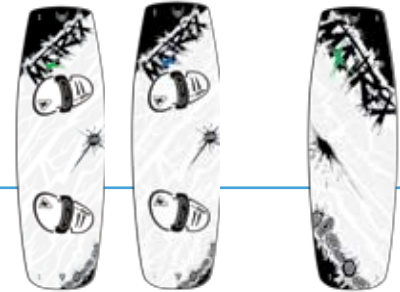


“Matrix”

The ultimate performance freeride board is finally here! Gaastra has taken a new leap forward on this insane range of boards. The new “Sandwich-Wood-Construction” has been derived from Snowboard technology, optimizes flex areas and gives unmatched comfort on the water. The 3D CAD shape has a unique single concave bottom shape that grips and boosts when you tell it to. Blessed with great jumping pop, tons of control and hard to beat upwind performance, the newly revolutionized Matrix impresses everyone! Durable and lightweight, the Matrix delivers excellence.



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135

Base 132

MATRIX Facts:

- Biax Fiber-Glas transverse axis layer of core gives the board most strength to weight ratio.
- ABS side wall construction for superior edges hold and added durability.
- Ergonomic adjustable foot straps for maximum comfort.
- Metal snowboard inserts throughout the range - the time tested industries standard - proven to be the best solution for inserts.
- 3D Tip shape for a massive pop and versatile flex.
- Concave shape for easy landing and a stronger edge pressure.
- Special wood core construction lightened up and loaded with pop, this wood core improves snap and response.

Model	Size	Length	Width	Weight	Fin
Matrix 132	132	132 cm	38.0 cm	2.6 kg*	4x 50mm G10 Fin
Matrix 135	135	135 cm	39.0 cm	2.8 kg*	4x 50mm G10 Fin

* Estimated weight.

SCORE

“Score & enjoy”

A new freestyle legend is born in the Gasstra kiteboard range. The Score knows that the optimized shape makes the difference between naked and fiercely fun in the park. It is the perfect board to take you serious in the wakestyle scene with a massive pop, grindbase, molded fins, easy landing and a bullet proof construction. Extremely versatile, with a flex that is forgiving and fun to ride anywhere on the Water, the condition and riding quality of the Score is ready to take the punishment.

Project under construction!



SCORE Facts:

- Tested in parks and on rails, these boards excel over a variety of water conditions and terrain
- Optimized Scoopline
- Multiple inserts for straps or bindings
- 3D Platform on deck works with pads and bindings
- Grindbase on bottom to protect your board while hitting rails and kickers
- Ergonomic adjustable foot straps for maximum comfort.
- Molded Fins
- 3D Tip shape for a massive pop and versatile flex.
- Concave shape for easy landing and a stronger edge pressure.
- Special wood core construction lightened up and loaded with pop, this wood core improves snap and response.

Model	Size	Length	Width	Weight	Fin
Score 134	134	134 cm	42 cm	TBA	TBA

Project under construction. Specs may optimized in development.



TWINTIP FINS
5 cm



KITE SEAT
Sizes : XS, S, M, L, XL

The maximized lower back support and load bearing straps translate into control, and reduction of point-loading pressure.

- Internal batten support
- Anti-chafing padded leg straps
- Stainless spreader bar includes bar pad.
- Durable 600D Polyester
- Heavy Duty Back-Pass Leash attachment points.

BLUNT

Standard



Croc



Snake



3D STRAP



LINE SET
4 & 5 lines



DEPOWER ROPE



5TH DIMENSION KIT
upgrade your 4-line bar to a 5-line setup

BLUNT WAIST
Sizes : S, M, L, XL

Firm lower back support that is ideally suited to all-round recreational kites.

- Forced hook position
- Small rear pocket for keys
- Anti-chafing padded leg straps
- Internal batten support
- Stainless spreader bar
- Durable 600D Polyester
- Grab handle
- Heavy Duty Back-Pass Leash attachment points.



Safety line



Stopball



Adjuster
(complete)



QuickRelease
(complete)



O-Shit handles



Suicide Leash



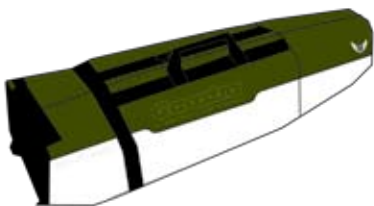
L-Connector



Y-Line



Center line (4m)



GOLF PRO BAG

Size: TBA

- Roller Wheels for easy travel.
- Durable 600D Polyester.
- 10mm foam padding.
- PVC handle.



BOARD BAG

Sizes: 126cm, 137cm, 148cm

- Durable 600D Polyester.
- Heat Reflective Tarpee.
- 5mm foam padding.
- PVC handle.
- Tough, reliable bags with easy noncorrosive zip entry.



COFFIN BAG

Size: 155 x 50 x 28cm

- Roller Wheels for easy travel.
- Durable 600D Polyester.
- 10mm foam padding.
- PVC handle.
- Internal retention straps.