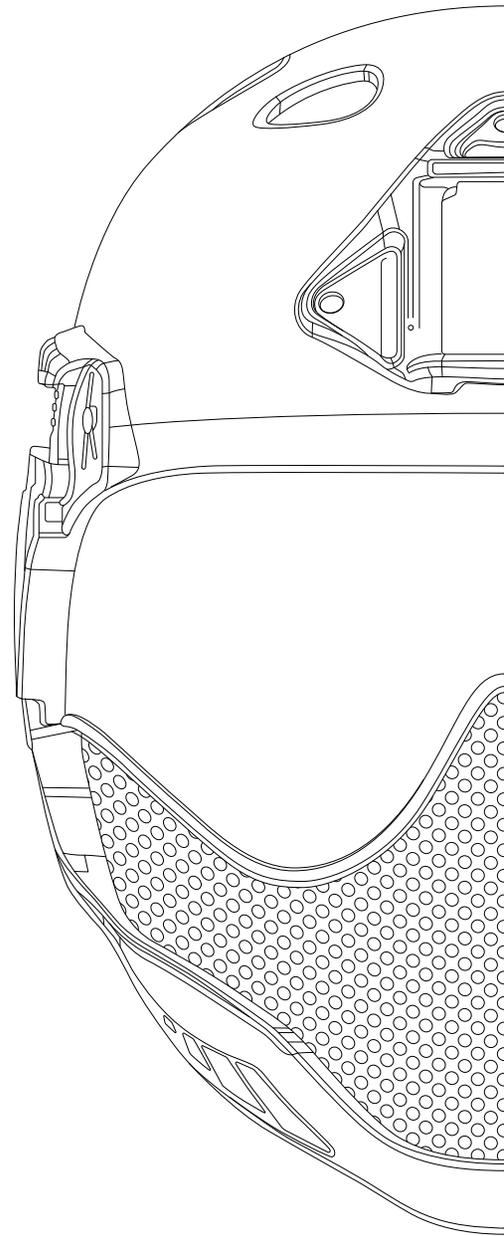




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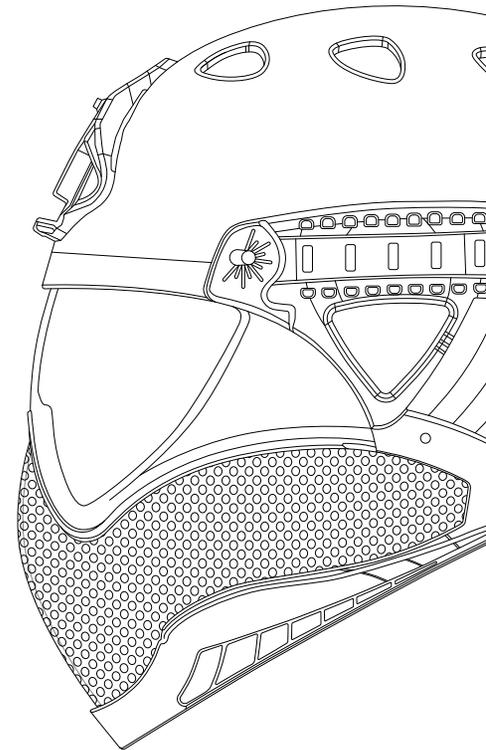
USER MANUAL

Welcome to the user manual for the WARQ Pro helmet, designed exclusively for force on force scenario-based training. We take pride in introducing our advanced and exceptionally durable helmet, engineered with an anti-fog lens and built to provide an exception level of protection for high-intensity training scenarios.

In this manual, you will find comprehensive instructions on how to appropriately use and maintain your WARQ Pro helmet. We strongly advise that you study the manual thoroughly before using the helmet to ensure that you are familiar with all of its features and benefits.

The WARQ Pro helmet is an essential accessory for end users who prioritize safety, comfort, and peak performance during force on force scenario-based training.

Please read through this manual carefully and to take time to understand the features and capabilities of the WARQ Pro helmet.



WARNINGS



WARNING
Critical information



NOTE
An important note



TIP
A practical tip

Please take time to read through this manual carefully to ensure you are using the helmet properly. In order to ensure that you do not overlook any aspect of the manual that is relevant to your safety, we recommend that you read it in the order in which it appears.

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- ⚠ WARNING** This helmet has been designed for force-on-force training scenarios. This is not a ballistic helmet and offers no ballistic protection.
 - ⚠ WARNING** It is possible for paint from force-on-force marking rounds to enter the helmet through the steel mesh on the mandible and top of helmet vent coverings. Paint contact with the user's skin may in rare cases cause allergic reactions in susceptible individuals. In order to mitigate the risk of paint entering the mask the user can use the supplied neck gator or other fabric face covering product at their own will.
 - ⚠ WARNING** Cracked or chipped lenses must be replaced immediately to ensure protection standards. Scratched lenses can also impede vision.
 - ⚠ WARNING** Spectacles can transmit impact from the helmet to the face.
 - 🚫 NOTE** Failure to comply with use and care may void the warranty.
 - 🚫 NOTE** We reserve the right to make changes that reflect technical advances and to do so without express notice.

BREAKDOWN

Model number: W-HEL-K-PROAMU

Model serial number: Refer to the helmet number written inside your helmet.

NOTE

You will need this number when requesting any warranty service.

FIGURE	PART #	NAME & DESCRIPTION
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1	--	Helmet Shell
2	--	Accessory Mount
3	W-LENS-TRAN	Lens
4	W-MANDIBLE	Mandible
5	W-COLLAR	Neck Collar
6	W-RAILS	Side Rails (set)
7	W-EAR	Ear Protection Triangle



INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

The WARQ PRO helmet has been designed specifically for force-on-force scenario based training ammunition. It cannot be used for other purposes. This is not a ballistic helmet. This is not a bump helmet.

 **NOTE** Depending on its use and maintenance, the helmet must be replaced after 5 years.

 **WARNING** It is possible for paint from force on force marking rounds to enter the helmet through the steel mesh on the mandible and top of helmet vent coverings. Paint contact with the user's skin may in rare cases cause allergic reactions in susceptible individuals. See page [xx] for the list of materials that may cause an allergic reaction. In order to mitigate the risk of paint entering the mask the user can use the supplied neck gator or other fabric face covering product at their own will.

 **WARNING** Cracked or chipped lenses must be replaced and that scratched lenses can impede vision.

 **WARNING** Helmets worn over spectacles can transmit impact to the user.

The helmet can be worn with your own spectacles. It is recommended you use these approved spectacles: (MSA 454819 and Avon 70501-155)

To wear the helmet with your own spectacles:

- Put the glasses on your forehead with the lenses above your eyes
- Slowly and carefully put the WARQ PRO helmet on, move your glasses into place when the helmet goes on your head.

 **TIP** Watch tutorial at [WARQHelmets.com/maintenance](https://www.warqhelmets.com/maintenance)

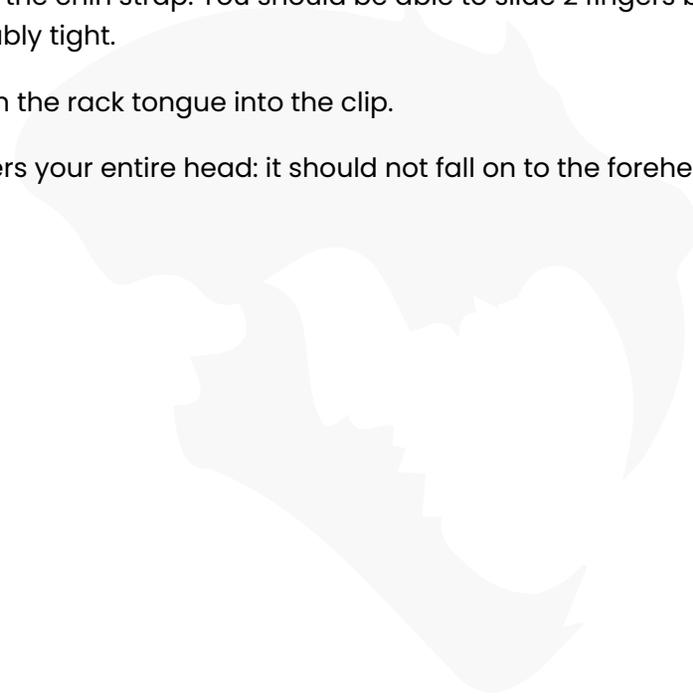


 **NOTE** The helmet must be properly cleaned and stored after each use. Please follow the cleaning instructions on page 11.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FITMENT

For proper protection, the helmet must be fitted properly.

- 1) Check that your helmet fits the circumference of your head properly. Helmet tightness can be adjusted by turning the circular dial at the back of the helmet until it fits snugly.
- 2) After fitting the helmet, adjust and close the chin strap. You should be able to slide 2 fingers between the strap and your chin. The helmet should now be snug but not uncomfortably tight.
- 3) To open or close the chin strap clip, push the rack tongue into the clip.
- 4) Make sure the helmet is stable and covers your entire head: it should not fall on to the forehead or back on the nape of the neck.



INSTRUCTIONS FOR CLEANING

General tips for keeping your helmet clean:

1. Clean your helmet thoroughly after each use
2. After cleaning your helmet, leave it in a well-ventilated space to dry
3. Store your helmet in the WARQ Pro storage bag

Cleaning the exterior of the helmet (not including the lens)

1. Use a microfiber cloth, dampened with cold water to wipe away paint residue. Do not use cleaning products on the exterior of the helmet.
2. To clean the protective mesh, run water over the back of the mesh. Do not scrub the mesh. Leave the helmet in a well-ventilated place to dry.

 **NOTE** The lens must be cleaned with the provided WARQ cleaning wipes. Wiping the lens with the same cloth used for removing paint from the helmet exterior may damage the anti-fog coating.



Cleaning the lens

1. Use the single use wipes provided with your WARQ PRO Helmet.
2. If no wipes are available use a soft, slightly damp microfiber cloth. Clean any residue off by dabbing the lens, without rubbing.
3. Be advised that each time the inside of the lens is washed it can erode the anti-fog coating, so only clean when necessary.

 **NOTE** Do not apply anti-fogging gel or spray or similar product to the active anti-fog coating. This can cause undesirable reactions or irreparable deterioration of the coating and will void the warranty.

Cleaning the neck collar

1. The neck collar can be placed in a washing machine on delicate and short cycle with water temperature no more than 30°C.
2. Do not tumble dry.

 **TIP** It is recommended you wash the neck collar by itself in the washing machine to avoid damage to other garments.

 **TIP** To watch tutorials on the cleaning and maintenance of your WARQ Pro helmet, visit our website at warqhelmets.com/maintenance



DISASSEMBLING THE HELMET

It is not mandatory, but it is possible to disassemble the helmet for easier cleaning.

General tips for keeping your helmet clean:

1. Unscrew the mandible from the helmet shell
2. Unscrew the lens from the helmet shell
3. Clean each component as directed
4. Reinstall necessary parts



MAINTENANCE OF YOUR WARQ PRO HELMET

NOTE Depending on its use, the helmet must be replaced after 5 years. Do not use the helmet if you observe any cracks, chips or significant damage to the helmet.

TIP Depending on usage and wear, replacement or spare parts may be required to keep your helmet safe and functional. Some of the spare parts we recommend keeping on hand are:

- Interior liner kit and padding
- Replacement lenses
- Replacement mandibles
- Replacement screws

TIP

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WHEN THE HELMET MUST BE REPLACED

In the event of a fall or hard impact to the helmet, it may no longer provide optimal protection. The energy produced in the event of an impact is absorbed by the helmet which can cause damage or destroy the helmet. This damage may not be visible externally. To ensure user safety, we recommend that the damaged helmet be replaced.

 **TIP** Steps to ensure proper protection during training:

- Ensure the helmet is snug and properly fitted.
- Never use the helmet with an open or loose chin strap.
- Only use genuine parts and accessories or accessories specifically approved by WARQ.
- Do not use the helmet underwater.

SAFETY STANDARDS

- The WARQ Pro helmet has been designed specifically for use in training with training/ force on force ammunition.
- The WARQ Pro helmet has been tested and certified to EN166A and ASTM 1776-18 standards.

 **TIP** Please refer to our website at warqhelmets.com/safety to see how our helmet meets the protection requirements to protect against popular training ammunition rounds.



TRANSPORT RECOMMENDATIONS

For day-to-day use we recommend you transport the WARQ Pro helmet in a light helmet carry bag. For longer distance transport we recommend you place the helmet in its carry bag inside a padded hard case. Be sure to inspect the helmet for and damage that may have been incurred during shipping.

WARRANTY INFO

The WARQ Pro helmet warranty program is valid for a period of five (5) years commencing on the date the new product is purchased. The WARQ Pro Helmet warranty program covers material and manufacturing defects in the helmet on the condition of proper use. The five-year WARQ Pro Helmet warranty program does not cover the lens of the helmet, which has a (1) one year warranty.

The following is NOT covered under warranty:

- Helmets damaged in an accident
- Scratches or dents to the exterior or lens
- Maintenance errors or damage caused by improper use (intentional or unintentional)
- Usual wear and tear
- Damage caused by improper maintenance
- Damage due to the incorrect installation of equipment and accessories, as well as damage due to installation of poor quality, defective or incompatible third-party equipment or accessories.
- Damage due to improper lens cleaning care
- Damage from improper neck guard washing
- Any modification, custom painting or alteration by customer

WARQ declines any responsibility for warranty service to helmets not in accordance with the instructions of use, the protection requirements defined by the manufacturers of training ammunition, or for any helmet that has been altered or modified by the customer.

It is recommended to regularly inspect the WARQ Pro helmet before each use and to carry out a thorough inspection at least once a year. The use of force-on-force scenario based training ammunition may require the use of additional hearing protection. Please refer to the manufacturer's requirements.

To make a warranty claim, visit us at: warqhelmets.com/warranty



TERMS OF USE

This product has been subject to limited testing and should only be used with force on force marking ammunition used for force-on-force training. Any performance specifications related to the product are believed to be reliable but are not verified, and any purchaser or user of the product must conduct and complete all performance and other testing of the products, alone and together with, or applied on, any end-use.

No purchaser or user shall rely on any data and performance specifications, or parameters provided by WARQ. It is the purchaser's or user's responsibility to independently determine suitability of this product, and to test and verify the same.

The information provided by WARQ SA as it relates to this product, including, without limitation, the information provided in this user manual or on the product, is provided "as is, where is" and with all faults, and the entire risk associated with such information is entirely with the purchaser or end user. WARQ SA does not grant, explicitly or implicitly, to any party any patent rights, licenses, or any other intellectual property rights, whether with regard to such information itself or anything described by such information.

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WARNING

Only qualified and trained users should use this product. Many factors, uniquely within each user's knowledge and control can affect the use and performance of this product. The user is solely responsible for evaluating the product and determining whether the product is suitable for user's intended conditions of use, and in no event should any user use the product for a use not set forth above.

WARNING

The product is only intended for the uses set forth above. Misuse or failure to follow the instructions and warnings related to the product may result in serious personal injury or death.

TERMS OF USE (CONTINUED)

⚠ WARNING

The product offers no ballistic or bump protection. It is not intended for climbing, white water rafting, or other uses. Misuse or failure to follow the instructions and warnings related to the product may result in serious personal injury or death.

⚠ WARNING

Failure to comply with any sizing and fitting instructions could result in serious injury or death. When worn, the product must fit in accordance with the instructions set forth herein. If the product feels too tight, too loose, too high, or too low, or otherwise does not feel fit on your head, please refer to the sizing and fitting instructions set forth herein.

⚠ WARNING

If you pull too tightly on any strap while putting on the product, or if the product is not positioned or adjusted correctly, the product may become uncomfortable and tilted on your head and chin cup may become uncentered. Failure to observe this precaution could result in serious injury or death. If the face mask mesh bugles or otherwise becomes out of place, the product may become less protective.

CLEANING AND INSPECTION

The product must be cleaned in accordance with the instructions set forth herein. All components of the product, including, without limitation, the exterior of the lens, and any components attached to the product should be cleaned after every use.

The product must be inspected prior to and following each use. Inspect the exterior of the product for any visual dents. If any dents are found, remove the component and inspect the interior of the shell for a corresponding inside dent. If a corresponding interior dent is identified the product should be repaired or replaced. Failure to observe this precaution could result in serious injury or death.

Inspect the exterior of the product for any major scratches or gouges in the surface of the product. Any large scratch or gouge to the exterior of the helmet may require helmet replacement. Any scratch or gouge to the lens would indicate the need for lens replacement if it impedes visibility. Failure to observe this precaution could result in serious injury or death.

CLEANING AND INSPECTION (CONTINUED)

WARNING

Failure to inspect the product, identify problems and take corrective action, as described above could result in serious injury or death.

WARNING

All five removable suspension pads and the liner system must be in place in the product. Wearing the product with missing suspension pads severely compromises the ability to protect the user. Failure to observe this precaution could result in serious injury or death.

WARNING

Paint from marking rounds can enter the product through any of metal mesh and into the user's mouth. Although rare, in certain instances, this can cause an allergic reaction and minor rash. In the event of an allergic reaction, the user should consult with a medical profession and seek medical attention. To decrease the risk of paint from the marking rounds coming on contact with the user's face, the user should wear a neck gaiter or fabric mouth covering while using the product.

RANGE OF FIRE

When wearing the product, the user must abide by the marking round manufacturers provided standoff and range chart. This range chart is based upon projectile manufacturer safety guidelines and has not been tested by WARQ SA. WARQ SA makes no representation that the information provided is accurate, current, or otherwise free from error.

WARNING

Use of the product at ranges closer than those set forth by the marking round manufacturer or the failure to follow the instructions set forth above may result in serious personal injury or death.