

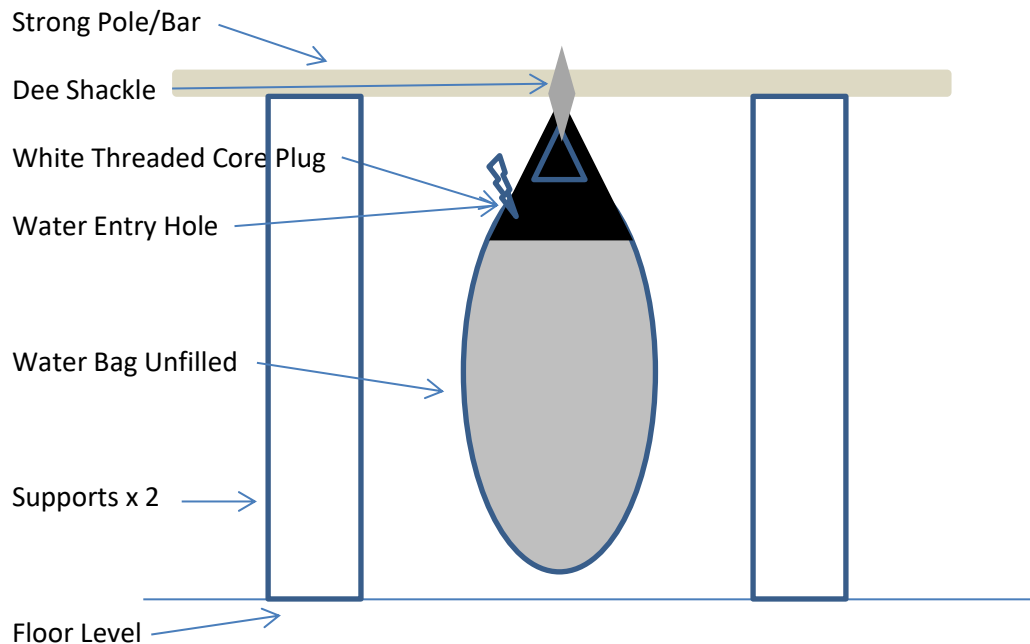


## **Carbon Claw Water Bag Filling Instructions**

Product Codes CC-652/CC-654/CC-655

## FILLING YOUR AX-5 SERIES CARBON CLAW WATER BAG

Ref: Carbon Claw Product Codes CC-652/654/655



**IMPORTANT NOTE -Please make sure when filling your Waterbag it is filled outdoors and you have access to a water supply and garden hose.**

For best results of filling, support the unfilled bag either side by putting a strong pole/bar through the Dee Shackle to support the water bag just off the floor level.

**NOTE** -Make sure your 2 x supports will be strong and safe enough to hold the weight of the bag once filled. Allow extra room either side of the suspended bag for your supports as the bag will expand as it increases in size due to the volume of water you are adding.

If your bag does not require to be filled totally then it can be hand held and placed on the floor whilst filling. Due to the weight of the water when filling, the base will flatten slightly limiting the full amount of water that can be filled. If you are happy with a slightly lighter bag, then the bag does not need to be supported off the ground for maximum filling and weight to be achieved.

## **Now you are ready to fill your Water Bag.**

### **Step 1-**

Unscrew and remove the white threaded core plug (which includes the black rubber O-ring) with a suitable flat edge screwdriver and keep the plug and O-ring in a safe place.

### **Step 2-**

Assemble your Water filling gun to a garden hose.

The gun kit has been temporarily assembled with a small piece of garden hose (as an example) to show how it should look when completely assembled before use.

Loosen the metal hose coupling with a suitable fitting screw driver and slide off the sample hose piece, and then remove the hose from the gun adaptor fitting.

### **Step 3-**

Slide the metal coupling onto the end of your garden hose before fitting your garden hose onto the gun fitting, and then position the metal coupling up by the gun fitting and tighten around hose.

Note: Please check the fittings are tightened before turning the garden hose on. There may be a little leakage dependant on how well the hose is fitted but as you will probably only require to use the gun fitting possibly once then do not be too concerned if the hose is leaking a little.

If there is a lot of leakage then turn off tap and press trigger of gun to empty any water pressure from the hose and re-check fittings. Any slight leaks can be controlled by wrapping some tape around the area.

### **Step 4 –**

Place the nozzle of the gun into the plug hole. It will not go directly into the bag itself and will sit on the threads of the hole. Hold the gun nozzle firmly over the hole but do not force it into the threads in case of damage. Hold the trigger down on gun and start filling the bag with water, dependant on what size of bag you have the time will vary on how long it takes to fill.

Expect the CC-652/15" to take about 15-20 mins

Expect the CC-654/18" to take about 25-30 mins

Expect the CC-655/21" to take about 35-40 mins

Do not be concerned on the shape of the bag before filling as when the weight of the water enters the bag it will slowly push the sides of the bag outwards until it forms its finished shape. Continue to fill the water bag with water, and by all means take a break as you fill it.

**Step 5 –**

As the bag fills with water the natural air inside of the water bag will get pushed out of the same hole, so by removing the gun every now and then will give any air the chance to escape so as more water can be filled. This will be more noticeable as the water level reaches the top when bubbles will start to appear.

Continue to stop and start with filling water until no more air/water bubbles are coming out of the plug hole, and there is a steady stream of water coming out of the hole, at this point ready the White plug that has the black O-ring on it.

Remove the gun water nozzle and push the white plug into the hole and hold firmly in place whilst you get a screw driver to tighten it up. Screw the plug down tight but do not over tighten it, the O-Ring will help to keep the plug in place and form a watertight seal.

**Step 6 –**

Any excess water sitting around the plug, remove with a cloth and wipe over the outside of the bag in general.

**Step 7 –**

Your bag is now ready to hang and be used. Dependant on the weight of the bag it is advised at least two people assist in hanging the bag.

It may be necessary to require more than two persons depending on height, weight and location of the hanging point.