

Ratchet Straps

Ratchet straps are a very versatile piece of equipment, with many applications at RTC/MVA incidents.

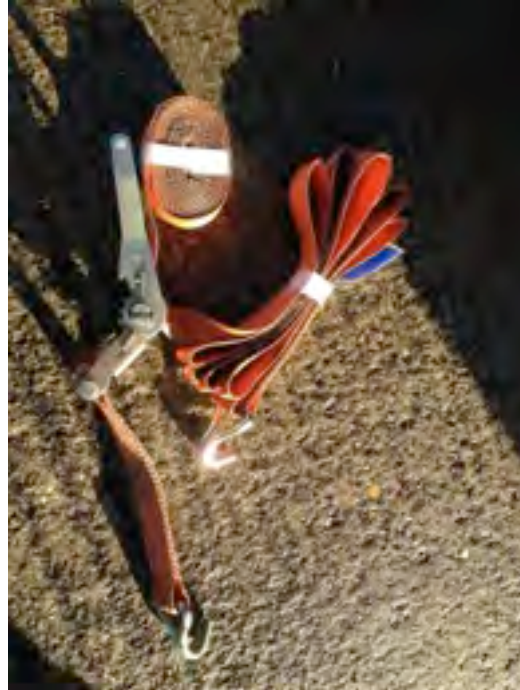
One of the main uses being for Stability.

One of the biggest problems we have found is the straps becoming entangled through poor stowage or overly hasty deployment when under pressure, this causes the straps to become twisted and snagged delaying their application.

One method we have found to work is to roll up one strap and flake the other, the ends are then held together by paper medical tape.

This keeps the straps in situ and prevents the long ends catching and becoming twisted.

The tape is Paper medical tape which is very easily ripped when deployed. It is also cheap and easy to replace wafter use.



The flaked end is used when we need to pass it through a vehicle and the rolled end is used to adjust as needed.

Obviously you can deploy this however it suits you.