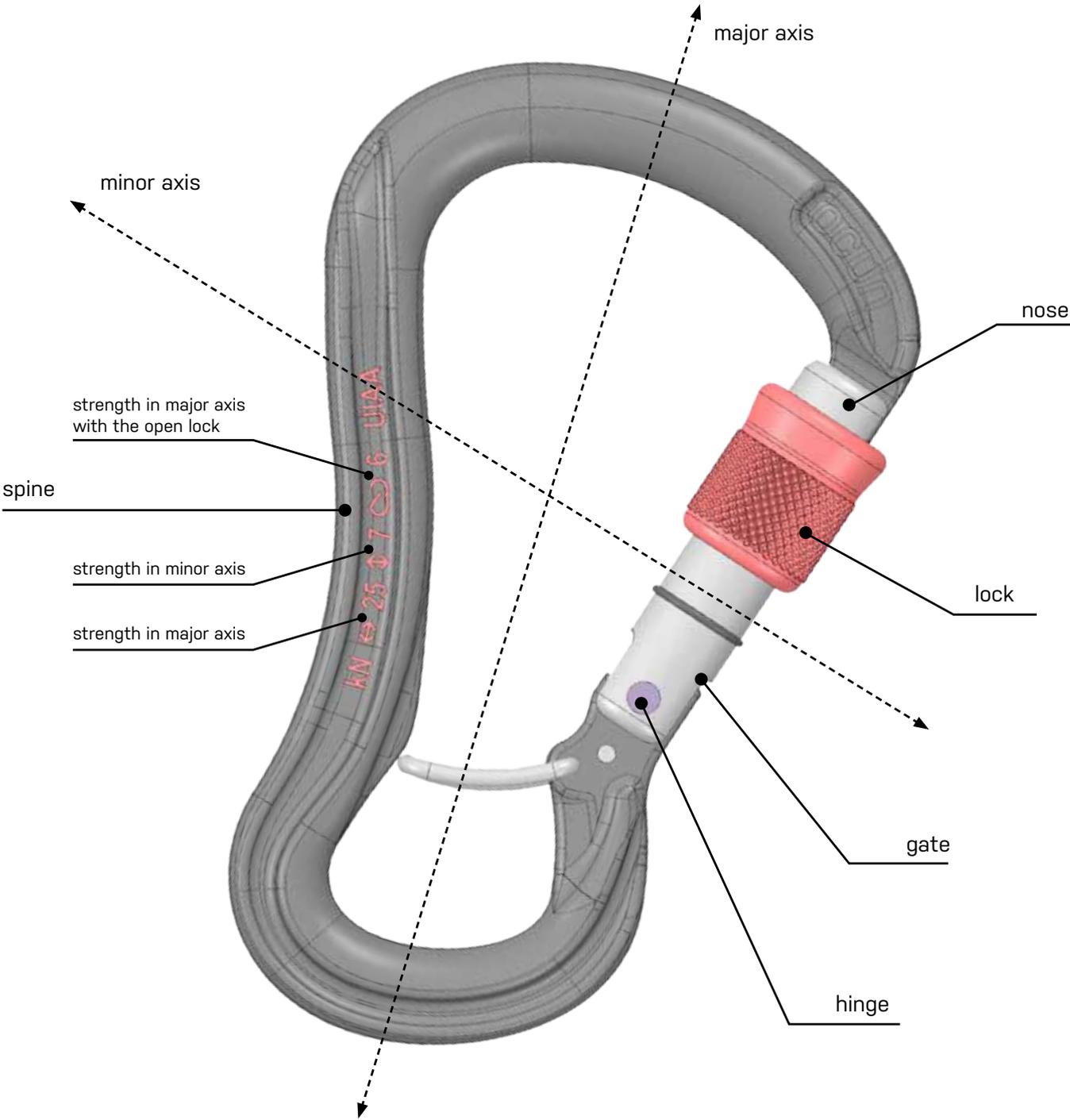


Climbing Hardware



Carabiner Anatomy



Carabiner types

We have different expectations from each type of carabiner; therefore, they have all been uniquely designed to perfectly perform in various situations. If you devote enough time to choosing the right one, you will be rewarded by its flawless functionality. First, think about your specific needs.

■ HMS

A pear-sized carabiner that always comes with a lock. It is characterized by a spacious and smoothly arched upper arc which makes it perfect for belaying by munter hitch knot (Halbmastwurf in German - HMS is an abbreviation of that). It's perfectly suitable to be used in combination with another belaying or rappelling device and for building the belaying points.

Given its specific functionality, all of our HMS carabiners are equipped with an upper arc that has a rope-friendly shape and eliminates the risk of creating sharp edges when the biner is abraded. It also makes the manipulation as easy as possible.



■ Oval

This is a basic symmetrically-shaped carabiner with long lasting tradition in mountaineering. The oval carabiner is universally usable but serves mostly as a connection between other technical equipment. It's widely usable and offers good standard of universal functionality.



■ Asymmetrical D

It might not look like it, but the design of asymmetrical D is based on a traditional oval. Thanks to its construction and strictly given location of the major axis „D“ is suitable especially for protecting the routes - either as apart of quickdraw set or in combination with cams or slings. All the D's made by Ocún are equipped with a light I-profile that maintains very good strength while saving weight.



■ Keylock

Neat design of the nose without an annoying hook that used to scratch the rope and caused all sorts of trouble is a new standard on all Ocún carabiners with an exception for the wire gates. It ensures very smooth handling.



keylock



earlier version with a hook

Types of gates

■ Straight

A basic straight gate that can be found on most of our carabiners. It's possible to equip this gate with a lock. It's manufactured from rod. All our straight gates are designed with a keylock in order to ensure smooth handling.



■ Bent

Bent version of full gate enables clipping the rope into protecting points. It is perfectly suitable for the lower biner in quickdraw sets.



■ Wire

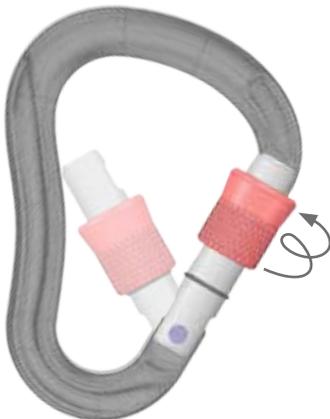
Wire gates are very light and therefore resistant to self-inflicting opening (aka gate flutter effect). They're also more reliable in freezing and muddy conditions because in comparison to the traditional gates they are less likely to freeze or get contaminated.



Types of locks

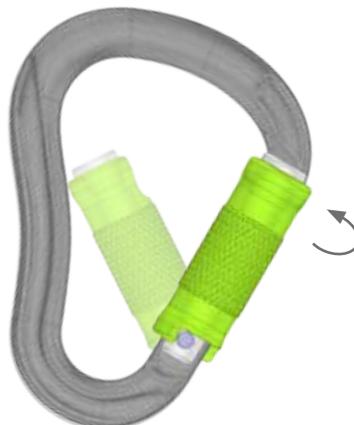
■ Screw

Classic screw lock. It's necessary to lock it manually each time you use it.



■ Twist

You can unlock it by twisting it at 90° angle. It locks automatically after closing the gate.



■ Triple

Extra safe version of Twist lock. To open the lock it's necessary to pull it up and twisting it at 90° angle. It locks automatically after closing the gate.

