

### Mounting instructions for the Rocky Mountain Saddle Bags #M1015 to Wolfman side racks

## Thank you for purchasing the Rocky Mountain Saddle Bags \*READ THROUGHLY BEFORE ATTACHING BAGS TO RACKS\*

\*For best results take a test ride before putting your Rocky Mountain Saddle Bags to use\*
\*Helpful hint: Before you begin stuff each bag with a sleeping bag or quilt to give it body\*

\*The mounting is the same for both left and right bags\*

#### A properly mounted pair of Rocky Mountain Saddle Bags. Fig.1 Right side



Fig.2 Left side

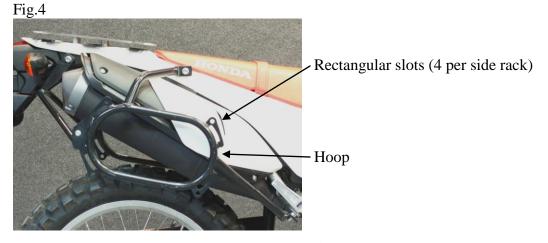


#### **Bag orientation**

\*Please note the various parts of the saddlebag. Since the left and right bags are identical only one is shown\* Fig.3

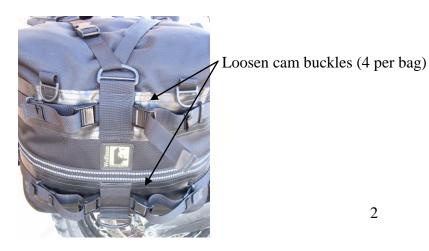


\*Please note the four rectangular slots around the perimeter of the hoop. Since the left and right hoop are the same only one is shown\*



#### Mounting saddle bags to rack

1- Press the cam buckles on the upper and lower mounting patches and loosen the side mounting straps. Fig.5



2- Place bags over the seat and/or rear rack. Depending on the width of your motorcycle, you may need to adjust the height of each bag. Do this by adjusting the 2" seat strap webbing from the large center buckles. Adjust so that the bags are nearly even with the top of the seat or rear rack. Fig.6

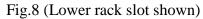
Fig.6 (This is a rear view of a properly adjusted set of saddlebags)



- 3- Insert the chrome slide on the side mounting straps into the rectangular slots on the side rack. Fig.7 & Fig.9
- 4- Pull webbing so the chrome slider is captured on the rectangular slot on the side rack and cannot slip through. Fig. 8 & Fig. 10
- 5- Repeat on all four slots on each side rack.

Fig.7 (Lower rack slot shown)









6- Tighten the side mounting straps threaded through each cam buckle on front of each bag. Fig.11 Tighten straps to secure and compress bag to rack (pull side mounting straps away from the cam buckles in the direction of the arrows).





7- Thread excess webbing through plastic loop and strap keeper, repeat this for all excess webbing. Fig. 12 Fig. 12



4 Straps per bag

Plastic loop and strap keeper

8- Tighten the 2" wide seat straps by pulling the webbing away from the 2" buckles. You can pull both ends to tighten the webbing. Fig.13



<u>Always use the seat straps</u>. The Rocky Mountain Saddle Bags and racks are designed for these, as the seat straps distribute the weight of the bag. Failure to use the seat straps can result in damage to the bags, motorcycle and bodily harm. This will also void any and all warranties.

<u>Loading the bags.</u> You can load the bags either on or off the bike. The waterproof liners can be filled in or out of the Rocky Mountain Saddle Bags.

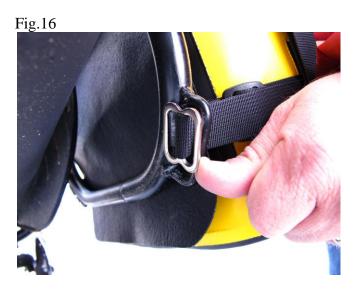
- 9- Loading and unloading the bags while on the racks: You will have to loosen the four cam buckles on the upper and lower side mounting straps to release the compression of the bag; doing this will make the waterproof liners slip in and out much easier.
- 10- When closing the Rocky Mountain Saddle Bags drop in the waterproof liner. Make sure you have rolled the liners down to "burp" and let as much air escape as possible.
- 11- Roll the main bag with a minimum of 3 rolls to create a tight seal. Fasten the side straps. Pass the top compression strap through the upper 2" D-ring above the upper cam buckles and fasten to the top clip securely. This strap keeps the Rocky Mountain Saddles tight to the side racks and prevents the bag from sagging. Fig.15



# 12- For maximum safety make sure ALL straps are snug and secure. Make adjustments as necessary.

#### To remove the bags:

13- Loosen the four cam buckles on the upper and lower side mounting straps; this will release the tension on the chrome slider secured to the rack. With your thumbs simply flick the chrome slider through the rectangle slot on the side rack. Do the lower slots first then the upper slots. Fig.16



On the exhaust side, be careful not to touch the exhaust as you can be burned!

14- Use the handles to remove the bags away from the side racks. Fig.17



**Note**: All of the mounting straps on the Wolfman Rocky Mountain Saddle Bags are removable and replaceable. Extra mounting kits can be purchased from us.

MAXIMUM WEIGHT LIMIT: 13lbs (5.9 kg) per bag.

#### **Helpful hints**

The Rocky Mountain Saddle Bags have one and two inch D-Rings incorporated into the bags. Fig.3 These are for attaching additional Wolfman products such as a small or medium Rolie Bag with our Wolfy SnapHook Kit (for quick on/off)(Fig.18) or our Bottle Holster for additional fuel or water. Also there are four, one inch plastic loops on the side of each bag that are for mounting our Bottle Holster to hold either a fuel or water bottle.

Fig.18



The waterproof liner rolled and clips fastened. Fig.19



If you have any questions about the mounting of the Wolfman Rocky Mountain Saddle Bags to the Wolfman side racks, please contact us at 800/535-8131 or info@wolfmanluggage.com

Enjoy.