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TRAVEL PACKS

A Buying Guide to Travel & Hybrid Packs January 3, 2012

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Travel Packs from Mont, Lowe Alpine & Asolo

Explore other cultures and discover new people. This will enable you to understand your place on our planet. Your worldly possessions are in your travel pack and it will become part of your new world.

Hybrid Packs from Wilderness Equipment & Mont

Also available, for those who like to travel a little on the wild side, you should try a hybrid pack. Combining the comfort of a bushwalking pack with the convenient features of a travel pack giving a backpack versatile enough for a weekend bushwalk or that year long around the world adventure.

Accessories

The Wilderness Shop also has a great range of travel accessories from Mont, Lowe Alpine, Korjo, Pacsafe, Sea To Summit, Coghlan's and Lonely Planet. Money belts, neck wallets, pack locks, power point adaptors, travel & walking books and packing solutions. Always useful, they can make all the difference on your next trip!

PACKS: Mont, Lowe Alpine, Wilderness Equipment, Asolo



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Brand	Travel Packs	Size	Volume (excludes daypack)	Weight	Fabric	Compartments & Pockets	Price
LOWE ALPINE	TT Tour ND60	womens	60L	2.35 Kg	-	front stash pocket, side & top carry handles, side & top pockets	\$289
LOWE ALPINE	TT Tour 70	mens	70L	2.5 Kg	-	front stash pocket, side & top carry handles, side & top pockets	\$299
ASOLO	Navigator Elle Womens	60 70	60L 70L	3.3 Kg 3.5 Kg	600D Polyester® rip-stop / 1000D Kodra®	2 compartment with zip out divider, 20L daypack, waistbag, raincover, lockable zips	\$299 \$319
ASOLO	Navigator Mens	70 80	70L 80L	3.5 Kg 3.7 Kg	600D Polyester® rip-stop / 1000D Kodra®	2 compartment with zip out divider, 20L daypack, waistbag, raincover, lockable zips	\$319 \$339
MONT	Astro 65	W / M / L	60L / 65L / 70L daypack 25L	3.9 Kg	1000d/500d Nylon	A revolutionary design forming a complete travel system: <i>Clam-Shell</i> opening and the <i>Travel Pod</i>	\$449
MONT	Astro 80	W / M / L	75L / 80L / 85L daypack 25L	4.1 Kg	1000d/500d Nylon		\$479
	Hybrid Packs		Volume (includes zipped on daypack) #				
MONT	Sphere	W / M / L	67L / 80L / 85L daypack 25L	3.6 Kg	High Tenacity Core Spun Canvas	2 compartments, 1 back pocket, 1 lid pocket, internal pockets, hydration system	\$499
WILDERNESS EQUIPMENT	Ladakh	XS-S / M / L	75L / 80L / 85L daypack 23L	4.5 Kg	Core Spun Canvas	1 compartment, 1 lid pocket converts to bum bag, internal packing system	\$579

The volume includes the daypack when zipped on to the main pack. When you zip off the daypack it expands to the stated daypack volume.



ASOLO Navigator

ASOLO Navigator Elle



The Asolo Navigator: the only other thing you need to buy is your ticket! This is the Travel Pack that covers all options: removable daypack; removable waistbag, built-in raincover, coin pocket on waistbelt, a durable harness that folds away.



LOWE ALPINE TT Carry-On 40

Sized to maximise hand luggage regulations of most major airlines. Hidden tuckaway harness for alternative carrying. Large front zippered entry for ease of access.



LOWE ALPINE TT Roll-On 40

Wheels make it ideal for the overnight traveller. Sized to maximise hand luggage regulations of most major airlines. Hidden tuckaway harness for alternative carrying.

LOWE ALPINE TT Tour ND60

Women's ND TFX Travel for carrying comfort with zip away minimal bulk. Large front zippered entry for ease of access.



MONT Astro 65 & 80

- Side compression wings to stabilise load & protect zips
- Fully adjustable Moto active™ harness
- Full length Clam-shell opening gives access to whole pack
- High density foam shell reinforcing maintains shape for better load carrying
- Removable 30L Travel Pod organises load & converts to carry-on luggage
- 25L dual compartment daypack slips into lockable rear pocket or attaches outside for easy access
- Fully lockable zip sliders and multiple internal pockets
- Twin handles with tuck away luggage strap



MONT Sphere

- Fully adjustable Moto active™ harness
- Hybrid design with quick access front opening
- Dual compartment hybrid pack with zip out compartment divider
- Removable dual compartment daypack with internal zip pocket
- Super Tanker hydration system compatible daypack
- Fully lockable zip sliders and multiple internal pockets
- Fold away harness cover-Complete range of travel pack features



MONT Cargo Bags

Tested by being dragged, thrown and trampled on by yaks and yak drivers in the Khumbu valley in Nepal. Baggage handlers have nothing on these guys. The Cargos are a virtually indestructible heavy-duty duffel bag built to transport your kit anywhere.



- Large U-shaped zip opening provides easy access
- Zips can be padlocked for added security
- Compression straps
- Removable shoulder strap
- End on grab handles
- Outside zippered security pocket
- Inner mesh pocket

WILDERNESS EQUIPMENT Ladakh

A go-anywhere, do-everything adventure-travel backpack ensemble. The rugged, fully-featured, dual-access canvas pack teams with a detachable, slimline back pocket that expands to a real, practical daypack (so good we offer it as a stand-alone product). If you're looking for a single solution for all backpack travel, the Ladakh is it.



- Top and lower front accessible, mid-volume, canvas bag.
- Fully featured, detachable, combination back pocket / daypack module.
- Zip-up harness panel cover for baggage mode protection.
- Detachable, dual-compartment top cover converts to an effective waist pack.
- Internal compression net/organiser pocket
- Bag Fabric: High-density 275g corespun canvas
- Reinforcing Layers: 600d nylon Kodra, PU coated.
- Internal Frame System: High-tensile, aluminium, asymmetric cross.

CARRY ON & CARGO BAGS: Mont, Lowe Alpine, Asolo



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Carry-on	Size	Volume	Weight (M)	Fabric	Harness System	Compartments & Pockets	Price
Cardero	-	-	-	1000d Nylon	none	3 external and 3 internal pockets	\$99.95
Zed	-	-	-	1000d Nylon	none	plenty of storage slots & pockets, padded laptop pocket	\$129
Kohima Carry-On	1	35L	2.05 Kg		none	roller wheels, retractable handle, front and bottom access, numerous pockets for gear	\$199
Carry-On 40	1	40L	1.25 Kg	-	Fold-away	front stash pocket, side & top handles, top pocket, removable shoulder strap, internal pockets,	\$189
Weekend Roller	1	100 L	-	-	none	Well organised roll-on luggage. Plenty of packing compartments	\$249
Cargo Bags							
Mont Cargo	-	65L, 90L, 120L, 150L	-	1000d Nylon	none	1 compartment, outside zippered security pocket, inner mesh pocket	\$79.95 to \$109

Choice of Models

The Wilderness Shop has a great choice of travel packs and accessories from quality manufacturers. Each travel pack has a different emphasis on capacity, features, pricing and harness design. We have carefully selected from among the best brands to suit all users as only an independent store can. "Own brand" stores may not be able to offer truly independent advice, or from such a range as ours, as to the best pack for your needs.

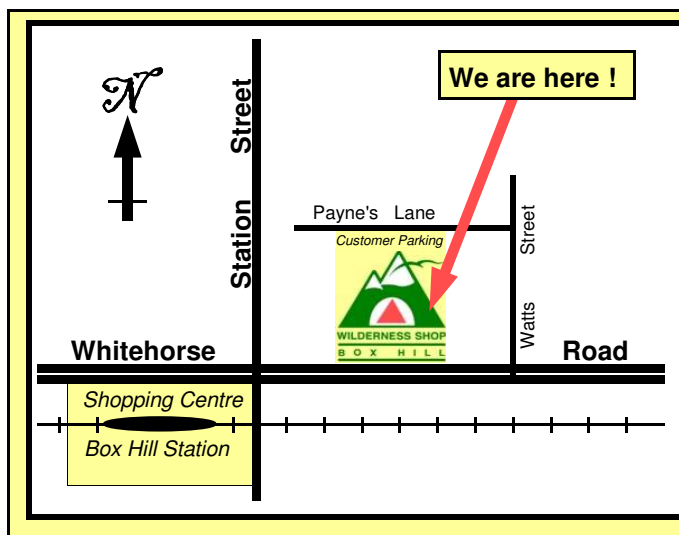
Choosing a Pack

There are a number of decisions and compromises that may have to be made. Considerations are interrelated and may be conflicting. Price, of course, needs to be considered. Ultimately this is a representation of capacity, features and the harness system. As capacity and the features (number of pockets, compartments etc) increase, the weight of the pack will also increase. The harness design is less obvious. Apart from a greater range of adjustability, more technical harnesses will have waist and shoulder straps containing 2 or 3 different materials increasing support and comfort. They may be available in different sizes for different back lengths, and in separate mens and womens fittings.

Selecting & Fitting a Harness

Our experienced staff have a wide background in outdoor and travel situations, with a genuine interest in ensuring that you leave The Wilderness Shop with the best harness for yourself. Following their advice is the best way to get a great fit, as different harness designs suit different people. Here is advice from Mont:

- Loosen all of the straps, put the pack on, then do up and tighten the hipbelt snugly. The middle of the hipbelt should fit snugly around the hips.
- Tighten the shoulder straps, then the stabiliser straps between the tops of the shoulders and the top of the pack frame, the top of the pack being between 0-5cm higher. If the pack does not fit quite right, you may need to adjust the back length by adjusting the position of the shoulder yoke on the harnesses frame stays, or by changing harness size. The curvature of the frame stays may also need adjusting.
- With light to moderate loads you may not need to use the sternum strap, but for heavy loads, do up the sternum strap for extra stability.
- Finally tighten the stabiliser straps between the hipbelt and the base of the pack.



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