

Snowboard Binding Strap Replacement

Maybe the most common thing to break on your snowboard is a binding strap. Fear not, replacing straps are easy and cost effective. This guide will show you how to replace the various straps on a Union Force Binding.

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INTRODUCTION

The purpose of this guide is to show you how to remove/replace all of the straps on your bindings. However, you do not need to remove the toe straps to replace the ankle straps and vice versa. Begin this repair guide at the appropriate step relevant to your problem.



TOOLS:

- 5.5mm Flathead Screwdriver (1)
- Phillips #2 Screwdriver (1)

Step 1 — Binding







- Release the binding straps by lifting up on the buckle and pulling towards the direction of the end
 of the ladder.
 - (i) Not all binding straps will release the same way. If you are having trouble releasing your binding straps, please refer to your owner's manual.





- Move the straps and the highback plate out of the way in order to have clear access to the foot pad screw.
- (i) The highback plate is the vertical support plate located on the heel side of the binding.



 Use a #2 Phillips screwdriver to remove the panhead, 10mm wide, M4 x 12mm screw located in the middle of the foot pad.



- Use a #2 Phillips screwdriver to remove the four ovalhead M6 x 12mm screws that attach the base plate of the binding to the board.
- Lift or slide the binding off the board and set the screws aside.

Step 5 — Binding Strap







- Use a 5.5mm flathead screwdriver to anchor the backing bracket located on the inside of the binding.
- Using a Phillips #2 screwdriver, unscrew the countersunk ovalhead M4 x 16mm screw connecting the heel strap ladder to the binding.





- Unscrew the 10mm long thumb screw connecting the heel strap with its binding connector.
- Pull the heel strap apart from its binding connector.







- Use a 5.5mm flathead screwdriver to anchor the backing bracket located on the inside of the binding.
- Using a Phillips #2 screwdriver, locate and unscrew the countersunk ovalhead M4 x 16mm screw holding the heel strap connector to the binding.





- Flip the binding so that the bottom is accessible.
- Using your hands, pry off the plastic bottom covering starting at the toe end.
- (i) The bottom may still remain attached on the heel edge. There is no need to completely remove it.







- Remove the corner foam coverings by grabbing one edge and lifting up.
- Slide out the toe strap ladder.







- Using a Phillips #2 screwdriver, unscrew the button head M4 x 10mm screw holding the toe strap with its connector.
- Slide the toe strap off of the toe strap connector.





Turn the binding on its side and slide out the toe strap connector.

To reassemble your device, follow these instructions in reverse order.