

HANDALL[®]

BEAVERTAIL™ GRIP SLEEVE

INSTALLATION PROCEDURE



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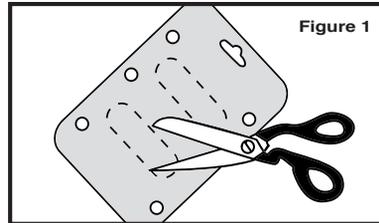
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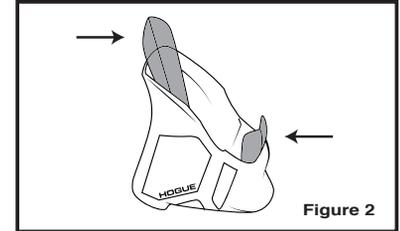
1. Before installing grip, remove the magazine and make sure the chamber is empty confirming the firearm is unloaded.
2. Hogue emphasizes grip security and safety over ease of installation. Depending on your model of firearm, the installation may be a strenuous process to ensure a perfect fit.
3. Take the plastic package and cut two strips in a shoehorn shape (Fig. 1). Cut these strips approximately 1" wide. Fold the strips down the center length-wise into a "V" shape. Round the edges into a shoehorn shape.



4. We recommend warming the HandALL for ease of installation (especially in cold environments). This can be done in hot or boiling water, or with a blow dryer. Warming the rubber makes it easier to stretch which is helpful during the installation.

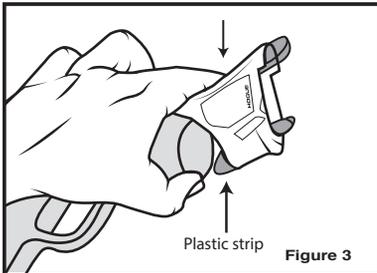
5. Place fingers inside HandALL and stretch rubber in all directions. Take caution not to pull excessively on the edges of the rubber as a tear may develop.

6. Insert the plastic strips into the grip, against the back and front (Fig. 2.)

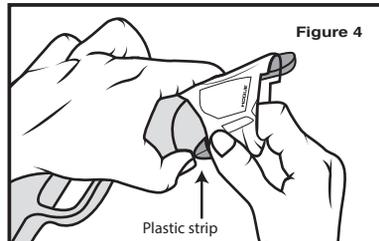


7. An alcohol based lubricant such as window cleaner (Windex) will assist with sliding the grip onto the frame. Spray a generous amount onto the frame and inside the HandALL sleeve.

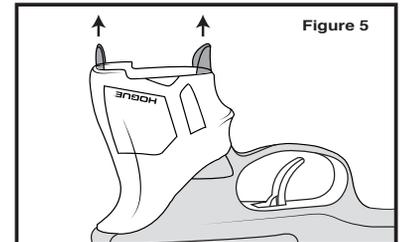
8. Hold the firearm as shown (Fig. 3). At the rearmost corner, insert the frame into the HandALL making sure the beavertail is positioned on the back strap of the firearm.



9. While holding the grip's beavertail firmly to the frame, take 1 or 2 fingers inside the front of the grip and pull the front strap onto the frame (Fig. 4). As soon as you see it has started, maneuver the grip onto the firearm by using the plastic to allow the grip to slide onto the frame. **The HandALL is designed to fit tightly and much force may be required to complete this step.** The sleeve should be stretched as evenly as possible. The rubber is very durable and tear resistant although care must be exercised not to gouge, cut, or pull excessively on the edges of the sleeve, as a tear may develop.



10. Once on the frame, use a pair of pliers to pull out the plastic (Do this before the lubricant dries) (Fig. 5). Rotate the grip until it lines up correctly. Reinsert magazine and check for clearance.



IMPORTANT!

- Check all functions of your firearm after grips are installed. **Test-fire your firearm.**
- Do not install this sleeve on pistols where it will disable grip safeties or functions.