

RECOMMENDATION FOR BELAY DEVICES

The greatest and most serious risk of accidents when climbing indoors is falling to the ground.

Recently, some such accidents have occurred in Swiss climbing gyms.

The cause of a ground fall is usually due to a mistake made by the belayer.

Scientific studies show that a disproportionately large number of accidents occur when belaying with a tuber (e.g., ATC, Reverso, ...). Tubers have fewer safety reserves than modern belay devices such as assisted-braking devices (e.g., Grigri) or assisted tubers (e.g., Smart). Therefore, we strongly advise against the use of tubers and recommend that you get trained on an assisted-braking device or an assisted tuber.

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