

MSA Cairns® Fire Helmets Removable Chinstraps



All MSA Fire Helmets manufactured on or after January 2, 2020, will have the new Removable/Washable Chinstraps installed as a standard.

NEW MSA Cairns® Chinstraps

In 2018, MSA Cairns led the industry by offering removable and replaceable soft goods for all structural firefighting helmets. Beginning January 2, 2020, and to maintain alignment with cancer prevention directives recommended by the Firefighter Cancer Support Network (FCSN), MSA Cairns will offer removable, replaceable and washable chinstraps.



Model 660 shown with Chinstrap 10204157

Model N6A Boston Bend shown with Chinstrap 10207044

1044 w/Defender shown with Chinstrap 10204155

Removable/Washable Chinstrap Features

- **Removable/Washable**—The chinstraps are easily removed and replaced so they can be cleaned with other fire helmet soft goods.¹
- **Compliant**—The chinstraps are certified to NFPA 1971-2018 and NFPA 1951-2013 to work on MSA Cairns® Fire Helmets.
- **Shell Release System (SRS)**—The chinstraps maintain the benefit of the Shell Release System (SRS) on the helmets that offer this feature.²
- **Retrofit/Upgrade**—The new chinstraps are easily retrofittable to MSA Cairns Fire Helmets currently in service (manufactured on or before December 2019).³
- **Standard Offering**—The NEW Standard on ALL MSA Cairns Helmets manufactured after January 2, 2020.
- **Ease of Ordering**—With the implementation of the new chinstraps, ONLY chinstraps with Quick Release Buckle (QRB) and Postman's Slide (PS) will be offered.



Chinstrap replacement parts are shown below:

P/N	Chinstrap with QRB and Postman's slide	N5A and N6A	1010/1044	880	660C/664 (w/ Defender)	660C/664 (w/ non-Defender)	HP3	360S	360R/360R13
10204155	2 pt (20.5" long)	■	■	■	■			■	■
10207044	2 pt (28" long)	■	■	■	■			■	■
10204156	2 pt (20.5" long)						■		
10204157	2 pt (20.5" long)					■			
10204158	3 pt (20.5" long)								■
10204159	3 pt (20.5" long)						■		
10204160	4 pt (20.5" long)	■	■						

- PNs 10204155 and 10204157 will be stocked in the Pittsburgh warehouse and available on the program.
- **With the implementation of the new chinstraps, ONLY chinstraps with Quick Release Buckle (QRB) and Postman's Slide (PS) will be offered.**
- QRB only chinstraps have been eliminated from the line due to low volume.

¹ The new chinstraps were washed up to 52 times using the instructions provided in the operating manual to help ensure durability.

² SRS is offered on the 1010/44 and 660C/664 MSA Cairns Fire Helmets.

³ For 1010/44 fire helmets manufactured prior to November 2015, a 1010/1044 impact cap replacement upgrade kit will be required; these include the removable chinstrap.