



## Sportsways Statement of Policy

Sportsways recognizes the fact that instruction is absolutely necessary to safely enjoy the thrill of scuba diving. We recommend taking diving lessons through your local professional retail outlet. As the sport continues to expand and progress, we also suggest certified divers take regular refresher courses at their local diving center. Sportsways will arrange for a Free "up-date lesson" to all divers who request a Sportsways Refresher Certificate. It's worth your time to make your sport safe.

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THE WORLD'S MOST ADVANCED DIVING EQUIPMENT!

SPORTSWAYS



## Enjoy & Explore the Other 3/4's of Your Planet!

The other three-quarters of your planet is a rare and beautiful world. It's many things to many people, limited only by the reaches of their imagination.

To some it's a world of beauty and different sounds, not the silence some imagine. To others it's an arena of adventure and blood-stirring excitement. To still more, it's a relaxing playground where mask, fins and snorkel will give you hours of sheer, brilliant fun. It's something new, something now. It can be enjoyed by an entire family, or those singular individuals who have decided life owes them something special, and, with a diving buddy and advanced training, can go out and get it.



Nine ships were sunk during the Bikini Atoll A-Bomb test, among them the Japanese freighter, "Watje".

Sportsways has been a pioneer in this portion of your planet. It's been our job to design, develop and manufacture the equipment you need to let your imagination run wild in the undersea world of discovery. Sportsways has tried to do just that. We designed and developed the first single hose regulator, the first tank valve ever made specifically for scuba, and the world's first Sea-Vue underwater pressure gauge.

In addition, Sportsways has always been the "All-American Diving Line". That means that every bit of Sportsways Waterlung equipment is all American made of all American materials. The absolute top of the line in quality and care. It's the only "All-American Diving Line" in the world.

Now, Sportsways would like to be first again and offer all divers something extra.

We have always stressed safety and quality with our equipment and feel it's essential we do the same with our sport. It's no longer enough to encourage everyone who wishes to enter scuba's world of imagination to take lessons from a professional instructor. That should go without saying. It's, also, important to see to it experienced divers up-date their knowledge and proficiency at regular intervals.

New equipment, new techniques, new discoveries have made change a constant companion of scuba. To be considered an expert diver you should be aware of all the latest developments.

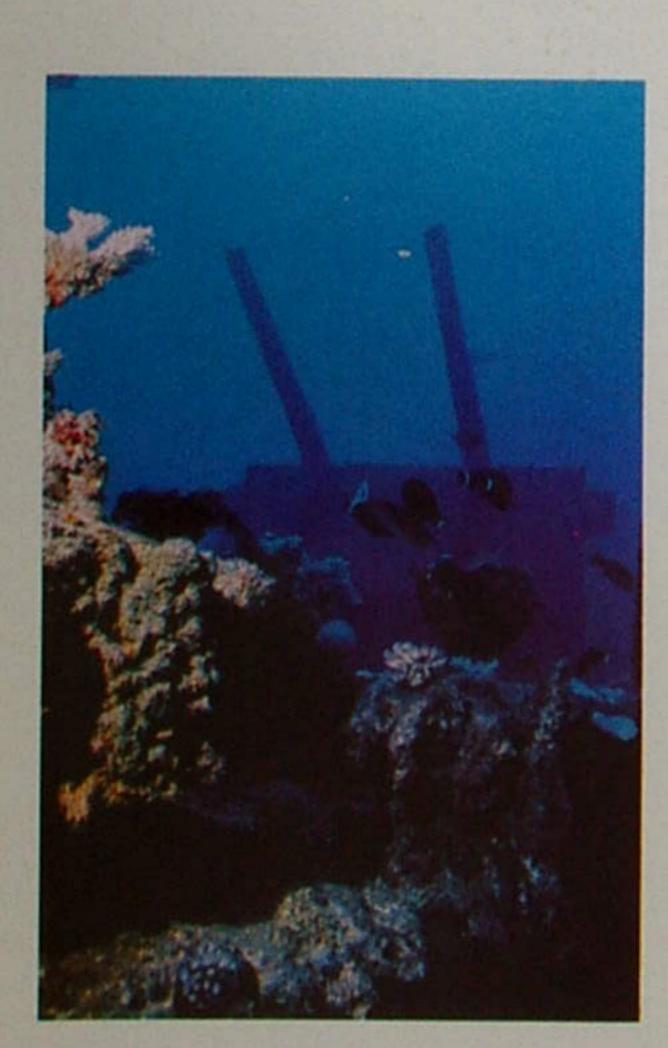


The huge prop of the "USS Arkansas" dwarfs a Waterlung diver. The ship rests where it fought, in the Pacific during World War II.

To assist all Sportsways divers in achieving this knowledge we offer a FREE refresher lesson to all divers who wish to participate. Simply send for the name and address of your nearest Sportsways Waterlung Dealer. We'll send you a Sportsways "Up-Date" Certificate and arrange for you to sit in on one of our dealer's certification classes. It's all compliments of Sportsways.

We feel the more you know about scuba and scuba equipment the safer you and your sport will be — and the more you'll specify Sportsways for all your personal underwater adventures.





Sportsways equipped expeditions have traveled to all parts of the globe on undersea adventure and exploration. These photos were taken from the new film, "Deadly Fathoms" . . . the Bikini Expedition. The ghostly guns of the "Saratoga" still point skyward from the bottom of the sea in silent testimony of our planet's entrance to the Atomic Age in July, 1946.

## **Snorkels**

Breathe Easy with Sportsways "Easy-Breathe" Snorkels.

Sportsways offers a variety of snorkel designs for all diving enthusiasts, each one all American made of the highest quality Pittman rubber.

Waterlung Snorkel, with non-collapsible mouthpiece Catalina Snorkel

Avalon Contour "Flex-O-Wrap"

**Competitor Snorkel** 

Dolphin Jr. Snorkel

Avalon "Clear-Ease" Snorkel

All Sportsways Snorkels feature "Sea-Top" Fluorescent Tips!

(packaged loose with snorkel).

Waterlung Snorkel, with non-collapsible mouthpiece.

The most efficient and comfortable snorkel ever designed for scuba divers. The flexible hose provides complete freedom when inserting or removing the mouthpiece, and then drops out of sight when not in use. The mouthpiece features all contoured edges for maximum comfort. Available in International Orange or Jet Black.

#1620 (orange) . . . \$3.30 #1621 (black) . . . \$3.30

Catalina Snorkel

Designed for professional use, this snorkel is constructed of top-quality, jet black rubber and comes equipped with a bellows-type mouthpiece.

#1623 . . . \$2.65

Avalon Contour "Flex-O-Wrap"

The choice of professionals, a longer big barrel snorkel for easy breathing and made of flex-hard Pittman quality rubber. The secret to effortless breathing is in the larger tube diameter and extra length of the "Flex-O-Wrap". All edges are contoured to eliminate drag and provide complete wearing comfort. It's the easy-breathing snorkel of the future, here today!

#1619 . . . \$5.00

Competitor Snorkel

The only snorkel constructed entirely of neoprene. The Sportsways Competitor is designed to provide a maximum volume of air under all diving conditions. The one piece, molded elbow allows for quick, easy clearing.

#1614 . . . \$3.30

Dolphin Jr. Snorkel

The perfect snorkel for junior divers just entering the exciting world of skin diving, and for female scuba diving fans. It features a soft, contoured mouthpiece and all rubber, one-piece tube.

#1900 . . . \$1.85

Avalon "Clear-Ease" Snorkel

Made of the highest quality Pittman rubber, the "Clear-Ease" offers the popular Sportsways "Comfort-Fit" mouthpiece. Special construction allows for effortless breathing and easy clearing.

#1622 . . . \$3.30







Sportsways offers a complete line of mask designs to suit everyone interested in the fascinating world of undersea adventure. Each model features specially compounded Pittman rubber construction for durability, pro-style head straps and stainless steel mask bands. Remember, every Sportsways mask features a tempered safety lens. Never fail to check this important safety factor before diving with any mask.

### **Waterlung Mask**

A Sportsways "Close-to-the-face" design increases underwater vision and provides maximum displacement. It has a non-return exhaust valve for instant clearing and foam neoprene edge.

#1626 . . . \$17.50

### Scene-O-Rama Mask

A custom-design 180° professional mask. It's easy clearing and provides an exceptionally wide viewing area.

#1654 (with purge) . . . \$21.00 #1655 (without purge) . . . \$18.50

## Avalon Mask

The pro-style head strap is attached to anodized mask bands, eliminating pulling stress on the rubber mask body. This mask features an extra large purge.

#1656 (with purge) . . . \$11.30 #1657 (without purge) . . . \$ 9.30

### Equalizer Mask

An exclusive Sportsways design, featuring a slanted lens and easy-to-reach finger pockets for quick pressure relief, without breaking the seal. Ideal for extended dives.

#1628 (with purge) . . . \$9.25 #1652 (blue, without purge) . . . \$7.50 #1653 (black, without purge) . . . \$7.50

#### Sportsways Junior Mask

New for the youngsters. Professional styling and quality for those juniors just entering the undersea fraternity.

#1658 (blue) . . . \$5.40 #1659 (black) . . . \$5.40

#### Vista-Vue Mask

A slanted lens design provides an improved viewing area and the short top skirt aids in sealing during ascents.

#1650 (blue) . . . \$6.90 #1651 (black) . . . \$6.90







Waterlung Floating Jet Black Fins

| #1512. | Regular, Size 4-5       | \$11.00 |
|--------|-------------------------|---------|
| #1513. | Regular, Size 51/2-61/2 | \$12.50 |
| #1514. | Regular, Size 7-8       | \$13.50 |
| #1515. | Regular, Size 81/2—91/2 | \$14.00 |
| #1516. | Regular, Size 10-11     | \$15.50 |
| #1517. | Giant, Size 111/2-13    | \$17.00 |
| #1518. | Giant, Size 131/2-16    | \$20.00 |

#### **Waterlung Floating Blue Fins**

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|---------|----------------------------------|---------|
| #1522 . | Regular, Size 4-5                | \$11.00 |
| #1523 . | Regular, Size 51/2—61/2          | \$12.50 |
| #1524 . | Regular, Size 7-8                | \$13.50 |
| #1525.  | Regular, Size 8½—9½              | \$14.00 |
| #1526 . | Regular, Size 10-11              | \$15.50 |
| #1527 . | Giant, Size 111/2-13             | \$17.00 |

## For Juniors...

## Waterlung "Dolphin," Floating Blue Fins

#1930...Size 2-3...\$9.40 #1931...Size 3-4...\$9.40 #1932...Size 4-5...\$9.40



Here's the tough one, a fin designed for that "special" breed of diver.

Sportsways modern design makes this fin truly different. The extended ribs of the "707", both top and bottom, provide an extra stiffening agent and combine with the specially contoured, extra-deep flow-through vents to create an unheard of explosion of power with a minimum of effort.

The superior qualities of the "707's" special Pittman Rubber compound were gained by a blend of natural rubber, Goodyear #400 NATSYN, synthetic rubber, Marbon Chemical's styrene resin and Uniroyal's "Sunproof." The properties of these ingredients combine to deliver the material necessary for the creation of a truly professional diving fin.

A patented locking device assures a precise fit that adjusts to every foot and every diving condition. Wearing boots or not, the same fin fits snugly and comfortably.

#707 . . . \$22.00 #707M (medium) . . . \$22.00





### SPORTSWAYS CARRY-ALL DIVING BAGS #721-2AM, "All-American"

| #721-2   | Carry-All             | \$24.00 |
|----------|-----------------------|---------|
|          | (plain red and white) | \$19.75 |
| SPO      | RTSWAYS DIVERS JACKET | rs      |
| #723A-1  | Skin Diver Jacket     |         |
|          | (small)               | \$15.95 |
| #723A-2  | Skin Diver Jacket     |         |
|          | (medium)              | \$15.95 |
| #723A-3  | Skin Diver Jacket     |         |
| 4700 A A | (large)               | \$15.95 |
| #723A-4  | Skin Diver Jacket     | 615.05  |
| #723A-5  | (X-large)             | \$15.95 |
| #1204-0  | (X-small)             | \$15.05 |
|          | (A dillall)           | \$10.00 |

| 3/16" Nylon Lined Turtle Skin  |     |
|--|-----|
| #5031 Suit, Small \$86.00  | 0   |
| #5032 Suit, Medium \$86.00   |     |
| #5033 Suit, Large \$86.00  |     |
| #5034 \$uit, X-Large \$86.00   |     |
| 1/4" Nylon-Lined Turtle Skin   |     |
| #5041 \$uit, Small \$95.00   | 0   |
| #5042 Suit, Medium \$95.00   | 5   |
| #5043 \$uit, Large \$95.00   | 5   |
| #5044 Suit, X-Large \$95.00  | Ó   |
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| HOODS  |     |
| 3/16" Nylon-Lined Turtle Skin  |     |
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| #5051-5 Small \$ 9.50  | 0   |
| #5031-3 Small  |     |
| #5032-3 Medium \$ 9.50<br>#5033-3 Large \$ 9.50                            | 0   |
| #5032-3 Medium \$ 9.50<br>#5033-3 Large \$ 9.50                            | 0   |
| #5032-3 Medium \$ 9.50<br>#5033-3 Large \$ 9.50<br>#5034-3 X-Large \$ 9.50 | 0   |
| #5032-3 Medium \$ 9.50<br>#5033-3 Large \$ 9.50                            | 000 |

#5043-3 ... Large ..... \$10.00

#5044-3 ... X-Large ...... \$10.00

**EXPOSURE SUITS** 

| BOOTS                                     |
|---|
| 3/16" Nylon-Lined Turtle Skin, Hard Soled |
| #5031-4 Small (7-8) \$10.30               |
| #5032-4 Medium (8-9) \$10.30              |
| #5033-4 Medium Large (9-10) \$10.30       |
| #5034-4 Large (10-11) \$10.30             |
| #5035-4 X-Large (11-13) \$10.30           |
| #5036-4 Super X-Large (13-15) \$10.30     |
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| GLOVES                                    |
| 3/16" Nylon-Lined Turtle Skin,            |



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Spertsways Cam-Pac II, with Non-Slip Screw Adjustment

Here's the original standard of "cam-activated" back packs, safety designed and ultra-comfortable. The exclusive Sportsways cam-action release permits tank mounting or removal to be accomplished in seconds. It features a stainless-steel tank band and contoured, vinyl-coated, all metal back plate. One simple screw adjustment tightens the band for non-slip tank placement. The harness is brilllant Sportsways International Orange nylon webbing for maximum strength, combined with extremely quick drying action.

#1207 . . . \$38.50

### Contour-Pac

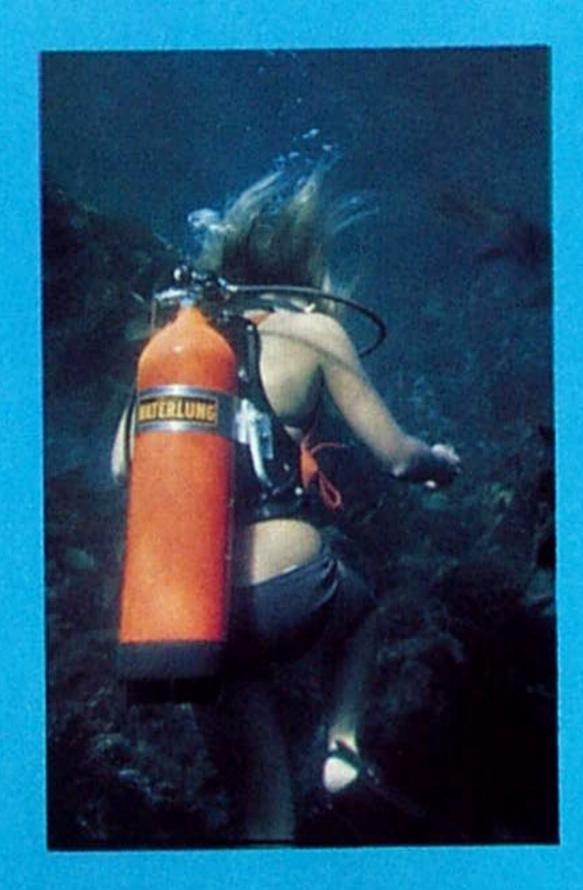
This Sportsways pack features all the comfort, durability and high quality of the Cam-Pac II, but comes without the "cam-action release". The metal tank band adjusts with a single galvanized bolt to insure easy positioning and non-slip tightness. The colorful International Orange harness is sturdy, quick-drying nylon.

#1205 . . . \$25.50 #1206 (for double tank



New Vinyl Coating
Quick-Change
Comfort-Plus
Non-Slip

Easy Action Cam-Pacs
. . . Another
Sportsways Original!



### Econo-Pac

The economy minded diver needn't scrimp on quality when choosing a back pack. The Sportsways Econo-Pac is safety engineered and features durable, yet light-weight Cycolac construction. It comes equipped with a non-slip, black nylon harness and stainless steel quick-release buckle. It is, also, available with Sportsways new "cam-action release".

#1208 (with cam-action) . . . \$26.50 #1209 (without cam-action) . . . \$17.95 #1210 (for double tank assembly) . . . \$22.95

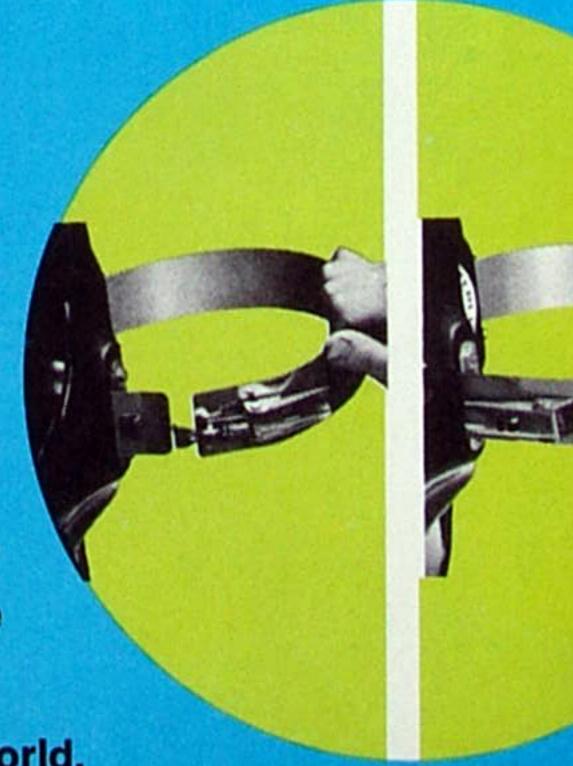
### Sportsways Cam-Action '73!

Here's Sportsways locking mechanism in action. The diver merely slides the hook sleeve forward to match the interlocking stationary post, then pulls back the stainless steel clamp to a locked position and the tank is completely secured. There is no possibility of accidental release or possible entanglement and it can be operated easily even wearing diving gloves.





from the absolute top of the line in the scuba diving world.



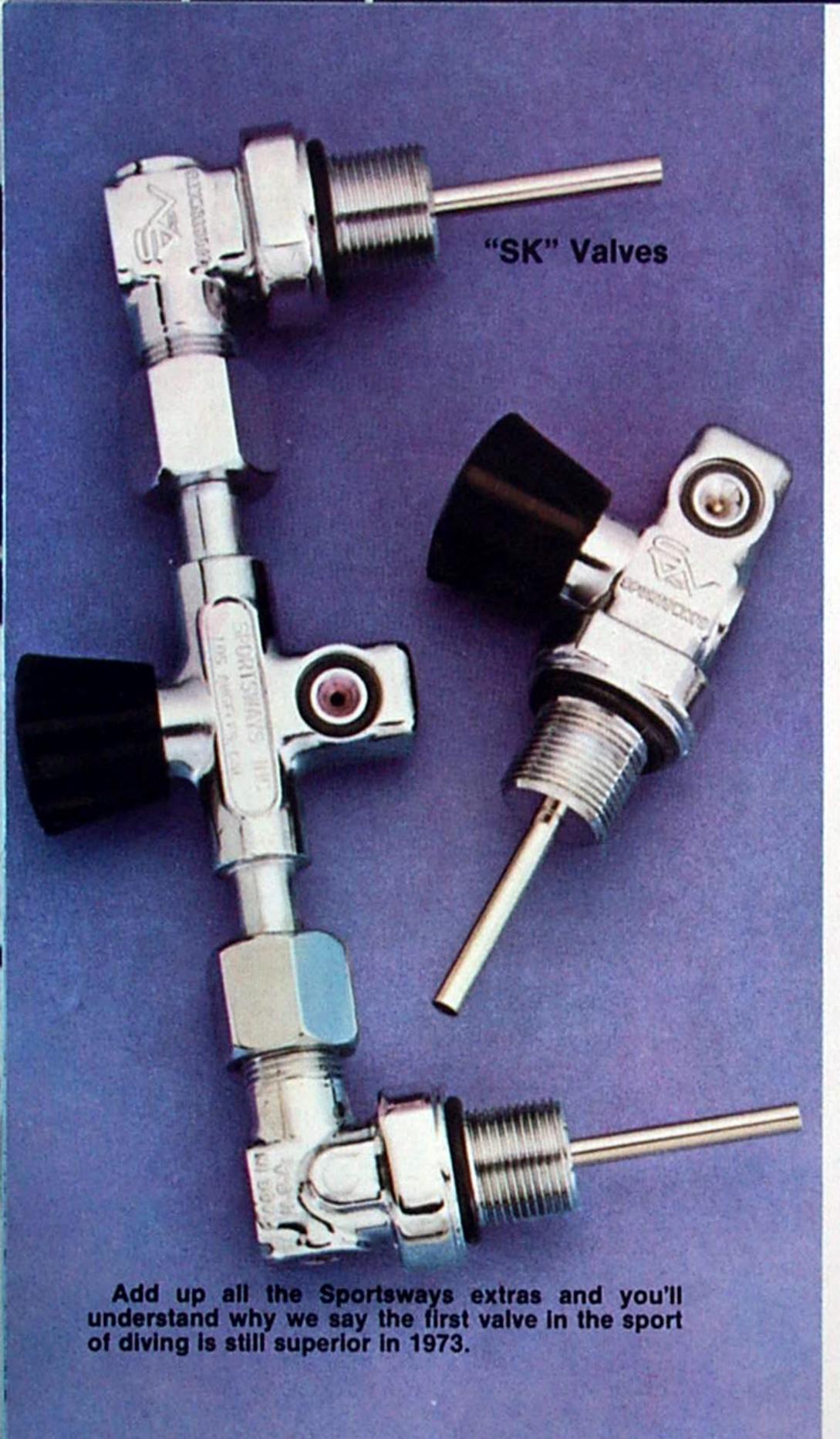


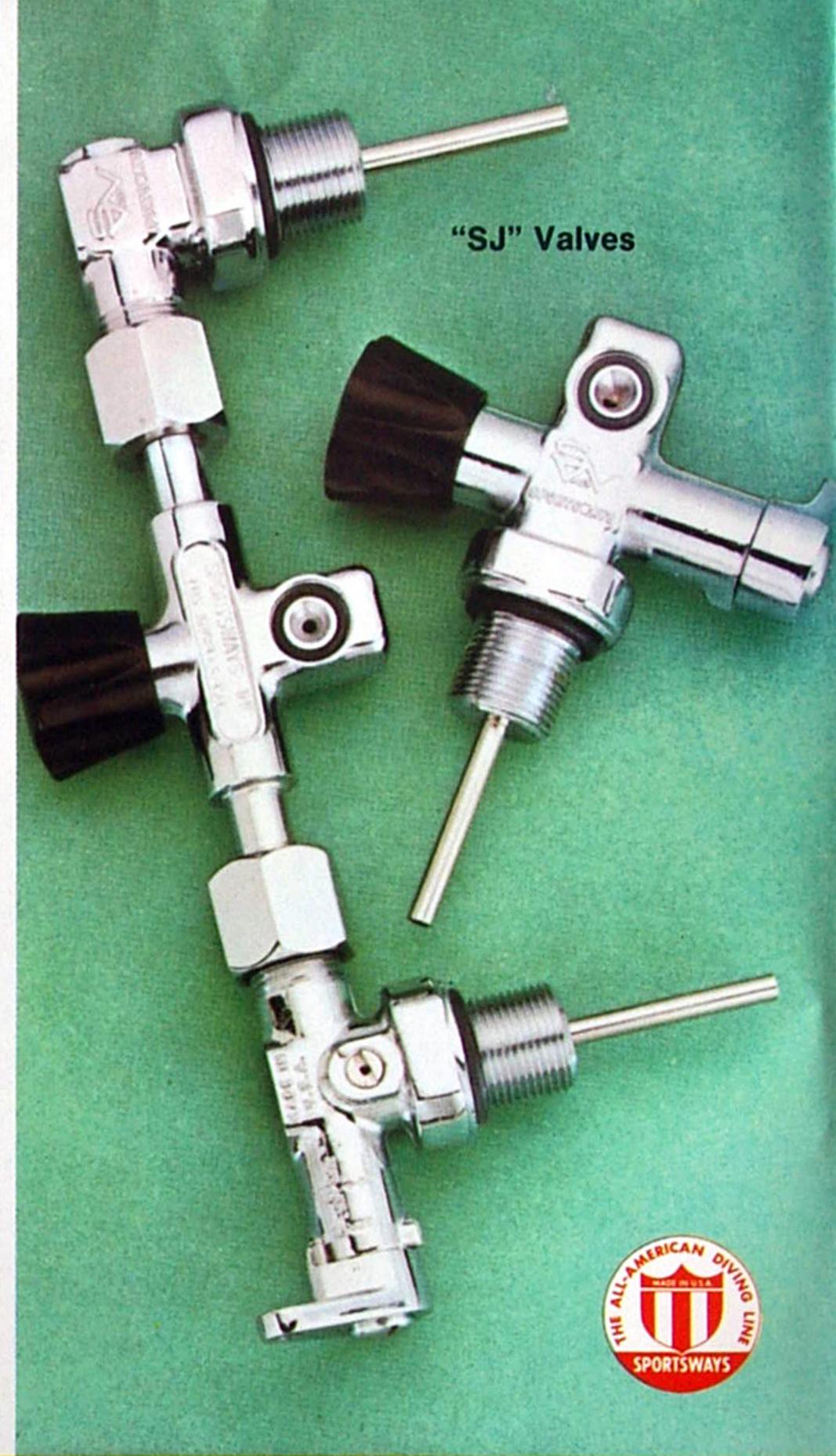


| SK Tank Assembly                          |              | SJ Tank Assembly                     |          |                 | Tanks Bare                                   |                |  |  |
|---|--------------|--------------------------------------|----------|-----------------|--|----------------|--|--|
| 702-1 SK Valve w/Galv. Tank,<br>Assembled | 702-4        | SJ Valve w/Galv. Tank,<br>Assembled  | \$110.00 | 701-1<br>701-2  | Bare Tank, Galv.                             | \$ 80.00       |  |  |
| 702-2 SK Valve w/Yellow Tank,             | 702-5        | SJ Valve w/Yellow                    |          | 701-3           | Bare Tank, Yellow<br>Bare Tank, Orange       | 94.00<br>94.00 |  |  |
| 702-3 SK Valve w/Orange Tank,             | 108.00 702-6 |                                      | 114.00   | 701-4           | Bare Tank, Black                             | 94.00          |  |  |
| 702-13 SK Valve w/Black Tank,             | 108.00 702-1 | Tank, Assembled 4 SJ Valve w/Black   | 114.00   |                 | Accessories                                  |                |  |  |
| 708-1 SK2 Valve w/Double                  | 108.00 708-7 | Tank Assembled<br>SJ2 Valve w/Double | 114.00   | 1117<br>1204-22 | Pull Rod "SJ" Valve                          | 1.20           |  |  |
| Galv. Tanks and #1210                     |              | Galv. Tanks and #1210                |          | 801-1           | "O" Ring, Valve to Tank,                     | 1.40           |  |  |
| Double Contour Pack                       | \$223.00     | Double Contour Pack                  | 253.00   | 801-2           | 15/16" Opening<br>"O" Ring, Regulator to     | .35            |  |  |
|   |              |                                      |          | 1050            | Valve, 15/16" Opening<br>Non-Scuff Tank Boot | .35<br>2.95    |  |  |









## Sportsways Valves feature a straight pipe thread for 15/16" tank openings.

Sportsways developed the first valve specifically designed for the rigid and specialized demands of diving. Today, they are still the finest available.

There's no doubt a Sportsways valve will cost you a little more, we won't compromise quality for price. However, every second you're under the adventuresome sea, you'll agree it was the best extrainvestment you ever made.

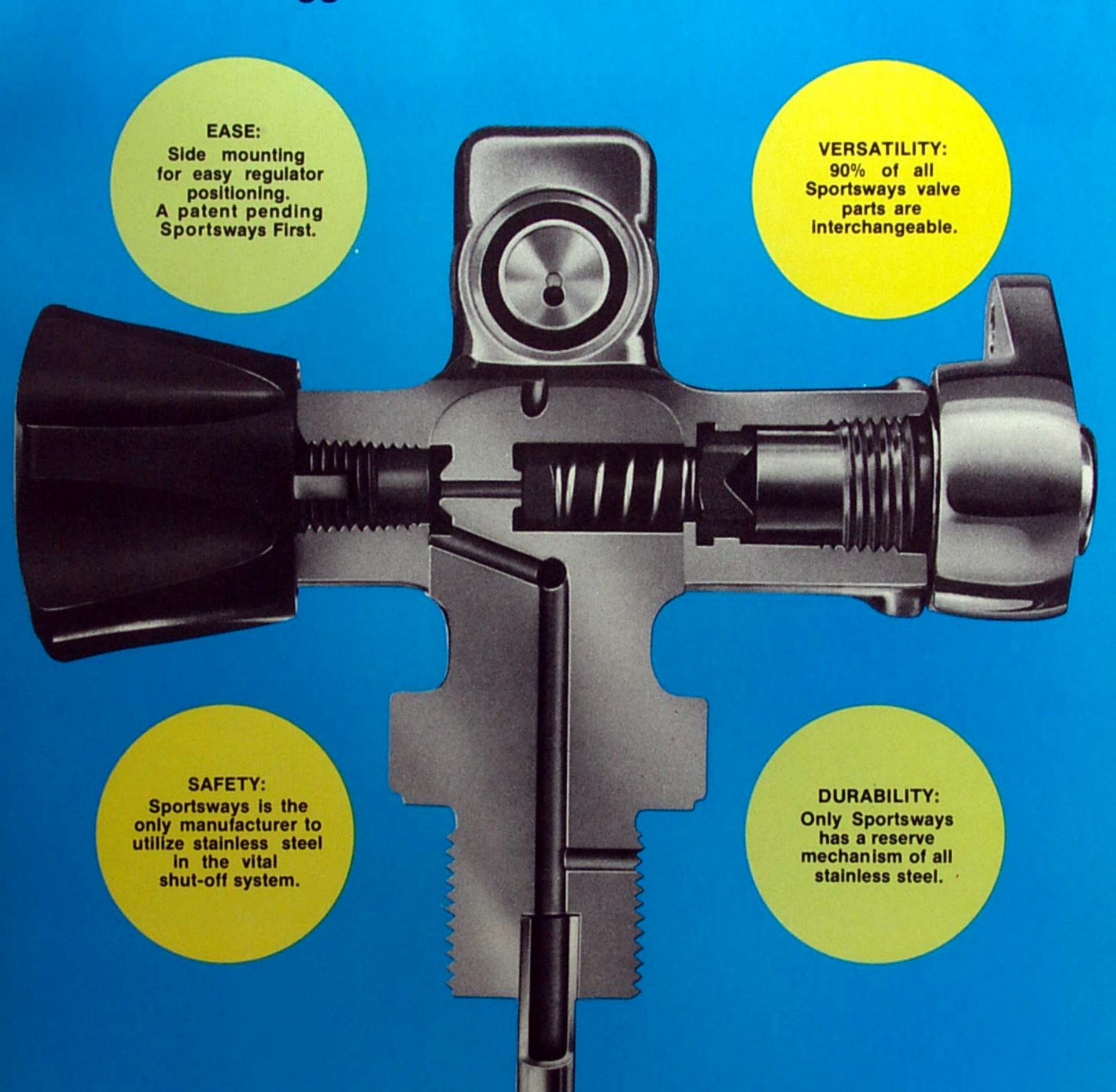
Why? For openers, only Sportsways utilizes a reserve mechanism of all stainless steel and is, also, the only manufacturer to utilize stainless steel construction in the critical shut-off system. Ask any professional just how essential these two points are in the manufacture of a safety-first, top-quality valve.

Another Sportsways first is the patent-pending side mounting design of all single tank valves to insure absolute ease in regulator positioning. As an extra engineering bonus, 90% of all Sportsways valve parts are interchangeable and, of course, all American made.

| "SK" Shut-Off Valve<br>#704                        | \$24.00 |
|--|---------|
| "SK2" Double Tank Manifold<br>#704B                | \$60.00 |
| "SJ" Constant Reserve Valve #704A                  | \$46.80 |
| "SJ2" Double Tank Manifold #704C                   | \$80.00 |
| Special Order Valves for 1973                      |         |
| Sportsways Valves for 1/2" Tank Opening.           |         |
| "SJ" Valve, Pipe Thread<br>#704L                   | \$50.00 |
| "SJ" Valve, Straight Thread, "O" ring sealed #704M |         |

## **Diving Valves**

# Sportsways "SJ" Constant Reserve Valve — The Biggest Valve in the Undersea World!



All Sportsways Valves & Regulators have been designed to withstand 3500 p.s.i.



### Sportsways Depth Meter

An extremely accurate, expertly engineered depth meter for the professional and sport diver.

The exclusive Sportsways construction eliminates corrosion problems, provides lightweight wearing comfort and is very easy to read. It has no moving parts to break down.

#1412 . . . \$6.00

Depth Meter Adapter

Here's a Sportsways special. A depth meter designed into a Sea-Vue Gauge bezel. If you already own a Sea-Vue and wish to convert it into a combination pressure and depth meter, this adapter does the job. It fits all existing Sea-Vue models. #1401MA . . . \$9.30





### Sea-Vue Gauge Covers

Why risk accidental damage to your valuable Sea-Vue Gauge in transport or while diving in those rocky undersea areas? Two durable, shock absorbent covers are available.

#1401-18 (Sea-Vue gauge cover) . . . \$2.00

#1401-18M (Sea-Vue gauge, with

depth meter cover) . . . \$2.00





### New for 1973! A Sportsways Waterlung Oil-Filled Depth Gauge!

Here's one for the professional, working diver. It offers accurate depth readings to 250 feet due to its completely sealed, oil-filled interior construction. It features an easy-to-read dial, non-slip strap and buckle, and an environmental-proof stainless steel housing.

Top-flight accuracy matched with top-quality All-American construction.

#1442 . . . \$32.00

| Sportsways Depth Gauge<br>#1411  | . \$13.70 |
|--|-----------|
| Sportsways Pressure Gauge<br>#748  | \$21.00   |
| Sportsways Depth Meter<br>#1412  | . \$6.00  |
| Sportsways Depth Meter Adapter #1401MA   |           |
| Sea-Vue Gauge Covers   |           |
| #1401-18 (Sea-Vue Gauge cover)<br>#1401-18M (Sea-Vue Gauge, with<br>Depth Meter cover) |           |
| Sportsways Oil-Filled Depth Gauge<br>#1442   |           |





# The Original Sea-Vue Gauge!

The Sportsways Sea-Vue Gauge began as a diving safety accessory. Now, it's as much an integral part of everyday diving equipment as a tank or regulator. More and more diving instructors and retail outlets are making the Sea-Vue Gauge a mandatory piece of equipment for newly graduated divers.

And remember, the Sea-Vue Gauge is all Sportsways. We coined the word, developed the concept and produced the world's finest underwater pressure gauge. It accurately indicates your remaining air supply at all times, allowing



you to plan your dive minute to minute, simply and safely.

Sportsways then added a new refinement, a built-in, extremely accurate Depth Meter surrounding the Sea-Vue Gauge dial to make for the perfect diving combination. In 1972 a new swivel connection has been incorporated to allow even easier underwater readouts.

Pat. #3,528,290 #1401-M \$41.00

#1401-M ... \$41.00 #1401-MS (with swivel) ... \$43.00



Sea-Vue Gauge, without Depth Meter

#1401 . . . \$35.50 #1401-S (with swivel) . . . \$36.90







## Sportsways Waterlung, Regulators

. . There are good reasons you should be a Sportsways Waterlung Diver!



Here is the 1973 line of Sportsways Waterlung Regulators, the heart of the sport of scuba. There are six models available, a style and type to satisfy any diver's preference. Any one of these top-quality, All American made regulators will assure you of diving with the finest underwater breathing apparatus available anywhere in the undersea world.

Thorough underwater atmospheric testing, under every conceivable condition, has resulted in the superbly engineered, top-quality diving hardware that carries the name, Sportsways Waterlung.

Sportsways designed and developed the first single hose, two stage regulator in scuba. It was a tremendous breakthrough for the sport diver. Over 20 years of continuing research and testing have led to the underwater breathing apparatus we currently feature.

Every Sportsways regulator offers: (1) Internal parts of all stainless steel. (2) All triple-chrome plated parts, inside and out. (3) All moving parts coated with the special antifriction agent, "Dry-Lube". (4) A light, fatigue-reducing Second Stage design.

The "Balanced" First Stage of all Sportsways regulators allows the secondary air pressure (which you breathe) to remain constant, regardless of the air pressure remain-

ing in your diving cylinder. It reduces the effort you must expend to receive an adequate air supply.

All Sportsways Second Stages are "Downstream". Quite simply, this means the air supply on the ambient side of your regulator's metering device is always closed until you breathe, or "demand", a supply of air. Regulators using opposing principles require a constant pressure from your diving cylinder to accomplish this function and may waste your air supply, costing you valuable bottom time.

Sportsways manufactures their "All-American" regulators with a low cost maintenance factor in mind. We know you want a regulator to work at maximum efficiency with a minimum of upkeep, regardless of the number or type of dives you make. A combination of top grade materials, sound basic construction and stringent quality control allows us to offer you regulators featuring the best maintenance records in the scuba diving world.

In short, every Sportsways Waterlung regulator has been designed for safety, precision, durability and comfort. We ask that you contact your local professional diving outlet for a complete and thorough inspection of our regulators. They represent one of your most important equipment purchases.





## Waterlung "W-300J"

Top photograph

The new Sportsways Second Stage is matched with a Balanced First Stage featuring a positive cam-activated, spring-loaded reserve mechanism as an integral part of its body. This mechanism is the only one of its type to utilize all stainless steel in its internal construction.

All moving parts are treated with Sportsways "Dry-Lube" to reduce wear to an absolute minimum.

The "W-300J" Second Stage also comes equipped with the comfortable, new silicone mouthpiece and effortless-exhalation 11/4" exhaust valve.

It's an outstanding "Easy-Breathe", professional regulator.

#W-300J . . . \$114.00

Pat. #3,147,761 Pat. #195,070

## Waterlung "W-400"

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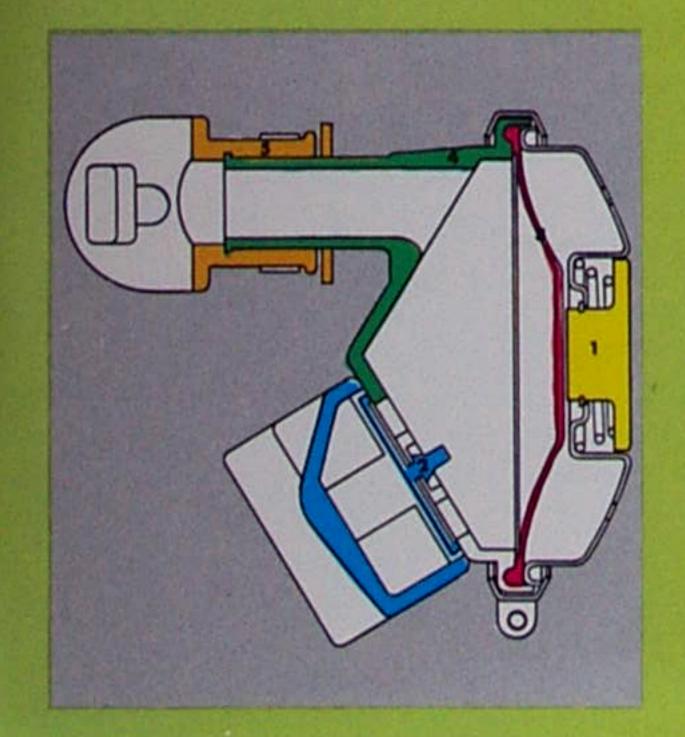
The "W-400" joins the Sportsways line of "All-American" regulators with a new, ultra-light Waterlung Second Stage of double-tough Lexan construction. This combines with a balanced, totally adjustable diaphragm-type First Stage which allows for effortless breathing, regardless of depth or cylinder air pressure.

High-quality materials and a simplicity of construction have been stressed to reduce the maintenance factor to an absolute minimum. The lightness of the Second Stage eliminates any irritating, fatiguing downward pull and the big 1¼" exhaust valve assures easy exhalation. A non-chafing, soft-bite mouthpiece completes the all-around comfort design.

It's a top-quality regulator at an economy price. #W-400 . . . \$85.00







## Waterlung "W-200"

This series of Waterlung regulators brings all the latest developments in scuba engineering to the sport diver of 1973. They offer new standards in easy-breathing, effortless exhaling, light-

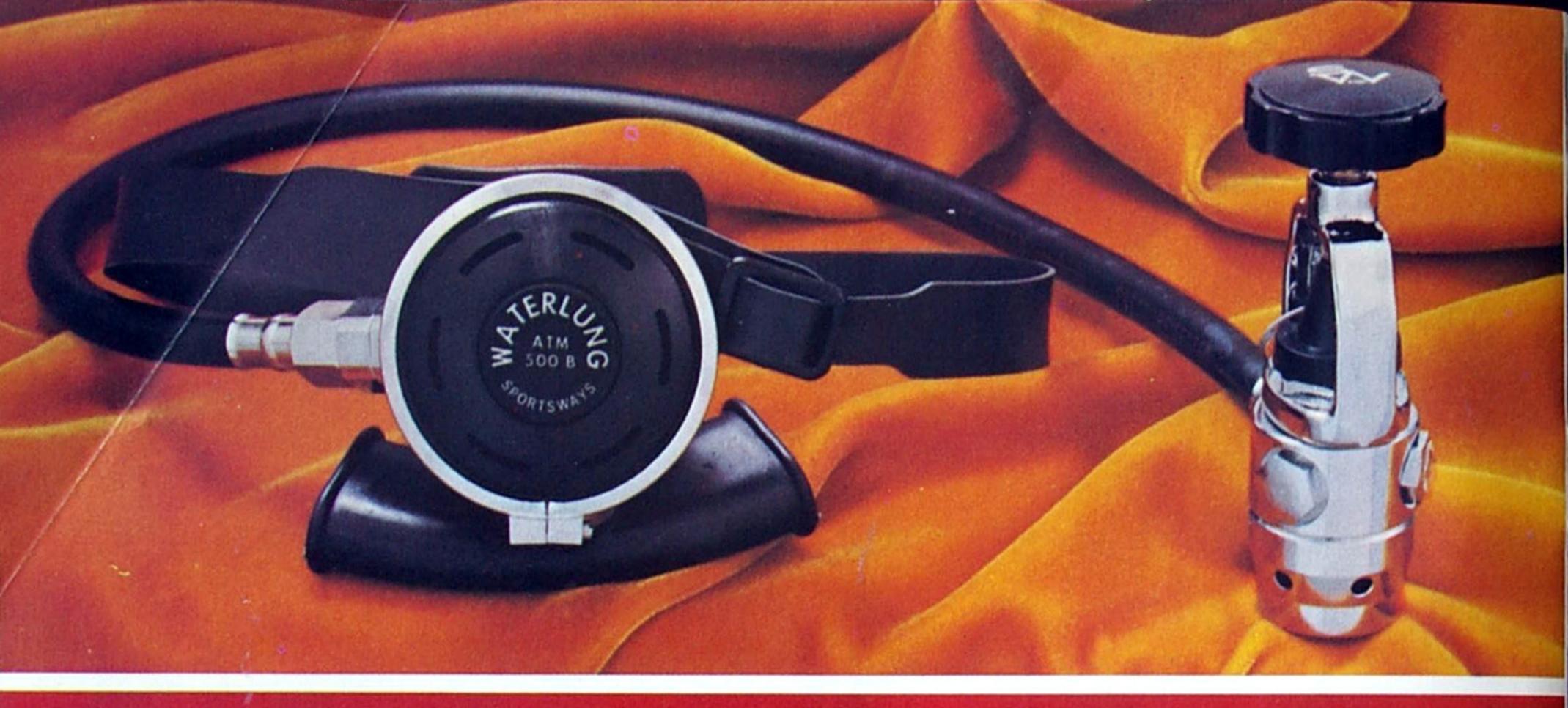
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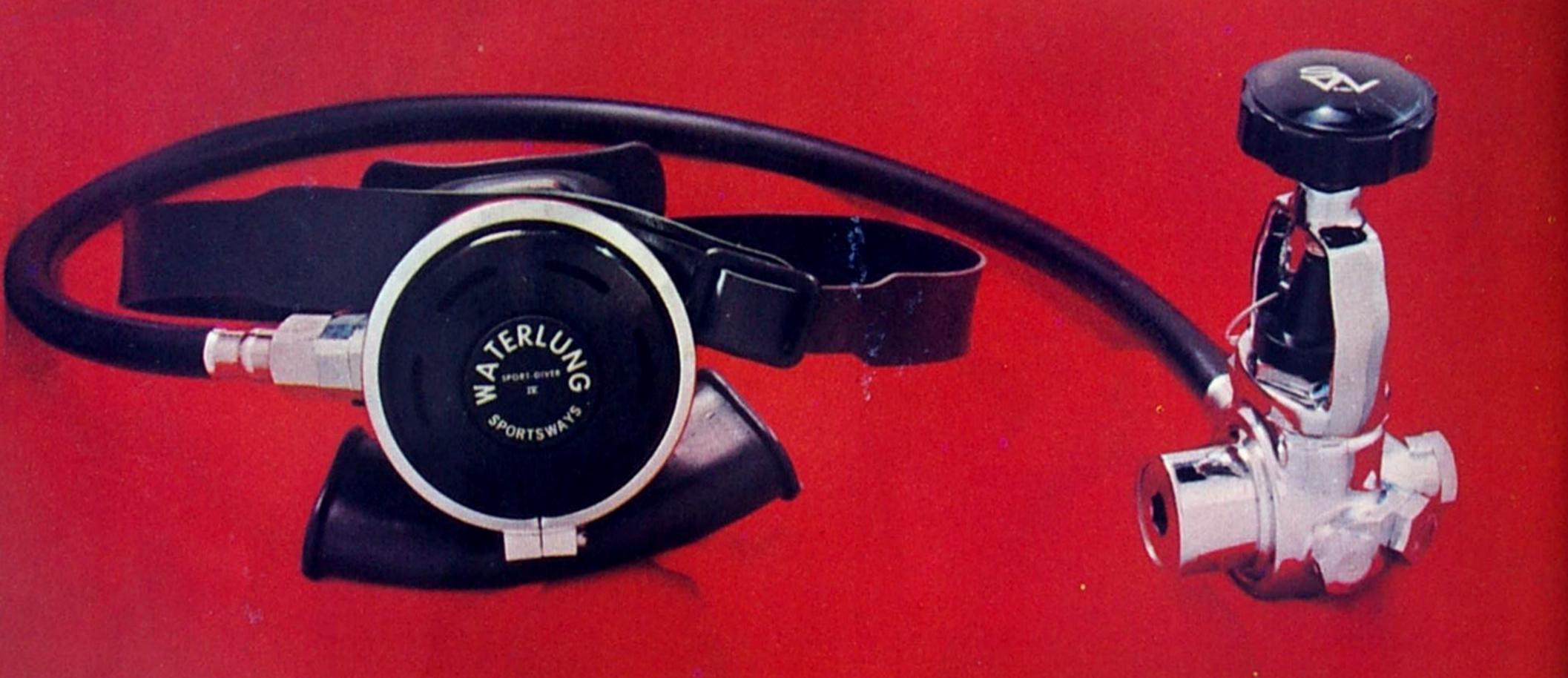
All three regulators (W-200, W-300J & W-400) feature a new "Lighter-than-air" Lexan Second Stage. Just a few of its features are: (1) An extra large purge valve, built flush to the housing, for remarkably easy clearing. (2) A super large exhalation port (1¼") that far exceeds U.S. Navy requirements. (3) A environmental-proof diaphragm for exceptional long life. (4) A newly-refined Lexan housing that is far superior to Brass. It's totally corrosion proof

and the ultimate in high-impact resistant space age materials. It's so tough it's used in automobile construction. It's so featherweight it weighs in at a low, low 10 oz. (5) A reusable, all-metal mouthpiece clamp. (6) A super durable, super comfortable silicone mouthpiece.

The first stage of the "W-200" features an all-new 1973 design. It's a balanced piston assembly constructed entirely of top-quality stainless steel, but this year features two extra pressure ports. One for a Sea-Vue Gauge and one for an auxiliary Second Stage. The "W-200" is now equipped for conversion to a Sportsways Octopus unit. See it at your Sportsways dealer today.

#W-200 . . . \$105.00





## Waterlung "ATM-500".

Top photograph

The "ATM-500" features a pre-set "piston type" First Stage assembly that offers the utmost in undersea reliability, while remaining extremely simple in operation. It gives you the maximum in quality regulator design, plus the added benefits of a low, low maintenance factor.

The Downstream Second Stage is of high-grade stainless steel and delivers the ultimate in comfort and easy exhalation. The Sportsways "Easy Breathe" concept simply refuses to let a diver exert unnecessary effort when using a Waterlung regulator.

This outstanding performer has become known throughout the diving fraternity as an easy-breathing professional regulator by any and all standards. Still, the price tag remains low.

#1390 . . . \$65.00

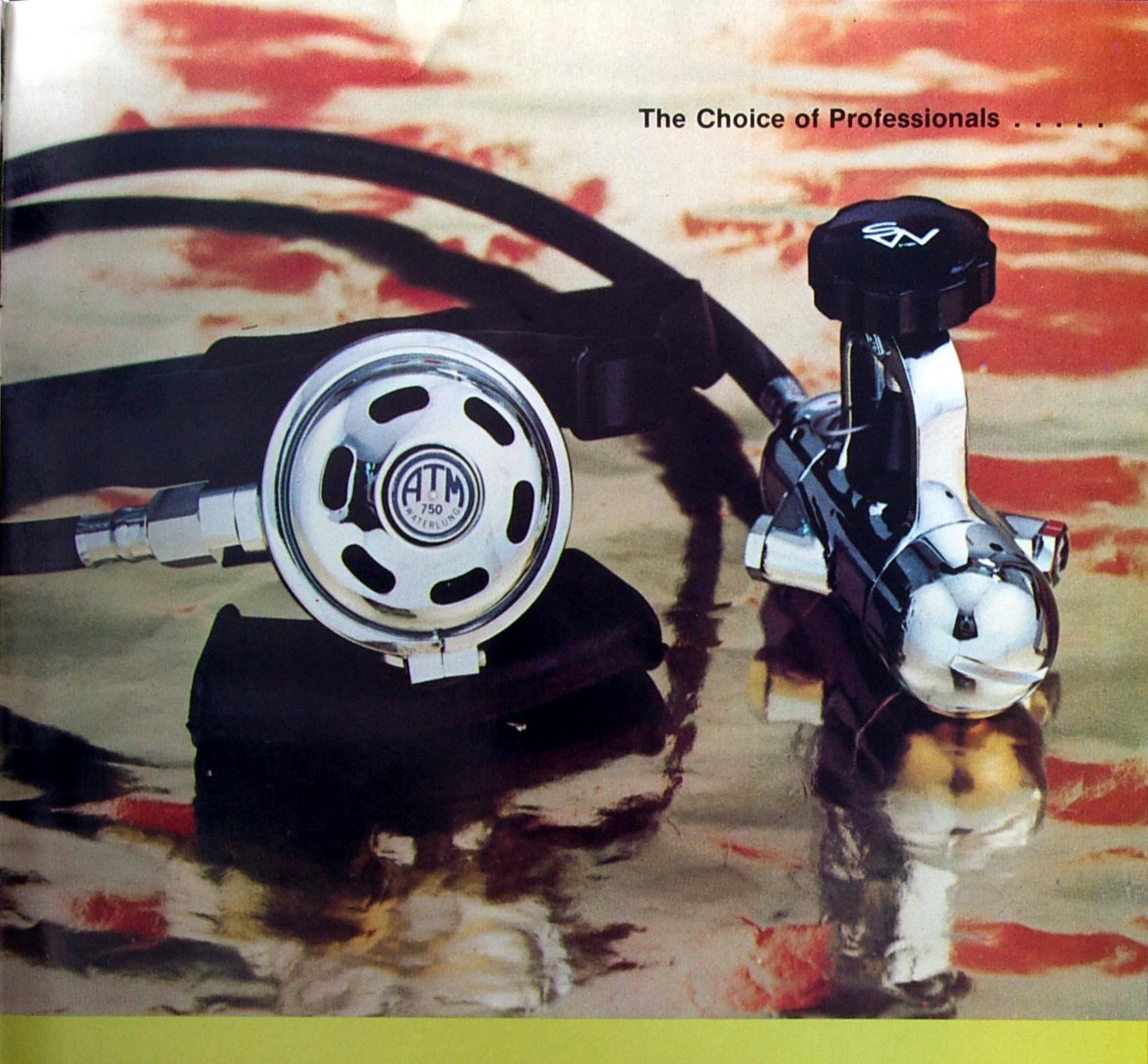
## Waterlung "Sport Diver IV"

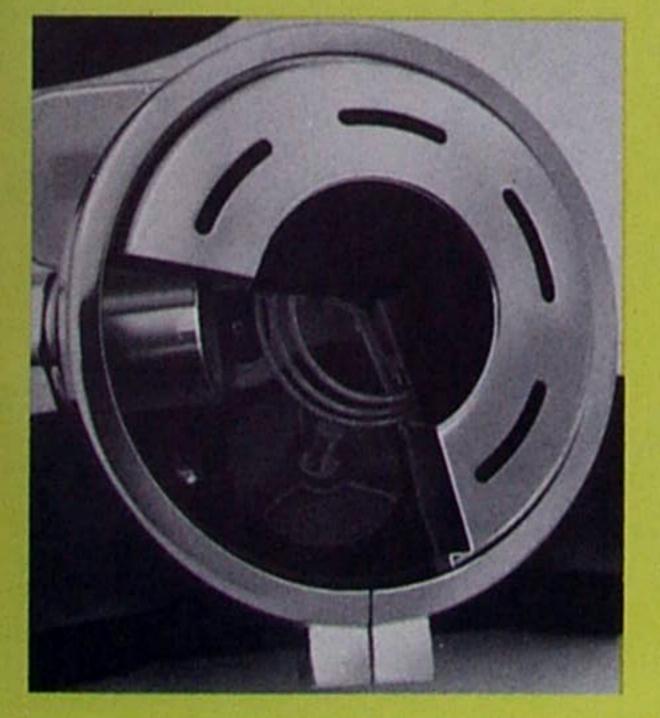
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This is probably the world's most popular scuba diving regulator. First designed and manufactured by Sportsways in 1958, it has been constantly upgraded and refined into the outstanding precision instrument that is the "Sport Diver IV" of today.

The "All-American" quality of this unit features a solid brass forging and chrome plating, inside and out. It has a light weight Balanced First Stage and spring-loaded Downstream Second Stage, that delivers 22 cu. ft. of air with a minimum of diver effort. The "Easy Breathe" valve assembly has meant smooth underwater breathing for over a decade and made the "Sport Diver IV" the best selling single hose regulator on the market today.

#1301 . . . \$70.00





## Waterlung "ATM-750".

Another major Sportsways Waterlung design. The "ATM-750" offered the world's first balanced, piston-adjustable First Stage assembly. This concept means you are always guaranteed a maximum flow of air with a minimum of breathing effort at all depths, regardless of tank pressure.

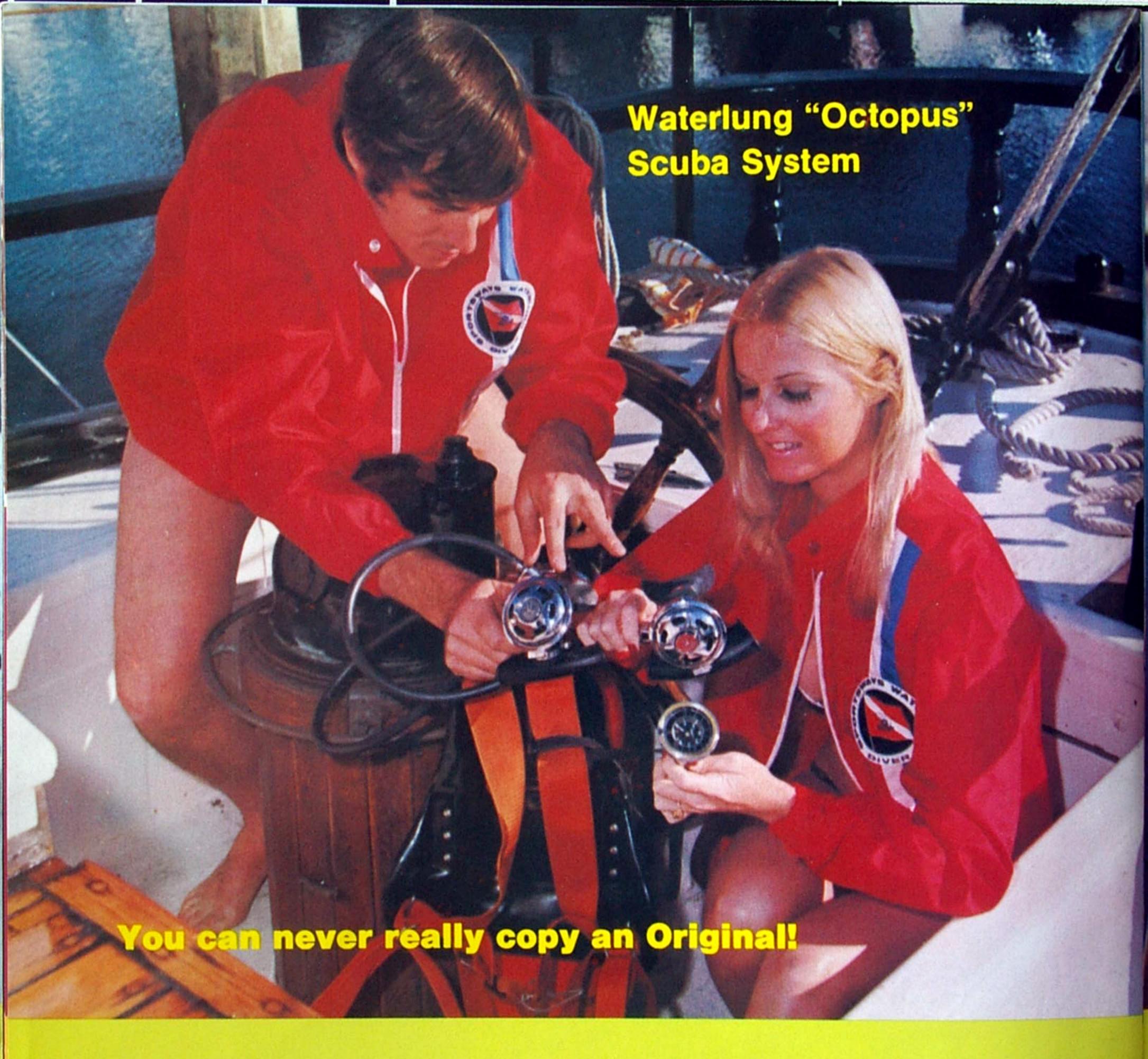
The unique First Stage features two extra, built-in pressure ports to attach a Sea-Vue Gauge and spare Second Stage, turning the "ATM-750" into the original Sportsways Octopus Scuba System.

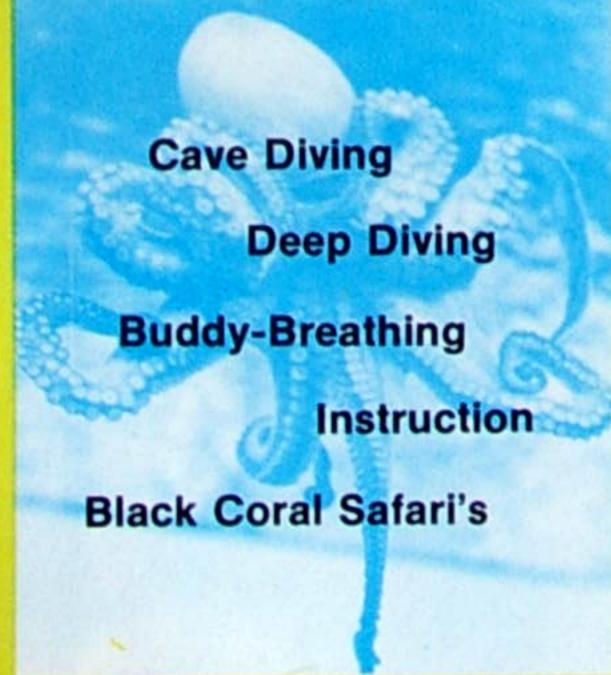
The very light and comfortable Second Stage combines with its piston First Stage to deliver the lowest possible upkeep factor, an important consideration when choosing any regulator.

All metal parts are stainless steel for highest strength. The "ATM-750" is triple chrome plated, inside and out, and all moving parts are coated with antifriction, "Dry-Lube".

It's a modern, design-breakthrough regulator made to take it all and still function at peak efficiency. The "ATM-750" is the choice of professionals, try it and you'll discover why.

#1385 . . . \$120.00





## . . . a Sportsways scuba concept for the professional diver!

Sportsways Waterlung offers the world's most complete sport diving scuba system. It's multi-tentacle approach is aimed at fail-safe underwater operation.

The secret is in the unique First Stage of the Waterlung ATM-750 Regulator. It features extra pressure ports incorporated in its stainless steel housing that permits you to custom-build your own personal scuba system.

One high pressure port connects with a Sea-Vue Gauge, allowing to read-out your remaining air supply precisely, with no guess-work involved. The additional low-pressure port connects an

auxiliary Second Stage, and you're fully equipped.

Most professional instructors have standardized on this system as the ideal training unit, and in critical "Buddy-Breathing" situations there's nothing

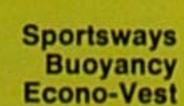
that can match it.

Since this is a highly specialized professional concept, Sportsways feels all sport divers should contact their local professional diving center to obtain the advanced instruction deemed necessary for its proper use.

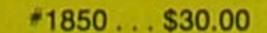
"Octopus System" (ATM-750, Sea-Vue Gauge, with Depth Meter & Swivel and ATM-750 Second Stage), #1385-0 ..... \$207.00



Another top-flight urethanecoated buoyancy vest that
offers the ultimate in durability
and long life. It includes all
Sportsways top-quality AllAmerican construction features
and has a 16 gram inflation
mechanism. The elbow connection of the inflation
mechanism is solid urethane
and electronically welded in
place.
#1830 . . . \$39.95

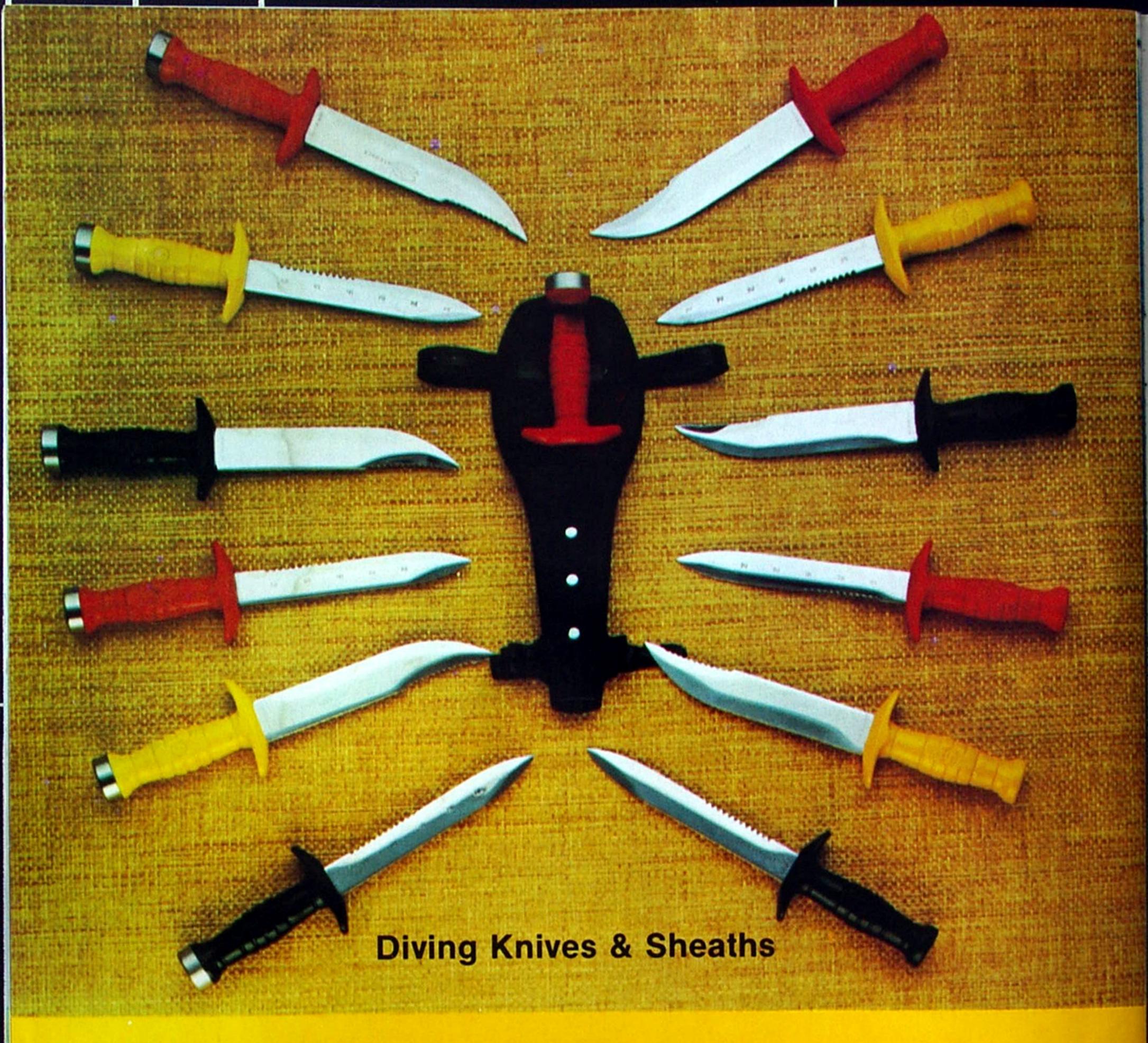


This rugged urethane-coated vest remains completely impervious to snags, sun and salt water. It features a replaceable CO2 cartridge, plus a leak proof oral inflation tube with manual shut-off. The shorter length makes it ideal for youngsters or female scuba fans.









### Steelhead Knives

| #713-3 Diver Knife w/Sheath,      |
|-----------------------------------|
| Steelhead Black Handle\$16.00     |
| #713-4 Diver Knife w/Sheath,      |
| Steelhead Orange Handle . \$16.00 |
| #713-4Y Diver Knife w/Sheath,     |
| Steelhead Yellow Handle \$16.00   |
| #713-5 Navy Knife w/Sheath,       |
| Steelhead Black Handle \$16.00    |
| #713-6 Navy Knife w/Sheath,       |
| Steelhead Orange Handle . \$16.00 |
| #713-6Y Navy Knife w/Sheath,      |
| Steelhead Yellow Handle \$16.00   |

### **Unconditional Lifetime Guarantee!**

The superior qualitites of Sportsways "All-American" steel permit us to offer an unconditional, lifetime, original owner guarantee on all Sportsways Knives. Purchase just one knife from Sportsways and you're equipped with a versatile, quality diving accessory for your entire diving career!

Sportsways offers two extremely popular blade patterns, both designed into your most versatile diving tool. The Sportsways shock resistant, one piece guard and handle may be used to pry, pound or double as an abalone iron.

Sportsways "Navy" Knife and Sheath features a specially shaped 7" hardened, stainless steel blade. It has a full length cutting edge running to its tapered point, with a large serrated blade area for sawing.

Sportsways "Diver" Knife and Sheath has an extra wide 7" hardened stainless steel blade with a concave serrated area on the opposite edge.

All Sportsways knives are made of superior quality, all American steel and are available with or without Steelhead construction. Each knife comes complete with a comfortable, injection molded, salt water resistant sheath which may be worn on leg or belt.

### Plain Handle Knives

| #1630    | Diver Knife w/Sheath,<br>Black Handle    | .\$13.50  |
|----------|--|-----------|
|          | Diver Knife w/Sheath, Orange Handle      |           |
|          | . Diver Knife w/Sheath,<br>Yellow Handle |           |
|          | . Navy Knife w/Sheath,<br>Black Handle   | . \$13.50 |
|          | Navy Knife w/Sheath,<br>Orange Handle    | . \$13.50 |
| #1641Y . | . Navy Knife w/Sheath,<br>Yellow Handle  | . \$13.50 |

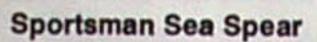


## Sea Spears & Spear Guns

Competitor Sea Spear

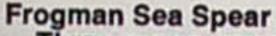
The spear for professional competition, features a 3" slip-tip detachable tri-cut spearhead and 7'6" length. For long range, blue water use on fish up to 50 pounds.

#719B . . . \$19.95



Medium range spear with 3" slip-tip detachable tri-cut spearhead and 5'6" length. For fish in 10-15 pound class.

#719A ... \$14.75

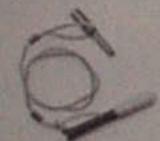


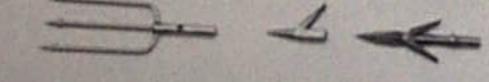
Three-prong spearhead and easy maneuvering 4' length. Excellent for rock, cave or kelp hunting for pan-size fish.

#719 . . . \$9.90



Competitor Spear Gun, 3/8" shaft #1635 . . . \$42.00





Spearheads

Detachable Tri-Cut, stainless steel #716 . . . \$5.00

3 Prong Trident Fork #710 . . . \$2.50

Single barb, stainless steel. #1636-51 ... \$2.10

2 barb, retractable, hardened stainless steel #1635-52 . . . \$6.50 Sportsman Spear Gun, %" shaft #1636 ... \$31.00



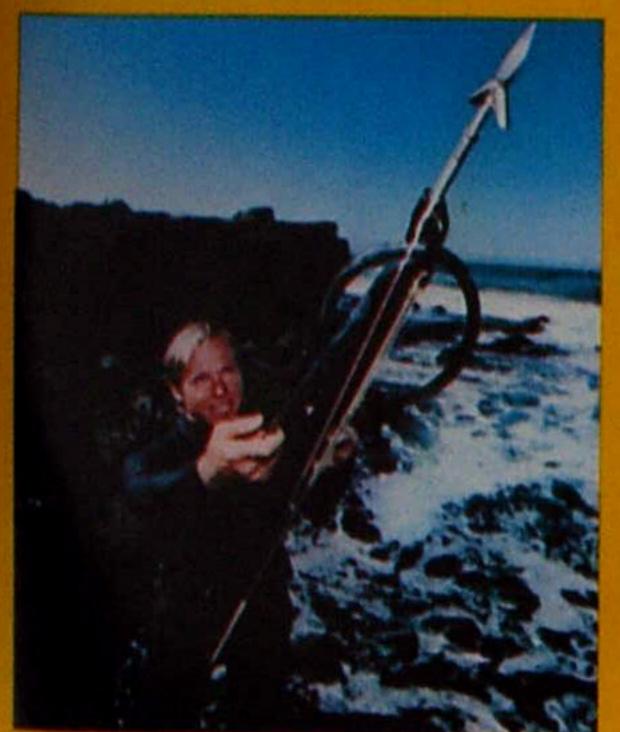


Photo: Chuck Nicklin, Diving Locker.

## **Sportsways Spear Guns**

Sportsways special design and construction makes their "Competitor" and "Sportsman" spear guns shoot straighter than the rest, and the real secret is in the trigger.

Larry Redden represents the San Diego Diving Council in all competitive spearfishing meets and consistently has been rated in the top ten finalists. Here's what he has to say, "The main reason I went to the Sportsways gun was the smooth action of the trigger pull. It pulls about the same with three bands as one and hits the target with great accuracy time after time. I think

Sportsways "All-American" features include: A cocking stock for better balance and easier loading. An automatic line release to eliminate drag and veer. A stainless steel shaft with Sportsways "Safety-Notch" to prevent accidental

it's the best gun on the market today."

firing. A fool-proof safety design, with all stainless steel internal parts. A bigger 1¼" barrel. Special trigger release leverage system to do away with trigger pull. "O" ring seals in the barrel. High impact, corrosion-proof Cycolac handles and muzzles. Spear head storage in the gun butt. Guns float after firing.

## **Sportsways Sea Spears**

If spears are your underwater hunting specialty, Sportsways offers the finest available. All Sportsways Sea Spears feature a solid fiberglass rod and rugged surgical rubber Power Sling. Each fitting is custom manufactured of corrosion resistant stainless steel. All have American thread fittings for the widest range of head selection and, of course, they're all American made.

Sea Spears or Spear Guns, your best buy is always from the Sportsways arsenal of underwater weaponry.



|                  | Sea-Vue Gauge                    | \$ 2.00            | #SL-101<br>#SL-102                      | Waterlung Decal<br>Waterlung Skin Diver  | \$ .25             | #710<br>#1635-25 | Three Prong Fork<br>24" Sling for Competitor | \$ 2.50 |
|------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------|---|--|--------------------|------------------|--|---------|
|                  |                                  | \$ 2.00            |   | Jacket Emblem  | \$ 1.50            |                  | (½" Dia.)                                    | \$ 6.40 |
| #1576            | Magic Bond Cement                |                    | #SL-105                                 | Waving Flag Emblem   | \$ 1.30            | #1636-25         | 13" Sling for Sportsman                      |         |
| 40550            |                                  | \$ 2.00            | #SL-106                                 | 3 x 5 Flag Emblem  | \$ 1.50            |                  | (½" Dia.)                                    | \$ 6.00 |
| #2550            | Diving Manual                    | \$ 2.50            | #400-198                                | Silicone Mouthpiece  | \$ 2.00            | #1635-28         | 42" Shaft for Competitor                     |         |
| #2551            | Diver Log Book                   | \$ 1.00            | #721-2AM                                | The state of the s | ****               | #4000 00         | (¾" Dia.)                                    | \$10.00 |
| #2552<br>#1630-2 | Edible Sea Life                  | \$ 1.00            | 4701.0                                  | (Red, White, and Blue)   | \$24.00            | #1636-28         | 26" Shaft for Sportsman                      | 0.000   |
| #1050            | Diving Knife Sheath<br>Tank Boot | \$ 3.95<br>\$ 2.95 | #721-2<br>#701-4                        | Carry All Bag  | \$19.75            | 4005 4           | (% dia.)                                     | \$ 8.00 |
| #1291            | Hydro Belt (orange)              | \$ 5.00            | #721-4<br>#721-4A                       | Lobster Bag — Small  | \$ 8.65            | #805-1           | Frogman Sling                                | 6 1 20  |
| #1292            | Hydro Belt (black)               | \$ 5.00            | #721-5                                  | Lobster Bag — Large<br>Port-A-Lift, 100 lbs.   | \$10.85<br>\$ 9.25 | #805-2           | (24" for Sea Spear)<br>Sportsman Sling       | \$ 1.20 |
| #1117            | Pull Rod "SJ" Valve              | \$ 2.95            | #721-6                                  | Port-A-Lift, 200 lbs.  | \$18.55            | *005-2           | (30" for Sea Spear)                          | \$ 1.60 |
| #716             | Detachable Tri-Cut Head          | \$ 5.00            | #1226                                   | 4X Spray   | \$ 6.50            | #805-3           | Competitor Sling                             | \$ 1.00 |
| #1636-51         | Spear Head (single barb)         |                    | #1227                                   | 4X Compound  | \$10.00            | 000              | (36" for Sea Spear)                          | \$ 2.00 |
| #1636-52         | Spear Head (2 barb)              | \$ 6.50            | #1800-M                                 | Vest Mouthpiece  | \$ 1.00            | 44000            |  |         |
|                  |                                  |                    | 100000000000000000000000000000000000000 | CONTRACTOR DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY OF THE  | 1000               | #1293            | 5 lb. Weight Mold                            | \$ 5.95 |
|                  |                                  |                    |   |  |                    | #1294            | 15 lb. Contour Weight                        | \$11.95 |

Sportsways offers a grab-bag of quality accessories to complete every diver's equipment package. From instruction books for students of scuba to no-drag goody bags for the most experienced undersea treasure seeker. All from Sportsways and all American made.





## **Regal Junior Mask**

Splash into the exciting sport of skin diving with a long-lasting mask from Sportsways Regal. It offers professional styling and is constructed of a high quality Pittman rubber compound. It features a tempered lens, stainless steel rim and is available only in black.

#1659 . . . \$5.40

## **Regal Fins**

Sportsways Regal Fins incorporate all the requirements necessary for maximum utility, comfort and durability. The specially contoured foot pocket gives you a good, tight fit, plus the comfort necessary for fun diving, and complete protection in or out of the water.

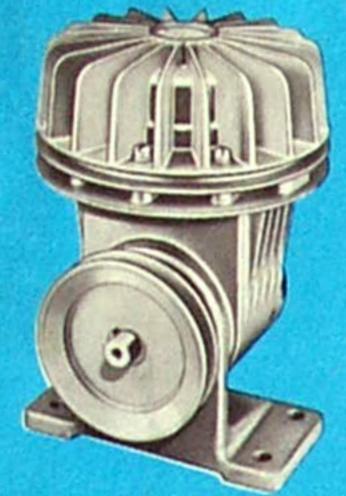
| #861R | 2-3   | (Blue)   | \$ 9.40 | ) |
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| #862R | 3-4   | (Blue)   | \$ 9.40 |   |
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| #247R | 5-7   | (Black)  | \$11.50 |   |
| #248R | 7-9   | (Black)  |         |   |
| #249R | 9-11  | (Black)  |         |   |
| #250R | 11-13 | (Black   |         |   |

## Regal Snorkel

Here's a professionally designed snorkel for the skin diver. It has a one-piece tube of the finest black rubber and a soft, contoured mouthpiece for diver comfort. This Regal model is an easy clearing snorkel that comes equipped with a brilliant fluorescent "Sea-Top" tip.

#1900 ...\$1.85





Bare Hookah Compressor

Capacity 3.5 C.F.M.
Pressure 100 P.S.I.
Weight 10 Lbs. (All Aluminum)
R.P.M. 12000
Pre-lubricated, sealed bearings, no lubrication or filtering required.
#744-1



Compressor Gasoline Driven Compressor

Seven H.P. Briggs and Stratton air cooled engine with recoil starter. Completely portable weighing only 110 Lbs.

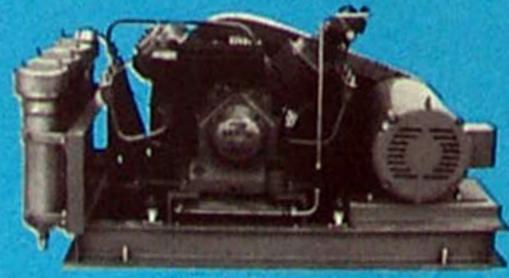
#H-128-7



Air Compressor

Maximum pressure 3,500 p.s.i. Charging rate 5 c.f.m. compact and portable.

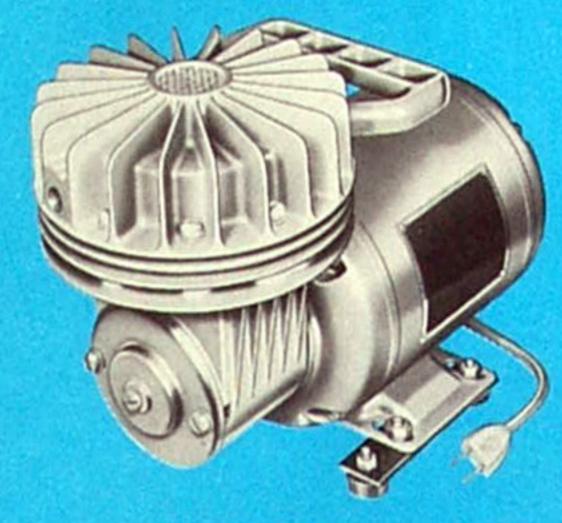
#SW-7



High Pressure Air Compressor

Four stage air cooled "Bristol-Duplex" compressor. Electric, Gasoline or Diesel power. 3,500 p.s.i. maximum pressure. 17 c.f.m. max. charging rate. #SW-16

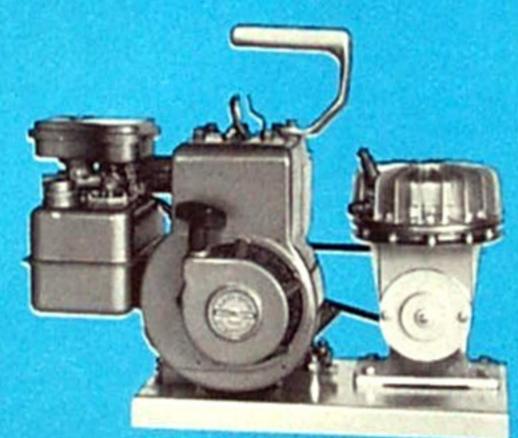
## **Hookah Equipment**



**Electric Compressor** 

This model is powered by a 1/3 H.P. Electric motor coupled directly to Sportsways Compressor for minimum weight, size, and maintenance. Capacity 3.5 C.F.M. Weight 37 Lbs.

#744-2



Single Gasoline Driven Compressor

Two H.P. lightweight aluminum air cooled Briggs & Stratton motors, completely portable, weighing only 37 lbs. This model has a recoil starter and is shock mounted. Capacity 3.5 C.F.M. #744-4

**Hookah Harness** 

Designed to fit all Sportsways Single Hose Regulators. Comes complete with check valve and adaptable fittings.

#744-12

Malibu Regulator

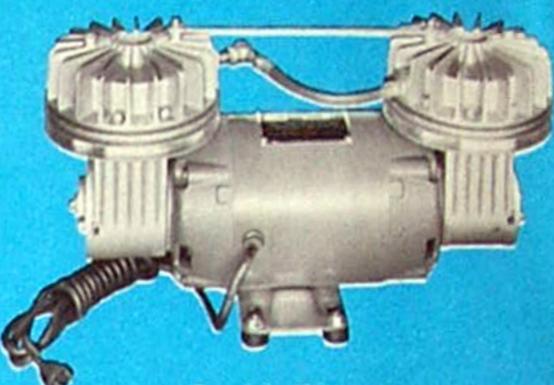
A classic, quality regulator. Includes Hookah adapter.

#450

Field Service Kit
The field service kit for compressors
enables user to make minor overhauls
requiring no special tools.

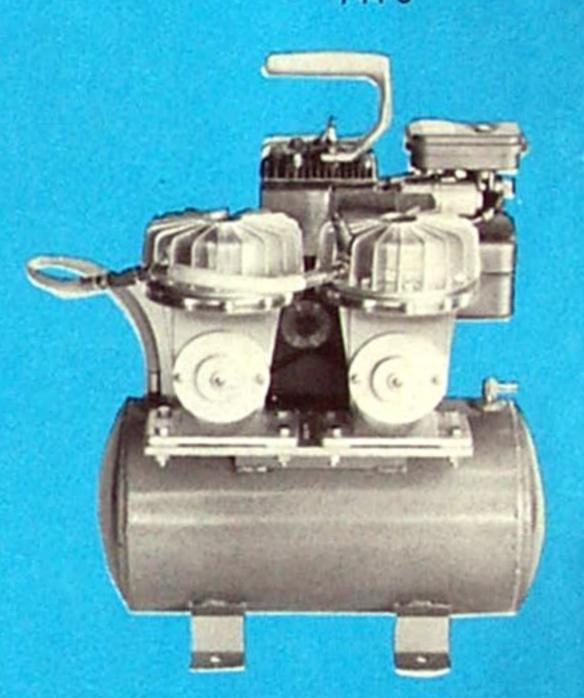
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Hookah Diving Hose
Yellow floating hose made of special
vinyl compound that will not contaminate air or deteriorate from exposure.
3/8 i.d. — 50' length coupled.
#744-11 50' Lengths



Double Electric Compressor

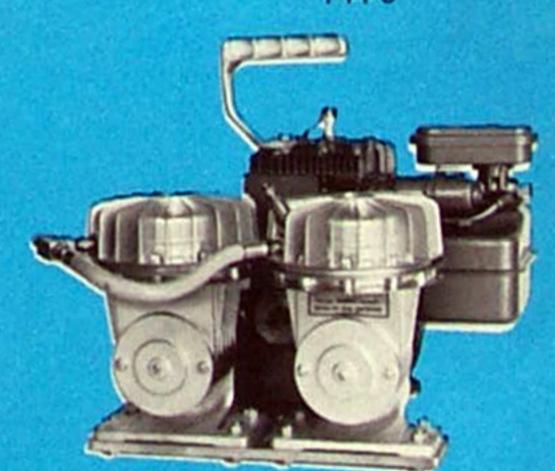
This model is powered by a ¾ H.P. Electric motor coupled directly to Sportsways Compressor.
Air capacity 7 C.F.M.
Maximum Air Pressure 100 P.S.I.
#744-3



Double Gasoline Driven Compressor

3 H.P. lightweight aluminum, air cooled Briggs and Stratton motors with recoil starter. This model has 2 Sportsways compressors mounted in line providing 7 D.F.M. at pressures up to 100 P.S.I. Commonly used in depths up to 100 feet.

#744-5



Double Gasoline Driven
Compressor Without Tank
Same as Cat. No. 744-5 without Tank.
#744-6

A Sportsways Hookah Unit simply unites a Waterlung regulator with a surface air supply, connected by a medium pressure air hose. This combination is ideal for diving in a limited area for vastly extended periods of time. Gold diving and a variety of underwater repair or salvage operations find the "Waterlung-Hookah" hook-up the perfect solution to their specific diving problem.





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