

XTENEX™

Multi-Staged Precision Lacing



Perfect for Dress, Casual and Sport Shoes.

What is Xtenex?

Xtenex is a worldwide, patented, nodulous lace that controls lace movement through an eyelet. When stretched, enlarged knots collapse for easy lace-up and adjustment. When released, knots re-emerge on both sides of the eyelet to secure the lace.

Multi-Staged tensioning knots produce one measure of tension per knot.

More knots between eyelets **decrease** the tension.

Fewer knots between eyelets **increase** the tension.

The Xtenex Advantage

Only Xtenex produces independent tensioning stages at each eyelet. Xtenex provides precise adjustment for a custom comfort fit around the natural asymmetric foot shape, without binding and restricting natural foot dynamics (flex and expansion).

Only Xtenex has the ability to adjust a footwear's *lateral side support* where needed. Simply draw more tension to the eyelet area where the additional support is needed - one tension stage (knot) at a time. Adjustable lateral tensioning helps to control and stabilize a more proper foot position within the footbed, enhancing performance, comfort and fit.

Benefit Features:

- Can eliminate repetitive tying
- Reduces footwear fatigue
- Reduces footwear slippage
- Helps to alleviate footwear related sensitivities
- Adjusts for sport specific demands
- Creates an uncompromised ease of use: slip-on, slip-off convenience
- Enhances other footwear technologies: outsoles, insoles, arch supports, and orthotics

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What some of our consumers have to say:

Laces stretch to allow easy access.



Knots reemerge to provide a secure and comfortable fit.



Lace tension between eyelets should give approximately 1 1/2 inches.

Lacing Instructions: Grasping lace tip firmly - stretch lace apart to pull through eyelet.

XTENEX Ultimate Shoelaces

From: Wendy Bumgardner, "Your Guide to Walking." Guide Rating - ★★★★★

The Bottom Line - XTENEX can help you achieve a custom shoe fit. These elastic shoelaces allow you to adjust the tension perfectly at each eyelet. You can both eliminate heel slippage and any excess tension across the instep.

Custom Tension Fit from XTENEX Ultimate Shoelaces - You want to lace your shoes so your heel stays in the heel cup and your foot doesn't slide forward with each step. I was able to achieve an excellent fit with XTENEX.

No-Tie Laces

With XTENEX, your shoes are now slip-ons, you don't have to tie your laces or retie them when they come undone as you walk.

I am a tri-athlete and participate and train for several races per year. I have found XTENEX to be the perfect lace for a speedy transition to running shoes. Other brands of elastic laces, over time, tend to tighten after each use making my feet feel squished, uncomfortable and sometimes numb. XTENEX laces stay exactly where you want, maximizing not only comfort, but the speed in which you can put them on when those seconds count! I prefer to use XTENEX in both my training shoe and racing flats and absolutely love them.

Julie Lyons

Medical Professionals -

I teach doctors about feet, gait and orthotics that treat athletes around the world at every level. I look for products that give an advantage of time or function that I can rely on. The Ultimate Shoe Lace is one of those products. It combines the flexibility of Stretch, Strength, Stability and Security to a shoe that you only have to tie once. The collapsible knot technology is great for Triathletes or anyone who does not want to keep tying shoe laces but wants their shoe to just slip on.

KEVIN G. HEARON, D.C.

XTENEX shoelaces are an innovative approach to solving several issues facing those of us wearing lace shoes. The asymmetric benefits of this shoelace can be an adjunct for fitting shoes on different foot types - especially those with a rolling arch, a flatfoot, or a pronator. By using extra tension while tying on one side of the shoe, you can get added correction by offsetting the tension on the other side.

Lochie Kerch, D.P.M.



Lace Once Never Tie Again

Always stretch lace on both sides of eyelet for easy movement.



Available in **Dress, Sport** and **Performance** styles, XTENEX brings to the world, multi-staged precision lacing.

The versatile nature of this lacing system is perfect for many applications. Perfect for handicapped individuals; individuals recovering from spinal or other injuries; the overweight; athletes; tri-athletes; children; and anyone seeking a solution that provides a secure, yet comfortable, fit for their shoes. Ask your shoe products rep how you can try out a pair of XTENEX.

When Stretched - XTENEX collapses for easy lace-up and adjustment

When Released - XTENEX re-emerges around the eyelet to secure an independent lace tension fit.