

## SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

The main danger using the Buddy-Watcher® is the exaggerated trust in the functions of this product. As an electronic system, sudden and unexpected malfunctions related to components, battery or software errors may occur.

This is a device based on acoustics and it can circumstantially fault out due to a changing (acoustic) environment. Please take note of the following warnings for the Buddy-Watcher®:

- Use the Buddy-Watcher® only according to this manual! Full manual on [http://buddy-watcher.de/downloads\\_en.html](http://buddy-watcher.de/downloads_en.html)
- Never dive alone.
- The Buddy-Watcher® does not relieve you of your responsibility for your dive buddy according to the generally known safety standards.
- Buddy-Watcher® is no personal safety equipment.
- The Buddy-Watcher® may only be used by professionally trained divers and does not replace professional schooling for divers.
- Under no circumstances does the Buddy-Watcher® relieve the divers of the use of a proper Buddy Rope, where it would be necessary according to the general safety standards, such as for diving under ice etc.
- The device has been designed to a depth of maximum 40 meters and may only be used in salt or fresh water.
- The Buddy-Watcher® was designed for use under water and for the sport of diving!
- Using the Buddy-Watcher® in swimming pools, caves or similar highly reflective diving areas may interrupt communication!
- Communication may be influenced or interrupted by walls and/or rocks and/or obstacles and barriers.
- After use the Buddy-Watcher® should be thoroughly cleaned with fresh water only – do not use cleaning detergents!
- Do not use parts and/or components which are not authorized, recommended or coming from the original manufacturer themselves!

## SPECIAL SAFETY TIPS



Do not charge the Buddy-Watcher® in the blazing sun (danger of explosion)!



Do not throw device into open flames (danger of explosion)!



Prior to charging, the Buddy-Watcher® and adapters should be dry and clean!



The Buddy-Watcher® may influence compasses and change directions.



The Buddy-Watcher® may lead to signal errors and/ or failures in other devices.



Batteries are not to be disposed off in normal household waste. By law batteries should be professionally disposed. Batteries may be returned to the store or place of purchase after use and/or brought to a special collection service in stores and the post office at no extra cost.



Dear Buddy,

the devices are designed for the use under water. Above water their functions are limited to a distance of **5cm (2 inches)**.

We recommend to fully recharging the Buddy-Watcher prior to each diving day! **If not used for 20 days recharging becomes necessary!**

**You can find the complete video manual at:**

**<https://youtu.be/sIBeimEhHVk>**



