Girth Strap

Description: A Girth Strap is an item that can be placed on tamed SWEM Horses to keep the Saddle from falling off. It comes in English, Western, and Adventure variants.

Details:

Rarity color:	Common
Renewable:	Yes
Stackable:	Yes (16)
Durability:	None

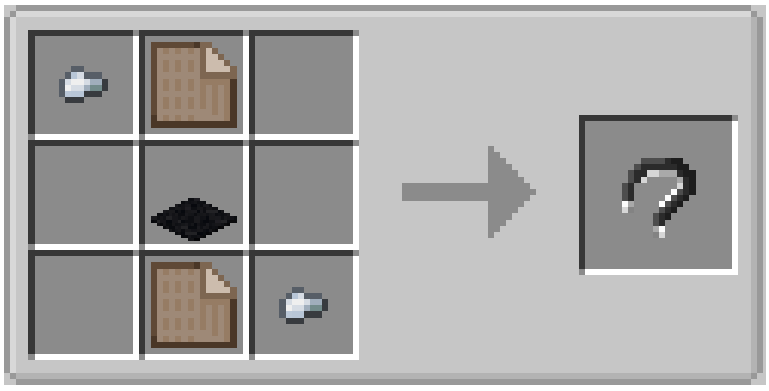
Obtaining

Crafting

English Girth Strap

English Girth Straps come in 2 colors - black and brown.

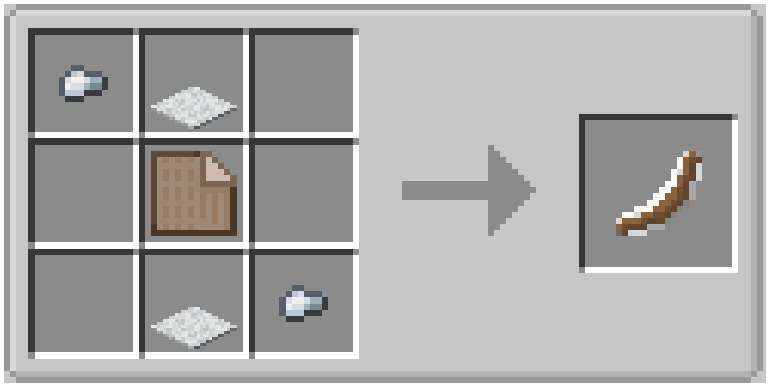
An English Girth Strap is crafted with 2 Iron Nuggets, 2 Refined Leather, and either 1 Black or 1 Brown Carpet.



Western Girth Strap

Western Girth Straps come in 16 Minecraft colors.

A Western Girth Strap is crafted with 2 Iron Nuggets, 1 Refined Leather, and 2 Carpets of the corresponding color.



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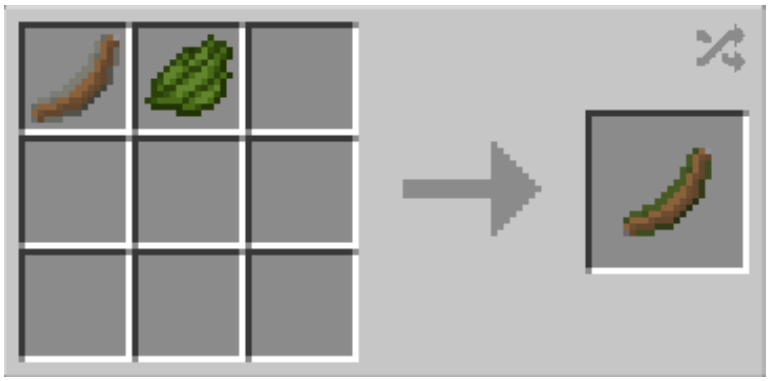
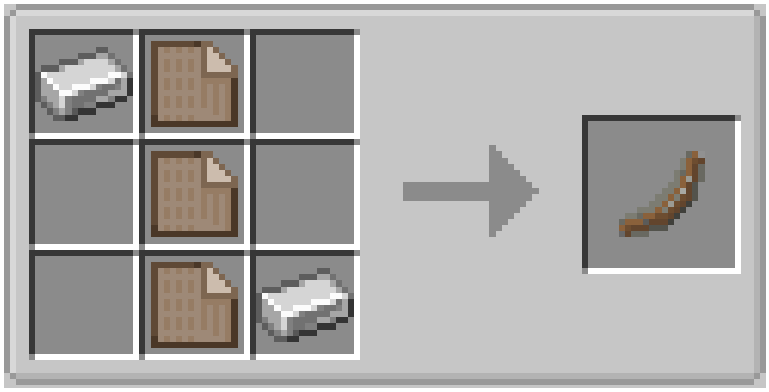


Adventure Girth Strap

Adventure Girth Straps come in 1 (brown & gray) color.

An Adventure Girth Strap is crafted with 2 Iron Ingots and 3 Refined Leather.



Usage

Girth straps are part of a tack set required to ride tamed SWEM Horses. A girth strap is the forth tack item that can be used following a bridle; by default you cannot place a girth on unless the horse has a saddle on. A girth strap is a requirement prevent a saddle from falling off.

Right click a tamed SWEM Horse with a girth strap in hand to equip it - or open the horse's GUI menu (shift + right click with an empty hand) to place the item in the designated tack spot. If a horse already has a girth strap on, you can easily 'hotswap' it for another by shift + right-clicking with the new girth strap in hand.

> Tack-equip order: Bridle > Blanket > Saddle > Girth Strap. Optional: Breast collar, Leg Wraps, Horse Armor, Saddle Bag

Girth straps do not offer any perks or buffs, and you can use any girth strap with any other riding tack pieces to mix English, Western & Adventure. The only exception is Adventure Girth require a full matching set to use Horse Armor, but once the armor is put on the girth strap can be 'hotswapped' out for different versions.

> Without a Girth, the Saddle has a 20% chance of falling off every second. **When it does, the player will be dismounted.**



Gallery



Shown: Adventure (1) > English (2) > Western (16) variant girth straps.

Known Issues

If you find an issue, please report it to our bugs channel on **Discord**. We ask that you look to see if your issue was reported first!

- `1.6.11` Tack unrenders (invisible) on reloading the game or chunks. **Bug Report**

Changelog

View Changes

> This is not a complete list of version changes / fixes. It is a changelog of relevant wiki-related version information.

MC Version	Release	Notes

Data values

swem:english_girth_strap_black
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