




## Tip Xcelerator<sup>tm</sup>

### Application Instructions

What you will need:

- Cable cutters or a sharp knife.
- Scissors to shorten the Tip Xcelerator, if desired.
- A heat source that will generate 250<sup>o</sup>, such as an industrial electric heat gun.

Procedure:

1. If possible, watch “**How to Apply a Tip Xcelerator**” on   
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mTntOY7FdBA>
2. Cut the Tip Xcelerator to the desired length – 36” is standard for heeling, 24” is standard for heading – or wait until you slide it on your rope to determine if you want less weight.
3. Cut the tail knot off your rope at an angle. **DO NOT CUT OFF THE ENTIRE TAIL TAG, OR THE ROPE MAY UNRAVEL.** If the rope does begin to unravel, wrap it with a piece of tape.
4. Insert the tail into the Tip Xcelerator and push it through.
5. Slide the Tip Xcelerator around the coils and into the loop.
6. Swing your loop out the size you would throw and position the Tip Xcelerator according to the chart on the back of the pamphlet, or to your personal preference.
7. Swing your loop to make sure it feels balanced before you heat the Tip Xcelerator. If it feels too heavy, remove and shorten with scissors.
8. Use your heating element to shrink the Tip Xcelerator uniformly from end to end as follows:
  - a. If you use a gas heat source, do not heat too close or overheat the Tip Xcelerator or it will scorch.
  - b. Heat the Tip Xcelerator from end to end moving the heat source back and fourth all the way around the rope until it is shrunk securely into all of the ridges.
  - c. Apply additional heat at the ends of the Tip Xcelerator to prevent crimping. You should see the adhesive lining start to flow or bubble at the ends of the Tip Xclerator.
9. Re-tie the tail knot, or apply the Revolution Tag to prevent unraveling.

NOTE: Although the Tip Xcelerator may appear to be a standard plastic shrink product, it is not. There are numerous types of tubing on the market. The specific combination of adhesive lining and tubing thickness is designed to provide the proper amount of weight, durability and flexibility.