

# A New High Performance Shaft

The **Skinny** shaft is now available for oars and sculls.

- Unique bending characteristics that create a softer feel with Concept2's most efficient blades
- Reduced wind resistance
- Available in extra soft, soft and medium flex



Photo by Joel Rogers

Skinny shaft • Fat2 blade • Canadian Women's 8+ • Silver Medalists 2010 and 2011 World Championships



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# WHAT'S THE SKINNY?

The Skinny was specifically created in response to women's crews who desired the efficiency of the Fat2 blade, but felt our standard shaft with the Fat2 blade was too stiff for their style of rowing. Since the Fat2 blade slips less in the water, some athletes describe the shaft as feeling stiff. The Skinny's design allows us to create an extra soft shaft that maintains durability and also reduces wind drag.

## CONSTRUCTION

The Skinny sweep shaft is created with a diameter similar to our sculling shaft. The Skinny scull features a diameter narrower than our standard scull shaft. Additional high-modulus carbon is required to tune the stiffness. Available in extra soft, soft and medium flex.

## BLADE

The Skinny shaft was developed specifically to soften the catch of the Fat2 blade while still taking advantage of its low slippage and efficiency. Of course, other blade types can be used with the Skinny to achieve the benefit of reduced wind resistance.

## SLEEVE

The Skinny uses a standard sleeve, fitted to the narrower shaft with a custom insert.

## GRIPS

We have designed a sweep handle for the Skinny that will accommodate a wider range of grip options. All standard scull grips fit the Skinny scull.

## WHO SHOULD ROW WITH THE SKINNY?

Any crew that wants to improve performance by using more efficient blades should consider the Skinny for the softer feel. The savings in wind resistance, particularly in a headwind, may also be an important factor for any crew considering rowing with Skinnys.



## PRICING

	Skinny sweep (single)	Skinny scull (pair)
Extra Soft	\$390	\$610
Standard Soft	\$425	\$640
Standard Medium	\$460	\$670

**Note:** Prices reflect additional high-modulus carbon required to tune the stiffness of the Skinny shaft. Prices do not include shipping charges.