

## Camco 69045

# Camco TRAC Outdoors Anchor Winch G3 AutoDeploy Second Switch Instruction Manual

## 1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides detailed instructions for the installation, operation, maintenance, and troubleshooting of the Camco TRAC Outdoors Anchor Winch G3 AutoDeploy Second Switch (Model 69045). Please read this manual thoroughly before installation and use to ensure safe and efficient operation.

## 2. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Camco TRAC Outdoors Anchor Winch G3 AutoDeploy Second Switch is designed to provide convenient control of your TRAC AutoDeploy Electric Anchor Winch from a secondary location on your boat. It features a simple three-button interface for 'Up', 'Down', and 'Auto Deploy' functions.

### Key Features:

- **TriTouch Control:** Features a three-button design for Up, Down, and Auto Deploy operations.
- **Winch Compatibility:** Specifically designed for use with TRAC G3 Angler 30 Auto Deploy Anchor Winch (69004/T10208) and TRAC Gen 2 Deckboat 40 (69005/T10219) models.
- **Complete Kit:** Includes a sealed switch, bezel faceplate, cables with connectors, and four screws for installation.
- **Easy Installation:** Engineered for straightforward setup without complex modifications.
- **Durable Construction:** Built to withstand marine environments for reliable, long-lasting performance.



Figure 2.1: Camco TRAC Outdoors Anchor Winch G3 AutoDeploy Second Switch.

### 3. PACKAGE CONTENTS

Verify that all components are present before beginning installation:

- 1 x Sealed Second Switch
- 1 x Bezel Faceplate
- Cables with Connectors
- 4 x Mounting Screws



Figure 3.1: Contents of the Camco TRAC Outdoors Anchor Winch G3 AutoDeploy Second Switch package.

## 4. SPECIFICATIONS

Attribute	Detail
Brand	Camco
Manufacturer	Trac Outdoors
Model Number	69045
Item Weight	14.7 ounces
Product Dimensions	8.15 x 6.57 x 1.18 inches
Compatibility	TRAC G3 Angler 30 Auto Deploy Anchor Winch (69004/T10208), TRAC Gen 2 Deckboat 40 (69005/T10219)

## 5. SETUP AND INSTALLATION

This section outlines the steps for installing your second switch. Ensure the main power to your anchor winch system is disconnected before proceeding.

1. **Select Mounting Location:** Choose a secondary location on your boat (e.g., helm) that provides easy access and visibility for operation. Ensure there is sufficient space behind the mounting surface for wiring.
2. **Prepare Mounting Surface:** Using the bezel faceplate as a template, mark and cut the necessary opening for the switch. Drill pilot holes for the four mounting screws.
3. **Wire Connection:**
  - Route the provided cables from the chosen mounting location to the main TRAC AutoDeploy Electric Anchor Winch unit.
  - Refer to your main TRAC AutoDeploy Electric Anchor Winch manual for specific wiring

diagrams and connection points for a secondary switch. Typically, the second switch connects to designated ports on the winch's control module.

- Connect the cables from the second switch to the corresponding connectors on the main winch unit. Ensure all connections are secure and properly insulated to prevent corrosion and short circuits.



Figure 5.1: Detailed view of the wiring harness with connectors.



Figure 5.2: Rear view of the second switch, illustrating wire attachment points.

4. **Mount the Switch:** Insert the second switch into the prepared opening. Secure it using the bezel faceplate and the four provided mounting screws.
5. **Test Functionality:** Reconnect the main power to your anchor winch system. Test the 'Up', 'Down', and 'Auto Deploy' functions of the second switch to ensure proper operation.

## 6. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

The G3 AutoDeploy Second Switch provides intuitive control over your TRAC AutoDeploy Electric Anchor Winch.

- **'UP' Button:** Press and hold to retrieve the anchor. Release to stop.
- **'DOWN' Button:** Press and hold to deploy the anchor. Release to stop.
- **'AUTO DEPLOY' Button:** Press once to automatically deploy the anchor until it reaches the bottom and the winch senses tension, at which point it will stop. Press again to stop deployment at any time.

**Note:** Always observe the anchor and rope during operation to prevent tangles or damage. Do not operate the winch if the rope is obstructed or under excessive strain.

## 7. MAINTENANCE

Regular maintenance ensures the longevity and reliable performance of your second switch.

- **Cleaning:** Periodically wipe the switch and bezel faceplate with a damp cloth to remove salt, dirt, and grime. Avoid abrasive cleaners.
- **Inspection:** Regularly inspect the cables and connections for any signs of wear, corrosion, or damage. Ensure all mounting screws remain tight.
- **Water Exposure:** While the switch is sealed, minimize direct exposure to high-pressure water sprays to prevent potential water ingress over time.

## 8. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your second switch, refer to the following common problems and solutions:

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Switch is unresponsive.	No power to the winch system; loose or corroded wiring connection; faulty switch.	Check main power supply to the winch. Inspect all wiring connections for tightness and corrosion. If connections are good, test the switch with a multimeter or consult a qualified technician.
Winch operates intermittently.	Intermittent wiring connection; low battery voltage.	Inspect wiring for loose connections or damaged insulation. Check boat battery voltage and charge if necessary.
'Auto Deploy' function does not stop.	Sensor issue on the main winch unit; excessive drag on the anchor.	Manually stop the winch using the 'UP' or 'DOWN' button. Check the main winch unit's sensor for obstructions or damage. Ensure the anchor is not snagged.

For further assistance, please contact Camco customer support or refer to the complete TRAC AutoDeploy Electric Anchor Winch manual.

## 9. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Camco products are designed for durability and performance. For specific warranty information regarding your TRAC Outdoors Anchor Winch G3 AutoDeploy Second Switch, please refer to the warranty documentation included with your original TRAC AutoDeploy Electric Anchor Winch or visit the official Camco website.

For technical support, replacement parts, or any questions not covered in this manual, please contact Camco customer service:

**Website:** [www.camco.net](http://www.camco.net)

**Phone:** Refer to the Camco website for regional contact numbers.