



The 740 SuperNovas are purpose-made to stand up to the rigours of sea fishing.



# Vass-Tex

## 740 SuperNova Heavy-Duty PVC Chest Waders With Knee-Reinforcement

Chief tester **Roger Mortimore** is often 'up to his neck' in fishing sessions, so testing Vass' 740 SuperNova heavy-duty PVC chest waders was right up his street!

I've worn many types of waders and chest waders over the years so when you come across some quoted as being "probably the world's best heavy-duty PVC waders" they need further investigation!

If you regularly fish, and fall, while wading through rocky shorelines, neoprene and modern breathable chest waders can be too delicate. A simple scrape along sharp rocks or barnacles can leave a nasty tear in delicate materials, which is why Vass has developed the premium Vass-Tex 740 SuperNova waders, reputed to be the toughest, most advanced PVC waders on the market.

### Tech Spec!

Vass has combined 10 market-leading features, including the exclusive new Vass-Tex 740 heavy-duty material – a smooth, thick, PVC outer with a soft, flexible, polyester reverse that has flexible, bi-stretch properties. At the business end there are chunky, yellow soles and you have the option of choosing studded soles for extra grip. Other quality features include box-stitch reinforcement on the braces, an internal pocket with storm flap and quad-welded seams. The braces can be used as a belt, plus there's a safety drawcord around the chest and the knees are reinforced with double-layered fabric for toughness and comfort.

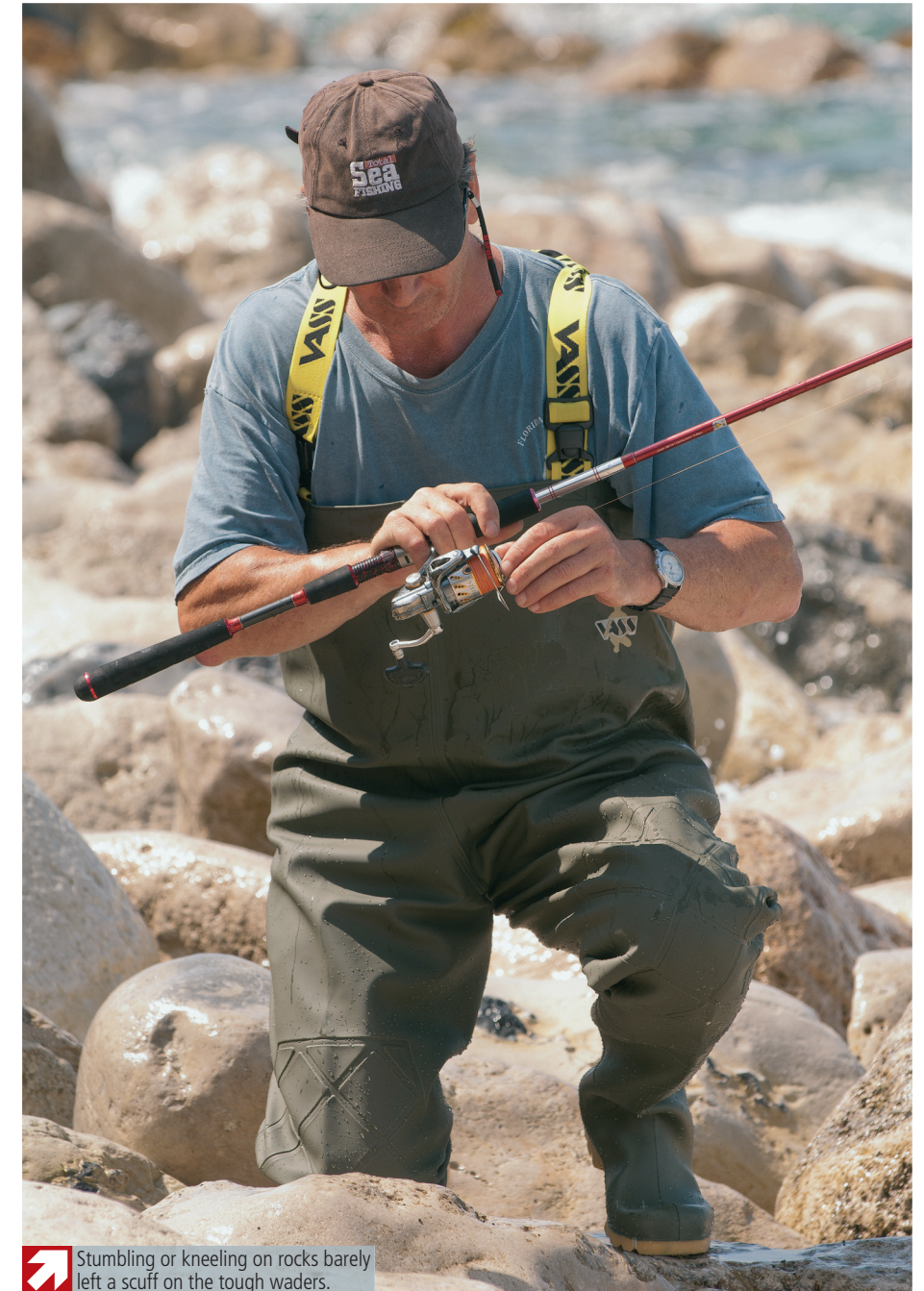
### Live Session

The live session combined a wander along a shingle beach and over boulders while plugging for bass. The waders seemed heavy when I lifted them out of the car boot but once they were on I didn't feel the weight at all. I tucked my car keys and phone in the inner pocket for safety and set off. I utilised the optional studs for the soles and the extra grip they gave was very reassuring, especially when clambering over slippery boulders while being constantly battered by rolling surf. I found the reinforced knees to be much easier on my old bones as I knelt down to change lures and, as is usual when negotiating smooth boulders, I took a couple of tumbles that didn't even leave a mark on the tough fabric.

Despite the thickness of the material, there was quite a bit of give as I bent or knelt down, so my movement was not restricted.

### Summing Up

If you're on the lookout for some tough, long-lasting chest waders, I don't think you'll find anything better than these Vass-Tex 740 SuperNovas! **TSF**



Stumbling or kneeling on rocks barely left a scuff on the tough waders.

The double-layered knee makes kneeling comfortable without the fear of tearing the fabric.



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