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Back protector

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Rückenschutzvorrichtung

Title (fr)
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Abstract (en)
A protector for the back and spinal column of a wearer comprises a flexible base sheet (10), a plurality of segments (20) attached to the base sheet in a linear array along an axis so as to permit flexing of the sheet (10) along said axis, the respective segments (20) being elongate and arranged to extend transversely of the axis so as to provide protection to a user's back, and an elongate flexible spinal strip (30) which is attached or attachable to the base sheet (10) and/or to the segments (20) so as to overlie the sheet and/or the segments in a region along the axis. The spinal strip (30) may be detachable by having a series of openings (38) releasably engaging a corresponding series of catch members (16) provided on the segments (20).

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