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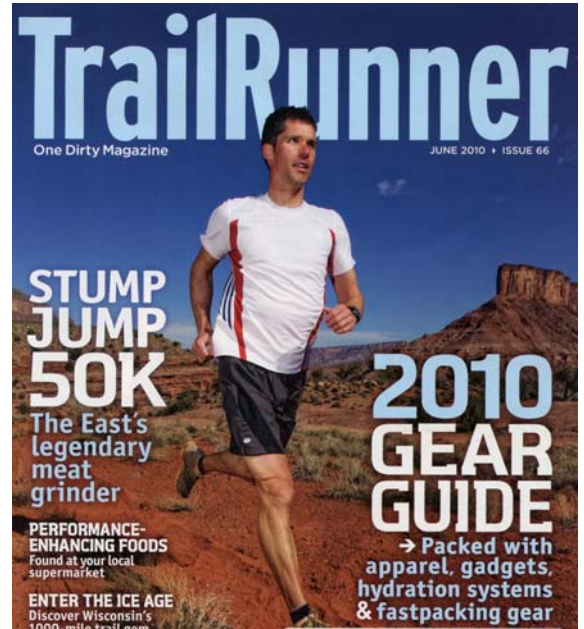
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2010 Gear Guide: Hydration

Featuring: The Raptor 6

Circulation: 29,000

Readership: 72,500



OSPREY Raptor 6 | \$79 | While one of the heavier packs we tested (1 lb 7 oz), this 6-liter pack includes a 2-liter reservoir plus multiple cargo compartments. The breathable but rigid “airscape” back panel and broad hip belt with stretchy pockets provide comfort and easy access to small items. www.osprey.com





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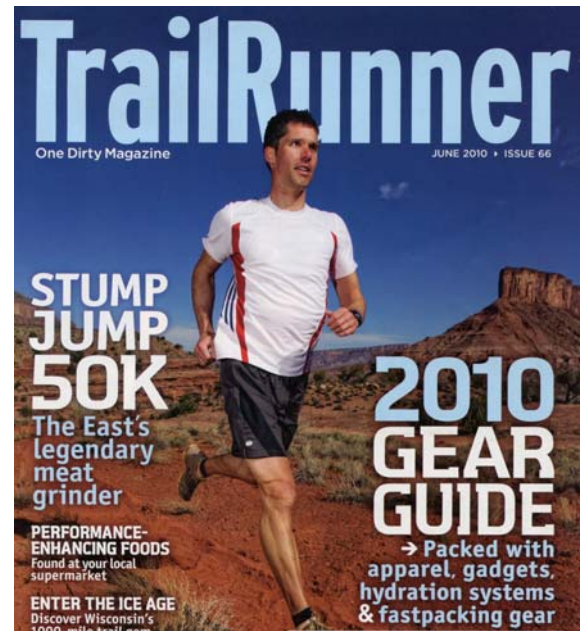
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2010 Gear Guide: Packs

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OSPREY Exos 34 | 2 lbs 2 oz | \$149 | Testers lauded the Exos 34's unique, "trampoline" style frame for its unmatched breathability and comfort, and said it spread the load across the hips rather than on a single point. The unpadded waist belt (with generous zip, mesh pockets) wraps over your hips. A top loader with a removable, floating top lid, the Exos 34 also features airy, lightly padded shoulder straps, a large stretch-woven front stuff pocket, deep, open-mesh side pockets and dual, zigzag compressions straps on each side. Its large hydration-bladder sleeve is easy to access on the inside of back panel, and the slick "Stow-On-The-Go" trekking-pole attachment system is a quick fix when "sticks" are not needed. www.ospreypacks.com

