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Thread: [Story behind the famous Olympic escalator stunt](#)

Canadian - February 18, 2018, 5:03 am

"Swiss freestyle skier Fabian Bosch tells Yahoo Sports how he pulled off the amazing feat at the Olympics."

The video is great, but when you're done, read the comments. They're hilarious
<https://ca.yahoo.com/sports/story-behind-famous-olympic-escalator-110152310.html>

I've seen a few teens attempt this at the local malls, but never seen someone get all the way up in person so kudos to his strong palm lmao

Elitas - February 18, 2018, 5:15 am

Lmfao, that's hilarious. That must have been pretty tough to hold onto TBH, even for a trained athlete. If he let go that would have hurt a lot too. ?

luke - February 18, 2018, 7:25 am

I had a friend who tried this and broke a couple of bones. Shit's dangerous.

Saltpeter - February 18, 2018, 7:28 am

That looks like a great way to injure yourself.

Shuxas - February 18, 2018, 7:28 am

He had some strength to that thing, and the comments on that post are ridiculous lol

Canadian - February 18, 2018, 12:26 pm

(Feb 18, 2018 08:25 AM)Stratify Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I had a friend who tried this and broke a couple of bones. Shit's dangerous.

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flavoral - February 18, 2018, 12:30 pm

(Feb 18, 2018 01:26 PM)Wnipeg Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Did he try with one arm or two ? I feel like I'd pussy out and let go early on

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Sigma - February 18, 2018, 12:30 pm

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flavoral - February 18, 2018, 12:34 pm

(Feb 18, 2018 01:30 PM)Sigma????? Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I wonder how he wone day just decided to do this for the rest of his life lol.

well if wone day he decided to do this for the rest of his life he won't last long till he starts join the group of people hanging from the towers and stuff life that

JoshAllen - February 18, 2018, 8:52 pm

I was not expecting that at all tbh but it made me laugh.

Crazy upper body strength..

Canadian - February 19, 2018, 11:39 am

(Feb 18, 2018 01:30 PM)flavoral Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) i would probably fall even if i do it with 2 hands and 2 legs rofl

Fair enough. I'd say my upper body is pretty strong, but I still wouldn't try

Pain - February 19, 2018, 12:13 pm

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Canadian - February 19, 2018, 3:50 pm

(Feb 19, 2018 01:13 PM)PAIN Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Saw it before, pretty crazy to even think about holding it for long. Even difficult for an athlete

Agreed, but freestyle skiing is no joke. The athletic ability on these individuals is too much

Xerotic - February 19, 2018, 5:50 pm

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Canadian - February 20, 2018, 5:40 am

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Probably since it's meant for a light touch not a grown man

V?rt - February 20, 2018, 5:58 am

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Pain - February 20, 2018, 6:08 am

(Feb 19, 2018 04:50 PM)Wnipeg Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Agreed, but freestyle skiing is no joke. The athletic ability on these individuals is too much

Yeah I feel like it is something that needs to be trained for a while, if you put the best athletes there they probably cannot do it.

Canadian - February 20, 2018, 3:09 pm

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I think it'd heavily depend on the person's weight, kinda like the idea behind doing a pullup. I could do easy even when I was heavier, but it's nothing compared to how much easier they are now