

Drawmij's Beast of Burden



Alteration

Level: 1

Range: 30 yds.

Components: V, S, M

Casting Time: 1 rd.

Duration: 2 hrs./level

Area of Effect: 1 mount

Saving Throw: None

This spell partially lightens goods placed upon a single mount. The effective encumbrance of all objects on the mount, including riders, is reduced by half, in effect doubling the amount of weight the mount is able to carry.

A mount that suddenly finds itself carrying one-and-one half its maximum load without the spell's protection cannot walk, slowly sinks to the ground, and stands a 50% chance of going lame. A mount suddenly burdened by twice its maximum load collapses to the ground, suffering 1d6 points of damage and automatically going lame.

The material components are a lodestone and pinch of metal filings.

Notes: Uncommon spell (WoG).