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INTRODUCTION

This instruction manual provides essential information for the proper use and care of your Norpro Stainless Steel Funnel Set, Set of 3, Model 252. These funnels are designed for efficient transfer of liquids and dry ingredients in various kitchen and household applications.

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Norpro Stainless Steel Funnel Set includes three funnels of varying sizes, crafted from durable stainless steel. Each funnel features a narrow stem, ideal for filling small bottles and containers while minimizing spills. An integrated air release channel in each stem facilitates smoother flow by allowing air to escape during pouring. The funnels are designed to nest within each other for compact storage and are held together by a convenient clip-ring.



Image: The complete set of Norpro Stainless Steel Funnels, showcasing their nested design and clip-ring for storage.

Key Features:

- **Durable Construction:** Made from high-quality stainless steel for long-lasting use.
- **Three Sizes:** Includes large, medium, and small funnels to accommodate various container openings.
- **Narrow Stems:** Designed for precise pouring into small bottles and jars.
- **Air Release Channel:** Each stem is equipped with an indent to prevent airlocks and ensure smooth liquid flow.
- **Compact Storage:** Funnels nest neatly and are secured by a clip-ring.
- **Dishwasher Safe:** Easy to clean and maintain.

SETUP AND FIRST USE

1. **Unpack:** Carefully remove the funnels from their packaging.
2. **Initial Cleaning:** Before first use, wash all funnels thoroughly with warm, soapy water. Rinse completely to remove any manufacturing residues.
3. **Dry:** Ensure the funnels are completely dry before storage or use.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

General Use:

- **Select Size:** Choose the funnel size that best fits the opening of your target container.
- **Position:** Place the funnel securely into the container opening. Ensure it is stable before pouring.
- **Pour:** Slowly pour the desired liquid or dry ingredient into the funnel. The narrow stem and air release channel are designed to ensure a steady flow and prevent airlocks.



Image: Demonstrating the use of a small funnel for transferring ground spices into a jar, highlighting its precision.

Tips for Liquids:

When transferring liquids, ensure the funnel stem is not completely sealed against the container opening. The integrated air release channel helps prevent an airtight seal, allowing air to escape and ensuring a smooth, continuous flow. If flow is slow, slightly lift or adjust the funnel to allow more air circulation.

Tips for Dry Ingredients:

For fine dry ingredients such as spices, herbs, or powders, a gentle tap on the side of the funnel may be necessary to encourage flow and prevent clumping or blockages in the stem. Ensure the ingredient is not packed too tightly.

MAINTENANCE AND CARE

- **Cleaning:** After each use, wash the funnels with warm, soapy water. For thorough cleaning of the narrow stems, especially after transferring sticky or oily substances, use a small brush (not included) to clean the interior.
- **Dishwasher Safe:** The Norpro Stainless Steel Funnels are dishwasher safe for convenient and hygienic cleaning.
- **Drying:** To prevent water spots and maintain the stainless steel's luster, dry the funnels completely with a soft cloth immediately after washing or after the dishwasher cycle.
- **Storage:** The funnels are designed to nest compactly within each other. Use the included clip-ring to keep the set together for organized storage in a drawer or hung on a hook.



Image: The funnels neatly nested and secured by their clip-ring, illustrating their space-saving storage design.

TROUBLESHOOTING

- **Slow Flow or Clogging:** If liquids or dry ingredients are flowing slowly or clogging, ensure the funnel stem is not creating an airtight seal with the container. The air release channel should mitigate this, but slightly lifting or adjusting the funnel can improve air circulation. For dry ingredients, gently tap the funnel to dislodge any blockages.
- **Spills During Transfer:** To prevent spills, always ensure the funnel is stable and centered in the

container opening before pouring. Pour slowly and steadily, especially when filling containers with small openings.

SPECIFICATIONS

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| Brand | Norpro |
| Model Number | 252 |
| Material | Stainless Steel |
| Color | Silver |
| Large Funnel Dimensions | Mouth: 2.75" (7cm), Stem: 0.5" (1.25cm) |
| Medium Funnel Dimensions | Mouth: 2" (5cm), Stem: 0.4" (1cm) |
| Small Funnel Dimensions | Mouth: 1.5" (3.8cm), Stem: 0.20" (0.5cm) |
| Item Weight (Set) | 3 Ounces |
| Dishwasher Safe | Yes |
| UPC | 028901002527 |

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For specific warranty information or product support, please refer to the official Norpro website or contact Norpro customer service directly. It is recommended to retain your purchase receipt for any warranty claims.