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1. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Victorinox Huntsman Swiss Army Knife is a versatile multi-tool designed for various tasks, from everyday utility to outdoor activities. Manufactured with high-quality stainless steel and durable ABS/Cellidor scales, it combines robust construction with practical functionality.



Image 1.1: The Victorinox Huntsman Swiss Army Knife in its closed position, highlighting its compact design.

Key Features:

- Compact and portable design.
- Constructed from high-grade stainless steel for durability.
- Features 15 distinct functions for diverse applications.
- Ergonomic ABS/Cellidor scales for comfortable handling.

2. INITIAL SETUP AND INSPECTION

Upon receiving your Victorinox Huntsman, perform a brief inspection to ensure all components are present and functioning correctly. The knife is ready for use directly out of its packaging.

First Use Recommendations:

1. **Unpack:** Carefully remove the knife from its packaging.
2. **Inspect:** Check all tools for smooth operation. Each tool should open and close with a distinct snap, indicating

proper spring tension.

3. **Clean:** For hygiene, especially if tools will be used for food preparation, wipe down the blades and other tools with a clean, damp cloth. Avoid harsh chemicals.
4. **Familiarize:** Take time to identify and practice opening each of the 15 functions.

3. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS: FUNCTIONS OVERVIEW

The Huntsman model includes 15 essential functions. Always exercise caution when opening and closing tools, especially blades, to prevent injury.

Tool List and Usage:

1. **Large Blade:** The primary cutting tool. Suitable for general cutting tasks. Open carefully using the nail nick.
2. **Small Blade:** For finer cutting tasks or when a smaller blade is more appropriate.
3. **Tin Opener:** Position the hook under the rim of the can and cut downwards, moving around the can's edge.
4. **Screwdriver 3 mm:** Located at the tip of the tin opener. Suitable for small Phillips and flathead screws.
5. **Bottle Opener:** For opening crown-cap bottles.
6. **Screwdriver 6 mm:** Located at the tip of the bottle opener. Suitable for larger flathead screws. Can also be used for light prying.
7. **Wire Stripper:** Integrated into the bottle opener. Use the notch to strip insulation from wires.
8. **Reamer, Punch and Sewing Awl:** Used for drilling holes in leather, canvas, or wood, and for stitching heavy materials. Features a sharpened edge and a sewing eye.
9. **Corkscrew:** For opening wine bottles. Twist into the cork until fully inserted, then pull.
10. **Scissors:** Spring-loaded for precise cutting of paper, string, fabric, and fingernails.
11. **Wood Saw:** Designed for cutting small branches or wood. Use a back-and-forth motion.
12. **Multi-purpose Hook:** Can be used for carrying parcels, pulling tight knots, or as a stand.
13. **Toothpick:** Located in the handle scale. For oral hygiene.
14. **Tweezers:** Located in the handle scale. For removing splinters or handling small objects.
15. **Key Ring:** For attaching the knife to keys, a lanyard, or other gear.

4. CARE AND MAINTENANCE

Proper care ensures the longevity and optimal performance of your Victorinox Huntsman. Regular cleaning and lubrication are recommended.

Cleaning:

- After each use, especially if exposed to dirt, moisture, or corrosive substances, clean the knife.
- Open all tools and rinse the knife under warm running water.
- Use a soft brush (e.g., an old toothbrush) to remove any debris from between the tools and springs.
- Dry thoroughly with a clean cloth. Ensure no moisture remains in the joints.
- **Do not wash in a dishwasher**, as this can damage the scales and dull the blades.

Lubrication:

- Apply a small drop of Victorinox multi-tool oil or a similar high-quality, food-safe mineral oil to the pivot points of all moving parts.
- Open and close each tool several times to distribute the oil evenly.
- Wipe off any excess oil.
- Lubricate periodically, or whenever tools feel stiff.

Sharpening:

- Maintain the sharpness of the blades using a whetstone or a Victorinox knife sharpener.
- Sharpen at an angle of 15°–20° per side, resulting in a total angle of 30°–40°.
- Always sharpen away from your body.

5. TROUBLESHOOTING

Most common issues with your Victorinox Huntsman can be resolved with simple steps.

Common Issues and Solutions:

- **Stiff or Difficult-to-Open Tools:**
This is usually caused by dirt accumulation or lack of lubrication. Follow the cleaning and lubrication steps in the "Care and Maintenance" section.
- **Dull Blades:**
Blades naturally dull with use. Refer to the "Sharpening" instructions in the "Care and Maintenance" section to restore sharpness.
- **Loose Tools:**
If a tool feels excessively loose, it may indicate wear or damage. Do not attempt to repair it yourself. Contact Victorinox customer support for assistance.
- **Missing Toothpick or Tweezers:**
These accessories are removable and can sometimes be misplaced. Replacements are available from Victorinox or authorized dealers.

6. PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS

Attribute	Detail
Model Number	1.3713.3B1
Brand	Victorinox
Color	Black
Material	Stainless Steel (tools), ABS/Cellidor (scales)
Dimensions (L x W x H)	91 x 26 x 21 mm (3.58 x 1.02 x 0.83 inches)
Weight	97 g (0.21 lbs)
Number of Functions	15

7. WARRANTY INFORMATION

Victorinox AG guarantees all knives and tools to be of first class stainless steel and also guarantees against any defects in material and workmanship (for a lifetime). Damage caused by normal wear and tear, misuse or abuse are not covered by this guarantee.

For warranty claims or service, please retain your proof of purchase and contact Victorinox customer service.

8. CUSTOMER SUPPORT

Should you require further assistance, have questions about your Victorinox Huntsman, or need to arrange for service, please contact Victorinox customer support.

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