

Panacea 89196

# Panacea Products 89196 Potting Bench User Manual

Model: 89196 | Brand: Panacea

## INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential information for the assembly, operation, maintenance, and troubleshooting of your Panacea Products 89196 Potting Bench. Please read these instructions carefully before use to ensure safe and efficient operation and to maximize the lifespan of your product.

## SAFETY INFORMATION

Always observe the following safety precautions:

- Ensure all components are securely fastened before use.
- Do not exceed the maximum load capacity of 200 pounds.
- Place the potting bench on a stable, level surface.
- Keep children and pets away from the bench during assembly and use.
- This product is designed for outdoor use. While powder-coated for durability, prolonged exposure to harsh weather without cover may affect its finish.

## COMPONENTS

The Panacea Products 89196 Potting Bench includes the following main components:

- Main frame with integrated upper and lower shelves
- Soil reservoir bag
- Four integrated hooks for hanging tools



Image 1: The Panacea Products 89196 Potting Bench, showcasing its bronze finish and overall structure.

## SETUP AND ASSEMBLY

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The Panacea 89196 Potting Bench is designed for minimal assembly. It arrives largely pre-assembled and folds out for quick setup.

1. **Unpack:** Carefully remove all components from the packaging. Inspect for any damage during transit.
2. **Unfold the Frame:** Gently unfold the main metal frame until it is fully extended and stable. Ensure all locking mechanisms (if present) are engaged.
3. **Attach Soil Reservoir:** Hang the soil reservoir bag onto the designated hooks or frame supports on the upper shelf. Ensure it is securely attached.
4. **Position:** Place the assembled potting bench on a flat, stable surface in your desired outdoor location.



## Potting Bench with Soil Reservoir

55.5 in. H x 36 in. W x 17 in. D

89196 - Bronze



Image 2: The potting bench set up in a garden, demonstrating its use for planting activities and storage.

## OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

The potting bench provides a convenient workspace for various gardening tasks.

- **Working Surface:** Use the main tabletop surface for mixing soil, potting plants, or arranging gardening tools.
- **Soil Reservoir:** The integrated soil reservoir is designed to hold potting mix, keeping it contained and easily accessible during planting.
- **Tool Hooks:** Utilize the four hooks located on the upper frame to hang small gardening tools, gloves, or other accessories for easy access.
- **Lower Shelf:** The bottom shelf provides additional storage for larger bags of soil, empty pots, or other gardening supplies.

## CARE AND MAINTENANCE

Regular care will help maintain the appearance and functionality of your potting bench.

- **Cleaning:** Wipe down metal surfaces with a damp cloth to remove dirt and debris. For stubborn stains, a mild soap solution can be used, followed by rinsing and drying.
- **Rust Prevention:** While the bench features a powder-coated finish for durability, inspect for any scratches or chips that could expose bare metal to moisture, potentially leading to rust. Touch up any damaged areas with appropriate outdoor metal paint if necessary.
- **Storage:** During off-season or periods of prolonged harsh weather, it is recommended to store the potting bench in a covered area or use a protective cover to extend its lifespan. The foldable design allows for easier storage.
- **Soil Reservoir:** Empty and clean the soil reservoir bag periodically to prevent mold or mildew growth. Allow it to dry completely before storing or refilling.

## TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Bench feels unstable or wobbly.	Not fully unfolded; placed on uneven ground; loose connections.	Ensure the frame is fully extended and locked. Move to a level surface. Check all connections for tightness.
Soil reservoir bag does not fit correctly.	Incorrect orientation; not fully expanded.	Verify the bag's orientation and ensure it is fully expanded and hooked onto all designated points.
Rust spots appearing on metal.	Scratches in powder coating; prolonged moisture exposure.	Clean and dry the area. Apply rust-inhibiting primer and outdoor metal paint to affected spots. Consider covering the bench during wet weather.

## SPECIFICATIONS

- Model:** 89196
- Brand:** Panacea
- Material:** Steel
- Color:** Bronze (Note: Product specifications list "Black", but product title and images suggest "Bronze". Using "Bronze" for consistency with product title.)
- Product Dimensions (D x W x H):** 16.6 inches x 36 inches x 55 inches
- Item Weight:** 23 Pounds
- Load Capacity:** 200 Pounds



Assembly Required: Yes (Minimal)  
UPC: 093432891964

## WARRANTY INFORMATION

For specific warranty details regarding your Panacea Products 89196 Potting Bench, please refer to the warranty card included with your purchase or visit the official Panacea Products website. Warranty terms typically cover manufacturing defects under normal use conditions.

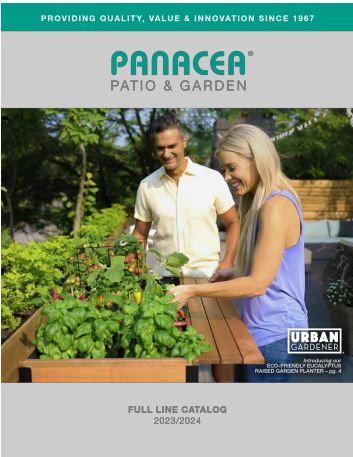
## CUSTOMER SUPPORT

If you have any questions, require assistance with assembly, or need to report a damaged part, please contact Panacea Products customer support. Contact information can typically be found on the product packaging or the official Panacea Products website.

Please have your model number (89196) and purchase date ready when contacting support.

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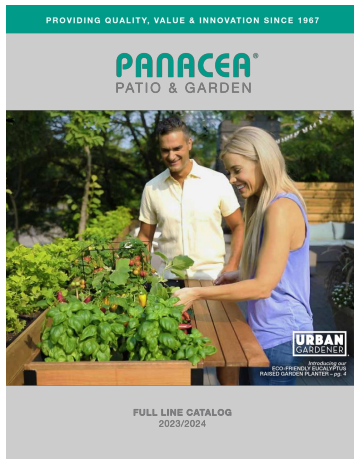
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