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Model: TF-467

## INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential information for the safe and effective use, maintenance, and care of your Tac-Force TF-467 Series spring assisted open folding knife. Designed for easy one-handed deployment, this knife features a robust liner lock mechanism for secure blade retention. Please read this manual thoroughly before initial use.

## SAFETY INFORMATION

**WARNING: Knives are sharp tools. Handle with extreme care to prevent injury.**

- Always keep the blade pointed away from yourself and others.
- Ensure the blade is fully locked open before use.
- Keep out of reach of children.
- Do not use the knife for prying, throwing, or as a screwdriver.
- Store the knife in a closed and secure position when not in use.
- Exercise caution when cleaning or sharpening the blade.

## INITIAL INSPECTION

Upon receiving your Tac-Force TF-467 knife, inspect it for any signs of damage or manufacturing defects. Ensure the blade opens and closes smoothly and that the liner lock engages securely. If any issues are found, do not use the knife and contact customer support.

## OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

The TF-467 features a spring-assisted opening mechanism and a liner lock for secure operation.

### Opening the Blade

Your knife can be opened using either the flipper or the thumb stud:

1. **Using the Flipper:** Hold the knife firmly with the handle in your palm. Place your index finger on the flipper tab protruding from the back of the handle. Apply firm, quick pressure downwards on the flipper. The spring assist will rapidly deploy the blade into the locked open position.
2. **Using the Thumb Stud:** Hold the knife firmly. Place your thumb on the thumb stud located on the side of the blade. Apply outward pressure with your thumb, pushing the blade away from the handle. The spring assist will engage, opening the blade fully.

Ensure the blade is fully extended and the liner lock is engaged before use. The liner lock is a metal bar inside the handle that slides behind the blade's tang when opened, preventing accidental closure.



Image: The Tac-Force TF-467 knife displayed in both its open and closed configurations. The top image shows the knife with its black straight edge blade fully deployed, revealing the digital camouflage pattern on the handle. The bottom image shows the knife folded, with the pocket clip visible on the handle.

## Closing the Blade

To safely close the blade:

1. Locate the liner lock, which is the metal bar positioned inside the handle, pressing against the base of the blade.
2. Carefully push the liner lock to the side (typically towards the left if holding the knife with the blade pointing away from you) to disengage it from the blade's tang.
3. While holding the liner lock disengaged, gently fold the blade back into the handle until it is fully closed. Keep fingers clear of the blade path.

## MAINTENANCE

Proper maintenance ensures the longevity and performance of your knife.

- **Cleaning:** As per manufacturer instructions, hand wash only. After use, especially if exposed to moisture or debris, clean the blade and handle with a damp cloth. Dry thoroughly immediately to prevent rust. Do not use harsh chemicals or abrasive materials.
- **Lubrication:** Periodically apply a small amount of light oil (e.g., mineral oil or specialized knife oil) to the pivot point of the blade to ensure smooth opening and closing action.
- **Sharpening:** A sharp blade is a safe blade. Sharpen the 3-inch, 3mm thick straight edge stainless steel blade as needed using a suitable sharpening stone or system. Maintain the original blade angle for best results.
- **Storage:** Store the knife in a dry environment to prevent corrosion. Keep it closed and in a safe place, away from humidity and extreme temperatures.

## TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Blade is stiff to open/close.	Lack of lubrication, dirt in pivot.	Clean pivot area and apply light oil.
Blade does not lock securely.	Liner lock mechanism obstructed or damaged.	Inspect for debris. If damaged, discontinue use and contact support.
Blade is dull.	Normal wear from use.	Sharpen the blade using appropriate tools.

## SPECIFICATIONS

**Model Name:** TF-467

**Brand:** Tac-Force

**Blade Length:** 3 Inches

**Blade Thickness:** 3mm

**Blade Material:** Stainless Steel

**Blade Edge:** Straight Edge, Compound Bevel

**Handle Material:** Digital Camo Nylon Fiber

**Closed Length:** 4.5 Inches

**Special Features:** Spring Assist, Folding Knife, Pocket Clip

**Recommended Uses:** Hunting

**Product Care:** Hand Wash Only

## WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

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For warranty information or technical support regarding your Tac-Force TF-467 knife, please refer to the product packaging or contact the manufacturer directly. Keep your proof of purchase for any warranty claims.

Manufacturer: Master Cutlery Inc.

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