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Model: Campa Potti MT (Part No. 92874)

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential instructions for the safe and effective use, maintenance, and troubleshooting of your Thetford Marine Campa Potti MT Portable Toilet. Please read this manual thoroughly before operating the unit to ensure proper function and longevity.

SAFETY INFORMATION

- Always ensure the toilet is placed on a stable, level surface to prevent tipping.
- Do not overfill the fresh water tank or the waste holding tank. Refer to capacity limits in the specifications.
- Use only recommended toilet chemicals and cleaners. Harsh chemicals can damage the unit and void the warranty.
- Keep out of reach of children when not in use.
- Ensure the waste tank valve is closed before moving the unit or separating the tanks.
- Wear appropriate protective gear (gloves, eye protection) when handling waste or chemicals.

SETUP

1. Unpacking and Initial Inspection

Carefully remove all components from the packaging. Inspect the toilet for any signs of damage. If any parts are missing or damaged, do not proceed with setup and contact customer support.

2. Separating the Tanks

1. Locate the rear latch mechanism that connects the upper (flush water) tank to the lower (waste holding) tank.
2. Release the latch to separate the two sections.

3. Filling the Fresh Water Tank

1. Remove the fill cap from the fresh water tank.
2. Fill the fresh water tank with clean water. Do not exceed the maximum fill line.
3. Add the recommended amount of Thetford Aqua Rinse or similar flush water additive according to the product instructions.
4. Securely replace the fill cap.

4. Preparing the Waste Holding Tank

1. With the waste tank separated, remove the cap from the pour-out spout.
2. Add the recommended amount of Thetford Aqua Kem or similar waste tank treatment to the waste tank. Refer to the chemical product instructions for dosage.
3. Add approximately 1 liter (0.25 gallons) of water to the waste tank to help dissolve the chemical.
4. Securely replace the pour-out spout cap.

5. Reassembling the Toilet

1. Align the upper tank with the lower waste holding tank.
2. Press down firmly until the latch mechanism engages, securing the two sections together. Ensure a tight seal.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

1. Before Use

Before each use, ensure the waste tank valve handle is in the closed position (pushed in). This prevents odors from escaping and prepares the unit for flushing.

2. Using the Toilet

1. Open the waste tank valve by pulling the handle out.
2. After use, close the waste tank valve by pushing the handle in.

3. Flushing

1. After closing the waste tank valve, operate the bellows pump flush mechanism located on the side of the upper tank.
2. Pump several times until the bowl is clean.
3. Ensure enough water remains in the fresh water tank for subsequent flushes.

MAINTENANCE

1. Emptying the Waste Holding Tank

Empty the waste tank when it reaches approximately 3/4 full or before storing the unit. Do not wait until it is completely full to avoid spills and difficulty in handling.

1. Ensure the waste tank valve is closed.
2. Separate the upper tank from the lower waste holding tank.
3. Carry the waste tank to an approved disposal site (e.g., RV dump station, marine pump-out station, or standard toilet if permitted by local regulations).
4. Rotate the pour-out spout away from the tank body.
5. Remove the pour-out spout cap.
6. Press the air release button (if present) while pouring to ensure smooth emptying and prevent splashing. Be careful to avoid contact with waste.
7. Rinse the waste tank thoroughly with clean water after emptying. You may add a small amount of fresh water and shake the tank to rinse, then empty again.
8. Add a fresh dose of waste tank treatment and a small amount of water before reassembling.
9. Securely replace the pour-out spout cap and rotate the spout back into its storage position.

2. Cleaning the Toilet

- Clean the toilet regularly with a non-abrasive cleaner specifically designed for plastic surfaces.
- The seat and cover are removable for easier cleaning. Gently lift them off for access.
- Do not use bleach or strong acidic/alkaline cleaners, as these can damage seals and plastic components.

3. Winterization and Storage

- Before storing for extended periods or in freezing temperatures, ensure both the fresh water tank and waste holding tank are completely empty and dry.
- Flush the system with a non-toxic antifreeze solution if storing in freezing conditions, following the antifreeze manufacturer's instructions.
- Store the toilet in a clean, dry place.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Odors escaping	Waste tank valve not fully closed; insufficient waste treatment; damaged seal.	Ensure valve is pushed in completely. Add more waste treatment. Inspect and replace seals if damaged.
Poor flushing	Low fresh water level; pump malfunction; clogged nozzle.	Refill fresh water tank. Check pump for obstructions. Clean flush nozzle.
Leaks between tanks	Tanks not properly latched; worn or damaged seal.	Ensure tanks are securely latched. Inspect the main seal between tanks and replace if necessary.
Difficulty emptying waste tank	Waste tank overfilled; air release button not pressed; waste not sufficiently broken down.	Do not overfill. Press the air release button during emptying. Ensure proper waste treatment dosage and allow time for breakdown.

SPECIFICATIONS



Image: The Thetford Campa Potti MT Portable Toilet showing its overall dimensions.

Feature	Detail
Model	Campa Potti MT (Part No. 92874)
Dimensions (H x W x D)	16.5" x 15" x 13.4" (42 cm x 38 cm x 34 cm)
Material	Plastic
Fresh Water Capacity	4.0 gallons (15 liters)
Waste Tank Capacity	3.2 gallons (12 liters)
Average Flushes	Approximately 33
Item Weight	10.4 Pounds (4.7 kg)
Flush Type	Bellows pump

Feature	Detail
Pour-out Spout	Exclusive rotating design

WARRANTY INFORMATION

The Thetford Marine Campa Potti MT Portable Toilet comes with a **1-year warranty** from the date of purchase. This warranty covers manufacturing defects under normal use. It does not cover damage resulting from misuse, neglect, accident, alteration, or improper installation/maintenance. Please retain your proof of purchase for warranty claims.

CUSTOMER SUPPORT

For further assistance, technical support, or to inquire about replacement parts, please contact Thetford Marine customer service. Refer to the official Thetford website for current contact information.
Note: Always provide your product model number (92874) and purchase date when contacting support.