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Model: B0191L4DUG

## 1. INTRODUCTION

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The Quechua Tarp Fresh Camping Shelter is designed to provide hikers and campers with a versatile, sheltered living space. It offers protection from direct sunlight and harmful UV rays, and can be used to create or expand the living area of a tent. Its 'Fresh' technology helps reduce heat exposure under the sun, enhancing comfort in outdoor environments.

## 2. SAFETY INFORMATION

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- **Weather Conditions:** Do not set up the tarp in extreme weather conditions such as strong winds, heavy rain, or thunderstorms. Always check weather forecasts before use.
- **Anchoring:** Ensure all stakes and guy ropes are securely anchored to prevent the tarp from being lifted by wind.
- **Fire Safety:** Keep the tarp away from open flames, campfires, and other heat sources. The material is not fireproof.
- **Ventilation:** While providing shelter, ensure adequate ventilation, especially if used in conjunction with a tent, to prevent condensation.
- **Children:** Supervise children around the tarp and its setup to prevent accidents.

## 3. PACKAGE CONTENTS

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Please verify that all components are present before attempting to set up your Tarp Fresh Camping Shelter:

- Quechua Tarp Fresh Shelter fabric

- Support poles (quantity may vary based on configuration)
- Guy ropes
- Stakes/Pegs
- Carry bag

## 4. SETUP INSTRUCTIONS

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The Quechua Tarp Fresh is designed for flexible setup. Here are general steps for a common configuration:

1. **Choose Your Site:** Select a flat, clear area free of sharp objects. Consider wind direction and sun exposure.
2. **Unpack and Lay Out:** Remove the tarp from its carry bag and spread it out on the ground.
3. **Position Poles:** Insert the support poles into the designated grommets or loops at the corners or edges of the tarp, depending on your desired configuration.
4. **Attach Guy Ropes:** Securely attach guy ropes to the reinforced loops on the tarp.
5. **Anchor Stakes:** Drive stakes into the ground at an angle, ensuring they are firm. Attach the guy ropes to the stakes, adjusting tension as needed.
6. **Adjust Tension:** Adjust the length of the guy ropes to create a taut, stable shelter. Ensure water will run off and not pool on the tarp.



Image: The Quechua Tarp Fresh Camping Shelter deployed over a small dome tent, providing additional shade and weather protection. The tarp is supported by poles and guy lines.



Image: The Quechua Tarp Fresh Camping Shelter configured as a standalone sun shelter, supported by four poles and multiple guy lines for stability.

## 5. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS (USAGE)

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The Tarp Fresh offers multiple uses for your outdoor adventures:

- **Sun Shelter:** Position the tarp to maximize shade during the hottest parts of the day. The 'Fresh' technology and UPF 50+ rating provide excellent UV protection.
- **Rain Protection:** While waterproof, ensure the tarp is pitched with sufficient slope to allow rainwater to run off, preventing pooling.
- **Wind Break:** In moderate wind conditions, the tarp can be pitched low to the ground on one side to act as a windbreak. Always ensure it is securely anchored.
- **Tent Extension:** Use the tarp to create an extended living area or porch outside your tent, offering additional shade or rain protection for gear.

## 6. MAINTENANCE

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- **Cleaning:** Hand wash the tarp with mild soap and water. Do not use harsh detergents or bleach. Rinse thoroughly.
- **Drying:** Always ensure the tarp is completely dry before packing it away to prevent mildew and odors. Air dry in a shaded area.
- **Inspection:** Regularly inspect the tarp, poles, guy ropes, and stakes for any signs of wear, tear, or damage.
- **Repairs:** Small tears can often be repaired with a suitable fabric repair kit. Consult a professional for larger damages.

## 7. STORAGE

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Proper storage extends the life of your Tarp Fresh Camping Shelter:

- Ensure the tarp is clean and completely dry before folding.
- Fold the tarp neatly to fit into its original carry bag.
- Store the tarp, poles, and accessories in a cool, dry place, away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures.
- Avoid storing in damp environments to prevent mildew growth.



Image: The Quechua Tarp Fresh Camping Shelter neatly packed into its white cylindrical carry bag, displaying key dimensions (290 cm x 285 cm) and features like UV protection.

## 8. TROUBLESHOOTING

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Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Tarp is unstable or sways in wind.	Loose guy ropes or stakes, insufficient anchoring, incorrect pole placement.	Ensure all stakes are firmly driven into the ground. Tighten guy ropes. Adjust pole positions for better balance. Add more guy ropes if available.
Water pools on the tarp during rain.	Insufficient tension, flat pitching angle.	Increase tension on guy ropes to create a steeper angle. Reposition poles to create a higher peak.
Difficulty packing the tarp into its bag.	Tarp not folded tightly or correctly.	Lay the tarp flat, fold it lengthwise into a narrow strip, then roll or fold tightly to fit the bag.

## 9. SPECIFICATIONS

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- **Brand:** Quechua
- **Model:** B0191L4DUG
- **Item Weight:** 2.37 kg
- **Recommended Uses:** Camping & Hiking
- **Shape:** Rectangular
- **Material:** Polyester
- **Colour:** White
- **Installation Type:** Free Standing
- **Product Care Instructions:** Hand Wash
- **Age Range:** Adult
- **UV Protection:** UPF 50+
- **Dimensions (approx.):** 290 cm x 285 cm (9 ft 6 in x 9 ft 4 in)

## 10. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

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For information regarding warranty coverage, returns, or technical support, please refer to the retailer where you purchased the Quechua Tarp Fresh Camping Shelter or visit the official Quechua website. Keep your proof of purchase for any warranty claims.