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Model: Arpenaz 2 | Brand: Quechua

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential information for the proper setup, use, maintenance, and troubleshooting of your Quechua Arpenaz 2 Tent. Please read these instructions carefully before using your tent to ensure safety and optimal performance. The Quechua Arpenaz 2 Tent is designed for 2-person occupancy, suitable for 3-season camping and hiking. It features a durable and waterproof design, making it ideal for various outdoor conditions.

PACKAGE CONTENTS

Before beginning assembly, verify that all components are present:

- Tent Body (inner tent and outer fly)
- Poles (Fiberglass)
- Pegs
- Carry Bag

Note: The tent body typically includes the inner tent and the waterproof outer fly. Poles and pegs are separate components for assembly.

SETUP INSTRUCTIONS

1. Site Selection

Choose a flat, level area free of sharp objects. Clear any debris that could damage the tent floor. Avoid setting up in depressions where water might collect.

2. Unpacking and Laying Out

Remove the tent from its carry bag. Unroll the tent body and lay it flat on the chosen site. Ensure the tent floor is spread out evenly.



Image: The inner tent of the Quechua Arpenaz 2 Tent, showing the mesh and floor, laid out flat. This is the first layer to be set up.

3. Assembling the Poles

Connect the fiberglass pole sections. The Arpenaz 2 tent typically uses two main poles that cross over the top. Ensure all sections are fully inserted into each other to form rigid poles.

4. Inserting the Poles

Slide the assembled poles through the fabric sleeves on the inner tent. Once the poles are through, insert the ends of each pole into the grommets or pins located at the corners of the tent base. This will raise the inner tent structure.

5. Securing the Inner Tent

Once the poles are in place and the inner tent is standing, use the provided pegs to secure the four corners of the inner tent to the ground. This prevents the tent from shifting during the next steps.

6. Attaching the Rainfly

Drape the rainfly over the erected inner tent. Align the doors and vents of the rainfly with those of the inner tent. Secure the rainfly to the tent poles using the attached buckles or ties. Ensure the rainfly is taut and evenly distributed over the inner tent.



Image: The Quechua Arpenaz 2 Tent with its green rainfly partially open, revealing the inner tent. This shows the tent ready for entry.

7. Pegging Out the Rainfly and Guy Ropes

Peg out the remaining points of the rainfly to the ground. Extend and peg out any attached guy ropes. Adjust the tension of the guy ropes to ensure the tent is stable and the rainfly is taut, allowing for proper airflow and water runoff.



Image: The Quechua Arpenaz 2 Tent fully set up with the green rainfly closed, demonstrating its complete and stable form.

OPERATING THE TENT

Ventilation

The tent features ventilation points to reduce condensation. Ensure these are open when possible, especially in humid conditions. The inner tent's mesh panels also contribute to airflow.

Entry and Exit

Use the zippered door on the rainfly and the inner tent for entry and exit. Always zip doors completely closed to prevent insects from entering and to maintain internal temperature.

Storage Pockets

Utilize any internal pockets for storing small items like phones, headlamps, or keys to keep the tent floor clear.

DISASSEMBLY AND PACKING

1. Remove all personal items from the tent.
2. Unpeg all guy ropes and the rainfly.
3. Remove the rainfly and fold it neatly.
4. Unpeg the inner tent.
5. Remove the poles from the grommets/pins and slide them out of the sleeves. Disassemble the pole sections and bundle them together.
6. Fold the inner tent neatly.
7. Place the folded tent body, rainfly, poles, and pegs back into the carry bag. Ensure all components are dry before packing to prevent mildew.

MAINTENANCE AND CARE

- **Cleaning:** Clean the tent with a soft sponge and soapy water. Do not use harsh detergents or washing machines. Rinse thoroughly.
- **Drying:** Always ensure the tent is completely dry before packing it away to prevent mildew and fabric degradation. Air dry in a shaded, well-ventilated area.
- **Storage:** Store the tent in a cool, dry place, away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures.
- **Pole Care:** Inspect poles for cracks or damage regularly. Replace damaged sections promptly.
- **Zipper Care:** Keep zippers clean and free of debris. Lubricate with a silicone-based spray if they become stiff.
- **Waterproofing:** Over time, the tent's waterproof coating may degrade. Reapply a suitable waterproofing spray as needed, especially on the rainfly and seams.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Condensation inside tent	Poor ventilation, high humidity	Ensure all vents are open. Increase airflow by slightly opening doors if weather permits. Choose a well-ventilated campsite.
Tent not standing tautly	Poles not fully inserted, improper pegging, loose guy ropes	Check pole connections. Re-peg the tent corners and adjust guy rope tension. Ensure rainfly is centered.
Water leaking through fabric	Damaged fabric, worn waterproofing, seam failure	Inspect for tears. Reapply waterproofing spray to affected areas. Use seam sealer on leaky seams.
Zipper sticking	Dirt/debris, lack of lubrication	Clean zipper teeth. Apply a silicone-based zipper lubricant.

SPECIFICATIONS

- **Model:** Quechua Arpenaz 2 Tent
- **Occupancy:** 2 Person
- **Seasons:** 3 Season
- **Weight:** 2.4 Kilograms (approx. 2 kg 400 g)
- **Shape:** Rectangular (Dome Tent)
- **Material:** Polyester (Rainfly, Fabric Type), Polyethylene (Base Material, Tent Floor Material), Alloy Steel, Fibreglass

(Poles)

- **Pole Material Type:** Fiberglass
- **Water Resistance Level:** Waterproof
- **Installation Type:** Free Standing
- **Special Feature:** Foldable
- **Included Components:** Peg, Pole

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For information regarding warranty coverage, product support, or spare parts, please refer to the official Quechua website or contact their customer service. Keep your proof of purchase for warranty claims.

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