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Model: 491070-1

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides instructions for the proper use and maintenance of your Sea-Dog 491070-1 Three-Sided Bristle Brush. This brush is designed for effective and safe cleaning of various marine surfaces.

The Sea-Dog 491070-1 is a versatile three-sided bristle brush head, compatible with all Sea-Dog boat hooks and other universal threaded devices. Its soft bristles are specifically engineered to be safe for delicate surfaces such as gelcoat, paint, and plastic windows. The unique three-sided design, including side bristles, facilitates cleaning in hard-to-reach areas. With a 10.5-inch head width, it offers an extended cleaning area for improved efficiency.

PRODUCT OVERVIEW



Figure 1: Sea-Dog 491070-1 Three-Sided Bristle Brush. This image shows the blue, three-sided brush head designed for boat cleaning.

Key Features:

- **Universal Compatibility:** Designed to fit all Sea-Dog boat hooks and other universal threaded devices.
- **Soft Bristles:** Safe for cleaning gelcoat, paint, and plastic windows without causing damage.
- **Three-Sided Design:** Includes side bristles for enhanced cleaning in tight or difficult-to-reach spaces.
- **Extended Cleaning Area:** Features a 10.5-inch head width for efficient cleaning of larger surfaces.
- **Durable Construction:** Made from plastic for long-lasting use in marine environments.

SETUP

1. **Unpack the Brush:** Carefully remove the Sea-Dog 491070-1 brush head from its packaging.
2. **Prepare Your Boat Hook:** Ensure your boat hook or threaded device has a clean, compatible threaded end.
3. **Attach the Brush Head:** Align the threaded opening on the brush head with the threaded end of your boat hook.

Turn the brush head clockwise until it is securely fastened. Do not overtighten.

4. **Verify Connection:** Gently tug on the brush head to ensure it is firmly attached and will not detach during use.



Figure 2: Illustration of attaching the brush head to a standard boat hook. The brush head screws onto the threaded end of the pole.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

The Sea-Dog 491070-1 brush is designed for gentle yet effective cleaning of marine surfaces. Follow these guidelines for optimal results:

1. **Wet the Surface:** Before cleaning, thoroughly wet the surface to be cleaned with fresh water. This helps to loosen dirt and prevents scratching.
2. **Apply Cleaning Solution (Optional):** If using a marine-safe cleaning solution, apply it according to the solution's instructions.
3. **Gentle Scrubbing:** Use light to moderate pressure when scrubbing. The soft bristles are effective without requiring excessive force.
4. **Utilize Side Bristles:** For corners, crevices, and other hard-to-reach areas, angle the brush to engage the side bristles.
5. **Rinse Thoroughly:** After scrubbing, rinse the cleaned area thoroughly with fresh water to remove all cleaning solution and loosened debris.
6. **Avoid Abrasive Surfaces:** Do not use this brush on highly abrasive or rough surfaces that could damage the soft bristles.



Figure 3: Demonstrating the Sea-Dog brush in use on a boat deck. The user is gently scrubbing a surface.

MAINTENANCE

Proper maintenance will extend the life of your Sea-Dog brush and ensure its continued effectiveness.

- **Rinse After Each Use:** After every cleaning session, thoroughly rinse the brush head with fresh water to remove all dirt, debris, and cleaning solution residue.
- **Inspect for Damage:** Periodically inspect the bristles for wear or damage. While durable, excessive force or contact with sharp objects can cause damage.
- **Storage:** Store the brush head in a clean, dry place, away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures. Hanging the brush with bristles facing down can help maintain their shape.
- **Avoid Harsh Chemicals:** Do not use harsh solvents or chemicals to clean the brush itself, as this may degrade the plastic or bristles.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
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Brush not cleaning effectively.	Insufficient cleaning solution; bristles are worn; surface not pre-wet.	Ensure adequate cleaning solution is used. Inspect bristles for wear and replace if necessary. Always pre-wet the surface.
Bristles appear matted or bent.	Improper storage; excessive pressure during use; contact with rough surfaces.	Store brush properly (e.g., hanging). Use gentle pressure. Avoid rough surfaces. If severely matted, replacement may be needed.
Brush head detaches from pole.	Brush head not securely tightened; incompatible threading.	Ensure the brush head is securely tightened onto the pole. Verify that the pole has universal threading compatible with the brush.

SPECIFICATIONS

Attribute	Detail
Model Number	491070-1
Brand	Sea-Dog
Color	Blue
Bristle Type	Soft
Head Material	Plastic
Compatibility	All Sea-Dog boat hooks and universal threaded devices
Product Dimensions (L x W x H)	10.5" x 3.25" x 4"
Head Width	10.5 inches
Head Depth	3.75 inches
Item Weight	0.31 kg (10.9 oz)
Recommended Surfaces	Gelcoat, paint, plastic windows, boat decks

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Warranty Information:

Specific warranty details for the Sea-Dog 491070-1 Three-Sided Bristle Brush are typically provided at the point of purchase or on the manufacturer's official website. Please retain your proof of purchase for any warranty claims.

Customer Support:

For further assistance, technical support, or inquiries regarding your Sea-Dog product, please contact Sea-Dog customer service. Contact information can usually be found on the product packaging or the official Sea-Dog website.

Note: This manual is for informational purposes only. Always refer to the latest product documentation and safety guidelines provided by the manufacturer.

