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Model: 03761

Brand: Bruder

INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing the Bruder Toys MAN TGS Side Loading Garbage Truck 03761. This highly detailed and functional toy truck is designed to provide a realistic and engaging play experience, simulating the operations of a modern garbage collection vehicle. Crafted from high-quality, durable plastics, this model is built to withstand rigorous play both indoors and outdoors. Please read this manual carefully to understand all features and ensure proper operation and maintenance.

SAFETY INFORMATION

Warning: Small Parts - Not for children under 3 years old.

Always supervise children during play to prevent misuse or accidental ingestion of small parts. Ensure the play area is clear of hazards.

PRODUCT FEATURES

- **Cab Windows:** Made from transparent and shatter-proof plastic.
- **Folding Outside Mirrors:** Adjustable mirrors for enhanced realism.
- **Opening Doors:** Cab doors can be opened to place Bruder world figures (not included) inside.
- **Fully Functional Loading Arm:** A pull-out lifter unit moves from the side to grab and empty bins.
- **Tilting Loading Body:** The entire body tilts to empty collected waste.
- **Screw-Type Compactors:** Two internal screw-type compactors move waste towards the rear.
- **Opening Tailgate:** The tailgate opens for waste disposal.
- **Tread Tires:** Durable tires for various play surfaces.
- **Compatibility:** Additional features compatible with light & sound module, item No. 02801 (not included).
- **Material:** Manufactured from high-quality plastics, such as ABS.
- **Scale:** 1:16 scale.
- **Origin:** Made in Germany.

WHAT'S IN THE BOX

- MAN TGS Side Loading Garbage Truck

SETUP

1. **Unboxing:** Carefully remove the truck and any accessories from the packaging.
2. **Inspection:** Check all parts for any damage or missing components.
3. **Familiarization:** Take a moment to familiarize yourself with the various movable parts and controls of the truck.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

1. Cab Operation

- **Opening Doors:** Gently pull the cab doors to open them. This allows placement of Bruder world figures (not included) into the driver's seat.
- **Folding Mirrors:** The side mirrors can be folded in or out as desired.
- **Tilting Cab:** The entire cab can be tilted forward to reveal the engine compartment for added play realism.



Image: The truck's cab with an open door, showing the detailed interior and a figure inside.

2. Side Loading Mechanism

- **Deploying the Lifter:** Locate the pull-out lifter unit on the side of the truck. Extend it outwards.
- **Attaching Bins:** Position a small garbage can (e.g., from Bruder set 02607, not included) onto the lifter's attachment points.

- **Lifting and Emptying:** Turn the silver knob located on the side of the truck. This action will lift the bin and tilt it to empty its contents into the loading body.
- **Securing the Lifter:** After emptying, return the lifter to its original position and lock it up for transport.



Image: The side loading mechanism in action, lifting a blue trash bin towards the truck's loading compartment.

3. Waste Compaction

- **Activating Compactors:** On the side of the truck, locate the red knob. Turn this knob to activate the two internal screw-type compactors.
- **Moving Waste:** The compactors will push the collected waste from the front of the loading body towards the rear, making space for more refuse.

4. Waste Dumping

- **Opening Tailgate:** Release the latch to open the tailgate at the rear of the truck.
- **Tilting Body:** Use the mechanism to tilt the entire loading body upwards. This will allow the compacted waste to slide out of the truck.
- **Closing:** Once emptied, lower the loading body and secure the tailgate.



Image: The garbage truck's body is fully tilted, demonstrating the dumping function with the tailgate open.

Official Product Video

Video: An official demonstration of the Bruder MAN TGS Side Loading Garbage Truck, showcasing its various functions including side loading, waste compaction, and dumping.

MAINTENANCE

- **Cleaning:** Wipe the truck with a damp cloth to remove dust and dirt. Avoid harsh chemicals.
- **Storage:** Store the toy in a cool, dry place away from direct sunlight to prevent material degradation.
- **Moving Parts:** Periodically check all moving parts for smooth operation. Do not force any mechanisms.

TROUBLESHOOTING

- **Bin Not Attaching:** Ensure the bin is correctly aligned with the lifter's attachment points.
- **Waste Not Compacting:** Check for any obstructions in the loading body that might be preventing the screw-type compactors from moving freely.
- **Body Not Tilting:** Verify that the tailgate is fully open and there are no obstructions preventing the body from tilting.
- **Doors/Mirrors Stiff:** Apply a small amount of silicone-based lubricant if parts become stiff, avoiding oil-based products.

SPECIFICATIONS

Attribute	Value
Product Dimensions	22.83 x 7.87 x 11.42 inches
Item Weight	4.67 pounds
Item Model Number	03761
Manufacturer Recommended Age	4 - 15 years
Scale	1:16
Material	High-quality plastics (ABS)
Release Date	April 1, 2018

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Bruder Toys are known for their high quality and durability. For any questions, concerns, or support regarding your MAN TGS Side Loading Garbage Truck 03761, please contact Bruder Toys customer service directly. Please refer to the product packaging or the official Bruder website for the most up-to-date contact information and warranty details.

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