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Model: 2398800 | Brand: AMES

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

This AMES hose reel is designed for convenient and durable hose storage. It features a robust NeverLeak aluminum water system, an easy-spin crank handle, and a manual hose guide to ensure even winding. The unit is constructed from durable, all-poly material for long-lasting service in your garden or patio area.

KEY FEATURES

- **Durable NeverLeak Aluminum Water System:** Prevents leaks under normal use, resists cross-threading, and is 8x stronger than typical plastic water systems.
- **Easy-Spin Crank Handle:** Facilitates smooth and effortless hose winding.
- **Hose Capacity:** Accommodates 50' to 175' of 5/8" hose.
- **Manual Hose Guide:** Ensures the hose winds evenly and quickly onto the reel.

SETUP INSTRUCTIONS

Follow these steps to set up your AMES ReelEasy Side Mount Hose Reel:

1. **Unpack:** Carefully remove all components from the packaging.
2. **Positioning:** Place the hose reel on a flat, stable surface near your outdoor water source.
3. **Connect Leader Hose:** Attach the included leader hose (short hose) to your outdoor water spigot. Ensure a tight, leak-free connection.
4. **Connect to Reel:** Connect the other end of the leader hose to the inlet connection on the side of the hose reel.
5. **Attach Garden Hose:** Connect your main garden hose to the internal spigot on the reel. Ensure it is securely fastened.

6. **Wind Hose:** Begin winding your garden hose onto the reel using the easy-spin crank handle. Utilize the manual hose guide to ensure the hose layers evenly across the reel.
7. **Test for Leaks:** Slowly turn on the water supply and check all connections for any leaks. Tighten connections as needed.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

To use your AMES ReelEasy Side Mount Hose Reel:

1. **Unwind Hose:** Pull the desired length of hose from the reel. The manual hose guide will assist in smooth unwinding.
2. **Watering:** Attach your preferred nozzle or sprinkler to the end of the hose and begin watering.
3. **Rewind Hose:** After use, detach the nozzle. Use the easy-spin crank handle to rewind the hose onto the reel. Guide the hose manually to ensure even layering and prevent tangles.

MAINTENANCE

Proper maintenance will extend the life of your hose reel:

- **Cleaning:** Periodically clean the exterior of the hose reel with mild soap and water.
- **Winterization:** Before freezing temperatures, disconnect the hose reel from the water source. Drain all water from the hose and the reel's internal system. Store the unit in a protected area to prevent freeze damage.
- **Connection Check:** Regularly inspect all hose connections for wear or leaks. Replace rubber washers as needed.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Leaks at Connections

If you experience leaks at the hose connections:

- Ensure all connections are tightened securely.
- Check rubber washers for wear or damage and replace if necessary.
- Apply plumber's tape to threaded connections for an improved seal.

Hose Not Winding Evenly

If the hose is not winding evenly:

- Ensure you are actively guiding the hose with your hand as you turn the crank. The manual hose guide assists but requires user interaction for optimal layering.
- Check for kinks or obstructions in the hose.

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS

Attribute	Value
Brand	AMES
Material	Plastic
Color	Gray
Item dimensions L x W x H	17.37 x 21.25 x 18.5 inches
Style	Easy Spin
Item Weight	9.4 Pounds
Installation Type	Freestanding
Operation Mode	Manual
Capacity	175 Feet (of 5/8" hose)
Item model number	2398800
UPC	055636800975 049206040502

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

This product is backed by AMES. For specific warranty details or technical support, please refer to the documentation included with your purchase or visit the official AMES website.

VISUAL GUIDES

Product Images



Close-up of the hose guide mechanism on the AMES ReelEasy Side Mount Hose Reel.



Close-up of the easy-spin crank handle on the AMES ReelEasy Side Mount Hose Reel.



Base of the AMES ReelEasy Side Mount Hose Reel, showing its stable design.



AMES ReelEasy Side Mount Hose Reel positioned next to a house on a patio.

Official Product Videos

No official instructional videos from the seller are available for this specific product.