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Bushnell BLP50002

Bushnell Instant Tent User Manual

Model: BLP50002

Introduction

This manual provides comprehensive instructions for the setup, operation, maintenance, and troubleshooting of your Bushnell Instant Tent. Designed for quick assembly and durability, this tent is ideal for 3-season family camping, hunting, and fishing. Its innovative features ensure comfort and protection in various outdoor conditions.



Figure 1: The Bushnell Instant Tent, showcasing its cabin design and grey/dark grey color scheme.

Safety Information

Please read all safety warnings and instructions before using this product. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death.

- **Fire Safety:** Keep all flame and heat sources away from this tent fabric. The tent fabric will burn if left in

continuous contact with any flame source.

- **Ventilation:** Ensure adequate ventilation to prevent suffocation and carbon monoxide poisoning. Do not use fuel-burning devices inside the tent.
- **Weather Conditions:** Do not use this tent in extreme weather conditions, including severe winds, heavy snow, or lightning storms. Seek appropriate shelter during such conditions.
- **Proposition 65 Warning:** This product may contain chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm.

Components List

Verify that all components are present before beginning setup.

- Tent Body (with pre-attached poles)
- Rainfly
- Stakes
- Carry Bag

Setup Instructions

The Bushnell Instant Tent features a 60-second setup design with pre-attached poles for quick and easy assembly.

Step 1: Prepare for Setup

Select a level site clear of rocks, branches, and other hard or sharp objects to set up your shelter. Lay the tent flat on the ground and check that there is no material twisted or overlapping the ends of any poles.



Figure 2: Laying out the tent body to prepare for assembly.

Step 2: Unfold & Open Tent

Grasp the orange webbed loop tied onto the steel ring located at the center of the wall and pull outward until the wall section pops open. Repeat on the opposite side. Extend leg poles until they click into position.



Figure 3: Unfolding the tent and extending the pre-attached poles.

Step 3: Install & Secure Rainfly

Fully open the rainfly, then drag it over the top of the tent. Secure the rainfly to the base of tent corners using the attached buckles. Ensure the reflective coating side of the rainfly faces downwards, towards the tent.

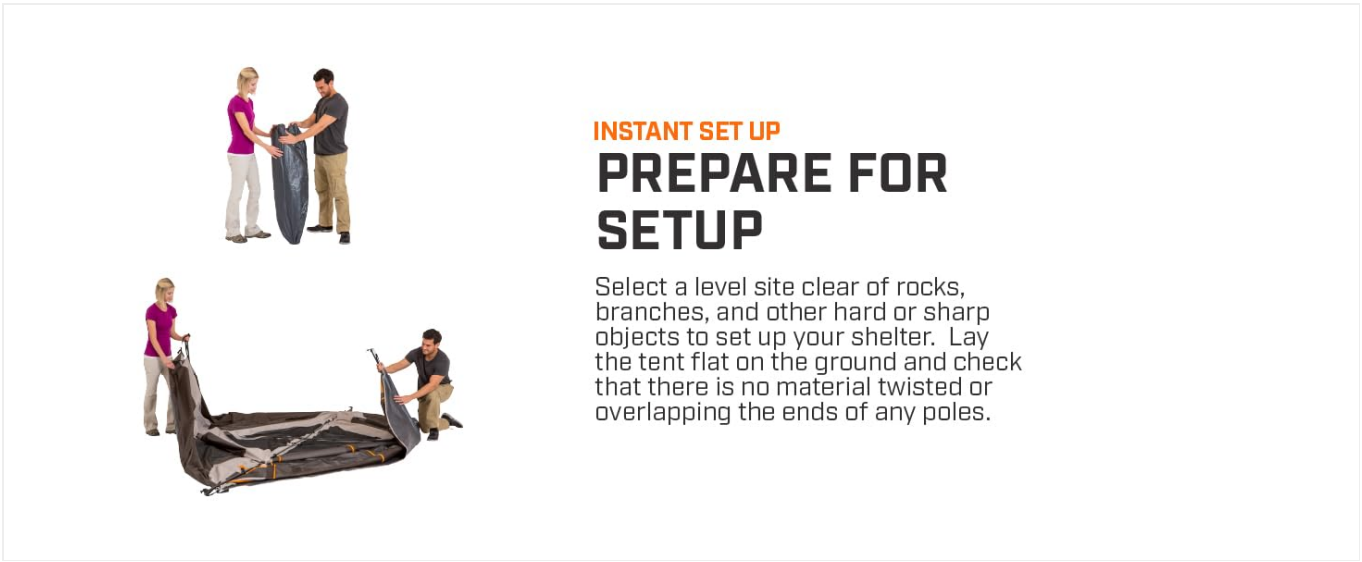

Figure 4: Attaching the rainfly to the tent body.

Step 4: Stake & Secure Tent

Move your completed tent to its final position. Secure the tent and guylines using the included stakes. Ensure all guylines are taut to provide maximum stability against wind.

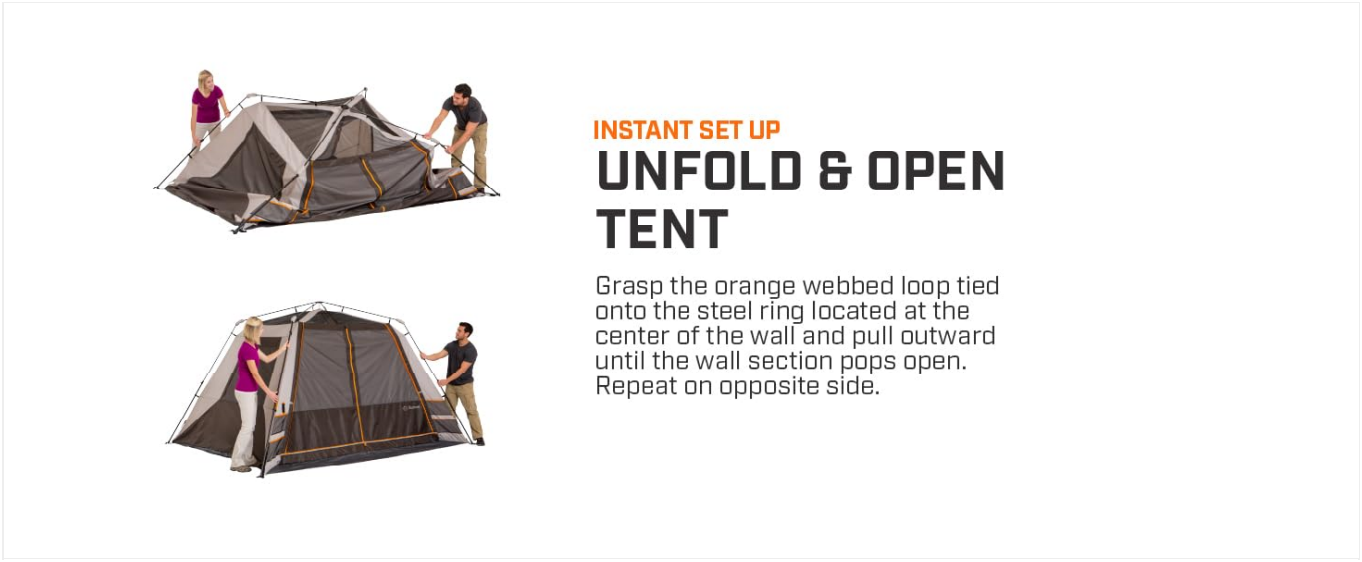

Figure 5: The fully assembled tent, ready for use.

Operating Features

Air Conditioning Ground Vent

The side wall of the tent includes a convenient 12.5" x 17" mesh AC vent with a 17" cover. This allows for the installation of a small air conditioning unit (A/C unit not included) to enhance comfort during warmer weather.

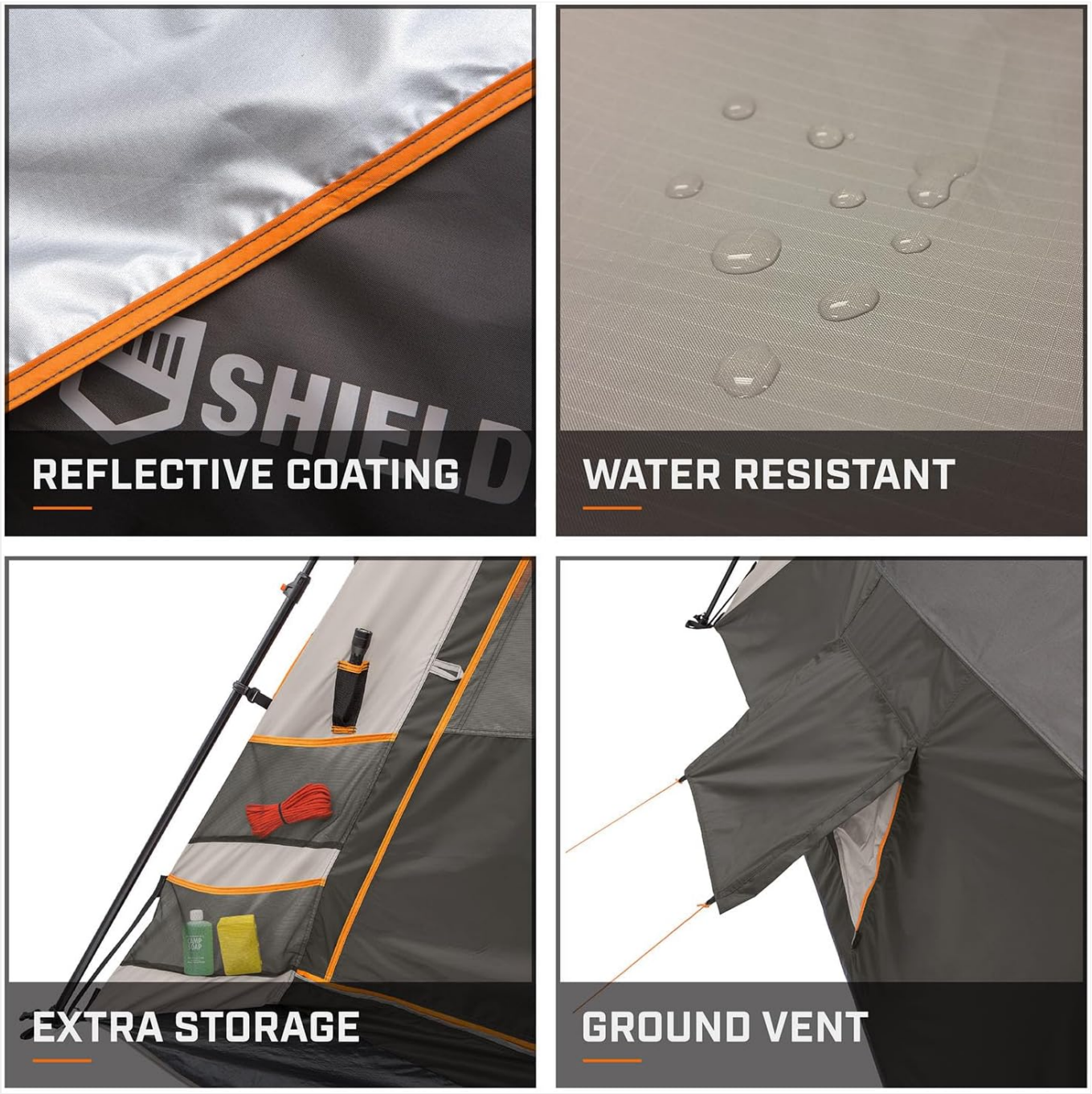

Figure 6: Detail of the AC ground vent and other material properties.

Heat Shield Technology

The rainfly features a special reflective coating on its underside. This technology blocks the sun's UV rays, helping to keep the tent interior darker and noticeably cooler, especially during sunny days.

Power Cord Pocket

A dedicated power cord pocket is integrated into the tent design, allowing you to safely run an extension cord into the tent for powering devices.



Figure 7: The power cord access port for electrical connections.

Internal Storage

The tent includes multiple storage pockets and a large storage net at the top, providing convenient places to organize and store small items, keeping the tent interior tidy.



Figure 8: Overhead view of the internal gear loft for storage.

Maintenance

- **Cleaning:** Hand wash the tent fabric with mild soap and water. Do not use harsh detergents, bleach, or machine

wash, as this can damage the water-repellent coating and fabric integrity.

- **Drying:** Always ensure the tent is completely dry before packing it away. Packing a damp tent can lead to mildew, mold, and fabric degradation. Air dry in a shaded, well-ventilated area.
- **Storage:** Store the tent in its original carry bag in a cool, dry place, away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures.
- **Seam Sealing:** Over time, the factory-sealed seams may require re-sealing to maintain waterproofness. Use a commercially available seam sealer as needed.

Troubleshooting

Issue: Water leaking into the tent.

Solution: Ensure the rainfly is properly installed and secured with all buckles and guylines taut. The tent features water-repellent fabric, tub flooring, and fully taped waterproof seams. If leaks persist, inspect seams for damage and consider applying a seam sealer.

Issue: Tent instability in windy conditions.

Solution: Always use all included stakes and guylines to secure the tent. Ensure guylines are properly tensioned and anchored. The strong frame construction and heavy-duty tie-downs are designed to stand up against wind when correctly deployed.

Issue: Difficulty setting up the tent quickly.

Solution: Practice setting up the tent in a non-stressful environment. Ensure poles are fully extended and click into place. Verify that no fabric is twisted or overlapping poles during initial layout. Refer to the "Setup Instructions" section for detailed steps.

Specifications

Feature	Detail
Brand	Bushnell
Model Name	BLP50002
Product Dimensions	132"L x 108"W x 72"H
Item Weight	27.4 Pounds
Occupancy	6 Person (also available in 9 and 12 Person variants)
Seasons	3 Season
Material	Polyester (150 denier walls, 240 denier floor)
Water Resistance Technology	1500 mm, Water repellent fabric, Tub flooring, Taped seams
Installation Type	Instant (Pre-Attached Poles)
Number of Doors	1
Number of Windows	Multiple (with mesh)
Special Features	Heat Shield Technology, AC Ground Vent, Power Cord Pocket, Internal Storage
UPC	810007480640



Figure 9: Key dimensions of the 6-person Bushnell Instant Tent.

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