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Model: 7198-000K1

1. INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing the KETTLER Outdoor 15 Table Tennis Table. This manual provides essential information for the safe assembly, operation, and maintenance of your table. Please read these instructions carefully before use and retain them for future reference.

The KETTLER Outdoor 15 is designed for outdoor use, featuring a weatherproof playing surface and a robust construction for durability and performance.

2. SAFETY INFORMATION

- Ensure all components are securely fastened before use.
- Keep children and pets away from the table during assembly and folding operations.
- Do not climb or sit on the table.
- Use caution when moving the table to prevent injury.
- Regularly inspect the table for any signs of wear or damage. Discontinue use if damage is found and contact customer support.

3. PACKAGE CONTENTS

Verify that all items are present before beginning assembly:

- KETTLER Outdoor 15 Table Tennis Table (main frame and playing surfaces)
- Permanent Net System
- 2 Player Paddle Set
- Table Cover
- Assembly Hardware and Tools

- Instruction Manual

4. ASSEMBLY

The KETTLER Outdoor 15 Table Tennis Table is designed for quick setup, with approximately 95% of the assembly completed at the factory. The remaining assembly typically takes less than 10 minutes and primarily involves mounting the permanent net system and the accessory storage compartment.

4.1 Unfolding the Table

Carefully unfold the table halves. The CENTERFOLD safety design and SMOOTH-TRAX patented track system facilitate controlled opening and closing. Ensure the table is on a level surface before fully extending the legs.



Image: The KETTLER Outdoor 15 Table Tennis Table fully unfolded and ready for play.

4.2 Attaching the Net System

The permanent net system is designed to remain in place even when the table is folded. Attach the net system according to the diagrams in the included assembly guide. Ensure the net is taut using the adjustable tension tabs.

4.3 Installing Accessory Storage

The table includes a built-in storage compartment for paddles and balls. Install this compartment as per the assembly instructions, typically located at the center of the table frame.



Image: Close-up view of the integrated ball storage compartment on the KETTLER Outdoor 15 table.

4.4 Leveling the Table

Adjust the leg levelers at the bottom of each leg to ensure a perfectly flat playing surface. This is crucial for optimal ball bounce and fair play.



Image: A hand demonstrating the adjustment of a leg leveler to stabilize the table.

5. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

5.1 Setting Up for Play

To set up the table for a game, unlock the wheels and carefully unfold both halves of the playing surface. Ensure the safety mechanisms are engaged to secure the table in the open position. Adjust the net tension if necessary.

5.2 Solo Playback Feature

For individual practice, one half of the table can be folded into an upright position, allowing you to hit the ball against the raised surface. This feature is ideal for honing your skills alone.

Playback Feature

For when you want to play alone or practice honing your table tennis skills



UV Resistant

Well-protected from the effects of changing weather



Tournament Quality Bounce

Ensures top quality performance



Image: An infographic highlighting the playback feature, UV resistance, and tournament quality bounce of the KETTLER Outdoor 15 table.

5.3 Folding for Storage

To fold the table for storage, disengage the safety locks and carefully lift each half of the playing surface. The SMOOTH-TRAX system will guide the halves into a compact, upright position. Engage the safety locks to secure the table in the folded state.



Image: The KETTLER Outdoor 15 Table Tennis Table in its compact, folded storage position.

5.4 Moving the Table

The table is equipped with 5.5-inch locking dual wheels for easy transport. Unlock the wheels before moving and lock them once the table is in its desired position to prevent accidental movement.



Image: A foot pressing down on the lever to engage the wheel lock, securing the table in place.

5.5 Official Product Video

Video: An official KETTLER USA video demonstrating the features and operation of the KETTLER Outdoor 15 Table Tennis Table, including setup, playback, and storage.

6. MAINTENANCE

The KETTLER Outdoor 15 features a WEATHERPROOF KETT-TEC10 proprietary composite playing surface, designed to withstand outdoor elements. The table is UV resistant, protecting it from the effects of changing weather.

6.1 Cleaning the Playing Surface

Clean the playing surface with a soft, damp cloth and mild soap. Avoid abrasive cleaners or harsh chemicals that could damage the surface. Rinse thoroughly and dry completely to prevent water spots.

6.2 Frame and Components

Wipe down the alloy steel frame and other components with a damp cloth. While the table is designed for outdoor use, regular cleaning helps maintain its appearance and extends its lifespan. Periodically check all bolts and screws for tightness and re-tighten if necessary.

6.3 Using the Table Cover

When not in use, especially during prolonged periods or harsh weather conditions, cover the table with the provided table cover to offer additional protection against dust, debris, and extreme temperatures.



Image: The KETTLER table cover, designed to protect the table from elements when not in use.

7. TROUBLESHOOTING

7.1 Uneven Playing Surface

If the playing surface appears uneven, adjust the leg levelers located at the bottom of each table leg until the surface is flat. Use a spirit level for precision.

7.2 Net Tension Issues

If the net is too loose or too tight, use the adjustable tension tabs on the net system to achieve the desired tautness. Refer to the assembly instructions for detailed guidance on net adjustment.

7.3 Difficulty Folding/Unfolding

Ensure that all safety locks are properly disengaged before attempting to fold or unfold the table. Check for any obstructions in the SMOOTH-TRAX guide system. If resistance persists, inspect the hinges and moving parts for debris or damage.

7.4 Wheels Not Locking

Verify that the locking mechanism on the 5.5-inch dual wheels is fully engaged. If a wheel does not lock, inspect the mechanism for any obstructions or damage. Ensure the table is on a flat surface when attempting to lock the wheels.

8. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand	KETTLER
Model Number	7198-000K1
Playing Surface	WEATHERPROOF KETT-TEC10 Composite
Frame Material	Alloy Steel
Color	Gray/Black
Official Tournament Size (L x W x H)	108" x 60" x 30" (274cm x 152.4cm x 76cm)
Folded Storage Dimensions (L x W x H)	72.8" x 28.5" x 62.6" (185cm x 73cm x 159cm)
Wheels	5.5-inch Locking Dual Wheels
Special Features	CENTERFOLD Safety Design, SMOOTH-TRAX Guide System, Solo Playback, Built-in Accessory Storage
Assembly Required	Yes (minimal)
Number of Players	Up to 4
Origin	Made in Germany

9. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

The KETTLER Outdoor 15 Table Tennis Table is backed by a **10-year limited warranty** on the playing surface and a **3-year limited residential frame warranty**. This warranty covers manufacturing defects under normal use and service.

For warranty claims, technical support, or replacement parts, please contact KETTLER customer service. Refer to the contact information provided in your product packaging or visit the official KETTLER website.