

vidaXL 150741

vidaXL Folding Shower Enclosure 39.4" x 55.1" - Installation and Care Manual

Model: 150741 | Brand: vidaXL

1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides detailed instructions for the assembly, operation, and maintenance of your vidaXL Folding Shower Enclosure (Model 150741, 39.4" x 55.1"). Please read all instructions carefully before installation and use to ensure safe and correct operation. Keep this manual for future reference.

The shower enclosure features an aluminum frame and ESG (single-layer safety glass) panels, designed for durability and safety. Its folding mechanism allows for convenient access, making it suitable for various bathroom layouts.



Figure 1: vidaXL Folding Shower Enclosure installed in a bathroom setting.

2. SAFETY INFORMATION

- **General Safety:** Always wear appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE) such as safety glasses and gloves during assembly.
- **Glass Handling:** Exercise extreme caution when handling glass panels. Safety glass, while durable, can break if mishandled or subjected to sharp impacts. Avoid striking edges or surfaces.
- **Children:** Children should be supervised to ensure they do not play with the device. Keep children away from the mounting area during installation.
- **Assembly:** Ensure all components are securely fastened according to the instructions. Loose parts can lead to instability and potential injury.
- **Wall Mounting:** Verify that the wall structure is capable of supporting the weight of the shower enclosure. Use appropriate fasteners for your wall type.
- **California Proposition 65 Warning:** This product may expose you to chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer or birth defects or other reproductive harm.

3. PACKAGE CONTENTS

Before beginning assembly, verify that all components listed in your product's packaging list are present and undamaged. The main components typically include:

- Aluminum frame profiles
- ESG safety glass panels (with black strip printing)
- Folding mechanism hardware
- Handle(s)
- Sealing strips and gaskets
- Fasteners and mounting hardware

Note: Refer to the specific parts list included in your product packaging for exact quantities and identification of each component.

4. ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS

Assembly of this shower enclosure is required. It is recommended that two people perform the installation. Ensure you have the necessary tools before starting.

4.1. Tools Required (Not Included)

- Drill
- Measuring tape
- Level
- Pencil
- Screwdriver set
- Silicone sealant (bathroom grade)

4.2. Step-by-Step Guide

1. **Prepare the Installation Area:** Ensure the wall and floor surfaces where the enclosure will be installed are clean, dry, and level. Mark the desired position for the wall profiles.
2. **Install Wall Profiles:** Attach the vertical aluminum wall profiles to the wall using appropriate screws and wall plugs. Use a level to ensure they are perfectly vertical.
3. **Assemble Glass Panels:** Carefully insert the ESG safety glass panels into the aluminum frame profiles. Ensure all gaskets and sealing strips are correctly positioned to prevent water leakage. The enclosure typically consists of multiple panels connected by hinges for the folding mechanism.
4. **Attach Folding Mechanism:** Connect the folding panels using the provided hinge hardware. Ensure smooth movement.
5. **Mount the Enclosure:** Secure the assembled glass and frame structure to the installed wall profiles. Ensure all connections are tight and stable.
6. **Install Handle(s):** Attach the handle(s) to the designated glass panel(s).
7. **Apply Silicone Sealant:** Apply a bead of bathroom-grade silicone sealant along the exterior joints where the enclosure meets the wall and the bathtub/shower tray to ensure a watertight seal. Allow adequate drying time before use.

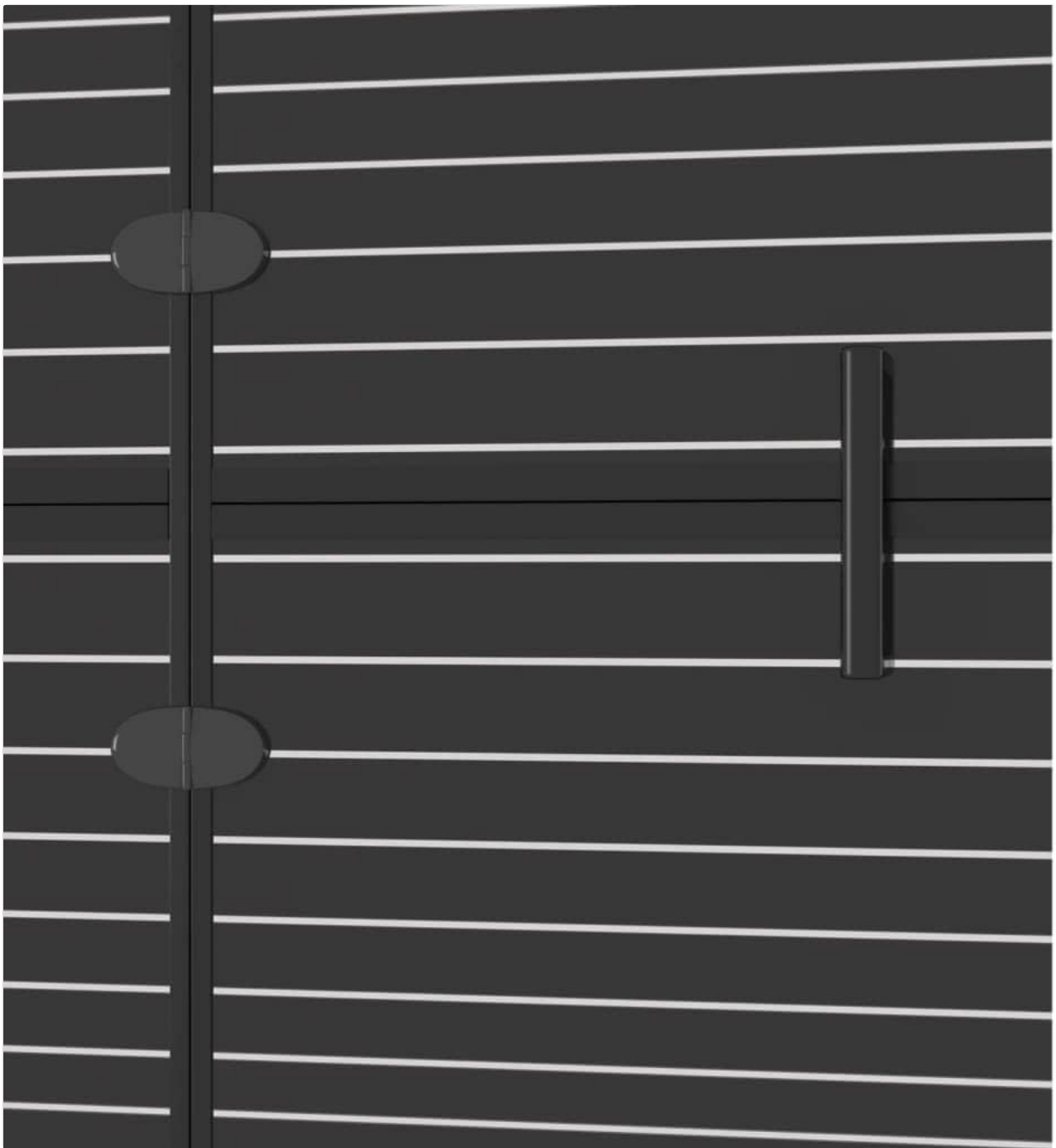


Figure 2: Side view illustrating the folding panels and hinge points.

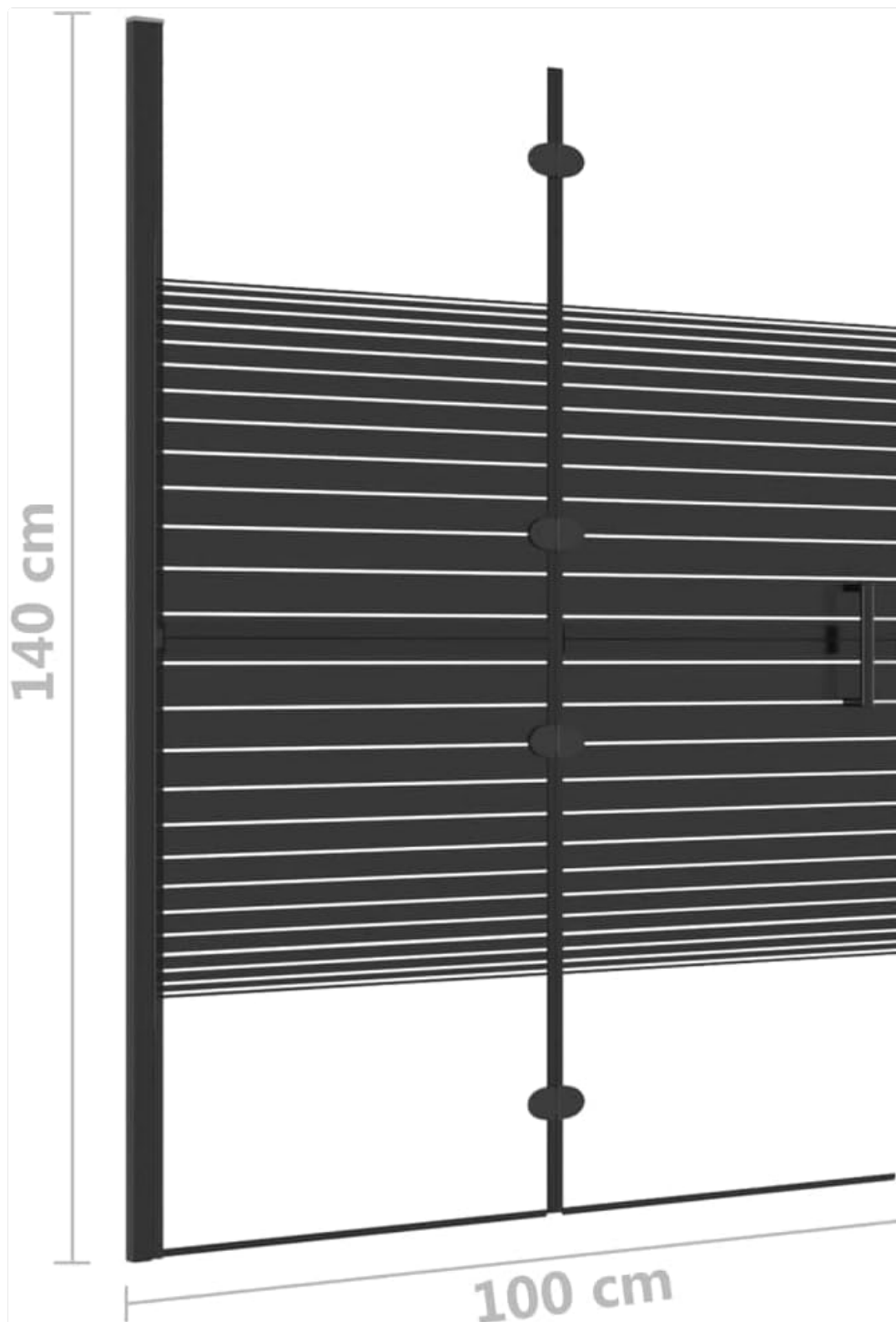


Figure 3: Detail of the handle for opening and closing the enclosure.

5. OPERATION

The vidaXL Folding Shower Enclosure is designed for easy access through its folding door mechanism.

- **Opening:** Gently pull the handle to unfold the panels outwards, creating an entry space.
- **Closing:** Push the panels inwards until they are fully extended and aligned, forming a complete enclosure. Ensure the panels are properly seated to prevent water from escaping during showering.



Figure 4: The shower enclosure in a partially folded state, demonstrating the access mechanism.

6. MAINTENANCE AND CARE

Regular cleaning and maintenance will prolong the life and appearance of your shower enclosure.

- **Glass Panels:** Clean glass panels regularly with a soft cloth and a non-abrasive glass cleaner. Avoid harsh chemicals or abrasive sponges that can scratch the glass or damage the black strip printing.
- **Aluminum Frame:** Wipe the aluminum frame with a soft, damp cloth. For stubborn stains, use a mild, non-abrasive cleaner. Dry thoroughly to prevent water spots.
- **Seals and Gaskets:** Periodically check the sealing strips and gaskets for wear or damage. Replace them if

necessary to maintain a watertight seal. Clean them gently to remove soap scum or mildew.

- **Hinges and Moving Parts:** Ensure hinges and folding mechanisms operate smoothly. If they become stiff, a small amount of silicone-based lubricant can be applied, avoiding contact with glass.

7. TROUBLESHOOTING

- **Water Leakage:**
 - Check all silicone seals for cracks or gaps. Reapply sealant if needed.
 - Ensure all sealing strips and gaskets are correctly installed and not damaged.
 - Verify that the enclosure is level and plumb. Adjust if necessary.
- **Difficulty Folding/Unfolding:**
 - Inspect hinges for obstructions or damage.
 - Ensure the panels are aligned correctly. Misalignment during assembly can cause stiffness.
 - Clean any debris from the tracks or hinge areas.
- **Glass Panel Appears Loose:**
 - Check all frame screws and connections. Tighten gently if loose, but do not overtighten.
 - Ensure glass is properly seated within its profiles and gaskets.

8. SPECIFICATIONS

Brand	vidaXL
Model Number	150741
Dimensions (W x H)	39.4" x 55.1" (100 cm x 140 cm)
Glass Thickness	0.16" (4 mm)
Material	ESG (single-layer safety glass) with black strip printing, Aluminum frame
Color	Transparent and Black
Installation Type	Freestanding (typically mounted to wall/tub)
Assembly Required	Yes

