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Model: SFS-762L | Brand: Abu Garcia

1. INTRODUCTION

The Abu Garcia Salty Field Series is designed for versatile fishing across various environments, including embankments, sandy beaches, and boats. This manual provides essential information for the SFS-762L model, a 7' 6" (229cm) spinning rod. It is engineered for ease of use, catering to a wide range of anglers.

The SFS-762L model features a light power rating, making it suitable for targeting smaller fish species such as mackerel, horse mackerel, and various small root fish. Its design facilitates the effective use of light lures, including worms (soft lures), minnow-type plugs, sinking pencils, and metal jigs weighing approximately 0.4 oz (10 g). Additionally, it can be utilized for light weight throwing and sabiki bait fishing. For optimal performance, a #1000-2500 spinning reel is recommended.



Figure 1: The Abu Garcia Salty Field SFS-762L fishing rod, showcasing its sleek black design and two-piece construction.

2. SETUP

2.1 Rod Assembly

1. Carefully remove the rod sections from their packaging. The SFS-762L is a two-piece rod.
2. Align the guides on the tip section with those on the butt section.
3. Gently push the two sections together with a slight twisting motion until they are securely seated. Avoid excessive force to prevent damage.

2.2 Reel Attachment

1. Place your spinning reel into the reel seat on the rod handle.
2. Tighten the reel seat locking nut clockwise until the reel is firmly secured. Ensure there is no wobble.

2.3 Line Threading

1. Open the bail arm of your spinning reel.
2. Feed the fishing line through all the guides on the rod, starting from the guide closest to the reel and working towards the tip.
3. Ensure the line passes through the center of each guide.



Figure 2: A close-up view of the rod's guides and reel seat, illustrating the components involved in rod assembly and reel attachment.

3. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

3.1 Casting Techniques

The SFS-762L is designed for light lure casting. Hold the rod comfortably, open the reel bail, and use a smooth, controlled motion to cast your lure. Practice different casting angles to achieve accuracy and distance.

3.2 Lure and Bait Application

- **Worms (Soft Lures):** Ideal for targeting root fish. Use light jig heads and retrieve slowly with subtle twitches.
- **Plugs (Minnows, Sinking Pencils):** Effective for sea bass and other predatory fish. Vary retrieve speed and incorporate pauses to mimic injured baitfish.
- **Metal Jigs (approx. 10g):** Suitable for light shore jigging for mackerel and horse mackerel. Cast out and retrieve with a jigging motion.
- **Sabiki Bait:** The rod can also be used for sabiki fishing, which involves multiple small hooks to catch baitfish like mackerel.



Figure 3: The Salty Field rod being used in various fishing scenarios, demonstrating its versatility for different target species and environments.

4. MAINTENANCE

4.1 Cleaning After Use

- After each use, especially in saltwater, rinse the rod thoroughly with fresh water to remove salt, sand, and debris.
- Wipe the rod down with a soft cloth. Pay attention to the guides and reel seat.
- Allow the rod to air dry completely before storage.

4.2 Storage

- Store the rod in a cool, dry place, away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures.
- If possible, store the rod in a rod bag or tube to protect it from scratches and impacts.
- Avoid leaning the rod against walls or objects that could cause it to bend or warp over time.

4.3 Inspection

- Regularly inspect the rod guides for cracks, chips, or wear that could fray your fishing line.
- Check the reel seat for any looseness or damage.
- Examine the rod blank for any signs of stress, cracks, or deep scratches.

5. TROUBLESHOOTING

- **Line Tangles:** Ensure your reel is spooled correctly and avoid overfilling. Check for damaged guides that might snag the line.
- **Rod Sections Sticking:** If rod sections become difficult to separate, apply a small amount of lubricant (like ferrule wax) to the male ferrule. Gently twist and pull. Avoid forcing.
- **Reel Seat Loosening:** Periodically check and tighten the reel seat locking nut during fishing to prevent the reel from wobbling.
- **Reduced Casting Distance:** Check your line for wear or damage. Ensure your lure weight is within the rod's recommended range.

6. SPECIFICATIONS (MODEL: SFS-762L)



SFS-762L
タイプ スピニング
継数 2
全長 7'6" / 229cm
仕舞 118cm
自重 106g

パワー ライト
テーパー/アクション ファースト
適合ルアーウエイト 1~14g
適合PEライン 0.5~1.2号
適合リーダー MAX16Lb

Figure 4: Visual representation of the SFS-762L model's key specifications, including length, weight, and lure/line ratings.

Feature	Detail
Model Name	SALTYFIELD SFS-762L
Rod Length	7' 6" (229 cm)

Feature	Detail
Number of Pieces	2
Standard Weight	4.2 oz (106 g)
Tip Diameter	0.05 inches (1.2 mm)
Lure Weight (g)	1 - 14 g
Compatible PE Line (No.)	0.5 - 1.2
Compatible Lead Line (lb)	Max 16 lb
Material	Graphite
Action	Fast
Fishing Rod Power	Light
Recommended Reel Size	Spinning 1000-2500
Target Species	Sea Bass, Eging, Light Shore Jigging, Metal, Mackerel, Clawdi (Aji, Mebaru, Mackerel, Kasago, Kiss, Haze, Bera, Kawahagi, Aoriika, Ika, Iidako, Small Soy, Small Hatata, etc.)

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アイテム	シーバス	エギング	ショアジギング	ライトショアジギング	マイクロショアジギング	アジング	メバル	サーフキャスト ティン ヒラメ マゴチ	タチウオ ライト テンヤ	チニング	ロック フィッシュ	イカ メタル	パチコン アジング
SFS-662UL		○			◎	◎	◎			○	○	○	○
SFS-762L	○	○			◎	◎	◎		○	◎	◎	○	○
SFS-832ML	◎	◎		◎	◎		○	◎	◎	◎	◎		
SFS-962M	◎		○	◎				◎	◎	○	◎		
SFS-1002MH	◎		◎	○				○			◎		
SFC-702ML	◎	◎			◎	◎	◎		○	◎	◎	○	○

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アイテム	船	サビキ	投げ	推奨対応リール
SFS-662UL	★	★		スピニング 1000~2500番
SFS-762L	★	★	★	スピニング 1000~2500番
SFS-832ML		★	★	スピニング 2000~3000番
SFS-962M		★	★	スピニング 2500~4000番
SFS-1002MH			★	スピニング 3000~5000番
SFC-702ML	★	★	★	ベイトキャスト ベイトフィネススプール

Figure 5: A comprehensive table detailing the compatibility of various Salty Field rod models with different fishing techniques and recommended reel sizes. The SFS-762L is highlighted for its versatility.

7. WARRANTY INFORMATION

For detailed warranty information regarding your Abu Garcia Salty Field Series SFS-762L fishing rod, please refer to the official warranty documentation provided with your purchase or visit the official Abu Garcia website. Warranty terms and conditions may vary by region.

8. SUPPORT

Should you require further assistance, have questions about your product, or need to report an issue, please contact Abu Garcia customer support. Contact details can typically be found on the official Abu Garcia website or within the product packaging.

You can also visit the [Abu Garcia Store on Amazon](#) for more product information and resources.