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Your guide to assembly, operation, and maintenance.

1. SETUP AND ASSEMBLY

The Suncast Horizontal Stow-Away Storage Shed is designed for straightforward assembly. Ensure you have a level surface before beginning. The shed consists of a reinforced floor, side panels, back panels, and two front-opening doors, topped with a hinged lid.

1.1 Identifying Components

All major panels are clearly labeled for easy identification during assembly. The base is a distinct, flat piece with integrated corner supports.



Image 1.1: The Suncast Horizontal Storage Shed with its lid fully open, showcasing its spacious interior. Various items such as bicycles, a child's tricycle, a soccer ball, and other outdoor toys are neatly stored inside, demonstrating the shed's capacity for diverse outdoor equipment.

1.2 Base and Panel Installation

Begin by placing the reinforced floor base on your chosen level surface. The side and back panels slot into designated grooves on the base. For secure installation, some connections may require gentle tapping with a rubber mallet. Ensure all panels are firmly seated.



Image 1.2: The Suncast Horizontal Storage Shed with its lid open, revealing two large green waste containers stored side-by-side. This image highlights the shed's primary function of concealing unsightly trash bins while providing easy access.

1.3 Door and Lid Attachment

The two front doors attach using durable metal hinges. The lid features gas shocks for assisted opening and a soft-close hinge to prevent slamming. Carefully align and attach the lid, ensuring the gas shocks are correctly installed for smooth operation.



Image 1.3: A close-up view of the Suncast Horizontal Storage Shed's lid handle, showing a padlock securely fastened through the integrated locking mechanism. This illustrates the shed's capability to provide secure storage for its contents.

1.4 Anchoring (Optional)

For added stability, especially in windy conditions, the shed can be anchored to the ground. The base includes designated points for drilling and securing with appropriate anchors (not included).



Image 1.4: An interior shot of the Suncast Horizontal Storage Shed with the lid fully open, highlighting the gas shocks that assist in lifting and holding the lid. A bicycle handlebar is visible inside, indicating the shed's utility for storing taller items.

2. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

The Suncast Horizontal Stow-Away Storage Shed offers versatile access and ample storage for various outdoor items.

2.1 Accessing the Interior

- **Lid Access:** Lift the lid using the integrated handle. The gas shocks will assist in opening and holding the lid in an open position, allowing for easy top-down access. The soft-close hinge ensures a gentle closing.
- **Front Door Access:** Unlatch the bottom door locks and open both front doors for full frontal access. The metal hinges provide robust support for frequent use.



Image 2.1: A wide interior view of the Suncast Horizontal Storage Shed, showcasing its capacity to hold a variety of items including a bicycle, a child's tricycle, rollerblades, and several sports balls. The multi-wall resin panels are visible, emphasizing the shed's durable construction.

2.2 Storage Capacity

With 70 cu. ft. of storage, this shed is ideal for storing up to two 96-gallon waste containers, furniture cushions, bicycles, firewood, gardening supplies, and other outdoor equipment. The reinforced floor provides a sturdy base for heavy items.

3. MAINTENANCE

The Suncast Horizontal Stow-Away Storage Shed is designed for low maintenance and long-lasting durability.

3.1 Cleaning

To clean the shed, simply hose it down with water. For tougher dirt, use a mild soap solution and a soft cloth or brush. Rinse thoroughly with water. Avoid abrasive cleaners or harsh chemicals that could damage the resin material.

3.2 Material Durability

Constructed of steel-reinforced, multi-wall resin, the shed is engineered for strength and durability. Its all-weather construction provides water resistance and UV protection, preventing cracking, peeling, or discoloration over time.

4. TROUBLESHOOTING

- **Difficulty during assembly:** Ensure all parts are correctly oriented and aligned according to the instructions. A rubber mallet can be used to gently coax reluctant parts into place. Having an extra set of hands can also be beneficial, especially when attaching the lid.
- **Lid not staying open or closing too quickly:** Verify that the gas shocks are correctly installed and functioning. The soft-close hinge is designed to prevent rapid closing.
- **Shed instability:** Ensure the shed is placed on a flat, level surface. Consider anchoring the shed to the ground using appropriate screws and anchors for increased stability, especially in high-wind areas.
- **Water leakage:** While the shed is water-resistant, ensure all panels are properly seated and sealed during assembly. Check for any gaps or misalignments that could allow water entry.

5. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand	Suncast
Model Number	BMS4720
Product Dimensions	43.75"D x 70.5"W x 52"H
Material	Multi-wall Resin (Steel-reinforced frame)
Color	Vanilla, Stoney, and Black
Item Weight	154.7 pounds
Water Resistance Level	Water Resistant
Assembly Required	Yes
Door Style	Folding Doors
Special Features	Soft-close hinge, Gas shocks, Reinforced floor, UV protection

6. WARRANTY INFORMATION

Please refer to the product packaging or contact Suncast customer service for detailed warranty information. No specific warranty details were provided in the product description.

7. CUSTOMER SUPPORT

For further assistance, questions, or to report any issues, please contact Suncast customer support directly. Contact information can typically be found on the manufacturer's website or product packaging. No specific contact details were provided in the product description.

