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Model: Solheim Protect

INTRODUCTION

The Skandika Solheim Protect is a versatile tunnel tent designed for comfortable outdoor living, accommodating either 4 or 6 people depending on the model. It features a robust construction with a sewn-in groundsheet, providing excellent protection against insects, moisture, and drafts. With a 3000mm water column and UPF 50+ UV protection, this tent is built to withstand various weather conditions, ensuring a pleasant internal climate and extended product lifespan.

This manual provides essential information for the proper setup, operation, maintenance, and care of your Skandika Solheim Protect tent.

SAFETY INFORMATION

Before using your tent, please review all safety guidelines. For comprehensive safety details, refer to the official Safety Information PDF document:

[Download Safety Information \(PDF\)](#)

Always ensure the tent is pitched on level ground, away from open flames, and secured properly with all guylines and pegs to prevent collapse in windy conditions. Do not use heating appliances or cook inside the tent.

COMPONENTS LIST

Your Skandika Solheim Protect tent package includes the following items:

- Tent flysheet and inner tent
- Fiberglass poles (for main structure)
- Steel poles (for sun canopy/entrances)
- Pegs
- Guylines

- Repair kit (minor patches)
- Carrying bag

Please check all components upon unpacking to ensure nothing is missing.

SETUP INSTRUCTIONS

The Skandika Solheim Protect tent requires assembly. For your first setup, it is highly recommended to perform a trial assembly at home to become familiar with the tent's structure, the double-layer system, and the correct orientation of the front and rear sections.

1. **Prepare the Area:** Choose a flat, clear area free of sharp objects. Lay out the groundsheet or the tent's base layer.
2. **Unpack and Orient:** Remove the tent from its carrying bag and spread it out. Identify the front and rear sections.
3. **Assemble Poles:** Connect the fiberglass pole sections. Carefully slide the poles through the designated sleeves on the tent flysheet.
4. **Raise the Tent:** Insert the ends of the poles into the eyelets or pins at the base of the tent. Gradually raise the tent structure.
5. **Secure the Tent:** Peg down all corners of the tent. Attach and tension the guylines, securing them with pegs. Ensure the tent is taut to prevent flapping and improve stability.
6. **Install Inner Tent:** If the inner tent is not pre-attached, clip it into place inside the flysheet.
7. **Set Up Sun Canopies:** The four external doors can be used as sun canopies. Use the provided steel poles to prop them up, securing them with additional guylines and pegs.

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Tutte le finestre
e le porte con
zanzariera



Due stanze separate: zona giorno e zona notte



Parete divisoria centrale per maggiore privacy

Image: The Skandika Solheim Protect tent with two of its four external doors extended and supported by poles to create sun canopies, offering shade and additional sheltered space.



Image: A close-up view of one of the tent's entrances, demonstrating how it can be propped up with poles to function as a sun canopy, providing shade and an extended living area.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Your Solheim Protect tent is designed for comfort and functionality. Here's how to make the most of its features:

- **Ventilation:** The tent features four external doors, which provide maximum flexibility for ventilation. Open them as needed to ensure good airflow and reduce condensation.
- **Privacy and Space:** The spacious inner cabin is divided into two separate zones by a permanently sewn-in partition wall with a door. This allows for privacy and organization. Each zone is directly accessible via its own entrance.
- **Internal Organization:** Utilize the organizer pockets located on the partition wall to store small items like phones, books, or camping accessories, keeping the interior tidy.
- **Lighting:** A hook is provided for hanging a camping lamp, ensuring adequate lighting inside the tent during evenings.
- **Power Access:** A weather-protected cable opening allows for safe routing of electrical cables into the tent, useful for charging devices or powering small appliances.



Image: The interior of the tent, showcasing the partition wall that divides the sleeping area into two distinct zones, providing privacy

for occupants.

Tende da sole XL inclusi 3 pali di montaggio



Set di pali extra disponibile separatamente



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Image: Close-up of the integrated organizer pockets within the tent, useful for storing small personal items and keeping the living space clutter-free.

MAINTENANCE

Proper maintenance will extend the life of your Skandika Solheim Protect tent:

- **Cleaning:** The tent material requires hand washing. Use mild soap and water for cleaning. Do not use harsh detergents or bleach.
- **Drying:** Always ensure the tent is completely dry before packing it away. Packing a damp tent can lead to mildew and damage to the fabric.
- **Storage:** Store the tent in its carrying bag in a cool, dry place, away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures.
- **Inspection:** Periodically inspect poles for damage, fabric for tears, and zippers for smooth operation. Address any issues promptly to prevent further damage.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Here are some common issues and their solutions:

- **Condensation Inside Tent:** Ensure adequate ventilation by opening doors or vents. Condensation is natural, especially in humid conditions, but good airflow helps minimize it.
- **Tent Not Standing Firmly:** Check that all poles are correctly inserted and fully tensioned. Ensure all pegs are securely driven into the ground and guylines are taut.
- **Water Leakage:** Verify that all zippers are fully closed and protected by their storm flaps. Check for any small tears in the fabric; use the included repair kit for minor repairs. Ensure the tent is pitched correctly to allow water to run off.
- **Zipper Sticking:** Apply a silicone-based zipper lubricant to ensure smooth operation. Keep zippers clean from dirt and sand.

SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand	Skandika
Model Name	Solheim Protect
Model Number	5036
Product Dimensions (L x W x H)	4.8L x 3.6W x 2H meters (6-person model)
Item Weight	13.3 Kilograms
Occupancy	4 or 6 people (depending on variant)
Shape	Tunnel
Seasons	3 Seasons
Water Resistance Technology	3,000 mm water column
UV Protection	UPF 50+
Number of Compartments	2 (dividable inner cabin)
Closure Type	Zipper
Material Type (Tent)	Polyester
Outer Material Type (Poles)	Fiberglass
Tent Floor Material	Polyethylene (sewn-in)
Rainfly Material	Polyester
Assembly Required	Yes
Care Instructions	Hand wash
Country of Origin	China

WARRANTY INFORMATION

The Skandika Solheim Protect tent comes with a **2-year product warranty**. This warranty covers manufacturing defects and material flaws under normal use. Please retain your proof of purchase for any warranty claims. The warranty does not cover damage caused by improper use, accidents, modifications, or normal wear and tear.

SUPPORT

Should you require further assistance, have questions about your tent, or need to make a warranty claim, please contact Skandika customer support. Refer to the Skandika official website or your purchase documentation for specific contact details.

Thank you for choosing Skandika for your outdoor adventures!