

Name:

FAG017 - Helio Tent

Size:

2 people

Color:

Red

Weight:

2.45kg

Blurb:

This built-to-last Ultralight 4 season tent is the most compact tent in the FA range. Specially designed to fit in the lower compartment of a hiking pack or in a top case on an overland motorbike. The single pole construction allows for easy setup, while being sturdy for extreme weather conditions. Enlarged awning for when weather does not allow for cooking outside.

Features:

- Flysheet: 210T PU Polyester – Waterhead: 3000mm
- Inner: 68D 210T Breathable Polyester
- Mesh: Fine B3 mesh
- Door: mesh with window
- Floor: 150D PU Oxford Polyester - Waterhead: 5000mm
- Pole: 8.5mm Aluminium dual hub pole
- Pegs: 16mm Aluminium with reflective cord
- Guy ropes: Reflective ropes
- Includes Repair Kit
- Enlarged awning to store gear and shelter from wind

Specs:

- Capacity: 2-person
- Doors: 1
- Weight: 2.45kg
- Dimensions: (80+210) *139/119*110cm
- Packed Size: 39x15 cm

Instructions

1.
Spread out the inner mesh tent. Assemble the one pole set. Assemble longer v-split at the door and shorter v-split at the back window.
2.
Insert all four pole ends into the aligning grommet holes. Clip on all hooks to the pole frame.
3.
Spread flysheet over the inner mesh tent. Match the door and back window to the appropriate sides. Lift up the flysheet at each end and locate the tie strings underneath. Shoe lace tie the strings to the pole frame at each end. Secure the flysheet ends to the same grommet holes as to what the pole end is connected to.
4.
Secure each end and guide ropes of the tent by inserting aluminium pegs at a 45 degree angle.

Tips to take into consideration before pitching your tent

Tip 1:

When pitching your tent look for a sheltered area, preferably behind a rock or tree. This will make pitching your tent a lot more convenient in cases where high winds are hindering you from pitching the tent or placing the flysheet over.

Tip 2:

Avoid a bad night's rest by seeking flat ground to pitch your tent on. Rough terrain and slopes are elements which you want to be mindful of when pitching your tent in the mountains.

Tip 3:

Always pitch your tent with the tent door facing the opposite direction to the wind. The Helio Tents have been designed to be streamlined - making sure that the wind flows directly over the tents surface.

Tip 4:

Ensure that when pitching your tent that you have placed all the pegs into the ground and the guide ropes are securely fastened and tightened, even if there is no wind or poor weather conditions planned – always be fully prepared for all of mother nature's elements, there is nothing worse than waking up in the middle of the night trying to secure your tent.

Repair Instructions

FLYSHEET, GROUNDSHEET, INNERTENT DAMAGE

- If torn remove any remaining long threads. If burnt cut out burnt sides to make the surface smooth. Keep cutting area to a minimum.
- Match the correct material type in repair kit to that of the damaged area. Cut the patch material to the size of the area that is damaged. Make sure that the material covers the full damaged area, with an overlap of 4cm on each side. Round the corners.
- Clean all surfaces with a damp cloth and leave to dry.
- Spread seam seal glue evenly over the entire patch.
- Apply the patch to the damaged area from the inside of the tent. (inverse side)
- Allow the patch to set for a minimum of three hours.

MESH DAMAGE:

- Follow same steps as per the damage instructions listed above.

POLE DAMAGE:

- Slide steel tube over damaged area
- Secure with duct tape if required

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