

Product Manual : Ver 2.00

TP-511 HD Tarp Shield "Mawe"



Thank you very much for purchasing a Snow Peak product. This product is a tarp for camping. To use this product safely and correctly, please carefully read these instructions. After reading these instructions, keep this manual in a safe place for future reference. If you find anything in the instruction manual that is difficult to understand or find a defect with the product, stop using it immediately and contact the dealers where the product was purchased or Snow Peak Customer Service.

Safety Precautions: Before use, please read thoroughly to ensure safety and to avoid accidents.

ADANGER Misuse could easily result in a serious accident or death.

- The material of this tarp is not flame-proof. Do not use combustion-based heat sources such as lanterns, stoves, or heaters, or open flames such as matches, candles, lighters, or cigarettes, inside the shelter. The use of such heat or light sources inside a small enclosed space is hazardous and may result in fire, oxygen deficiency, or carbon monoxide poisoning.
- Do not bring flammable materials for storing or refilling fuel under the tarp.

MARNING Improper use may result in death or serious injury.

- Before using the product, check each part for abnormalities. If there are abnormalities, take the product to the dealer or Snow Peak Customer Service for inspection or repair.
- •Pay close attention to the weather. If extreme weather is in the forecast, pack up camp and evacuate to a safe place.
- •Do not bring heated items into the tent when they are at high temperatures. The temperature under the tarp will be high during warm weather, and there is a risk of heatstroke. Pay close attention to the temperature, particularly when children are asleep inside the shelter.
- Choose a flat, well-drained area with firm ground to pitch the tarp. Choose a place with no chance of avalanches, landslides, wind gusts, or sudden flooding.
- •Tarps have a large surface area and absorb more wind force than you may realize. Please regularly check to ensure the pegs and ropes are firmly connected. Do not use the tarp in the strong wind.

CAUTION Misuse could result in injury to the user and/or property damage.

- This product is not intended to be in permanent use. If the tarp is left in the sun for long periods, the materials may fade in color, or the fabric may deteriorate and lose strength. Do not leave the shelter set up permanently.
- •Sunlight can cause the surface of the shelter to heat up, potentially causing low-temperature burns.
- Do not assemble or use the shelter close to a bonfire, fireworks, etc. Flying sparks can create holes in the fabric.
- Please do not leave the tarp set up permanently, as weather conditions and sunlight may cause a loss of strength, fading or fabric deterioration.
- •Sap is difficult to remove. Please avoid setting the tarp up under trees where the sap might drip. Using a solvent to remove sap will damage the fabric and coating.
- •Firmly hold the tarp when assembling and disassembling. Unexpected accidents may occur due to the pole ends recoiling, etc., so ensure that the surroundings are safe, with no other people in the vicinity. Always assemble/disassemble this product with two or more people.
- •Firmly secure the pegs, guy lines, etc.
- Because this product uses a thin fabric, it may break if you pull the fabric too much.
- Please pay attention to the rope and pegs at your feet. You may catch your foot and fall, leading to an unexpected accident or injury.

Set Contents

The included contents are designed for set up in normal conditions. A basic setup requires three poles and ten pegs; all sold separately. Please refer to the recommended size listed. The pegs and the flexible ropes are replaceable items that will wear out over time, so it's best to carry a spare



Tarp



Rope with Rope Tensioner (Forked 10m(32.8') x 3, 7m (22.8')x 1, 3m(9.8')x 2)



Carry Bag Carry Bag x 1







Pole Case x 1

Peg Case x 1

Instruction manual x 1

Before using for the first time

Please check that all accessory items are included before attempting to assemble the product—practice assembling and handling the product in a safe location before using it while camping. In the unlikely event that there is a problem or a missing accessory, please contact the dealer where you purchased the product or Snow Peak Customer Service.

This product does not include pegs and hammers for ropes.

A basic setup requires three poles for tarps and ten pegs sold separately. Please use the following recommended sizes.

□ Recommended Pole Size 240 cm(7.9') x 3 Ten pegs with a length of 25 cm (9.45") or more.



Location of Rope with Rope Tensioner and Pegs





* The same kind of pole can be used for the main pole and sub pole.





- * Please note that if you peg down the forked rope at an angle of more than 90°, the tension will not be transmitted to the wing pole, resulting in an unstable setup.
- * Insert the peg as far as possible from the tarp. The ideal peg position is when the rope is angled 45° to the ground. Be sure to insert the pegs at a 90° angle to the rope.

Setup Procedure: Make sure that two or more people take part in the setup.

Follow the instructions below to set up and disassemble. Practice set up before camping and ensure all the accessories are functioning. Excessive assembly and tear down may damage the body or poles, potentially resulting in an accident. Please read this manual carefully before use.



Prepare and assemble three poles of 240 cm in length. Spread the tarp on a flat surface with the logo facing up.

Attach the rope.

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Insert the tip of the pole into the triangle bracket of the main corner at [Figure A①], and hang the center loop of the main forked rope (10m forked) from above. At this time, position the adjustable part of the rope and make them all the same length.

Attach the main forked rope (7m fork) directly to the tarp as shown on [Figure A 2] * Don't use a pole.



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Raise the Main Pole.

Raise the main pole [Figure A ①], and pull the forked rope towards the outside from the centerline of the tarp, connecting ① and ② in [Figure A] as shown in [Figure B]. Then peg down the end sections. [Figure D]

Approx.90 Approx

Forked Rope

45

Ground

7m (22.8')

[Figure B]

10m(32.8')

Forked Rope

More than 45

- * Please note that if you peg down the rope at an angle of more than 90°, tension will not be applied to the pole, resulting in an unstable setup.
- * Insert the peg as far as possible from the tarp. The ideal peg position is when the rope is angled 45° to the ground. [Figure C] Insert the pegs at a 90° angle to the rope. [Figure D]

A Set Up the Sub-Pole.

In the same way as step 2, insert the sub-pole's tip into the triangle bracket, and attach the sub-pole forked rope (10m fork) to it. Raise the sub-pole in the direction of the tarp's edge, pull the rope in the order of A, B, and peg down. [Figure E]

Follow [Figure C] and [Figure D] for the direction of the pole, the angle of the rope, and the proper location for the peg. Peg down the other sub-pole as well.



(5)

Loosen the Ridge of the Tarp.

Adjust the position of the tensioner on the 10m rope, loosening it by about 20%.

* This looseness creates a beautiful curve. [Figure F]



6 Attach the Rope to Each Corner and Secure with a Peg.

Set the sub-rope (3m) at the position shown in **[Figure G]**. Pull the sub-rope (3m) so that it's parallel to the main forked rope (10m fork), then peg down.*Be aware that if the rope is pulled in the wrong direction, it may cause wrinkles and prevent proper setup.



$\widehat{\mathbf{7}}$ Attach the Rope to Each Corner and Secure with a Peg.

If ② in Figure A is too high, adjust the position of the rope tensioner according to [Figure H]. Finally, pull all the ropes again, little-by-little, to balance the whole tarp.

* Please be careful not to pull the rope too much. If it is pulled too much, a big wrinkle will appear in that direction. Loosen the sub-rope at the wrinkled corner to adjust the overall tension. [Figure I]

* It's dangerous to use the tarp when it's loose or has large wrinkles, it may fall down due to a strong wind, or the rain will accumulate.





Using the LED Lantern Loop

At the center of the tarp, there is a lantern loop to hang the designated LED lighting. Check the following models before using them. [Figure J]

[Figure J]

Compatible models ES-070 : HOZUKI LIGHT ES-090 : SPOT HOZUKI ES-041 : MINI HOZUKI

DANGER: Never install lighting that generates heat, such as gas-powered lanterns. They may cause a fire or an unexpected accident.

CAUTION: Do not install any LED lights other than the compatible models. This may overload the loop and damage the product.

How to Disassemble: Please be sure to disassemble with two or more people.

Make sure there is nothing under the tarp and the LED lantern loop before disassembling.

I) Pull down the sub-pole (240 cm) and remove the sub-pole and sub-rope (10m forked) from the tarp.

2) Remove the rope from the pegs attached to each corner, except for the main corner of the tarp.

Tilt the main pole (240 cm) and remove the main pole and main rope (10m forked, 7m forked) from the tarp.

Fold the tarp in half, place it on the ground and fold according to the carry bag's length, then place it in the carry bag.

[How to fold the tarp]





②Fold it in three vertically, then roll it in the direction of the arrow.

5 Store the wing poles and pegs in the wing pole case and peg case. Leaving the poles or pegs outside of the case may damage the tarp.

* Please be careful not to leave pegs or ropes behind.



How to Store in the Carry Case

First, tilt the pole slowly and remove the rope from the tip of the pole. After pulling out the pegs and bundling each rope, fold the tarp according to the carry bag's length and put it in the carry bag.

Put the poles and pegs in the attached case with the pole's tip facing up, and store it in the carry bag. Leaving the poles or pegs outside of the case may damage the tarp fabric.

Regarding Condensation

Mist is a collection of water droplets suspended in the air that turns into condensation in rapidly falling temperatures. In small spaces, water vapor concentration is higher than in a normal room, and the probability of condensation is higher. Moisture, which makes up about 60% of the human body, is released through respiration and perspiration and becomes water vapor, causing condensation. Dew condensation is especially likely to occur in areas with high water-resistance. Depending on the surrounding conditions, it may be impossible to avoid condensation completely, even with waterproof materials. To reduce condensation, allow steady ventilation while the tent is in use.

Water-Repellent and Waterproof Functions

- The fabric of the tarp is treated with a high-quality, water-repellent finish. However, the level of water-repellent capacity and durability may vary slightly due to the characteristics of each material. The water-repellent finish will lose effectiveness after repeated use. When the water repellence decreases, please use a water-repellent spray purchased from your local outdoor gear retailer. When using such sprays, please follow the product's instructions.
- Although this product is made of highly waterproof fabric, rainwater may soak into it if it's in contact with water pools on the ground for a long time.
- •The PU coating may be damaged by agricultural chemicals, which cause the water pressure resistance to decrease abnormally. Please note that the product cannot be subject to warranty if damaged by agricultural chemicals.
- The logo may peel off due to the effect of the water-repellent agent.

Regarding the Effect of Ultraviolet Rays

•A UV protection treatment has been applied to the material of the shelter.

*The UV protection treatment does not completely shield humans from ultraviolet rays or stop the deterioration of the material's strength.

Maintenance and Storage

- •When using a product that has been in storage for a long time, please contact Snow Peak Customer Service.
- •A polyester fabric blend is used for this product. Considering the material characteristics, we adopted processing and color patterns that will result in less color migration. However, depending on storage conditions, slight color migration may occur. Do not store the product while it is wet.
- Before storage, the product should be cleaned and dried sufficiently. If the product is stored when wet, the build-up of mold, bad odors, color migration, and material deterioration will occur. Dry the product sufficiently in a ventilated and shaded area and clean the surface with a soft brush before storing.
- Please store in a well-ventilated area away from direct sunlight, high temperatures, and humidity.
- Small areas of fabric damage can be fixed with repair tape. Please read the repair tape manual carefully before applying.
- Depending on the conditions during use, the tent material may deteriorate over a wide area, losing its durability and becoming irreparable.
- In order to prepare for the next use, please check and maintain the product (including all accessories such as the pegs).
- Seam tape is pressure-capped at a temperature setting that prevents damage to the PU coating. However, it may peel off as it is used repeatedly. If peeling is found, set an iron at a low temperature and reattach only the peeling sections. Be aware that excessive heat will discolor or accelerate the deterioration of the fabric. If the PU coating peels off completely; it may be impossible to repair.
- Sap cannot be easily removed. Do not set up this product under trees that frequently drop sap. If the sap is forcibly removed with a solvent, etc., the fabric or coating may be damaged.

Quality assurance

The specifications of Snow Peak products are determined based on field testing and quality control, ensuring every product's proper function and longevity. If apparent defects in the product's manufacturing are found, the defective product will be repaired or exchanged free of charge. Damages, as follows, are not covered under warranty.

- 1. Damage caused by normal aging of materials.
- 2. Damage caused by modifications or rough handling.
- 3. Failure due to improper handling described in this manual.
- 4. Damage caused by unforeseen accidents.
- 5. Damage not caused by defects in the manufacturing process.
- 6. Damage caused by dust or rust.
- 7. Damage or defects caused when dismantling the products.
- 8. Damage and defects caused by dropping or other shocks to the products.
- 9. Defects, breakage, or deterioration of replaceable parts.
- 10. Damage caused by the use of the product in combination with other maker's products.

Regarding Repair

- •If a professional repair is necessary, please contact the dealer where the product was sold or Snow Peak Customer Service.
- Please dry and clean the product before sending it for repair.
- •Please stick a memo onto the damaged area of the product. In the memo, include details explaining the circumstances that led to the damage.
- The cost of repair will be determined as follows:
 - 1. If the damage is subject to warranty, Snow will cover transportation cost (both ways) and repair cost Peak.
 - 2. If the damage is not subject to warranty, transportation cost (both ways) and repair cost will be covered by the customer.

Specifications

Material : Tarp / 210D Polyester Oxford, Light-Shielding Pigment PU coating Waterproof rating: 3,000mm minimum, Teflon water-repellent finish, UV protection treatment
Carry Bag Size : W78 x 18DxH21cm (W30.7" xD7.1" x H8.3")
Weight : 4.4 kg /9.7 lb



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