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# COVER TOP ACCESSORY

## Owner's Manual

Model 1680 - Fits Tent Models 6010, 6013, 6051

Model 1684 - Fits Tent Models 6014, 6043, 6044

Model 1688 - Fits Tent Model 6086

Model 1689 - Fits Tent Model 6098

**IMPORTANT!** For safe and proper assembly, use, and care, read and follow all instructions. Everyone who uses a Cover Top should first read this manual.

# **WARNING**

## **NO FIRE**

This fabric is flammable. Keep all flame and heat sources away from the fabric. Never place a stove, campfire, or any other flame source on or near your Cover Top. Never use, light, or refuel a stove, lantern, heater, or any other heat source inside a tent. Death by carbon monoxide poisoning and/or serious burns are possible.

## **VENTILATION**

Always maintain adequate ventilation inside your tent. Death by suffocation is possible.

## **ANCHOR**

This Cover Top is not free-standing. If not properly anchored it will collapse. Anchor your Cover Top properly at all times to reduce the risk of loss or injury to the Cover Top or tent occupants.

## **CAMPSITE CHOICE**

Carefully consider the possibility of falling rocks or tree limbs, lightning strikes, flash floods, avalanches, strong winds, and other hazards when choosing a campsite to reduce the risk of loss or injury to the tarp or occupants.

## **CHILDREN**

Do not leave children unattended inside a tent or camp. Do not allow children to assemble or disassemble. Do not allow children to remain closed-up in a tent on hot days. Do not allow children to swing on, or hang from any part of this product, or guy ropes. Failure to follow these warnings may result in injury and/or death.

## **BEFORE YOU SET OUT**

You should set up this Cover Top at least once before your trip to familiarize yourself with the process, and make sure all the parts are in good condition.

## **IMPORTANT - STORE IT DRY!**

The Cover Top must be completely dry before storage! **STORING A WET OR DAMP COVER TOP, EVEN FOR A SHORT TIME, WILL RUIN IT AND VOID THE WARRANTY.**

## **NOTE ON WATERPROOFING**

The fabric used on this Cover Top Accessory is poly-cotton blend and **DOES NOT** need to be seasoned or treated with waterproofing sprays or chemicals.

## **Component Checklist**

Identify all components and make sure they are in good condition and working order.

**1 Cover Top**

**2 Guy Ropes**

**1 Storage Bag**

Cover Top Accessory



# Setup Instructions

The use of protective gloves and eyewear is recommended during set up.

- ① When attaching the Cover Top to your Flex Bow tent, it's best to start while your tent is on the ground (not raised). After assembling the roof portion of your tent (flex rods inserted into T-pole, ridge poles connected and tensioned), layout your Cover Top on top of the flattened tent.
- ② Each corner of the Cover Top attaches to the ends of the 4 flex rods. On each end of the Cover Top, there is a sleeve pocket (Figure 1), and a hook & loop closure pocket (Figure 2). Insert the flex rod into the sleeve pocket first, then on the same end of the tent, insert the other flex rod into the hook & loop closure pocket. Repeat this process on the other end of the tent.  
  
**NOTE:** When assembled, the Cover Top is a tight fit. When inserting the flex rods into the Cover Top pockets, it may help to apply some additional pressure to the flex rod—flex it more—to get it into the Cover Top pockets. Figure 3 shows the flex rod inserted into the hook & loop pocket.
- ③ After the Cover Top is secured to the flex rods in the 4 corners of the tent, go ahead and raise the tent as usual.
- ④ After the tent is raised and secured, attach the Cover Top guy ropes to each end of the tent.
  - a. Tie the loose end of the guy rope to the webbing loop on the end of the Cover Top (Figure 4).
  - b. Secure the guy rope through the tent stake loop at the bottom of the tent upright pole, then use the guy rope tensioner to secure the rope and Cover Top (Figure 5).
  - c. Repeat this process at the other end of the tent.



Figure 1:  
Sleeve pocket



Figure 2:  
Hook & loop pocket



Figure 3:  
Flex rod inserted into  
hook & loop pocket

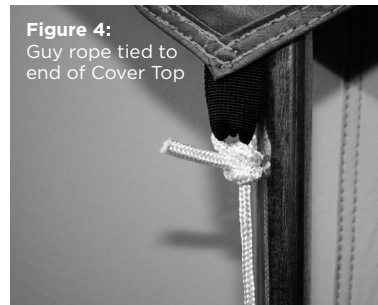


Figure 4:  
Guy rope tied to  
end of Cover Top



Figure 5:  
Guy rope looped  
through upright pole  
stake loop and secured

# Tent Care

**VERY IMPORTANT—Your Cover Top must be completely dry before storage! STORING A WET OR DAMP COVER TOP, EVEN FOR A SHORT TIME, CAN RUIN IT AND VOID THE WARRANTY.**

If you must break camp when the Cover Top is wet, that is okay. Just be sure when you get back to unroll it, open it up and / or hang it out to completely dry. The sooner the better. Periods of time exceeding 48 hours could allow mold to grow.

- To clean, hose down with water and wipe with a cloth. Do not use soaps and detergents as they can damage the water-repellant treatment of the Cover Top fabric.
- Do not spray insecticides or bug repellent directly on the fabric. This may damage the water-repellant treatment.
- For long-term storage, store in a cool, dry location that is not exposed to direct sunlight.

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This product is warranted, to the original purchaser, to be free of defects in materials and workmanship for as long as you own the product. This product is made with quality materials and expert workmanship but is not indestructible. This warranty does not cover damage attributed to or resulting from normal wear and tear (e.g. exhausted zippers), natural hazards (e.g. weather, animals), abuse (e.g. mold, mildew, burns, ultraviolet), or alterations or modifications of any kind. If your product is found defective, we will repair or replace it free of charge. Charges for shipping your product to Kodiak Canvas will be your responsibility. We reserve the right to make substitutions if parts are unavailable or obsolete. If your product needs repair beyond what is covered under warranty, we will provide parts and service at a reasonable charge.

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