



Single Canvas Hammock

HAMMOCK SAFETY

- **INSPECTION:** To ensure overall hammock safety, a hammock should be inspected for damage or excessive wear-and-tear each time someone gets into it.
- **WEIGHT LIMIT:** Appropriately installed and cared for, this hammock has a weight limit of 275 pounds.
- **GETTING INTO YOUR HAMMOCK:** To get safely into a hammock, a person should place his or her weight in the center of the fabric, not on either edge. Don't rush it; getting into a hammock incorrectly can flip a person right back out again.
- **KIDS AND HAMMOCKS:** Young children should **never** be allowed to use this or any hammock without adult supervision. Infants should **never** be placed in a hammock, period. Children should also not be allowed to jump up and down in a hammock or use it like a playground swing. Not only is this extremely dangerous, but it puts excessive wear-and-tear on the hammock and its hanging hardware.
- **MAINTAIN THE CHAIN:** Keep the hanging chains from becoming twisted, and the hammock from staying flipped upside down while it's hung; both severely compromise chain strength.

HAMMOCK MAINTENANCE AND CARE

There are a few simple things that can be done to ensure your hammock's longest possible life:

- **WEATHER WEAR:** Repeated exposure to rain, snow and sleet will eventually begin to shorten the hammock's useful life and affect its appearance. This hammock should be stored in a clean, dry place during prolonged stretches of bad weather, and taken down in winter in locales where weather is consistently severe.
- **DEBRIS DAMAGE:** Especially in fall, check the hammock periodically to rid it of leaves and twigs that easily become lodged in the rope, or build up on the hammock pad. If this material begins to rot while in contact with rope or fabric, it could become potentially harmful to the hammock itself.
- **WILDLIFE WOES:** Squirrels, mice, birds and bugs sometimes use hammock-rope fibers to build nests with, and even to live in, so this hammock should always be inspected for safety before getting into it, especially after long periods when the hammock has not been in use.
- **PUPPY PROBLEMS:** Man's best friend is not always a hammock's best friend! Dogs, especially puppies, often regard hammocks as great chew toys, so dog owners should hang, and store, their hammocks somewhere Rover can't easily reach.
- **HARSH CHEMICALS:** Avoid storing this hammock and its accessories near strong chemicals, including pesticides, which may damage the integrity of the different parts.
- **CLEANING THE HAMMOCK:** To clean this hammock, stretch it out on a clean, dry, non-abrasive surface, then wet it with a hose and gently scrub the ropes with a soft brush and a mild soap/warm-water solution. When finished, rinse with the hose. Do **not** use bleach or any cleaning product containing it or other strong chemicals. Once this hammock has been washed, rinse it thoroughly and allow it to dry completely before it's hung back up or put away for storage.
- **CLEANING THE HAMMOCK STAND:** Periodically inspect the stand surface for any clinging debris, which should be wiped off to prevent long-term damage to the powder-coat surface. During periods of wet weather, do not leave the stand sitting in pools of standing rainwater.

WARRANTY INFORMATION

Product guaranteed free of defects in workmanship and materials for up to one year from date of purchase. If an item is found to be defective within that time, The Hammock Source will replace it at no charge. Normal wear and tear, including prolonged exposure to snow, rain and heavy humidity, is not covered, nor is mold, mildew or damage from improper storage, maintenance or installation. An original sales receipt must accompany any returned product, along with a Return Authorization Number from Hammock Source customer service; call toll-free at (800) 643-3522.