

Care and Storage Instructions

Proper care of your hammock will greatly extend its use. As with all hammocks, the best thing you can do to extend its use is to properly store the hammock when not being used. UV rays from sun exposure as well as rain and other moisture will break down and discolor the natural cotton fibers of the rope. To avoid this natural process, properly store the rope hammock, the pad, and the pillow when it's not being used. To facilitate storage, please use the vented nylon storage bag that came with your hammock.

First, remove the head pillow from the hammock. With the hammock pad still attached to the rope hammock, and starting from one end of the hammock, carefully roll the hammock and pad as shown in **Figure 1**. -- (Always be sure the hammock and pad are dry before rolling up and storing as mildew could develop)

Once rolled, place the rolled up hammock into the vented storage bag as shown in **Figure 2**.

Slide rolled up hammock and pad all the way to the bottom of the vented storage bag to allow room for the pillow. Place head pillow in bag by folding the pillow in the middle and stuffing it into the top of the vented storage bag as shown in **Figure 3**.



Figure 1

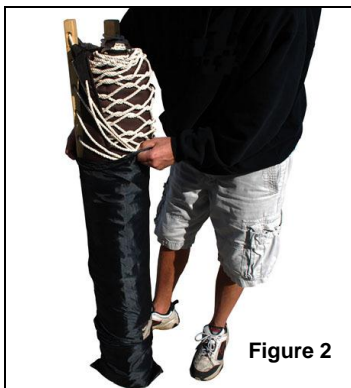


Figure 2



Figure 3

Once the pillow is in the vented storage bag, use the drawstring pull to secure everything in the vented storage bag as shown in **Figure 4**.

You will note that the storage bag has a vented opening on its side as shown in **Figure 5**. This is to help ventilate the hammock and avoid moisture buildup which could cause mildew on the hammock.

With the hammock, pad, and pillow placed securely in the storage bag, store hammock in cool dry place out of direct sunlight.

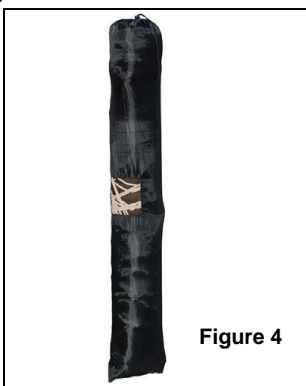


Figure 4



Figure 5

For spots on the cotton rope hammock the pad, or the pillow, wash gently with a mild soap and water solution. Scrub gently with a soft brush and rinse thoroughly. Allow to completely dry before storage. Do not use any type of harsh chemicals when cleaning.

The hammock stand has a powder coated outdoor finish. However the stand will develop scratches over time especially where the stand pieces fit together. To avoid excessive rust, wipe these areas of moisture. Before storing the stand, wipe thoroughly to wipe off moisture and dirt. Store stand in a dry location.

We hope your hammock provides years of enjoyment and with proper care it should last years. However, at some point the hammock may become worn or unsightly from exposure to the elements. You can purchase a replacement rope hammock at www.kohls.com listed as *single cotton rope hammock* – the description will say replacement for Kohls in-store hammock combination.