

# MANUAL WIND HOSE REEL

## INSTRUCTION MANUAL

### 1. INTRODUCTION

This high quality manual wind hose reel is manufactured from steel with a powder coating. It is a durable and practical hose storage solution. This reel has been especially manufactured with a high level coating. However, given the varying conditions it will be used under, the warranty does not cover the unit for rust or deterioration of the coating. The 12 month warranty covers the working of the unit and construction of the frame.

This hose reel will take a maximum length of 30m of garden hose. To complete the set up of this product, we recommend you purchase (or use) the following additional products, sold separately:

- Outback, Ned Kelly or Tradie's Choice Starter Kit
- 18m or 30m Profirm or Premiumflex hose
- Tap to Hose Connector (Product Code: 2310)

This reel can be mounted vertically to a post or wall, or horizontally "on ground" to a floor, path or driveway, etc. See Fig. 1.

The operation of the reel, if mounted to a post, or wall, can be enhanced by installing a Hose Guide (supplied).

### 2. SETTING UP AND MOUNTING THE HOSE REEL

For optimum use, we recommend mounting the reel to a wall or post, or securing it to the ground.

To use this reel, it requires a short length of hose to go from the tap to the hose reel, called the "Leader hose". This can be any length of hose you may already have, or it can be cut from your hose. When cutting any hose, ensure it is cut straight (not angled or jagged). Sharp secateurs are the best tool for this task.

There are 4 hose connection points (see Fig. 2)

- A. At the tap
- B. To the outside of the reel (from the tap)
- C. To the inside of the reel
- D. At the spray end

1. Connect the Starter Kit as per supplied Fitting Instructions, to Connection Point A (at the tap from the leader hose) and Connection Point D (spray end of the hose).
2. Using the additional Tap to Hose Connector screw the Tap Connector direct onto Connection Point B. Install the hose connector to the other end of the leader hose as per Fitting Instructions. See Fig. 3.
3. Feed the long hose length through the inside of the drum to Connection Point C. You will need to soften the end of the hose in hot water, slide the supplied jubilee clip over the end of the hose, then push the hose onto the barbed stem. Tighten the jubilee clip with a screwdriver, taking care to ensure the screwdriver does not slip off and cause injury. See Fig. 4.
4. When securing the hose reel to a wall or a post, ensure the leader hose is long enough to reach from the tap to the reel. The Top mounting hole should be about 1200mm above the ground (or a convenient height for you to wind the handle). If the hose reel needs to be mounted further from the tap, an extra length of hose can be added using a Hoselink Hose Joiner Set (Product Code: 2410).
5. The hose reel has 2 holes by which to secure it, and the necessary screws are enclosed together with plastic plugs for installing to a masonry wall. We recommend using the hose reel as a template to mark the holes prior to drilling. Use a spirit level to ensure the

holes are vertically aligned. When drilling, use a 5.5mm drill bit for the plugs (orange spaghetti).

6. If you want the reel to be REMOVABLE, drill holes to coincide with the top of the slotted bracket holes. If you want it permanently installed, the top hole should coincide with the top of the slotted bracket hole and the bottom hole with the bottom of the slotted bracket.
7. Now you can connect the leader hose between the tap and the reel, and roll up the hose. You are ready to use your Hoselink reel!

### 3. CARE AND MAINTENANCE

We recommend that the hose is fed through the supplied Hose Guide, when being rolled or pulled out. To prolong the life of your hose, we recommend that you store it out of direct sunlight where possible. To clean the hose reel, simply wipe with a damp cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners. Keep lubricated where the handle is retained by the flat bracket.

### 4. IMAGES



Fig. 1. Recommended set up with hose guide

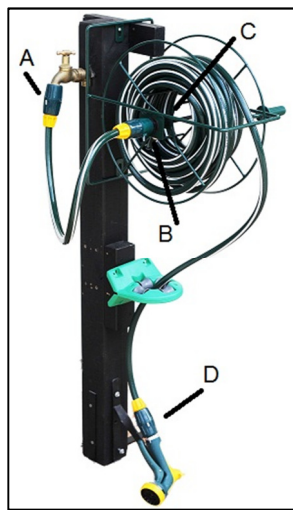


Fig. 2. Diagram shows Connection Points A, B, C, D, and leader hose



Fig. 3. Outside connection of hose reel connection



Fig 4. Inside connection of hose reel connection

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