# THERMOS.

## CARE AND USE GUIDE

# VACUUM INSULATED HYDRATION BOTTLES

### GENERAL CARE

- Before first use, wash all parts with warm, soapy water. Rinse all parts thoroughly and allow time to dry.
- Contents should not be left in the container for longer than 24 hours. As soon as possible after each and every use, wash all parts with warm, soapy water. Rinse all parts thoroughly with clean water. Allow all parts to dry completely prior to next use or storage
- DO NOT use abrasive cleaners or scrubbers since they may dull the finish.
- DO NOT use bleach or cleaners containing chlorine on any parts of the product.
- This product is top-rack dishwasher safe; however, hand washing is recommended as the dishwasher uses harsher detergents and hot water that may affect the appearance of your product.
- Residual liquids, foods, or other contents may become trapped between product components, such as lid parts, container parts, gaskets (flexible band around lid and/or stopper), or straws (if present in the product). Although this product is top-rack dishwasher safe, hand washing is recommended to ensure that all parts of the product are thoroughly cleaned.
- For maximum thermal efficiency, preheat or pre-chill the product just prior to use. Fill with hot/cold tap water, attach lid, let stand 5 to 10 minutes and empty water. After filling container with contents, re-cover with lid to increase thermal efficiency. Never use a microwave, conventional oven, or other heat source for this purpose.

## ASSEMBLY & USE

Hard Spout Lid with Push Button and Slide Lock (if Present):

- 1. Remove lid (A) by twisting counterclockwise.
- 2. Unlock the slide lock (B) by sliding the lever to the "unlocked" position. Press the push-button (C) on the lid (A) to open lid cover (D).
- 3. Pull out O-ring gasket (A1) from underside of lid (A) and spout gasket (D1) from underside of lid cover (D).
- 4. Wash all parts separately and re-assemble. a. Ensure gaskets are properly seated to minimize leaking.
- 5. Fill container with contents. Do not overfill: Leave space for lid (A) to avoid overflow.
- 6. Replace the lid (A) by twisting it clockwise.
- 7. To drink, Unlock the slide lock (B) by sliding the lever to the "unlocked" position. Push the button (C) located on the lid (A), which will release the lid cover (D) and reveal the drink spout (E).
- 8. When finished drinking, close and lock the lid cover (D) by pushing the lid cover firmly down and lock the product by switching the slide lock (B) to the "locked" position.
- 9. The rotating intake meter (F) (if present) can be used to manually track how many bottles of liquid that are consumed. To use the intake meter, manually rotate the meter to the number "1" position as shown and after each bottle of liquid is consumed, rotate the meter counterclockwise to the next higher number to track your consumption.

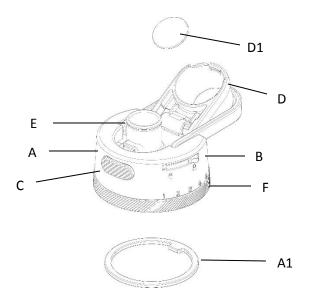


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Hard Spout Lid (If Present):

- 1. Remove lid (A) by twisting counterclockwise.
- Unlock the drinking spout cover (B) by twisting spout cover counterclockwise until the cover fully stops twisting (about 1/4 turn). Pull up on spout cover to open and expose drinking spout (C).
- 3. Pull out O-ring gasket (A1) from underside of lid (A) and spout cover gasket (B1) from underside of spout cover (B).
- 4. Wash all parts separately and re-assemble.
  - a. Ensure gaskets are properly seated to minimize leaking.
- 5. Fill container with contents. Do not overfill: Leave space for lid (A) to avoid overflow.
- 6. Replace the lid (A) by twisting it clockwise.
- 7. To drink, unlock the drinking spout cover (B) by twisting spout cover counterclockwise until the spout cover fully stops twisting (about 1/4 turn). Pull up on spout cover to open and expose drinking spout (C).
- 8. When finished drinking, close and lock the spout cover (B) by twisting spout cover clockwise until the spout cover fully stops twisting (about 1/4 turn

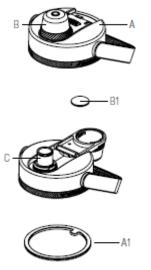


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#### WARNINGS

- DO NOT use product in microwave, on stove-top, or in any type of oven.
- NOT FOR USE WITH HOT LIQUIDS: For cold liquids only. Hot liquids may burn or scald user.
- Always test temperature of contents before consuming.
- DO NOT overfill the container: Leave space at top of container for lid to avoid overflow.
- If applicable to product, the carabiner style attachment on the lid is not intended for climbing. It is
  intended solely for the purpose of attaching keys to the product or attaching the product to
  backpacks or other gear for transport.
- Check periodically to make sure any gasket (flexible band around lid and/or stopper) is present and properly positioned to prevent contents from passing through stopper when stopper is closed (if applicable to product). Missing, worn or misaligned gaskets may cause product to leak.
- In general, contents should not be left in container for longer than 24 hours. However, the rate at which contents spoil depends on several factors. Certain contents that include, for example, dairy and/or tomato may start to spoil sooner. Proceed with caution when using the product with quick spoiling contents.
- If contents are left in container longer than 24 hours, or you suspect spoilage, use caution when opening container. Contents spoilage can cause pressure inside container to build, possibly leading to forceful ejection of stopper or contents. In such circumstances, before attempting to open container, ENSURE THE OPENING IS POINTED AWAY FROM THE USER OR OTHER PERSONS TO AVOID INJURY.
- DO NOT use tools or devices to force container to open.
- If you are unable to open container by hand, do not open it and dispose of it at your local waste facility.
- DO NOT use to store or carry carbonated drinks or dry ice. This may cause lid/stopper and contents to eject forcefully or leak.

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