

USER MANUAL "PAN 1" FIRE BOWL





1. Introduction

Thank you for choosing the PAN 1 fire bowl. This manual will guide you through the proper use, maintenance, and safety precautions needed to ensure you get the most out of your fire pit while maintaining its durability and appearance.

The PAN 1 fire bowl is an excellent choice for outdoor gatherings, offering a simple yet functional design made from raw, unpainted steel. However, as the fire bowl is made from untreated steel, special care is required to prevent rusting and prolong its life. Please take the time to read through this manual to familiarize yourself with the proper maintenance routines and important safety guidelines.

2. Product Specifications

The PAN 1 fire bowl is available in several sizes to suit different outdoor spaces and preferences. Each variant is made from unpainted raw steel, designed to provide a rustic, natural aesthetic that will weather over time unless properly maintained.

Product variants:

Model	Diameter	Height	Weight
PAN01-N60CM	60 cm	19 cm	8 kg
PAN01-N70CM	70 cm	19 cm	9,1 kg
PAN01-N80CM	80 cm	19 cm	13,7 kg
PAN01-N100CM	100 cm	22 cm	18,2 kg



3. Material information

Material:

• The PAN 1 fire bowl is made from raw, unpainted steel. This gives the product a natural and rustic appearance, but also means it is not protected from the elements by paint or any other form of coating. Raw steel, when exposed to moisture, will naturally begin to oxidize, leading to rust formation.

Why maintenance is crucial:

As the fire pit is made from raw steel, it is important to perform regular maintenance to prevent rust and
corrosion. Without proper care, rust can significantly affect the longevity and appearance of the fire bowl.
However, with simple, routine upkeep, you can ensure the fire bowl maintains its functionality and
appearance for many years.



4. Regular maintenance

To protect the fire bowl from rust and ensure its long-lasting use, it is essential to follow a regular maintenance routine. Here are the steps you should take:

After each use:

1. Clean the fire bowl:

Once the fire has completely burned out and the fire bowl has cooled down, remove any ashes or debris
from the bowl. Use a brush or a cloth to wipe away dirt and ensure the surface is clean.

2. Dry the surface:

 Moisture is the primary cause of rust, so it is important to ensure the fire bowl is completely dry before performing any further maintenance. Wipe it down with a dry cloth to remove any lingering moisture.

Oiling the fire bowl:

3. Apply a protective oil layer:

To prevent rusting, regularly apply a thin layer of vegetable or cooking oil to the entire surface of the fire bowl, including the inside and outside. This can be done after each use or at least once a month, depending on how often the fire bowl is exposed to the elements. The oil will create a protective barrier that shields the raw steel from moisture and helps maintain its appearance.

Steps to oil the fire bowl:

- o Use a clean cloth or paper towel to apply a thin layer of oil to the fire pit's surface.
- Spread the oil evenly, making sure to cover all areas, especially any spots that have begun to show signs of
 rust.
- o After applying the oil, allow it to sit for a few minutes, then wipe off any excess to avoid a sticky surface.

4. Store or Cover the Fire Bowl:

o If possible, store the fire bowl in a dry location when not in use, such as a garage or shed. If storage is not feasible, use a weatherproof cover to protect it from rain and snow. This will greatly reduce the amount of moisture exposure and prolong the life of the fire bowl.

Note: Avoid leaving the fire bowl outside uncovered for long periods, especially during rain or snow, as this will accelerate the rusting process.

5. Installation instructions

Proper installation is key to ensuring both the safety and longevity of your PAN 1 fire bowl. Follow these guidelines carefully:

Choosing a location:

1. Level surface:



 Ensure that the fire bowl is placed on a stable, level surface. Uneven ground may cause instability, increasing the risk of tipping over during use.

2. Non-combustible surface:

Always place the fire bowl on a non-combustible surface, such as stone, gravel, brick, or concrete. Avoid
placing it directly on wooden decks, grass, or any other flammable surfaces.

3. Safe distance:

The fire bowl should be positioned at least 2 meters away from any structures, trees, or other flammable materials. Sparks and embers from the fire can travel, so it's important to have a clear, open space around the fire bowl.

Setup process:

4. Positioning the fire bowl:

 After choosing an appropriate location, place the fire bowl securely in its position. Make sure it is stable and does not wobble.

5. Adding firewood:

 Only use dry, seasoned wood as fuel. Avoid burning wet or green wood, as this can create excessive smoke and creosote buildup.

6. Operating instructions

Once your PAN 1 fire bowl is properly set up, it is ready to use. Follow these guidelines to ensure safe operation:

Lighting the fire:

1. Arrange firewood:

Begin by placing a small amount of kindling (such as small sticks or paper) at the bottom of the fire bowl.
 Stack larger pieces of wood on top, leaving enough space for air to circulate to promote even burning.

2. **Igniting the fire:**

 Light the kindling with a match or lighter. Allow the kindling to catch fire and gradually ignite the larger logs.

Note: do not use accelerants like gasoline or lighter fluid, as these can be dangerous and cause uncontrollable flames.

3. Managing the fire:

 Once the fire is lit, avoid overloading the fire pit with too much wood. A moderate fire is safer and easier to control.

Extinguishing the fire:

4. Let the fire burn out:



 Allow the fire to burn out naturally. Avoid using water to extinguish the fire, as this can cause thermal shock and damage the metal.

5. Cool down period:

Always allow the fire bowl to cool completely before cleaning or covering it. The metal may remain hot
for several hours after the fire has gone out.

7. Safety precautions

To ensure safe use of your PAN 1 fire bowl, always follow these safety precautions:

1. Do not leave unattended:

 Never leave the fire bowl unattended while a fire is burning. Always have an adult present to supervise the fire.

2. Keep children and pets at a distance:

o Make sure children and pets stay at a safe distance from the fire bowl to avoid accidents or injuries.

3. Avoid flammable materials:

 Do not place the fire bowl near flammable objects, such as tents, outdoor furniture, or overhanging branches.

4. Have a fire extinguisher ready:

o Keep a fire extinguisher, bucket of water, or hose nearby in case of emergencies.

5. Use heat-resistant gloves:

 When handling the fire bowl during or after use, always wear heat-resistant gloves to protect your hands from burns.

8. Storing the fire bowl

Proper storage of your fire bowl will extend its lifespan and keep it in good condition:

1. Clean before storage:

o After the fire bowl has cooled, remove all ash and debris. Clean the surface and apply oil before storing.

2. Cover or store indoors:

Store the fire bowl in a dry, sheltered location. If storing outdoors, always use a weatherproof cover to
protect it from the elements.

9. Disposal and recycling



When your PAN 1 fire bowl reaches the end of its useful life, dispose of it responsibly. The steel can be recycled at a local scrap metal facility. Check with your local waste management authority for guidelines on how to properly recycle or dispose of metal products.

Thank you for choosing PAN 1 Fire Bowl! By following this manual, you will ensure that your fire bowl provides safe and enjoyable use for many years to come.

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