



## #MG07 UTILITY SMOKE CUP

Read these directions very carefully. This product uses flammable material and is for professional use only. The manufacturer is not responsible for any injury or *liability* that is the result of the user's failure to follow the specific instructions stated below.

### **DIRECTIONS:**

Take the Smoke Cup and work the spark wheel a few times to break it in. (Roll the top of the wheel away from the cup.) Take a ball of Slow Cotton (*not* Flash Cotton) and form it into a bowl or "bird's nest". Remove the retainer wire in the Smoke Cup, and place the Cotton nest into the cup. (You must bend the retainer wire to remove it. Simply pull the center of the wire up and out.)

Fill the Cotton nest with a half-teaspoon of Colored Smoke Powder. Pull the edges of the nest up and over the top of the Powder to form a cocoon. Replace the retainer wire. The cup is now ready for use.

Hold the Smoke Cup in the center of your open palm and strike the flint wheel, lighting the Slow Cotton. After a few seconds, smoke will begin to waft out of the Cup.

### **CAUTION**

Always use in a "cup-up" position.

NEVER USE FLASH POWDER IN THIS DEVICE!!!!!!!!!! Hand injury will result.

Follow the directions that accompany your Colored Smoke Powder. They include ventilation requirements, etc.

### **TIPS:**

Do not let the smoke cloud come into close contact with clothing, silks, or cloth, as it will leave a discoloration. Most props, however, can be wiped clean.

The Colored Smoke, although non-toxic, is smoke nonetheless, and should not be inhaled in large quantities or in dense concentrations. Explicitly follow the directions on your Colored Smoke bottle.

The Colored Smoke leaves behind an ashen residue, and it is necessary to remove the burnt ash and scrape out the Cup after using. Some Colored Smoke dye may settle on the striker wheel, in which case it should be removed and cleaned.

You should also clean it when the wheel gets hard to turn, remove the flint, run the wheel under hot tap water and spin it. This will dissolve residue build-up. Allow the wheel to dry before replacing the flint.

Occasionally, the flint in the spark wheel assembly will have to be replaced. Flints are readily available at most drug stores. To replace it, grasp the spark wheel assembly firmly with pliers and pull it up and out. The bottom of the assembly will unscrew, exposing the flint chamber. Be careful not to lose the spring and the spring head inside. Drop in a new flint and reassemble.

If mounting the Cup is required, drill a quarter-inch hold in its center and screw it down.

### **WARNING!!!**

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**DANGER! USE AT YOUR OWN RISK!**

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