# INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS CARE AND MAINTENANCE

Tropic Cadet®3 2-piece Round Front, Elongated, Right Height<sup>™</sup> Toilets Models 2455 / 2457 / 2459 / 2791





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Triumph Cadet®3 2-piece Round Front, Elongated, Right Height™ Toilets Models 2490 / 2491 / 2492

Thank you for selecting American Standard - the benchmark of fine quality for over 100 years. To ensure this product is installed properly, please read these instructions carefully before you begin. (Certain installations may require professional help.) Also be sure your installation conforms to local codes.

**CAUTION: PRODUCT IS FRAGILE. TO AVOID BREAKAGE AND POSSIBLE INJURY HANDLE WITH CARE!** NOTE: *Pictures may not exactly define contour of china and components.* 

## **RECOMMENDED TOOLS AND MATERIALS**

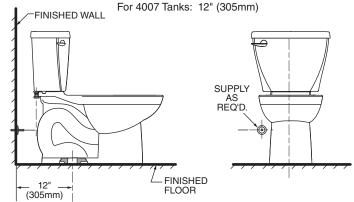
Putty Knife Regular Screwdriver Adjustable Wrench Sealant Tape Measure Hacksaw Wax Ring/Gasket Flexible Supply Tube Closet Bolts Carpenters Level

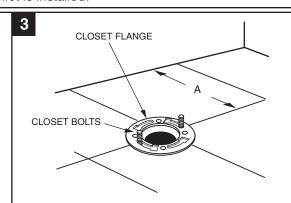
## 1 REMOVE OLD TOILET

- a. Close toilet supply valve and flush tank completely. Towel or sponge remaining water from tank and bowl.
- b. Disconnect and remove supply line. NOTE: If replacing valve, first shut off main water supply!
- c. Remove old mounting hardware, remove toilet and plug floor waste opening to prevent escaping sewer gases.
- d. Remove closet bolts from flange and clean away old wax, putty, etc. from base area. NOTE: Mounting surface must be clean and level **before** new toilet is installed!

## **?** ROUGHING-IN DIMENSIONS:

NOTE: Distance from wall to closet flange centerline must be as listed below:

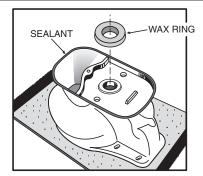




## **INSTALL CLOSET BOLTS**

Install closet bolts in flange channel, turn  $90^\circ$ , and slide into place 6" (152 mm) apart and parallel to wall.

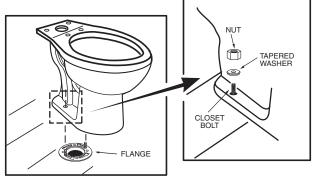
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## **INSTALL WAX SEAL**

Invert toilet on floor (cushion to prevent damage), and install wax ring evenly around waste flange (horn), with tapered end of ring facing toilet. Apply a thin bead of sealant around toilet base.

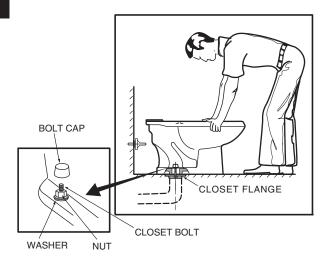
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## **POSITION TOILET ON FLANGE**

- unplug floor waste opening and install toilet on closet flange so bolts project through mounting holes.
- b. Loosely install retainer washers and nuts. Side of washers marked "THIS SIDE UP" must face up!





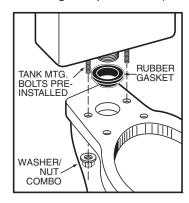
## **INSTALL TOILET**

a. Position toilet squarely to wall and, with a rocking motion, press bowl down fully on wax ring and flange. Alternately tighten nuts until toilet is firmly seated on floor.

## A CAUTION: DO NOT OVERTIGHTEN NUTS OR BASE MAY BE DAMAGED!

- b. Install caps on washers. (If necessary, cut bolt height to size before installing caps.)
- c. Smooth off the bead of sealant around base. Remove excess sealant.

For Tanks/Bowls using Speed Connect System (Tank mounting bolts pre-installed).



#### **INSTALL TANK**

- a. Install large rubber gasket over threaded outlet on bottom of tank and lower tank onto bowl so that tapered end of gasket fits evenly into bowl water inlet opening, and tank mounting bolts go through mounting holes. Secure with metal washer/nut combo.
- b. With tank parallel to wall, alternately tighten nuts until tank is snugged down evenly against bowl surface.
- \* USE INCLUDED TOOL, NUT DRIVER, OR DEEP SOCKET RACHET.



A CAUTION:

DO NOT OVERTIGHTEN NUTS MORE THAN REQUIRED FOR A SNUG FIT!

**INSTALL TOILET SEAT** Install toilet seat in accordance with manufacturer's directions.

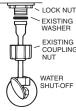
9a Before continuing, determine the type of water supply connecation you have from the chart below and use the appropriate assembly parts required to properly reconnect the water supply. DO NOT use plumber's putty to seal these fittings.

## METAL / COPPER **FLARED TUBING** LOCK NUT CONE WASHER

COUPLING NUT WATER SHUT-OFF

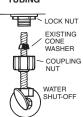
These parts must be used as illustrated to insure water-tight connection. Use of existing coupling nut may result in water leakage. Water supply tube or pipe must extend at least 1/2" inside threaded shank of valve (does not apply to flanged tubing).

#### METAL FLANGED TUBING



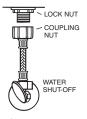
Use existing coupling nut and washer.

## **METAL SPIRAL** TUBING



Use existing spiral cone washer. Fluidmaster cone washer may not seal completely on spiral type supply

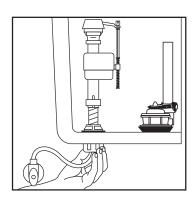
#### VINYL / BRAIDED CONNECTOR



Captive cone included. No additional washers needed.

**CAUTION: Overtightening of** LOCK NUT or COUPLING NUT could result in breakage and potential flooding.

## 9b

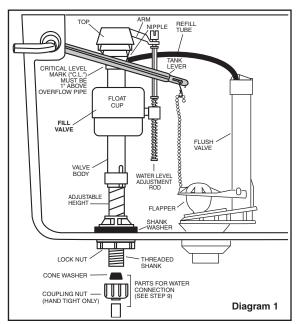


With correct washers in place (see Step 9a), tighten COUPLING NUT 1/4 turn beyond hand tight.

DO NOT OVERTIGHTEN.

**CAUTION: DO NOT USE CONE WASHER WITH** PLASTIC SUPPLY LINE.

WARNING: Do not use plumber's putty, pipe dope, or any other sealant on the water supply connection to this tank. If the connection leaks after hand tightening, replace the supply line. If the connection continues to leak with the new supply line, replace the fill valve. Warranty is void if any type of sealant is used on the water supply connection.



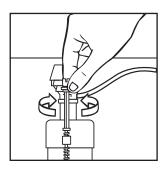
## **ADJUSTMENTS**

 Adjust water level. Water level should be adjusted to level indicated on tank by adjusting float cup.

See Step 11 for water level adjustment method

 b. If bowl fails to siphon, an adjustment may be required with the lift chain.
 Simply remove the bead chain from the retainment clip and take up slack on the chain, and reinsert on lift rod.
 Make sure the chain is not too taught.





Turn on water supply. Submerge the FLOAT CUP under the water for 30 seconds. Adjust the water to desired level by turning WATER LEVEL ADJUSTMENT ROD and moving FLOAT CUP up or down.

## 12 CARE AND CLEANING

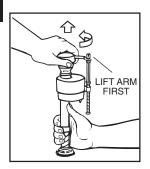
When cleaning your toilet, wash it with mild, soapy water, rinse thoroughly with clear water and dry with a soft cloth. Avoid detergents, disinfectants, or cleaning products in aerosol cans. NEVER use abrasive scouring powders or abrasive pads on your toilet seat. Some bathroom chemicals and cosmetics may damage the seat's finish.



**WARNING:** Do not use in-tank cleaners. Products containing chlorine (calcium hypochlorite) can seriously damage fittings in the tank. This damage can cause leakage and property damage.

American Standard shall not be responsible or liable for any tank fitting damage caused by the use of cleaners containing chlorine (calcium hypochlorite).

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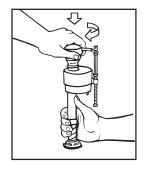


# IMPORTANT: Always clear sand and rust from system.

 Make sure water supply is off. Remove valve TOP by lifting arm and rotating top and arm 1/8 turn counterclockwise, pressing down slightly on cap.



 While holding a container over the uncapped VALVE to prevent splashing, turn water supply on and off a few times. Leave water supply off.



 Replace TOP by engaging lugs and rotating 1/8 turn clockwise. MAKE CERTAIN TIP IS TURNED TO THE LOCKED POSITION. VALVE MAY NOT TURN ON IF TOP IS NOT FULLY TURNED TO THE LOCKED POSITION.

Always use quality Fluidmaster repair parts when maintaining your Fluidmaster products. Fluidmaster shall not be responsible or liable for any damages caused by products used with Fluidmaster valves that were not manufactured by Fluidmaster, Inc.

## **TROUBLESHOOTING**

IF FILL VALVE SHUTS OFF BUT CONTINUES TO LEAK SLOWLY, repeat Step 13.

IF FILL VALVE TURNS OFF AND ON DURING PERIODS OF NON-USE, it is a signal you are wasting water because:

- The end of the refill tube is inserted into overflow pipe, below water level in tank. Attach refill tube to overflow pipe using "S" clip provided.
- The flush valve is leaking because it's worn, dirty or misaligned with tank ball or flapper (replace with a new flapper).

IF FILL VALVE WON'T TURN ON OR SHUT OFF or REFILL OF TANK WATER IS SLOW after valve has been in use for some time, Fluidmaster Model 242 Replacement Seal may be needed.

Go to our website at www.fluidmaster.com for more solutions to toilet problems.

For troubleshooting information please contact:



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REPAIR PARTS LIST  Repair parts are determined by toilet tank number which can be found marked inside tank.  NOTE: "XXX" represents color or trim finish options. Specify when ordering.			TANK NUMBER								
			7.500	4007.016	4007.100	4007.428	4007.101	7.151	4007.458	7.128	
PART NO.	DESCRIPTION	4007	4007.	400	400	400	400	4007.1	400	4007.	
738938-XXX0A	TRIP LEVER - STANDARD LEFT HAND	~	~	~	~	~	~	~	~	~	
034783-XXX0A	BOLT CAP KIT	~	>	>	~		>	~	~	/	
7381125-400.0070A	FLUIDMASTER 400A VALVE	~	~	~	~	~	~	~	~	~	
7381146-401.0070A	FLUSHVALVE ASSEMBLY 3 INCH (INCLUDES FLAPPER)			~	~						
7381193-201.0070A	FLAPPER ASSEMBLY 3 INCH	~	~	~	~						
7301021-0070A	TANK COUPLING KIT #253	~	~	~	~		~	~	~	~	
738570-100.0070A	REFILL TUBE	~	>	<b>&gt;</b>	~	~	/	~	~	~	
735127-400.XXX	TANK COVER	~		/			/	<			
735124-400.XXX	TANK COVER		>		~	~			<	/	
7381146-405.0070A	FLUSHVALVE ASSEMBLY HET - 3 INCH (INCLUDES FLAPPER)							~	~		
7381146-406.0070A	FLUSHVALVE ASSEMBLY HET - 3 INCH (INCLUDES FLAPPER)					~	~			~	
7381146-402.0070A	FLUSHVALVE ASSEMBLY 3 INCH (INCLUDES FLAPPER)	~	~								
7381148-200.0070A	EZ INSTALL BOLT CAP KIT					~				>	
7381162-200.0070A	EZ INSTALL TANK COUPLING KIT					~				~	
7381193-203.0070A	FLAPPER ASSEMBLY 3 INCH					~	~	~	~	~	

TROUBLESHOOTING GUIDE						
PROBLEM	POSSIBLE CAUSE	CORRECTIVE ACTION				
Does not flush	a. Water supply valve closed.	a. Open valve and allow water to fill tank.				
	b. Supply line blocked.	b. Shut off water supply, disconnect supply line and inspect all gaskets and washers. Reassemble. Also, see Fluidmaster maintenance. (see Step 13)				
	c. Flush valve chain too loose or disconnected.	c. Readjust chain length as required.				
	d. Sand or debris lodged in water control.	d. Shut off water supply. Remove cap and clean as per Step 13.				
Poor or sluggish flush	a. Bowl water level too low.	Check that refill tube is connected to water control and inserted into tank overflow without being kinked or damaged.				
	b. Supply valve partly closed.	b. Open supply valve fully. Be sure that proper supply tube size is used.				
	c. Partially clogged trapway and/or drain pipe and/or vent.	c. Remove obstruction. Consult a plumber if necessary.				
	d. Supply pressure too low.	d. Normal supply pressure must be at least 20 psi.				
Toilet leaks	a. Poor supply line connection.	a. Review Step 9 of installation procedure.				
	b. Poor bowl to tank/floor connection.	b. Review Step 4 through 7 of installation procedure.				
Toilet does not shut off	a. Flush valve chain too tight, holding flush valve open.	a. Readjust chain length as needed. Review Step 10.				
	b. Flush valve seat and/or flapper worn or deformed.	b. Shut off water supply. Replace flush valve.				
	c. Sand or debris lodged in water control.	c. Shut off water supply. Remove cap and clean per Step 13.				

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