

# The Pett

Fact Sheet



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If a liquid based toilet system won't work for your needs, try a "dry" system. There are now portable toilet products, the Pett being one of them, which use biodegradable bags and a special chemical powder that gels liquids and acts as a catalyst to help break down the waste. These bags can then be legally disposed of in a landfill.

**Note:** In most places, disposing of human waste in regular plastic bags at a landfill is illegal. And please remember never to dump plastic or other garbage into vault toilets.

The Pett, made of strong plastic, is lightweight and compact. It is ideal for trips when space is limited as it does not have any associated hoses or bottles of chemicals and folds into itself. The biodegradable bags are also lightweight. These bags do have a lifespan and they begin to degrade as soon as produced. It is recommended that you only purchase enough for one year at a time. Accessories such as the privacy tent and a carrying case can be purchased separately. For more information visit [www.thepett.com](http://www.thepett.com).

## Before going into the field:

Make sure you have enough biodegradable bags based on the anticipated number of days and number of people on the trip.

## Using in the field:

1. Unfold the Pett legs and place on even ground.
2. Open the biodegradable bag and place inside Pett as shown in instructions.
3. Remove used bag and dispose of it with rest of garbage.

## Preparing system for transport:

Break down the system and store in carrying case.

## Tips for use:

1. If necessary, a bag can be used multiple times.
2. Toilet tissue can go into the Pett.
3. Feminine hygiene products should be packed out with the trash.