

# THE THOMPSON DRYWASHER

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*'Built By A Working Man & Priced For A Working Man'*

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Don't let the lower price of the Thompson Drywashers fool you...the Thompson Drywasher has an excellent recovery rate.

The top box classifies the material to about 3/8 of an inch. In the bottom of the top box is an adjustable gate, so you can control the amount of material that goes onto the riffles.

The riffles and riffle tray are one piece for easy clean up. You just loosen the latch and take the riffle tray out along with the concentrates.

### **Three Models Available**

**Leaf Blower Model:** The Leaf Blower Model needs a small leaf blower (not included). In the bottom of the riffle box is a 12-blade fan with an adjustable weight on one side. You can change the speed of the fan by moving the weight. Moving the weight out will slow the fan down, moving it in will speed it up. I recommend you leave the weight where it is and adjust the speed of the leaf blower. It is easy to set up. Just stand the legs up and set the drywasher on them. It has a chain in the front to adjust the riffle box angle. Set up, it is 40" high, 22" long, and 9" wide. The riffles are 8" wide. Folded up, the leaf blower model is 14" high, 22" long and 14" wide. The legs on the Leaf Blower Model are separate and are 42" long. The leaf blower weighs about 18 lbs.

**Hand Crank Model:** The Hand Crank Model is very similar to the Leaf Blower Model, in that the top box and the riffle tray are the same. The Hand Crank Model has a bellows that moves the material over the riffles. There is a crank that moves the bellows. The crank moves the same speed as the bellows and is very efficient, along with being easy to set-up and take down. To set this model up, insert the back legs in the leg holders, lift the top box up and insert the front legs in the holders and you are ready to go. Set up, the Hand Crank Model is 40" high, 22" long, and 9" wide. The riffles are 8" wide. Folded up, the Hand Crank Model is 12" high, 36" long and 18" wide. The legs fold up. The handcrank weighs about 17 lbs.

The advantages and disadvantages between the two are that the Leaf Blower Model will run more material than the Hand Crank Model, but it needs a leafblower motor (not included) and it's noisy. The Hand Crank Model is quiet and you don't have to buy anything else.

**12 Volt Model:** The 12-Volt Model is the Hand Crank Model with the addition of a 12-volt motor. The motor weighs 5 lbs. and slips on the back legs. All you need to do is unhook the crank rod from the handcrank and put it on the motor crank and you are ready to go. You will need a 12-volt battery (not included). It will run about 2 1/2 hours continuously on a motorcycle battery. The motor is variable speed and pulls 1 1/2 amps. No load and stalls at about 25 amps. Runs from 0 to about 190 RPM. It will fit on any of my aluminum Hand Crank Model drywashers.

**12 Volt Retrofit:** If you purchase, or have purchased a Hand Crank Model, you can retrofit it to a 12 Volt-Model by purchasing the motor assembly separately.

Pricing (as of September 2012)

Model	Price	Shipping	Total Outside California Price	Total California Price (+7.25 tax)
Leaf Blower Model	\$395	\$60	\$455	\$483.64
Hand Crank Model	\$470	\$60	\$530	\$564.08
12-Volt Model	\$595	\$60	\$655	\$698.14
12-Volt retrofit	\$125	\$30	\$155	\$164.06

The best way to make payment is with a money order made payable to Bill Thompson **or** by PayPal using [bill@thompsondrywasher.com](mailto:bill@thompsondrywasher.com) as the account to pay to.

You may also pay by personal check, *but shipment will be held until the check clears the bank (7-14 days).*

I know you will enjoy your new Drywasher for many years.

**May all of your outings be  
GOLDEN!**

