



Product guide

V860, V865, V875, V885 PlayFrames

IMPORTANT

Save these instructions for reference

The PlayFrame is appropriate for children aged 3 to 6 years. It can be configured in many ways to encourage children to engage in active and imaginative play.

PlayFrame components

Your PlayFrame set is made out of some or all of the components shown below.



Square
(with platforms)



Square
platform



Slide



Ladder



Bridge



Perch

PlayFrame sets and components

PlayFrame set	Square (with 2 platforms)	Slide	Ladder	Bridge	Perch
Starter PlayFrame V860	1		1		1
Classic PlayFrame V865	1	1	1		2
Bridge PlayFrame V875	1	1		1	2
Grand PlayFrame V885	2	1	1	1	4

Make sure you have all the parts for your set before beginning to build your PlayFrame. If any parts are broken or missing, call customer service at 0800 387 457.

**All of our packaging is recyclable (cardboard and LDPE).
Please recycle in accordance with local guidelines.**



⚠ WARNING

Failure to follow these warnings and the assembly instructions could result in serious injury or death.

- ▲ The PlayFrame is intended for use by children of immature judgment. Only for supervised use in childcare or domestic settings.
- ▲ The PlayFrame is appropriate for children aged 3-6 years, not weighing more than 35kg each.
- ▲ Not suitable for children under 36 months. Risk of finger entrapment.
- ▲ The Square is suitable for use by up to 10 children, and the Grand PlayFrame is suitable for use by up to 20 children.
- ▲ To reduce injuries through falls, never install over asphalt, concrete or any other hard surface. Mats or other surfacing with a minimum fall height rating of 1.5 meters (as per EN 1177), extending at least 1 metre around your PlayFrame must be used at all times. PlayFrame mats are recommended.

- ▲ Always ensure your PlayFrame is on a level surface, at least 2 metres away from any obstruction a child could fall onto.
- ▲ Never put a platform on top of your PlayFrame.
- ▲ Never put anything on a platform on which a child might stand and fall off.
- ▲ Never attach a slide to the top of your PlayFrame.

⚠ CAUTION

- ▲ The PlayFrame may be used indoors or outdoors (in dry conditions) but must be stored indoors.
- ▲ Children should not be present during setup or dismantling.
- ▲ PlayFrame accessories should only be used when attached to the PlayFrame as intended.

Assembly

The PlayFrame must be assembled by adults. The steps below will help you set up your PlayFrame quickly and safely.

Mats

- If using PlayFrame mats, we recommend laying them down first with no gaps between them, and then erecting the PlayFrame on top of the mats. (Mats other than PlayFrame mats may not be firm enough to allow this.)
 - Ensure that the mats extend at least 1 metre all around the PlayFrame.
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The PlayFrame square

The Square consists of 2 pairs of panels and 2 platforms. To erect the Square:

1. Unfold the panels and stand them in a square.
2. To connect the panels, first insert the yellow peg on the bottom hinge into the corresponding hinge on the adjacent panel. (Figure A)
3. Use a key or similar tool to raise the yellow button on the top hinge. (Figure B)
4. Line up the top hinges of adjacent panels and release the yellow button to latch. (Figure C)
5. Ensure top and bottom hinges are latched at two corners of your PlayFrame.



Figure A



Figure B



Figure C

Platforms

⚠ CAUTION

▲ Always use at least one platform to ensure stability.

Install the platforms at any level other than resting on top of your PlayFrame. (Figure D)

The platforms can be installed either parallel or perpendicular to each other. To install a Platform:

1. Lower platform in from top.
2. Slide narrow end out through frame. (Figure E)
3. Position and click in place.
4. Ensure that both latches on each platform are engaged.

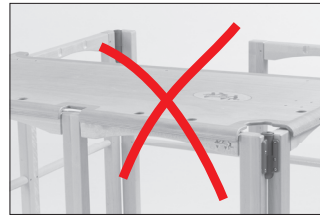


Figure D



Figure E

Perch

A Perch can connect to a platform, rung or top bar. To install a Perch:

1. Place the Perch where you want it and lower it into position until it clicks into place.
2. Ensure latch is fully engaged.

Use a Perch to connect the Bridge, Slide or Ladder to the PlayFrame:

1. Locate one end of the accessory above the perch.
2. Press the two yellow buttons and allow the accessory to lower into the Perch until both buttons click into place. (Figure F)



Figure F



Figure G

The Perch can also be used on its own as a seat or shelf.

⚠ WARNING

▲ Never connect more than one Perch to one side of a PlayFrame (Figure G). This is to prevent hazardous entrapments and the possibility of a child falling onto a hard object.

Bridge & Ladder

Both the Bridge and Ladder can be used as a ladder, bridge or monkey bars. The Bridge can be used either way up.

⚠ WARNING

- ▲ Never allow children to climb over a Bridge at the highest setting between two towers. The intended use of this feature is to allow children to hang by their hands.
- ▲ Ensure no hard objects are below when the Ladder or Bridge are connected between two PlayFrame towers.
- ▲ Ensure buttons are fully engaged into Perch.
- ▲ Never hang a Ladder from a Perch connected to the top bar. (Figure H)



Figure H

Slide

The Slide can be installed at different heights.

⚠ WARNING

- ▲ Ensure buttons are fully engaged into Perch
- ▲ Never connect a Slide to the top bar of the PlayFrame. (Figure I)



Figure I

Disassembly

1. Remove all accessories from the frame. Do this by pressing in both yellow buttons at the end of the accessory and lifting it out of the Perch. (Figure J)
2. Remove the Perches by disengaging the latches and lifting the Perches off. (Figure K)
3. Remove the platforms (Figure L). You must release both latches. Two people doing this together is the easiest.

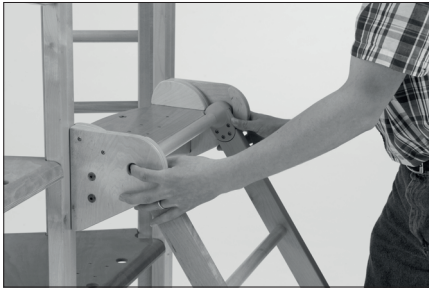


Figure J

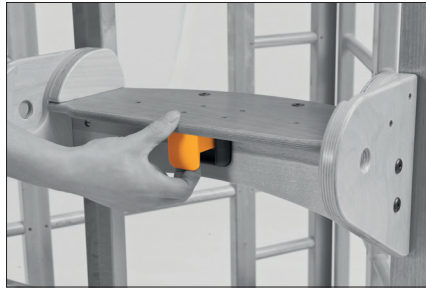


Figure K



Figure L

4. Once everything has been removed from the frame, disconnect the panels: Lift the yellow cap with a key or other tool. (Figure M)
5. Pull the tops of the panels apart. (Figure N)
6. Lift the bottom hinge apart. (Figure O)
7. Repeat steps 4–6 for the second corner.



Figure M



Figure N



Figure O

Maintenance

Visually inspect before each use for cracks, breaks, loose and/or missing parts. Ensure all connections are fully engaged.

Every 1 to 3 months test all connections to ensure they are functioning properly.

Remove the product from service if any condition develops which might make operation unsafe. If you plan to store your PlayFrame, remember it is made of wood and should be kept in a dry place.

Construction

The wooden components are manufactured from solid birch wood or from birch or beech plywood and are protected with a durable child-safe finish. Bamboo panels are made of sanded bamboo strips laminated onto a plastic core.

Cleaning

Wipe with a damp cloth and mild detergent. Dry immediately. Leaving water or cleaning agent on the surface may damage the finish. Do not use abrasive cleansers.

User modifications

We are not responsible for modifications made by customers to our products in the field, without our supervision, testing, or evaluation.

Ordering parts

To order replacement parts, contact customer service with a description of the part(s) needed and the ID code from the product.

Use only replacement parts supplied by Community Playthings.