

READ FIRST!

General Instructions:

Take your time! For e.g. an Ultimate Station, we suggest around one weekend for assembly.

We recommend assembling one unit completely before starting the next one.

Please follow all the instructions **VERY** carefully. There are very little tolerances in the entire system, as it would not work otherwise. So work very carefully. Take your time during assembly. E.g. for an Ultimate version, you should plan a weekend for assembly (it takes us around 4 hours, but we designed it and assembled numerous units).

If you are not experienced in this kind of kit assembly, please get assistance from someone that is skilled.

Not recommended for children under 14 years.

Always read entire individual instruction set first before beginning assembly of that unit!

CAUTION: Liquids

The material for the kits is MDF, which is made from wood.

Do not let any liquids soak into the material!

Always completely empty and dry off the water pots and wet palette before transport.

Ensure all paints are properly closed.

If the surface gets wet, wipe the liquid away quickly.

CAUTION: Handle carefully

The material for the kits is MDF, which is made from wood.

We designed it to be as sturdy as possible. However, it is not made for rough handling.

Do not drop it, or bang against hard surfaces.

Some pieces are quite thin. Do not break them, or apply too much pressure.

Handle it carefully, and it will last a long time.

Plastic bags:

The bags are labeled with stickers. The different units / elements are grouped into different bags. It is best to only take the sheets for one group out of the bag and assemble them before unpacking the next bag. This makes overview easier.

**List of bag contents and corresponding instructions
at the end of this document.**

Wooden sheets:

The sheets have codes engraved on them, which correspond to the instructions for the different elements. E.g. an instruction calls for sheet UGA-1, then find the wooden sheet with that name on it.

Remove the tape, it is only there to hold the pieces in the protective frame during transport.

Carefully take out all cut pieces from the protective frame. In rare occasions, some lines may not be fully cut through. This is due to slight variations in thickness of the MDF mainly, as this is a natural product. In this case, use a sharp Exacto knife and carefully cut along the existing lines. Lightly sand the borders if needed for better fit or if you don't like the brownish edges from the cutting.

Remove all the little cutouts that create the slots / slits inside a piece.

Check that all pieces are there. Don't throw any pieces away until you know for certain that they are not needed. Sometimes a piece that looks as if it is useless is needed later in the process of assembly.

Important: Always do a test assembly first, before gluing, to know what piece goes where and that everything works. Most pieces are designed so that they only fit where they need to go. If you think that a tab needs to be changed / shortened / isn't long enough or needs any kind of alteration to fit, then it normally means you are trying to put that piece in the wrong position.

The pretty side: The side of the sheet with the tape on it is the prettier side. Almost all pieces are designed so that this is the more visible / outside. Flip them over if they are wrong. Some pieces are inverted on the sheet, select the correct one.

General rules:

Check fit & function before gluing.

On rare occasions, it can be that a tab is too hard to push into a slit, because that particular MDF sheet may be ever so slightly thicker than it should be. In that case, file the tabs down a bit from both sides until they fit into the slit.



Important:

Ensure proper fit before gluing.

Lightly sand tabs / holes if they don't fit due to variations in thickness of the wood.

Gluing pieces together:

Generally, every piece needs to be glued, unless they are supposed to be removable, which is stated in the instructions.

We suggest to use very good (carpenter grade) wood glue for all wooden pieces and foam pieces.

Use a regular type, NOT a express / quick drying type, as sometimes you need to have enough time to make adjustments.

Use rubber bands, masking tape or clamps / vice grips to hold pieces in place during glue drying times.

Let the glue fully harden before using the system.

Always ensure right angles.

Do not leave any gaps between pieces anywhere. Apply glue evenly on **ALL** surfaces that connect to other surfaces, so e.g. both sides of a tab and in between the tabs also.



Important:

Apply glue evenly on **ALL** surfaces that connect to others.

Make sure that all the pieces sit very flush into their counterparts.

Minimal tolerances!

Ensure no glue is visible anywhere after assembly.

Wipe excess glue away with e.g. an unneeded piece of the wood or a very slightly damp rag. There are a lot of places that do not have tolerances for excess glue.



Important:

Ensure no glue is visible anywhere!

Assemble easy pieces / units first to understand the process better.

Generally, leave the paint units for last, largest ones after smaller ones. If you are really unsure, please contact us before making a mistake that cannot be undone.

We made all the instructions as downloadable PDF files. There are 2 versions of each file: One that is optimized for tablets / mobile phones, and also a printable version. Please note that the instructions may be updated from time to time to make them better.

Painting the Stations:

Generally, you can paint the stations. If you want to do this, here some pointers:

It is best to fully assemble (and test) everything before painting it. Only glue on foam pieces after painting. Tape off areas where foam goes, so that it can be glued on properly.

Use a spray can or Airbrush for painting the individual units.

Only apply a thin layer of paint / lacquer / varnish. As you will see when the station is fully assembled and set up as a box, there is virtually no space for thick paint.

CRUCIAL AREAS:

DO NOT PAINT the keys and keyholes. Mask the keyholes with masking tape from both sides before painting. There are minimal tolerances for the keys / keyholes, so even a thin layer of paint would probably prevent proper function.

Let paint fully dry before assembling the box.

Sand off excess paint in areas where it may be too thickly applied or if the system cannot be assembled anymore.

If you close the box, you can e.g. add a waterproof spray lacquer onto the entire outside (except keyholes), so that the box can handle moisture better from the outside.



Assembly order suggestion:

Here the order in which we suggest to assemble the different elements of the paint stations:

1. Bottom plate
 - a. Ultimate: also middle and upper plates
2. Storage boxes
3. Paint holders – first small, then large
 - a. Large / Ultimate: Drawers – first small, then large
4. Handgrip
5. Locking keys
6. Other items, such as Brush Holder, connectors and so on

Always do a test setup for each new element you finished, setting it in the place where it needs to go when building the box. Refer to setup guide. Ensure that the glue is fully dry when setting one element onto another one, so they don't stick together.

Assembly instructions:

Here how the sheets are sorted into the bags and which instructions go with which of the sheets.

You can click on the links of the instructions to open it directly online:

These will always then open the most current version. We do make updates & improvements from time to time.

Portable Brush holder	small sheet	Portable Brush Holder
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Miniature holders & stand	MS-1	Miniature Holders & Stand
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Wet Palette	Wet palette
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Small GW Station	8 sheets total
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Sticker / Bag	contents	instructions
Small GW handgrip	upper plate	upper plate
	bottom plate	bottom plate
	SG-01	handgrip
	SG-02	-
S-Large GW paint unit	SG-03	large paint unit
	SG-04	storage box locking keys
S-small GW paint unit x 2	SG-05	small paint unit
	SG-06	-

Small DROPPER Station	9 sheets total
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Setup guide - Small station	Setup guide Small Portable Paint Station
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Sticker / Bag	contents	instructions
Small Dropper handgrip	upper plate	upper plate
	bottom plate	bottom plate
	SD-01	handgrip
	SD-02	
S-Large Dropper paint unit	SD-03	large paint unit
	SD-04	storage box
	SD-05	locking keys
S-small Dropper paint unit x 2	SD-06	small paint unit
	SD-07	-

Lamp for Small Stations	1 sheet
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Sticker / Bag	contents	instructions
Lamp for Small Stations	LSA	lamp holder
	lamp	
	cable	

Lamp & Box for Small Stations	3 sheets total
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Sticker / Bag	contents	instructions
Lamp Box	LSA	lamp holder
	SL-02	Lamp Box & Lamp - standalone
	SL-03	
	lamp	
	cable	

Large Station	22 sheets total
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Setup guide - Large station	Setup guide Large Stations
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Sticker / Bag	contents	instructions
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storage boxes	LK1	water pot storage box
	LK2	middle tool box
	LK3	connetor plates
	LK4	upper tool box
	LK5	

Large handgrip	LV1	handgrip
	UV2	
	UV3	
	upper plate	upper plate
	bottom plate	bottom plate
	L-Key	locking keys

lamp holder	small sheet	lamp holder
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GW specific modules / units:

Sticker / Bag	contents	instructions
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Large GW Drawer	GDL1	large GW drawer
	GDL2	

Small Drawers (x2) 2 x for normal GW version	GDS1	small GW drawer
	GDS1	

Large GW Stepper	GSL1	large / small stepped GW paint unit
	GSL2	
	GSL3	

Small GW Stepper (x2)	GSS1 x 2	large / small stepped GW paint unit
2 x for normal GW version	GSS2 x 2	

DROPPER specific modules / units:

Sticker / Bag	contents	instructions
Large Dropper Drawer	DDL1	large Dropper drawer
	DDL2	

Small Drawers (x2)	DDS1	small Dropper drawer
2 x for normal Dropper version	DDS1	

Large Dropper Stepper	DSL1	Large stepped Dropper paint unit
	DSL2	
	DSL3	

Small Dropper Stepper (x2)	DSS1 x 2	Small stepped Dropper paint unit
2 x for normal Dropper version	DSS2 x 2	

Ultimate Station	27 sheets total
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Setup guide - Ultimate station	Setup guide Ultimate Stations
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Sticker / Bag	contents	instructions
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storage boxes	LK1	water pot storage box
	LK2	middle tool box
	LK3	connetor plates
	LK4	upper tool box
	LK5	

Ultimate handgrip	UV1	handgrip
	UV2	
	UV3	
	upper plate	middle and upper plates
	middle plate	
	bottom plate	bottom plate
	U-Key	locking keys

lamp holder	small sheet	lamp holder
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GW specific modules / units:

Sticker / Bag	contents	instructions
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Large GW Drawer	GDL1	large GW drawer
	GDL2	

Small Drawers (x2) 2 x for normal GW version	GDS1	small GW drawer
	GDS1	

Large GW Stepper	GSL1	large / small stepped GW paint unit
	GSL2	
	GSL3	

Small GW Stepper (x2) 2 x for normal GW version	GSS1 x 2	large / small stepped GW paint unit
	GSS2 x 2	
Ultimate GW low large unit	UGA1	large / small low GW module
	UGA2	small tool box
Ultimate GW low small unit	UGS1	large / small low GW module
	UGS2	middle and upper plates
DROPPER specific modules / units:		
Sticker / Bag	contents	instructions
Large Dropper Drawer	DDL1	large Dropper drawer
	DDL2	
Small Drawers (x2) 2 x for normal Dropper version	DDS1	small Dropper drawer
	DDS1	
Large Dropper Stepper	DSL1	Large stepped Dropper paint unit
	DSL2	
	DSL3	
Small Dropper Stepper (x2) 2 x for normal Dropper version	DSS1 x 2	Small stepped Dropper paint unit
	DSS2 x 2	
Ultimate Dropper low large unit	UDA1	large / small low Dropper module
	UDA2	small tool box
Ultimate Dropper low small unit	UDS1	large / small low Dropper module
	UDS2	middle and upper plates

STORAGE specific modules / units:

Sticker / Bag	contents	instructions
Ultimate STORAGE low large unit	UDA1	large low Storage module USA
	UDA2	small tool box
Ultimate STORAGE low small unit	USS1	small low Storage module USS
	USS2	middle and upper plates

Home Expansion modules:

[Setup guide Home Expansion modules](#)

Large Modules:

[HE- large Dropper paint module](#)

[HE- large GW paint module](#)

[HE- Large Shelf module](#)

[HE- 8 Spray Can module](#)

[HE- 4 Spray Can & Drawers module](#)

[HE- Large Shelf / Riser module, stackable](#)

[HE- Drawers module, stackable](#)

[HE- Large Dropper module, stackable](#)

[HE- Large GW module, stackable](#)

[HE- Paper Towel module, stackable](#)

Small Modules:

see instructions of large version, assembly is the same.

Corner Modules:

[HEC- Corner Shelf module, stackable](#)

[HEC- Corner Dropper paint module](#)

[HEC- Corner Dropper paint module, stackable](#)

[HEC- Corner GW paint module - regular & stackable](#)

[HEC- Corner Water Pot module](#)

[HEC- Corner Drawers Module](#)