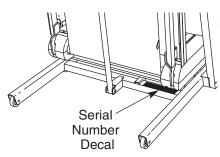
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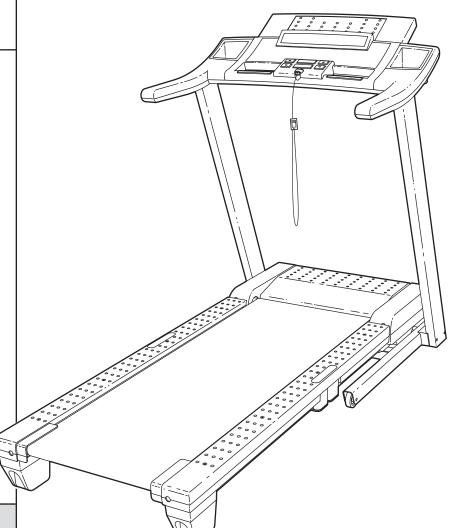
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Serial No.



- Assembly
- Operation
- Maintenance
- Part List and Drawing

## TREADMILL EXERCISER User's Manual



## **A** CAUTION

Read all precautions and instructions in this manual before using this equipment. Save this manual for future reference.

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## IMPORTANT PRECAUTIONS

WARNING: To reduce the risk of burns, fire, electric shock, or injury to persons, read the following important precautions and information before operating the treadmill.

- 1. It is the responsibility of the owner to ensure that all users of this treadmill are adequately informed of all warnings and precautions.
- 2. Use the treadmill only as described.
- Place the treadmill on a level surface, with at least eight feet of clearance behind it and two feet on each side. Do not place the treadmill on any surface that blocks air openings. To protect the floor or carpet from damage, place a mat under the treadmill.
- 4. Keep the treadmill indoors, away from moisture and dust. Do not put the treadmill in a garage or covered patio, or near water.
- Do not operate the treadmill where aerosol products are used or where oxygen is being administered.
- 6. Keep children under the age of 12 and pets away from the treadmill at all times.
- 7. The treadmill should be used only by persons weighing 300 pounds or less.
- 8. Never allow more than one person on the treadmill at a time.
- Wear appropriate exercise clothes when using the treadmill. Do not wear loose clothes that could become caught in the treadmill. Athletic support clothes are recommended for both men and women. Always wear athletic shoes. Never use the treadmill with bare feet, wearing only stockings, or in sandals.
- 10. When connecting the power cord (see page 11), plug the power cord into a surge suppressor (not included) and plug the surge suppressor into a grounded circuit capable of carrying 15 or more amps. No other appliance should be on the same circuit. Do not use an extension cord.
- 11. Use only a single-outlet surge suppressor that meets all of the specifications described on

- page 11. To purchase a surge suppressor, see your local Sears store or call the toll-free telephone number on the back cover of this manual and order part number 146148, or see your local electronics store.
- 12. Failure to use a properly functioning surge suppressor could result in damage to the control system of the treadmill. If the control system is damaged, the walking belt may change speed, accelerate, or stop unexpectedly, which may result in a fall and serious injury.
- 13. Keep the power cord and the surge suppressor away from heated surfaces.
- 14. Never move the walking belt while the power is turned off. Do not operate the treadmill if the power cord or plug is damaged, or if the treadmill is not working properly. (See TROUBLESHOOTING on page 19 if the treadmill is not working properly.)
- 15. Read, understand, and test the emergency stop procedure before using the treadmill (see HOW TO TURN ON THE POWER on page 13).
- 16. Never start the treadmill while you are standing on the walking belt. Always hold the handrails while using the treadmill.
- 17. The treadmill is capable of high speeds.

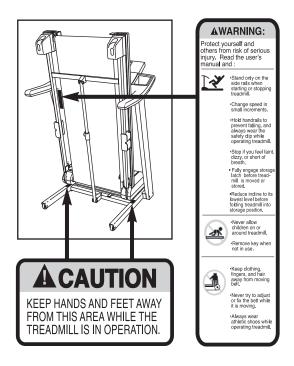
  Adjust the speed in small increments to avoid sudden jumps in speed.
- 18. The pulse sensor is not a medical device. Various factors, including the user's movement, may affect the accuracy of heart rate readings. The pulse sensor is intended only as an exercise aid in determining heart rate trends in general.
- 19. Never leave the treadmill unattended while it is running. Always remove the key, unplug the power cord, and switch the reset/off circuit breaker to the off position when the treadmill is not in use. (See the drawing on page 5 for the location of the circuit breaker.)

- 20. Do not attempt to raise, lower, or move the treadmill until it is properly assembled. (See ASSEMBLY on page 6, and HOW TO FOLD AND MOVE THE TREADMILL on page 18.) You must be able to safely lift 45 pounds (20 kg) to raise, lower, or move the treadmill.
- 21. When folding or moving the treadmill, make sure that the storage latch is fully closed.
- 22. Never insert any object into any opening on the treadmill.
- 23. Inspect and properly tighten all parts of the treadmill regularly.
- 24. **DANGER:** Always unplug the power cord immediately after use, before cleaning the treadmill, and before performing the maintenance and adjustment procedures described in this manual. Never remove the motor hood unless instructed to do so by an authorized service representative. Servicing other than the procedures in this manual should be performed by an authorized service representative only.
- 25. This treadmill is intended for in-home use only. Do not use this treadmill in a commercial, rental, or institutional setting.

WARNING: Before beginning this or any exercise program, consult your physician. This is especially important for persons over the age of 35 or persons with pre-existing health problems. Read all instructions before using. Sears assumes no responsibility for personal injury or property damage sustained by or through the use of this product.

## SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

The decals shown below have been placed on the treadmill. If a decal is missing, or if it is not legible, call toll-free 1-888-533-1333 and order a free replacement decal. Apply the decal in the location shown. Note: The decals may not be shown at actual size.



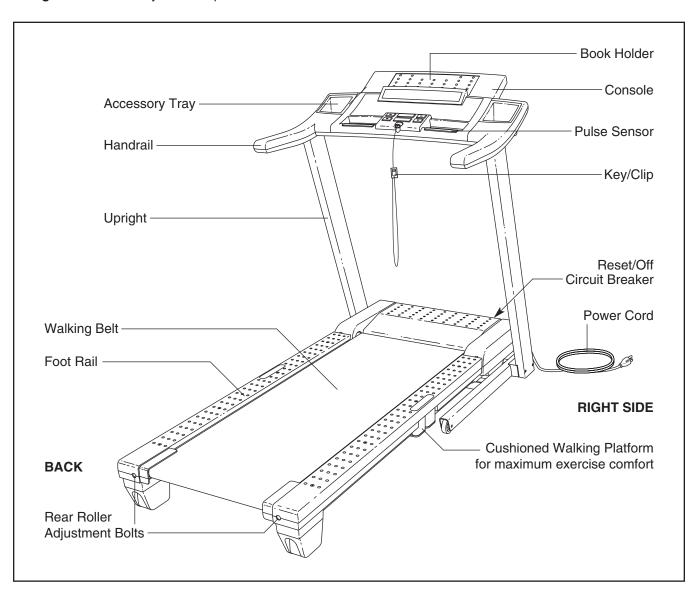
## **BEFORE YOU BEGIN**

Thank you for selecting the revolutionary PROFORM® XP 615 TRAINER treadmill. The XP 615 TRAINER treadmill offers an impressive array of features designed to make your workouts at home more enjoyable and effective. And when you're not exercising, the unique XP 615 TRAINER treadmill can be folded up, requiring less than half the floor space of other treadmills.

For your benefit, read this manual carefully before using the treadmill. If you have questions after read-

ing this manual, call 1-800-4-MY-HOME® (1-800-469-4663). To help us assist you, please note the product model number and serial number before calling. The model number of the treadmill is 831.24745.0. The serial number can be found on a decal attached to the treadmill (see the front cover of this manual for the location).

Before reading further, please review the drawing below and familiarize yourself with the labeled parts.

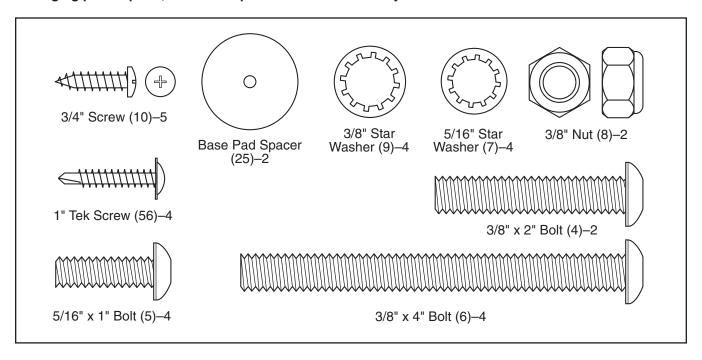


## **ASSEMBLY**

Make sure that the power cord is unplugged. Assembly requires two persons. Set the treadmill in a cleared area and remove all packing materials. Do not dispose of the packing materials until assembly is completed. Note: The underside of the treadmill walking belt is coated with high-performance lubricant. During shipping, a small amount of lubricant may be transferred to the top of the walking belt or the shipping carton. This is a normal condition and does not affect treadmill performance. If there is lubricant on top of the walking belt, simply wipe off the lubricant with a soft cloth and a mild, non-abrasive cleaner.

Assembly requires the included hex keys and your own Phillips screwdriver and adjustable wrench .

Use the drawings below to identify the assembly hardware. The number in parentheses below each drawing is the key number of the part, from the PART LIST on page 23. The number after the parentheses is the quantity needed for assembly. Note: If a part is not in the parts bag, check to see if it is preattached to one of the parts to be assembled. Extra hardware may be included. If a part is missing, call toll-free 1-888-533-1333. To avoid damaging plastic parts, do not use power tools for assembly.

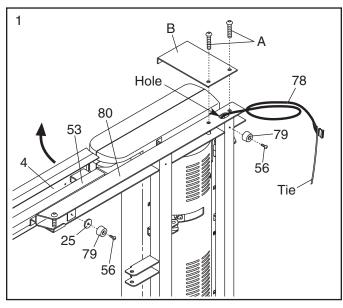


Make sure that the power cord is unplugged.
 With the help of a second person, carefully tip
 the treadmill onto its left side. Partially fold the
 Frame (53) so that the treadmill is more stable;
 do not fully fold the Frame yet.

Remove and discard the two indicated bolts (A) and the shipping bracket (B).

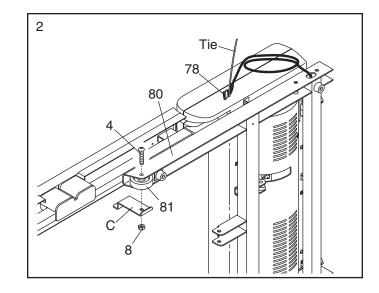
Cut the tie securing the Upright Wire (78) to the Base (80). Locate the tie in the indicated hole in the Base, and use the tie to pull the Upright Wire out of the hole.

Attach a Base Pad (79) to the Base (80) in the location shown with a Base Pad Spacer (25) and a 1" Tek Screw (56). Then, attach another Base Pad (79) with only a 1" Tek Screw (56).



 Remove the 3/8" Nut (8), the 3/8" x 2" Bolt (4), and the shipping bracket (C) from the Base (80). Attach a Base Wheel (81) with the Bolt and the Nut that you just removed. Do not overtighten the Nut; the Wheel must turn freely. Discard the shipping bracket.

Cut the tie off the Upright Wire (78).



3. With the help of a second person, carefully tip the treadmill onto its right side. Partially fold the Frame (53) so the treadmill is more stable; **do not fully fold the Frame yet.** 

Remove and discard the two indicated bolts (A) and the shipping bracket (B).

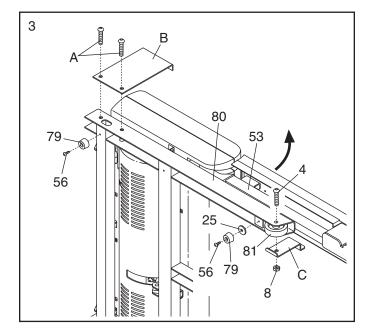
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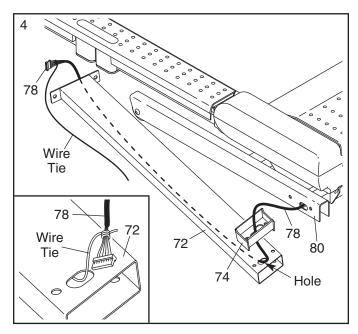
Remove the 3/8" Nut (8), the 3/8" x 2" Bolt (4), and the shipping bracket (C) from the Base (80). Attach a Base Wheel (81) with the Bolt and the Nut that you just removed. **Do not overtighten the Nut; the Wheel must turn freely.** Discard the shipping bracket.

4. With the help of a second person, carefully tip the treadmill down so that the Base (80) is flat on the floor.

Identify the Right Upright (72) and the Right Upright Spacer (74), which are marked with stickers. Insert the Upright Wire (78) through the Right Upright Spacer as shown.

See the inset drawing. Tie the wire tie in the Right Upright (72) securely around the end of the Upright Wire (78). Then, pull the other end of the wire tie until the Upright Wire is routed completely through the Right Upright.





5. Hold a Bolt Spacer (3) inside the lower end of the Right Upright (72). Insert a 3/8" x 4" Bolt (6) with a 3/8" Star Washer (9) into the Right Upright and the Bolt Spacer. Repeat this step with a second Bolt Spacer (3), 3/8" x 4" Bolt (6), and 3/8" Star Washer (9).

Orient the Right Upright (72) and the Right Upright Spacer (74) as shown. Hold the Right Upright Spacer and the Right Upright against the Base (80). **Be careful not to pinch the Upright Wire (78).** Finger tighten the two 3/8" x 4" Bolts (6); **do not fully tighten the Bolts yet.** 

Press a Base Endcap (75) into the Base (80).

6. Hold a Bolt Spacer (3) inside the lower end of the Left Upright (71). Insert a 3/8" x 4" Bolt (6) with a 3/8" Star Washer (9) into the Left Upright and the Bolt Spacer. Repeat this step with a second Bolt Spacer (3), 3/8" x 4" Bolt (6), and 3/8" Star Washer (9).

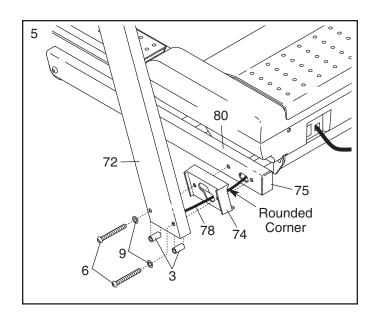
Orient the Left Upright (71) and the Left Upright Spacer (74) as shown. Hold the Left Upright Spacer and the Left Upright against the Base (80). Finger tighten the two 3/8" x 4" Bolts (6); do not fully tighten the Bolts yet.

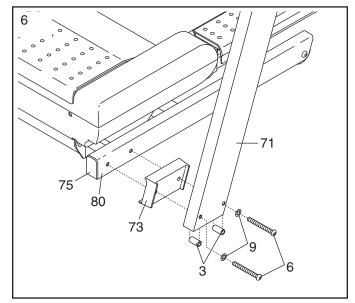
Press a Base Endcap (75) into Base (80).

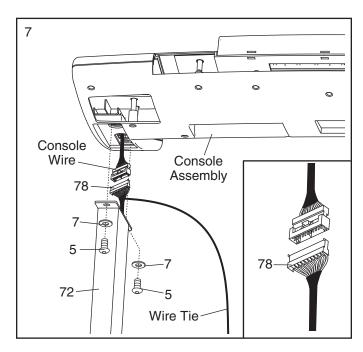
7. Have a second person hold the console assembly near the Right Upright (72). Remove the wire tie from the Upright Wire (78).

Connect the Upright Wire (78) to the console wire. Make sure to connect the connectors properly (see the inset drawing). The connectors should slide together easily and snap into place. If they do not, turn one connector and try again. IF THE CONNECTORS ARE NOT CONNECTED PROPERLY, THE CONSOLE MAY BE DAMAGED WHEN THE POWER IS TURNED ON. Then, insert the connectors into the Right Upright (72).

Set the console assembly on the Right Upright (72) and the Left Upright (not shown). Attach the console assembly with four 5/16" x 1" Bolts (5) and four 5/16" Star Washers (7); **start all four Bolts and then tighten them.** 



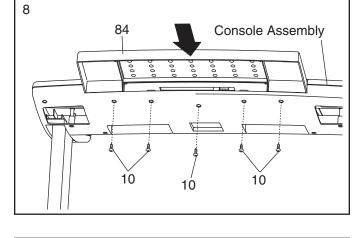




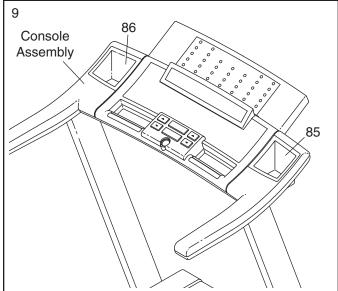
8. Insert the Book Rack (84) into the console assembly; it may be helpful to rock the Book Rack up and down as you insert it. Attach the Book Rack with five 3/4" Screws (10); start all five Screws and then tighten them.

See step 6. Tighten the two 3/8" x 4" Bolts (6).

See step 5. Tighten the two 3/8" x 4" Bolts (6).

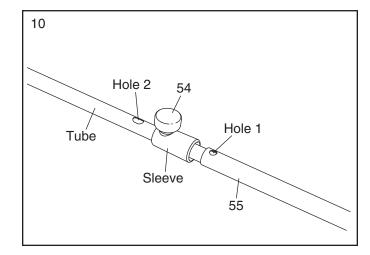


9. If necessary, press the Left Tray (86) and the Right Tray (85) into the top of the console assembly.



10. Identify the Latch Assembly (55). Remove the tie from the end of the tube. Make sure that the sleeve has been slid over hole 1 and that the Latch Knob (54) is locked into hole 1. Pull on the sleeve to make sure that it is locked into place.

Next, make sure that the Latch Knob (54) is locked into hole 2. If it is not, pull out the tube until you see hole 2 and then slide the tube back in until the Latch Knob locks into hole 2.



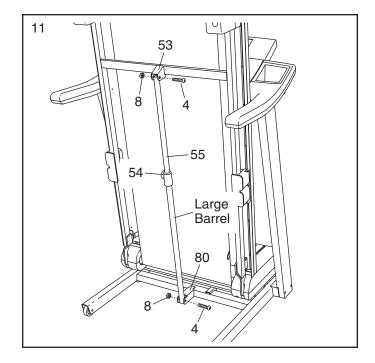
11. Raise the Frame (53) to the position shown.

Have a second person hold the Frame until this step is completed.

Orient the Latch Assembly (55) so that the large barrel and the Latch Knob (54) are in the positions shown. Attach the lower end of the Latch Assembly to the bracket on the Base (80) with a 3/8" x 2" Bolt (4) and a 3/8" Nut (8).

Attach the upper end of the Latch Assembly (55) to the bracket on the Frame (53) with a 3/8" x 2" Bolt (4) and a 3/8" Nut (8). Note: It may be necessary to move the Frame back and forth to align the Latch Assembly with the bracket.

Lower the Frame (53) (see HOW TO LOWER THE TREADMILL FOR USE on page 18).



12. Make sure that all parts are properly tightened before you use the treadmill. If there are sheets of clear plastic on the treadmill decals, remove the plastic. To protect the floor or carpet, place a mat under the treadmill. Keep the included hex keys in a secure place; the large hex key is used to adjust the walking belt (see pages 20 and 21).

## **OPERATION AND ADJUSTMENT**

#### THE PRE-LUBRICATED WALKING BELT

Your treadmill features a walking belt coated with highperformance lubricant. IMPORTANT: Never apply silicone spray or other substances to the walking belt or the walking platform. Such substances will deteriorate the walking belt and cause excessive wear.

#### HOW TO PLUG IN THE POWER CORD

DANGER: Improper connection of the equipment-grounding conductor can result in an increased risk of electric shock. Check with a qualified electrician or serviceman if you are in doubt as to whether the product is properly grounded. Do not modify the plug provided with the product—if it will not fit the outlet, have a proper outlet installed by a qualified electrician.

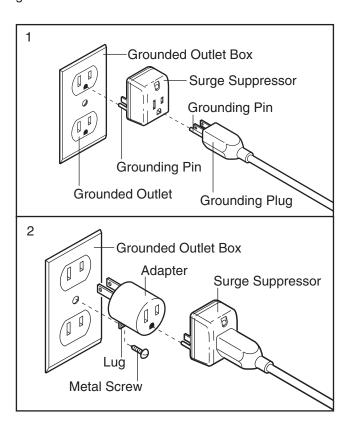
Your treadmill, like any other type of sophisticated electronic equipment, can be seriously damaged by sudden voltage changes in your home's power. Voltage surges, spikes, and noise interference can result from weather conditions or from other appliances being turned on or off. To decrease the possibility of your treadmill being damaged, always use a surge suppressor with your treadmill (see drawing 1 at the right). To purchase a surge suppressor, see your local Sears store or call the toll-free telephone number on the back cover of this manual and order part number 146148, or see your local electronics store.

Use only a single-outlet surge suppressor that is UL 1449 listed as a transient voltage surge suppressor (TVSS). The surge suppressor must have a UL suppressed voltage rating of 400 volts or less and a minimum surge dissipation of 450 joules. The surge suppressor must be electrically rated for 120 volts AC and 15 amps. There must be a monitoring light on the surge suppressor to indicate whether it is functioning properly. Failure to use a properly functioning surge suppressor could result in damage to the control system of the treadmill. If the control system is damaged, the walking belt may change speed, accelerate, or stop unexpectedly, which may result in a fall and serious injury.

This product must be grounded. If it should malfunction or break down, grounding provides a path of least resistance for electric current to reduce the risk of elec-

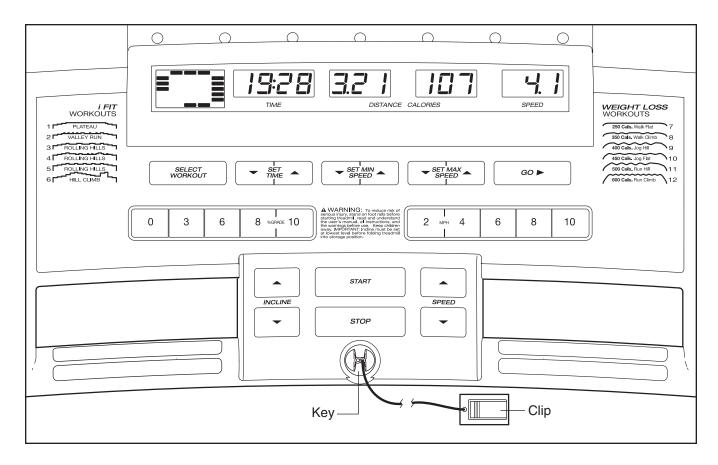
tric shock. This product is equipped with a cord having an equipment-grounding conductor and a grounding plug. Plug the power cord into a surge suppressor, and plug the surge suppressor into an appropriate outlet that is properly installed and grounded in accordance with all local codes and ordinances. Important: The treadmill is not compatible with GFCI-equipped outlets.

This product is for use on a nominal 120-volt circuit, and has a grounding plug that looks like the plug illustrated in drawing 1 below. A temporary adapter that looks like the adapter illustrated in drawing 2 may be used to connect the surge suppressor to a 2-pole receptacle as shown in drawing 2 if a properly grounded outlet is not available.



The temporary adapter should be used only until a properly grounded outlet (drawing 1) can be installed by a qualified electrician.

The green-colored rigid ear, lug, or the like extending from the adapter must be connected to a permanent ground such as a properly grounded outlet box cover. Whenever the adapter is used it must be held in place by a metal screw. Some 2-pole receptacle outlet box covers are not grounded. Contact a qualified electrician to determine if the outlet box cover is grounded before using an adapter.



#### **FEATURES OF THE CONSOLE**

The treadmill console offers an impressive array of features designed to make your workouts more effective and enjoyable.

When the manual mode of the console is selected, you can change the speed and incline of the treadmill with the touch of a button. As you exercise, the console will display instant exercise feedback. You can even measure your heart rate using the handgrip pulse sensor.

In addition, the console offers twelve preset workouts. Each workout automatically controls the speed and incline of the treadmill as it guides you through an effective exercise session.

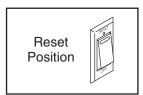
**To use the manual mode of the console**, follow the steps beginning on page 13. **To use a preset work-out**, see page 15.

Note: If there is a sheet of clear plastic on the console, remove the plastic. To prevent damage to the walking platform, wear clean athletic shoes while using the treadmill. The first time the treadmill is used, observe the alignment of the walking belt, and center the walking belt if necessary (see page 20).

#### **HOW TO TURN ON THE POWER**

IMPORTANT: If the treadmill has been exposed to cold temperatures, allow it to warm to room temperature before turning on the power. If you do not do this, the console displays or other electrical components may become damaged.

Plug in the power cord (see page 11). Next, locate the reset/off circuit breaker on the treadmill frame near the power cord. Switch the circuit breaker to the reset position.



IMPORTANT: The console features a display demo mode, designed to be used if the treadmill is displayed in a store. If the displays light as soon as you plug in the power cord and switch the circuit breaker to the reset position, the demo mode is turned on. To turn off the demo mode, hold down the Stop button for a few seconds. If the displays remain lit, see THE INFORMATION MODE on page 17 to turn off the demo mode.

Next, stand on the foot rails of the treadmill. Find the clip attached to the key (see the drawing on page 12) and slide the clip onto the waistband of your clothes. Then, insert the key into the console. After a moment, the displays will light. IMPORTANT: In an emergency situation, the key can be pulled from the console, causing the walking belt to slow to a stop. Test the clip by carefully taking a few steps backward; if the key is not pulled from the console, adjust the position of the clip.

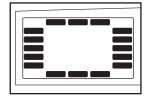
#### HOW TO USE THE MANUAL MODE

Insert the key into the console.

See HOW TO TURN ON THE POWER above.

Select the manual mode.

When the key is inserted, the manual mode will be selected and a track will appear in the matrix. If a preset workout has been selected, remove the key and then reinsert it.



## Start the walking belt.

To start the walking belt, press the Start button, the Go button, the speed increase button, or one of the speed buttons numbered 2 through 10.

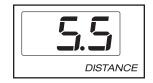
If the Start button, the Go button, or the speed increase button is pressed, the walking belt will begin to move at 1 mph. As you exercise, change the speed of the walking belt as desired by pressing the speed increase and decrease buttons. Each time a button is pressed, the speed setting will change by 0.1 mph; if a button is held down, the speed setting will change in increments of 0.5 mph. Note: After the buttons are pressed, it may take a moment for the walking belt to reach the selected speed setting.

If one of the numbered speed buttons is pressed, the walking belt will gradually increase in speed until it reaches the selected speed setting.

To stop the walking belt, press the Stop button. To start the walking belt, press the Start button, the Go button, the speed increase button, or one of the speed buttons numbered 2 through 10.

## Change the incline of the treadmill as desired.

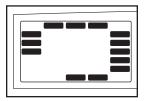
To change the incline of the treadmill, press the Incline increase and decrease buttons or one of the numbered incline buttons. Each time the



incline increase or decrease button is pressed, the incline will change by 0.5%. If one of the numbered incline buttons is pressed, the treadmill will adjust to the selected incline setting. Note: After the buttons are pressed, it may take a moment for the treadmill to reach the selected incline setting.

## Monitor your progress with the matrix and the displays.

The matrix—When the manual mode is selected, the matrix will display a 1/4-mile track. As you exercise, the indicators around the track will light in succession



until the entire track is lit. The track will then darken and the indicators will again begin to light in succession.

Time display—When the manual mode is selected, this display will show the elapsed time. When a workout is selected, the display will



show the time remaining in the workout rather than the elapsed time.

Distance/Incline display—This display shows the distance that you have walked or run. Note: Each time the incline changes, the dis-



play will show the incline setting for several seconds.

#### Calories/Pulse

display—This display shows the approximate number of calories you have burned. The display will also show your

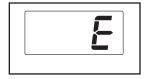


heart rate when you use the handgrip pulse sensor.

**Speed display**—This display shows the speed of the walking belt.



Note: The console can display speed and distance in either miles or kilometers. To find which unit of measurement is selected, press

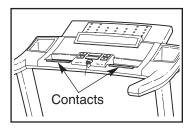


the Stop button while inserting the key into the console. An "E" for English miles or an "M" for metric kilometers will appear in the Calories/Pulse display. Press the speed increase button to change the unit of measurement if desired. When the desired unit of measurement is selected, remove the key and then reinsert it. Note: For simplicity, all instructions in this manual refer to miles.

To reset the displays, press the Stop button, remove the key, and then reinsert the key.

### Measure your heart rate if desired.

Before using the handgrip pulse sensor, first remove the sheets of clear plastic from the metal contacts on the pulse bar. In addition, make sure



that your hands are clean.

To use the handgrip pulse sensor, **stand on the foot rails** and hold the pulse bar with your palms on the metal contacts. **Avoid moving your hands**. When your pulse is detected, two dashes (--) will appear in the Calories/Pulse display, and then your heart rate will be shown. **For the most accurate heart rate reading, continue to hold the contacts for about 15 seconds.** 

When you are finished exercising, remove the key from the console.

Step onto the foot rails, press the Stop button, and adjust the incline of the treadmill to the lowest setting. The incline must be at the lowest setting when the treadmill is folded into the storage position or the treadmill will become damaged. Next, remove the key from the console and put it in a secure place.

When you are finished using the treadmill, switch the reset/off circuit breaker to the "off" position and unplug the power cord. **IMPORTANT:** If you do not do this, the treadmill's electrical components may wear prematurely.

#### **HOW TO USE A PRESET WORKOUT**

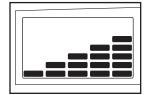
Insert the key into the console.

See HOW TO TURN ON THE POWER on page 13.

Select a preset workout.

To select a preset workout, press the Select Workout button repeatedly.

When a preset workout is selected, the minimum speed setting of the workout will appear in the Distance/Incline display, the maximum speed setting will ap-



pear in the Calories/Pulse display, and the workout time will appear in the Time display. In addition, a profile of the speed settings of the workout will scroll across the matrix.

Customize your workout if desired.

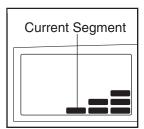
You can change the length of the workout, the minimum speed setting of the workout, and/or the maximum speed setting of the workout before you begin. To customize your workout, press the Set Time, the Set Min Speed, and/or the Set Max Speed increase and decrease buttons. The new workout settings will appear in the displays.

Press the Start button or the Go button to start the workout.

A moment after the button is pressed, the treadmill will automatically adjust to the first speed and incline settings of the workout. Hold the handrails and begin walking.

Each workout is divided into 30 one-minute segments, unless you have changed the length of the program (see step 3). One speed setting and one incline setting are programmed for each segment. Note: The same speed setting and/or incline setting may be programmed for two or more consecutive segments.

The speed setting for the first segment will be shown in the flashing Current Segment column of the matrix. (The incline settings are not shown in the matrix.)



The speed settings for the next two segments are shown in the columns to the right.

When only three seconds remain in the first segment of the workout, both the Current Segment column and the column to the right will flash and a series of tones will sound. If the speed and/or incline of the treadmill is about to change, the Speed display and/or the Distance/Incline display will flash to alert you. When the first segment ends, all speed settings will move one column to the left. The speed setting for the second segment will then be shown in the flashing Current Segment column and the treadmill will automatically adjust to the speed and incline settings for the second segment. Note: If all of the indicators in the Current Segment column are lit after the speed settings have moved to the left, the speed settings may move downward so that only the highest indicators appear in the matrix. If some of the indicators in the Current Segment column are not lit when the speed settings move to the left again, the speed settings will move back up.

The workout will continue in this way until the speed setting for the last segment is shown in the Current Segment column and the last segment ends. The walking belt will then slow to a stop.

If the speed or incline setting is too high or too low at any time during the workout, you can manually override the setting by pressing the speed or incline buttons. Every few times a speed button is pressed, an additional indicator will light or darken in the Current Segment column. (If any of the columns to the right of the Current Segment column have the same number of lit indicators as the Current Segment column, an additional indicator may light or darken in those columns as well.)

Note: When the next segment of the workout begins, the treadmill will automatically adjust to the speed and incline settings for the next segment.

To stop the workout at any time, press the Stop button. To restart the workout, press the Start button or the Go button. The walking belt will begin to move at 1 mph. When the next segment of the workout begins, the treadmill will automatically adjust to the speed and incline settings for the next segment.

Monitor your progress with the matrix and the displays.

When you are finished exercising, remove the key from the console.

See step 5 on pages 13 and 14.

See step 7 on page 14.

Measure your heart rate if desired.

See step 6 on page 14.

#### THE INFORMATION MODE

The console features an information mode that keeps track of the total distance that the walking belt has moved and the total number of hours that the treadmill has been used. The information mode also allows you to switch the console from miles to kilometers. In addition, the information mode allows you to turn on and turn off the display demo mode.

To select the information mode, hold down the Stop button while inserting the key into the console and then release the Stop button. When the information mode is selected, the following information will be shown:

An "E" for English miles or an "M" for metric kilometers will appear in the Calories/Pulse display. Press the speed increase button to change the unit of measurement if desired.



The Distance/Incline display will show the total number of miles (or kilometers) that the walking belt has moved.



The Time display will show the total number of hours the treadmill has been used.



Note: The console features a display demo mode, designed to be used if the treadmill is displayed in a store. While the demo mode is turned on, the console will function normally when you plug in the power cord, switch the circuit breaker to the reset position, and insert the key into the console. However, when you remove the key, the displays will remain lit, although the buttons will not function. If the demo mode is turned on, a "d" will appear in the Speed display while the information mode is selected. To turn on or turn off the demo mode, press the speed decrease button.

To exit the information mode, remove the key from the console.

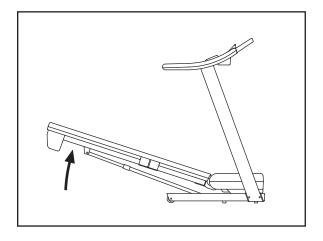
## HOW TO FOLD AND MOVE THE TREADMILL

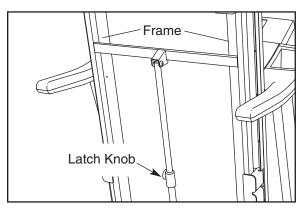
#### HOW TO FOLD THE TREADMILL FOR STORAGE

Before folding the treadmill, adjust the incline to the lowest position. If you do not do this, you may damage the treadmill when you fold it. Remove the key and unplug the power cord. CAUTION: You must be able to safely lift 45 pounds (20 kg) to raise, lower, or move the treadmill.

- 1. Hold the metal frame firmly in the location shown by the arrow at the right. CAUTION: To decrease the possibility of injury, do not lift the frame by the plastic foot rails. Make sure to bend your legs and keep your back straight as you raise the frame. Raise the frame about halfway to the vertical position.
- 2. Raise the frame until the latch knob locks into the storage position. Make sure that the latch knob is locked in the storage position.

To protect the floor or carpet from damage, place a mat under the treadmill. Keep the treadmill out of direct sunlight. Do not leave the treadmill in the storage position in temperatures above 85° F (30° C).

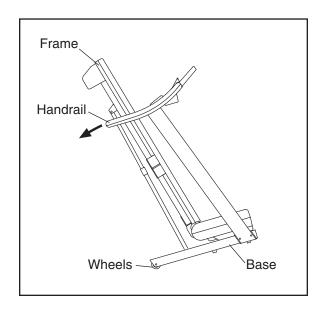




#### **HOW TO MOVE THE TREADMILL**

Before moving the treadmill, convert the treadmill to the storage position as described above. Make sure that the latch knob is locked in the storage position.

- 1. Hold a handrail and the frame and place one foot against one of the wheels.
- 2. Tilt the treadmill back until it rolls freely on the wheels. Carefully move the treadmill to the desired location. Never move the treadmill without tipping it back. To reduce the risk of injury, use extreme caution while moving the treadmill. Do not attempt to move the treadmill over an uneven surface.
- 3. Place one foot against a wheel, and carefully lower the treadmill until it is resting in the storage position.



#### HOW TO LOWER THE TREADMILL FOR USE

- 1. Hold the upper end of the treadmill with your left hand. Pull the latch knob to the left and hold it. It may be necessary to push the frame forward as you pull the knob to the left. Pivot the frame downward and release the latch knob.
- 2. Hold the metal frame firmly with both hands and lower it to the floor. CAUTION: Do not grip only the plastic foot rails or drop the frame to the floor. Bend your legs and keep your back straight.

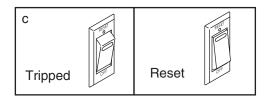
## **TROUBLESHOOTING**

Most treadmill problems can be solved by following the simple steps below. Find the symptom that applies, and follow the steps listed. If further assistance is needed, call the toll-free telephone number listed on the back cover of this manual.

#### PROBLEM: The power does not turn on

**SOLUTION:** a. Make sure that the power cord is plugged into a surge suppressor, and that the surge suppressor is plugged into a properly grounded outlet (see page 11). Use only a single-outlet surge suppressor that meets all of the specifications described on page 11. Important: The treadmill is not compatible with GFCI-equipped outlets.

- b. After the power cord has been plugged in, make sure that the key is inserted into the console.
- c. Check the reset/off circuit breaker located on the treadmill frame near the power cord. If the switch protrudes as shown, the circuit breaker has tripped. To reset the circuit breaker, wait for five minutes and then press the switch back in.



#### PROBLEM: The power turns off during use

**SOLUTION:** a. Check the reset/off circuit breaker (see the drawing above). If the circuit breaker has tripped, wait for five minutes and then press the switch back in.

- b. Make sure that the power cord is plugged in. If the power cord is plugged in, unplug it, wait for five minutes, and then plug it back in.
- c. Remove the key from the console. Reinsert the key into the console.
- d. If the treadmill still will not run, please see the back cover of this manual.

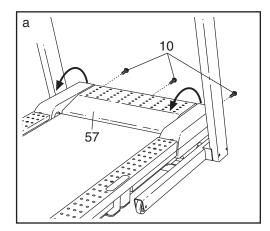
PROBLEM: The incline of the treadmill does not change correctly

**SOLUTION:** a. With the key in the console, press one of the Incline buttons. **While the incline is changing, remove the key.** After a few seconds, re-insert the key. The treadmill will automatically rise to the maximum incline level and then return to the minimum level. This will recalibrate the incline system.

PROBLEM: The displays of the console do not function properly

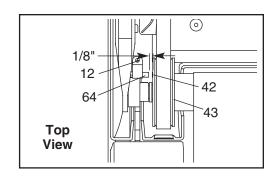
**SOLUTION:** a. Remove the key from the console and **UNPLUG THE POWER CORD.** Remove the three 3/4"

Screws (10) and carefully pivot the Hood (57) off.



Locate the Reed Switch (64) and the Magnet (42) on the left side of the Pulley (43). Turn the Pulley until the Magnet is aligned with the Reed Switch.

Make sure that the gap between the Magnet and the Reed Switch is about 1/8". If necessary, loosen the Reed Switch Screw (12), move the Reed Switch slightly, and then retighten the Screw. Reattach the Hood, and run the treadmill for a few minutes to check for a correct speed reading.



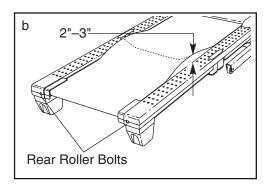
#### PROBLEM: The console displays remain lit when you remove the key from the console

**SOLUTION:** a. The console features a display demo mode, designed to be used if the treadmill is displayed in a store. If the displays remain lit when you remove the key, the demo mode is turned on. To turn off the demo mode, hold down the Stop button for a few seconds. If the displays are still lit, see THE INFORMATION MODE on page 17 to turn off the demo mode.

#### PROBLEM: The walking belt slows when walked on

**SOLUTION:** a. Use only a single-outlet surge suppressor that meets all of the specifications described on page 11.

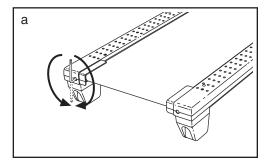
b. If the walking belt is overtightened, treadmill performance may decrease and the walking belt may become damaged. Remove the key and UNPLUG THE POWER CORD. Using the hex key, turn both rear roller bolts counterclockwise, 1/4 of a turn. When the walking belt is properly tightened, you should be able to lift each edge of the walking belt 2 to 3 inches off the walking platform. Be careful to keep the walking belt centered. Then, plug in the power cord, insert the key, and run the treadmill for a few minutes. Repeat until the walking belt is properly tightened.

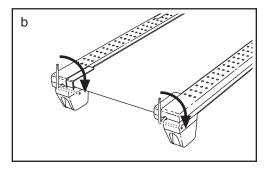


c. If the walking belt still slows when walked on, see the back cover of this manual.

#### PROBLEM: The walking belt is off-center or slips when walked on

- SOLUTION: a. If the walking belt is off-center, first remove the key and UNPLUG THE POWER CORD. If the walking belt has shifted to the left, use the hex key to turn the left rear roller bolt clockwise 1/2 of a turn; if the walking belt has shifted to the right, turn the bolt counterclockwise 1/2 of a turn. Be careful not to overtighten the walking belt. Then, plug in the power cord, insert the key, and run the treadmill for a few minutes. Repeat until the walking belt is centered.
  - b. If the walking belt slips when walked on, first remove the key and UNPLUG THE POWER CORD. Using the hex key, turn both rear roller bolts clockwise, 1/4 of a turn. When the walking belt is correctly tightened, you should be able to lift each side of the walking belt 2 to 3 inches off the walking platform. Be careful to keep the walking belt centered. Then, plug in the power cord, insert the key, and carefully walk on the treadmill for a few minutes. Repeat until the walking belt is properly tightened.





## **CONDITIONING GUIDELINES**

WARNING: Before beginning this or any exercise program, consult your physician. This is especially important for individuals over the age of 35 or individuals with preexisting health problems.

The pulse sensor is not a medical device. Various factors, including your movement, may affect the accuracy of heart rate readings. The sensor is intended only as an exercise aid in determining heart rate trends in general.

The following guidelines will help you to plan your exercise program. For more detailed exercise information, obtain a reputable book or consult your physician.

#### **EXERCISE INTENSITY**

Whether your goal is to burn fat or to strengthen your cardiovascular system, the key to achieving the desired results is to exercise with the proper intensity. The proper intensity level can be found by using your heart rate as a guide. The chart below shows recommended heart rates for fat burning and aerobic exercise.

HEART RATE TRAINING ZONES									
AEROBIC	165	155	145	140	130	125	115		
MAX FAT BURN	145	138	130	125	118	110	103		
FAT BURN	125	120	115	110	105	95	90		
	Age 20	30	40	50	60	70	80		

To find the proper heart rate for you, first find your age near the bottom of the chart (ages are rounded off to the nearest ten years). Next, find the three numbers above your age. The three numbers define your "training zone." The lower two numbers are recommended heart rates for fat burning; the higher number is the recommended heart rate for aerobic exercise.

#### **Fat Burning**

To burn fat effectively, you must exercise at a relatively low intensity level for a sustained period of time. During the first few minutes of exercise, your body uses easily accessible *carbohydrate calories* for energy. Only after the first few minutes does your body

begin to use stored *fat calories* for energy. If your goal is to burn fat, adjust the speed and incline of the treadmill until your heart rate is near the lowest number in your training zone.

For maximum fat burning, adjust the speed and incline of the treadmill until your heart rate is near the middle number in your training zone.

#### **Aerobic Exercise**

If your goal is to strengthen your cardiovascular system, your exercise must be "aerobic." Aerobic exercise is activity that requires large amounts of oxygen for prolonged periods of time. This increases the demand on the heart to pump blood to the muscles, and on the lungs to oxygenate the blood. For aerobic exercise, adjust the speed and incline of the treadmill until your heart rate is near the highest number in your training zone.

#### **WORKOUT GUIDELINES**

Each workout should include the following three parts:

**A Warm-up**—Start each workout with 5 to 10 minutes of stretching and light exercise. A proper warm-up increases your body temperature, heart rate and circulation in preparation for exercise.

Training Zone Exercise—After warming up, increase the intensity of your exercise until your pulse is in your training zone for 20 to 60 minutes. (During the first few weeks of your exercise program, do not keep your pulse in your training zone for longer than 20 minutes.) Breathe regularly and deeply as you exercise—never hold your breath.

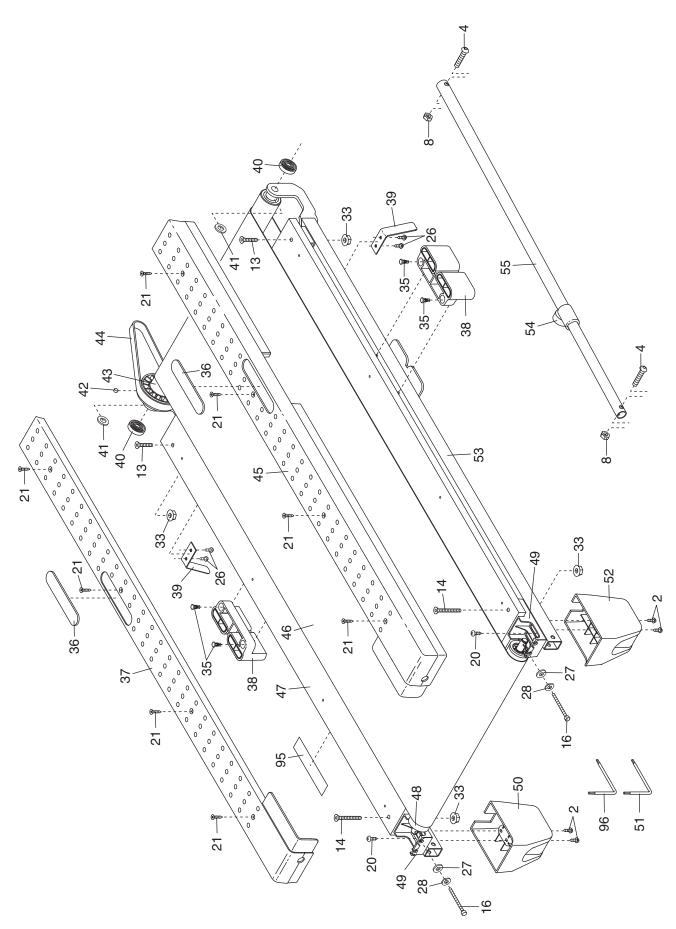
**A Cool-down**—Finish each workout with 5 to 10 minutes of stretching to cool down. This will increase the flexibility of your muscles and will help prevent post-exercise problems.

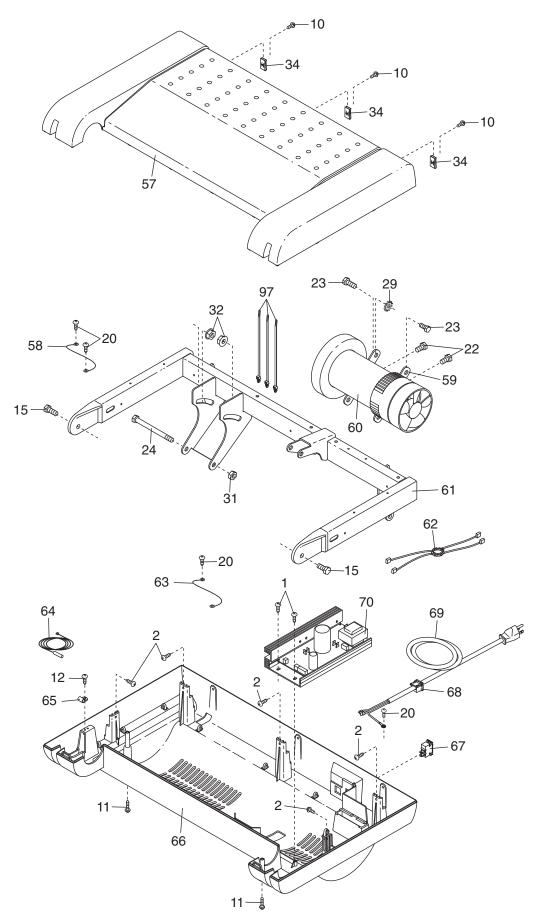
#### **EXERCISE FREQUENCY**

To maintain or improve your condition, complete three workouts each week, with at least one day of rest between workouts. After a few months, you may complete up to five workouts each week if desired. The key to success is to make exercise a regular and enjoyable part of your everyday life.

To locate the parts listed below, see the EXPLODED DRAWING on pages 24 to 27.

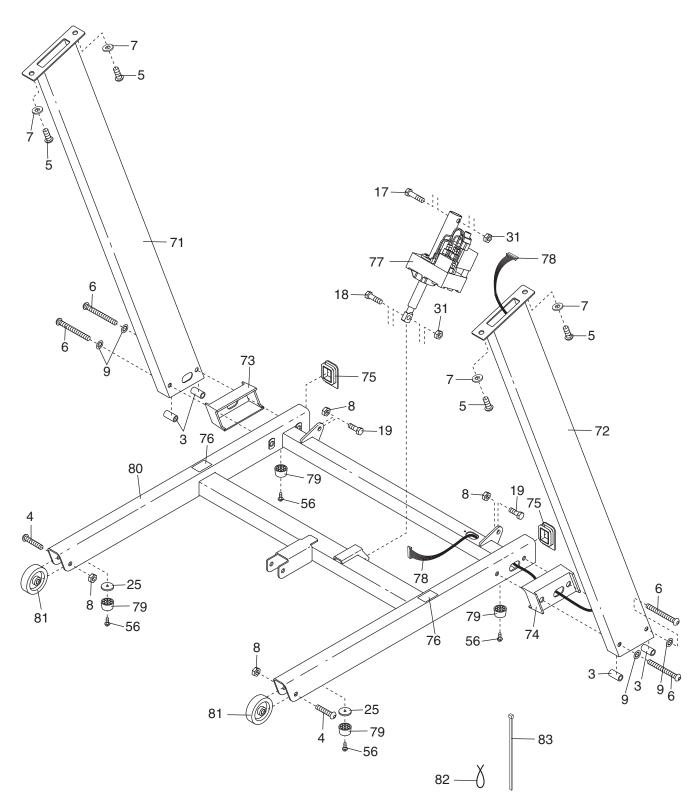
Key No.	Qty.	Description	Key No.	Qty.	Description		
1	3	1/2" Screw	55	1	Latch Assembly		
2	9	3/4" Tek Screw	56	4	1" Tek Screw		
3	2	Bolt Spacer	57	1	Hood		
4	3	3/8" x 2" Bolt	58	1	Lift Frame Ground Wire		
5	4	5/16" x 1" Bolt	59	1	Drive Motor Bracket		
6	4	3/8" x 4" Bolt	60	1	Drive Motor		
7	4	5/16" Star Washer	61	1	Lift Frame		
8	6	3/8" Nut	62	1	Filter Wire		
9	4	3/8" Star Washer	63	1	Rear Roller Ground Wire		
10	24	3/4" Screw	64	1	Reed Switch		
11	2	2" Screw	65	1	Reed Switch Clip		
12	1	Reed Switch Screw	66	1	Belly Pan		
13	2	5/16" x 1 1/4" Bolt	67	1	Reset/Off Circuit Breaker		
14	2	5/16" x 3 5/8" Bolt	68	1	Power Cord Grommet		
15	2	1" Lift Frame Bolt	69	1	Power Cord		
16	2	Rear Roller Bolt	70	1	Controller		
17	1	3/8" x 1 3/4" Bolt	71	1	Left Upright		
18	1	3/8" x 1 1/2" Bolt	72	1	Right Upright		
19	2	3/8" x 1" Bolt	73	1	Left Upright Spacer		
20	7	1/2" Ground Screw	74	1	Right Upright Spacer		
21	8	1 1/4" Screw	75	2	Base Endcap		
22	2	1/4" Motor Bolt	76	2	Caution Decal		
23	2	3/8" x 3/4" Bolt	77	1	Incline Motor		
24	1	3/8" x 4" Bolt	78	1	Upright Wire		
25	2	Base Pad Spacer	79	4	Base Pad		
26	4	Belt Guide Screw	80	1	Base		
27	2	1/4" Flat Washer	81	2	Base Wheel		
28	2	1/4" Lock Washer	82	1	Releasable Tie		
29	1	3/8" Star Washer	83	7	Cable Tie		
30	4	U-nut	84	1	Book Rack		
31	3	3/8" Motor Pivot Nut	85	1	Right Tray		
32	2	3/8" Motor Nut	86	1	Left Tray		
33	4	5/16" Nut	87	1	Console		
34	3	Hood Clip	88	1	Key/Clip		
35	4	Isolator Fastener	89	1	Console Base		
36	2	ProShox Decal	90	1	Console Ground		
37	1	Left Foot Rail	91	1	Console Back		
38	2	Isolator	92	1	Left Grip Bracket		
39	2	Belt Guide	93	1	Access Door		
40	2	Frame Spacer	94	1	Right Grip Bracket		
41	2	Front Roller Spacer	95	1	Latch Warning Decal		
42	1	Magnet	96	1	5/16" Hex Key		
43	1	Front Roller/Pulley	97	3	Lift Frame Wire Tie		
44	1	Motor Belt	#	1	8" Green Wire, F/Ring		
45	1	Right Foot Rail	#	1	10" Red Wire, M/F		
46	1	Walking Belt	#	1	8" Black Wire, M/F		
47	1	Walking Platform	#	1	10" Blue Wire, M/F		
48	1	Rear Roller	#	1	10" Blue Wire, 2F		
49	2	Rear Roller Bracket	#	1	User's Manual		
50	1	Left Rear Foot					
51	1	Hex Key	#These parts are not illustrated				
52	1	Right Rear Foot	Specifications are subject to change without notice.				
53	1	Frame	If a part is missing, call toll-free 1-888-533-1333.				
54	1	Latch Knob					

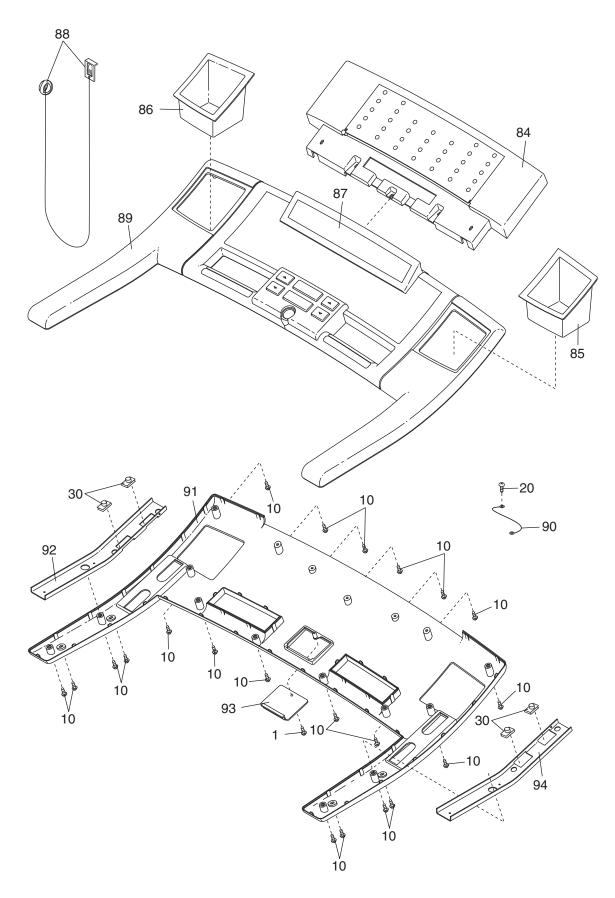




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