

# Fisher-Price®

Instructions  
Model Number 75973

## Lift & Lock Swing



**Please save these instructions for future reference.**

**No assembly is required.**

**For children 9 months - 3 years and up to 20 kg (45lbs).**

## **WARNING**

- Falls onto hard surfaces could result in head or other serious injuries.
- Never place over concrete, asphalt, wood or other hard surfaces.
- Always use the restraint system.
- Never leave child unattended.

## **IMPORTANT!**

- Do not allow use of the Lift & Lock Swing until it has been properly installed by an adult, according to these instructions.
- Install the swing at least one meter (three feet) from any structure or obstruction such as a tree trunk, fence, garage, house, overhanging branches, laundry lines or electrical lines.
- Do not use the swing as an infant seat.
- Place only one child at a time in the swing.
- Adult supervision is essential to ensure that children play safely.
- Make sure your child is dressed appropriately to avoid potential hazards while using the swing. Your child should not wear loose clothing such as ponchos or scarves. Attire should include well-fitting shoes.
- Place child in the center of the swing. Make sure the restraint belt and the restraint bar are properly secured.
- Review the following safety tips with your child before use:
  - Do not walk close to, in front of, or behind the swing while it is in use.
  - Do not twist or spin the swing.
  - Do not push the swing when it is not occupied.
  - Do not stand in the swing.
  - Do not get out of the swing while it is in motion.

# Placement and Play Area Surfacing

Before installing the Lift & Lock Swing, select and prepare a play area.

## Placement

Install the swing at least one meter (three feet) from any structure or obstruction such as a tree trunk, fence, garage, house, overhanging branches, laundry lines or electrical lines.

## Surfacing

*Following are guidelines from the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission's Handbook for Public Playground Safety to minimize injuries that can result from falls. These guidelines apply to playground equipment including but not limited to swing sets and climbing equipment.*

Hard surfacing materials are not suitable for use under this equipment. Earth surfaces such as soils and hard packed dirt are also not recommended because their shock absorbing properties can vary depending on climatic conditions such as moisture and temperature. Grass and turf are not recommended because their effectiveness in absorbing shock during a fall can be reduced considerably due to wear and environmental conditions.

Acceptable surfacing materials are available in two basic types: **loose-fill** and **unitary**.

**Loose-fill** materials can have acceptable shock absorbing properties when installed at sufficient uncompressed depth of at least 15 cm (6 inches). These materials include sand (fine and coarse), gravel (fine and medium) and shredded wood products (wood mulch, shredded bark, wood chips). Loose-fills should not be installed over hard surfaces such as asphalt or concrete.

The depth of any loose-fill material could be reduced during use resulting in different shock-absorbing characteristics. For this reason, a depth greater than the minimum recommended should be considered.

**Unitary** materials are generally rubber mats or a combination of rubber-like materials held in place by a binder that may be poured in place at the playground site and cures to form a unitary shock absorbing surface.

# Installation of the Lift & Lock Swing

The Lift & Lock Swing can be attached to a swing set, pole or tree branch.

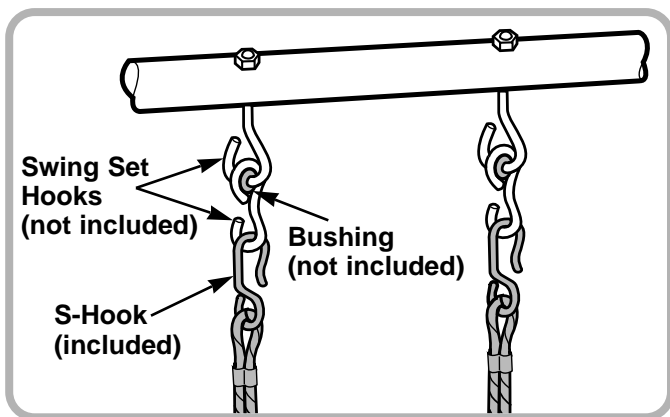
**IMPORTANT!** When installing the Lift & Lock Swing, be sure it cannot swing to within one meter (three feet) of any other object in front of, behind, or to the side of it.



## CAUTION

Periodically inspect S-hooks for wear. Metal to metal contact between hooks may cause premature wear. If your swing set does not have a bushing, you may want to replace the existing hook with a hook and bushing assembly available at toy stores and home centers.

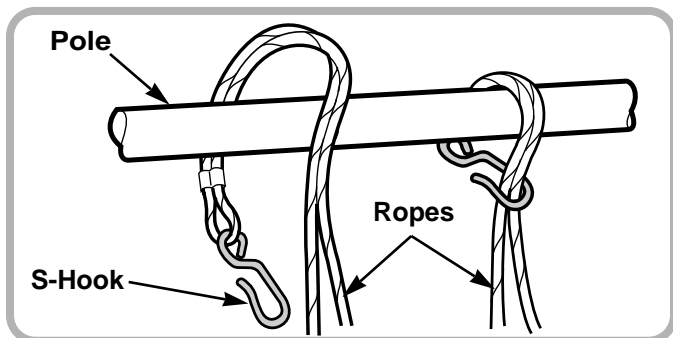
## Swing Set Installation



- Fasten the Lift & Lock Swing S-hooks (included) onto the hooks (not included) on your swing set.

# Installation of the Lift & Lock Swing

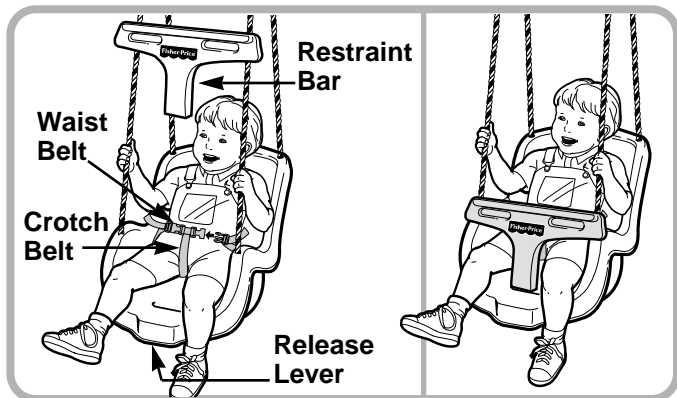
## Pole or Tree Branch Installation



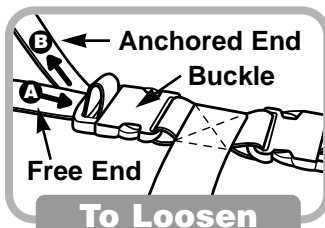
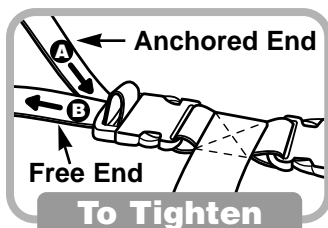
**IMPORTANT!** Before installing, check the strength and stability of the pole or tree branch. Place the Lift & Lock Swing at least one meter (three feet) from a tree trunk or any other structure.

- Wrap the S-hook end of the Lift & Lock Swing ropes around the pole or tree branch.
- Hook the S-hook around the ropes. Pull down on the ropes to make sure the Lift & Lock Swing is securely fastened.

# Securing Your Child



- Pull the release lever toward you and raise the restraint bar.
- Unbuckle the waist belts from the crotch belt.
- Place your child in the swing.
- Pull the crotch belt up between your child's legs and fasten both waist belts to the crotch belt. Make sure you hear a "snap" on both ends.
- Insert the restraint bar down into the latch until it snaps into place. Pull up on the restraint bar to be sure it is securely latched.



## To tighten the waist belts:

- Feed the anchored end of the waist belt up through the buckle to form a loop **A**. Pull the free end of the waist belt **B**.
- Repeat this procedure to tighten the other waist belt.

## To loosen the waist belts:

- Feed the free end of the waist belt up through the buckle to form a loop **A**. Enlarge the loop by pulling on the end of the loop toward the buckle.
- Pull the anchored end of the waist belt to shorten the free end of the waist belt **B**.
- Repeat this procedure to loosen the other waist belt.

## Removing Your Child



- The release lever is located on the underside of the swing seat. Squeeze the release lever toward the front edge of the swing and lift the restraint bar. Slide the restraint bar up.
- Squeeze tabs on the release buckles to unfasten the crotch belt from the waist belt.

**Helpful Hint:** The restraint bar will remain in the up position for ease in placing a child in or out of the Lift & Lock Swing.

## Cleaning

Wash the Lift & Lock Swing with a mild soap and water solution. Rinse with clean water to remove soap residue.

## Storage

Remove the Lift & Lock Swing from your swing set or other location and store it indoors when the outdoor temperature drops below freezing.

## Three (3) Year Limited Warranty

Mattel Australia Pty. Ltd., 658 Church Street, Locked Bag #870, Richmond, Victoria 3121 Australia, warrants to the original owner that the Lift & Lock Swing is free from all defects in material and workmanship when used under normal conditions for a period of three (3) years from the date of purchase. This warranty does not cover the swing ropes, color fading of the product or product parts, or damage from excessive weather abuse or acts of God.

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