



HOW TO ASSEMBLE, USE AND CARE FOR YOUR Field Shelter (Small)



RECYCLED & RECYCLABLE

Products from green frog designs are made, wherever possible, from materials that are recycled. Where this is not practical, we always try to use materials that are suitable for recycling.

Our plastic is made from recycled waste plastic, predominantly plastic wrapping and carrier bags. By choosing our products, rather than those made from virgin plastic, you are helping to restrict the amount of new plastic being made. We recycle all our waste plastic and, of course, our products themselves can be recycled (if they ever wear out!!).

The recycled plastic we use is incredibly tough, but is as easily worked as wood. There is no need for preservative treatment with insecticides or fungicides, and structures won't splinter or crack, so they retain their structural integrity well. The plastic is resistant to UV light, so it retains its colour well, and is pretty much impervious to atmospheric pollutants and seasonal climatic actions such as freeze-thaw. It insulates quite well, and is also resistant to chewing. These properties mean that it retains its appearance, colour and functionality for much longer than timber.

The sheets of recycled plastic have a very uniform thickness, and so are ideally suited to our high-technology manufacturing process, which uses computer-controlled machines to cut shapes to accuracies better than 0.1mm.

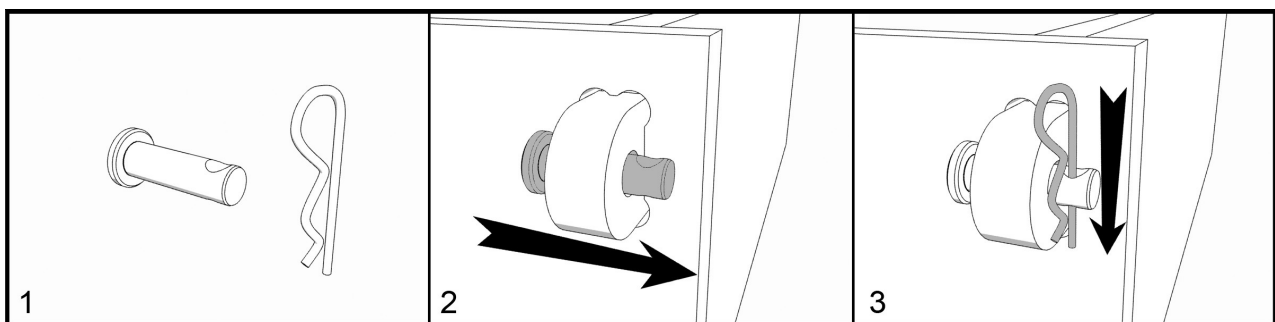
We also use some metal components to fix parts together. The metals used are either stainless steel or other rust-resistant alloy, so they have a very long lifetime. They are also suitable for recycling.

Our packaging and literature is all made from recycled materials wherever possible. For example, assembly instructions are printed on recycled paper, and we use recycled plastic bubble-wrap in our packaging. Even our business cards are made from 80% recycled card.

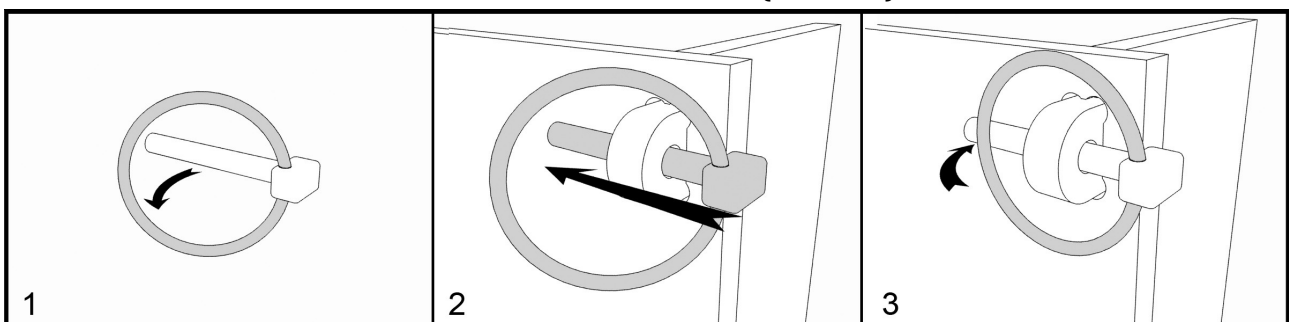
In other words: **Fun, functional products that don't cost the Earth!**



HOW TO FIT A CLEVIS PIN (IF USED)

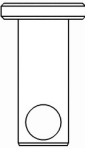

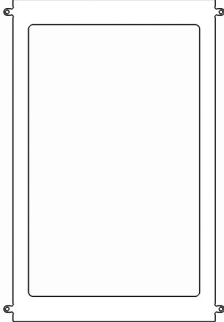


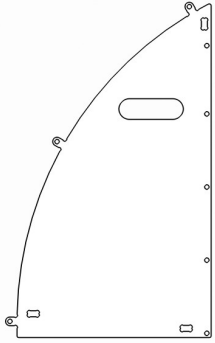
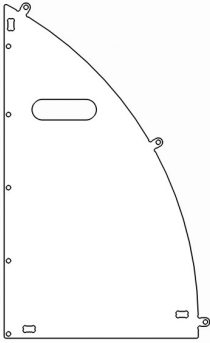
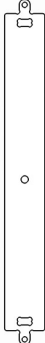
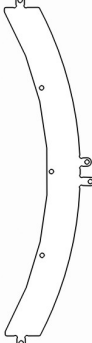
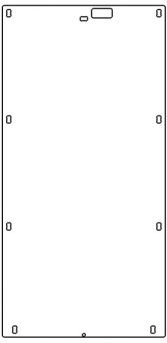
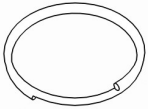


HOW TO FIT A LINCH PIN (IF USED)



You only need to move the ring slightly away from the bar. They are designed to spring closed, so watch your fingers!

PARTS (Not to scale)

									
35x	Medium Clevis Pin	35x	R-Clip	1x	Base Frame	2x	Ground Bar	4x	Stake
									
2x	Left Wall Panel	2x	Right Wall Panel	2x	Roof Bar	2x	Roof Brace	2x	Roof Panel
									
1x	Split Ring								

DIMENSIONS

Dimensions: 152(w) x 69(h) x 58(d) cm

TOOLS REQUIRED

Sharp knife (e.g. Stanley Knife) or Sand Paper
Large size cross head screwdriver
10mm ring spanner (or socket wrench or adjustable spanner)
Small flat-bladed screwdriver (optional)

PRE-ASSEMBLY CHECKS

Prior to assembly, check that you have all the required parts. Please be aware that, being a recycled material, some minor surface blemishes or defects may have occurred during manufacture. These will not affect the functionality of your product.

Trim any excess plastic using sand paper or a sharp knife. **[NOTE: Be careful to cut away from yourself.]**

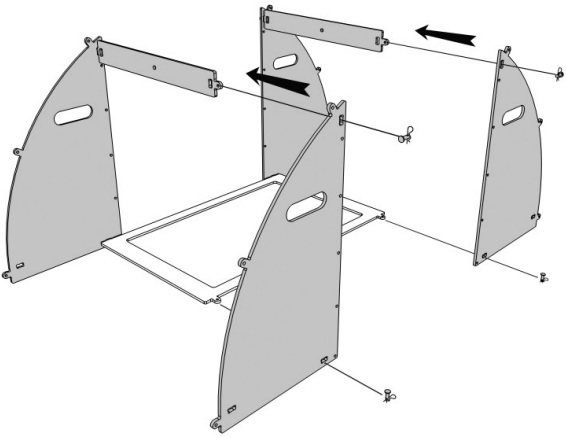
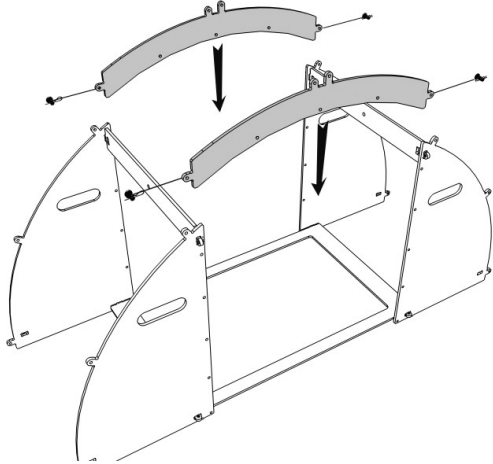
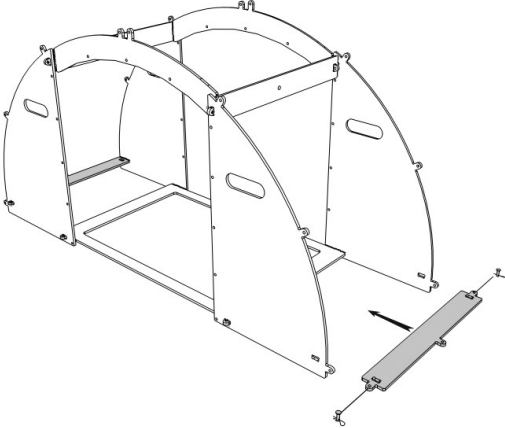
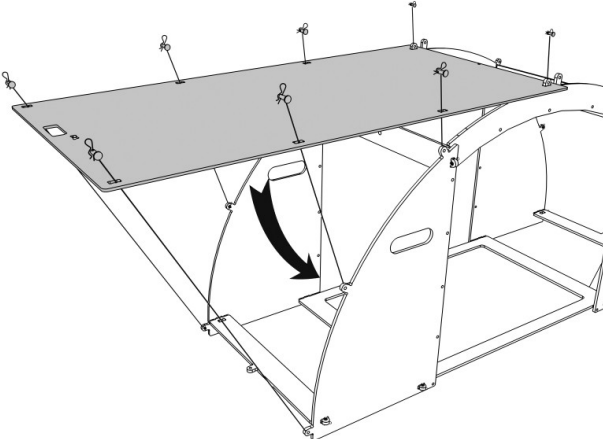
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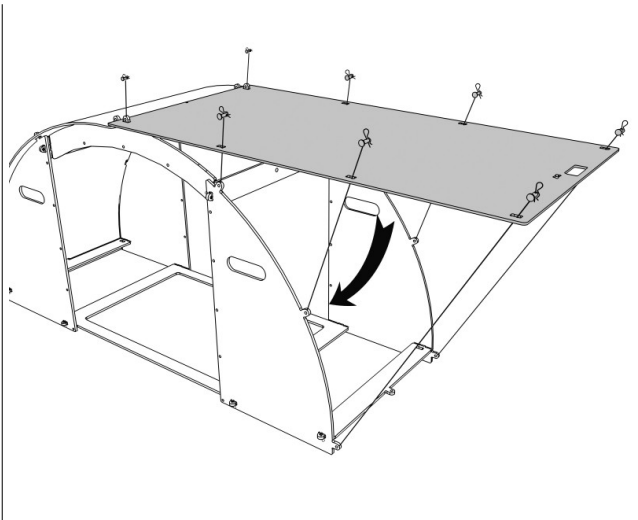
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SPARE PARTS

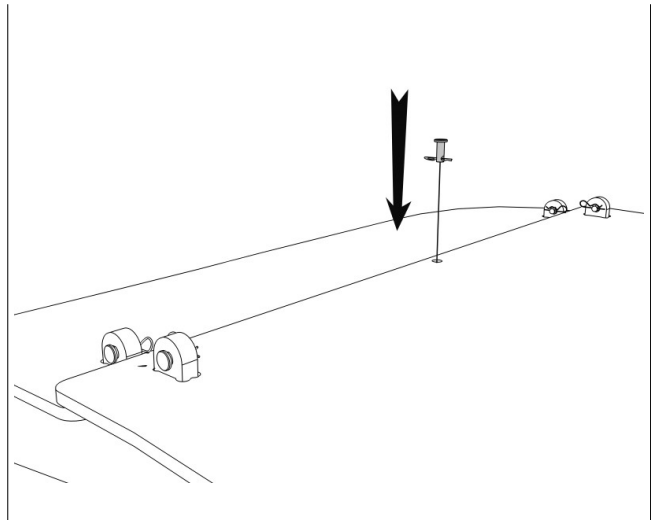
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HOW TO ASSEMBLE

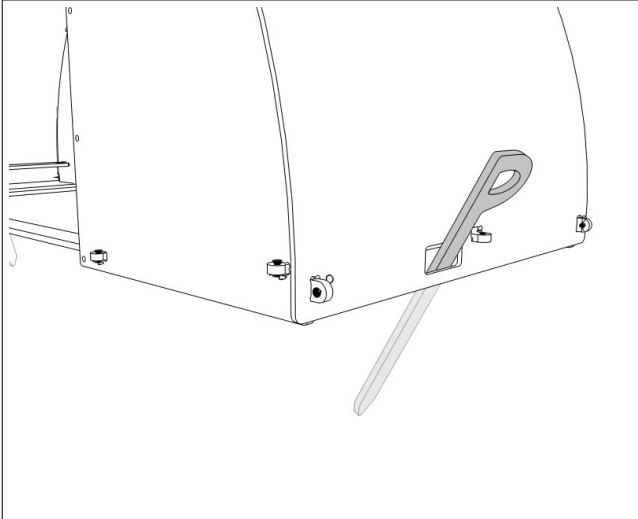
	
<p>1 Fit the 4 Side Panels to the Base Frame as shown, using Clevis Pins and R-Clips. Add the 2 Roof Bars to support the structure.</p>	<p>2 Fit the 2 Roof Braces to the 2 Roof Bars as shown, using Clevis Pins and R-Clips.</p>
	
<p>3 Attach the 2 Ground Bars to the Side Panels. That's the framework complete. Read the next sections carefully, since the Roof Panels must be fixed in the correct order, so that the second panel overlaps the first. The Roof Braces have 'lower' and 'upper' central lugs – both lower lugs must be on the same side.</p>	<p>4 Fit one Roof Panel onto the lower pair of central lugs on the Roof Braces, securing it with Clevis Pins and R-Clips. Bend the Roof Panel downwards into place around the Side Panels securing it with Clevis Pins and R-Clips as you proceed. The final Clevis Pin should attach the Roof Panel to the Ground Bar.</p>



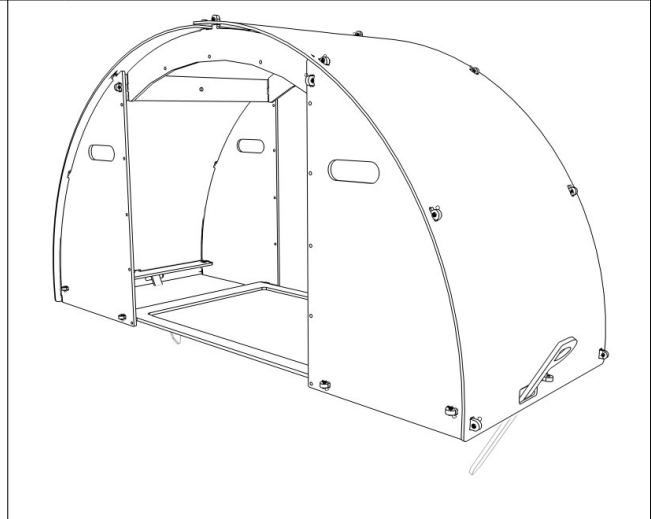
5 Repeat step 4 for the second **Roof Panel**, this time fitting it over the higher lugs on top of the **Roof Braces**, so that the roof panels overlap slightly.



6 Join the two **Roof Panels** together using a **Clevis Pin** and **R-Clip**. It may be easier to tip the structure up on one end to perform this step. If you use the **Split Ring**, instead of the **R-Clip**, it will make an ideal sheltered hanging location for a feeder.



7 The **Stakes** are provided to anchor the house to the ground, which should prevent it blowing away in a very high wind.



8 Finished!

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

Domestic chickens are descended from jungle fowl and are used to having some overhead cover from airborne predators. They also need protection from the elements, as do ducks, geese, pigs and lambs. This field shelter provides cover from rain, wind, hail and, in the height of summer, it provides shade. It is also ideal for placing food containers underneath, so that feed is kept dry. The roof bars have holes pre-drilled, if you prefer to hang your feed containers.

The shelters are robust, yet can be quite easily moved using the carrying handles. Stakes are provided to anchor the house to the ground, which should prevent it blowing away in a high wind. If you are a chicken keeper, you'll be pleased to hear that these shelters are designed to be used in conjunction with our chicken run, which fits the Small and Medium Chicken Houses. The shelter can be fitted either at the mid-point of the run, or at the door end, simply by using cable ties.