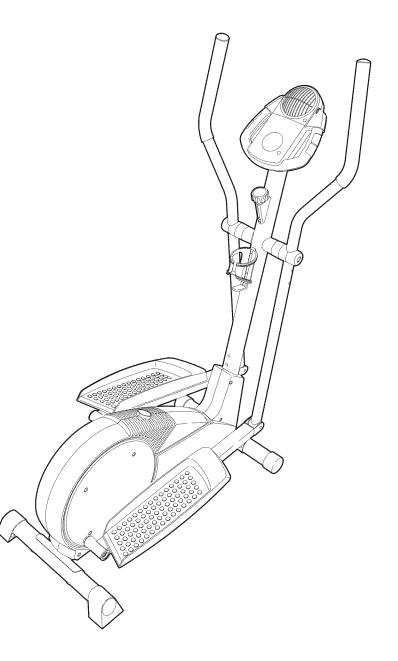


ELLIPTICAL EXERCISER User's Manual



A CAUTION

Model No. 831.285420

Serial No. _

Serial Number Decal

AssemblyOperation

Maintenance

Part List and Drawing

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

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IMPORTANT PRECAUTIONS

WARNING: To reduce the risk of serious injury, read the following important precautions before using the elliptical crosstrainer.

- 1. Read all instructions in this manual before using the elliptical crosstrainer.
- 2. It is the responsibility of the owner to ensure that all users of the elliptical crosstrainer are adequately informed of all precautions.
- 3. Place the elliptical crosstrainer on a level surface, with a mat beneath it to protect the floor or carpet. Keep the elliptical crosstrainer indoors, away from moisture and dust.
- 4. Inspect and properly tighten all parts regularly. Replace any worn parts immediately.
- 5. Keep children under 12 and pets away from the elliptical crosstrainer at all times.
- 6. The elliptical crosstrainer should not be used by persons weighing more than 250 pounds.
- 7. Wear appropriate exercise clothes when using the elliptical crosstrainer. Always wear athletic shoes for foot protection.
- 8. Always hold the handles on the console or the handlebars when mounting, dismounting, or using the elliptical crosstrainer.

- 9. 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.
- 10. Keep your back straight when using the elliptical crosstrainer; do not arch your back.
- 11. If you feel pain or dizziness while exercising, stop immediately and cool down.
- 12. When you stop exercising, allow the pedals to slowly come to a stop.
- 13. The elliptical crosstrainer is intended for home use only. Do not use the elliptical crosstrainer in a commercial, rental, or institutional setting.
- 14. The warning decal shown on page 4 has been applied to the elliptical crosstrainer. If the 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.

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.

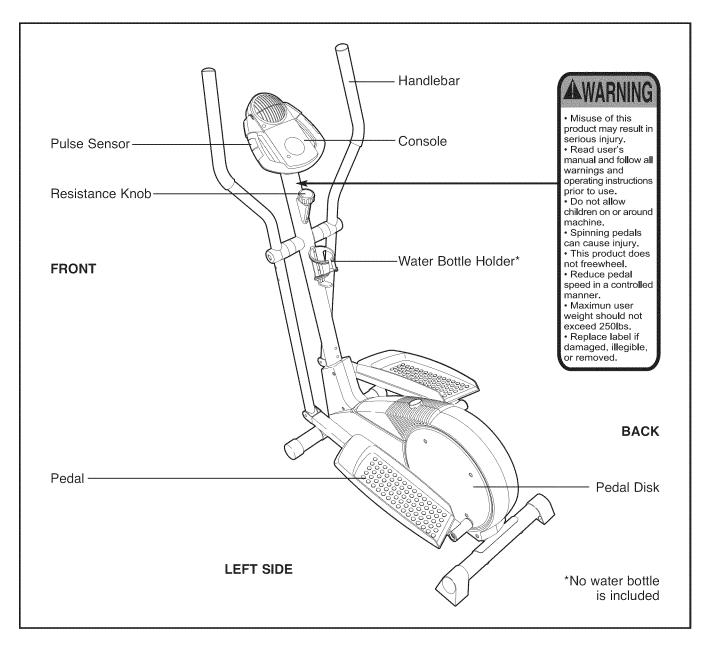
BEFORE YOU BEGIN

Congratulations for selecting the new PROFORM® 675 CARDIO CROSSTRAINER. The PROFORM 675 is an incredibly smooth exerciser that moves your feet in a natural elliptical path, minimizing the impact on your knees and ankles. And the unique PROFORM 675 features adjustable resistance and a simple-touse console to help you get the most from your exercise. Welcome to a whole new world of natural, elliptical-motion exercise from PROFORM.

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tions after reading 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 is 831.285420. The serial number is found on a decal attached to the elliptical crosstrainer (see the front cover of this manual for the location of the decal).

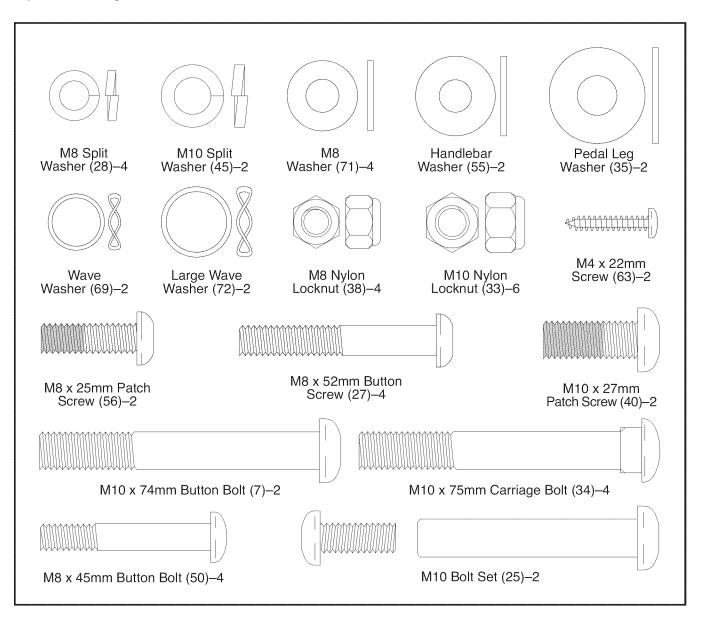
Before reading further, please familiarize yourself with the parts that are labeled in the drawing below.



ASSEMBLY

Assembly requires two persons. Place all parts of the elliptical crosstrainer in a cleared area and remove the packing materials. Do not dispose of the packing materials until assembly is completed. In addition to the included allen wrenches, assembly requires a phillips screwdriver (_______, an adjustable wrench o_______, and a rubber mallet _______.

As you assemble the elliptical crosstrainer, use the drawings below to identify the small parts used in assembly. The number in parenthesis below each drawing refers to the key number of the part, from the PART LIST on page 14. The second number refers to the quantity used in assembly. **Note: Some small parts may have been pre-assembled for shipping. If a part is not in the parts bag, check to see if it has been pre-assembled. If a part is missing, call toll-free 1-888-533-1333.**



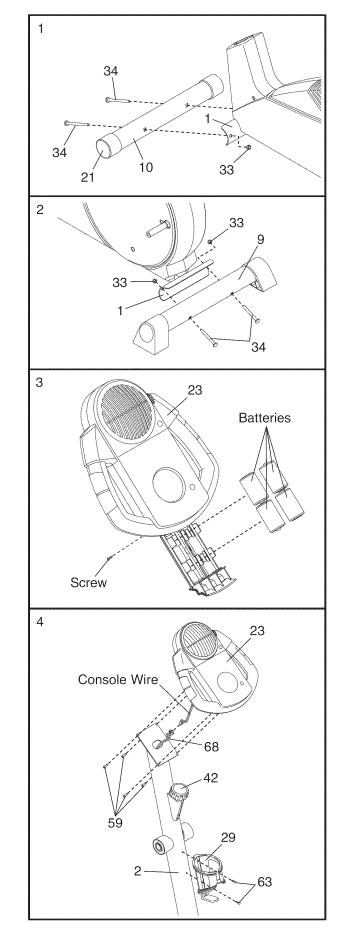
1. Identify the Front Stabilizer (10), which has round Endcaps (21) on its ends. While another person lifts the front of the Frame (1), attach the Front Stabilizer to the Frame with two M10 x 75mm Carriage Bolts (34) and two M10 Nylon Locknuts (33).

- While another person lifts the back of the Frame (1), attach the Rear Stabilizer (9) to the Frame with two M10 x 75mm Carriage Bolts (34) and two M10 Nylon Locknuts (33).
- 3. The Console (23) requires four 1.5V "D" batteries; alkaline batteries are recommended. Remove the indicated screw from the battery drawer, and pull the battery drawer open. Insert four batteries into the battery drawer; make sure that the batteries are oriented as shown by the markings inside of the battery drawer. Close the battery drawer and reattach the screw. Note: When the batteries are installed correctly, the fan will turn on for a moment.
- 4. While another person holds the Console (23) in the position shown, connect the console wire to the Extension Wire (68).

Attach the Console (23) to the Upright (2) with the four Console Screws (59) included with the Console. **Be careful to avoid pinching the wires.**

Attach the Water Bottle Holder (29) to the Upright (2) with two M4 x 22mm Screws (63).

Turn the Resistance Control (42) counterclockwise to the lowest setting before continuing.



- 5. While another person holds the Upright (2) in the position shown, connect the Extension Wire (68) to the Reed Switch Wire (53). Next, connect the Resistance Cable (42) to the Lower Resistance Cable (43) in the following way:
 - See drawing A. Pull up on the metal bracket, and insert the tip of the Resistance Cable (42) into the wire clip on the Lower Resistance Cable (43) as shown.
 - See drawing B. **Firmly** pull the Resistance Cable (42) and slide it into the metal bracket on the Lower Resistance Cable (43) as shown.
 - See drawing C. Using pliers, squeeze the prongs on the upper end of the metal bracket together.

Push the excess cable and wires down into the Frame (1). Slide the Upright (2) onto the Frame. **Do not pinch the wires or cables.** Attach the Upright to the Frame with two M10 x 74mm Button Bolts (7), two M10 Split Washers (45), and two M10 Nylon Locknuts (33). **Do not tighten the Bolts yet.**

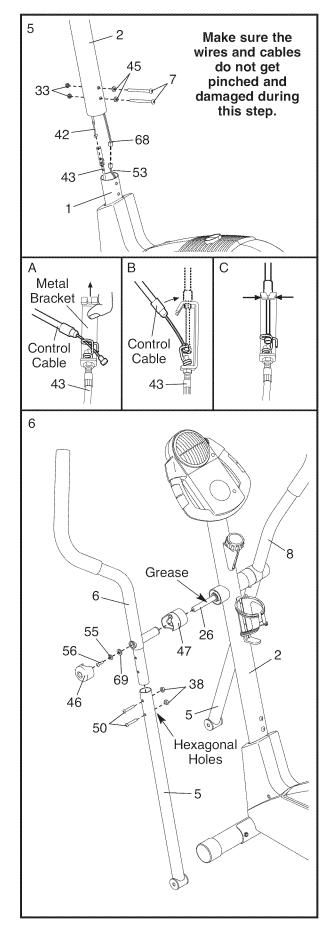
6. Identify the Left Handlebar (6), which is marked with a sticker. Insert the Left Handlebar into one of the Handlebar Legs (5); make sure that the Handlebar Leg is turned so the hexagonal holes are on the indicated side. Attach the Left Handlebar to the Handlebar Leg with two M8 x 45mm Button Bolts (50) and two M8 Nylon Locknuts (38). Make sure that the Nylon Locknuts are inside of the hexagonal holes. Do not fully tighten the Button Bolts yet.

Insert the Pivot Axle (26) into the Upright (2), and center the Pivot Axle. Apply a generous amount of the included grease to both ends of the Pivot Axle.

Turn a Handlebar Spacer (47) so that the small arrow on the Handlebar Spacer is pointing toward the floor, and slide the Handlebar Spacer onto the post on the Left Handlebar (6). Next, slide the Left Handlebar onto the Pivot Axle (26).

Slide a Handlebar Washer (55) and a Wave Washer (69) onto an M8 x 25mm Patch Screw (56), and tighten the Patch Screw into the Pivot Axle (26). Then, press the tabs on a Handlebar Cap (46) into the Handlebar Spacer (47).

Assemble the Right Handlebar (8) and the other Handlebar Leg (5) in the same way.



 Identify the Left Pedal Leg (11), which is marked with a sticker. Attach the Left Pedal (13) to the Left Pedal Leg with two M8 x 52mm Button Screws (27), two M8 Split Washers (28), and two M8 Washers (71).

Attach the Right Pedal (not shown) in the same way.

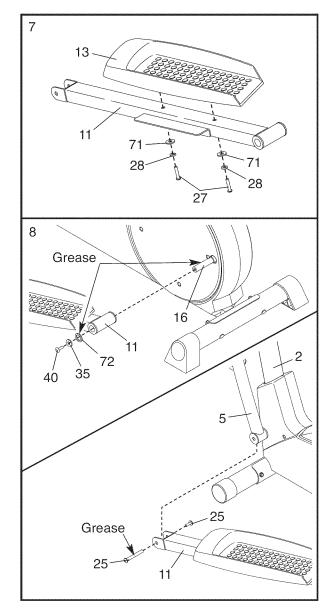
 Apply a small amount of grease to the axle on the left Disc Crossbar (16). Slide the Left Pedal Leg (11) onto the axle. Apply a small amount of grease to a Large Wave Washer (72) and press it onto the end of the Left Pedal Leg. Slide a Pedal Leg Washer (35) onto an M10 x 27mm Patch Screw (40), and tighten the Patch Screw into the axle.

Next, hold the lower end of the left Handlebar Leg (5) inside of the bracket on the front of the Left Pedal Leg (11). Apply grease to an M10 Bolt Set (25). Attach the Handlebar Leg to the Left Pedal Leg with the Bolt Set. **Do not overtighten the Bolt Set; the Handlebar Leg must pivot freely.**

Attach the Right Pedal Leg (not shown) to the right side of the elliptical crosstrainer in the same way.

See step 5. Tighten the M10 x 74mm Button Bolts (7) in the Upright (2).

See step 6. Tighten the M8 x 45mm Button Bolts (50) in the Handlebar Legs (5).

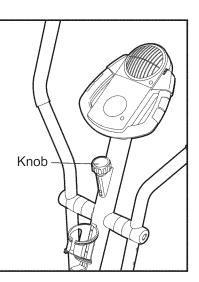


9. Make sure that all parts of the elliptical crosstrainer are properly tightened. Note: Some hardware may be left over after assembly is completed. To protect the floor or carpet from damage, place a mat under the elliptical crosstrainer.

HOW TO USE THE ELLIPTICAL CROSSTRAINER

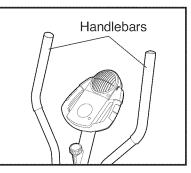
HOW TO ADJUST THE RESISTANCE OF THE PEDALS

As you exercise, you can adjust the resistance of the pedals with the resistance knob on the upright. To increase the resistance, turn the knob clockwise; to decrease the resistance, turn the knob counterclockwise.

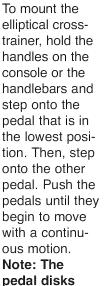


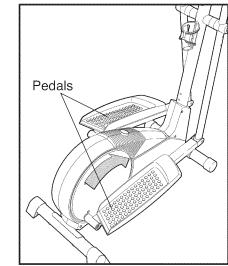
HOW TO USE THE HANDLEBARS

The handlebars are designed to add upper-body exercise to your workouts. As you exercise, push and pull the handlebars to work your arms, shoulders, and back.



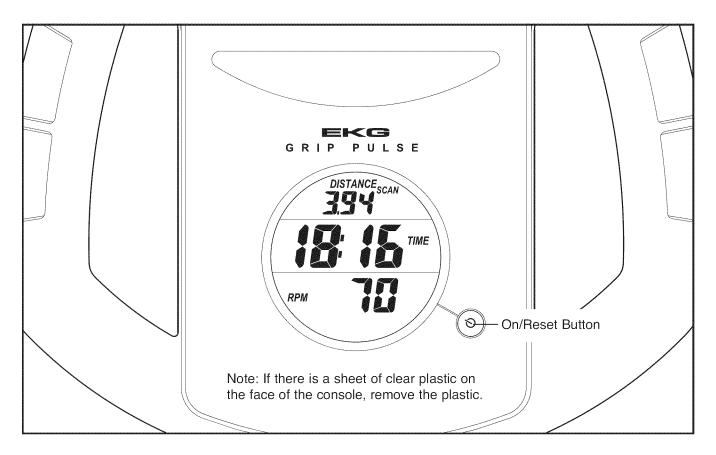
HOW TO EXERCISE ON THE ELLIPTICAL CROSSTRAINER





can turn in either direction. It is recommended that you move the pedal disks in the direction shown by the arrow; however, for variety, you may turn the pedal disks in the opposite direction.

To dismount the elliptical crosstrainer, wait until the pedals come to a complete stop. **Note: The elliptical crosstrainer does not have a free wheel; the pedals will continue to move until the flywheel stops.** When the pedals are stationary, step off the highest pedal first. Then, step off the lowest pedal.



HOW TO USE THE CONSOLE



Turn on the console.

Note: The console requires four 1.5V "D" batteries (see assembly step 3 on page 6).

To turn on the console, press the On/Reset button or begin pedaling. (See the drawing above to identify the On/Reset button.)



2 Follow your progress with the display.

The upper section of the display will show the total distance (total number of revolutions) you



have pedaled and the numbers of *calories* and fat calories you have burned (see FAT BURNING on page 13 for an explanation of fat calories). The display will change from one number to the next every few seconds. If you use the handgrip pulse sensor, the display will also show your heart rate (see step 3 on page 11).

The center of the display will show the elapsed time you have pedaled.

The lower section of the display will show your pedaling pace, in revolutions per minute (RPM).

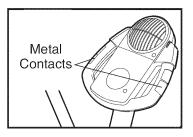






Measure your heart rate if desired.

If there are thin sheets of plastic on the metal contacts on the handgrips, peel off the plastic. To use the handgrip pulse sen-



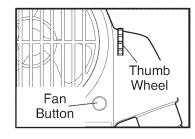
sor, hold the handgrips with your palms resting against the metal contacts. **Avoid moving your hands.** When your pulse is detected, the heart-shaped indicator in the display will flash each time your heart beats. After a moment, two dashes (--) will appear and then your heart rate will be shown.

For the most accurate heart rate reading, continue to hold the handgrips for about 30 seconds. Note: When you first hold the handgrips, the display will show your heart rate continuously for 30 seconds. The display will then show your heart rate along with other feedback modes. Δ

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Turn on the fan if desired.

To turn on the fan at low speed, press the fan button. To turn on the fan at high speed, press the fan button a second time. To turn off



the fan, press the fan button a third time. Note: If the fan is turned on but the pedals are not moved for thirty seconds, the fan will automatically turn off to conserve the batteries.

Rotate the thumb wheel on the right side of the console to pivot the fan to the desired angle.

When you are finished exercising, the console will automatically turn off.

If the pedals are not moved for a few seconds, the displays will pause and the time will flash in the display. If the pedals are not moved and the console buttons are not pressed for a few minutes, the console will turn off to conserve the batteries.

MAINTENANCE AND TROUBLESHOOTING

Inspect and tighten all parts of the elliptical crosstrainer regularly. Replace any worn parts immediately.

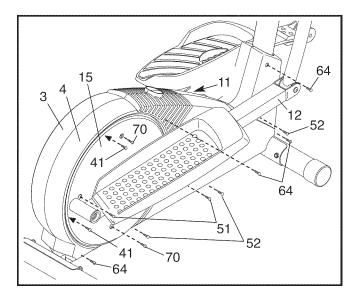
To clean the elliptical crosstrainer, use a damp cloth and a small amount of mild dish soap. **Important: Keep liquids away from the console and keep the console out of direct sunlight. During storage, remove the batteries from the console.**

BATTERY REPLACEMENT

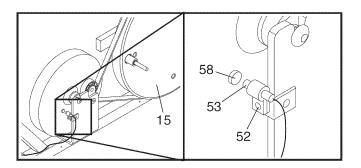
If the console display becomes dim, the batteries should be replaced. See assembly step 3 on page 6 for replacement instructions.

HOW TO ADJUST THE REED SWITCH

If the console does not display correct feedback, the reed switch should be adjusted. To do this, you must remove the Right Pedal Leg (12), the right Pedal Disc (15), and the Side Shields (3, 4). See step 8 on page 8 and remove the Pedal Legs.



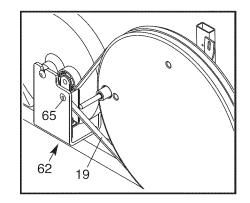
Next, remove the four Screws (51, 70) from the right Pedal Disc (15), and slide the Pedal Disc off. Remove all Screws (52, 64) from the Right Side Shield (4) and the two Bolts (41) from beneath the Pedal Disc, and remove the Right Side Shield (4). Remove all Screws (52) from the Left Side Shield (3), and remove the Left Side Shield. Next, see the drawing below and locate the Reed Switch (53). Loosen, but do not remove, the indicated M4 x 16mm Self-tapping Screw (52). Slide the Reed Switch slightly toward or away from the Magnet (58) on the flywheel. Retighten the Screw. Turn the left Pedal Disc (15) for a moment. Repeat until the console displays correct feedback. When the Reed Switch is correctly adjusted, reattach the Side Shields (3, 4), the right Pedal Disc (15), and the Pedal Legs (11).



HOW TO ADJUST THE DRIVE BELT

If you can feel the pedals slip while you are pedaling, even when the resistance is adjusted to the highest level, the Drive Belt (19) may need to be adjusted. To adjust the Drive Belt, you must first remove both side shields. See HOW TO ADJUST THE REED SWITCH at the left and remove the side shields.

Next, loosen the M8 x 22mm Flat Head Screw (65) and turn the M10 x 60mm Button Bolt (62) until the Drive Belt (19) is tight. When the Drive Belt is tight, tighten



the Flat Head Screw. Reattach the side shields.

CONDITIONING GUIDELINES

A 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.
- 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.

The following guidelines will help you to plan your exercise program. Remember that proper nutrition and adequate rest are essential for successful results.

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, maximum fat burning, and cardiovascular (aerobic) exercise.

| 165 | 155 | 145 | 140 | 130 | 125 | 115 | ۲ |
|-----|-----|-------------|-----|-------------|-----|-----|---|
| 145 | 138 | 130 | 125 | <i>1</i> 18 | 110 | 103 | ۲ |
| 125 | 120 | <i>1</i> 15 | 110 | 105 | 95 | 90 | ۷ |
| 20 | 30 | 40 | 50 | 60 | 70 | 80 | |

To find the proper heart rate for you, first find your age at 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 are your "training zone." The lower two numbers are recommended heart rates for fat burning; the highest 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 of exercise does your body begin to use stored *fat* calories for energy. If your goal is to burn fat, adjust the intensity of your exercise until your heart rate is near the lowest number in your training zone as you exercise.

For maximum fat burning, adjust the intensity of your exercise until your heart rate is near the middle number in your training zone as you exercise.

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 intensity of your exercise until your heart rate is near the highest number in your training zone as you exercise.

WORKOUT GUIDELINES

Each workout should include the following three parts:

A warm-up, consisting of 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, consisting of 20 to 30 minutes of exercising with your heart rate in your training zone. (During the first few weeks of your exercise program, do not keep your heart rate in your training zone for longer than 20 minutes.)

A cool-down, with 5 to 10 minutes of stretching. This will increase the flexibility of your muscles and will help to 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 of regular exercise, 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.

PART LIST-Model No. 831.285420

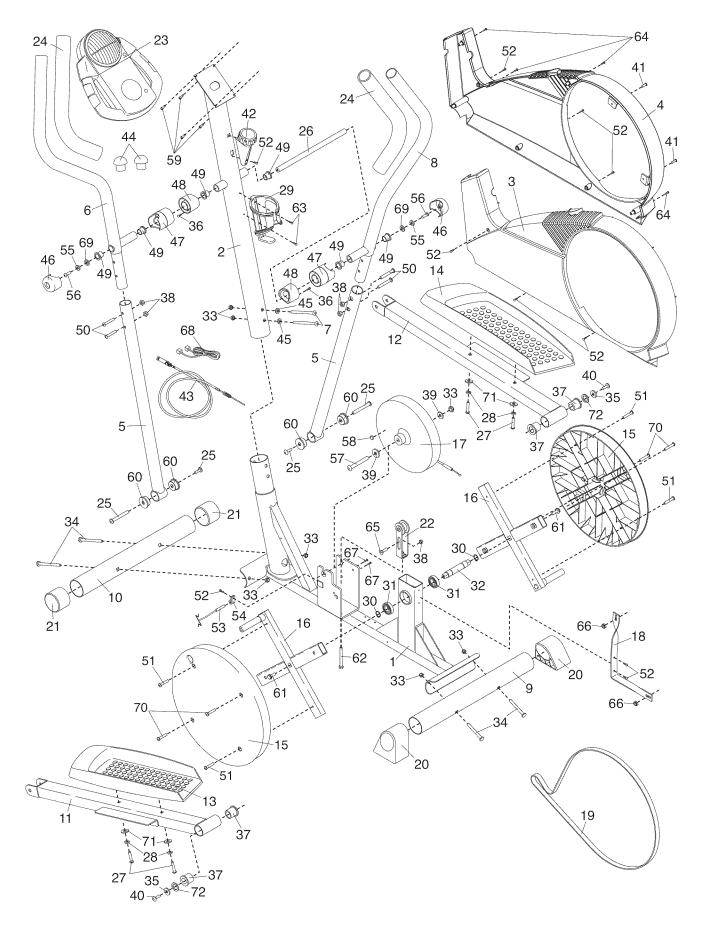
| Key No. | Qty. | Description | Key No. | Qty. | Description |
|---------|------|--------------------------|---------|------|------------------------------|
| 1 | 1 | Frame | 39 | 2 | M10 Washer |
| 2 | 1 | Upright | 40 | 2 | M10 x 27mm Patch Screw |
| 3 | 1 | Left Side Shield | 41 | 2 | M6 x 18mm Bolt |
| 4 | 1 | Right Side Shield | 42 | 1 | Resistance Control/Cable |
| 5 | 2 | Handlebar Leg | 43 | 1 | Lower Resistance Cable |
| 6 | 1 | Left Handlebar | 44 | 2 | Handlebar Endcap |
| 7 | 2 | M10 x 74mm Button Bolt | 45 | 2 | M10 Split Washer |
| 8 | 1 | Right Handlebar | 46 | 2 | Handlebar Cap |
| 9 | 1 | Rear Stabilizer | 47 | 2 | Handlebar Spacer |
| 10 | 1 | Front Stabilizer | 48 | 2 | Frame Spacer |
| 11 | 1 | Left Pedal Leg | 49 | 6 | Small Handlebar Bushing |
| 12 | 1 | Right Pedal Leg | 50 | 4 | M8 x 45mm Button Bolt |
| 13 | 1 | Left Pedal | 51 | 4 | M6 x 25mm Screw |
| 14 | 1 | Right Pedal | 52 | 10 | M4 x 16mm Self-tapping Screw |
| 15 | 2 | Pedal Disc | 53 | 1 | Reed Switch/Wire |
| 16 | 2 | Disc Crossbar | 54 | 1 | Cable Clamp |
| 17 | 1 | Flywheel | 55 | 2 | Handlebar Washer |
| 18 | 1 | Side Shield Bracket | 56 | 2 | M8 x 25mm Patch Screw |
| 19 | 1 | Drive Belt | 57 | 1 | Flywheel Axle |
| 20 | 2 | Rear Endcap | 58 | 1 | Magnet |
| 21 | 2 | Front Endcap | 59 | 4 | Console Screw |
| 22 | 1 | Belt Idler | 60 | 4 | Large Handlebar Leg Bushing |
| 23 | 1 | Console | 61 | 2 | 5/16" x 25.4mm Hex Bolt |
| 24 | 2 | Handgrip | 62 | 1 | M10 x 60mm Button Bolt |
| 25 | 2 | M10 Bolt Set | 63 | 2 | M4 x 22mm Screw |
| 26 | 1 | Pivot Axle | 64 | 4 | M4 x 25mm Screw |
| 27 | 4 | M8 x 52mm Button Screw | 65 | 1 | M8 x 22mm Flat Head Screw |
| 28 | 4 | M8 Split Washer | 66 | 2 | M6 Nylon Locknut |
| 29 | 1 | Water Bottle Holder | 67 | 2 | M5 x 14mm Self-tapping Screw |
| 30 | 2 | Large Snap Ring | 68 | 1 | Extension Wire |
| 31 | 2 | Large Bearing | 69 | 2 | Wave Washer |
| 32 | 1 | Pedal Axle | 70 | 4 | M6 x 28mm Screw |
| 33 | 7 | M10 Nylon Locknut | 71 | 4 | M8 Washer |
| 34 | 4 | M10 x 75mm Carriage Bolt | 72 | 2 | Large Wave Washer |
| 35 | 2 | Pedal Leg Washer | # | 1 | Allen Wrench |
| 36 | 2 | M3 x 12mm Screw | # | 1 | Grease |
| 37 | 4 | Pedal Arm Bushing | # | 1 | User's Manual |
| 38 | 5 | M8 Nylon Locknut | | | |

Note: # indicates a non-illustrated part. Specifications are subject to change without notice. **If a part is missing, call toll-free 1-888-533-1333.**

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