Lightweight Suitcase Ramp





Fitting and Maintenance Instructions

Please read this manual before operation for maintenance instructions and safe usage of these ramps.

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CAUTION!

It is ESSENTIAL that a risk assessment is carried out by a competent person as to the safety and suitability of the particular ramp for a specific user.

Only use these ramps with a qualified helper, never exceed the recommended weight limit during use.

Always back the wheelchair/scooter down the ramps and use a lap strap for safety.

Always check the wheelchairs/scooters owners' manual regarding the safe incline for any particular chair.

N.B. This equipment must be installed by a competent person.

VA142B	2ft Lightweight Suitcase Ramp
VA142C	3ft Lightweight Suitcase Ramp
VA142K	5ft Lightweight Suitcase Ramp

Weight Capacity 272kg/48 stone, weight evenly distributed using both ramps(136kg/21stone) stone

Do not exceed the weight limit stated – doing so could put the user at risk.

USING YOUR RAMP

- Always fully open/extend the ramps before use to minimize the risk of injury, and also make any ascent or descent using the ramps easier.
- Select a place to use where the ramps have the minimum gradient possible. Ensure the gradient of the ramps is not beyond the ability of the wheelchair or occupant.
- Place the angled lip end of the ramp on the ground or low point, and place the wide end of the ramp on the vehicle or high ground.
- Ensure the ramps are safe before use.

TO OPEN

- Place the ramp horizontally on the ground.
- Pull the locking pins out of the corresponding holes.
- Carefully lift the top ramp and fold it open using the hinged join between the ramps until it is flat and in line with the lower ramp.

TO CLOSE

- Carefully lift one side of the ramp using the hinged join between the ramps, until both ramps rest on top of each other.
- Insert the locking pins into the corresponding holes to secure the folded ramp.

MAINTENANCE & SAFETY

- Regularly check your ramps for worn, loose or damaged parts – If you find any of these to be damaged you must not use your ramps and you must contact your dealer immediately.
- Always use both ramps, and ensure they are level and parallel to each other.
- Ensure ramps are fully extended and locked in position.
- Do not attempt to use ramps on gradients above 1 in 12. Please also check the gradient your wheelchair or scooter is capable of.
- Do not exceed the weight capacity of the ramps.
- Only allow one person/ mobility vehicle to use the ramps at once.
- The surface of the ramps may become slippery in icy or wet conditions. Please exercise caution in these conditions.
- Keep your ramps clean of any dirt or debris as this could interfere with its sliding motion.
- Always use the ramps in line with the wheelchairs/scooter manufacturer's guidelines; NEVER use it at a steeper gradient than recommended.
- Do not modify or add to your ramp as it could void any warranty claims.
- Do not use the ramp for anything other than its original intended purpose.
- Only clean your ramps with mild detergent.
- Use caution when adjusting the length of your ramps and avoid any pinch points.

CLEANING

Clean your Ramps using a mild detergent with a slightly damp, soft cloth only. Only use a mild detergent or disinfectant; never use an abrasive cleaner.

After cleaning, leave the Ramp somewhere warm and dry to air or wipe over with a dry, soft cloth. Do not leave in direct contact with a heat source.

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Please exercise common sense and do not take any unnecessary risks when using this product; as the user you must accept liability for safety when using the product.

Please do not hesitate to contact the person who issued this product to you or the manufacturer (detailed below) if you have any queries concerning the assembly/use of your product.

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