

ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTION



IMPORTANT: READ THE OWNER'S MANUAL BEFORE ASSEMBLING

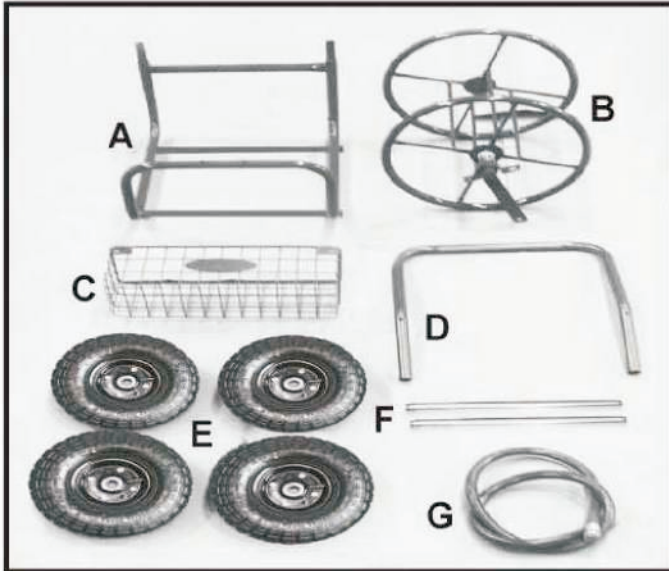
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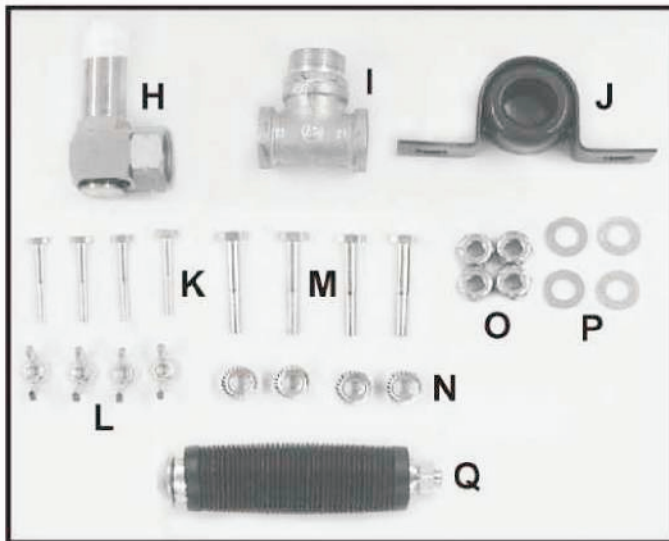
TOOLS REQUIRED: TWO ADJUSTABLE WRENCHES & HAND PUMP

Estimated Assembly Time: 30 minutes

PARTS LIST



- A. FRAME (1 UNIT)
- B. SPOOL WITH CRANK HANDLE (1)
- C. BASKET (1)
- D. U-HANDLE (1)
- E. TIRES (4)
- F. AXLES (2)
- G. LEADER HOSE (1)

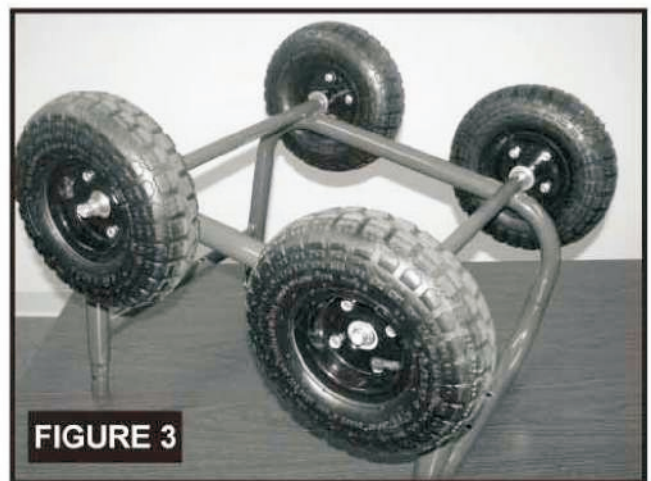
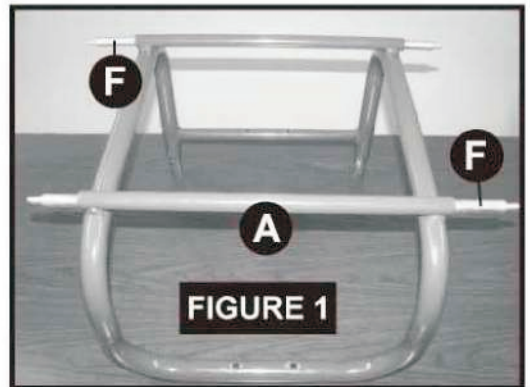


- H. BRASS SWIVEL (1)
- I. GALVANIZED TEE (1)
- J. U-BUSHING (1)
- K. 40MM/5.5MM DIAMETER BOLTS (4)
- L. WING NUTS (4)
- M. 40MM/7.5MM DIAMETER BOLTS (4)
- N. LOCK NUTS (4)
- O. AXLE NUTS (4)
- P. AXLE WASHERS (4)
- Q. RUBBER HANDLE W / BOLT (1)

1. Turn Frame (A) on it's back. Insert Axles (F) through the frame. Repeat. **See Figure 1**

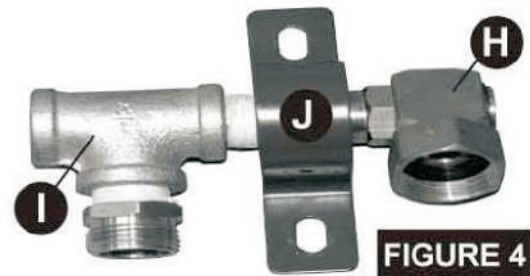
2. Place the tires (E) over the axle with the air valve facing out. Place the axle washer (P) over the thread and screw on the axle nut (O) and tighten securely. Repeat for each remaining tire. **See Figures 2 & 3**

WARNING: Do not use a compressor while inflating the tires; hand pump only **15 PSI maximum**.



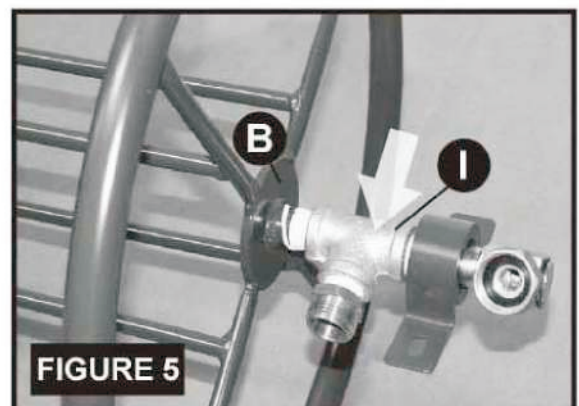
3. Set the cart upright on the tires.

4. Insert the Brass Swivel (H) through the U-bushing (J) and screw the end of the swivel into the galvanized tee (I). **See Figure 4**. Using a wrench, tighten the swivel into the galvanized tee.

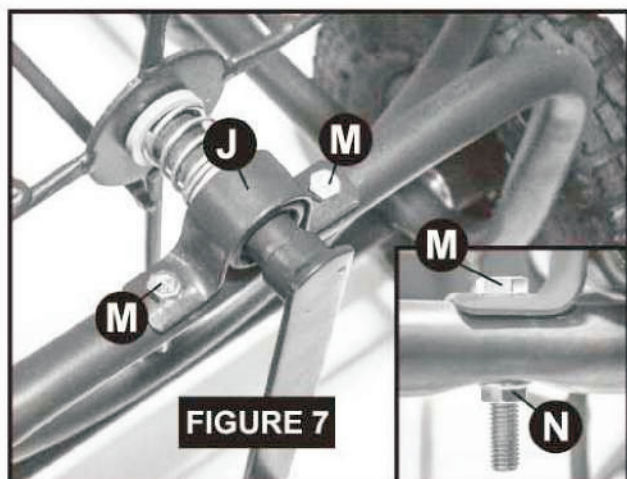
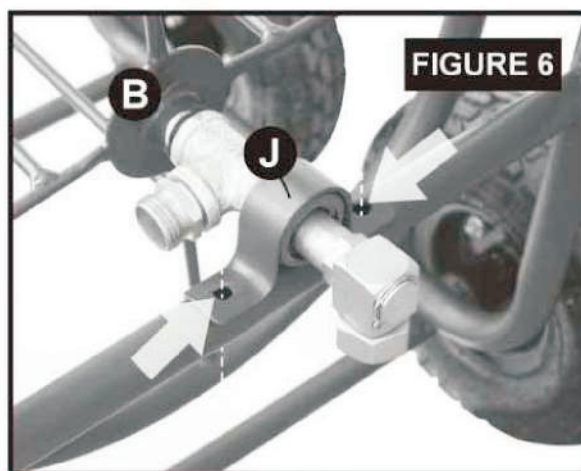


Note: Overtightening the swivel could cause leakage.

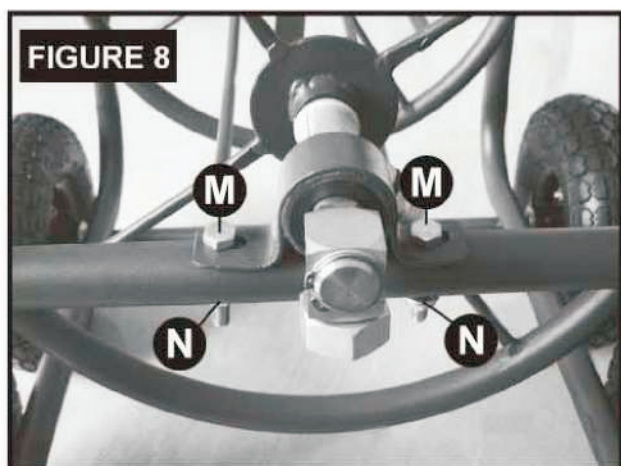
5. Screw the galvanized tee (I) onto the spool end (B). Tighten with wrench. **See Figure 5**



6. Place the spool (B) on the frame so the U-bushings (J) are oriented over the holes on the frame. See Figure 6

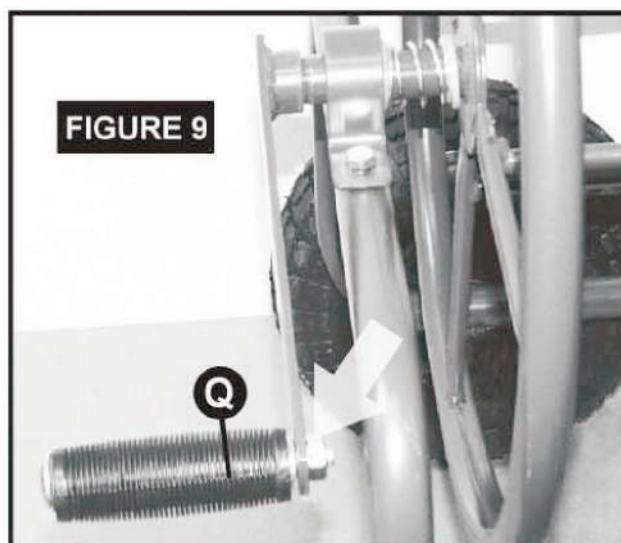


7. Using the 40mm/7.5mm diameter bolts (M), insert them through the U-bushing (J) and through the holes on the handle side of the frame. Attach lock nuts (N). Figure 7

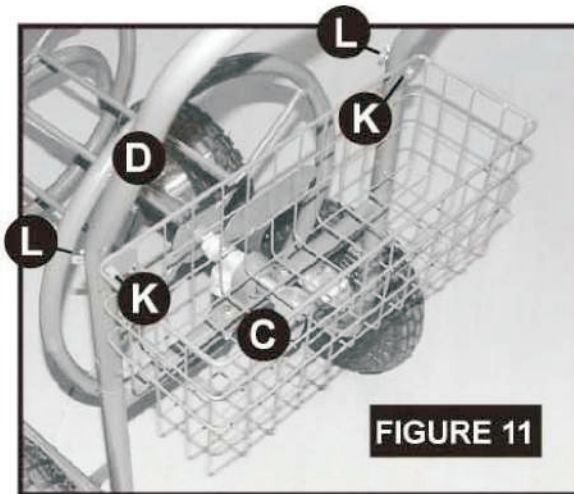
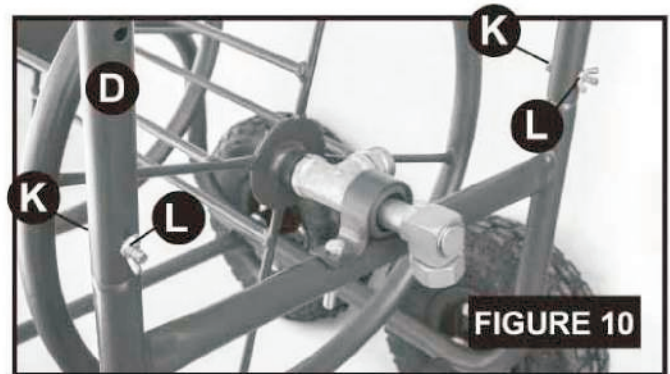


8. Using a wrench, attach the other U-bushing (J) on the water supply side using the 40mm/7.5mm diameter bolts (M) and lock nuts (N). Make sure the U-bushings are oriented over the holes on the frame. You may have to compress the spring to get the spool aligned properly. See Figure 8.

9. Attach rubber handle (Q) to crank handle using handle bolt and nut. Tighten securely. See Figure 9

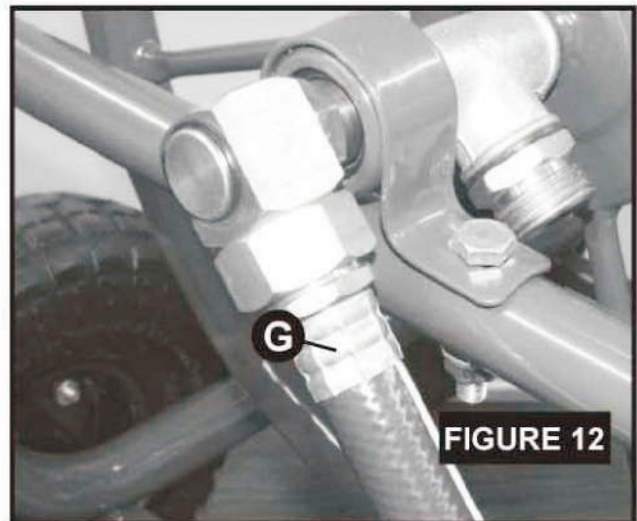


10. Slide U-Handle (D) over the frame extensions and align the holes. Insert two 40mm/5.5mm diameter Bolts (K) through handle holes and attach with wing nuts (L) See Figure 10



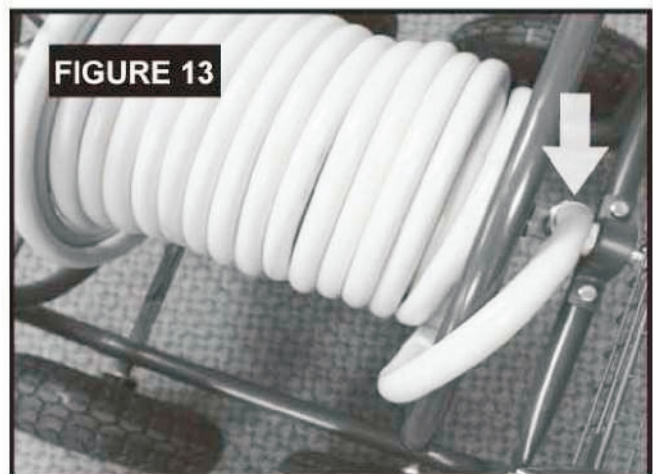
11. Attach basket (C) using two 40mm/5.5mm diameter bolts (K) fasten with wing nuts (L) to the U-Handle (D). See Figure 11

12. Attach the Leader Hose (G) to the end of swivel. **DO NOT OVERTIGHTEN.** See Figure 12



13. Attaching Your Garden Hose:

The 871-L is designed to hold up to 250' of 5/8" garden hose. Attach your hose to the brass adapter (on the galvanized tee). Loop the hose over the spool end (as shown) to avoid kinking. See Figure 13



Your Model 871-L hose cart is now ready to use. Attach the end of the leader hose to your water supply.

CURING A LEAKING SWIVEL

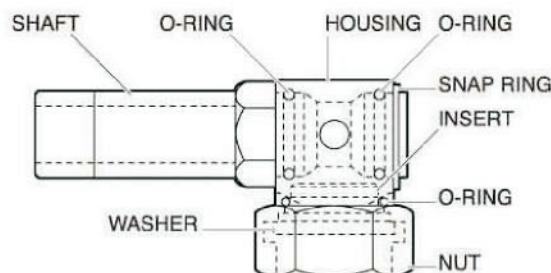
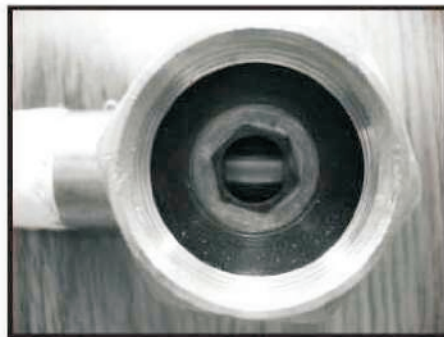
Problem:

Your new hose reel cart is leaking at the swivel.

Solution:

It is normal for the swivel to leak slightly until the O-rings are wet and have seated. If the leaking continues. This is a simple problem and is easily fixed by a simple procedure.

1. If the leader hose is attached to the swivel, unscrew the hose and look inside the swivel.
2. Using either a hex key or a large screw driver, insert the tool into the hex opening and gently tighten the threaded insert. **DO NOT OVERTIGHTEN!**
3. This should stop the leaking.
4. If the unit still leaks, please check that the hose washer is inside the nut.
5. If your swivel is old, the O-rings may be worn, please contact us for a new set of O-rings.
6. If these steps do not solve your leaking problem, then contact with us.



CARE INSTRUCTIONS

Rust

Your hose reel cart will give you many seasons of reliable and functional hose storage. As with any steel product, there is always the chance for rust developing over time. Your hose reel's finish is designed for industrial applications, but even the toughest of coatings can be compromised by scratches. Such minor surface damage can occur in shipping despite our best efforts. We have found that most scratches occur during assembly and/or installation. If the base metal is exposed to the elements long enough, rust will develop. We recommend that you periodically inspect your reel for any surface damage.

Scratches can easily be repaired by using standard automotive touch-up body paint. Some of our most loyal customers recommend that at the end of each season, the unit be cleaned and painted with a clear acrylic paint. Two other sources of rust acceleration is exposing the reel to yard fertilizers or leaving your hose reel standing in grass. Be sure to rinse off your hose reel cart after it comes in contact with freshly fertilized grass. Also, try to park your hose reel on solid ground. Leaving it standing on top of vegetation promotes condensation on the undercarriage of the unit.

Leaks

Your hose reel cart is manufactured with the finest quality components available. All components are manufactured to rigorous quality standards not common in other consumer grade hose reels available today. When you install your hose reel, be sure the hose washers are in place and all fittings are secure.

DO NOT OVERTIGHTEN as you might damage the components. If you live in more temperate climates, be sure to drain the unit of any residual water before storing. **DO NOT EXPOSE THE UNIT TO FREEZING TEMPERATURES** while water remains in the plumbing system.

Troubleshooting Guide

Problem: Swivel head is not rotating, causing the leader hose to kink up.

Solution: Remove leader hose and turn the square head of the swivel several times; apply lubricant.

Problem: Leaking Fixtures (galvanized tee, brass coupling, swivel)

Solution: Apply Teflon/Plumber's Tape or/and make sure fixtures are tightened.

TIPS

- **DO NOT** use a compressor while inflating the tires; hand pump only. 15 PSI maximum.
- To help delay rust, check for any scratches on your hose cart. Apply clear acrylic/weatherproof paint to avoid rusting.
- Drain water before storing.
- **DO NOT** drink water from the hose.
- **DO NOT** leave water running though the reel while not in-use or unsupervised.
- Turn off water after each use.

WARRANTY & CARE

Our guarantee is as functional and straight forward as our products. Since we design and build our products to provide you with many years of satisfaction, all products are guaranteed against defects in materials and workmanship. In the unlikely event that a problem arises as a result of a defect in our materials or workmanship, we will promptly repair or replace the item at our expense. All we require is that you contact us first and we'll take it from there. It is important to note that our guarantee is not an unconditional guarantee for the life of the product. water hose storage solutions are made from the finest materials available under our exacting manufacturing standards. But, like any other product, this item is not indestructible. Therefore, our guarantee does not cover:

- Product damage that is a result of abuse, misuse, or mishandling. (Exposing the unit to freezing temperatures with water remaining in the reel plumbing system voids the unit warranty).
- Rust. Despite the industrial quality coating and our best efforts, steel will rust over time.
- Incidental damage or consequential damages or injury to persons or to other property not purchased from us due to the use of our product.
- **DO NOT** consume water from garden hose; not fit for human consumption.

If there is damage to the product that occurred as a result of shipping, you should file a damage claim with the carrier.

- **DO NOT** leave water running though the reel while not in use or unsupervised.

As with any product, it should be expected that component parts, particularly moving parts, seals, O-rings, wheels, hose, and connectors will wear with use and over time, and eventually may need to be replaced or refurbished. This type of normal wear and tear is naturally not covered by our guarantee, but we will always be happy to provide you with prompt, high quality service and replacement parts at a nominal cost.

This warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may also have other rights which vary from state to state. (Some states do not allow the exclusion or limitation of incidental or consequential damages, so the above limitation may not apply to you).

You will find that we apply the same standard of excellence to our customer service as we do to our products.

Warning! This product contains one or more chemicals known to the state of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm. Wash hands after handling.