Guide to Assembly & Usage

Mecalux Longspan Garment Racking



Information

If in doubt, contact the supplier



Read this guide thoroughly before commencing assembly and retain for future reference



Before commencing assembly, unpack carefully and check that all components ordered are included



Assembly should be undertaken by a minimum of two competent people



Tools – Large rubber mallet, metal hammer, drill & 12mm drill bit, 17mm socket



Assess for floor fixing. Tall narrow bays may require this to ensure stability



We recommend products over 2000mm high are fixed to the wall where possible



Caution

During assembly, ensure to:



Take care during assembly and in use, particularly when lifting or stretching & when using tools



Wear appropriate safety clothing – protective gloves and footwear are recommended



Build on a suitable level floor, which is strong enough to support the load and allow adequate working space



Dispose of packaging materials responsibly



Warning

Rules for the safe use of Shelving:



Ensure these instructions are retained for reference & that users are aware of the rules for safe use



Never climb on the structure or stand on the Shelves



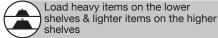
Do not lean or support ladders, steps, or other objects against Shelving



Always use safety steps to reach high shelves



Do not use in damp or wet conditions



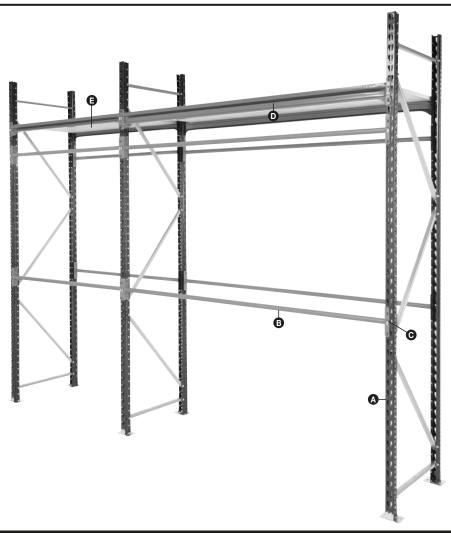
This product is designed for hand loading only



Ensure that the maximum load carrying capacities are not exceeded



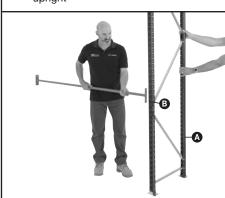
Please refer to the loading information supplied for details



Component	Quantity
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♠ Assembled Frame	2 per starter bay, 1 per extension bay
Garment Rail	 2 per level
Beam Safety Clip	2 per beam
Shelf Beam (optional)	2 per level
Chipboard Deck (optional)	Less than 1900mm wide: 1 per level 1900mm wide or greater: 2 per level
Chipboard Clamp (optional)	2 per chipboard deck
Levelling Plate	1 per foot
Floor Fixing	1 per foot

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Position first frame and locate garment rail into holes on frame upright



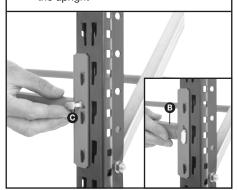
2 Using a rubber mallet, knock garment rail ® fully into place

Attach other end of garment rail into second side frame at the same level

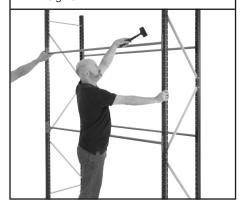
Add a second garment rail 3 to the uprights 2 at the same height and ensure rails are knocked in fully with a rubber mallet



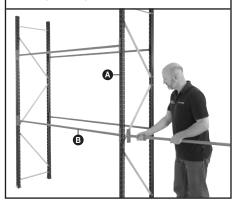
Insert safety clips **②** into the holes at each end of the rails **③** to ensure the rails cannot be removed from the upright



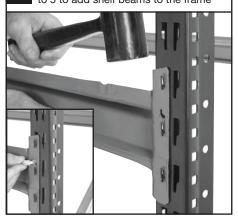
Repeat steps 1 to 5 to add the remaining rails **3** at the required heights



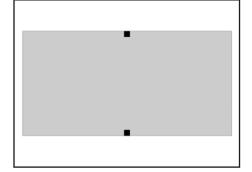
7 To extend the shelving, add garment rails 3 to the second frame 4 and repeat steps 1 to 5 to add extra rails



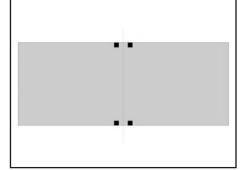
8 If adding a shelf level, repeat steps 1 to 5 to add shelf beams to the frame



9 On shelves between 1825mm wide and 1900mm wide chipboard clamps must be fitted to the centre of the chipboard, as below. Shelves less than 1825mm wide do not require chipboard clamps



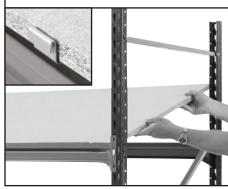
On shelves greater than 1900mm wide chipboard will come in two pieces and chipboard clamps must be fitted 50mm from the edge of each chipboard as per the image below



To install the chipboard clamps ①, using a hammer, tap the point of the clamp into the chipboard ② to secure. Repeat across all required chipboard



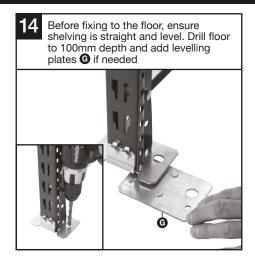
12 Insert chipboard panels into shelf beams ensuring they sit onto the top ledges and the clamps hook over the edges as below



Note: Illustrations not to scale

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When positioning bay, please note that garments will hang outside the frame



For larger configurations please contact your supplier for assistance

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Maximum permitted load capacities detailed below are based on uniformly distributed loads (UDL¹). Please note that the frame capacity may limit the maximum load per bay.

Garment rail capacity

Rail Width mm	Load capacity per rail
1200	150kg
1900	80kg

Shelf load capacities

Shelf size (w x d mm)	1200 x 600	1900 x 600
Load capacity with 22mm Chipboard decks (kg)	590kg	810kg
Load capacity with Chipboard decks & 2x Shelf Supports (kg)	590kg	810kg
Load capacity with galvanised steel shelf panels (kg)	590kg	810kg

Shelf load capacities table continued:

Shelf size (w x d mm)	1200 x 900	1900 x 900
Load capacity with 22mm Chipboard decks (kg)	200kg	300kg
Load capacity with Chipboard decks & 2x Shelf Supports (kg)	590kg	810kg
Load capacity with galvanised steel shelf panels (kg)	590kg	500kg

IF YOU ARE IN ANY DOUBT REGARDING LOAD CAPACITIES, PLEASE CONTACT YOUR SUPPLIER

 † UDL = Uniformly Distributed Load

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