

Sorrento Arbour Assembly Instructions SCA

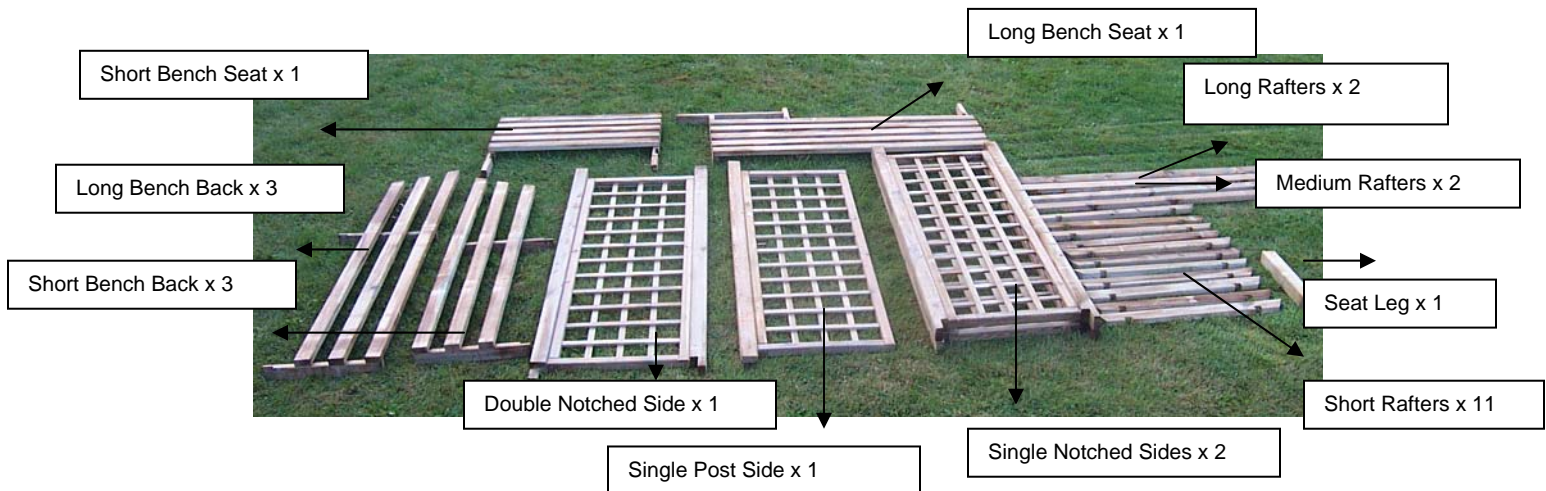


We recommend time be taken to read these instructions carefully to aid the assembly of this product.

Timber is a natural material; it will expand or shrink depending on the relative humidity surrounding it. During hot spells shrinkage may occur and result in some warping or splitting of the wood. However this will largely be reversed once cooler wetter weather returns.

To avoid any unnecessary splitting, pre-drill the holes prior to screwing. We also recommend the use of a drill extension. None of the above details have any detrimental effect on the structural quality of the building.

This is a two-person project and will take approximately half a day to complete.



1. Place the long bench seat upside down on the ground (this section has a box shaped support brace). Then using 2 x 60mm screws secure the seat leg as shown below.



2. Position the single-notched trellis side at the opposite end to the box shape. It is easier to do this on the ground. Before securing them together take care to ensure that the bench measures 470mm to the top of the rail in order that the seat will be level once constructed. Use 2 x 60mm screws to secure.

- Secure double notched side to the rear of the box section with the top of the seat support at 470mm ensuring the double notched upright is secured to the middle seat support.



- Next we need to assemble the other arbour section. Position the other single-notched trellis sides to the end of the bench. As shown above. Again secure with 2 x 60mm screws underneath the bench through the support rail and into the upright. Clearly it is important to measure 470mm from the ground to the top of the brace again in order to ensure a level seat.
- Offer the small bench unit up to the trellis corner, as shown below. Position carefully and secure with 2 x 60mm screws on each side. Ensure that the screws go into the bench support rail and the seat leg.



- Position both the bench backs into the appropriate notches. Then line the bench slats together in the corner and secure each with 1 x 60mm screw through the pre-drilled pilot holes. This is quite difficult and will definitely require strength and patience.



- Position and secure the remaining trellis panel (which has only one post) through the rebate into the post at three regular intervals with 3 x 60mm screws.



8. Now it is time to secure the whole bench section properly. Fasten the back seat supports into the posts with 1 x 60mm screw. Repeat this on each side and into each post. Ensure the back seat supports are flush with the back of the posts. Repeat this with both the top and bottom supports. Secure the angled back seat supports with 30mm screws into the bench seat supports, as shown below.



9. Position the long roof rafters into place, ensuring equal overhang. Secure with 2 x 60mm through the rafter into the upright. Repeat procedure with medium sized rafters. However, with the last medium rafter you will need to ensure it is positioned correctly by measuring 600mm between that and the other medium rafter, secure with 2 x 60mm screws. Finally position the short rafters to suit and secure through the top with 1 x 60mm screw.



Aftercare

Treat every year with wood preservative to ensure longevity.
The manufacturer reserves the right to alter specifications as necessary.

Additional Information

If you require another copy of these instructions or find that you need any additional guidance please call our Technical Help-Line on **0870 3009830**.