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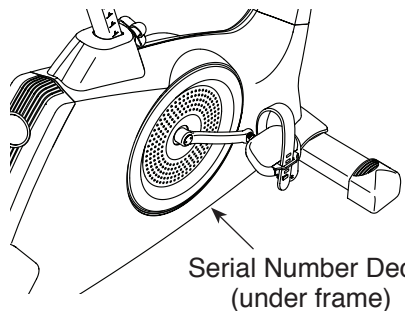
## GX 2.5

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Model No. NTEX23012.0

Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_

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## USER'S MANUAL

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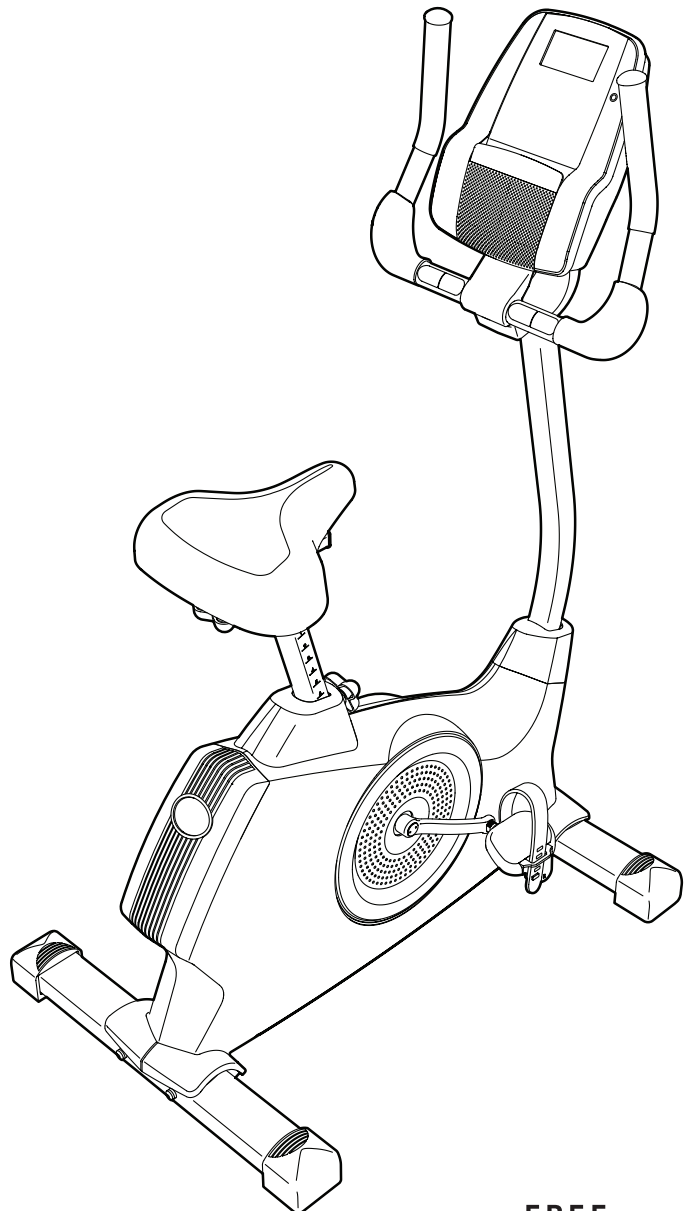
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### ⚠ CAUTION

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

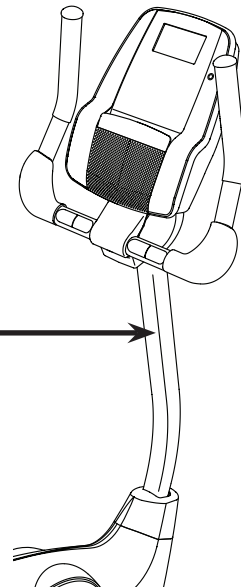
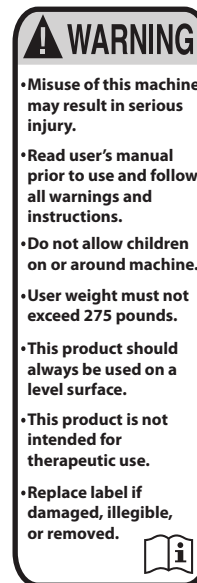


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## WARNING DECAL PLACEMENT

This drawing shows the location(s) of the warning decal(s). **If a decal is missing or illegible, see the front cover of this manual and request a free replacement decal. Apply the decal in the location shown.** Note: The decal(s) may not be shown at actual size.



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# IMPORTANT PRECAUTIONS

**⚠ WARNING:** To reduce the risk of serious injury, read all important precautions and instructions in this manual and all warnings on your exercise bike before using your exercise bike. ICON assumes no responsibility for personal injury or property damage sustained by or through the use of this product.

1. It is the responsibility of the owner to ensure that all users of the exercise bike are adequately informed of all precautions.
2. Before beginning any exercise program, consult your physician. This is especially important for persons over age 35 or persons with pre-existing health problems.
3. Use the exercise bike only as described in this manual.
4. The exercise bike is intended for home use only. Do not use the exercise bike in a commercial, rental, or institutional setting.
5. Keep the exercise bike indoors, away from moisture and dust. Do not put the exercise bike in a garage or covered patio, or near water.
6. Place the exercise bike on a level surface with at least 2 ft. (0.6 m) of clearance around the exercise bike. To protect the floor or carpet from damage, place a mat under the exercise bike.
7. Inspect and properly tighten all parts regularly. Replace any worn parts immediately.
8. Keep children under age 12 and pets away from the exercise bike at all times.
9. Wear appropriate clothes while exercising; do not wear loose clothes that could become caught on the exercise bike. Always wear athletic shoes for foot protection.
10. The exercise bike should not be used by persons weighing more than 275 lbs. (125 kg).
11. The heart rate monitor is not a medical device. Various factors, including the user's movement, may affect the accuracy of heart rate readings. The heart rate monitor is intended only as an exercise aid in determining heart rate trends in general.
12. Always keep your back straight while using the exercise bike; do not arch your back.
13. Over exercising may result in serious injury or death. If you feel faint or if you experience pain while exercising, stop immediately and cool down.

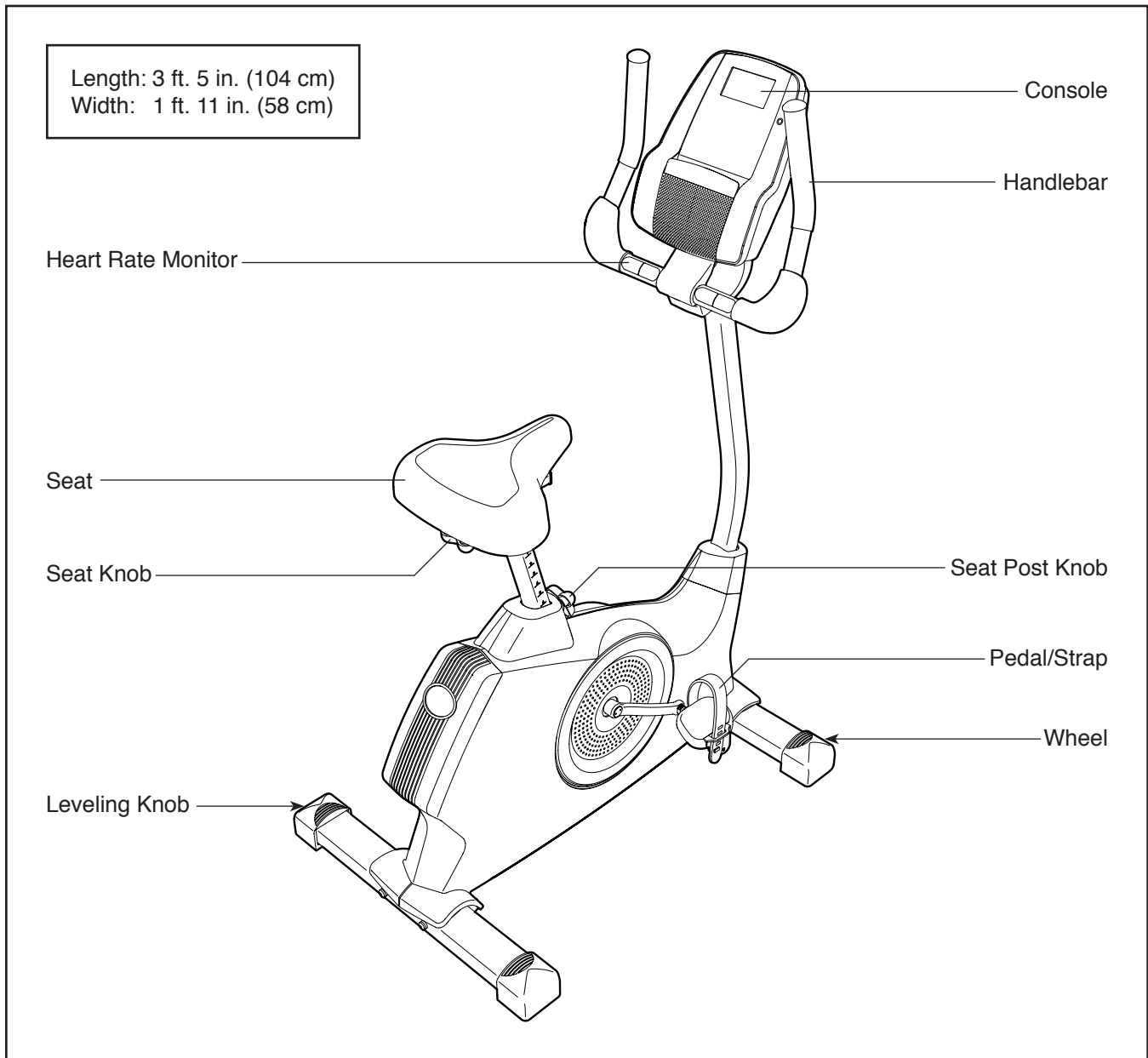
# BEFORE YOU BEGIN

Thank you for selecting the revolutionary NORDICTRACK® GX 2.5 exercise bike. Cycling is an effective exercise for increasing cardiovascular fitness, building endurance, and toning the body. The GX 2.5 exercise bike provides an impressive selection of features designed to make your workouts at home more effective and enjoyable.

**For your benefit, read this manual carefully before you use the exercise bike.** If you have questions after

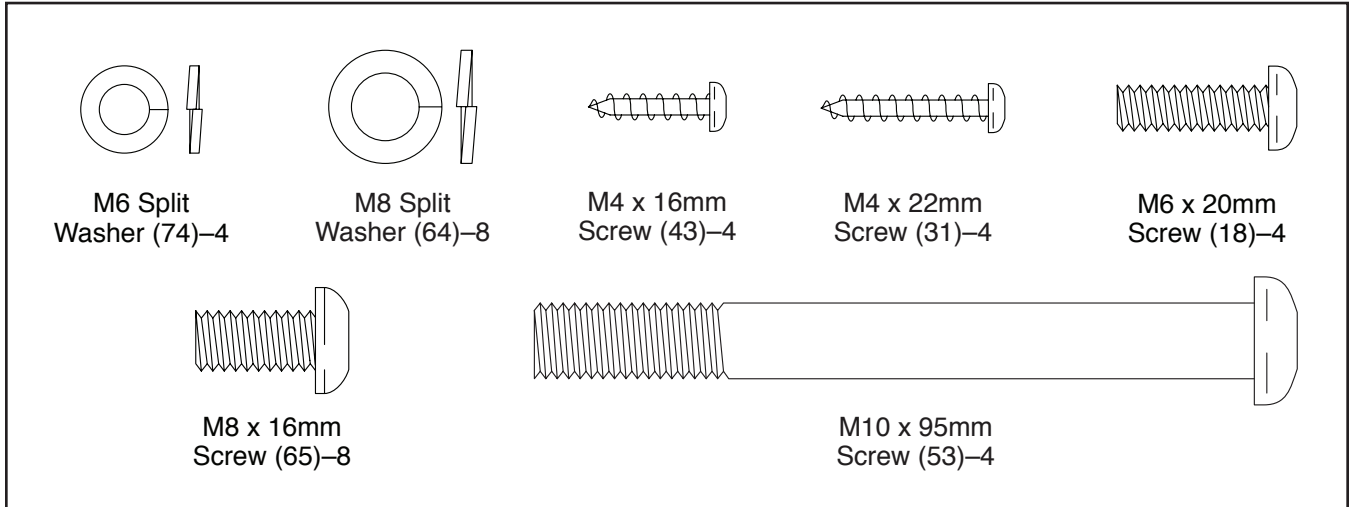
reading this manual, please see the front cover of this manual. To help us assist you, note the product model number and serial number before contacting us. The model number and the location of the serial number decal are shown on the front cover of this manual.

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



# PART IDENTIFICATION CHART

Use the drawings below to identify the small parts needed for assembly. The number in parentheses below each drawing is the key number of the part, from the PART LIST near the end of this manual. The number following the key number is the quantity needed for assembly. **Note: If a part is not in the hardware kit, check to see if it has been preassembled. Extra parts may be included.**



# ASSEMBLY

- To watch an assembly video, go to <http://productvideo.co/assembly/nordictrack> or use your mobile phone or smartphone to read the QR code at the right.



- Assembly requires two persons.
- Place all parts in a cleared area and remove the packing materials. Do not dispose of the packing materials until you finish all assembly steps.

- Left parts are marked "L" or "Left" and right parts are marked "R" or "Right."

- To identify small parts, see page 5.

- In addition to the included tool(s), assembly requires the following tools:

one Phillips screwdriver



one adjustable wrench



Assembly may be easier if you have a set of wrenches. To avoid damaging parts, do not use power tools.

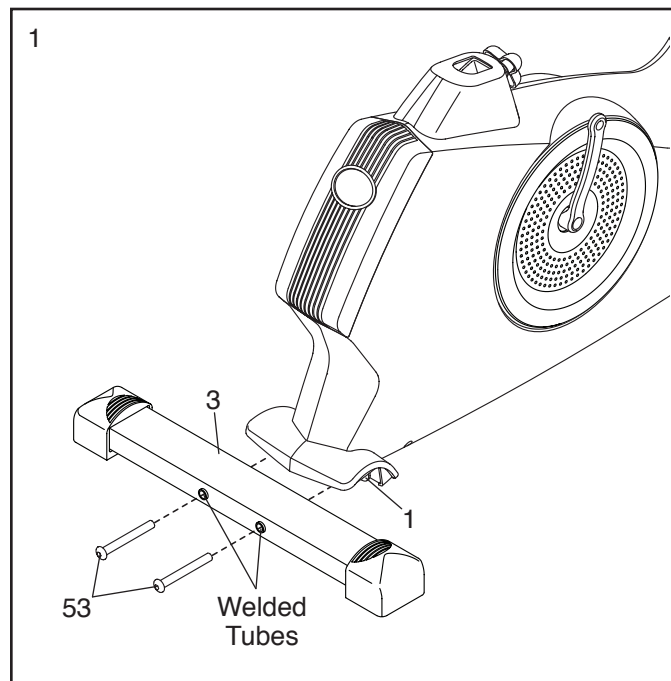
1. Set a sturdy piece of packing material under the rear of the Frame (1). **Have a second person hold the Frame to prevent it from tipping while you complete this step.**

Identify the Rear Stabilizer (3). Note: The Rear Stabilizer does not have wheels; the Front Stabilizer (not shown) does have wheels.

Orient the Rear Stabilizer (3) so that the welded tubes are facing away from the Frame (1).

Attach the Rear Stabilizer (3) to the Frame (1) with two M10 x 95mm Screws (53).

Remove the packing material.

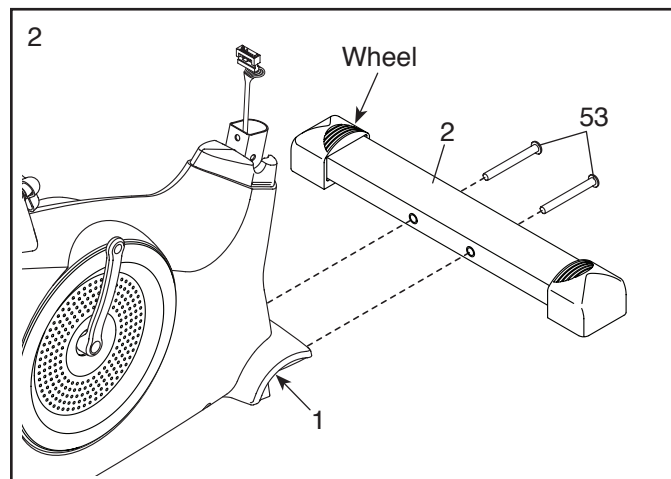


2. Set a sturdy piece of packing material under the front of the Frame (1). **Have a second person hold the Frame to prevent it from tipping while you complete this step.**

Orient the Front Stabilizer (2) so that the wheels are facing away from the Frame (1).

Attach the Front Stabilizer (2) to the Frame (1) with two M10 x 95mm Screws (53).

Remove the packing material.

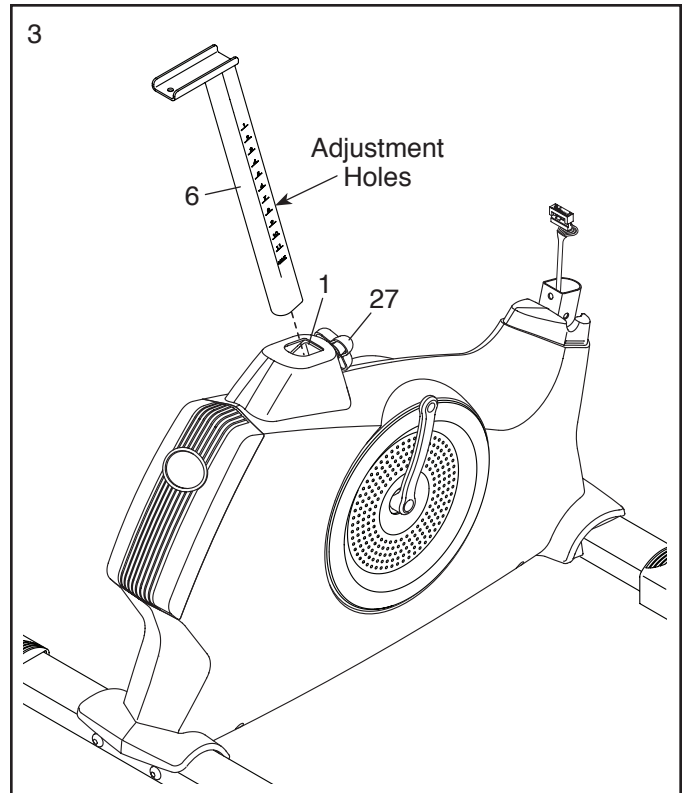


3. Loosen the Seat Post Knob (27) in the Frame (1) a few turns.

Orient the Seat Post (6) as shown. Then, insert the Seat Post into the Frame (1).

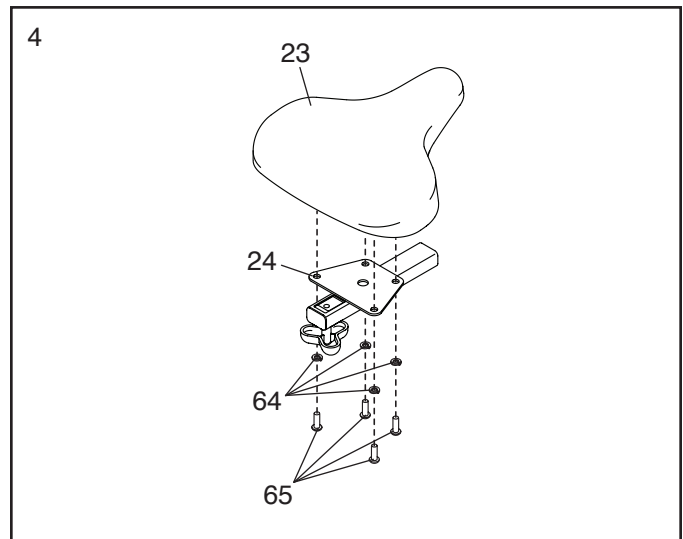
Slide the Seat Post (6) upward or downward to the desired position, and tighten the Seat Post Knob (27) into an adjustment hole in the Seat Post.

**Move the Seat Post (6) upward or downward slightly to make sure that the Seat Post Knob (27) is engaged in one of the adjustment holes in the Seat Post.**



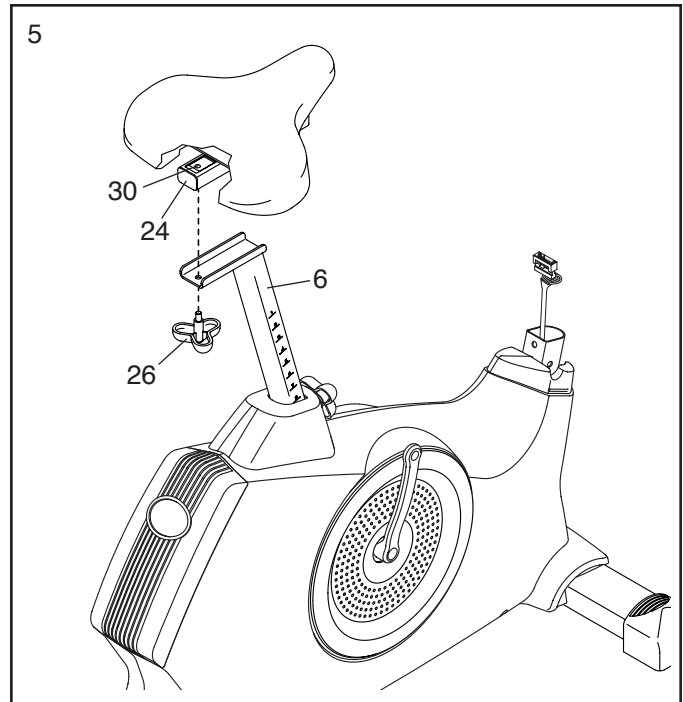
4. Orient the Seat (23) and the Seat Carriage (24) as shown.

Attach the Seat (23) to the Seat Carriage (24) with four M8 x 16mm Screws (65) and four M8 Split Washers (64).



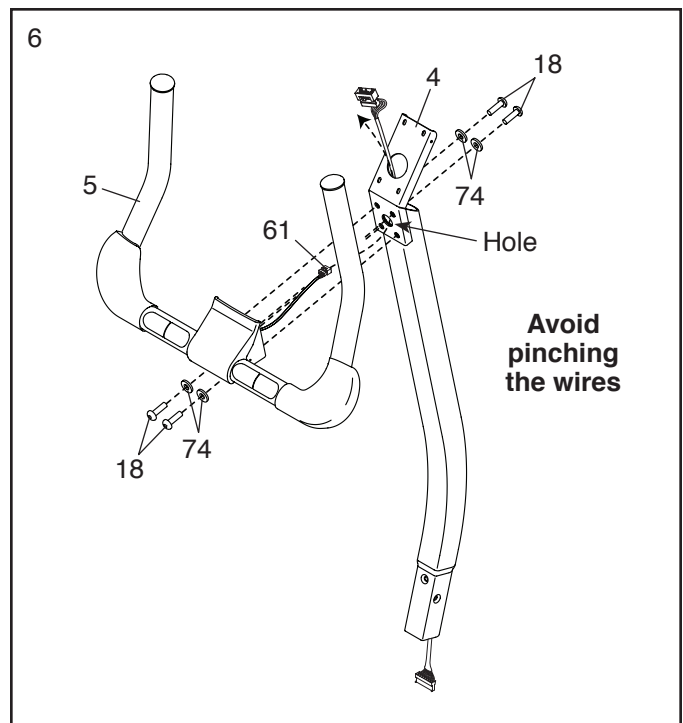
- Remove the Seat Knob (26) from the Seat Carriage (24). Hold the Seat Bracket (30) inside the Seat Carriage to prevent it from moving.

Next, set the Seat Carriage (24) on the Seat Post (6). Insert the Seat Knob (26) upward into the Seat Post, and tighten the Seat Knob into the Seat Bracket (30) inside the Seat Carriage.



- While a second person holds the Handlebar (5) near the Upright (4), insert the Pulse Wire (61) into the hole in the Upright and pull it out of the top of the Upright.

**Tip: Avoid pinching the wires.** Attach the Handlebar (5) to the Upright (4) with four M6 x 20mm Screws (18) and four M6 Split Washers (74).

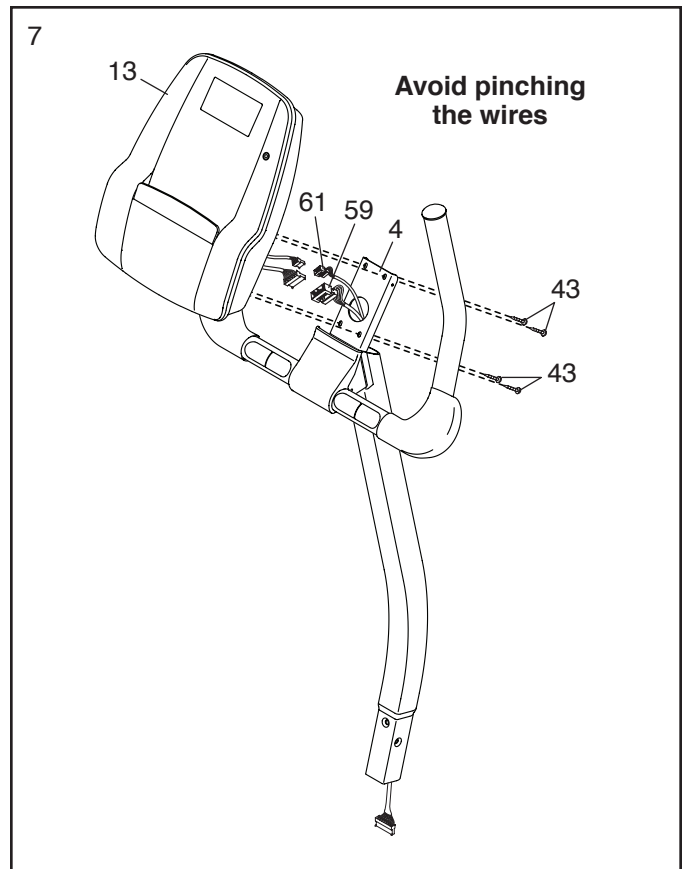




7. While a second person holds the Console (13) near the Upright (4), connect the console wires to the Extension Wire (59) and to the Pulse Wire (61).

Insert the excess wire into the Upright (4) or into the Console (13).

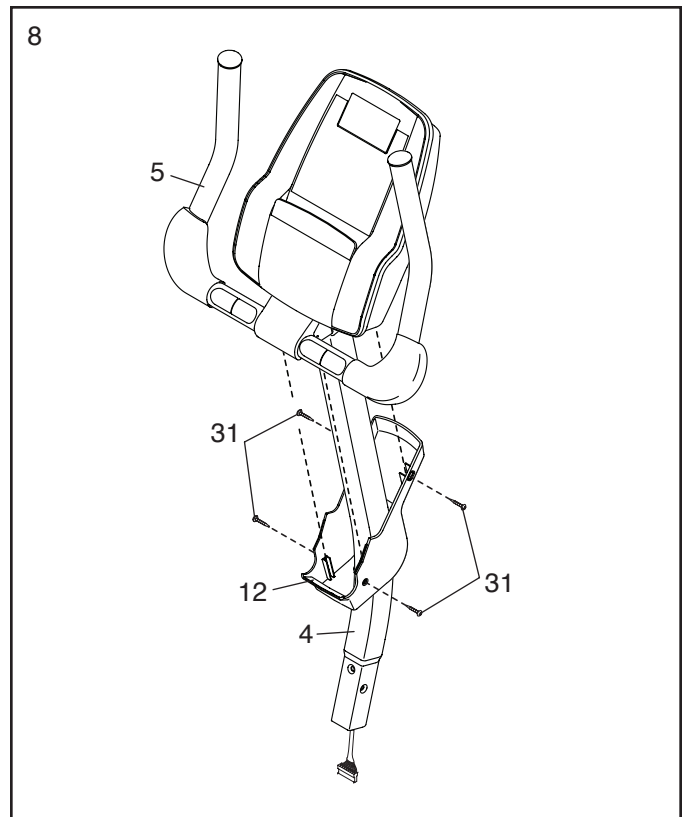
**Tip: Avoid pinching the wires.** Attach the Console (13) to the Upright (4) with four M4 x 16mm Screws (43).



8. Orient the Upright (4) assembly and the Pivot Cover (12) as shown.

Slide the Pivot Cover (12) upward to the Handlebar (5). **Tip: Bend and flex the Pivot Cover slightly to slide it over the Handlebar.**

Attach the Pivot Cover (12) to the Handlebar (5) with four M4 x 22mm Screws (31).



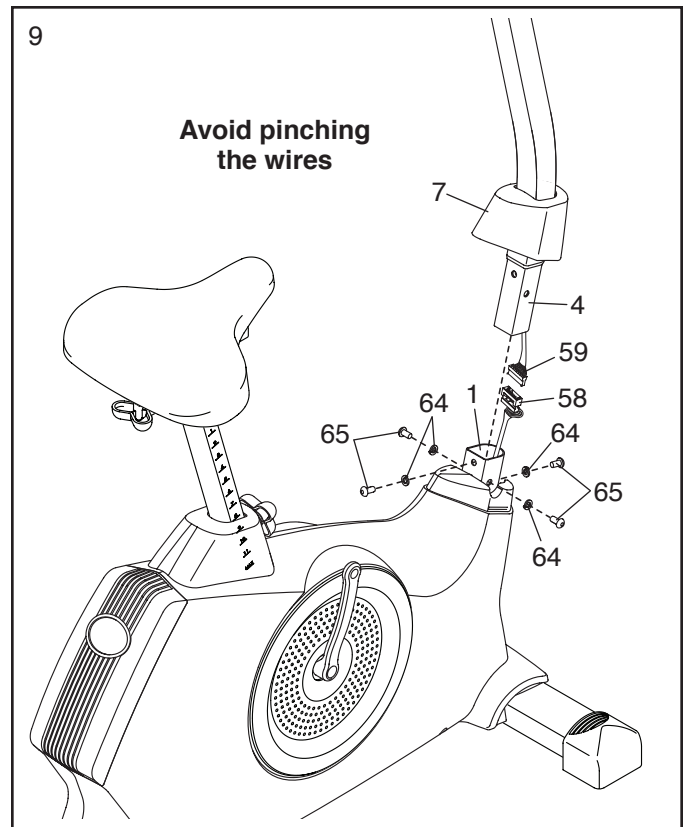
9. Slide the Front Shield Cover (7) upward onto the Upright (4).

While a second person holds the Upright (4) near the Frame (1), connect the Extension Wire (59) to the Main Wire (58).

Insert the Upright (4) into the Frame (1).

**Tip: Avoid pinching the wires.** Attach the Upright (4) with four M8 x 16mm Screws (65) and four M8 Split Washers (64).

Slide the Front Shield Cover (7) downward to the Frame (1) and press it into place.

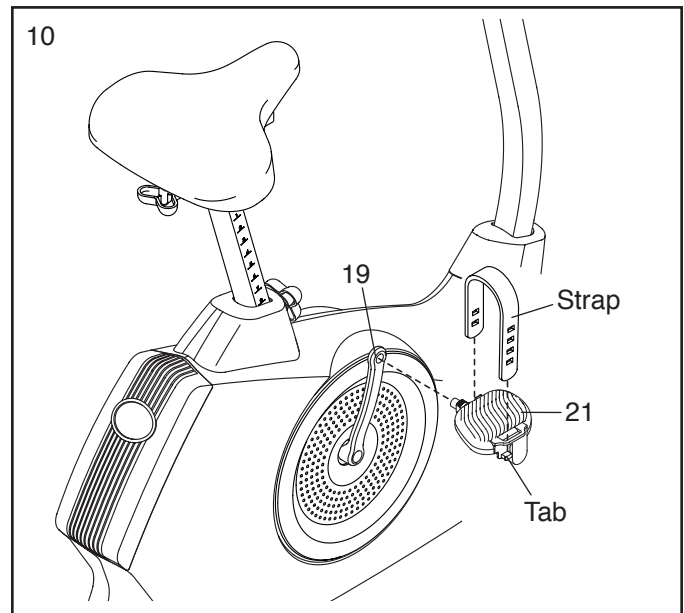


10. Identify the Right Pedal (21).

Using an adjustable wrench, **firmly tighten** the Right Pedal (21) **clockwise** into the Right Crank Arm (19).

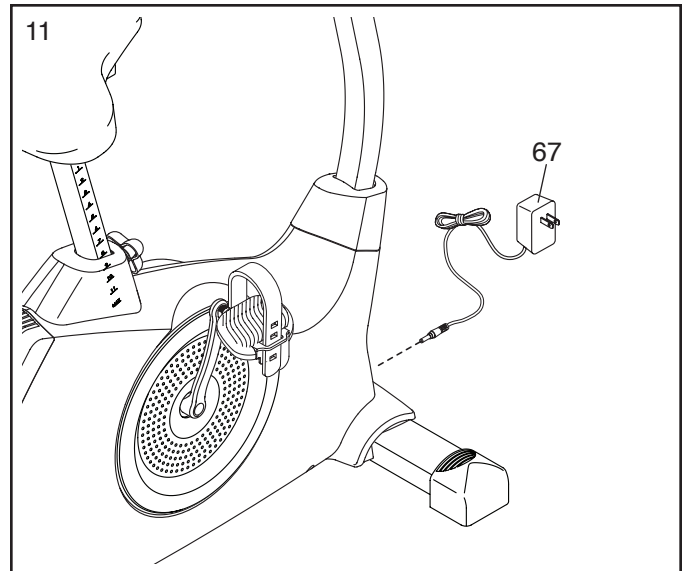
Tighten the Left Pedal (not shown) **counter-clockwise** into the Left Crank Arm (not shown).

Adjust the strap on the Right Pedal (21) to the desired position, and press the ends of the straps onto the tabs on the Right Pedal. **Adjust the strap on the Left Pedal (not shown) in the same way.**



11. Plug the Power Adapter (67) into the receptacle on the frame of the exercise bike.

Note: To plug the Power Adapter (67) into an outlet, see HOW TO PLUG IN THE POWER ADAPTER on page 12.



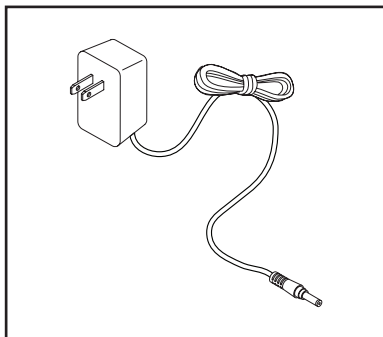
12. **Make sure that all parts are properly tightened before you use the exercise bike.** Note: Extra parts may be included. Place a mat under the exercise bike to protect the floor or carpet.

# HOW TO USE THE EXERCISE BIKE

## HOW TO PLUG IN THE POWER ADAPTER

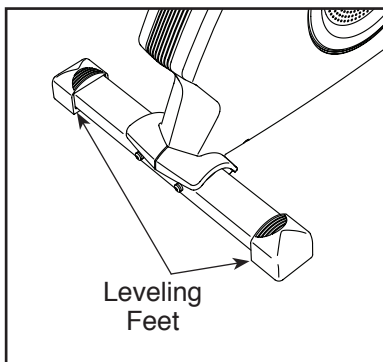
**IMPORTANT:** If the exercise bike has been exposed to cold temperatures, allow it to warm to room temperature before you plug in the power adapter. If you do not do this, you may damage the console displays or other electronic components.

Plug the power adapter into the receptacle on the frame of the exercise bike. Then, plug the power adapter into an appropriate outlet that is properly installed in accordance with all local codes and ordinances.



## HOW TO LEVEL THE EXERCISE BIKE

If the exercise bike rocks slightly on your floor during use, turn one or both of the leveling feet on the rear stabilizer until the rocking motion is eliminated.

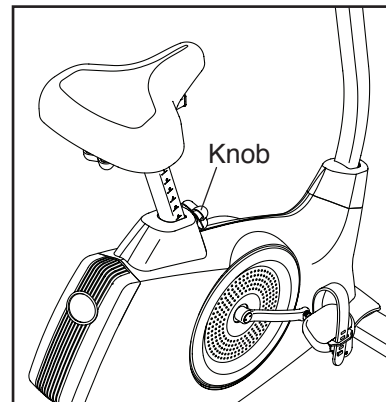


## HOW TO ADJUST THE HEIGHT OF THE SEAT

For effective exercise, the seat should be at the proper height. As you pedal, there should be a slight bend in your knees when the pedals are in the lowest position.

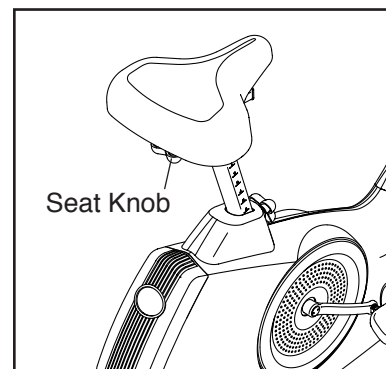
To adjust the seat, first loosen the seat post knob a few turns. Next, slide the seat post upward or downward to the desired position, and then tighten the knob into an adjustment hole in the seat post.

**Move the seat post upward or downward slightly to make sure that the knob is engaged in one of the adjustment holes in the seat post.**



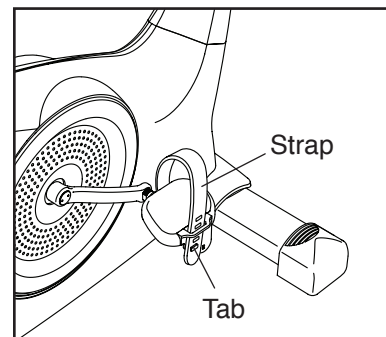
## HOW TO ADJUST THE HORIZONTAL POSITION OF THE SEAT

To adjust the horizontal position of the seat, first loosen the seat knob a few turns. Then, move the seat forward or backward to the desired position, and firmly tighten the knob.

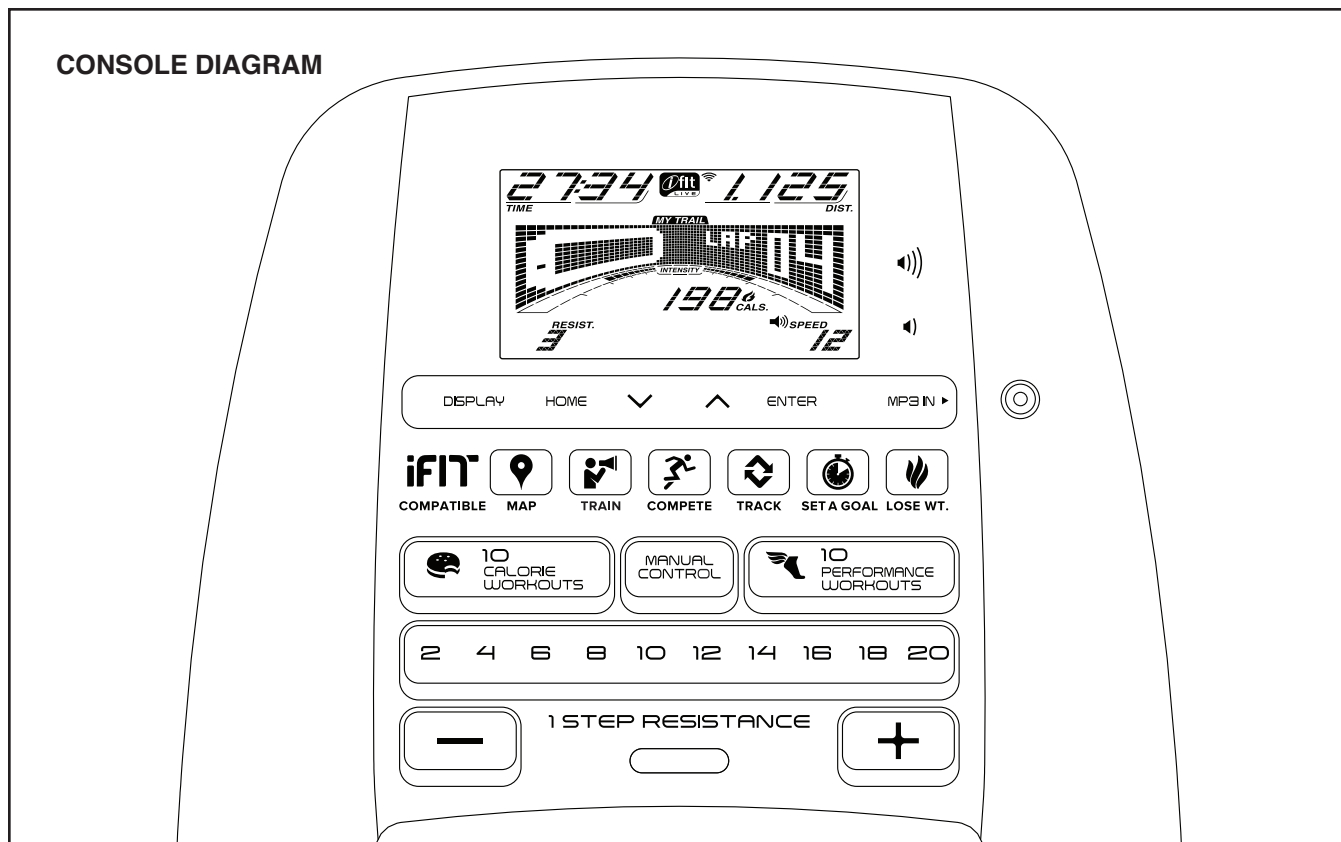


## HOW TO ADJUST THE PEDAL STRAPS

To adjust the pedal straps, first pull the ends of the straps off the tabs on the pedals. Then, adjust the straps to the desired position, and press the ends of the straps onto the tabs.



## CONSOLE DIAGRAM



### FEATURES OF THE CONSOLE

The advanced console offers an array of features designed to make your workouts more effective and enjoyable.

When you use the manual mode of the console, you can change the resistance of the pedals with the touch of a button. While you exercise, the console will display continuous exercise feedback. You can also measure your heart rate using the handgrip heart rate monitor.

The console offers twenty onboard workouts—ten calorie workouts and ten performance workouts. Each workout automatically changes the resistance of the pedals as it guides you through an effective workout. You can also set a calorie, distance, or time goal.

The console also features an iFit Live mode that enables the console to communicate with your wireless network through an optional iFit Live module.

With the iFit Live mode, you can download personalized workouts, create your own workouts, track your workout results, race against other iFit Live users, and access many other features. **To purchase an iFit Live module at any time, go to [www.iFit.com](http://www.iFit.com) or call the telephone number on the front cover of this manual.**

You can even connect your MP3 player or CD player to the console sound system and listen to your favorite music or audio books while you exercise.

**To use the manual mode**, see page 14. **To use the sound system**, see page 15. **To use an onboard workout**, see page 16. **To use a set-a-goal workout**, see page 17. **To use an iFit Live workout**, see page 18. **To change console settings**, see page 20.

Note: If there is a sheet of plastic on the display, remove the plastic.

## HOW TO USE THE MANUAL MODE

### 1. Begin pedaling or press any button on the console to turn on the console.

When you turn on the console, the display will turn on. The console will then be ready for use.

### 2. Select the manual mode.

Press the Manual Control button on the console to select the manual mode.

If a wireless iFit Live module is not inserted into the console and connected to iFit Live, the manual mode will be selected automatically.

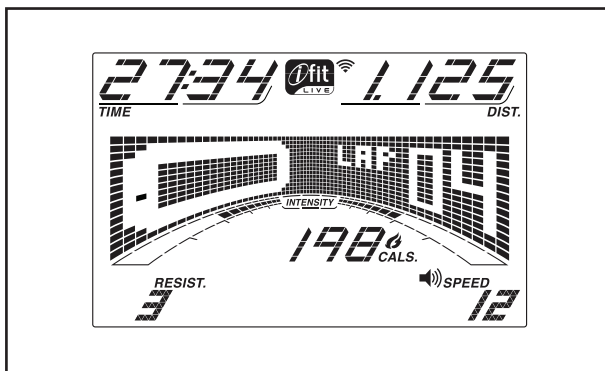
### 3. Change the resistance of the pedals as desired.

As you pedal, change the resistance of the pedals by pressing the 1 Step Resistance increase and decrease buttons.

Note: After you press a button, it will take a moment for the pedals to reach the selected resistance level.

### 4. Follow your progress with the display.

The display can show the following workout information:



**Calories (Cals.)**—This display mode will show the approximate number of calories you have burned.

**Calories per Hour (Cals./Hr)**—This display mode will show the approximate number of calories you are burning per hour.

**Distance (Dist.)**—This display mode will show the distance that you have pedaled in miles or kilometers.

**Pulse**—This display mode will show your heart rate when you use the handgrip heart rate monitor (see step 5).

**Resistance (Resist.)**—This display mode will show the resistance level of the pedals for a few seconds each time the resistance level changes.

**Speed**—This display mode will show your pedaling speed in miles per hour or kilometers per hour.

**Time**—When the manual mode is selected, this display mode will show the elapsed time. When a workout is selected, this display mode will show the time remaining in the workout.

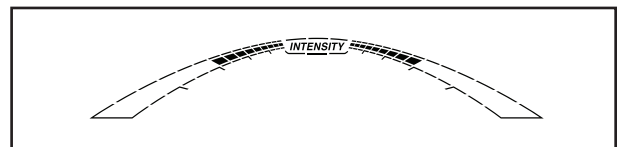
The matrix offers several display tabs. Press the Display button until the desired tab is shown. You can also press the increase and decrease buttons next to the Enter button.

**Speed**—This tab will show a profile of the speed settings of the workout. A new segment will appear at the end of each minute.

**My Trail**—This tab will show a track that represents 1/4 mile (400 m). As you exercise, the flashing rectangle will show your progress. The My Trail tab will also show the number of laps you complete.

**Calorie**—This tab will show the approximate amount of calories you have burned. The height of each segment represents the amount of calories burned during that segment.

As you exercise, the workout intensity level bar will indicate the approximate intensity level of your exercise.



Press the Home button to return to the default menu (see HOW TO CHANGE CONSOLE SETTINGS on page 20 to set the default menu). If necessary, press the Home button again.

When a wireless iFit Live module is connected, the wireless symbol at the top of the display will show the strength of your wireless signal. Four arcs indicate full signal strength.



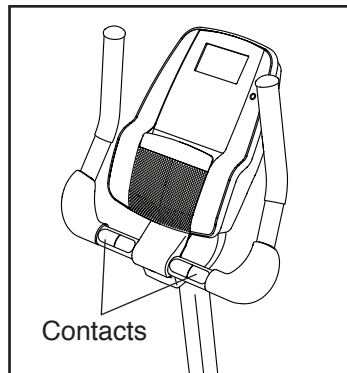
To exit the manual mode or a workout, press the Home button. If necessary, press the Home button again.

Change the volume level of the console by pressing the volume increase and decrease buttons.



## 5. Measure your heart rate if desired.

**If there are sheets of plastic on the metal contacts on the handgrip heart rate monitor, remove the plastic.** To measure your heart rate, hold the handgrip heart rate monitor with your palms resting against the contacts. **Avoid moving your hands or gripping the contacts tightly.**



When your pulse is detected, a heart symbol in the calorie display will flash each time your heart beats, one or two dashes will appear, and then your heart rate will be shown. **For the most accurate heart rate reading, hold the contacts for at least 15 seconds.**

If the display does not show your heart rate, make sure that your hands are positioned as described. Be careful not to move your hands excessively or to squeeze the contacts tightly. For optimal performance, clean the contacts using a soft cloth; **never use alcohol, abrasives, or chemicals to clean the contacts.**

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

If the pedals do not move for several seconds, a tone will sound, the console will pause, and the time will flash in the display. To resume your workout, simply resume pedaling.

If the pedals do not move for several minutes and the buttons are not pressed, the console will turn off and the display will be reset.

## HOW TO USE THE SOUND SYSTEM

To play music or audio books through the console sound system while you exercise, plug your audio cable into the jack on the console and into a jack on your MP3 player or CD player; **make sure that your audio cable is fully plugged in.**

Next, press the play button on your MP3 player or CD player. Adjust the volume level using the volume increase and decrease buttons on the console or the volume control on your MP3 player or CD player.

## HOW TO USE AN ONBOARD WORKOUT

### 1. Begin pedaling or press any button on the console to turn on the console.

When you turn on the console, the display will turn on. The console will then be ready for use.

### 2. Select an onboard workout.

To select an onboard workout, press the 10 Calorie Workouts button or the 10 Performance Workouts button repeatedly until the desired workout appears in the display.

When you select an onboard workout, the display will show the duration of the workout and the name of the workout. A profile of the speed settings of the workout will appear in the matrix.

The maximum resistance level and the maximum speed for the workout will also appear in the display.

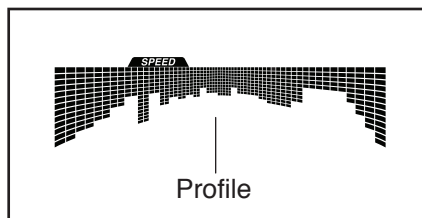
### 3. Begin pedaling to start the workout.

Each workout is divided into one-minute segments. One resistance level and one target speed is programmed for each segment. Note: The same resistance level and/or target speed may be programmed for consecutive segments.

During the workout, the profile on the speed tab will show your progress.

The flashing segment of the profile represents the current segment of the workout. The height of the flashing segment indicates the target speed for the current segment.

At the end of each segment of the workout, a series of tones will sound and the next segment of



the profile will begin to flash. If a different resistance level and/or target speed is programmed for the next segment, the resistance level and/or target speed will appear in the display for a few seconds to alert you. The resistance of the pedals will then change.

As you exercise, you will be prompted to keep your pedaling speed near the target speed for the current segment. **When an upward-pointing arrow appears in the display**, increase your pace. **When a downward-pointing arrow appears**, decrease your pace. **When no arrow appears**, maintain your current pace.

**IMPORTANT: The target speed is intended only to provide motivation. Your actual pedaling speed may be slower than the target speed. Make sure to pedal at a speed that is comfortable for you.**

If the resistance level for the current segment is too high or too low, you can manually override the setting by pressing the 1 Step Resistance buttons. **IMPORTANT: When the current segment of the workout ends, the pedals will automatically adjust to the resistance level programmed for the next segment.**

The workout will continue in this way until the last segment ends. To stop the workout at any time, stop pedaling. The time will flash in the display. To resume the workout, simply resume pedaling.

### 4. Follow your progress with the display.

See step 4 on page 14.

### 5. Measure your heart rate if desired.

See step 5 on page 15.

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

See step 6 on page 15.



## HOW TO USE A SET-A-GOAL WORKOUT

### 1. Begin pedaling or press any button on the console to turn on the console.

When you turn on the console, the display will turn on. The console will then be ready for use.

### 2. Set a calorie, distance, or time goal.

To set a calorie, distance, or time goal, first press the Set A Goal button.

Next, press the increase and decrease buttons next to the Enter button until the name of the desired goal appears in the display. Then, press the Enter button.

Then, press the increase and decrease buttons next to the Enter button to set the desired goal.

### 3. Begin pedaling to start the workout.

Each workout is divided into one-minute segments. The target speed for the current segment will appear in the display at the beginning of each segment.

As you exercise, keep your pedaling speed near the target speed. **IMPORTANT: The target speed is intended only to provide motivation. Your actual pedaling speed may be slower than the target speed. Make sure to pedal at a speed that is comfortable for you.**

You can manually change the resistance of the pedals as desired during the workout by pressing the 1 Step Resistance buttons.

Note: If you manually change the resistance during a calorie goal workout, the length of the workout will adjust automatically to ensure that you meet your calorie goal.

**Note: The calorie goal is an estimate of the number of calories that you will burn during the workout. The actual number of calories that you burn will depend on various factors such as your weight. In addition, if you manually change the resistance during the workout, the number of calories you burn will be affected.**

The workout will continue in this way until the calorie, distance, or time goal is reached. To pause the workout, stop pedaling. The time will pause in the display. To resume the workout, simply resume pedaling.

### 4. Follow your progress with the display.

As you exercise, the calories, time, or distance display will count down until the desired goal is reached.

See step 4 on page 14.

### 5. Measure your heart rate if desired.

See step 5 on page 15.

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

See step 6 on page 15.

## HOW TO USE AN IFIT LIVE WORKOUT

### 1. Begin pedaling or press any button on the console to turn on the console.

When you turn on the console, the display will turn on. The console will then be ready for use.

### 2. Insert the iFit Live module into the console.

To use an iFit Live workout, insert the iFit Live module into the console. **To purchase an iFit Live module at any time, go to [www.iFit.com](http://www.iFit.com) or see the front cover of this manual.** You must have an iFit Live module to use an iFit Live workout.

Note: To use an iFit Live module, you must have access to a computer with an internet connection and a USB port. You will also need an iFit Live membership. To use a wireless iFit Live module, you must also have your own wireless network including an 802.11b router with SSID broadcast enabled (hidden networks are not supported).

After you insert the iFit Live module into the console, press the Home button. The iFit Live main screen will appear in the display.

### 3. Select a user.

If more than one user is registered on your iFit Live account, you can switch users in the iFit Live main screen. Press the increase and decrease buttons next to the Enter button to select a user.

### 4. Select an iFit Live workout.

To select an iFit Live workout, press one of the iFit Live buttons. Before some workouts will download, you must add them to your schedule on [www.iFit.com](http://www.iFit.com).

Press the Map button, the Train button, or the Lose Wt. button to download the next workout of that type in your schedule.

Press the Compete button to compete in a race that you have previously scheduled.

Press the Track button to re-run a recent iFit Live workout from your schedule. Next, press the increase and decrease buttons to select the desired workout. Then, press the Enter button to start the workout.

**For more information on the iFit Live workouts, please see [www.iFit.com](http://www.iFit.com).**

When you select an iFit Live workout, the display will show the duration of the workout and the approximate number of calories you will burn. The display may also show the name of the workout. If you select a competition workout, the display may count down to the beginning of the race.

Note: The iFit Live buttons may also run demo workouts. To use the demo workouts, remove the iFit Live module from the console and press one of the iFit Live buttons.

### 5. Start the workout.

See step 3 on page 16.

During some workouts, the voice of a personal trainer will guide you through your workout. You can select an audio setting for your personal trainer (see HOW TO CHANGE CONSOLE SETTINGS on page 20).

To stop the workout at any time, stop pedaling. The time will flash in the display. To resume the workout, simply resume pedaling.

**6. Follow your progress with the display.**

See step 4 on page 14.

The My Trail tab will show a map of the trail you are walking or running or it will show a track and the number of laps you complete.

During a competition workout, the Compete tab will show your progress in the race. As you race, the top line in the matrix will show how much of the race you have completed. The other lines will show other competitors. The end of the matrix represents the end of the race.

**7. Measure your heart rate if desired.**

See step 5 on page 15.

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

See step 6 on page 15.

**For more information on the iFit Live mode, go to [www.iFit.com](http://www.iFit.com).**

**IMPORTANT: To satisfy exposure compliance requirements, the antenna and transmitter in the iFit Live module must be at least 8 in. (20 cm) from all persons and must not be near or connected to any other antenna or transmitter.**

## HOW TO CHANGE CONSOLE SETTINGS

The console features a user mode that allows you to view usage information, select a unit of measurement, and adjust the contrast level of the display.

When an iFit Live module is connected to the console, you can also use the information mode to choose an audio setting for the voice of the personal trainer, set a default menu, check the status of the iFit Live module, and check for downloads.

### 1. Select the information mode.

To select the information mode, press and hold down the Display button for a few seconds until the information mode appears in the display.

### 2. View usage information.

The display will show the total number of hours that the exercise bike has been used. The display will also show the total distance (in miles or kilometers) that has been pedaled on the exercise bike.

### 3. Select a unit of measurement if desired.

The word ENGLISH for English miles or the word METRIC for metric kilometers will appear in the display to indicate the currently selected unit of measurement.

To change the unit of measurement, press the Enter button repeatedly to select the desired unit of measurement.

### 4. Adjust the contrast level of the display if desired.

Press the decrease button to view the contrast level. The currently selected contrast level will appear in the display. Press the 1 Step Resistance increase and decrease buttons to adjust the contrast level.

### 5. Determine if an iFit Live module is connected to the console.

If an iFit Live module is connected to the console, the display will show the words WIFI MODULE or USB MODULE.

If no module is connected, the display will show the words NO IFIT MODULE. If no module is connected, go to step 10.

### 6. Select an audio setting for the voice of the personal trainer if desired.

Press the decrease button to view the audio setting for the voice of the personal trainer. The currently selected audio setting for the voice of the personal trainer will appear in the display.

To change the audio setting, press the Enter button repeatedly to turn the voice of the personal trainer ON or OFF.

### 7. Set the default menu if desired.

Press the decrease button to view the default menu setting. The default menu is the menu that will appear when you turn on the console. Press the Enter button repeatedly to select the manual mode main menu or the iFit Live menu as the default menu.

### 8. Check the status of the iFit Live module if desired.

Press the decrease button to view the iFit Live status display. The words CHECK WIFI STATUS or CHECK USB STATUS will appear in the display.

Then, press the Enter button. After a few seconds, the status of the iFit Live module will appear in the display. To exit this display, press and hold down the Display button for a few seconds.

### 9. Check for downloads if desired.

Press the decrease button to view the downloads display. The words SEND/RECEIVE DATA will appear in the display.

Then, press the Enter button. The console will then check for iFit Live workouts and firmware downloads.

### 10. Exit the information mode.

Press the Display button to exit the information mode.

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## FCC INFORMATION

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and the receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

**FCC CAUTION: To assure continued compliance, use only shielded interface cables when connecting to computer or peripheral devices. Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate this equipment.**

# MAINTENANCE AND TROUBLESHOOTING

Inspect and tighten all parts of the exercise bike regularly. Replace any worn parts immediately.

To clean the exercise bike, use a damp cloth and a small amount of mild soap. **IMPORTANT: To avoid damage to the console, keep liquids away from the console and keep the console out of direct sunlight.**

## CONSOLE TROUBLESHOOTING

If lines appear in the console display, see step 4 on page 20 and adjust the contrast level of the display.

If the console does not display your heart rate when you use the handgrip heart rate monitor, see step 5 on page 15.

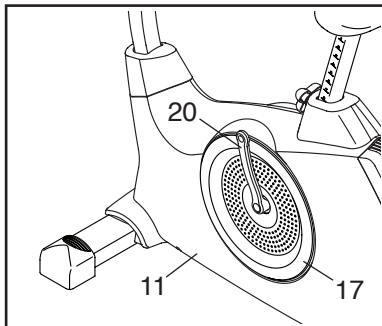
## HOW TO ADJUST THE REED SWITCH

If the console does not display correct feedback, the reed switch should be adjusted.

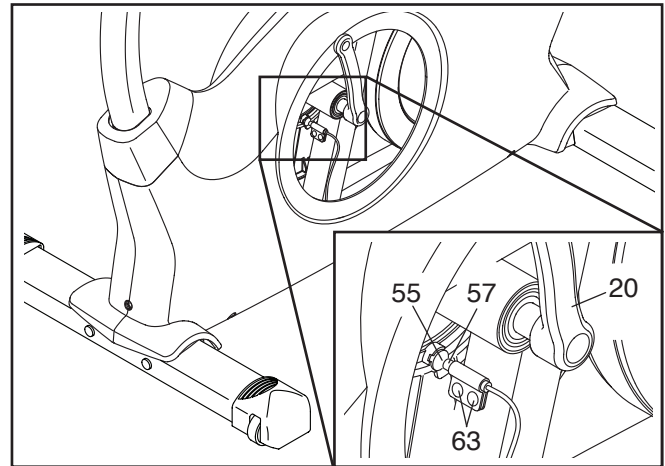
To adjust the reed switch, first unplug the power adapter. Then, remove the left pedal and the left pedal disc (see the instructions below).

Using an adjustable wrench, turn the left pedal clockwise and remove it.

Rotate the left Pedal Disc (17) clockwise to release it from the Left Shield (11). Then, carefully work the left Pedal Disc off the Left Crank Arm (20).



Locate the Reed Switch (57). Loosen, but do not remove, the two M4 x 13mm Flange Screws (63).



Next, rotate the Left Crank Arm (20) until a Magnet (55) is aligned with the Reed Switch (57). Slide the Reed Switch slightly toward or away from the Magnet. Then, retighten the M4 x 13mm Flange Screws (63).

Plug in the power adapter and rotate the Left Crank Arm (20) for a moment. Repeat these actions until the console displays correct feedback.

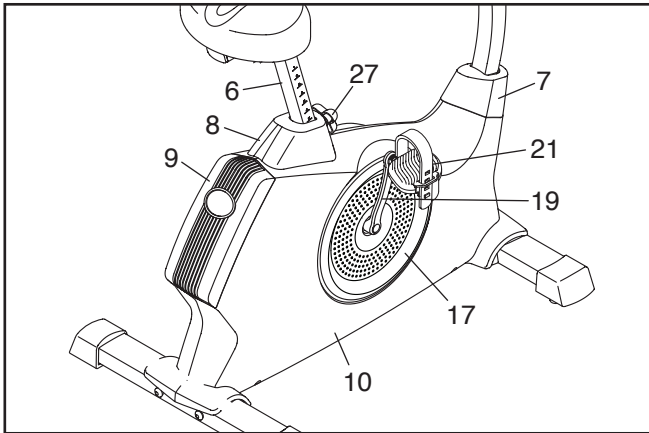
When the reed switch is correctly adjusted, reattach the left pedal disc and the left pedal.

## 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 may need to be adjusted.

To adjust the drive belt, first unplug the power adapter. Then, remove the right pedal, the seat post knob, the seat post, the top shield cover, the rear shield cover, the front shield cover, the right disc cover, and the right shield (see the instructions below).

Using an adjustable wrench, turn the Right Pedal (21) counterclockwise and remove it.



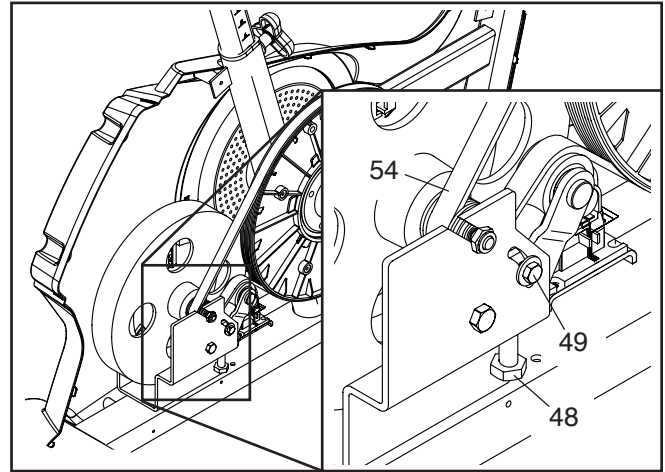
Next, remove the Seat Post Knob (27) and remove the Seat Post (6).

Using a flat screwdriver, remove the Top Shield Cover (8) and the Rear Shield Cover (9). Then, use the flat screwdriver to release the Front Shield Cover (7).

Rotate the right Pedal Disc (17) clockwise to release it from the Right Shield (10). Then, carefully work the left Pedal Disc off the Right Crank Arm (19).

See the EXPLODED DRAWING near the end of this manual and remove the M4 x 19mm Screws (44) and the M4 x 25mm Screws (62) from the Right and Left Shields (10, 11). Then, remove the Right Shield.

Next, loosen the M6 x 20mm Hex Screw (49). Then, tighten the M10 x 50mm Hex Screw (48) until the Drive Belt (54) is tight.



When the Drive Belt (54) is tight, tighten the M6 x 20mm Hex Screw (49).

Then, reattach the right shield, the right pedal disc, the front shield cover, the rear shield cover, the top shield cover, the seat post, the seat knob, and the right pedal. Plug in the power adapter.

# EXERCISE GUIDELINES

**⚠️ WARNING:** Before beginning this or any exercise program, consult your physician. This is especially important for persons over age 35 or persons with pre-existing health problems.

The heart rate monitor is not a medical device. Various factors may affect the accuracy of heart rate readings. The heart rate monitor is intended only as an exercise aid in determining heart rate trends in general.

These guidelines will help you to plan your exercise program. For detailed exercise information, obtain a reputable book or consult your physician. Remember, 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, exercising at the proper intensity is the key to achieving results. You can use your heart rate as a guide to find the proper intensity level. The chart below shows recommended heart rates for fat burning and aerobic exercise.

165	155	145	140	130	125	115	❤️
145	138	130	125	118	110	103	❤️
125	120	115	110	105	95	90	❤️
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20	30	40	50	60	70	80	

To find the proper intensity level, find your age at the bottom of the chart (ages are rounded off to the nearest ten years). The three numbers listed above your age define your “training zone.” The lowest number is the heart rate for fat burning, the middle number is the heart rate for maximum fat burning, and the highest number is the heart rate for aerobic exercise.

**Burning Fat**—To burn fat effectively, you must exercise at a low intensity level for a sustained period of time. During the first few minutes of exercise, your body uses 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. For maximum fat burning, exercise with your heart rate near the middle number in your training zone.

**Aerobic Exercise**—If your goal is to strengthen your cardiovascular system, you must perform aerobic exercise, which is activity that requires large amounts of oxygen for prolonged periods of time. For aerobic exercise, adjust the intensity of your exercise until your heart rate is near the highest number in your training zone.

## WORKOUT GUIDELINES

**Warming Up**—Start with 5 to 10 minutes of stretching and light exercise. A warm-up increases your body temperature, heart rate, and circulation in preparation for exercise.

**Training Zone Exercise**—Exercise for 20 to 30 minutes 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.) Breathe regularly and deeply as you exercise; never hold your breath.

**Cooling Down**—Finish with 5 to 10 minutes of stretching. Stretching increases the flexibility of your muscles and helps 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. Remember, the key to success is to make exercise a regular and enjoyable part of your everyday life.



## SUGGESTED STRETCHES

The correct form for several basic stretches is shown at the right. Move slowly as you stretch; never bounce.

### 1. Toe Touch Stretch

Stand with your knees bent slightly and slowly bend forward from your hips. Allow your back and shoulders to relax as you reach down toward your toes as far as possible. Hold for 15 counts, then relax. Repeat 3 times. Stretches: Hamstrings, back of knees and back.

### 2. Hamstring Stretch

Sit with one leg extended. Bring the sole of the opposite foot toward you and rest it against the inner thigh of your extended leg. Reach toward your toes as far as possible. Hold for 15 counts, then relax. Repeat 3 times for each leg. Stretches: Hamstrings, lower back and groin.

### 3. Calf/Achilles Stretch

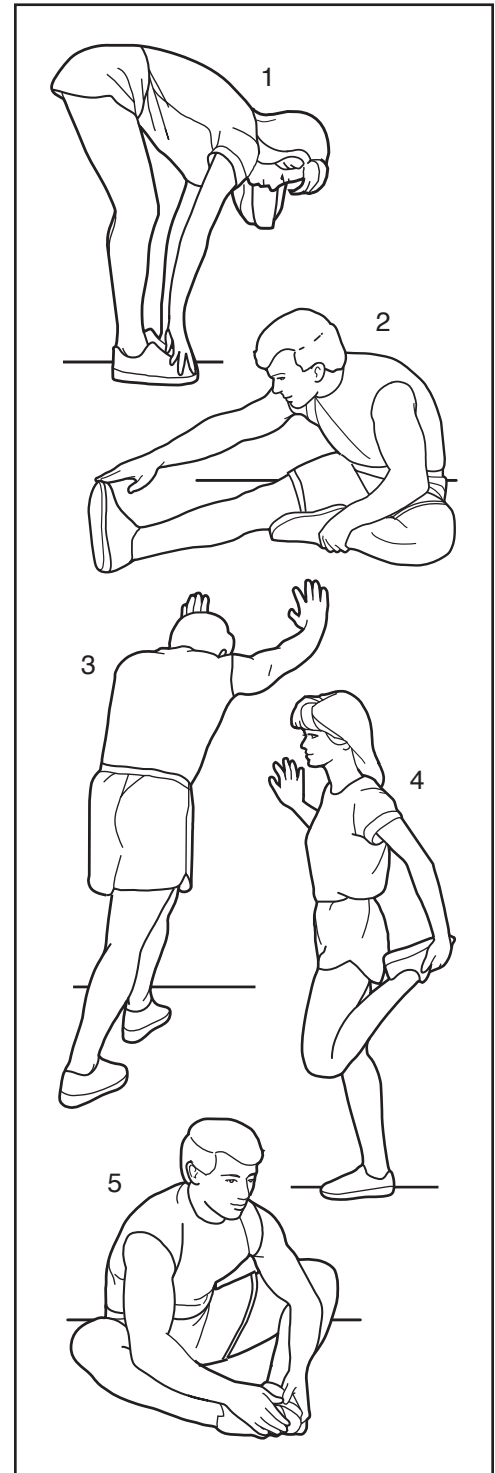
With one leg in front of the other, reach forward and place your hands against a wall. Keep your back leg straight and your back foot flat on the floor. Bend your front leg, lean forward and move your hips toward the wall. Hold for 15 counts, then relax. Repeat 3 times for each leg. To cause further stretching of the achilles tendons, bend your back leg as well. Stretches: Calves, achilles tendons and ankles.

### 4. Quadriceps Stretch

With one hand against a wall for balance, reach back and grasp one foot with your other hand. Bring your heel as close to your buttocks as possible. Hold for 15 counts, then relax. Repeat 3 times for each leg. Stretches: Quadriceps and hip muscles.

### 5. Inner Thigh Stretch

Sit with the soles of your feet together and your knees outward. Pull your feet toward your groin area as far as possible. Hold for 15 counts, then relax. Repeat 3 times. Stretches: Quadriceps and hip muscles.



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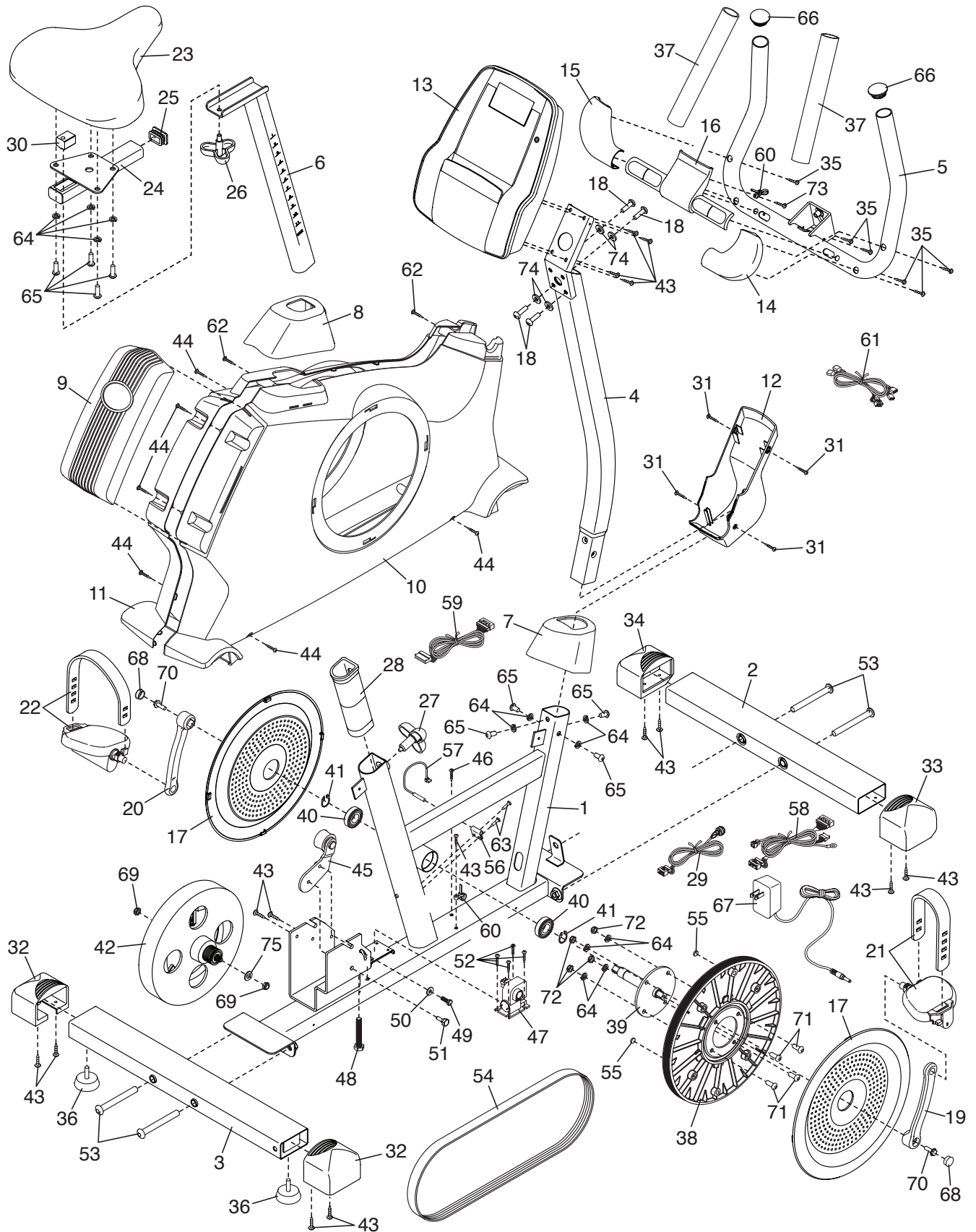
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Key No.	Qty.	Description	Key No.	Qty.	Description
1	1	Frame	40	2	Crank Bearing
2	1	Front Stabilizer	41	2	Snap Ring
3	1	Rear Stabilizer	42	1	Eddy Mechanism
4	1	Upright	43	15	M4 x 16mm Screw
5	1	Handlebar	44	6	M4 x 19mm Screw
6	1	Seat Post	45	1	Idler
7	1	Front Shield Cover	46	1	M4 x 13mm Bright Screw
8	1	Top Shield Cover	47	1	Resistance Motor
9	1	Rear Shield Cover	48	1	M10 x 50mm Hex Screw
10	1	Right Shield	49	1	M6 x 20mm Hex Screw
11	1	Left Shield	50	1	M6 Washer
12	1	Pivot Cover	51	1	Idler Screw
13	1	Console	52	4	M4 x 12mm Flange Screw
14	1	Right Pad	53	4	M10 x 95mm Screw
15	1	Left Pad	54	1	Drive Belt
16	1	Pulse Sensor	55	2	Magnet
17	2	Pedal Disc	56	1	Clamp
18	4	M6 x 20mm Screw	57	1	Reed Switch/Wire
19	1	Right Crank Arm	58	1	Main Wire
20	1	Left Crank Arm	59	1	Extension Wire
21	1	Right Pedal/Strap	60	2	Wire Clamp
22	1	Left Pedal/Strap	61	1	Pulse Wire
23	1	Seat	62	2	M4 x 25mm Screw
24	1	Seat Carriage	63	2	M4 x 13mm Flange Screw
25	1	Seat Post Cap	64	12	M8 Split Washer
26	1	Seat Knob	65	8	M8 x 16mm Screw
27	1	Seat Post Knob	66	2	Handlebar Cap
28	1	Seat Post Sleeve	67	1	Power Adapter
29	1	Power Receptacle/Wire	68	2	Crank Cap
30	1	Seat Bracket	69	2	M8 Jam Nut
31	4	M4 x 22mm Screw	70	2	5/16" Flange Screw
32	2	Rear Stabilizer Cap	71	4	M8 x 20mm Bolt
33	1	Right Stabilizer Cap	72	4	M8 Locknut
34	1	Left Stabilizer Cap	73	1	M4 x 12mm Screw
35	6	M4 x 19mm Flat Head Screw	74	4	M6 Split Washer
36	2	Foot	75	1	Spacer
37	2	Foam Grip	*	-	Assembly Tool
38	1	Pulley	*	-	User's Manual
39	1	Crank			

Note: Specifications are subject to change without notice. For information about ordering replacement parts, see the back cover of this manual. \*These parts are not illustrated.

# EXPLODED DRAWING

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# ORDERING REPLACEMENT PARTS

To order replacement parts, please see the front cover of this manual. To help us assist you, be prepared to provide the following information when contacting us:

- the model number and serial number of the product (see the front cover of this manual)
- the name of the product (see the front cover of this manual)
- the key number and description of the replacement part(s) (see the PART LIST and the EXPLODED DRAWING near the end of this manual)

## LIMITED WARRANTY

**IMPORTANT: You must register this product within 30 days of the purchase date to avoid added fees for service needed under warranty. Go to [www.nordictrackservice.com/registration](http://www.nordictrackservice.com/registration).**

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