Kikkerland 1717

Kikkerland Gear Clock Model 1717 Instruction Manual

Detailed instructions for setup, operation, and maintenance.

Product Overview

The Kikkerland Gear Clock Model 1717 is a unique timepiece featuring visible, moving gears. This clock is designed for both desk and wall mounting, offering versatility in placement. It operates on two D-size batteries (not included) and is constructed from a combination of plastic and metal components.



Image: Front view of the Kikkerland Gear Clock Model 1717, showcasing its intricate gear mechanism and analog display.

Setup

1. Battery Installation

1. Locate the two battery covers on the back of the clock.
2. Open both battery covers.
3. Insert two D-size batteries into the compartments, ensuring the cathode (negative) end is inserted first.
4. Replace the battery covers securely.

Note: The battery compartments are located on the underside of the clock's base.

2. Placement Options

The Kikkerland Gear Clock can be placed on a flat surface such as a desk or shelf, or it can be mounted on a wall. Ensure the clock is placed on a stable surface or securely mounted to prevent damage.

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Video: Demonstration of the Gears Clock, showcasing its design and versatility as both a desk and wall clock. This video highlights various color options and the moving gear mechanism.

Operating Instructions

1. Setting the Time

To set the time, gently adjust the minute hand clockwise using your finger directly on the clock face. The hour hand will move in conjunction with the minute hand. Avoid moving the gears directly.

2. Gear Movement

The clock features a visible gear mechanism where the gears move independently of the clock's time-keeping function. This provides a dynamic visual element. The large gear behind the hands functions as the second hand.



Image: A detailed view of the clock's internal gears in motion.

Maintenance

1. Battery Replacement

It is recommended to change the D-size batteries approximately every 6 months to ensure continuous and accurate operation of the clock and its moving gears.

2. Cleaning

To clean the clock, gently wipe the surfaces with a soft, dry cloth. Avoid using abrasive cleaners or solvents, as these may damage the plastic and metal components.

Troubleshooting

- **Clock not keeping time:** Ensure batteries are fresh and correctly installed. If the clock stops or runs slowly, replace

both D-size batteries.

- **Gears not moving:** Verify that the batteries are new and properly inserted. If the second wheel (which drives the clock) was loosened during shipping, it may need to be gently pressed down to reseat it.
- **General operation:** When handling the clock, avoid moving the gears manually, as this can cause damage to the mechanism.

Specifications

Feature	Detail
Brand	Kikkerland
Model Number	1717
Display Type	Analog
Style	Gear
Product Dimensions	4"W x 10.5"H
Power Source	Battery Powered (2 D batteries, not included)
Material	Metal, Plastic
Mounting Type	Tabletop
Item Weight	1.98 pounds (0.9 Kilograms)

Warranty and Support

Specific warranty information for the Kikkerland Gear Clock Model 1717 is not provided in this manual. For warranty details or technical support, please refer to the product packaging or contact Kikkerland customer service directly.

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