

## IKEA 1828.1185.618

# IKEA Cabinet with Door User Manual

Model: 1828.1185.618 | Brand: IKEA

## 1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential information for the assembly, operation, and maintenance of your new IKEA Cabinet with Door, model 1828.1185.618. This versatile storage solution is designed to fit various spaces and can be combined or stacked to create custom arrangements. Its compact design and integrated push-opener offer both functionality and a clean aesthetic.



Figure 1.1: The IKEA Cabinet with Door in its closed state, showcasing its compact and clean design.

## 2. SAFETY INFORMATION

Please read and understand all safety instructions before assembly and use. Failure to follow these guidelines may

result in injury or damage to the product.

- Always follow the manufacturer's instructions for assembly, mounting, and weight limits.
- Be aware of potential pinch points during assembly and operation, especially when handling the door.
- Use appropriate safety gear, such as gloves, during assembly if necessary.
- If wall-mounting the cabinet, ensure it is securely fastened to a suitable wall material using appropriate hardware (sold separately). The maximum load for a wall-hung cabinet depends on the wall material.
- If placing the cabinet on the floor, it must be completed with feet, legs, or a toe kick (sold separately) for stability and proper weight distribution. The maximum load is 33 lbs per horizontal surface when placed on the floor.
- Do not overload the cabinet. Distribute weight evenly.

### 3. COMPONENTS

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Before beginning assembly, ensure all components are present and undamaged. While specific part numbers are not listed here, the cabinet typically includes:

- Cabinet panels (top, bottom, sides, back)
- Door panel
- Wedge dowels for assembly
- Integrated push-opener mechanism
- Hinges and associated hardware

*Note: Feet, legs, and toe kicks are sold separately and are required if the cabinet is to be placed on the floor.*

### 4. SETUP AND ASSEMBLY

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Assembly of the IKEA Cabinet is designed to be quick and straightforward, primarily utilizing wedge dowels that click into pre-drilled holes.

#### 4.1. Basic Cabinet Assembly

1. Unpack all components and lay them out on a clean, soft surface to prevent scratching.
2. Identify the cabinet panels. Insert the wedge dowels into the designated pre-drilled holes on the connecting panels.
3. Align the panels and gently push them together until the wedge dowels click securely into place. Ensure all connections are tight and flush.
4. Attach the back panel to the assembled frame, typically by sliding it into grooves or fastening it with small nails/screws (refer to specific hardware provided).



Figure 4.1: Illustrates the simple wedge dowel assembly process, where components click into place.

## 4.2. Door Installation

1. Attach the hinges to the door panel and the cabinet frame according to the provided instructions.
2. Install the integrated push-opener mechanism into its designated slot on the cabinet frame.
3. Carefully attach the door to the hinges on the cabinet frame. Adjust the hinges as needed to ensure the door is level and closes properly.

## 4.3. Placement Options

The cabinet offers flexible placement options:

- **Floor Placement:** If placing on the floor, attach compatible feet, legs, or a toe kick (sold separately) to the bottom of the cabinet. This ensures stability and proper support for the maximum load of 33 lbs per horizontal surface.
- **Wall Mounting:** For wall-hung installation, use appropriate wall mounting hardware (sold separately) suitable for your wall material. Ensure the cabinet is securely anchored to prevent tipping. The maximum load capacity for wall-mounted cabinets varies based on wall material and mounting method.



Figure 4.2: Example of the cabinet securely mounted on a wall, providing elevated storage.

## 5. OPERATION

The cabinet features an integrated push-opener for the door, allowing for a handle-free design.

- **To Open:** Gently push on the center of the door. The push-opener mechanism will release the latch, and the door will spring open slightly.
- **To Close:** Push the door firmly until you hear a click, indicating that the push-opener has engaged and the door is securely closed.



Figure 5.1: The cabinet with its door open, demonstrating access to the interior storage space.

## 6. MAINTENANCE

To ensure the longevity and appearance of your IKEA Cabinet, follow these simple maintenance guidelines:

- **Cleaning:** Wipe clean with a damp cloth and a mild cleaner. Dry with a clean cloth. Avoid abrasive cleaners or harsh chemicals that can damage the finish.
- **Dusting:** Regularly dust the surfaces with a soft, dry cloth.
- **Inspections:** Periodically check all assembly connections and mounting hardware (if wall-mounted) to ensure they remain tight and secure. Retighten screws if necessary.
- **Door Mechanism:** If the push-opener mechanism becomes stiff or unresponsive, ensure no debris is obstructing it. Avoid forcing the door.

## 7. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your cabinet, consider the following common solutions:

- **Door not closing properly:** Check if anything is obstructing the door or the push-opener mechanism. Ensure the hinges are properly aligned and tightened.
- **Cabinet feels wobbly:** If floor-standing, ensure feet/legs/toe kick are securely attached and level. If wall-mounted, verify that the mounting hardware is appropriate for the wall type and securely fastened.
- **Scratches or minor damage:** For minor blemishes, touch-up paint or repair kits designed for furniture may be used. Consult IKEA for recommended products.

## 8. SPECIFICATIONS

| Feature                        | Detail                           |
|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Brand                          | IKEA                             |
| Model Number                   | 1828.1185.618                    |
| Color                          | White                            |
| Product Dimensions (D x W x H) | 13.75"D x 13.75"W x 13.75"H      |
| Special Feature                | Integrated Push-Opener           |
| Mounting Type                  | Floor Mount, Wall Mount          |
| Weight Limit (Floor Mount)     | 33 Pounds per horizontal surface |
| Assembly Required              | Yes                              |
| Frame Material                 | Wood                             |
| Number of Shelves              | 1                                |

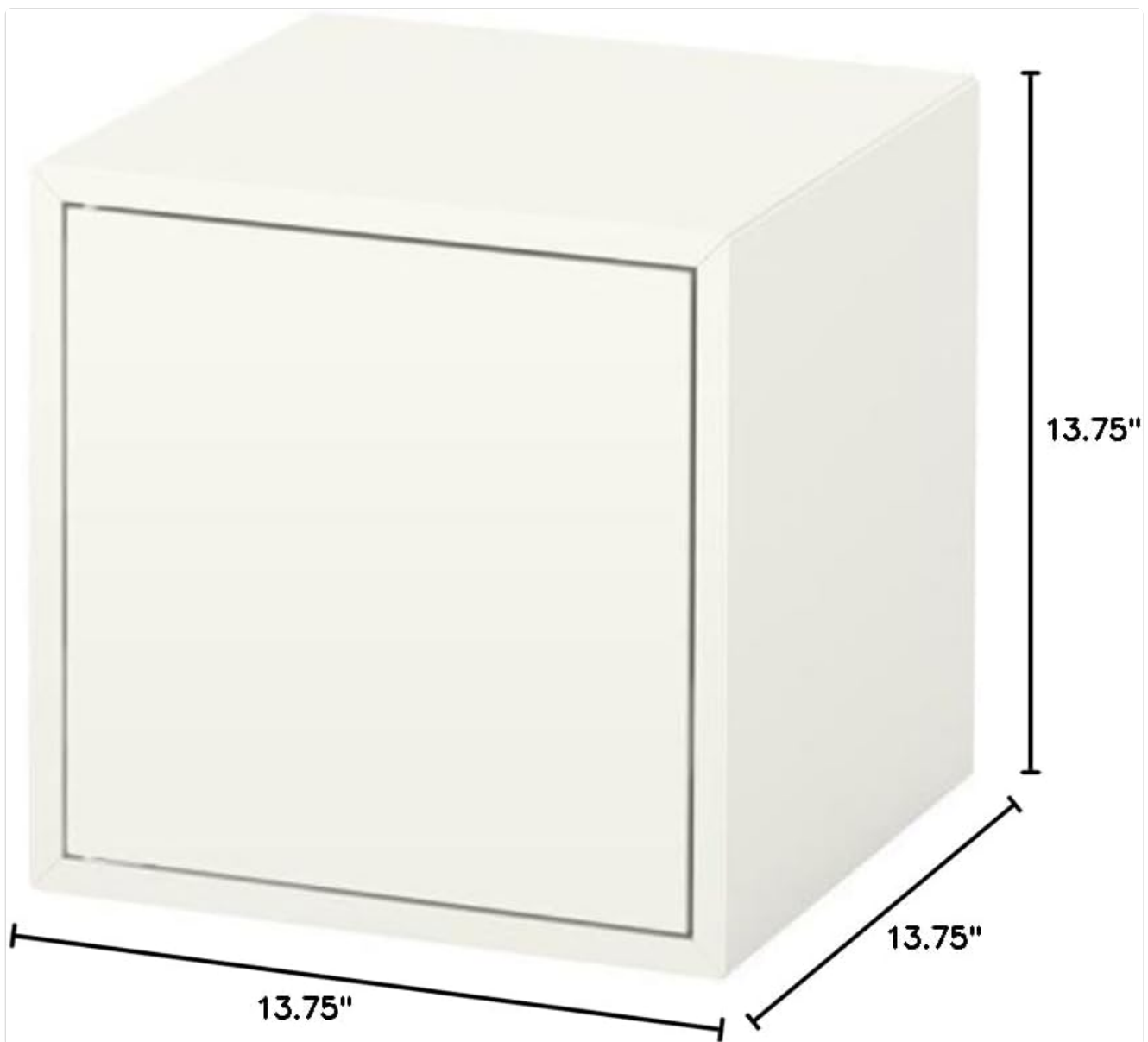


Figure 8.1: Dimensional diagram of the IKEA Cabinet, illustrating its compact cube shape.

## 9. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For information regarding warranty coverage, please refer to the purchase documentation or contact IKEA customer service directly. For technical support, missing parts, or further assistance, please visit the official IKEA website or contact their customer support line. Always provide your product model number (1828.1185.618) when seeking support.

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