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Brand: Ikea | **Model:** MELLTORP | **Dimensions:** 75x75 cm (29 1/2x29 1/2")

INTRODUCTION

The Ikea MELLTORP table is designed for versatility and durability, making it suitable for various spaces, including kitchens and dining rooms. Its compact and neat dimensions allow for easy furnishing, even in limited spaces. The table features a robust metal frame and a melamine surface, engineered for resistance against stains, scratches, and general wear, making it an ideal choice for active households.

This manual provides essential information regarding the assembly, usage, maintenance, and specifications of your MELLTORP table to ensure its longevity and optimal performance.



Figure 1: The Ikea MELLTORP table, a simple white square dining table.

Key Features:

- **Compact Design:** Small, neat dimensions (75x75 cm) make it easy to furnish, especially where space is limited.
- **Sturdy Construction:** Features a strong metal frame for enhanced stability and durability.
- **Durable Surface:** Melamine surface is stain- and scratch-resistant, and easy to wipe clean.
- **Versatile Style:** Simple, straightforward design that combines well with various interior styles.
- **Tested Quality:** The table's surface is resistant to liquids, food stains, oil, heat, scratches, and bumps.

SETUP AND ASSEMBLY

The Ikea MELLTORP table requires assembly. Follow these general steps for a smooth setup. While specific tools are not included, basic household tools like a screwdriver and possibly a wrench may be required.

1. **Unpack Components:** Carefully unpack all parts from the packaging. Verify that all components listed in the assembly instructions (typically included with the product) are present.

2. **Identify Parts:** Lay out all parts on a clean, soft surface to prevent scratches. Identify the tabletop, legs, and any connecting hardware (screws, bolts, washers).
3. **Attach Legs to Tabletop:** Position the tabletop upside down on your soft surface. Align each leg with the designated mounting points on the underside of the tabletop. Secure the legs using the provided screws or bolts. Ensure all fasteners are tightened securely but do not overtighten.
4. **Check Stability:** Once all legs are attached, carefully turn the table upright. Gently push down on the tabletop and check for any wobbling. If the table is unstable, re-check the tightness of all fasteners.



Figure 2: The MELLTORP table set up in a compact dining space, demonstrating its suitability for smaller areas.

OPERATING AND USAGE

The Ikea MELLTORP table is designed for everyday use as a dining table, work surface, or general utility table. Its robust construction allows it to withstand regular activity.

- **Placement:** Position the table on a flat, stable surface. Ensure there is adequate space around the table for comfortable seating and movement.

- **Weight Distribution:** Distribute weight evenly across the tabletop to maintain stability. Avoid placing excessively heavy objects on one side.
- **Seating Capacity:** The MELLTORP table is designed to comfortably seat 2-4 people, depending on the size of chairs used.
- **Combining Tables:** For larger gatherings or increased surface area, multiple MELLTORP tables can be placed next to each other.



Figure 3: The MELLTORP table integrated into a kitchen, serving as a dining area.

MAINTENANCE AND CARE

Proper care will help maintain the appearance and extend the lifespan of your Ikea MELLTORP table. The melamine surface is designed for easy cleaning and resistance to common spills.

- **Daily Cleaning:** For general cleaning, wipe the table surface with a cloth dampened in a mild cleaner. Immediately wipe dry with a clean, dry cloth to prevent water spots.
- **Stain Removal:** The melamine surface is stain-resistant. For stubborn stains, use a non-abrasive cleaner specifically designed for laminate or melamine surfaces. Avoid abrasive pads or harsh chemicals that could

damage the finish.

- **Heat Protection:** While the surface is resistant to heat, it is recommended to use placemats or coasters under hot dishes to prevent potential damage over time.
- **Scratch Prevention:** Although scratch-resistant, avoid dragging sharp or heavy objects across the surface. Use protective pads under items that may scratch.
- **Frame Care:** The steel frame can be wiped clean with a damp cloth and then dried. Avoid prolonged exposure to moisture to prevent rust.



Figure 4: A close-up of the MELLTORP table's durable melamine surface and sturdy leg design.

TROUBLESHOOTING

This section addresses common issues you might encounter with your MELLTORP table.

- **Table Wobbles:**
 - Ensure the table is placed on a flat, even surface.
 - Check that all screws and bolts connecting the legs to the tabletop are securely tightened. Overtightening

can sometimes cause slight warping, so ensure they are firm but not excessively tight.

- If your floor is uneven, consider using furniture pads or shims under the legs to level the table.

- **Surface Stains:**

- For most stains, a damp cloth with mild detergent should suffice.
- For tougher marks, a non-abrasive household cleaner can be used. Always test on an inconspicuous area first.
- Avoid leaving spills on the surface for extended periods, especially acidic liquids, as they may cause discoloration over time.

- **Scratches on Surface:**

- While the surface is scratch-resistant, deep scratches can occur from sharp objects. Minor scratches may be less noticeable on the white surface.
- For significant damage, consider using a table cover or placemats to conceal and protect the surface.

SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand	Ikea
Model Name	MELLTORP
Product Dimensions	75W x 75D x 74H Centimeters (29 1/2 x 29 1/2 x 29 1/8 inches)
Frame Material	Steel, Epoxy/polyester powder coating
Top Material	Particleboard, Melamine foil, ABS plastic
Colour	White
Seating Capacity	4 people
Item Weight	15.6 kg (34.4 lbs)
Assembly Required	Yes
Special Features	Scratch Resistant, Stain Resistant
Recommended Uses	Dining, Kitchen

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For information regarding warranty coverage, specific terms, and conditions for your Ikea MELLTORP table, please refer to the warranty documentation provided with your purchase or visit the official Ikea website. Ikea products typically come with a limited warranty covering defects in materials and workmanship.

If you require further assistance, have questions about assembly, or need to report a defect, please contact Ikea customer support directly. You can usually find contact information on the Ikea website or on your purchase receipt.

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