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1. IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

Please read all instructions carefully before using the Dickie Toys Fire Brigade Toy Truck. Keep this manual for future reference.

- **Warning:** This product contains small parts.
- Use of this toy should always be under direct adult supervision.
- Not suitable for children under 36 months (3 years) due to potential choking hazards from small parts.
- Ensure all battery compartments are securely closed after battery installation.
- Do not mix old and new batteries. Do not mix alkaline, standard (carbon-zinc), or rechargeable (nickel-cadmium) batteries.
- Remove batteries if the toy is not used for an extended period.

2. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Dickie Toys Fire Brigade Toy Truck (Model 203719015) is a detailed toy vehicle designed for children aged 3 years and up. It features realistic light and sound effects, a manually operated extendable ladder, and a water shooting function.



Figure 2.1: Front-side view of the Dickie Toys Fire Brigade Toy Truck with activated lights.

Key Features:

- Realistic light and sound effects.
- Manually operated, extendable fire ladder with basket.
- Water shooting function from the hose nozzle.
- Durable plastic construction.

3. SETUP AND BATTERY INSTALLATION

The Dickie Toys Fire Brigade Toy Truck requires 2 AA batteries for its light and sound functions. These batteries are included with the product.

1. **Locate the Battery Compartment:** The battery compartment is typically located on the underside of the truck or within the cab area. Refer to the diagram below for its exact location.
2. **Open the Compartment:** Use a small Phillips head screwdriver to unscrew the battery compartment cover.
3. **Insert Batteries:** Insert 2 new AA batteries, ensuring the correct polarity (+/-) as indicated inside the compartment.
4. **Close the Compartment:** Replace the cover and secure it with the screw. Do not overtighten.



Figure 3.1: The Dickie Toys Fire Brigade Toy Truck as it appears in its packaging, including accessories. The battery compartment is not explicitly shown here but is typically on the underside.

Initial Check: After installing batteries, press any button on the truck (if present) or move the truck to check if the lights and sounds activate. If not, recheck battery polarity and ensure the compartment is closed properly.

4. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

This section details how to operate the various functions of your Dickie Toys Fire Brigade Toy Truck.

4.1. Lights and Sounds

The truck features integrated light and sound effects to enhance play. These are typically activated by pressing a button on the cab or roof of the truck, or by rolling the vehicle. Refer to the specific markings on your toy for button locations.



Figure 4.1: The fire truck with its emergency lights activated, typically found on the roof of the cab.

4.2. Manually Operated Fire Ladder

The fire ladder can be manually extended, rotated, and raised/lowered.

- **Extend the Ladder:** Gently pull the ladder sections outwards to extend them.
- **Rotate the Ladder:** The base of the ladder can be rotated 360 degrees manually.
- **Raise/Lower the Ladder:** Pivot the ladder up or down to adjust its height.
- **Adjust Basket:** The basket at the end of the ladder can also be adjusted for angle.



Figure 4.2: The fire truck demonstrating its fully extended and raised ladder, ready for action.

4.3. Water Shooting Function

The toy truck is equipped with a water shooting feature from the hose nozzle located in the ladder basket.

1. **Fill Water Tank:** Locate the small water tank or reservoir on the truck (often near the ladder base or under a cap). Fill it with clean tap water. Do not use any other liquids.
2. **Pump Mechanism:** Identify the pump button or lever, usually located near the ladder base or on the side of the truck.
3. **Activate Water Spray:** Press or pump the mechanism repeatedly to spray water from the nozzle.



Figure 4.3: The fire truck actively spraying water from the hose nozzle located in the ladder's basket.

Important: Only use clean water for the water shooting function. Empty the water tank after play to prevent mold or damage.

5. MAINTENANCE AND CARE

Proper maintenance will ensure the longevity and optimal performance of your toy truck.

- **Cleaning:** Wipe the toy with a damp cloth. Do not immerse the toy in water, especially the electronic components. Avoid using harsh chemicals or abrasive cleaners.
- **Battery Replacement:** When lights dim or sounds weaken, replace the batteries as described in Section 3. Always replace all batteries at the same time.
- **Storage:** Store the toy in a cool, dry place away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures. If storing for an extended period, remove the batteries.
- **Water Tank:** After using the water shooting function, empty the water tank completely and allow it to air dry to prevent mildew or blockages.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter any issues with your Dickie Toys Fire Brigade Toy Truck, refer to the following common problems and solutions:

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Lights and sounds not working.	Dead or incorrectly installed batteries.	Check battery polarity. Replace with fresh AA batteries (see Section 3).

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Water shooting function is weak or not working.	Empty water tank, air bubble in pump, or clogged nozzle.	Refill water tank. Pump repeatedly to clear air. Check nozzle for blockages and gently clear if necessary.
Ladder mechanism is stiff.	Dust or debris in joints.	Gently clean the joints with a soft, dry cloth. Do not force movement.

If the problem persists after attempting these solutions, please contact Dickie Toys customer support (refer to product packaging or official website for contact details).

7. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand	Dickie Toys
Model Number	203719015
Recommended Age	3 years and up
Main Material	Plastic
Color	Red
Batteries Required	Yes (2 x AA)
Batteries Included	Yes
Assembly Required	No
Remote Control Included	No
Special Features	Manually operated fire hose, light and sound effects
Package Dimensions	18.4 x 69 x 25.4 cm (approx. 7.2 x 27.2 x 10 inches)
Package Weight	1.96 kg (approx. 4.32 lbs)

8. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Specific warranty information for the Dickie Toys Fire Brigade Toy Truck Model 203719015 is not provided within this manual. Please refer to the product packaging, the official Dickie Toys website, or your point of purchase for detailed warranty terms and conditions.

For customer support, technical assistance, or inquiries regarding spare parts, please visit the official Dickie Toys website or contact their customer service department using the information provided on the product packaging.

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