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Model: 427414 | Finish: Hudson Elm

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides comprehensive instructions for the assembly, operation, and maintenance of your Sauder Affirm 48x24 Desk Shell/Credenza/Return. Please read all instructions carefully before beginning assembly and retain this manual for future reference.

SAFETY INFORMATION

Always anchor this desk to the floor to prevent tipping, especially in commercial environments with heavy use.

SETUP AND ASSEMBLY

The Sauder Affirm desk is designed for straightforward assembly. Follow the included instructions methodically. While assembly is generally simple, some users have noted that careful attention to detail is required for proper alignment. Ensure all parts are correctly oriented before tightening fasteners.

Assembly Steps Overview:

1. Unpack all components and verify against the parts list.
2. Identify the top panel, side panels, and back panel.
3. Attach the side panels to the back panel using the provided fasteners.
4. Secure the top panel to the assembled base.
5. Install adjustable base levelers.
6. Ensure all fasteners are tightened securely.

Key Assembly Component: Twist-Lock Fastener

This desk utilizes Sauder's Twist-Lock fasteners for secure connections. Proper installation of these fasteners is crucial for the desk's stability.

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Video Description: This video demonstrates the correct method for attaching the Sauder Twist-Lock Fastener, a key component in the assembly of your desk. It shows how to insert the fastener and tighten it for a secure connection.

Product Overview and Features

The following images illustrate the assembled desk and its features, including the cord management system and adjustable levelers.



Image Description: A front view of the assembled Sauder Affirm 48x24 Desk in Hudson Elm finish. The desk features a clean, rectangular design with two circular grommet holes on the desktop for cable management.



Image Description: The Sauder Affirm 48x24 Desk integrated into an office environment. A computer monitor, lamp, and office chair are visible, demonstrating the desk's functional use as a standalone workspace.

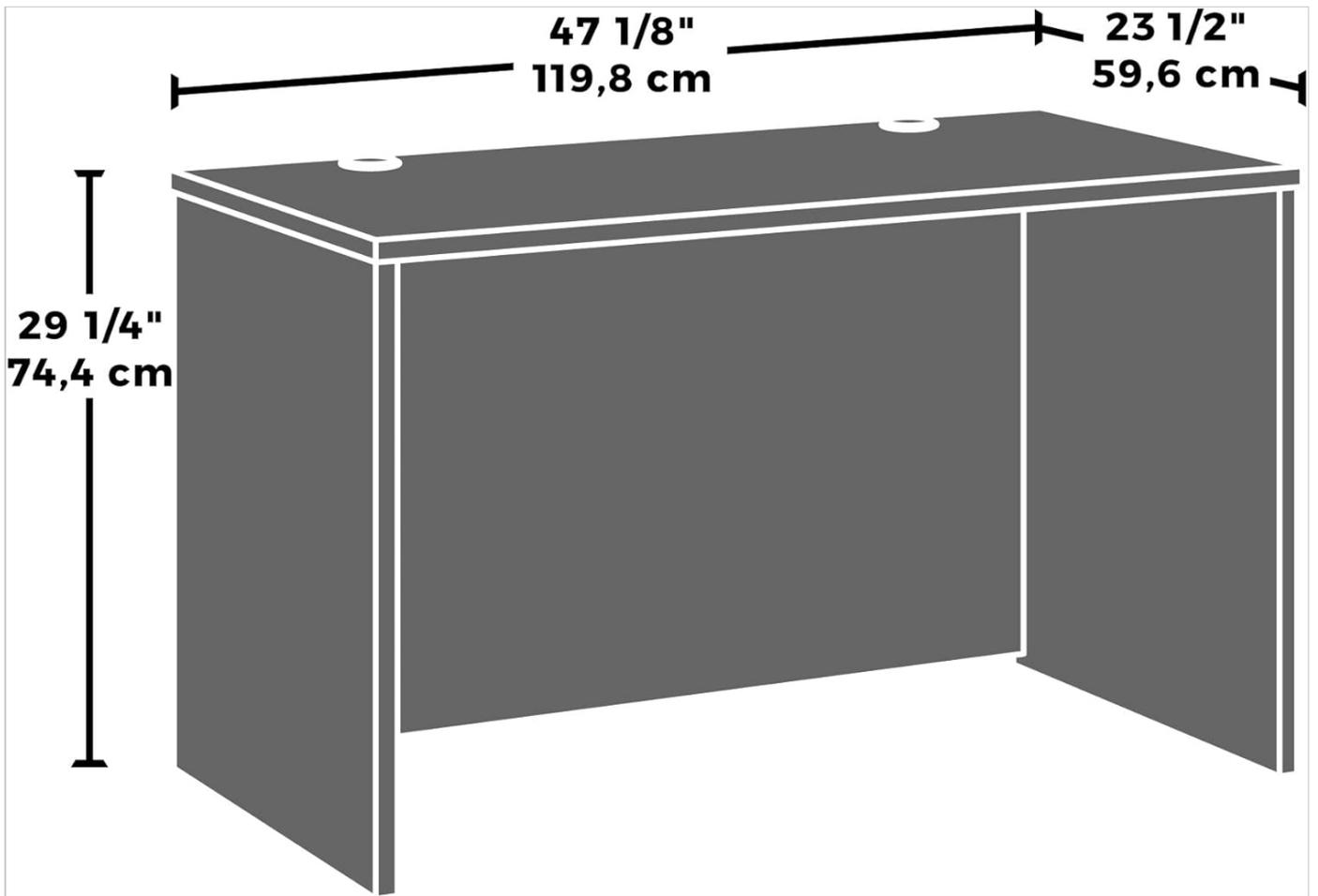


Image Description: A diagram illustrating the precise dimensions of the Sauder Affirm 48x24 Desk. It shows the length (47 1/8 inches / 119.8 cm), width (23 1/2 inches / 59.6 cm), and height (29 1/4 inches / 74.4 cm).



Image Description: A close-up view of one of the desk's grommet holes, designed for efficient cord management. A cable is shown passing through the opening, demonstrating its function in reducing cable clutter.



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Image Description: A detailed shot of the adjustable base levelers located at the bottom of the desk's legs. These levelers allow for stability and proper alignment on uneven floor surfaces.

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Video Description: This video provides a 360-degree view of the Sauder Affirm 48x24 Desk Shell/Credenza/Return in Hudson Elm finish, showcasing its design and features from all angles.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

The Sauder Affirm 48x24 Desk is designed as a versatile workspace. It can function as a stand-alone desk or be integrated with other Affirm collection items to form a larger desk configuration. The durable 1-inch thick top provides ample space for a computer, lamp, and other office essentials.

Cord Management:

Utilize the two desktop grommet holes to route and organize electronic cords, minimizing clutter and maintaining a tidy workspace.

Adjustable Levelers:

The adjustable base levelers ensure the desk remains stable and level, even on uneven flooring. Adjust them as needed to achieve optimal ergonomics and alignment with other furniture.

MAINTENANCE

To maintain the appearance and longevity of your Sauder Affirm desk, follow these guidelines:

- **Cleaning:** Wipe surfaces with a soft, damp cloth. Avoid harsh chemicals or abrasive cleaners, as these can damage the finish.
- **Protection:** The melamine top is heat, stain, and scratch-resistant. However, it is recommended to use coasters for beverages and protective pads under hot items or sharp objects to prevent potential damage.
- **Fasteners:** Periodically check all assembly fasteners and tighten them if necessary to ensure continued stability.

TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues during or after assembly, consider the following common points:

- **Parts Not Aligning:** Double-check the orientation of all panels against the assembly diagrams. Ensure that all dowels and cam locks are fully seated before attempting to join pieces. Sometimes, a slight adjustment or loosening of previously tightened fasteners can help with alignment.
- **Wobbly Desk:** Verify that all Twist-Lock fasteners are tightened as much as possible. Adjust the base levelers on the bottom of the desk legs to compensate for uneven flooring.
- **Damaged or Missing Parts:** If any components are damaged during shipping or are missing from the package, please contact Sauder customer support for assistance.

SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand	Sauder
Model Number	427414
Model Name	Affirm
Color	Hudson Elm
Product Dimensions (D x W x H)	23.47"D x 47.17"W x 29.29"H
Item Weight	91.4 Pounds
Top Material Type	Melamine
Base Material	Engineered Wood
Special Feature	Scratch Resistant
Included Components	Cord Management System (Grommet Holes)
Required Assembly	Yes

WARRANTY INFORMATION

Your Sauder Affirm desk is covered by a **5-year limited warranty**. This warranty covers parts and ensures lasting peace of mind regarding your investment. For specific details and terms, please refer to the warranty documentation included with your product or contact Sauder customer support.

CUSTOMER SUPPORT

For any questions, assistance with assembly, or to request replacement parts, Sauder offers a dedicated Domestic Call Center ready to assist you.

Contact Information:

- **Phone:** 800-523-3987
- **Website:** sauder.com/service

Additional resources such as assembly tip videos and live chat support may also be available through the Sauder service portal.

