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Model: BEKANT, 140x60 cm, Black Stained Ash Veneer/White

1. INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing the IKEA BEKANT desk. This sturdy and versatile desk is designed to provide a generous work surface and smart cable management solutions, ensuring a neat and organized workspace. Its adjustable legs allow you to set the table top at a height that suits your needs, promoting ergonomic comfort. This manual provides essential information for the safe assembly, operation, and maintenance of your BEKANT desk.



An image showing the IKEA BEKANT desk from a slight angle, highlighting its black stained ash veneer tabletop and white adjustable leg frame. The desk is rectangular with rounded corners.

2. IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

Please read all safety warnings and instructions carefully before assembly and use to prevent injury or damage.

- **Secure to Wall:** Always secure the desk to the wall using the provided anti-tip devices to prevent tipping, especially if children are present or if the desk is frequently adjusted.
- **Liquid Precaution:** Keep liquids away from the desk surface and electrical components (if any) to prevent damage and electrical hazards.
- **Height Adjustment Safety:** Be cautious when adjusting the desk height. Ensure no objects or body parts are in the path of moving parts to avoid pinching or crushing injuries.
- **Weight Limit:** Do not overload the desk. Refer to the specifications section for maximum weight capacity.
- **Assembly:** Assemble the desk according to the instructions provided. Ensure all fasteners are tightened securely before use.

3. ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS

The IKEA BEKANT desk requires assembly. Follow the detailed instructions provided in the separate assembly guide included with your product. Below are general steps and key considerations:

1. **Unpack Components:** Carefully unpack all parts and hardware. Verify that all components listed in the assembly guide are present.
2. **Attach Legs to Tabletop:** Securely attach the adjustable leg frames to the underside of the tabletop using the designated screws and tools.
3. **Install Cable Management Net:** Attach the cable management net to the underside of the tabletop as shown in the assembly guide. This net helps organize and conceal cables.
4. **Adjust Height:** Before final placement, adjust the leg height to your desired working position. Ensure both legs are set to the same height for a stable surface.
5. **Secure to Wall:** For safety, especially in homes with children, secure the desk to the wall using the anti-tip hardware provided. This prevents the desk from tipping over.



The IKEA BEKANT desk set up in a home office environment, featuring a laptop, lamp, and an office chair. This image demonstrates the desk's practical use in a workspace.

4. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

4.1 Adjusting Desk Height

The BEKANT desk features adjustable legs, allowing you to customize the height of the tabletop to suit your ergonomic needs. The height can be adjusted between 65 cm (25.59 inches) and 85 cm (33.46 inches).

- **To Adjust:** Locate the adjustment mechanism on each leg (typically a screw or pin system). Loosen the mechanism, slide the inner leg to the desired height, and then securely tighten the mechanism.
- **Ensure Level:** Always ensure both legs are adjusted to the exact same height to maintain a stable and level work surface. Use a measuring tape or level if necessary.

4.2 Using the Cable Management Net

The integrated cable management net helps keep your workspace tidy and free from tangled cables.

- **Organize Cables:** Route power cords, data cables, and other wires through the net. This keeps them off the floor and out of sight.
- **Accessibility:** The net is designed for easy access, allowing you to add or remove cables as needed.



A close-up view of the integrated cable management net located underneath the IKEA BEKANT desk tabletop. This feature helps keep cables organized and out of sight.

5. CARE AND MAINTENANCE

To ensure the longevity and appearance of your IKEA BEKANT desk, follow these care instructions:

- **Cleaning:** Wipe clean with a damp cloth and a mild cleaner. Avoid using abrasive cleaners or harsh chemicals that can damage the surface.
- **Drying:** Wipe dry with a clean cloth immediately after cleaning to prevent water spots or moisture damage.
- **Heat and Moisture:** Protect the surface from excessive heat and moisture. Use coasters for drinks and heat pads for hot items.

- **Sunlight Exposure:** Avoid prolonged direct sunlight exposure, which can cause fading or discoloration over time.
- **Regular Checks:** Periodically check all assembly fittings and re-tighten them if necessary to ensure stability.



A detailed close-up of the black stained ash veneer surface of the IKEA BEKANT desk, showcasing the wood grain texture and the contoured edge designed for ergonomic comfort.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

Here are some common issues and their potential solutions:

- **Desk Wobbles:**
 - Ensure all assembly screws and bolts are tightened securely.

- Verify that the floor is level. If not, use shims or adjust the desk's leveling feet (if present) to compensate.
- Check that both legs are adjusted to the exact same height.

- **Difficulty Adjusting Height:**

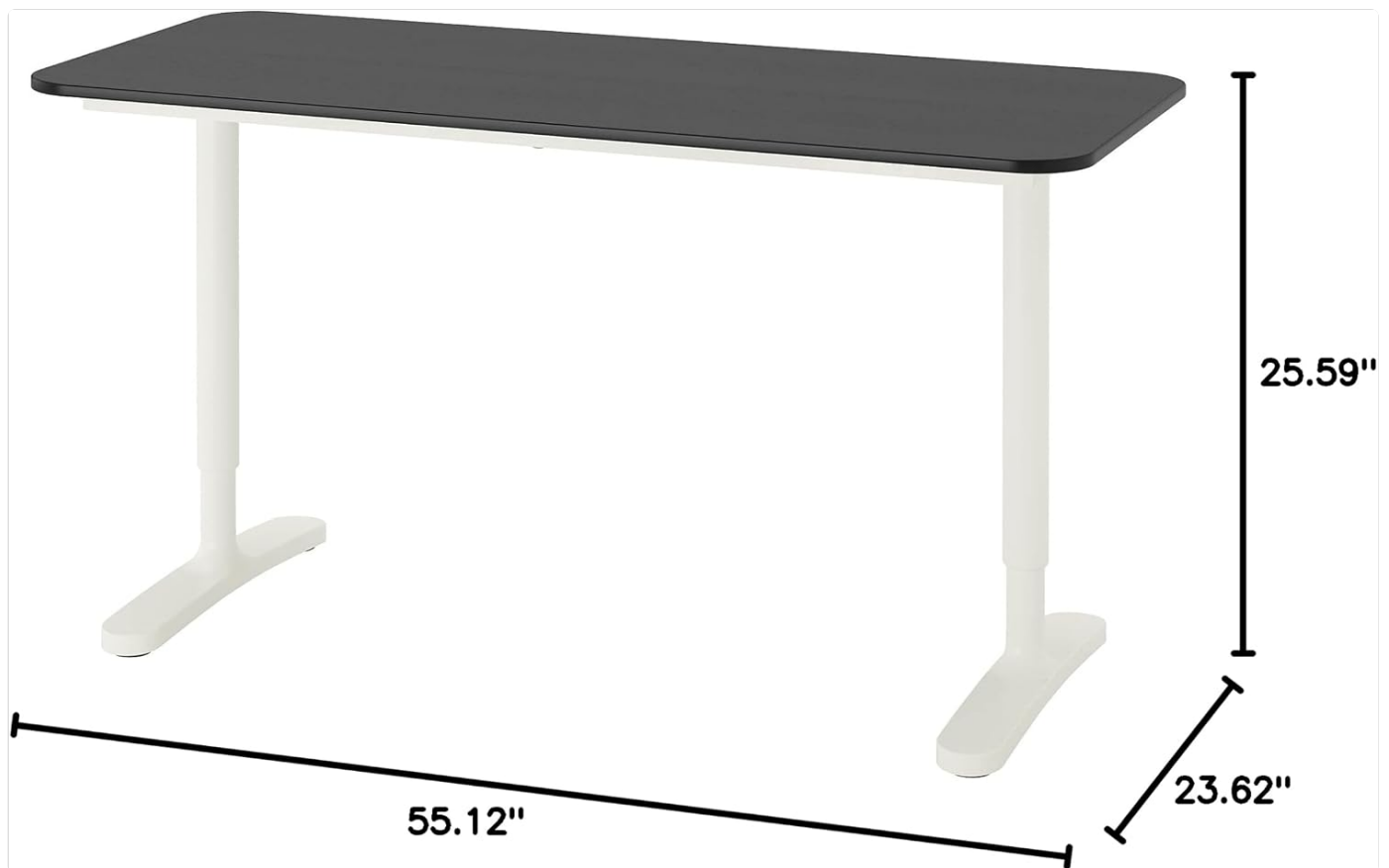
- Ensure the adjustment mechanism (e.g., screw, pin) is fully loosened before attempting to slide the leg.
- Check for any obstructions or debris within the leg mechanism.

- **Surface Scratches/Marks:**

- For minor scratches, furniture repair kits or markers designed for wood veneer may help.
- Always use a desk pad or mouse pad to protect the surface from daily wear and tear.

7. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand	IKEA
Model Name	BEKANT
Product Dimensions (D x W x H)	23.62"D x 55.12"W x 25.59"H (60cm D x 140cm W x 65cm H)
Adjustable Height Range	65 cm (25.59 inches) to 85 cm (33.46 inches)
Color	Black Stained Ash Veneer / White (legs)
Style	Modern
Base Material	Ash Wood
Top Material Type	Ash Wood
Finish Type	Stained
Special Feature	Adjustable Height, Cable Management Net, Contoured Tabletop
Recommended Uses	Office, Working
Mounting Type	Floor Mount (with wall securing option)
Required Assembly	Yes



A diagram illustrating the dimensions of the IKEA BEKANT desk, showing its length (55.12 inches), depth (23.62 inches), and height (25.59 inches, likely minimum height). This image is crucial for understanding the desk's physical footprint.

8. WARRANTY INFORMATION

The IKEA BEKANT desk comes with a **10-year guarantee**. This guarantee covers defects in materials and workmanship. Please retain your proof of purchase for warranty claims.

The terms and conditions of the guarantee are detailed in the separate guarantee brochure provided with your product or available on the official IKEA website. This is a limited warranty, and specific exclusions may apply (e.g., normal wear and tear, damage from misuse, improper assembly, or unauthorized modifications).

9. CUSTOMER SUPPORT

If you have any questions, require assistance with assembly, or need to report a defect, please contact IKEA customer support:

- **Online Support:** Visit the official IKEA website for FAQs, assembly guides, and contact information. www.ikea.com
- **Phone Support:** Refer to your local IKEA store's contact details or the IKEA website for phone numbers.
- **In-Store Assistance:** Visit your nearest IKEA store for direct assistance.

When contacting support, please have your product model name (BEKANT) and proof of purchase readily available.

Ask a question about this manual

Ask about setup, troubleshooting, compatibility, parts, safety, or missing instructions. Manuals+ will review the question and use this page's manual context to help answer it.

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Example: How do I reset this device or fix this error?

Details

Model number, symptoms, what you tried, or the section of the manual you are using.

Submit question