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#### Ikea IK.599.133.84

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## 1. Introduction

Welcome to the instruction manual for your IKEA METOD/MAXIMERA base cabinet. This guide provides essential information for the safe assembly, proper operation, and effective maintenance of your new kitchen cabinet. Please read this manual thoroughly before beginning assembly or use to ensure optimal performance and longevity of the product.

## **Key Features:**

- Soft-Closing Drawers: Equipped with integrated dampers for slow, silent, and gentle closing.
- Full Extension: Drawers can be pulled out completely, providing full visibility and easy access to contents.
- Smooth Operation: Features smooth-running drawer glides with a built-in stop mechanism.
- Robust Construction: The cabinet frame is built with an 18 mm thick, sturdy structure.
- Automatic Closing: Drawers automatically close the last few centimeters for convenience.



Figure 1.1: The IKEA METOD/MAXIMERA base cabinet featuring two high drawers with Bodbyn Off-White frontals.

## 2. SAFETY INFORMATION

Always prioritize safety during assembly and use. Improper installation or use can lead to injury or damage to the product. Keep all small parts and packaging materials away from children. Ensure the cabinet is securely fastened to the wall according to IKEA's general assembly instructions to prevent tipping, especially if children are present. Use appropriate tools and follow all steps carefully.

## 3. PACKAGE CONTENTS

Before beginning assembly, verify that all components are present and undamaged. The package for your METOD/MAXIMERA base cabinet with two high drawers should typically include:

- METOD Base Cabinet Frame (80x60 cm)
- MAXIMERA High Drawers (x2)
- Bodbyn Off-White Drawer Frontals (x2)
- · Drawer Runners and Fittings
- Assembly Hardware (screws, dowels, brackets)
- Assembly Instructions (separate detailed guide from IKEA)

If any parts are missing or damaged, please contact IKEA customer service for assistance.

# 4. SETUP (ASSEMBLY)

Assembly of the IKEA METOD/MAXIMERA base cabinet requires adherence to the detailed instructions provided by IKEA. The following is a general overview of the steps involved:

- 1. **Unpack and Organize:** Lay out all components and hardware. Identify each part using the IKEA assembly guide.
- 2. **Assemble the Cabinet Frame:** Connect the side panels, back panel, and top/bottom panels using the provided hardware. Ensure all connections are secure.
- 3. **Install Drawer Runners:** Attach the drawer runners to the inside of the cabinet frame according to the specific markings and instructions.
- 4. **Assemble Drawers:** Construct the MAXIMERA high drawers, attaching their respective runners.
- 5. **Attach Frontals:** Secure the Bodbyn Off-White frontals to the assembled drawers. Adjust for proper alignment.
- 6. Insert Drawers: Carefully slide the assembled drawers onto the cabinet runners.
- 7. **Secure to Wall:** It is crucial to secure the cabinet to the wall using the appropriate wall fasteners (sold separately, suitable for your wall material) to prevent tipping.



Figure 4.1: A close-up view of the Bodbyn Off-White drawer frontal, highlighting its design and finish.

# 5. OPERATING THE DRAWERS

The METOD/MAXIMERA drawers are designed for ease of use and durability. To operate:

- **Opening:** Gently pull the drawer handle to open. The full extension feature allows the drawer to slide out completely, providing full access to items stored at the back.
- **Closing:** Push the drawer gently. The integrated soft-closing mechanism will engage in the last few centimeters, ensuring a quiet and smooth close without slamming.
- **Weight Capacity:** Avoid overloading the drawers. Refer to the specific IKEA assembly guide for maximum weight recommendations to ensure the longevity of the runners and frame.



Figure 5.1: An open MAXIMERA high drawer showcasing organized plates and glasses, demonstrating the full extension feature.



Figure 5.2: Another view of an open MAXIMERA high drawer, organized with different sizes of food jars and containers.

## 6. MAINTENANCE

Proper care will help maintain the appearance and functionality of your cabinet:

- Cleaning the Cabinet and Frontals: Wipe surfaces clean with a soft cloth dampened with water and a mild non-abrasive detergent. Avoid using harsh chemicals, abrasive cleaners, or scouring pads, as these can damage the finish.
- Cleaning Drawer Interiors: Remove any spills immediately. Use a damp cloth and mild soap, then wipe dry.
- **Drawer Runners:** Periodically check the drawer runners for any debris or obstructions. If the drawers do not glide smoothly, ensure the runners are clean. Lubrication is generally not required for these types of runners.
- Hardware: Occasionally check all screws and fittings to ensure they are tight. Retighten if necessary.

## 7. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter any issues with your cabinet, refer to the following common solutions:

- Drawers not closing smoothly:
  - Check for any obstructions in the drawer or on the runners.
  - Ensure the drawer runners are clean and free of debris.
  - Verify that the drawer and cabinet frame are level and properly aligned.
- Drawers not extending fully:
  - Confirm there are no items inside the drawer or cabinet obstructing its movement.

• Inspect the drawer runners for damage or misalignment.

# • Drawer frontals are misaligned:

 Adjust the screws on the inside of the drawer that connect to the frontal. Refer to the IKEA assembly guide for specific adjustment points.

# 8. SPECIFICATIONS

Brand:	IKEA
Model:	IK.599.133.84
Series:	METOD/MAXIMERA
Color:	Bodbyn Off-White
Dimensions (Width x Depth):	80 cm x 60 cm
Drawer Type:	High Drawers (x2)
Frame Thickness:	18 mm
Special Features:	Soft-closing, Full-extension, Robust construction



Figure 8.1: A MAXIMERA high drawer organized with larger kitchen utensils and bowls, demonstrating its storage capacity.

## 9. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

IKEA products are designed for quality and durability. For information regarding the warranty period and terms for your METOD/MAXIMERA base cabinet, please refer to the warranty documentation provided with your purchase or visit the official IKEA website. For further assistance, troubleshooting, or to order replacement parts, please contact IKEA customer service directly. Have your model number (IK.599.133.84) and purchase information ready when contacting support.

