COUGAR Hotrod

COUGAR Hotrod Ergonomic Gaming Chair User Manual

Model: Hotrod (3MARXORB.0001)

1. Important Safety Information

Please read all safety instructions before assembling and using the COUGAR Hotrod Gaming Chair. Retain this manual for future reference.

- **Maximum Weight Recommendation:** Do not exceed the maximum weight recommendation of 136 kg (approximately 300 lbs). Exceeding this limit may cause damage to the chair or personal injury.
- **Proper Assembly:** Ensure all components are correctly assembled and tightened according to the instructions to maintain stability and prevent accidents.
- **Reclining Caution:** Use caution when reclining the backrest to avoid injury. Ensure no obstructions are behind the chair before adjusting the recline angle.
- **Cleaning:** Refer to the "Maintenance and Care" section for proper cleaning instructions. Do not use abrasive cleaners.
- **Children and Pets:** Keep children and pets away from the chair during assembly.

2. Package Contents

Verify that all components are present before beginning assembly. If any parts are missing or damaged, contact customer support.

- Chair Backrest
- Seat Base
- Armrests (Left and Right)
- Gas Lift Cylinder
- Five-Star Base
- Casters (5 pieces)
- Head Cushion
- Lumbar Cushion

- Tilt Mechanism
- Side Covers (2 pieces)
- Hardware Kit (screws, washers, Allen key)

3. Setup and Assembly

The COUGAR Hotrod Gaming Chair requires assembly. Follow these general steps. Refer to the included assembly diagram for detailed instructions.

1. **Attach Casters to Base:** Insert the five casters into the holes at the end of each leg of the five-star base until they click securely into place.
2. **Insert Gas Lift:** Place the gas lift cylinder into the center hole of the five-star base.
3. **Attach Tilt Mechanism:** Secure the tilt mechanism to the underside of the seat base using the provided screws. Ensure the front of the mechanism faces the front of the seat.
4. **Attach Armrests:** Fasten the armrests to the seat base using the designated screws.
5. **Connect Seat to Backrest:** Align the seat base with the backrest and secure them using the provided screws and side covers.
6. **Place Seat Assembly on Gas Lift:** Carefully place the assembled seat and backrest onto the gas lift cylinder, ensuring it is centered and stable.
7. **Attach Cushions:** Position the head cushion and lumbar cushion as desired for optimal comfort. The lumbar cushion is fixed to height-adjustable suspension rails.



Figure 3.1: Assembly diagram with chair dimensions. This image illustrates the various measurements of the chair, including seat width, backrest height, and overall height, which are crucial for proper assembly and understanding the chair's fit.

4. Operating Instructions

The COUGAR Hotrod Gaming Chair offers several adjustment features to customize your seating experience.

4.1. Height Adjustment

To adjust the chair's height, locate the lever on the right side beneath the seat. Pull the lever up while seated to lower the chair, or pull the lever up while standing to raise the chair. Release the lever at the desired height.





Figure 4.1: Side view of the chair, highlighting the height adjustment lever. This image shows the chair from the side, with the lever for adjusting the seat height visible beneath the seat base.

4.2. Backrest Recline

The backrest can recline from 90 degrees to 150 degrees. To recline, pull the recline lever located on the right side of the chair, near the seat. Lean back to the desired angle and release the lever to lock it in place. To return to an upright position, pull the lever and lean forward.





Figure 4.2: Chair shown in a reclined position. This image demonstrates the chair's ability to recline, illustrating the range of motion for the backrest.

4.3. Tilt Mechanism (RocX! Technology)

The chair features RocX! technology, allowing for comfortable rocking and reclining within a small angle range. To activate or deactivate the tilt function, use the knob located beneath the seat. Turn the knob clockwise to increase tension (making it harder to tilt) or counter-clockwise to decrease tension (making it easier to tilt). The tilt lock lever is typically integrated with the height adjustment lever; push it in to lock the tilt, pull it out to unlock.

4.4. 3D Armrest Adjustment

The 3D armrests can be adjusted in three dimensions: height, forward/backward, and rotation. Locate the buttons or levers on the armrests to make these adjustments. Adjust them to support your arms and shoulders comfortably.




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Figure 4.3: Detail of the 3D adjustable armrest. This image provides a closer look at the armrest, highlighting its multi-directional adjustment capabilities.

4.5. Head and Lumbar Support

The chair includes an ergonomically engineered head cushion and a lumbar cushion. The lumbar cushion is fixed to height-adjustable suspension rails, allowing you to position it for optimal lower back support. Adjust the position of both cushions to suit your comfort needs.





Figure 4.4: Front view of the Cougar Hotrod Gaming Chair. This image displays the chair from the front, showcasing the design of the seat, backrest, headrest, and lumbar support cushions.





Figure 4.5: Side profile of the Cougar Hotrod Gaming Chair. This image provides a clear view of the chair's ergonomic contours and overall structure from the side.





Figure 4.6: Rear view of the Cougar Hotrod Gaming Chair. This image shows the back of the chair, highlighting the fiberglass-reinforced back shell design.

5. Maintenance and Care

Proper maintenance ensures the longevity and appearance of your COUGAR Hotrod Gaming Chair.

- **Cleaning:** Wipe clean with a damp cloth. For tougher stains on the Hyper-Dura Leatherette, use a mild soap solution and a soft cloth, then wipe dry. Avoid harsh chemicals or abrasive cleaners, as these can damage the material.
- **Caster Maintenance:** Periodically check the casters for hair or debris that may impede smooth rolling. Clean as necessary. The casters are designed with a sleeve to reduce rolling resistance and noise.
- **Hardware Check:** Periodically check all screws and bolts to ensure they are tight. Re-tighten if necessary to maintain stability.
- **Avoid Direct Sunlight:** Prolonged exposure to direct sunlight can cause the leatherette to fade or crack. Position the chair away from direct sunlight when possible.

6. Troubleshooting

If you encounter issues with your COUGAR Hotrod Gaming Chair, refer to these common troubleshooting tips.

- **Chair Squeaks:**
  - Ensure all screws are tightened.
  - Apply a small amount of silicone lubricant to moving parts or joints if the squeaking persists.
- **Chair Does Not Adjust Height:**
  - Check if the gas lift lever is fully engaged.
  - Ensure the gas lift cylinder is correctly seated in the base and mechanism.
- **Chair Feels Unstable:**
  - Verify that all assembly steps were followed correctly and all hardware is securely fastened.
  - Ensure the five-star base is not damaged.
- **Casters Not Rolling Smoothly:**
  - Remove any hair or debris wrapped around the caster wheels.
  - Ensure casters are fully inserted into the base.

If these steps do not resolve the issue, please contact COUGAR customer support.

7. Specifications

Brand	COUGAR
Model Name	Hotrod
Item Model Number	3MARXORB.0001
Color	Orange/Black
Product Dimensions (D x W x H)	20.47"D x 20.28"W x 54.72"H (52cm D x 51.5cm W x 139cm H)
Maximum Weight Recommendation	136 Kilograms (approx. 300 lbs)
Material	Metal Frame, Hyper-Dura Leatherette, Memory Foam Fill
Back Style	Solid Back with Fiberglass-Reinforced Shell
Special Features	Adjustable Backrest (90-150 degrees), Adjustable Height, Ergonomic Design, Head Support, Lumbar Support (height-adjustable suspension rails), 3D Armrests, RocX! Tilt Mechanism
Recommended Uses	Gaming, Office, Reading, Relaxing, Sleeping
Item Weight	59.6 pounds (approx. 27 kg)
UPC	192554005621
ASIN	B0CNRZY3HM

8. Warranty and Support

For warranty information, please refer to the warranty card included with your product or visit the official COUGAR website. If you require technical support, have questions about assembly, or need to report missing/damaged parts, please contact COUGAR customer service directly.
COUGAR Official Website: www.cougargaming.com
Please have your model number (Hotrod / 3MARXORB.0001) and purchase date available when contacting support.