

Shintenchi Kitchen Island

Shintenchi Kitchen Island with Folding Drop Leaf

Model: Kitchen Island

Brand: Shintenchi

1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides comprehensive instructions for the assembly, operation, and maintenance of your Shintenchi Kitchen Island with Folding Drop Leaf. Please read this manual thoroughly before assembly and use to ensure safe and efficient operation. Keep this manual for future reference.

2. SAFETY INFORMATION

WARNING: Failure to follow these safety instructions could result in injury or damage to the product.

- Ensure all parts are properly secured before use. Regularly check all fasteners and tighten as necessary.
- Do not allow children to play on, with, or around the cart. This product is not a toy.
- Use caution when moving the cart, especially on uneven surfaces, to prevent tipping. Engage wheel brakes when the cart is stationary.
- Do not exceed the maximum weight recommendation of **150 pounds** for the tabletop. Distribute weight evenly.
- Be mindful of the cart's size and mobility features to prevent tripping hazards.
- Keep hands and fingers clear of moving parts, especially when folding or unfolding the drop leaf.

3. COMPONENTS AND PARTS LIST

Before beginning assembly, verify that all components and hardware are present and undamaged. Refer to the included assembly diagram for a visual representation of all parts.

Included Components:

- Kitchen Island Cart Frame
- Folding Drop Leaf Top
- Drawers (3 units)
- Cabinet Doors (2 units)
- Adjustable Shelf (1 unit)
- Wheels (5 units, 2 with brakes)
- Stainless Steel Towel Rail
- Assembly Hardware (screws, dowels, cam locks, etc.)



Figure 3.1: Product Dimensions and Key Components. This diagram illustrates the overall dimensions of the kitchen island, including the main body, drop leaf, and drawer sizes.

4. SETUP AND ASSEMBLY

Assembly is required for this product. It is recommended to have two people for assembly, especially when attaching the tabletop. Please follow the step-by-step instructions provided in the separate assembly guide included with your packaging. Ensure you have a clear, spacious area for assembly and the necessary tools (e.g., screwdriver, hammer).

Assembly Tips:

- Lay out all parts and hardware before starting.
- Do not overtighten screws during initial assembly; tighten fully once the unit is stable.
- Pay close attention to the orientation of panels and hardware.

5. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

5.1. Using the Folding Drop Leaf

The kitchen island features a flexible folding drop leaf designed to expand your counter space or create a dining area. To extend the drop leaf:

1. Gently lift the drop leaf section of the tabletop.
2. Pull out the support bar located underneath the drop leaf until it locks into place.
3. Carefully lower the drop leaf onto the extended support bar.

To retract the drop leaf, reverse these steps: lift the leaf slightly, push the support bar back into its stored position, and then lower the leaf to its compact position.



Figure 5.1: Kitchen Island with Drop Leaf Extended. This image demonstrates the kitchen island with its drop leaf fully extended, providing additional counter space or a dining area.



Figure 5.2: Drop Leaf Operation. This diagram visually explains the process of extending and retracting the drop leaf for flexible

5.2. Utilizing Storage Features

The kitchen island is equipped with a spacious cabinet and three drawers for efficient storage.

- **Cabinet:** The double-door cabinet provides ample space for larger kitchen items.
- **Adjustable Shelf:** Inside the cabinet, a three-tier adjustable shelf allows you to customize the height settings to accommodate various storage requirements. To adjust, remove the shelf, reposition the shelf pins to the desired height, and reinsert the shelf.
- **Drawers:** Three smooth-gliding drawers are ideal for storing utensils, smaller gadgets, or other kitchen essentials.



Figure 5.3: Open Cabinet and Drawers. This image shows the interior of the kitchen island with its cabinet and drawers open, demonstrating the storage capacity for various kitchenware.



Figure 5.4: Adjustable Shelf. This image highlights the adjustable shelf feature within the cabinet, allowing for customized storage configurations.

5.3. Mobility and Secure Placement

The kitchen island is equipped with five smooth-rolling wheels for easy mobility. Two of these wheels include braking mechanisms for secure placement.

- **Moving the Cart:** To move the cart, ensure the wheel brakes are disengaged. Gently push the cart to your desired location.
- **Securing the Cart:** Once the cart is in position, engage the brakes on the two locking wheels by pressing down on the lever. This will prevent the cart from moving unintentionally.

6. MAINTENANCE

To ensure the longevity and appearance of your Shintenchi Kitchen Island, follow these maintenance guidelines:

- **Cleaning:** The tabletop and surfaces are water-resistant and easy to clean. Wipe spills immediately with a soft, damp cloth. For general cleaning, use a mild soap solution and dry thoroughly. Avoid abrasive

cleaners or harsh chemicals.

- **Hardware:** Periodically check all screws and fasteners to ensure they are tight. Retighten as needed to maintain stability.
- **Wheels:** Keep wheels free of debris to ensure smooth rolling.
- **Avoid Excessive Moisture:** While water-resistant, prolonged exposure to moisture can damage the wood.

7. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter any issues with your kitchen island, refer to the following common problems and solutions:

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Cart wobbles or is unstable	Loose fasteners; uneven floor; wheels not locked.	Check and tighten all screws and bolts. Ensure the cart is on a level surface. Engage wheel brakes.
Drawers do not slide smoothly	Debris in tracks; misaligned drawer slides.	Clean drawer tracks. Recheck assembly of drawer slides to ensure proper alignment.
Drop leaf does not stay extended	Support bar not fully extended or locked.	Ensure the support bar is pulled out completely and securely locked into position.
Wheels do not roll freely	Brakes engaged; debris in wheels.	Disengage wheel brakes. Clear any debris from the wheels.

8. SPECIFICATIONS

- **Product Dimensions:** 24.8"D x 39.8"W x 35.6"H
- **Shelf Type:** Tiered Shelf
- **Frame Material:** Wood
- **Color:** Blue
- **Style:** Modern
- **Maximum Weight Recommendation (Tabletop):** 150 Pounds
- **Assembly Required:** Yes
- **Number of Shelves:** 3 (adjustable)
- **Item Weight:** 84.7 pounds
- **Included Components:** Kitchen Island Cart
- **UPC:** 810195529237

9. WARRANTY INFORMATION

Warranty information for this product is not provided within this manual. Please refer to your purchase documentation or contact Shintenchi customer support for details regarding warranty coverage.

10. CUSTOMER SUPPORT

For assistance with assembly, missing parts, or any other inquiries, please contact Shintenchi customer support. Contact details are typically found on the product packaging or the official Shintenchi website.
Note: Always provide your product model number (Kitchen Island) and UPC (810195529237) when contacting support.