

## LEGO 43019

# LEGO 43019 Edition Soccer Ball Building Set

Instruction Manual

## 1. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

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The LEGO 43019 Edition Soccer Ball is a unique building set designed for display. This model features an intricate exterior resembling a soccer ball, which opens to reveal a detailed mini stadium interior. It is part of the LEGO Edition Collection of sports-themed building sets.

- **Model Number:** 43019
- **Number of Pieces:** 1,498
- **Approximate Dimensions:** Height 8.7 inches (22 cm) x Width 8.3 inches (21 cm) x Depth 8.3 inches (21 cm)
- **Recommended Age:** 10+ years



Image 1.1: The fully assembled LEGO 43019 Edition Soccer Ball on its display base.



Image 1.2: A detailed view of the exterior panels and decorative stickers on the soccer ball.

## 2. ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS

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This LEGO set contains 1,498 pieces. Follow the detailed step-by-step instructions provided in the physical instruction booklet included in the box. For an enhanced building experience, utilize the LEGO Builder App.

### 2.1. Before You Begin

- Ensure all bags of LEGO elements are present. Do not open all bags simultaneously to avoid mixing pieces.
- Find a clean, well-lit, and spacious area for assembly.
- Review the instruction booklet or download the LEGO Builder App for interactive 3D building guides.

### 2.2. Building Process

1. Open bags sequentially as indicated in the instruction booklet.
2. Carefully follow each step, ensuring all pieces are correctly connected.
3. The model involves constructing both the outer soccer ball shell and the internal stadium mechanism.
4. Pay close attention to the mechanism that allows the ball to open and reveal the stadium.



Image 2.1: A user engaged in the assembly process, revealing the detailed interior stadium.



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Image 2.2: An intricate view of the internal stadium model and its opening mechanism.



Image 2.3: A closer look at the stadium's details, including miniature figures and decorative elements.

### 3. OPERATING THE MODEL

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The LEGO 43019 Edition Soccer Ball is designed for interactive display. Once assembled, the outer shell can be opened to reveal the detailed stadium scene within.

- **Opening Mechanism:** Locate the designated button or lever on the exterior of the soccer ball. Pressing or activating this mechanism will cause the outer panels to retract, exposing the mini stadium.
- **Stadium Features:** Inside the stadium, miniature soccer players are positioned. The design includes elements that simulate a victory celebration with fireworks, activated upon opening.

- **Display:** The finished model is intended to be displayed on the included black display baseplate. Ensure the ball is securely placed on the stand.



Image 3.1: The LEGO Soccer Ball in its closed state, ready for display.

## 4. MAINTENANCE AND CARE

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Proper care will ensure the longevity and appearance of your LEGO 43019 Edition Soccer Ball model.

- **Cleaning:** To remove dust, use a soft brush or a can of compressed air. For deeper cleaning, LEGO elements can be washed by hand using mild soap and lukewarm water (not exceeding 40°C or 104°F). Rinse thoroughly and air dry.
- **Note:** While some LEGO elements are listed as "Dishwasher Safe" in general specifications, it is recommended to hand wash detailed or stickered pieces to preserve their integrity. Avoid harsh detergents or abrasive materials.
- **Storage:** Store the model in a cool, dry place away from direct sunlight to prevent discoloration or warping of plastic elements.
- **Handling:** Handle the model carefully, especially when opening and closing the stadium mechanism, to prevent accidental detachment of pieces.

## 5. TROUBLESHOOTING

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If you encounter any issues during assembly or with the finished model, refer to the following common solutions.

- **Missing Pieces:** If you find a piece is missing, first double-check all packaging and the surrounding area. If still missing, contact LEGO Customer Service directly through their official website for replacement parts.
- **Assembly Difficulties:**
  - Review the specific step in the instruction booklet or the LEGO Builder App.
  - Ensure you are using the correct pieces for the current step.
  - Sometimes, a piece may appear similar to another; verify the exact shape and size.
- **Mechanism Not Functioning Smoothly:**
  - Carefully inspect the moving parts of the opening mechanism for any misaligned or incorrectly assembled elements.
  - Ensure no small pieces are obstructing the movement.

## 6. SPECIFICATIONS

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Feature	Detail
Brand	LEGO
Model Number	43019
Number of Pieces	1,498
Dimensions (Approx.)	Height 8.7 inches (22 cm) x Width 8.3 inches (21 cm) x Depth 8.3 inches (21 cm)
Item Weight	1.5 Kilograms
Material Type	Acrylonitrile Butadiene Styrene (ABS Plastic)
Color	Multicolor
Theme	EDITIONS (Soccer/Football Sports)
Recommended Age	10+ years
Educational Objective	Creativity, Spatial Recognition, Focus and Dexterity
Assembly Required	Yes
Included Components	Building set components for model 43019, instruction booklet, display baseplate.

## 7. WARRANTY INFORMATION

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LEGO products are manufactured to high-quality standards. For specific warranty details regarding missing

or defective parts, please refer to the official LEGO website or the warranty information included with your product packaging. General warranty policies typically cover manufacturing defects.

## 8. CUSTOMER SUPPORT

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For further assistance, including inquiries about missing parts, assembly help, or product information, please contact LEGO Customer Service:

- **Official Website:** Visit [www.lego.com/service](http://www.lego.com/service) for FAQs, building instructions, and contact options.
- **Phone Support:** Refer to the LEGO website for regional contact numbers.
- **LEGO Builder App:** Download the official LEGO Builder App for interactive 3D building instructions and support.