



# THE PERFECT BOOKSHELF

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# 1 READ BEFORE YOU START TO ASSEMBLE THE PRODUCT

## CHECK THE CONTENTS OF YOUR ORDER

A bookshelf is always composed of:

- A set of boards cut to your dimensions.  
*The number of boards depends on the number of levels your bookcase comprises.*
- U shaped boxes.  
*These "U" shapes are delivered nested like Russian dolls in one or more boxes.*
- A package containing some wood spacers and some screws and pegs.  
*The spacers and screws are for stabilising your bookshelf.*

## UNPACK YOUR ORDER

**Remove the packaging from the "U" shaped boxes, 2 by 2 Never release a full set by pulling up the widest "U" shapes.**

Do not use a sharp tool to open your packages, as you risk damaging the contents.

## PREPARE THE NECESSARY EQUIPMENT

A spirit level to position your bookshelf vertically and horizontally.

## PROTECT YOURSELF AND YOUR INTERIOR

Wood can cut you. Wear gloves or handle parts with care.

Protect your floor and do not drag heavy items that could scratch your floor.



If you have a natural wood bookshelf, remember to remove the transparent protective film that protects the boards.

## 2 LAY THE FIRST BOARD

Place the first board in the spot where you want your bookcase to stand.

Using a spirit level, check that the board is horizontal, both width-wise and depth-wise. This is to ensure that your bookcase will be level and will stand flush against the wall. If necessary, correct it using the wooden spacers provided for this purpose.



### **Your bookcase contains levels for larger books?**

Start assembling your bookcase by placing the deepest board on the ground.

Never place a deep bookcase part (26 cm) above a shallow part (17 cm).



### **Your bookcase is of a width greater than 240 cm?**

The boards are cut into two unequal lengths: alternate the layers to place the end of the two boards at the intersection of a the "U" shaped box at each level.

## 3 SELECT AND INSTALL THE “U” BOXES

### SELECT THE “U” BOXES

As The Perfect Bookshelf is a modular bookcase, it is you who decides where to place the “U” boxes, depending on your requirements and the shape you want it to be.

Refer to the delivery note, which gives you a standard configuration for your bookshelf.

### POSITIONING THE “U” BOXES

Once you have selected the “U” boxes for the first level, place them on the board so that they are fixed by clamping the board. The front edges and back edges of the “U” boxes must be level with the board.

Slide the “U” boxes along the board according to your needs (eg. the number of books you want to put in a “U” or between two “U”s) and depending on the desired look (more or less symmetrical).



Always observe the following rules:

- Always have a minimum of 2 “U”s per level.
- Never allow more than 55 cm between 2 “U”s.
  - Never leave more than 15cm between a “U” box and the end of the shelf.
- Whenever possible, combine the smaller boxes with the biggest on one level.
- Make it so that for each level, the “U” boxes occupy about half of the total width of the shelf.

### 3 INSTALL THE SECOND BOARD

Place the second board above the first tier of boxes, making sure it fits well between the rims of the “U” boxes.

Using the spirit level, check your bookcase is still level depth-wise and is “glued” to the wall. If necessary, correct using wooden spacers positioning them above the “U” boxes.

### 4 ASSEMBLE THE NEXT SHELVES

Choose the “U” boxes and place them on the second board as you did for the first level, making sure the boxes fit securely on the board.

Place the next board on top of the level of the boxes, making sure it slots in well between the edges of the “U” boxes.

Continue in this way until you reach the number of planned levels (see delivery note).

Assemble the deepest section of shelving (for large books) completely before assembling the shallower section.

**Always follow the rules described in step 3.**



Your bookshelf contains levels for medium and small books? You can alternate levels for small books (22cm) and medium books (25 cm) to your liking.

## 5 TO FINISH

For perfect stability and your own safety, we recommend fixing the bookcase to the wall using the screws and dowels included in the pack.

Now it's time to fill up your bookshelf, please send us your comments and send us a picture of your installed Perfect Bookshelf.

If you want to disassemble your Perfect Bookshelf:

- Empty it completely.
- If you have attached it to the wall, remove the screws.
- Disassemble the bookshelf in the reverse order of assembly:
  - Remove the top board.
  - Remove the last level of "U" boxes.
  - And so on until the complete disassembly of your bookshelf.



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