


CHICKEN RUN ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS

These instructions are applicable for all coop models

(Mini Coop Shown)

<p>CHICKEN RUN CONTENTS:</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 2 long side panels: 1 solid, 1 with hinged door - End panel - Top panel: <i>Optional extra hinged panel. Latch hardware will be attached to the coop.</i> - Under coop panels (2 long sides, 1 short end) - Screws - Hook/Eye hardware serves two purposes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Allow the run to be removed for cleaning, etc. - Holds under-coop panels open - Optional: hinges (8) – included if coop has wheels. <i>Hinges will be attached to the under-coop panels prior to shipment.</i> <p>TOOLS: You will need a Phillips head screw driver. (<i>NOT included in the kit</i>)</p>
<p>NOTES BEFORE YOU START:</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - All the panels are pre-assembled. You are simply building a “box” by attaching them to each other and the coop. - 1 person can do this alone; however, 2 will make the job easier.
<p>1.) UNDER COOP PANELS:</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <u>See NOTE at end if you have hinged under coop panels.</u> - Screw the under-coop side panels directly to the side of the coop as shown using 2 screws for each panel. - Repeat for the under-coop end panel



2.) CHICKEN RUN – SIDES and END:

5 x 6 Coop Only:

Due to the extending nest box design of the 5x6 coop, 2 – 8” spacer panels will be included with your run kit.

These are intended to cover the gaps between the side of the coop, the coop legs and the edge(s) of the chicken run.

Screw them directly onto the coop legs.



2A.) Non-removable Run:

- **IMPORTANT:** Make sure the latch to the hinged side panel is outside the run.
- Attach the first side panel to the coop with 2 screws. Put one screw about 2” from the top of the panel frame (as pictured on the next page). If you have a 6x6 or an 8x8 coop, put the other screw a few inches from the bottom of the coop. For any other coop, screw directly into the coop leg. Attach the other side panel the same way.
- **Go to Step 2C.**



2B.) Removable Run:

- Build your chicken run as a “free-standing” structure. Attach the sides to the end as in **Step 2C.**
- Attach the hook-and-eye hardware to the frame and the coop, making sure they are properly spaced and aligned in order to latch.

2C.) Fit the end panel between the 2 side panels and screw through the top and bottom of the frame as shown below to attach it to the side panels.



3.) CHICKEN RUN – TOP:

- Place the last panel on top of the chicken run. Make sure to align all the edges before screwing the pieces together.
- If you purchased the hinged top panel, place the latching mechanism against the coop. Make sure the latch hardware is outside the run.
- You will use a total of 6 screws, 2 screws for each of the three sides of the run. The top panel does not get attached to the coop wall itself.
 - Drive screws at an angle through the top panel and into the side panels as shown. You will use 1 screw on each side at the end of the coop, and 2 on each corner at the end of the run (1 through the side and 1 through the end of each corner).



NOTE:

If you purchased wheels with your coop, the under coop panels of the chicken run will come with the hinges attached.

Figure 1:

- With the hinges to the outside, align the top of the under coop panel up against the bottom edge of the coop.
- With the panel still held in place, open the rectangular part of the hinge so that it is against the coop wall.
- Attach the hinge to the side of the coop with screws through the hinge holes.

Figure 2:

- Install additional hook-and-eye hardware to latch the under-coop panels up as needed.

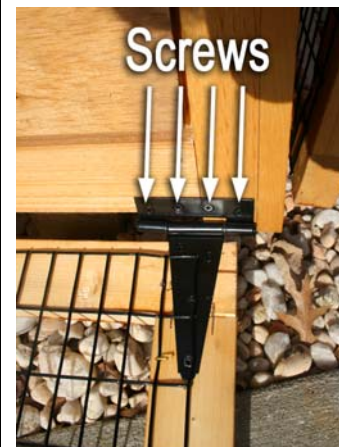


Figure 1

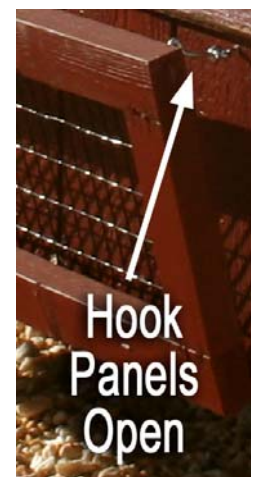


Figure 2