

DISMANTLING YOUR FEEDER FOR CLEANING

A Clean Feeder is a Healthy Feeder

A clean bird feeder is as important to birds as clean dishes are to humans. Grimy bird feeders can be a source of food contamination. Wild birds will naturally avoid spoiled food. A clean bird feeder will attract more wild birds.



WARNING: Bird droppings contain contaminants. Avoid skin contact.



1.
Disconnect the hanger from the feeder

2.
Disconnect and remove the seed tube

Triangular tabs in tube bottom indicate location of ports and clips. Depress clips located inside the seed ports and push up.

3.
Remove skirt component



4. Remove the bottom wing nut



5. Remove the shroud (bottom section)

6. Place all parts on the top rack of dishwasher

Note: The heating element on some dishwashers may be close enough to the bottom rack to damage plastic parts. While all our products are made from components meant to last, they are not guaranteed against excessive heat. Replacement parts are available at an authorized dealer.

ASSEMBLING YOUR FEEDER



1. Insert shroud (bottom section) into center post

Align the 3 ribs on the shroud hub with the 3 slots inside the center post.



2. Attach wing nut

Use thumb pressure only - do not force.
Depress clips located inside the seed ports and push up.



3.
Insert skirt component



4.
Insert the seed tube

Align yellow arrows on seed tube with yellow marks on base. Press down gently until the clips snap into place. Test for proper attachment by lifting the feeder by the seed tube.



5.
Attach and latch hanger cover



6.
Adjusting perch length

1.25" for small birds

0.35 oz./10g to 1.0 oz./28g

1.50" for medium birds

1.0 oz./28g to 2.0 oz./56g

1.75" for large birds

2.0 oz./56g and more"

- a) Rotate wing nut counter clockwise
2 turns to unlock perches
- b) Screw or unscrew perches to desired length
- c) Rotate wing nut clockwise to lock perches in position
(Use thumb pressure only - do not force)