



# Cushioned Single Swing

Weight limit: 350 pounds

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Congratulations on your purchase of a Hatteras Hammocks® Cushioned Single Swing! We believe you'll find it a product of unsurpassed quality, durability and relaxation potential, and a source of enjoyment for years to come.

Your new swing is designed to be hung from one of the quality swing stands that we offer, or it may also be hung from a wood beam sturdy enough to support at least 350 pounds.

## PARTS LIST

- 1 - Cushioned Single Swing
- 1 - Hanging Bracket Assembly:
  - 1 - Bracket
  - 2 - 2" x 1/4" Lag Bolts
  - 1 - S-Hook

**NOTE:** If you're **NOT** hanging your swing from a swing stand and are installing it instead onto a wood beam, you'll need a few tools, not included:

### TOOLS FOR INSTALLATION:

- 7/16" wrench or socket, or adjustable wrench
- Drill with 1/4" bit
- Sharpened pencil



## INSTALLING FROM A WOOD BEAM

**STEP 1.** Choose a hanging location that's 6½-8½ feet above ground/floor level; hanging much higher will require additional hardware not included with this swing. Be sure you have at least 3 feet of open space in front and behind where your swing will hang.

Ideally, you should hang your swing from a ceiling joist (a ceiling's support beams, typically set 16-24 inches apart). **The joist should be a board of 2" x 6" or larger, and must be able to safely support 350 pounds.** If you're unsure how much weight your ceiling joists will tolerate, or if no joist is in line with where you want to hang your swing, consult an experienced carpenter for help with installation.

Use a quality stud finder to locate joists for you, and to determine the middle of the joist beam you select; you'll want to install hanging hardware as close to the middle of the beam as possible. **DO NOT attempt to hang your swing**



INSTALLED BRACKET, S-HOOK

**from the ceiling covering itself (which is often just plywood or bead board).**

If you don't have joists that will safely support 350 pounds, consider purchasing a free-standing swing stand.

**STEP 2.** Position the hanging bracket included with your swing along the center of your chosen joist/beam. Mark your drill holes on the beam using a pencil through the bracket's two bolt holes.

**The hanging bracket should ONLY be used with wood; it's NOT safe or approved for use with other surfaces.** For installing in any other surface besides wood, consult a home-improvement specialist. Hatteras Hammocks is not responsible for improper installation.

**STEP 3.** Drill approximately 2½ inches deep at the spots marked through the bolt holes.

**STEP 4.** Fit the S-Hook onto the hanging bracket **BEFORE** bracket installation; the S-Hook will **NOT** fit onto the bracket once the bracket is installed. Next, position the bracket holes over the drill holes, and install the two lag bolts by hand. Tighten the bolts with a 7/16" wrench or socket, or adjustable wrench. Do not overtighten, as bolts can strip the wood, compromising the swing's weight capacity.

**STEP 5.** Hook a link of the swing's hanging chain to the bottom of the S-Hook. When sitting in the swing, your feet should touch the ground with your knees slightly bent; fine-adjust swing height by changing the number of chain links. Swing ropes will naturally stretch during initial use, so you may have to tweak the hanging height more than once.

## CARE & MAINTENANCE

Crafted of the highest quality outdoor fabric, your Single Cushioned Swing is made to be weather-durable and fade- and stain-resistant. However, if this swing is to hang in an unprotected area, it's still advisable to bring it indoors during extreme weather conditions, or extended periods of wet weather.

Periodic fabric cleaning will likewise help ensure this swing's longest possible life. Wash the fabric briskly with a mild solution of liquid dishwashing soap and warm water, rinse the cushion thoroughly with clean water and allow the fabric to air-dry. For stubborn stains or to remove suntan oil, use a soft brush for scrubbing, or even a mild bleach-and-water solution, again rinsing thoroughly and then allowing the fabric to air-dry before re-hanging your swing, or storing it.

**WARRANTY** | Product guaranteed free of defects in workmanship and materials for up to one year from date of purchase. If an item is found to be defective within that time, Hatteras Hammocks® will replace it at no charge. Normal wear and tear, including prolonged exposure to snow, rain and heavy humidity, is not covered, nor is mold, mildew or damage from improper storage, maintenance or installation. An original sales receipt must accompany any returned product, along with a Return Authorization Number from Hatteras Hammocks® customer service; call toll-free at (800) 643-3522.