

# PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS

# **Assistant D Dental Stool**

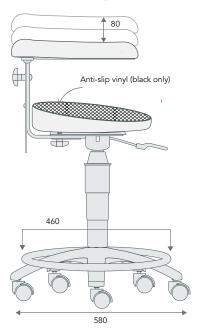
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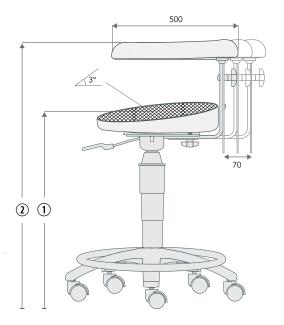
Tel: +61 3 9391 3552 Email: sales@australiandental.com.au Fax: +61 3 9923 6516 Factory address: 13/17 Chambers Road, Altona North, VIC 3025, Australia Postal address: PO Box 200, Altona North, VIC 3025, Australia Assistant D Dental Stool

Note: Dimensions are in mm.

# Left-hand operation

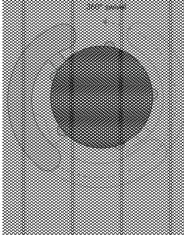


Right-hand operation



#### Central





Birds-eye view

#### PRODUCT OPTIONS

The Assistant D Stool is fitted with a 160 stroke gas lift as standard. If you require a higher or lower stool, alternative gas lifts are available (see table below).

	Seat height <sup>①</sup>		Arm height ②	
Gas lift stroke	MIN	MAX	MIN	MAX
100	470	555	720	805
140	490	620	740	870
160	545	685	785	940
200	555	740	810	1000

#### Note:

- Heights are estimates only (tolerance 10mm)
- Vertical movement shown in diagram is in addition to height shown in table
- With alloy base fitted, all heights are reduced by 20mm

## **COMPONENTS**



#### Arm

The swivel arm can easily be altered by the user for left or right-handed operation or mounted in the centre as a back rest.

# Upholstery

The seat is manufactured with high density cut foam. Choose from over 200 vinyl colours or supply your own. For a full list of colours, see our website. All our vinyls are antibacterial and flame retardant.

#### Base material

Nylon (standard) or alloy (alloy diameter 600mm).

#### Friction castors

Fitted with polyurethane soft tire friction castors limiting the stool's movement when pressure is released (e.g. when the user stands up). Free wheel castors can be fitted upon request (black only).

## CAPACITY

120kg (evenly spread).

# SHIPPING INFO

Stool weight: 14.5kg Packaged weight: 16.5kg

Packaged dimensions: 590mm × 590mm × 590mm

#### OPTIONAL ACCESSORIES

Height adjustable foot ring (similar to 'Drafting Stool').

#### HOW TO ORDER

Dental companies or government agencies, please contact us directly. Dentists please see our 'store locator' page for a list of our Australian and international distributors.

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#### ADDITIONAL NOTES ABOUT THIS PRODUCT

The product's ergonomic design incorporates a firm forward sloping seat for optimal dental work postures. The natural elongated S - shape of the spine is compromised by soft seats, resulting in a slumped posture and spinal compression causing back and neck problems.

# The firm and forward sloping seat

- allows the weight to fall through the sit bones, the anatomical weight bearers for sitting;
- reduces muscular effort required to maintain upright posture;
- reduces tendency to slump;
- allows the hip joints to be higher than the knees, which facilitates forward bending at the hip joints rather than distorting the spine.

#### USING YOUR STOOL FOR THE FIRST TIME

It is recommended that you don't sit for long periods without breaks in the first few weeks of using your new product. The deep back muscles need to build up strength to support you sitting upright. As your muscles get stronger, you will be able to sit for longer periods with ease.

The job of our back muscles is to support an upright spine, but due to poor sitting posture these muscles are not activated with enough frequency to do this work.

The deep back muscles are activated when you are sitting on the product the correct way. As most people don't engage their back muscles to support their spine when sitting, initially these muscles are not used to working.

Even after the deep back muscles are accustomed to activation through sitting on the product, it is important to stand up and move, even briefly, every 35-45 minutes. 'Sitting is the new smoking', according to latest research.