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INTRODUCTION

We'd like to start out by saying THANK YOU for purchasing a ClimaCab From Acoustic Remedy. We appreciate your patronage!

You now own the best in multi-instrument humidor available in the world and have taken a crucial step to protecting your instruments for many generations to come.

Included in this document are basic set up and use instructions, although your ClimaCab is virtually ready to use almost immediately. If you have any questions during the set up process, don't hesitate to reach us via phone or email. Contact information is included later in this document and also on our website on our <u>Contact</u> page.

Disclaimer:

Depending on the type of ClimaCab you purchased, there may be slight variations to the ClimaCab Set Up & Use instructions. Where applicable, we have done our best to address these as necessary and may provide you additional information via email or by phone as needed. In the majority of situations, these general guidelines will get you started within approximately 15-20 minutes of un-crating the ClimaCab.

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PACKING LIST

STANDARD COMPONENTS

- ClimaCab in a 3/4" plywood crate with foam lined interior
- Acoustic Remedy Humidity Control System
- Boveda 49% 2-Way Humidity Control Packets*
- Boveda Cedar 2-Packet Holders*
- Ultra warm powered and dimmable LED light strip fully installed in brushed aluminum channel with frosted diffuser lens
- Slotted cover plate which is installed into the opening in the floor of the ClimaCab after filling the humidifier
- Remote for LED light strip
- Door hardware (NOTE: The holes in the doors will be pre-drilled and the hardware will need to be re-installed upon receipt)

STORAGE SYSTEM SPECIFIC COMPONENTS

- NECK/BOUT REST STORAGE/DISPLAY OPTION
 - Neck rests*
 - Lower bout rails with cork lined surface
 - Cross support bars for front facing option*
- TOP RAIL & PROHANG STORAGE/DISPLAY OPTION
 - Top rail hangers*
 - Slat wall hangers*
 - Removable top rail block, carriage bolt, and allen wrench**
- TANDEM AND SPLIT STORAGE/DISPLAY OPTION
 - Components from both storage/display options listed above

*Quantity varies based on size of ClimaCab

** Install block after inserting top rail hangers

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THREE TYPES OF DISPLAY OPTIONS

Please determine the appropriate storage system you selected with your ClimaCab.

Top Rail Display Option

The Top Rail includes a wood rail permanently affixed to the ceiling of the ClimaCab. It utilizes String Swing hangers attached to square shaped blocks. The blocks slide along rail and are removable at on the right side of the rail.

ProHang Display Option

The ProHang includes the top rail with slat wall along the back of the ClimaCab. All slat wall is hardwood runs from top to bottom and utilizes Sting Swing's slat wall hangers in addition to the previously mentioned top rail hangers.

Neck and Bout Rest Display Option

The Neck and Bout includes cork lined bout rest rails which magnetically attach to permanently affixed tracks on the floor of the ClimaCab. Additionally, a rail is mounted along the back of the cabinet which secures the cork lined hardwood neck rests magnetically to a power coated bar routed into the rail.

Tandem Display Options

The Tandem options are a combination of hanging and resting options. They are either split half/half in the ClimaCab or run the full width. The components listed in the other options are included with each Tandem display option.

All-In-One

The All-In-One is a cabinet with ProHang and Neck and Bout Rest options. The components listed in the other options are included with each Tandem display option.

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SET UP AND USE DIRECTIONS

- 1) To begin, move the foam lined crate near the final use location. The crate is constructed of 3/4" plywood and each piece is secured with screws. Locate the front panel and remove it using a drill or screwdriver with appropriate Phillips head drill bit.
- 2) Once the crate is open, remove the foam piece behind the front panel and set aside. Repeat the process with the sides and back pieces of plywood and foam pieces to gain full access to the ClimaCab. At this point the ClimaCab should be sitting on the base of the crate. Fully inspect the ClimaCab following the instructions provided prior to receiving the shipment.
- 3) The easiest method to remove the ClimaCab off the base of the crate is to first remove the lower section doors, which can be accomplished by following the instructions for <u>Removing ClimaCab Lower Section Doors</u>. Following removal of the lower section doors, a good handhold is along the face frame of the lower section. At a minimum, use one person at the left and right side. Carefully grab near the front corners and place the other hand on the back of the ClimaCab.
- 4) With knees bent, lift the ClimaCab slightly off the base and set on the floor adjacent to it.
- 5) Open the bottom storage compartment doors to locate two boxes. Included in one box are the accessories, including String Swing hangers (both top rail & slat wall), cork lined bout rails, neck holders, any specialty hangers, the wood cover plate, Boveda Packet holders, the LED light remote, handles, and other accessories which will require installation during the set up phase. In the other box is the Acoustic Remedy Humidity Control System reservoir and lid.
- 6) Remove the humidifier reservoir from the box.
 - For standard setups (i.e. non-ducted humidity control systems), place into the humidifier box below the floor of the ClimaCab. The orientation of the humidifier reservoir should be such that the fan is toward the back for the ClimaCab.
 - For ducted solutions, the proper placement will be on the back floor of the lower section.
 - Fill the reservoir to the max fill line with distilled water and a few drops of bacteriostat. Purchase Bacteriostat
 - Place the slotted or circular vent plate into place
 - Acoustic Remedy Humidity Control System Owner's Manual
- 7) Attach the 4-pin Molex cable inside the humidifier reservoir box. This cable connects the fan on top of the reservoir lid to the smart controller. All excess cable can be pushed into the wire control box in the back wall of the humidifier reservoir box.
- 8) Locate the power strip and ensure the toggle switch is in the on position. Plug necessary power supplies into the strip and plug the power strip into a 110V outlet. At this point, the humidification system and the lighting should power on.

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g) For the **Top Rail Display Option**, the hangers will be attached to small angled wood blocks. Carefully unpack the hangers and locate the small Allen wrench. Insert the hanger blocks into the Top Rail on the right side and slide to the left.. The wood block will slide easily along the rail and opposing angles will keep it secure. All hangers can be pivoted at the yoke with the small thumb screw located on the back side of the yoke. Insert the small wood block into the right side using the allen wrench and carriage bolt. See Appendix A for photos.

For the **Neck & Bout Rest Display Option**, remove the neck rests from the box. On the backside of the rest, a single neodymium magnet is inserted flush with the wood surface. This magnet attracts the rest to the rail. Insert the neck rest into the rail, mounted approximately at the center point along the back of the ClimaCab. See Appendix A for photos.

Remove the bout rails find the notch cut from the underside. The magnet installed will lock them into the tracks permanently affixed to the floor of the ClimaCab. Move the rails inward and outward to the proper position relative to one another. For wider lower bout instruments, space them further apart and vice versa for thinner lower bouts. Depending on the position of the back bout rail, the angle of lean into the neck rests will be effected. It is recommended to keep the rear bout rail approximately four inches off the back of the cabinet.

For the **ProHang Display Option**, follow the instructions for the hangers in Top Rail Display Option. When utilizing the String Swing slat wall hangers, locate the small lip on the upper edge of the black plate. Tilt the hanger slightly from vertical and insert the lip into the opening between the slats. See Appendix A for photos.

For the **Tandem and All-In-One Display Options**, please follow the above instructions to utilize the various individual systems simultaneously.

- 10) Once the hangers or rests for various options are in place, place them in the approximate location prior to inserting instruments.
- 11) Place the Boveda 2-Way Humidification packets into the pre-mounted cedar packet holders. These are mounted along the center bar on the Petite+ and larger ClimaCabs. For the Petite size, use the included magnet and/or velcro pads and install the mounting hardware by using the included instructions from Boveda. Additionally, a common location to store the packet holders is along the floor where the back and floor meet.

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- 12) Begin placing your guitars into the hangers in any configuration you desire. All String Swing hangers used in the **Top Rail Display Option** can pivot 180 degrees at the yoke. Certain slat wall hangers pivot at the yoke and near the powder coated plate while others are straight fixed arms of various lengths. The pivoting allows for multiple storage configurations. For the **Neck & Bout Rest Display Option**, space the bout rails at appropriate distance apart for your guitar bout size. For electrics, they will need to be closer together and for larger bodied acoustics farther apart. Also, the further from the neck rests, the more angled they will land into the neck rest and may create issues with the strap pin on the bottom of the guitar. It is best to keep them close to the back of the ClimaCab as possible. Align the neck rest with the neck of the guitar once it is placed in the bout rails.
- 13) On the two door models, the gasket will be compressed by magnets on the back side of the door and the face frame/board on the back side of the left door. On the one door models, latches opposite of hinge side will pull the door tight to the gasket.
- 14) We recommend keeping the doors shut at all times when not adding/removing guitars or performing cleaning, maintenance to the humidifier, and other necessary tasks to keep your ClimaCab operating at optimal levels.

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OTHER IMPORTANT DOCUMENTS

Supporting documents for your ClimaCab can be found on the ClimaCab Documents page.

<u>Acoustic Remedy Humidity Control System Owner's Manual</u> will assist with learning about and operating the humidification/de-humidification systems.

CLEANING & CARE

We recommend utilizing Woodwright's Spotless Cleaner and polishing cloths. The cleaner is effective for cleaning both the glass and wood surfaces. Visit the <u>Cleaners</u>, <u>Concentrates</u>, <u>Polishes</u>, <u>and Towels</u> collection to learn more and purchase.

ACCESSORIES

Humidity Monitoring: The primary mechanism to monitor the humidity and temperature levels inside your ClimaCab is to utilize the included humidity sensor. Levels should consistently remain between 45-50% RH and temperatures between 60 - 80 degrees. For more technological and accurate methods of monitoring, we sell and highly recommend the high quality Bluetooth and Wifi monitoring devices. Please visit <u>Humidity Control and Monitoring Products</u> to learn more and purchase.

OTHER ACOUSTIC REMEDY PRODUCTS

- ClimaStand: floor standing, single instrument humidor
- ClimaCase: wall mounted, single instrument humidor
- String Stands: SoloStand, DualStand, and DualStand Deluxe
- String Racks: available in Petite (32"), Traditional (48"), and Grand (64")
- Wood Guitar Picks: explore your tone options with handmade picks in a variety of hardwoods
- Pedal Boards: hardwood pedal boards in various sizes
- Musician Seating: stools and stairs to sit and strum on

QUESTIONS/COMMENTS/CONCERNS

You can contact us via phone or email. In addition, some answers to common questions may be found on our <u>FAQ Page</u>.

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THANK YOU ONCE AGAIN!

By doing business with Acoustic Remedy, you are not only supporting the two owners and their families but also our Amish builders and their families.

In turn, we also support numerous small business during the course of running our business and appreciate all the hard work and efforts that go into the day-to-day operations that keep things ticking.

As a way of saying thanks, any one of our current customers is automatically granted a discount on future purchases, with certain exceptions applying. In addition, we encourage you to show our products to your friends and family, especially the musicians you know! Please let them know that we have Friends & Family discounts that are available if they are referred by a current customer.

We love what we do and can't thank you enough for supporting us. We hope you have many years of enjoyment with your Acoustic Remedy product, as they are all designed to last a lifetime and then some.

Take care and strum on!

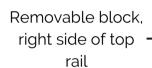
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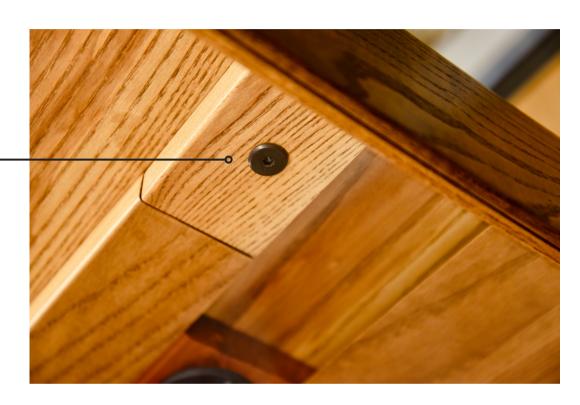
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APPENDIX A

TOP RAIL HANGING SYSTEM





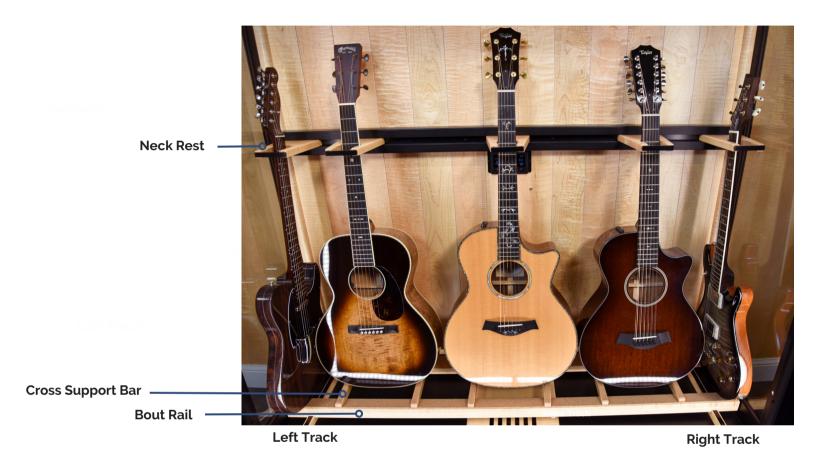
Hanger blocks are inserted into rail and can slide left/right



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NECK & BOUT REST DISPLAY OPTION



PROHANG DISPLAY OPTION





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