

VARIABLE DENT REEDS

For
Cricket and Flip Looms



CREATE FABRIC WITH DIFFERENT DENSITIES IN THE SETT, OR ACCOMMODATE THICK AND THIN YARNS.

NOTES

- It is easiest to set up the variable dent reed at your loom.
- The weaving width of the variable dent reed is about 1/4" narrower than a regular reed of similar width.
- Reed sections do not need to completely fill all of the available space in the reed frame. To weave at less than full width, secure reed sections with heddle retainer rings.
- To weave at full width, you may need to remove the plastic spacers from the frame posts prior to re-assembly.

ASSEMBLY

1. Disassemble the entire reed frame and place the reed frame bottom in the loom's up heddle position with the slot facing up.
2. Insert the reed sections in your desired order, making sure that the open edge of one section meets the flat edge of the next section and that the reed sections are centered in the reed frame.
3. Place the reed frame top over the reed sections with the slot facing down.
4. If weaving at less than full width, secure the reed sections with heddle retainer rings: slide a ring onto both the top and bottom reed frames until they rest against the outermost reed sections, securing them in position.
5. Re-assemble the end posts: insert a 1" screw through the bottom of the frame, a plastic spacer, and into the metal rod. Then insert the knob through the reed frame top, a plastic spacer, and into the metal rod. Tighten the knob on the frame top; you may need to hold the screw in place with a screwdriver or your finger.

SL2160 10" Cricket Loom Variable Dent Reed

includes 10" reed frame and reed sections:

- 2 – 5-dent • 2 – 10-dent
- 2 – 8-dent • 2 – 12-dent

SL2161 15" Cricket & Flip Loom Variable Dent Reed

includes 15" reed frame and reed sections:

- 4 – 5-dent • 3 – 10-dent
- 4 – 8-dent • 3 – 12-dent

SL2162 20" Flip Loom Variable Dent Reed

includes 20" reed frame and reed sections:

- 6 – 5-dent • 4 – 10-dent
- 4 – 8-dent • 4 – 12-dent

SL2163 25" Flip Loom Variable Dent Reed

includes 25" reed frame and reed sections:

- 8 – 5-dent • 5 – 10-dent
- 8 – 8-dent • 5 – 12-dent

SL2164 30" Flip Loom Variable Dent Reed

includes 30" reed frame and reed sections:

- 9 – 5-dent • 6 – 10-dent
- 9 – 8-dent • 6 – 12-dent