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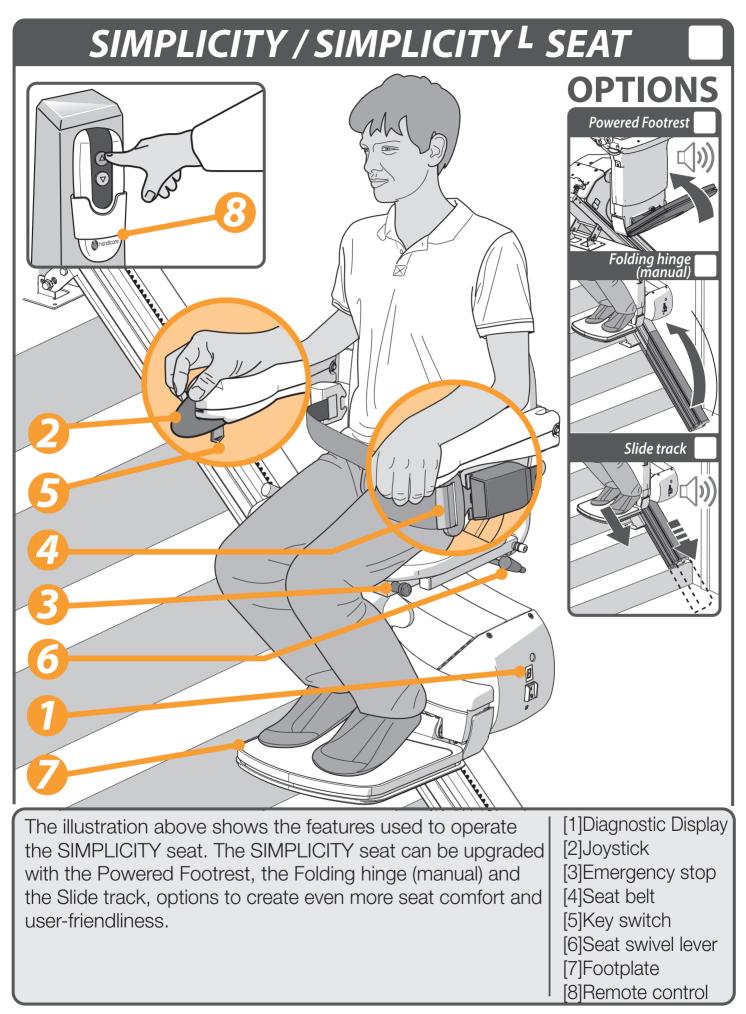
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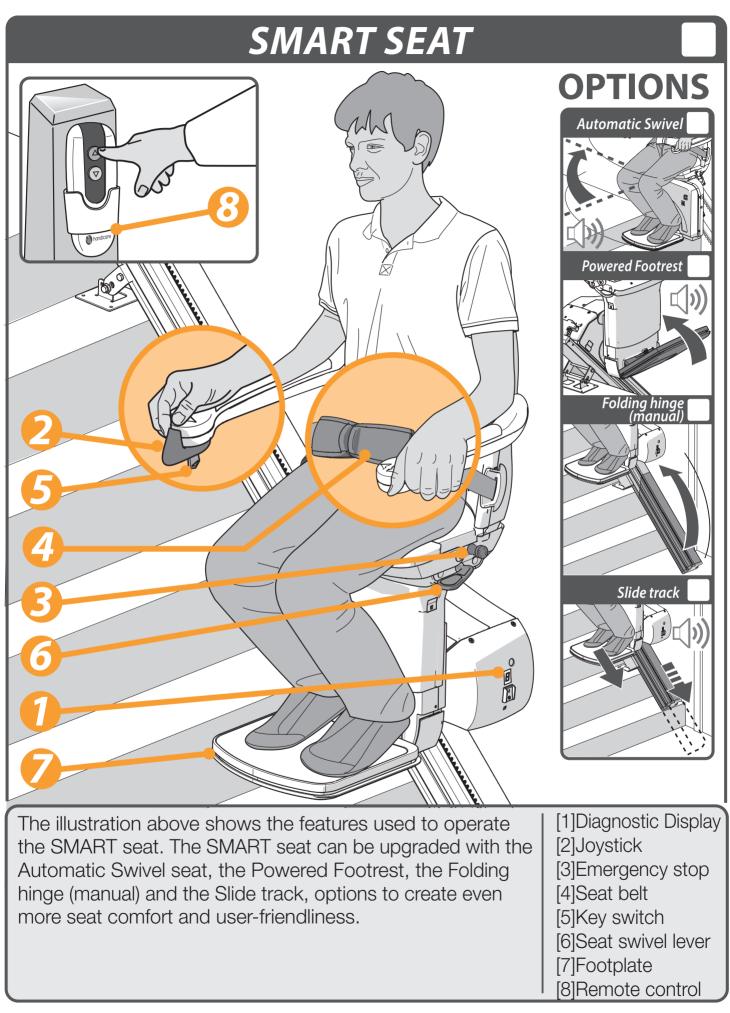
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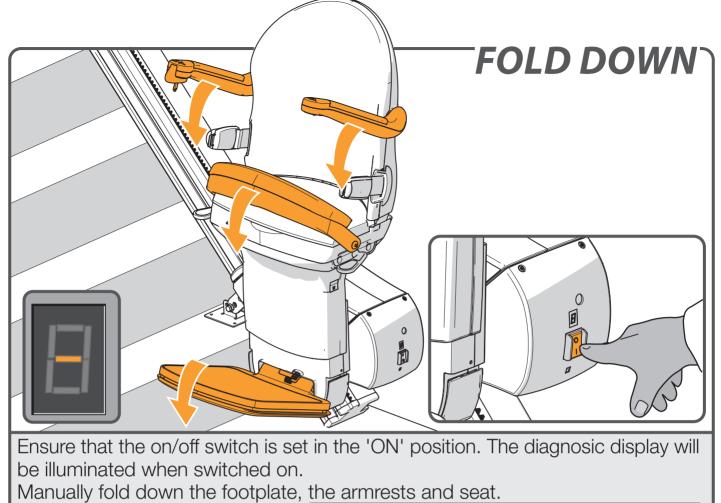
FOREWORD`

Thank you for choosing a Handicare stairlift. This manual is for the HANDICARE 950 lift type, and includes instructions for the standard features and optional upgrades.

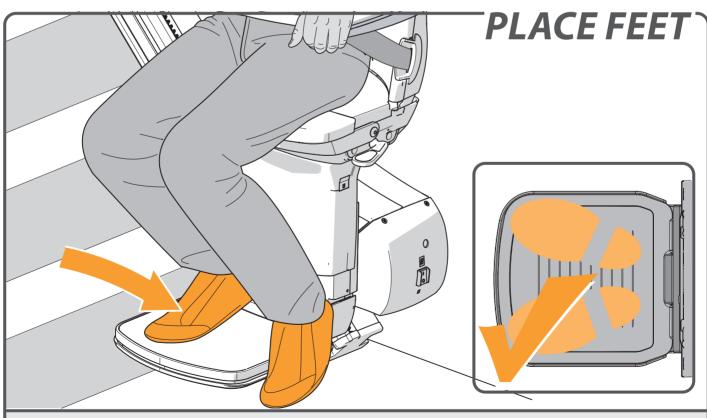
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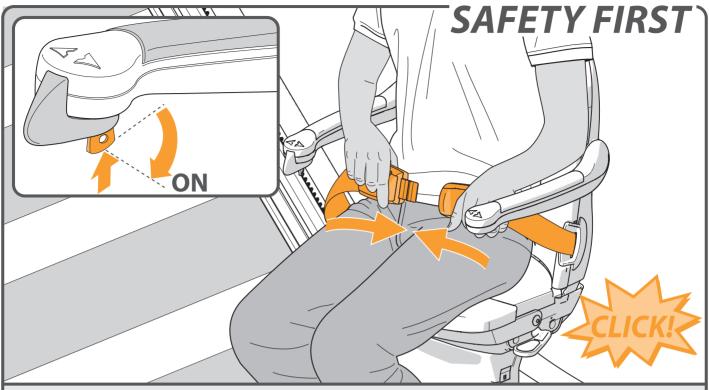




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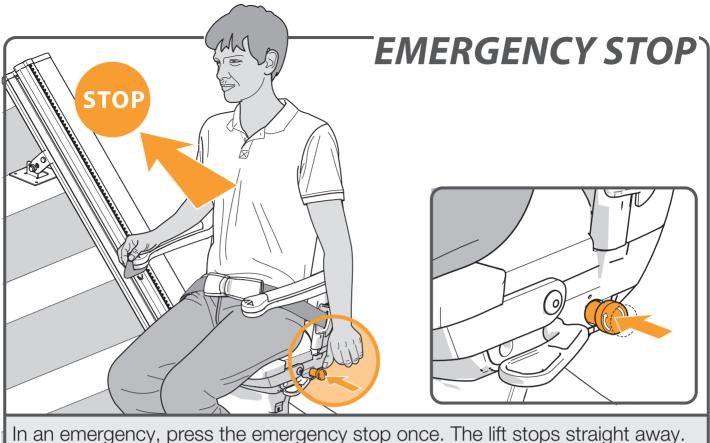
Place your feet on the footplate. Ensure that both feet are completely on the plate.



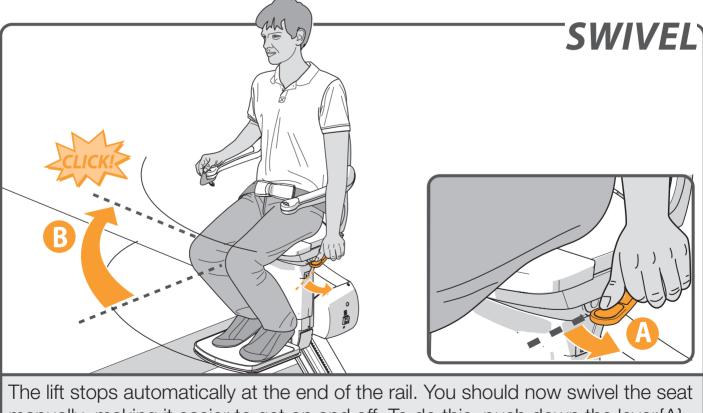
Fasten the seat belt securely, ensuring that it clicks into the holder. Put the key in the switch and turn it ninety degrees clockwise. Check that the chair is in the locked position.



Move and hold the joystick in the desired direction of travel. The display shows a "**8/9**", the lift will beep 3 times and start slowly after 1 second. When changing the direction of travel the delay will be 3 seconds.

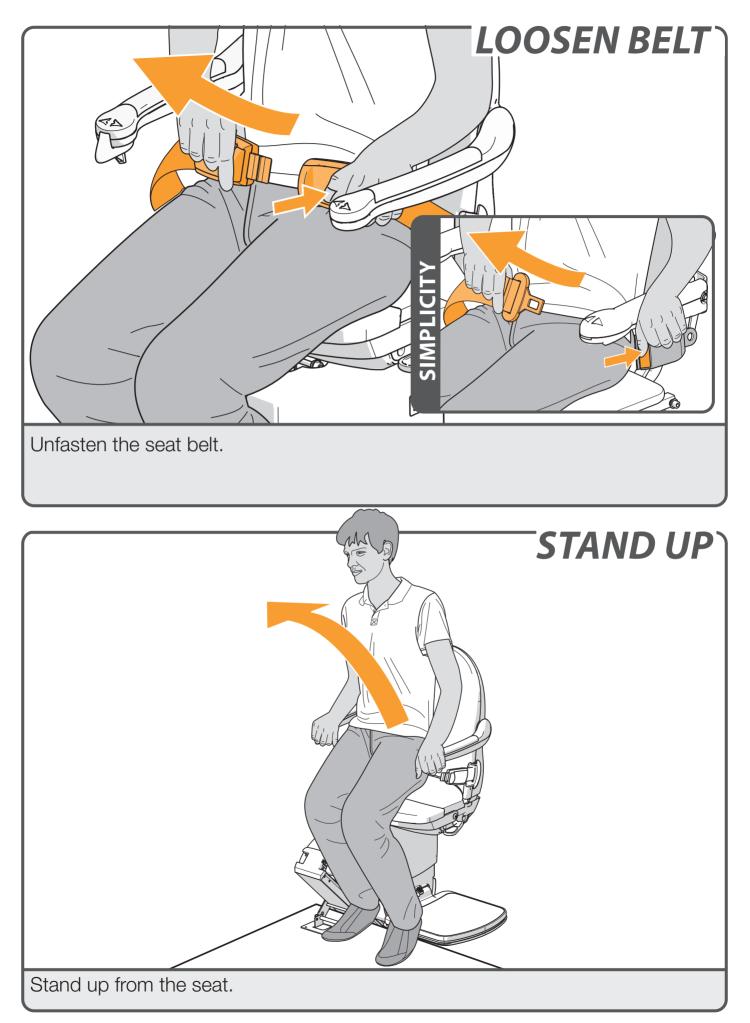


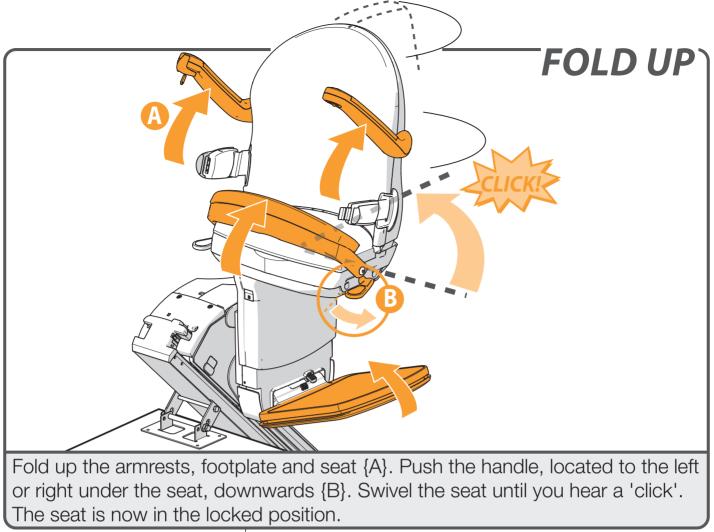
In an emergency, press the emergency stop once. The lift stops straight away. The emergency stop can be released by turning the emergency button.

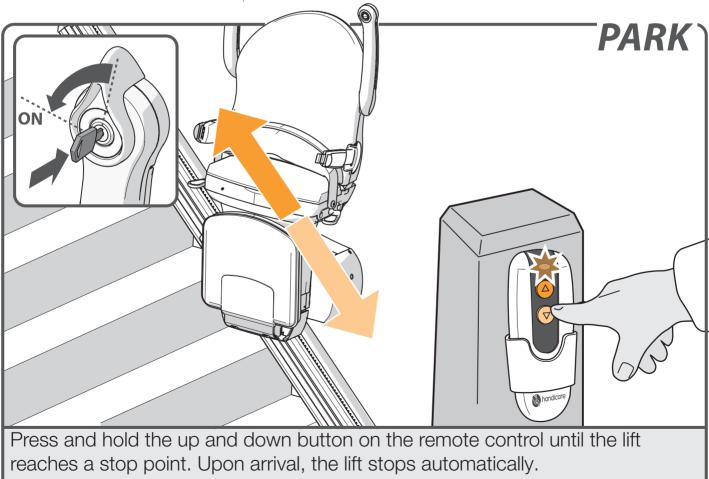


The lift stops automatically at the end of the rail. You should now swivel the seat manually, making it easier to get on and off. To do this, push down the lever{A}. Swivel the seat until you hear a 'click'. The seat is now in the correct position{B}.

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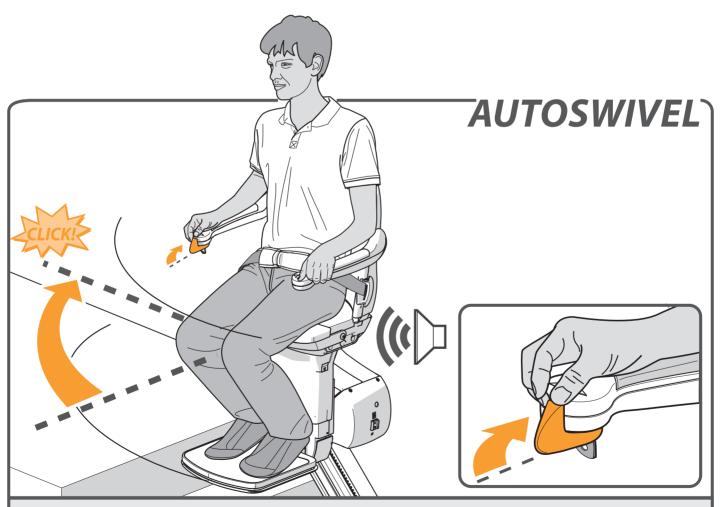




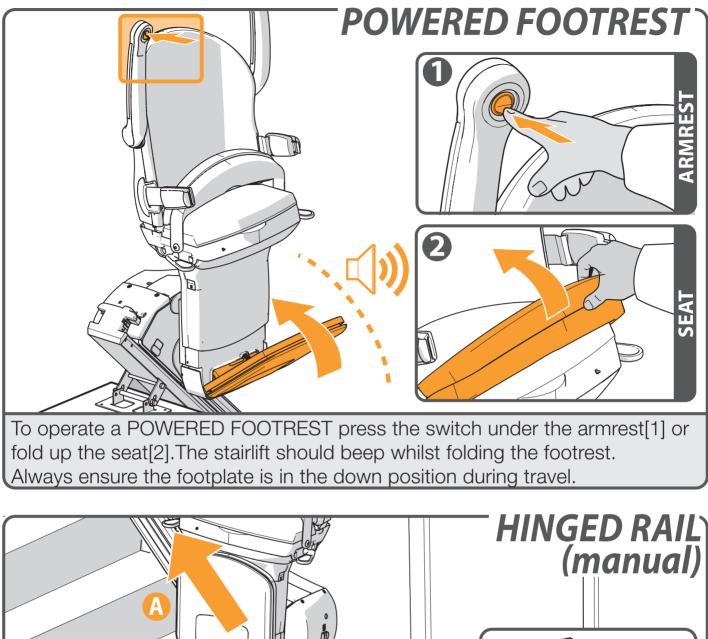


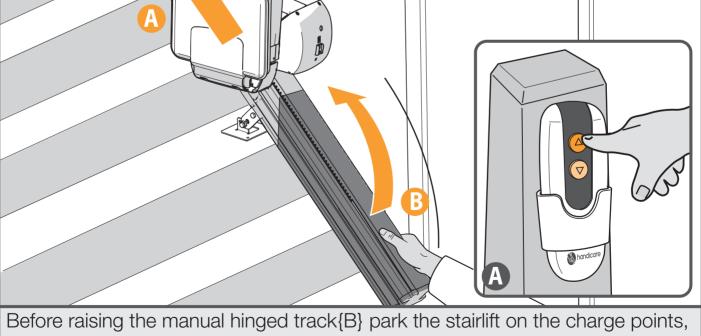
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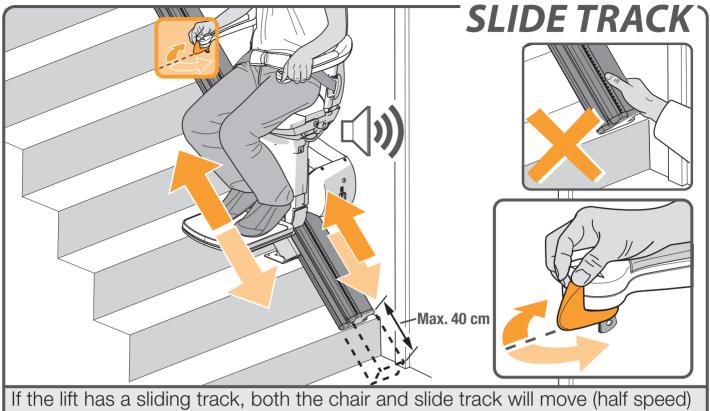


The AUTOMATIC SWIVEL SEAT option lets you swivel the seat automatically to face the direction you are going to walk. To do this, push and hold the joystick in the direction of travel.

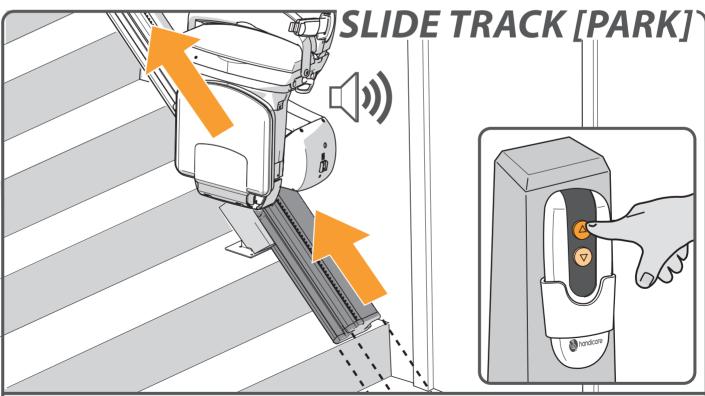




Before raising the manual hinged track{B} park the stairlift on the charge points, above the hinge, or at the top of the stairs{A}. When your stairlift is not in use it should always be positioned away from the hinged section at a charging point with the hinge in the raised position.



If the lift has a sliding track, both the chair and slide track will move (half speed) at the same time. Once the slide track has reached the end of its travel the lift will gradually increase to its normal running speed and continue its travel. Keep the toggle pressed in the same direction.



When the lift is not in use it should be moved away from the bottom of the stairs so that it does not cause an obstruction. The stairlift does not charge when it is parked at the bottom of the stairs. To park the lift, press and hold the UP button on the handset.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

EC DECLARATION OF CONFORMITY FOR MACHINERY (Directive 2006/42/EC)				
Manufacturer: Handicare Address : 82 First Avenue Pensnett Estate Kingswinford, West Midlands D United Kingdom	Y6 7FJ			
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FOREWORD

Your Handicare 950 stairlift is a sophisticated product that has been specifically developed to carry one person (max 140 kg/22.7 stone/308 lbs) sitting on the seat (hinged rail/ slide rail type: max 120 kg/18.1 stone/264 lbs). Before using your Handicare 950 stairlift please read this manual thoroughly to familiarise yourself with how to operate your stairlift.

Your stairlift has been constructed with state of the art technology and in accordance with recognised safety regulations so you can be sure that you have a safe and reliable solution.

Nevertheless, incorrect use of the stairlift may cause risk to the user or third parties, damage to your stairlift or other goods. Use your stairlift only when it is in good working order, in accordance with the intended use described above and with due attention to this manual. Always keep this manual near the stairlift.

TECHNICAL SUPPORT

Should issues arise that are not covered by this document please contact your supplier. Their Service department staff will always be pleased to help you. To help them identify your product please have the following details to hand when you call them:

- this manual
- your name, address, postcode, town and telephone number
- stairlift serial number which can be found on the label located on the power pack underneath the seat.

SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

When using the stairlift always observe appropriate safety regulations regarding risk of electric shock and physical injury.

- **1.** Provide an unobstructed environment by ensuring that the entire track is free of obstacles.
- **2.** Take environmental influences into account. Do not expose the lift to damp or extreme sunlight. Make sure that the environment is well lit.
- **3.** The stairlift should only be used by individuals who have received the appropriate guidance. On installation the supplier is required to demonstrate how to use this stairlift and the user is required to sign the declaration confirming that this instruction has been received.
- **4.** Stairlifts should only be used for carrying one person: do not use your stairlift to carry pets, goods or more than one person at a time, even if the load is below the maximum user weight. Keep children and pets away from the stairlift.
- 5. Remove the key after use to prevent unauthorised use.
- 6. Keep limbs and clothing away from moving parts. Make sure that wide or loose clothing cannot become trapped between the chair and the stairs or rail.
- 7. Ensure a safe position during use. Always ensure a correct, stable position. Please sit as far back in the seat as you can and place your feet as close to the centre of the footplate as you are able to. Always use the safety belt and never stand on

the stairlift.

- 8. Take care at all times. Concentrate on the operation of the stairlift as releasing the operating toggle will cause the lift to stop. To restart the lift wait 3 seconds and push and hold the toggle in the direction of travel desired until you reach the landing or hallway.
- **9.** Check for damage. Before use check the lift for external damage. Report unusual noises, such as squeaking and creaking, to your supplier. To avoid accidents repairs and preventive maintenance should only be carried out by engineers qualified to do so.
- **10.** The stairlift must not be used in the event of a fire or as a means of escape during a fire.
- **11.** If the stairlift is not fitted with a communication device, we recommend that you always have one to hand.
- **12.** Only leave the stairlift at the designated points at the top and bottom of the rail.

Structure

The strength and the suitability in general of wall, staircases, terraces, upper floors, banisters, plinths etc. which are to support or surround the installation have been verified and ensured by the customer, who therefore accepts all relative responsibilities. Neither Handicare nor its authorised dealers may be held responsible for the suitability of the structures which surround and support the installation.

MAINTENANCE

Cleaning

Clean the stairlift regularly with a damp cloth; avoid excessive use of water. Ensure the track is kept free of dirt and dust. Over time the track wheels may leave a mark on the rail.

Preventive maintenance

In addition to cleaning your stairlift, periodic preventive maintenance is necessary for continued long-term use.

Your stairlift must be serviced at least once a year by a qualified person. If your stairlift has more than two users we recommend a minimum of two services per year. Please make an electrical socket available to provide local lighting if required during inspection and servicing. Lighting to a minimum value of 50 lux shall be provided at the boarding points whilst the stairlift is in use. Most light bulb packaging will detail the lux value of the light bulb.

GUARANTEE AND LIABILITY

The manufacturer guarantees that this stairlift (excluding batteries) will be repaired free of charge should manufacturing and/or material defects occur within 12 months of the purchase date, during normal use in accordance with the recommended user, installation and maintenance instructions. Damage caused by normal wear and tear, overloading or misuse and the replacement of batteries in the remote control is not covered by this guarantee.

We recommend that your stairlift is serviced annually by an appropriately qualified stairlift engineer.

Under no circumstances can the manufacturer accept responsibility for death, personal

injury, damage to property, or incidental, unforeseen consequences and/or costs or damage resulting from the use of your stairlift.

The carrying out of alterations to the product is not permitted and doing so will invalidate the warranty. The manufacturer is not liable for damage resulting from such alterations.

The manufacturer accepts no liability for damage or injury caused by the non or inadequate observance of the safety regulations and instructions in this manual, or by negligence during the installation, use, maintenance and repair of this stairlift. Installation and servicing should only be carried out by dealers or installers/service engineers authorised by the manufacturer in accordance with local regulations.

The wall mounted remote controls operate on a infra-red frequency; Handicare is unable to accept responsibility for system inoperability in the unlikely event of interference from signals external to this stairlift.

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

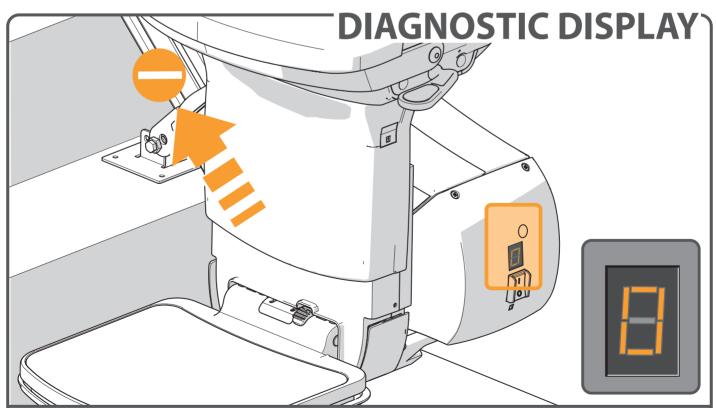
Supply voltage	230 VAC	Speed	0.15 m/s (max.)
Frequency	50/60 Hz	Ambient temperature	0 - 40°C
Current	1 A	Relative humidity	20 - 80%
Power	360 watt	Usage	15 rides per 24 hours
Fuses	30 A		10 rides continuous
Load	(max.) 140 kg	Noise	56 dB

The information provided in this manual is based on general specifications regarding the construction, material properties and working methods known to us at the time of publication; alterations and improvements are therefore anticipated.

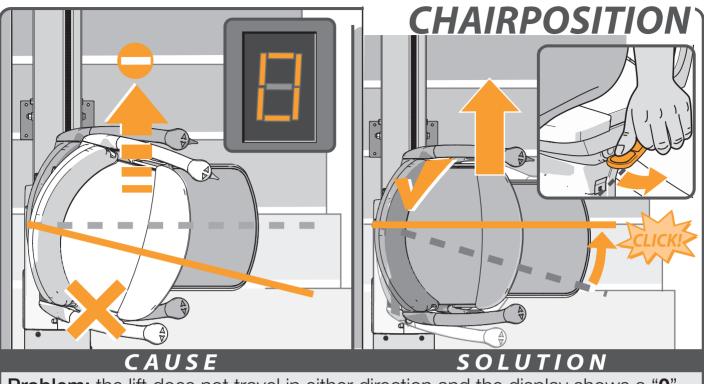
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FAULTFINDING

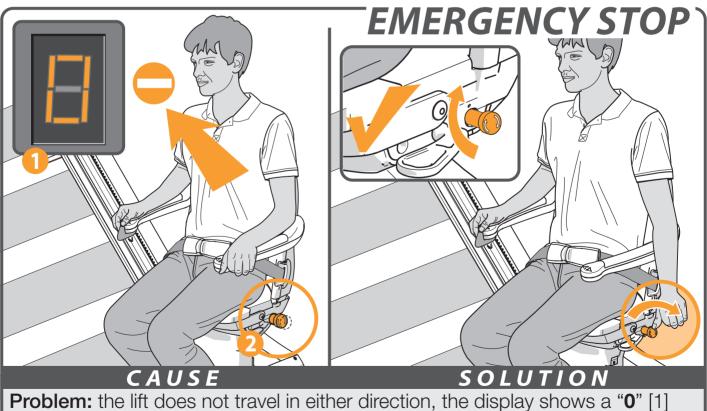
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The stairlift is fitted with a diagnostic display that displays a code to help diagnose faults. Refer to APPENDIX E for an explanation of the diagnostic codes. Please inform the customer service operator of this code when reporting any fault.



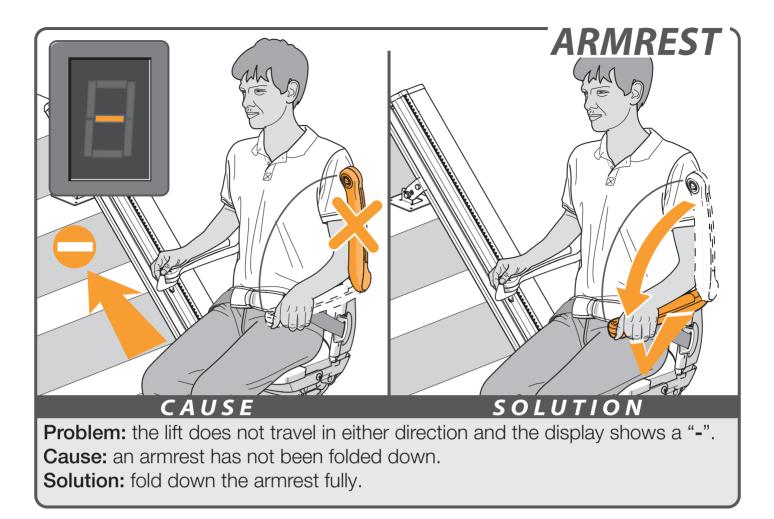
Problem: the lift does not travel in either direction and the display shows a "0".Cause: the seat is not locked and is in a swivelled position.Solution: swivel the seat using the handle located to the left or right under the seat, until it "clicks" into position.

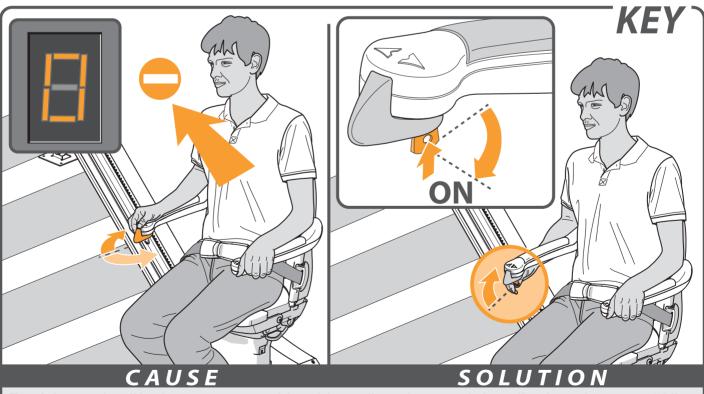


Problem: the lift does not travel in either direction, the display shows a "**0**" [⁻ and the emergency stop [2] is pressed.

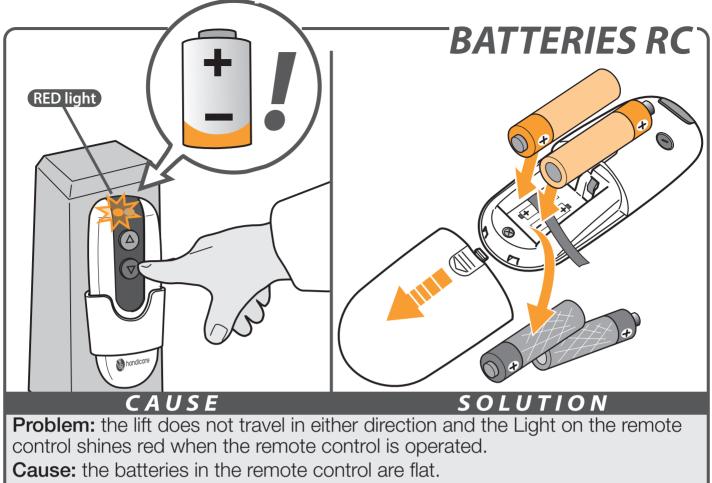
Cause: the emergency stop has been pressed.

Solution: the emergency stop can be released by turning the emergency button.

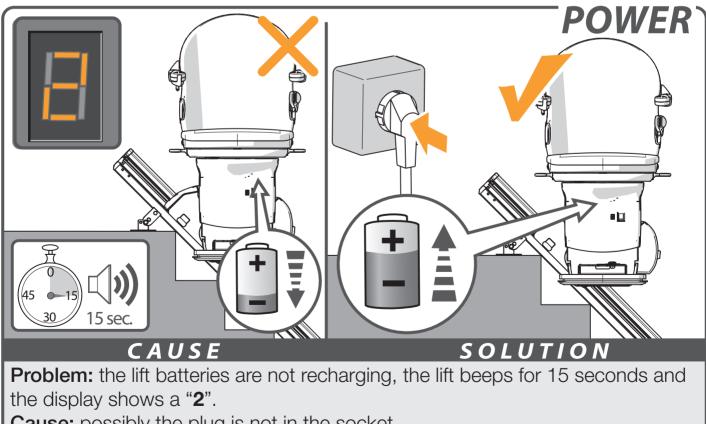




Problem: the lift does not travel in either direction and the display shows a "0".Cause: the key-operated switch is in the off position.Solution: turn the key-operated switch ninety degrees clockwise.

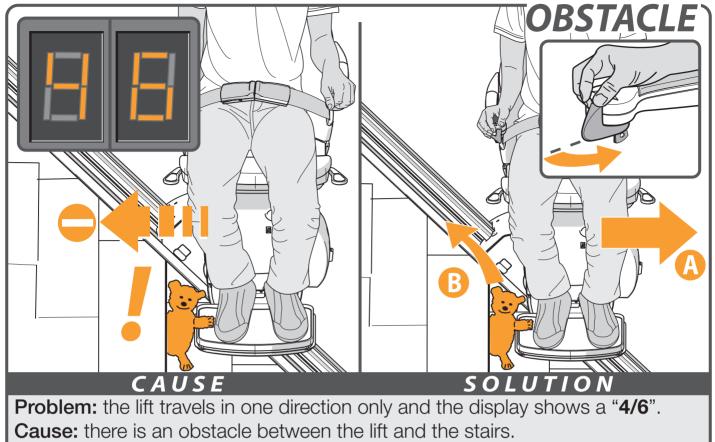


Solution: replace the batteries in the remote control.

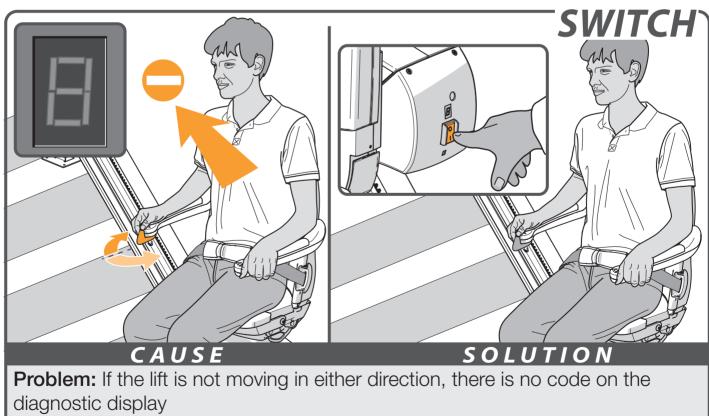


Cause: possibly the plug is not in the socket.

Solution: put the plug in the socket.

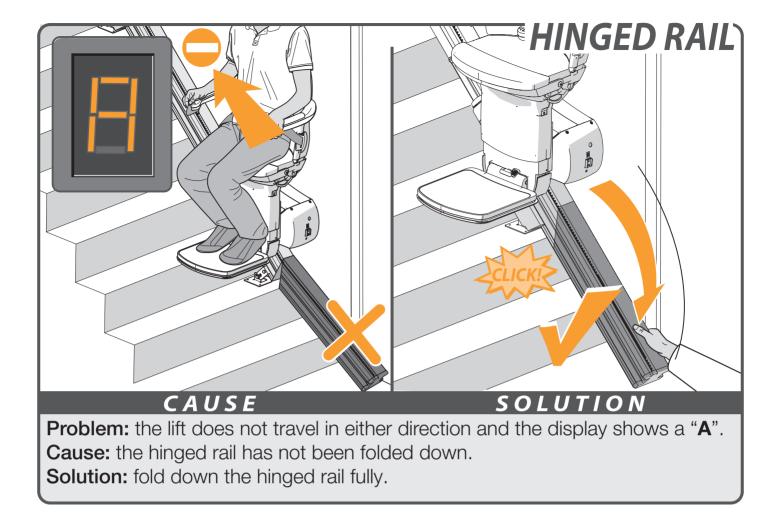


Solution: move the lift in the opposite direction {A} and remove the obstacle {B}.



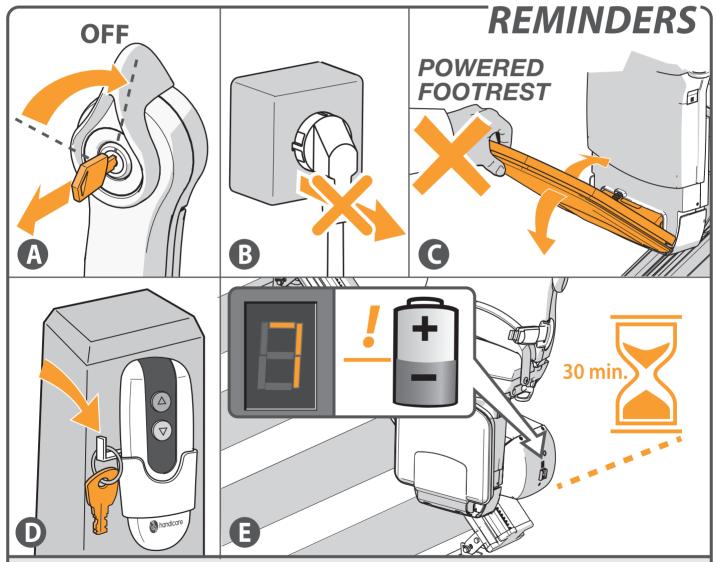
Cause: The lift may be switched off.

Solution: Turn the lift on.



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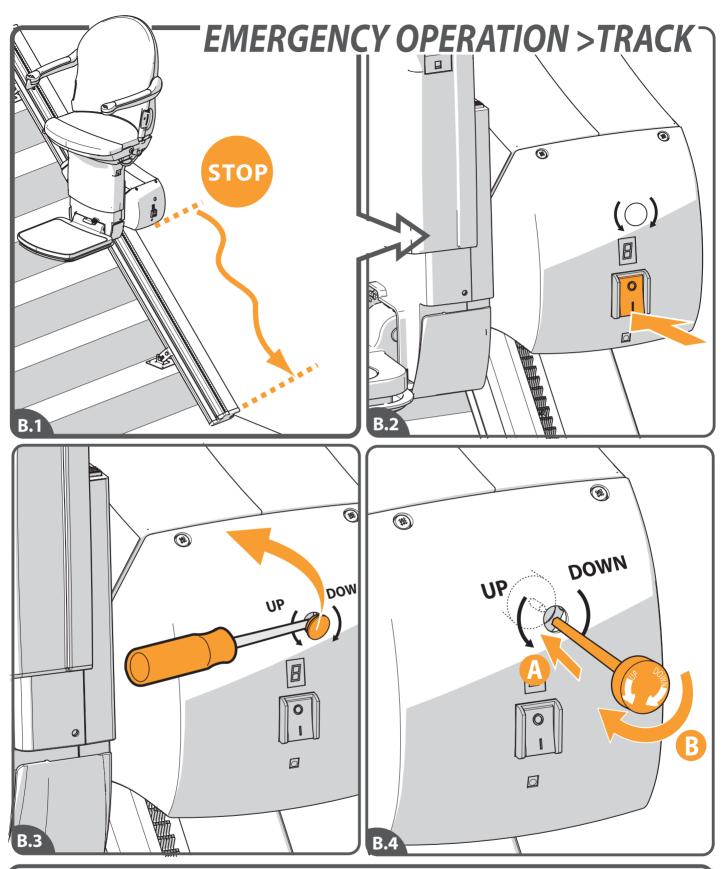




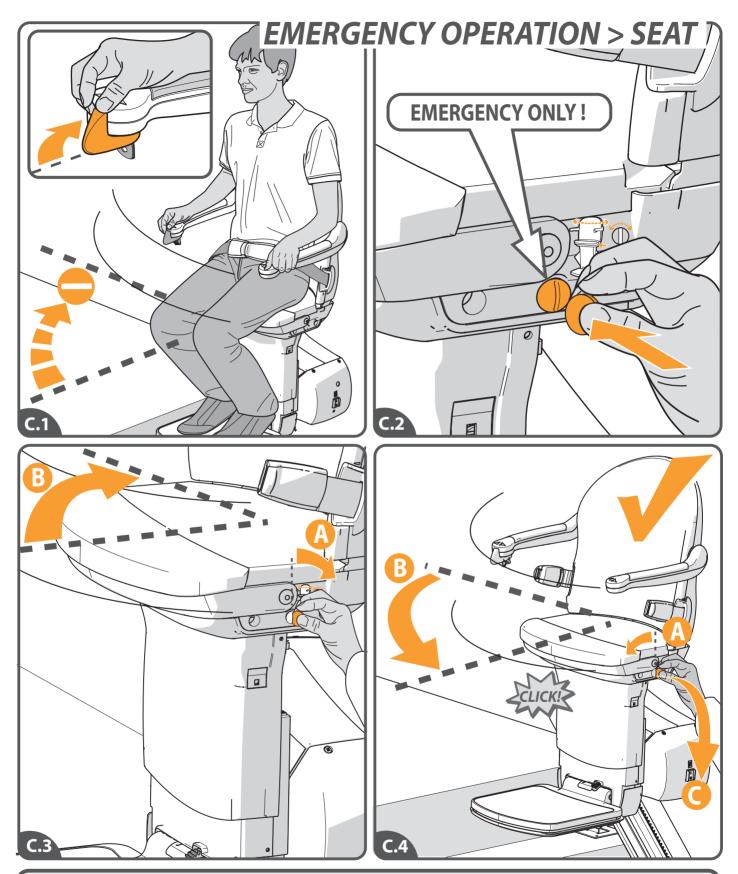
[A]Remove the key from the switch whenever you leave the lift. [B]Never remove the lift plug from the wall socket.

[D]It is recommended that the keys be stored close to the stairlift by hanging a key on the handset wall bracket.

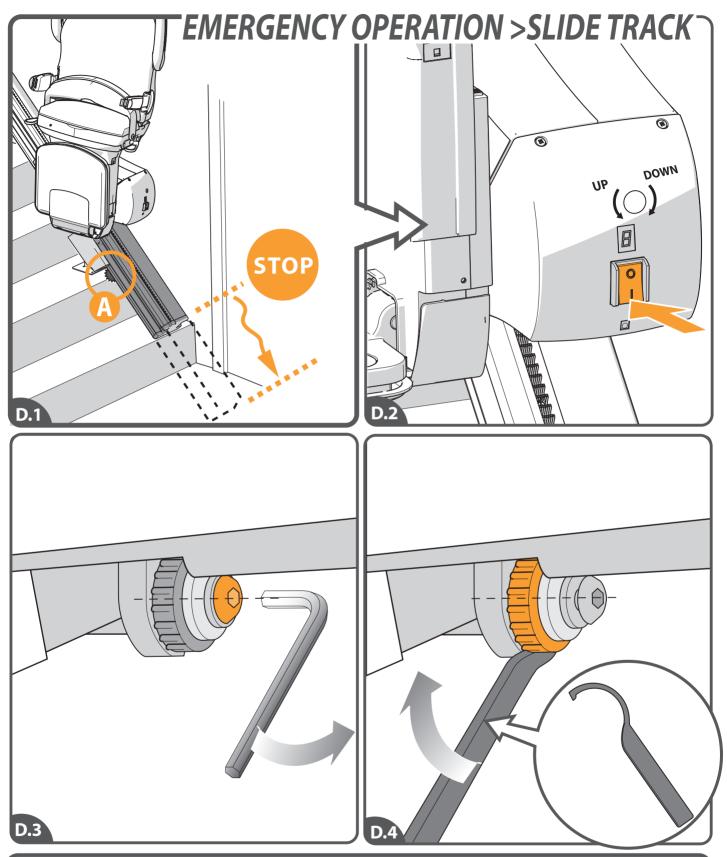
[E]The batterie voltage is too low to ride with the lift. Wait for about 30 minutes before you make a new ride.



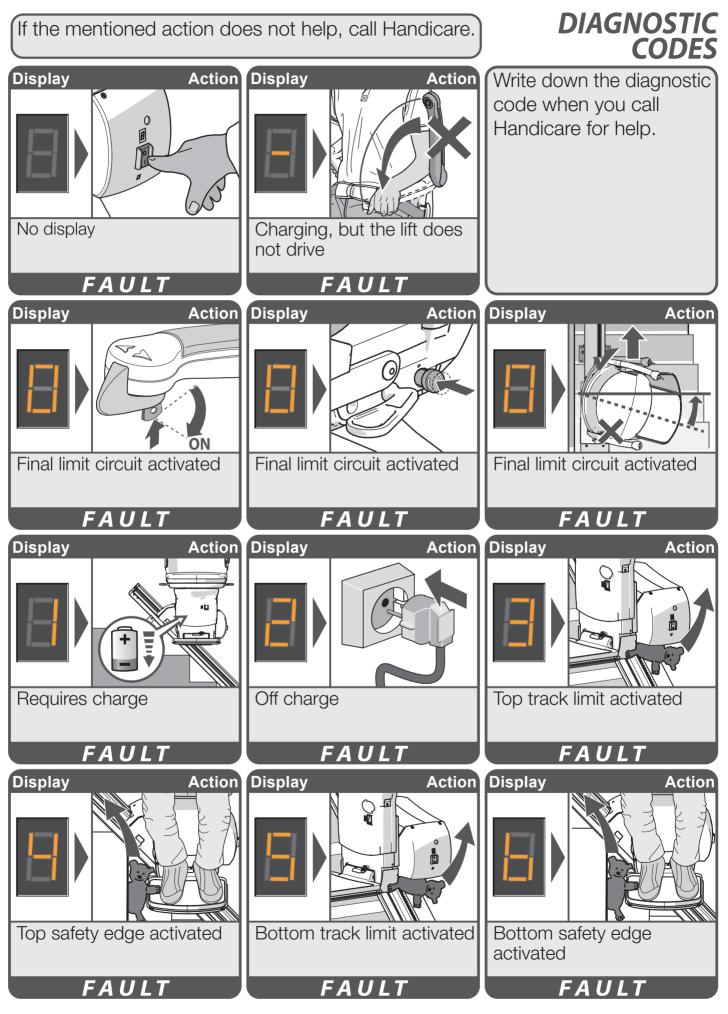
[B.1]When the stairlift stops unexpectedly and no longer moves any further, the hand winder can be used to move the lift to a charging point. [B.2]Turn off the lift. [B.3]Remove the cap from the unit with a screwdriver. [B.4]Turn the hand winder as indicated on the winder. Then wind the lift in the required direction.



[C.1]If the power swivel is not functioning it can be swivelled manually. Do this only in an emergency. [C.2]Insert a coin in the button on the side of the seat. [C.3]Swivel the seat manually. [C.4]The seat must be returned to the start position. Remove the coin. Do this before you use the lift again.

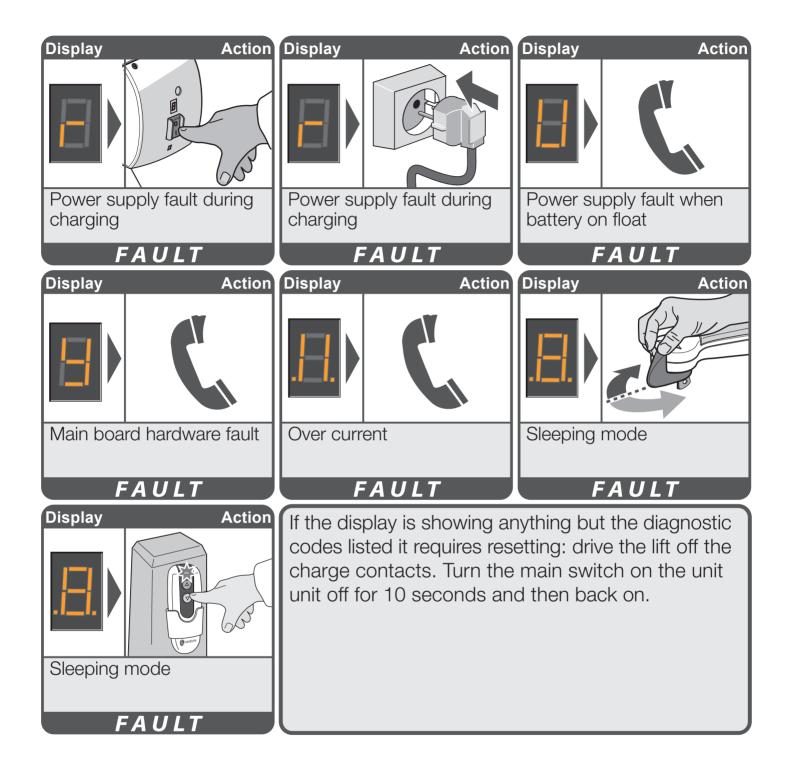


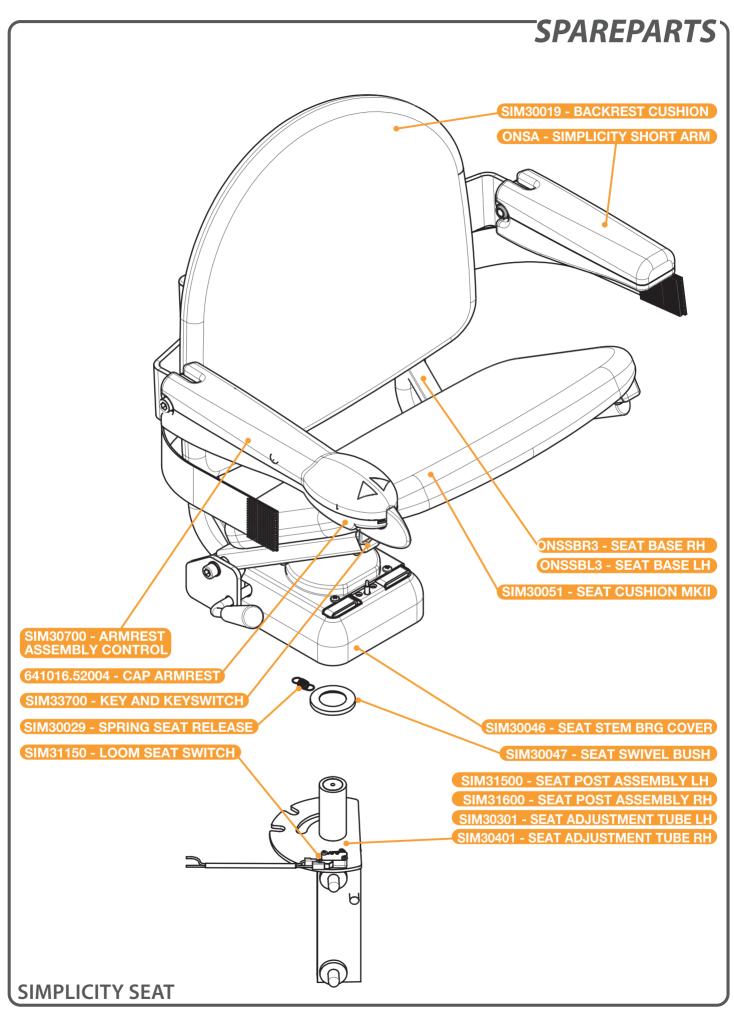
[D.1]Your Slide Track is fitted with a manual override that allows the track to be moved in case of an emergency. This is positioned towards the bottom of the track{A}. [D.2]Turn off the lift. [D.3]To move the Slide Track manually you must first loosen the locking bolt. [D.4]Use the spanner supplied as shown in (Figure D.4) to move the Slide Track.

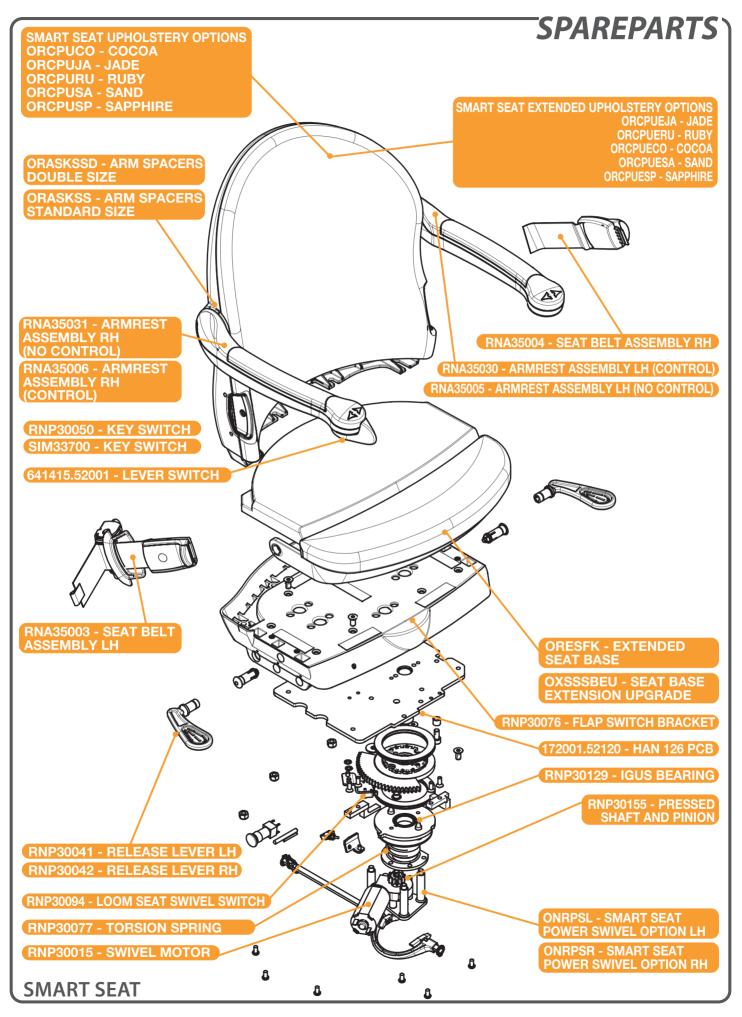


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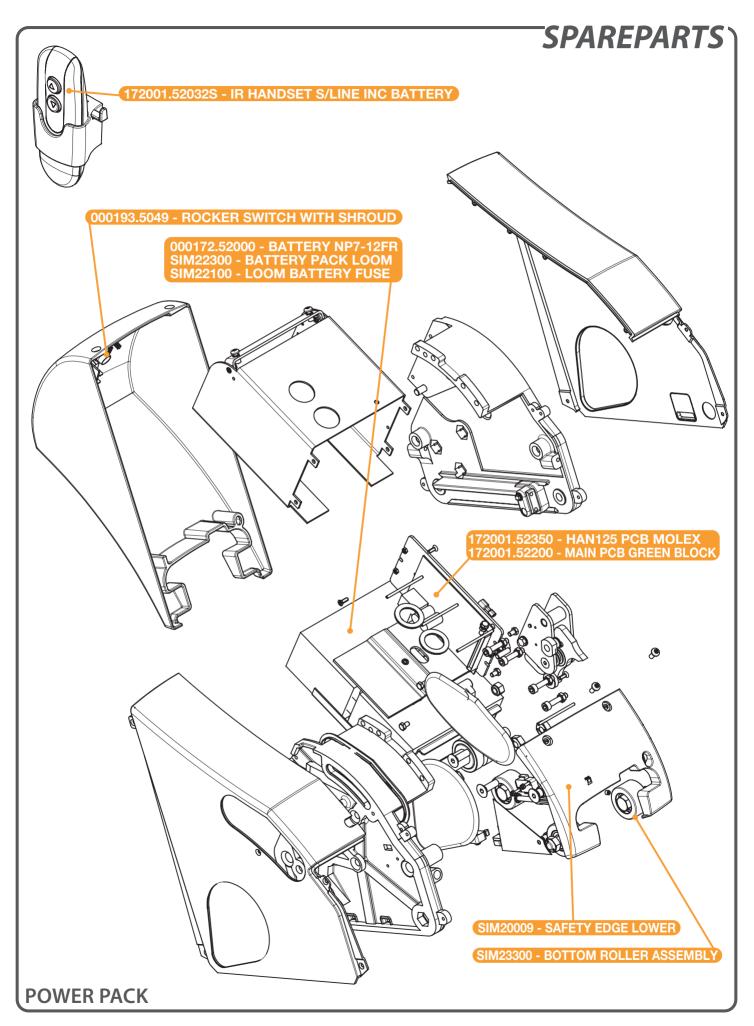


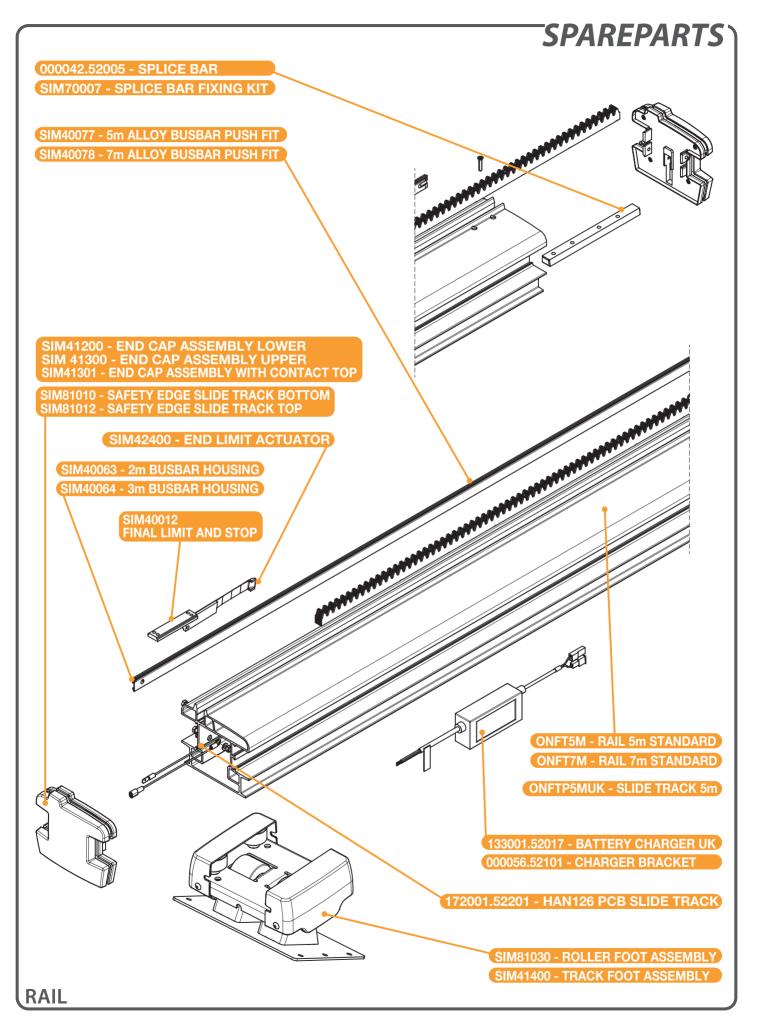






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