

Three Pieces Puzzle



a.k.a. *Triple Play*

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(wood, six wood pieces, 3 inches)

Looks like three pieces but is actually a level 1 non-standard 6 piece burr (six pieces (three light wood and three dark wood pieces)). Here is the solution that came with the puzzle:

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The object of this 3-D puzzle is to take the puzzle apart and then reassemble all of the pieces.

There are actually 6 pieces (3 pairs of pieces) to this puzzle: 3 light toned wooden pieces and 3 dark toned wooden pieces.

To disassemble, find the dark wooden piece that is easily moved and remove it. This is dark piece A. Then, find the next dark piece that can be easily moved and remove it, this is dark piece C. Once the first two pieces are removed, the rest are easily disassembled.

To reassemble:

1. Find the light and dark piece B that match figure 1 and assemble as shown.
2. Find the light piece that matches to the C in figure 2. Turn piece so that the top side is visible and assemble as shown (the small tab in the C piece will fit into the small notch in the dark B piece).
3. Turn the three assembled pieces a quarter turn to this view (Fig. 3).
4. Take the last light piece (piece A) and slide it onto C as shown (Fig. 4).
5. Find the dark piece C (this piece has the smallest notch) and fit onto the puzzle as shown Fig. 5). (The small notch in C will fit onto the dark piece B).
6. Take the last dark piece (A) and fit it as shown in figure 6. (The largest opening in A will go around the two C pieces).

Fig. 1 - Find both B pieces & fit together as shown. Note the opening at the bottom of the combined pieces.

Fig. 2 - fit in light piece C

Light piece C viewed from bottom and top

Fig. 3 - turn puzzle as shown

Fig. 4 - fit in light piece A

Light piece A viewed from bottom and side

Fig. 5 - fit in dark piece C

Dark piece C viewed from side

Dark piece C in position

Fig. 6 - fit in dark piece A

Dark piece A viewed from each side. Larger opening goes around C's

Completed puzzle

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