


**vtech**<sup>®</sup>

Parent's Guide

# Scoop & Play Excavator



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**VTech understands that a child's needs and abilities change as they grow and with that in mind we develop our toys to teach and entertain at just the right level...**

## **vtech** Baby

**Toys that will stimulate their interest in different textures, sounds and colours**

### **I am...**

...responding to colours, sounds and textures

...understanding cause and effect

...learning to touch, reach, grasp, sit-up, crawl and toddle

**Birth-36 months**



## **Pre-School**

**Interactive toys to develop their imagination and encourage language development**

### **I want...**

...to get ready for school by starting to learn the alphabet and counting

...my learning to be as fun, easy and exciting as can be

...to show my creativity with drawing and music so my whole brain develops

**3-6 years**



## **Electronic Learning Computers**

**Cool, aspirational and inspiring computers for curriculum related learning**

### **I need...**

...challenging activities that can keep pace with my growing mind

...intelligent technology that adapts to my level of learning

...National Curriculum based content to support what I'm learning at school

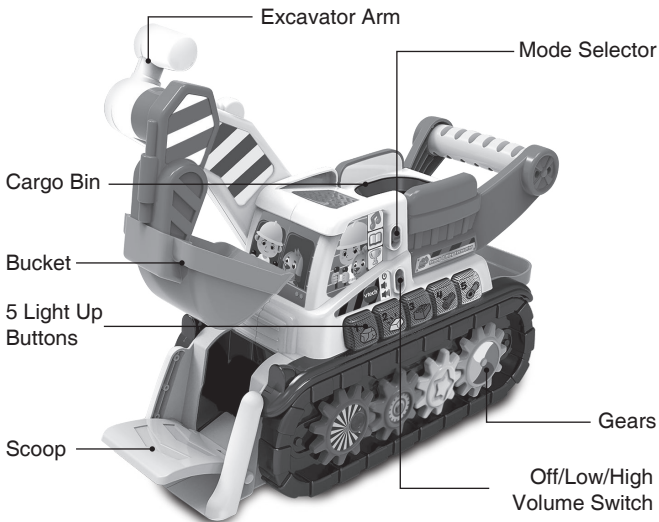
**4-10 years**



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# INTRODUCTION

Grab your hard hat and get ready for a fun-filled day with the **Scoop & Play Excavator** by **VTech®**! This chunky excavator comes with 5 different accessories so that your little one can use the excavator scoop & bucket to pick all of them up!



5 Play Pieces



Rock



Gold



Bricks



Wood



Pipes

# INCLUDED IN THIS PACKAGE

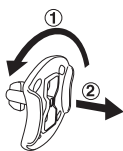
- One **Scoop & Play Excavator**
- Five play pieces
- One Parent's Guide

## WARNING:

All packing materials such as tape, plastic sheets, packaging locks, removable tags, cable ties and packaging screws are not part of this toy and should be discarded for your child's safety.

**NOTE:** Please keep this Parent's Guide as it contains important information.

## GETTING STARTED



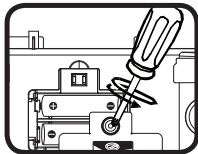
### Unlock the packaging locks:

- ① Rotate the packaging lock 90 degrees anticlockwise.
- ② Pull out the packaging lock and discard.

## BATTERY REMOVAL AND INSTALLATION

**NOTE:** For the best performance, remove all of the factory-installed batteries from the **Scoop & Play Excavator** and install brand new alkaline batteries.

1. Make sure the unit is **Off**.
2. Locate the battery cover at the bottom of the tray and open it with a screwdriver.
3. If used or spent batteries are present, remove these batteries from the unit by pulling up on one end of each battery.
4. Install 2 new AA batteries following the diagram inside the battery box. (New alkaline batteries are recommended for maximum performance).
5. Replace the battery cover and tighten the screw to secure.



## BATTERY NOTICE

- Use new alkaline batteries for maximum performance.
- Use only batteries of the same or equivalent type as recommended.
- Do not mix different types of batteries: alkaline, standard (carbon-zinc) or rechargeable, or new and used batteries.
- Do not use damaged batteries.
- Insert batteries with the correct polarity.
- Do not short-circuit the battery terminals.
- Remove exhausted batteries from the toy.
- Remove batteries during long periods of non-use.
- Do not dispose of batteries in fire.
- Do not charge non-rechargeable batteries.
- Remove rechargeable batteries from the toy before charging (if removable).
- Rechargeable batteries are only to be charged under adult supervision.

### Disposal of batteries and product



The crossed-out wheellie bin symbols on products and batteries, or on their respective packaging, indicates they must not be disposed of in domestic waste as they contain substances that can be damaging to the environment and human health.



The chemical symbols Hg, Cd or Pb, where marked, indicate that the battery contains more than the specified value of mercury (Hg), cadmium (Cd) or lead (Pb) set out in Battery Directive (2006/66/EC).

The solid bar indicates that the product was placed on the market after 13th August, 2005.

Help protect the environment by disposing of your product or batteries responsibly.

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# PRODUCT FEATURES

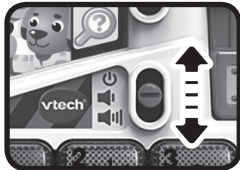
## 1. Mode Selector

Slide the **Mode Selector** to choose Music Mode, Learning Mode or Quiz Mode.



## 2. Off/Low/High Volume Switch

Slide the **Off/Low/High Volume Switch** to turn the unit **Off** or to choose a **Low** or **High** volume.



## 3. Scoop and Load

Push the excavator to scoop up the **Play Pieces** and load them into the **Cargo Bin**. Watch the **Gears** work together as the excavator moves.



## 4. Five Light Up Buttons

Press the **Light Up Buttons** to learn about colours, numbers and construction facts.



## 5. Counting

Put the **Play Pieces** into the **Cargo Bin** to hear them counted from one to ten.



## 6. Excavator Arm

Move the **Excavator Arm** to scoop up the **Play Pieces** and load them into the **Cargo Bin**. Hear the sound effects and watch the flashing lights.



## 7. Automatic Shut-Off

To prolong battery life, the **Scoop & Play Excavator** will shut off automatically if it has not had any input after two minutes. To turn the unit back on, slide the **Off/Low/High Volume Switch** or the **Mode Selector** to a new position or press the **Light Up Buttons**. The unit will also automatically turn off when the batteries have run out of power.

# TO BEGIN PLAY

## ACTIVITIES

### 1. Music Mode

Move the **Mode Selector** to **Music Mode** to enjoy songs and melodies while playing with the excavator. Press the **Light Up Buttons** or move the **Excavator Arm** to play a song. Push the excavator to hear the corresponding electronic sound effect.

### 2. Learning Mode

Move the **Mode Selector** to **Learning Mode** and press the **Light Up Buttons** to learn about colours, objects and numbers.

### 3. Quiz Mode

Move the **Mode Selector** to **Quiz Mode** to answer fun and engaging questions about colours, numbers and construction. Enjoy four levels of play.

# SING-ALONG SONG LYRICS

## Song 1

Work all day, work is play.  
Dig and scoop, every day.  
Lift and load, it's my job.  
We must clear the site and move the rocks out of the way!

## Song 2

It's time to dig, dig, dig a big hole.  
We need to drop the blue pipe in!  
We need to connect it so the water flows,  
to all of the homes.

## Song 3

Stack the bricks, row by row, one by one,  
Lay the rows out straight.  
It's so fun, look at all the progress we've made,  
It's a job well done!

## Song 4

Working on construction sites,  
I like to lift heavy things.  
I'll lift the pile of wood,  
And move it out of the way.

## Song 5

What a surprise!  
We've just discovered some gold.  
Big bars of precious gold,  
What an amazing day!



## **Song 6**

Come along and count with me.  
You can practise counting too,  
1,2,3.  
Come along and count with me,  
1,2,3.  
Numbers can be so much fun,  
Won't you count along with me.

## **Song 7**

I love digging and digging.  
Each and everyday.  
I love digging and digging.  
I'll work hard all day long.

## **Song 8**

You're so smart!  
You answered all the questions.  
Hip-hip-horray!  
I'm so proud of you.

# **CARE & MAINTENANCE**

1. Keep the unit clean by wiping it with a slightly damp cloth. Never use solvents or abrasives.
2. Keep the unit out of direct sunlight and away from any direct heat sources.
3. Remove the batteries when the unit is not in use for an extended period of time.
4. Do not drop the unit on hard surfaces or expose the unit to moisture or water. Never try to dismantle it.

# TROUBLESHOOTING

If for some reason the program or activity stops working or the unit can't be turned on again, please follow these steps:

1. Turn the unit **OFF**.
2. Interrupt the power supply by removing the batteries.
3. Let the unit stand for a few minutes, then replace the batteries.
4. Turn the unit **ON**. The unit should now be ready to play with again.
5. If the unit still does not work, install a brand new set of batteries.

If the problem persists, please contact our Consumer Services Department, and a service representative will be happy to help you.



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