

**FANTASTIC FLOATABLES™ “NO STRINGS ATTACHED” STRING-LESS BALLOON WEIGHTPAC INSTRUCTIONS**

**TURNS ANY 18 INCH SILVER FOIL BALLOON INTO AN AMAZING FUN-FILLED ANTI-GRAVITY TOY!**

Thank you for purchasing a Fantastic Floatables “NO STRINGS ATTACHED” balloon WeightPac. Apply it to any ordinary 18 inch foil balloon to create an incredibly amazing string-less free floating balloon called a *FLOATABLE*. An exciting new concept in anti-gravity balloon toys. By simply adjusting the unique WeightPac (patent pending) you can select the height at which the *FLOATABLE* hovers. As to where it hovers, that’s up to the *FLOATABLE* itself. It will travel throughout your house wherever the temperature variations and air currents take it. It’s easily a **thousand times more fun than a balloon**. Foil balloons last for weeks. Don’t let them just sit in a corner and gather dust. Get your full play value out of them by turning them into real toys that are fun and educational. Whose unique characteristics and aerial antics are sure to delight and fascinate everyone, young and old, for weeks on end!

**FANTASTIC FLOATABLES WEIGHTPAC PARTS DESCRIPTION**

**PART- A**

**COUNTER BALANCE/ ADDITIONAL WEIGHT**

A ONE GRAM WEIGHT PLACED OPPOSITE THE NOZZLE OF AN 18 INCH ROUND BALLOON TO BALANCE IT’S WEIGHT FOR LEVEL FLIGHT. USE FOR SAUCER STYLE ONLY. SEE **FIGURE 2** BELOW.

**PART- A**

**ADDITIONAL WEIGHT/ COUNTER BALANCE**

DUE TO DIFFERENCES IN ELEVATION, TEMPERATURE, AND BALLOON SHAPES, THE FLOATABLE MAY FLOAT UP WITHOUT REMOVING ANY WEIGHTPAC TABS. (A) HAS BEEN PERFORATED INTO VARIOUS SIZES THAT CAN BE SEPARATED AND ADDED TO THE FLOATABLE AS NEEDED.

**PART- B**

**HALF WEIGHTPACS**

USE ONE FOR 18” ROUNDS. USE TWO FOR 18” SQUARES & 18” JUNIOR SHAPES.

**PARTS - C1 & C2**

**QUARTER WEIGHTPACS B DIVIDES INTO C1 & C2.** USE TWO FOR 18” HEARTS. USE TWO FOR 18” STARS. ONE ON EACH SIDE.

**DO NOT USE** ON BALLOONS LARGER THAN 20 INCHES IN DIAMETER WITHOUT TESTING!

**STEP 1 REMOVE EXTRA WEIGHT**

IF THE BALLOON IS 20 INCHES OR LESS. START HERE TO DETACH COUNTER BALANCES **A** FROM WEIGHTPAC TABS **B - C1 - C2** AT PERFORATIONS. SEE **FIGURE 1**.

**STEP 2**

**MAKE IT THE RIGHT SIZE**

USE **FIGURE 2** BELOW TO DETERMINE THE CORRECT SIZE AND PLACEMENT OF THE WEIGHTPACS FOR YOUR BALLOON SHAPE. FOLD WEIGHTPAC IN HALF PAPER SIDE OUT, CREASE, SEPARATE AT PERFORATIONS. REMOVE PAPER BACKING.

**STEP 3**

**PUT IT ON THE BALLOON**

USING **FIGURE 2** BELOW, APPLY WEIGHTPACS TO WRINKLE FREE AREAS NEAR THE NOZZLE OR AS SHOWN. WEIGHTPACS CAN BE REPOSITIONED BY GENTLY PULLING IT OFF BALLOON.

**STEP 4**

**MAKE IT FLOAT**

HOLD DOWN TABS (X) WITH LEFT-HAND THUMB. REMOVE WEIGHT TABS (Y), TWO OR THREE AT A TIME UNTIL IT HOVERS IN MID-AIR AT THE DESIRED HEIGHT.

FOR BEST RESULTS REMOVE TABS IN STRIPS FROM THE LONGER ROWS.

**SHOWN AS (Y)**

**NOT** FROM THE SHORTER ROWS.

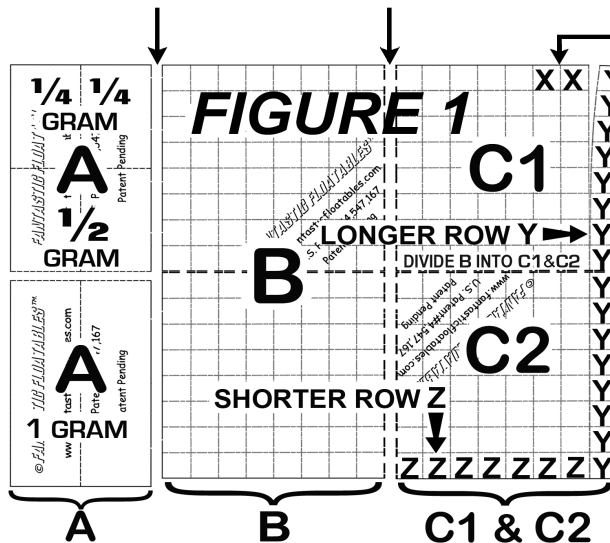
**SHOWN AS (Z)**

**NOTE:** WHEN A ROW HAS BEEN REMOVED FROM A SQUARE WEIGHTPAC LIKE **C2**, A LONGER ROW AND A SHORTER ROW WILL BECOME APPARENT.

ONCE IT’S FLOATING, EACH TAB WILL RAISE OR LOWER THE FLOATABLE BY ONE TO TWO FEET IN HEIGHT.

REMOVE ADDITIONAL TABS AS NECESSARY DUE TO HELIUM LOSS OVER TIME.

ALWAYS SAVE A FEW TABS FOR LATER USE AS WEATHER CHANGES CAN VARY FLOATING HEIGHT.

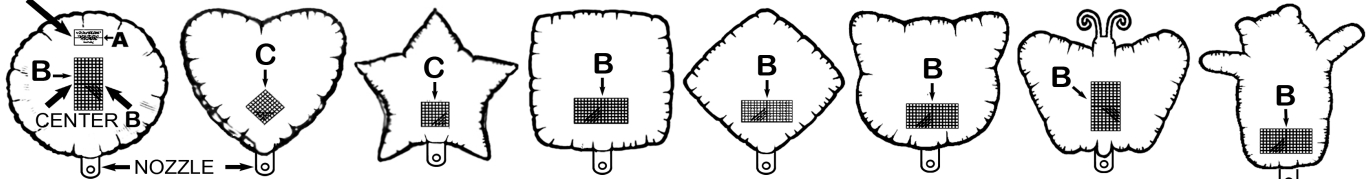


**FIGURE 2**

**WEIGHTPAC SIZE AND PLACEMENT GUIDE FOR COMMON 18 INCH BALLOON SHAPES**

**SAUCER STYLE**

CENTER **B** ON BALLOON  
**A** OPPOSITE NOZZLE



- USES 1 **A** & 1 **B** ON SAME SIDE FLOATS HORIZONTALLY
- USE **C1** & **C2** 1 ON EACH SIDE FLOATS VERTICALLY
- USE **C1** & **C2** 1 ON EACH SIDE FLOATS VERTICALLY
- USE TWO **B** 1 ON EACH SIDE FLOATS VERTICALLY
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- USE ONE **B** ON ONE SIDE FLOATS HORIZONTALLY
- USE TWO **B** 1 ON EACH SIDE FLOATS VERTICALLY

Works with all 18 inch and most 20 inch silver foil balloons shapes including: Hearts, Stars, Rounds, Squares, and many others. Also works with many silver foil balloon shapes larger than 20 inches. Although they generally are much bigger and have more lifting power that may require the application of additional “NO STRINGS ATTACHED” string-less balloon WeightPacs to achieve a Neutral Buoyancy state.

## ***FANTASTIC FLOATABLES™ “NO STRINGS ATTACHED” STRING-LESS BALLOON INSTRUCTIONS***

### ***SHORT LIST FOR EVERYBODY ELSE***

1. Fill balloon with Helium. Apply the adhesive backed WeightPac to the “bottom side” of the balloon near nozzle. **See FIGURE 2.**

**If the WeightPac is already attached to your FLOATABLE you can skip to #2. below.**

2. Drop the newly created *FLOATABLE* at waist level to test if it floats.
3. If the *FLOATABLE* goes down, remove more tabs. Repeat until it floats. **See FIGURE 1, STEP 4.**
4. If the *FLOATABLE* goes up, add more tabs.
5. Each individual WeightPac tab will raise or lower the *FLOATABLES* floating height by 1 to 2 feet.
6. Due to helium loss over time additional tabs will have to be removed to maintain the *FLOATABLES* height.
7. Have fun. Refill and repeat..

### ***LONG LIST FOR GEEKS***

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Carefully remove the tabs ( two or three at a time) along the perforated lines beginning with the tab on the outside right corner of the weight attached to the bottom of your *FLOATABLE*. **See FIGURE 1.** Remove the tabs from the long rows (**Y**), not the shorter rows (**Z**). After the removal of a few WeightPac tabs test the *FLOATABLE* to see if it floats by dropping the *FLOATABLE* at about waist height. If the *FLOATABLE* floats down to the floor, remove more tabs and test the *FLOATABLE* again. Continue to remove tabs and test until your *FLOATABLE* hovers at the desired level, usually about 3 to 4 feet off the floor. This may require the removal of a considerable number of tabs as the *FLOATABLE* are designed to fly in areas as diverse as Denver and Miami. **Note:** Only half of the weightabs may be needed at altitudes over 5,000 feet. If the *FLOATABLE* floats up without removing any WeightPac tabs, then additional WeightPacs may be required. Once a complete row has been removed from the right side of the WeightPac then it is recommended to remove the next row from the left side of the WeightPac to keep the *FLOATABLE* level. Depending on the size and shape, the *FLOATABLE* will stay aloft for several weeks before it needs to be refilled with helium. During this period of time the *FLOATABLE* may settle due to the (normal) loss of minute amounts of helium. When this occurs just remove a few more tabs as necessary, to regain the desired altitude. Each tab will raise or lower a hovering *FLOATABLE* by about 1-2 feet. Because of temperature and barometric pressure changes over the normal life of the *FLOATABLE* it is suggested that when you initially remove the tabs after purchase you secure several of them to the original paper backing for later use. Do not litter. Please throw away all used tabs. When all the tabs have been removed and the *FLOATABLE* no longer floats it is time attach a new “NO STRINGS ATTACHED” Weightpac and have your dealer refill your *FLOATABLE* with helium.

*FLOATABLES* are **fantastic** at parties, for promotions, in games, as decorations, for advertising, or just plain old family fun. When allowed to roam free they will turn up in the most unexpected places. They like people and will follow them around the house in such an intelligent manner that many people find themselves naming and talking to them! Use your imagination to play with them: Frisbee-like tossing, air-hockey and horizontal basketball are all possible and, in fact, just the tip of the iceberg. It's a blast as a safe moving target for Nerf guns. So play with it or let it play with you; after a week of having it around the house you'll see what we mean! So much fun, for so little money.

**IMPORTANT DATA:** The *FLOATABLE* is made from a very durable space-age material, but it is not indestructible. For maximum life expectancy please observe the following:

1. The *FLOATABLE* is to be used indoors only. If it gets outdoors, it will fly away!
2. The *FLOATABLE* should not be exposed to excessive heat, such as a closed in car; to do so will shorten it's lifespan.
3. Do not wash the *FLOATABLE* or otherwise intentionally get it wet.
4. Do not punch, kick, sit on, or poke the *FLOATABLE* with sharp objects. Do not use it as a pillow.
5. Watch them carefully, as you would children, around fireplaces and wood burning stoves.
6. Again, like children, they will try and get outside when doors and windows are open. Beware of this "Habit".
7. Keep them away from ceiling fans and sparkle or glitter ceilings.
8. Large temperature and weather variations will cause changes in the shape and size of the *FLOATABLE*.

**NOTE:** Freezing temperatures will cause the balloons to shrink. When they are returned to their normal environment their shape will again normalize. The abnormal shape will not, however, affect their flight characteristics.

**FOR AGES 4+** Contains small pieces.

Children ages 3 and younger should have adult supervision.

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