

Resetting Dominoes

Reset a tumbled row of dominoes in seconds.

Materials:

Meter Stick

Dominoes (standard black wooden 4.5 cm x 2cm x .7cm dominoes)

Masking Tape

Assembly:

(Refer to figure A)

- 1) Cut a piece of masking tape 4 to 6 cm long.
- 2) Apply masking tape to half of the back of a domino. The other half of tape should extend beyond the edge of the domino.
- 3) Place the first domino at the 0 cm mark on the meter stick.
- 4) Hold the excess tape so that it extends beyond the edge of the domino at 90 angle. Apply the excess masking tape to the meter stick so that the domino stands upright and on end. If applied properly the junction -line on the tape where the domino and meter stick meet will act like a hinge.

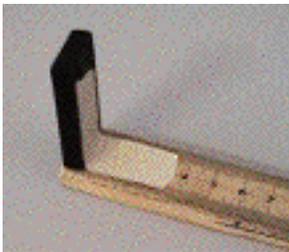
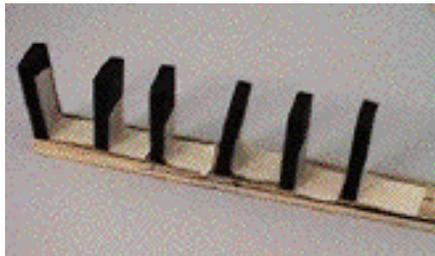


Figure A

Figure B

(Refer to figure B above)
5) After the first domino mark, place successive
6) To make the touch the first domino.



for steps 5- 6)
is placed at the 0 cm
dominoes 3 to 5 cm apart.
dominoes tumble, just

7) To reset the row of dominoes, tip the meter stick up (see figure C). All dominoes should flip back into place ready to be tumbled again (as in figure B).



Figure C

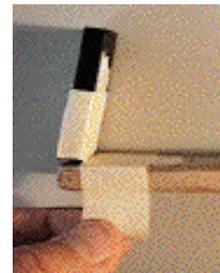


Figure D

Option:

After a while, your tape hinge may wear out. The tape will start peeling away from the meter stick or the domino. To extend the life of your hinge, you might want to reinforce the tape hinge (Figure D).

- 1) Wrap a small piece of tape around the domino just above the hinge.
- 2) Wrap a small piece of tape around the meter stick next to the hinge.