

BUILD TOGETHER

Birthday cake

10 pieces / 6 steps

A round platter, two sponge layers and a colourful candle make a cake for any pretend celebration. Choose a toy guest and build their birthday surprise.



A little model, a little story

Choose whose birthday it is today.

Count down to a pretend wish.

Invent a birthday song with your guest's name.

Digital guide; no bricks included. Make it together with an adult.

GETTING STARTED

Before you build

Match the shapes

Compare each part with its picture and count its rows of studs. A square brick has two rows of two studs; a long brick has two rows of four. Use the full parts list for the exact shapes and quantities.

Follow the colours

Match the shapes and quantities. The pictures show our colours. Colour names in the steps refer to the pictures. Keep contrasting colours where they help you recognise the model.

Count the studs

The bumps on top are called studs. Count them when a step asks for a gap or an overhang. Put the build on a flat surface and keep its front facing the same way as in the pictures.

Add a little at a time

New pieces keep their colour in each step. Earlier pieces look lighter so you can see what has changed. Each list tells you exactly what to add.

Build together

An adult can read the steps while a child finds the pieces. The counts are for this one model. For two models to stay built, add their parts lists together.

About this build

The candle and flame are made from bricks. This cake is for pretend play.

GATHER YOUR PIECES

Exact parts checklist

Match the shapes and quantities. The pictures show our colours. Choose your own colours for the same parts; changing a part's shape is a different substitution.

☐ **1 x Tower cone (2 × 2 studs)**



Orange

Part 47408



☐ **1 x Round plate (4 × 4 studs)**



Red

Part 98222



☐ **2 x Semicircle plate (8 × 4 studs)**



Cream

Part 29304



☐ **4 x Double curved brick (2 × 4 studs)**



Cream

Part 98223b



☐ **1 x Round plate (4 × 4 studs)**

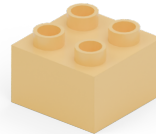


White

Part 98222



☐ **1 x Square brick (2 × 2 studs)**



Yellow

Part 3437



GATHER YOUR PIECES

Shape-only checklist

Use this list to sort the shapes. Check the full colour list before building; the two lists count the same pieces.

[] 1 x Tower cone (2 × 2 studs)

[] 4 x Double curved brick (2 × 4 studs)

[] 2 x Round plate (4 × 4 studs)

[] 2 x Semicircle plate (8 × 4 studs)

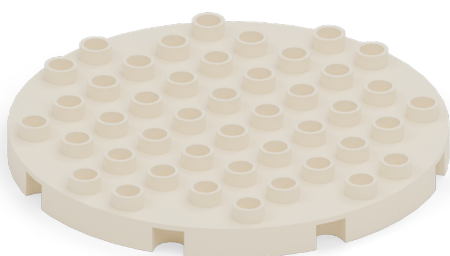
[] 1 x Square brick (2 × 2 studs)

Total: 10 pieces

BUILD, ONE STEP AT A TIME

Step 1 - 2

01 / Make a round cream platter from two semicircular plates. Set their straight eight-stud edges together, with the curved edges facing outward.

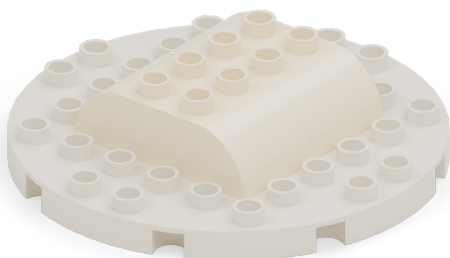


ADD THESE PIECES

2 x Semicircle plate (8 × 4 studs) (Cream)

New pieces keep their colour. Earlier pieces are lighter.

02 / Centre two cream double-curved bricks on the platter as the lower sponge layer. Turn both across the platter, one on each side of its middle seam.



ADD THESE PIECES

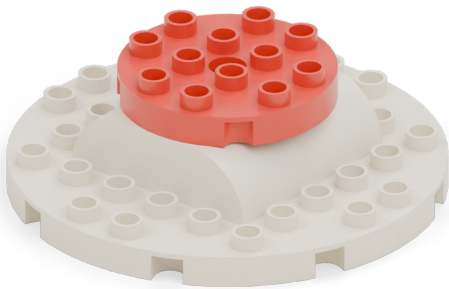
2 x Double curved brick (2 × 4 studs) (Cream)

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BUILD, ONE STEP AT A TIME

Step 3 - 4

03 / Join the two sponge halves with the red round plate as a strawberry filling layer.

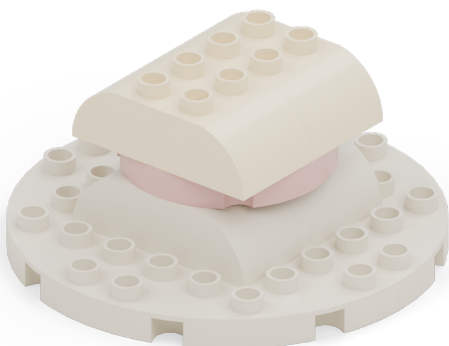


ADD THESE PIECES

1 x Round plate (4 × 4 studs) (Red)

New pieces keep their colour. Earlier pieces are lighter.

04 / Add a second sponge layer with two more cream double-curved bricks, aligned with the lower pair.



ADD THESE PIECES

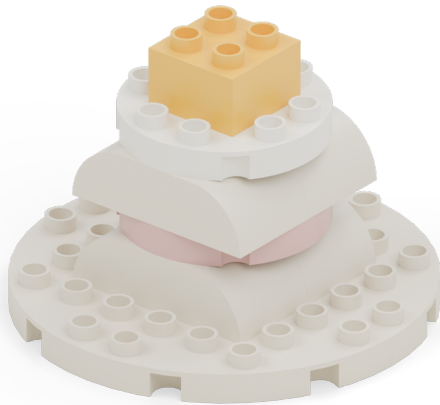
2 x Double curved brick (2 × 4 studs) (Cream)

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BUILD, ONE STEP AT A TIME

Step 5 - 6

05 / Cover the cake with the white round plate for icing. Centre the yellow square on it as a chunky birthday candle.



ADD THESE PIECES

1 x Round plate (4 × 4 studs) (White)

1 x Square brick (2 × 2 studs) (Yellow)

New pieces keep their colour. Earlier pieces are lighter.

06 / Finish the candle with the orange cone as a pretend flame. Leave its top stud free.



ADD THESE PIECES

1 x Tower cone (2 × 2 studs) (Orange)

New pieces keep their colour. Earlier pieces are lighter.

READY TO PLAY

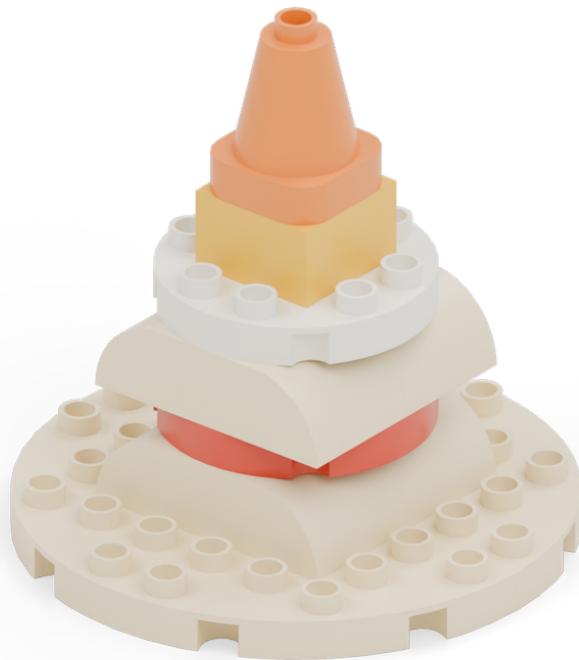
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