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1. INTRODUCTION

The Scotch Precision Scissors, 20 cm (Model 1448), are designed for precise cutting tasks across various materials. Featuring high-quality stainless steel blades and ergonomic handles, these scissors provide reliable performance for office, craft, and general household use. This manual provides essential information for the safe and effective use, care, and maintenance of your scissors.





Figure 1: Scotch Precision Scissors, 20 cm, with blades open.

2. SETUP

The Scotch Precision Scissors require no assembly. Upon receiving your product, carefully remove it from its packaging. Inspect the scissors for any visible damage or manufacturing defects. If any issues are found, please refer to the support section.

3. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

3.1 Holding the Scissors

Grip the scissors comfortably with your dominant hand. The ergonomic handles are designed to accommodate both right-handed and left-handed users, providing a secure and comfortable hold during use.

3.2 Cutting Procedure

1. **Position Material:** Place the material you intend to cut between the open blades of the scissors.
2. **Apply Pressure:** Gently close the handles, applying even pressure to cut through the material.
3. **Maintain Control:** For precise cuts, maintain a steady hand and guide the blades along the desired cutting line.

3.3 Suitable Materials

These scissors are ideal for cutting paper, cardstock, light fabrics, and other similar craft and office materials.

3.4 Safety Precautions

- Always handle scissors with care, as blades are sharp.
- Keep fingers clear of the blades during operation.
- Do not use scissors to cut materials beyond their intended capacity, such as thick metal, wire, or extremely dense plastics, as this can damage the blades and cause injury.
- Store scissors in a safe place, out of reach of children.



Figure 2: Proper use of Scotch Precision Scissors for cutting paper.

4. MAINTENANCE

4.1 Cleaning

To maintain optimal performance, clean the blades regularly. Use a soft, dry cloth to wipe away any paper dust, adhesive residue, or other debris. For stubborn adhesive, a small amount of rubbing alcohol or a specialized adhesive remover can be applied to the cloth, then wipe the blades clean. Ensure blades are completely dry before storage.

4.2 Storage

Store the scissors in a dry environment to prevent rust or corrosion. Keep the blades closed when not in

use to protect the cutting edge and for safety.





Figure 3: Scotch Precision Scissors stored in a closed position.

5. TROUBLESHOOTING

| Problem | Possible Cause | Solution |
|---------------------------------|---|--|
| Blades feel dull or cut poorly. | Normal wear and tear; cutting abrasive materials. | Consider professional sharpening or replacement. Avoid cutting inappropriate materials. |
| Blades are sticky or gummed up. | Residue from adhesives (tape, glue). | Clean blades with a soft cloth dampened with rubbing alcohol or an adhesive remover. |
| Rust spots appear on blades. | Exposure to moisture; improper storage. | Ensure scissors are dry before storage. Store in a dry environment. Light rust may be removed with fine steel wool and oil, but severe rust may require replacement. |

6. SPECIFICATIONS

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| Brand | Scotch |
| Model Number | 1448 |
| Size | 20 cm (8 inches) |
| Blade Material | Stainless Steel |
| Handle Material | Ergonomic, Ambidextrous Design (typically plastic/rubber over stainless steel) |
| Hand Orientation | Ambidextrous |
| Item Weight | Approximately 0.02 kg (0.704 ounces) |

7. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For specific warranty information, product support, or to inquire about replacement parts, please contact Scotch customer service. You can find contact details on the official Scotch website or through the retailer where the product was purchased.

Online Resources: Visit the official [Scotch Brand Store](#) for additional product information and support.

