

## Fender CD-60S

# Fender CD-60S Solid Top Dreadnought Acoustic Guitar Instruction Manual

Model: CD-60S

## 1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential information for the setup, operation, and maintenance of your Fender CD-60S Solid Top Dreadnought Acoustic Guitar. Designed for both beginners and intermediate players, this instrument offers a rich, full-bodied sound and comfortable playability. Please read through these instructions to ensure proper care and optimal performance of your guitar.

## 2. PRODUCT FEATURES

- **Classic Body Shape:** The dreadnought body style provides a traditional appearance and strong sound projection, suitable for various playing styles.
- **Rich Mahogany Tone:** A solid mahogany top with scalloped "X"-bracing contributes to warm, resonant tones with enhanced sustain and clarity.
- **Mahogany Back and Sides:** The all-mahogany construction delivers a rich, full-bodied sound that complements diverse musical genres.
- **Comfortable Neck Design:** An easy-to-play neck with rolled fingerboard edges ensures smooth playability and comfort during extended sessions.

## 3. WHAT'S IN THE BOX

Your Fender CD-60S bundle includes the following items:

- Fender CD-60S Acoustic Guitar
- Hard Case
- Tuner
- Strap
- Extra Set of Strings
- Picks
- Austin Bazaar Instructional DVD

- Polishing Cloth



Image: The complete Fender CD-60S Acoustic Guitar bundle, including the guitar, hard case, tuner, strap, extra strings, picks, instructional DVD, and polishing cloth.

## 4. SETUP

### 4.1 Initial Inspection

Upon receiving your guitar, carefully remove it from its packaging and inspect it for any visible damage.

Ensure all included accessories are present as listed in the "What's in the Box" section.

## 4.2 Stringing

Your Fender CD-60S guitar comes pre-strung. If you need to replace strings, use the included extra set of Phosphor Bronze strings or a similar gauge. Refer to online resources or a qualified technician for detailed string replacement instructions if you are unfamiliar with the process.

## 4.3 Tuning

Use the included tuner to accurately tune your guitar. Attach the clip-on tuner to the headstock. Pluck each string individually and adjust the tuning pegs until the tuner indicates the correct pitch for each string (E, A, D, G, B, E from thickest to thinnest). New strings may require frequent re-tuning until they settle.



Image: Detail of the guitar's headstock, showing the tuning pegs and strings.



Image: Rear view of the headstock, highlighting the tuning mechanisms.

#### 4.4 Strap Attachment

Attach the included strap to the strap buttons located at the base of the guitar body and near the neck heel. Ensure the strap is securely fastened before playing.

### 5. OPERATING YOUR GUITAR

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#### 5.1 Playing Basics

Hold the guitar comfortably, either seated or standing with the strap. Your dominant hand will typically strum or pick the strings, while your non-dominant hand will press down on the strings against the frets to form chords or play individual notes. The included Austin Bazaar Instructional DVD provides guidance on basic chords, strumming patterns, and music theory to help you get started.







Image: Front view of the Fender CD-60S Acoustic Guitar.



Image: Detailed view of the guitar's soundhole and bridge.

## 6. MAINTENANCE

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### 6.1 Cleaning

Regularly wipe down your guitar with the included polishing cloth after each use to remove sweat, oils, and dust. This helps maintain the finish and prolong the life of your strings. Avoid using abrasive cleaners or solvents.

### 6.2 String Replacement

Strings should be replaced periodically, depending on how often you play and how quickly they corrode. Dull sound, difficulty staying in tune, or visible rust are indicators that new strings are needed. Always replace strings one at a time to maintain neck tension.

### 6.3 Storage

When not in use, store your guitar in the provided hard case to protect it from dust, humidity changes, and physical damage. Avoid exposing the guitar to extreme temperatures or direct sunlight.



Image: The included hard case, designed to protect your guitar.

## 7. TROUBLESHOOTING

- **Guitar won't stay in tune:** New strings often stretch and require frequent tuning. Ensure strings are properly wound around tuning pegs. Extreme temperature changes can also affect tuning.
- **Fret buzz:** Minor fret buzz can be normal, especially with aggressive strumming. If it's excessive, check string height at the bridge and nut. Significant issues may require professional setup.
- **Dull sound:** Old or dirty strings can cause a dull sound. Try replacing them. Ensure the guitar is properly tuned.

## 8. SPECIFICATIONS




Feature	Detail
Model Number	961596221
Body Material	Mahogany
Top Material	Mahogany Wood
Back Material	Mahogany
Fretboard Material	Mahogany Wood

Feature	Detail
Neck Material Type	Mahogany
Number of Strings	6
String Material	Phosphor Bronze
Hand Orientation	Right
Item Weight	15 pounds
Product Dimensions	45 x 7 x 18 inches




## 9. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Fender products are known for their quality and craftsmanship. For detailed warranty information and customer support, please refer to the official Fender website or contact their customer service directly. Keep your purchase receipt as proof of purchase for any warranty claims. Visit the official Fender Store for more information:[Fender Store](#)

### Related Documents - CD-60S

	<p><a href="#">Fender Acoustasonic Player Telecaster Quick Start Guide</a></p> <p>A concise guide to the Fender Acoustasonic Player Telecaster, detailing its controls, voice options, features, and essential cautions for optimal use and maintenance.</p>
	<p><a href="#">Fender Guitars Owner's Manual: History, Setup, and Care</a></p> <p>Comprehensive owner's manual for Fender electric guitars, covering history, model overview, setup procedures, maintenance tips, and safety warnings. Learn about Fender's legacy and how to care for your instrument.</p>
	<p><a href="#">Fender Acoustic Junior, Junior Go, and SFX II Guitar Amplifier User Manual and Specifications</a></p> <p>Detailed user manual for Fender Acoustic Junior, Acoustic Junior Go, and Acoustic SFX II amplifiers, covering features, controls, operation, Bluetooth, looper, and technical specifications.</p>



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	<p><a href="#">Fender Guitars Owner's Manual: History, Models, Setup, and Care</a></p> <p>Explore the rich history, iconic models, detailed setup guides, and essential maintenance tips for Fender guitars in this comprehensive owner's manual.</p>
	<p><a href="#">Fender Electric Guitar Owner's Manual: Setup, Maintenance, and History</a></p> <p>Comprehensive owner's manual for Fender electric guitars, covering setup, maintenance, anatomy, history, and safety guidelines. Learn to adjust your Stratocaster, Telecaster, and other models.</p>