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Model: H281 | Brand: Bosch

1. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Bosch H281 OE Specialty Rear Wiper Blade is engineered to provide clear visibility and reliable performance for the rear window of your vehicle. Designed with high-quality standards, this wiper blade features wear-resistant natural rubber and a specially coated wiping edge for smooth, quiet operation and extended service life. It offers an Original Equipment (OE) fit, function, and appearance, ensuring seamless integration with your vehicle's existing wiping system.





Image: The Bosch H281 OE Specialty Rear Wiper Blade, shown both in its retail packaging and as a standalone blade, highlighting its design and 11-inch length.

2. KEY FEATURES

- **Easy Installation:** Features integrated rear quick-clip connections for fast and hassle-free installation.
- **All-Weather Performance:** Specialty coated natural rubber ensures smooth, quiet operation and a clean, consistent wipe in any weather condition.
- **Quiet and Smooth Operation:** Designed for noise-free performance, providing a comfortable and seamless driving experience.
- **OE Style Blade Design:** Offers an OE fit, function, and appearance, maintaining the original quality

and style of your vehicle.

- **Application Specific:** Engineered and designed to application-specific wiping systems, making installation easy.

3. INSTALLATION GUIDE

Follow these steps for proper installation of your Bosch H281 Rear Wiper Blade. Always refer to your vehicle's owner's manual for specific instructions related to your car's wiper arm mechanism.

1. Remove Old Wiper Blade:

Gently lift the rear wiper arm away from the window until it locks into the upright position. Locate the release tab or button on the existing wiper blade where it connects to the wiper arm. Press the tab and slide the old blade off the arm. Be careful not to let the wiper arm snap back against the window, as this could cause damage.



Image: A close-up view of hands demonstrating the removal of an old wiper blade from the vehicle's wiper arm, showing the connection point.

2. Prepare New Wiper Blade:

Unpack the new Bosch H281 wiper blade. Ensure the quick-clip connection is ready to receive the wiper arm.

3. Attach New Wiper Blade:

Align the quick-clip connector of the new Bosch H281 blade with the hook or pin on your vehicle's wiper arm. Slide the blade onto the arm until it clicks securely into place. Give it a gentle tug to ensure it is firmly attached.

4. Return Wiper Arm:

Carefully lower the wiper arm back onto the rear window. Ensure the blade rests flat against the glass.

5. Test Operation:

Before driving, activate your vehicle's rear wiper to ensure it operates smoothly and clears the window effectively. Apply windshield washer fluid to lubricate the glass during the test.

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4. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Once installed, the Bosch H281 OE Specialty Rear Wiper Blade operates in conjunction with your vehicle's existing wiper system. To activate the rear wiper, refer to your vehicle's owner's manual for the specific controls, typically located on the steering column stalk or dashboard.

- **Normal Operation:** Use the wiper in light rain or mist to maintain clear rear visibility.
- **Heavy Rain/Snow:** For heavier precipitation, use the continuous or high-speed setting as needed.
- **Washer Fluid:** Always use windshield washer fluid when operating wipers on a dry or dusty window to prevent damage to the blade and scratching the glass.



Image: A rear view of a vehicle's window being cleared by a wiper blade, demonstrating effective operation in wet conditions.

5. MAINTENANCE AND CARE

Proper maintenance extends the life and performance of your wiper blade.

- **Regular Cleaning:** Clean the rubber wiping edge regularly with a soft cloth or sponge and mild soap and water. This removes dirt, grime, and road film that can cause streaking.
- **Inspect for Damage:** Periodically inspect the blade for cracks, tears, or hardening of the rubber. Replace the blade if any damage is observed.
- **Winter Care:** In freezing conditions, ensure the blade is not frozen to the windshield before operating. Use a de-icer or allow the vehicle to warm up to prevent damage to the blade or wiper motor.
- **Avoid Dry Wiping:** Never operate wipers on a dry windshield, as this can damage the blade and scratch the glass. Always use washer fluid.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Streaking or Smearing	Dirty blade, worn rubber, or insufficient washer fluid.	Clean the blade with a damp cloth. If streaking persists, the blade may be worn and require replacement. Ensure washer fluid reservoir is full.
Chattering or Skipping	Blade not making full contact with the windshield, bent wiper arm, or hardened rubber.	Clean the blade. Check if the wiper arm is bent and adjust if necessary (consult a professional if unsure). Replace the blade if rubber is hardened.
Incomplete Wipe Area	Incorrect blade length, bent wiper arm, or worn blade.	Verify the blade length matches your vehicle's requirements. Inspect and adjust the wiper arm. Replace the blade if worn.

7. SPECIFICATIONS

- **Brand:** Bosch
- **Model:** H281 (Rear Blade)
- **Item Length:** 11 Inches (280 mm)
- **Mounting Type:** Pinch Tab
- **Vehicle Service Type:** Car
- **Fit Type:** Vehicle Specific Fit
- **Color:** Black
- **Item Weight:** Approximately 1.41 ounces
- **OEM Part Number:** 3397011428

8. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information and customer support, please refer to the official Bosch Automotive website or contact their customer service directly. Keep your purchase receipt as proof of purchase.

For additional resources, you may visit the [Bosch Automotive Store on Amazon](#).

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