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Model: HT1181XL | Brand: HOT TOOLS

1. INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing the Hot Tools Pro Artist 24K Gold Extra Long Curling Iron. This professional-grade styling tool is designed to help you achieve long-lasting, defined curls and waves with ease. Its advanced features ensure consistent heat distribution and versatile styling for all hair types. Please read this manual thoroughly before use to ensure safe and optimal performance of your curling iron.

2. SAFETY INFORMATION

For your safety, please adhere to the following warnings:

- Always unplug the appliance immediately after use.
- Do not use while bathing or in a shower.
- Do not place or store appliance where it can fall or be pulled into a tub or sink.
- Do not place in or drop into water or other liquid.
- If an appliance falls into water, unplug it immediately. Do not reach into the water.
- Close supervision is necessary when this appliance is used by, on, or near children or individuals with certain disabilities.
- Use this appliance only for its intended use as described in this manual. Do not use attachments not recommended by the manufacturer.
- Never operate this appliance if it has a damaged cord or plug, if it is not working properly, or if it has been dropped or damaged, or dropped into water.
- Keep the cord away from heated surfaces. Do not wrap the cord around the appliance.
- Never use while sleeping.
- Never drop or insert any object into any opening or hose.
- Do not use outdoors or operate where aerosol (spray) products are being used or where oxygen is being administered.
- Do not use an extension cord with this appliance.
- This appliance is hot when in use. Do not let eyes or bare skin touch heated surfaces.
- Do not place the heated unit directly on any surface while it is hot or plugged in. Use the included foldaway safety stand.
- Always store this appliance and cord in a moisture-free area. Do not store it in temperatures exceeding 140°F (60°C).
- Do not plug this appliance into a voltage converter.

3. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Hot Tools Pro Artist 24K Gold Extra Long Curling Iron features a 24K gold-plated barrel, known for its superior heat conductivity and even heat distribution. This ensures consistent, long-lasting curls from root to tip.

- **24K Gold Barrel:** Provides excellent heat conduction for defined curls.
- **Extra-Long Barrel:** Ideal for longer hair lengths, allowing for faster styling.
- **Variable Heat Settings:** Adjustable temperature up to 430°F (220°C) for all hair types.
- **Pulse Technology:** Senses temperature drops and restores heat immediately for consistent styling.
- **Easy-to-Use Clamp:** Securely holds hair for precise curling.
- **Rotating Cool Tip:** Provides a safe grip for easy maneuvering.
- **8ft. Professional Swivel Cord:** Offers free range of movement and prevents tangling.
- **Foldaway Safety Stand:** For convenient and safe storage during and after use.



Figure 3.1: The Hot Tools Pro Artist 24K Gold Extra Long Curling Iron, showcasing its gold barrel and black handle.



Figure 3.2: Close-up of the curling iron barrel highlighting the 24K gold surface and its ability to create consistent heat up to 430°F.



Figure 3.3: Image illustrating the 18-inch (45 cm) length of the curling iron, emphasizing its extra-long design.

4. SETUP

1. **Unpack:** Carefully remove the curling iron and any accessories from the packaging.
2. **Placement:** Place the curling iron on a heat-resistant surface, using the integrated foldaway safety stand to keep the hot barrel elevated and away from direct contact with surfaces.
3. **Plug In:** Insert the power cord into a standard electrical outlet. Ensure the voltage matches the product's requirements (120V AC in North America).
4. **Power On:** Locate the ON/OFF switch on the handle and slide it to the 'ON' position. The indicator light will illuminate.
5. **Set Temperature:** Rotate the rheostat control dial to select your desired heat setting. Start with a lower setting for fine or damaged hair and gradually increase for thicker or coarser hair. The iron heats up quickly.

5. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Follow these steps for optimal curling results:

1. **Prepare Hair:** Ensure your hair is clean, dry, and free of tangles. For best results and heat protection, apply a heat protectant spray evenly throughout your hair.
2. **Section Hair:** Divide your hair into manageable sections, typically 1-2 inches wide, depending on the desired curl size and hair thickness.
3. **Curl Application:**
 - Open the clamp and place the end of a hair section under it.
 - Roll the curling iron upwards towards the scalp, ensuring the hair is evenly wrapped around the 24K gold barrel. The extra-long barrel accommodates longer hair more efficiently.
 - Hold for 5-10 seconds, or until the curl is set. The Pulse Technology ensures consistent heat for even results.
 - Release the clamp and gently slide the curling iron out, allowing the curl to fall naturally.
4. **Alternative (Wand Style):** For a more relaxed wave, you can wrap sections of hair around the barrel without using the clamp. Hold the cool tip for stability.
5. **Repeat:** Continue curling all sections of your hair.

6. **Finish:** Once all hair is curled, allow the curls to cool completely before styling or brushing. This helps to set the curl and ensure long-lasting results. You may gently finger-comb or brush through for a softer look, or apply hairspray for added hold.

6. MAINTENANCE

Proper maintenance ensures the longevity and performance of your curling iron:

- **Cleaning:** Ensure the curling iron is unplugged and completely cool before cleaning. Wipe the barrel and handle with a soft, damp cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners or immerse the appliance in water.
- **Storage:** Store the curling iron in a cool, dry place. Do not wrap the power cord around the appliance, as this can damage the cord. Use the foldaway safety stand for compact and safe storage.
- **Cord Care:** Regularly inspect the power cord for any signs of damage. If the cord is damaged, discontinue use immediately and contact customer support.

7. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your Hot Tools Pro Artist 24K Gold Extra Long Curling Iron, refer to the following common problems and solutions:

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Curling iron does not heat up.	Not plugged in; ON/OFF switch is off; power outlet issue.	Ensure the iron is securely plugged into a working outlet. Check the ON/OFF switch. Try a different outlet.
Curls do not hold or are not defined.	Temperature setting too low; hair not fully dry; sections too large; not holding long enough.	Increase the temperature setting. Ensure hair is completely dry. Use smaller sections of hair. Hold the iron on the hair for a longer duration (e.g., 8-10 seconds). Ensure a heat protectant is used.
Hair gets tangled around the barrel.	Hair not properly detangled; incorrect wrapping technique.	Thoroughly detangle hair before curling. Ensure hair sections are smooth and wrapped evenly. The 360-degree swivel cord helps prevent tangling during use.
Iron feels too hot or too cold.	Incorrect temperature setting.	Adjust the rheostat control dial to a suitable temperature for your hair type.

8. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Model Number	HT1181XL
Barrel Material	24K Gold Plated
Maximum Temperature	Up to 430°F (220°C)
Power Cord Length	8 ft. Professional Swivel Cord
Product Dimensions	17.2 x 2.62 x 5.5 inches
Item Weight	1 Pound
Hair Type Compatibility	All Hair Types
Manufacturer	Helen of Troy

Feature	Detail
UPC	787734651448, 078729511817

9. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For detailed warranty information, please refer to the official user manual included with your product or visit the manufacturer's website. Hot Tools Professional is committed to providing quality products and support.

For further assistance, product registration, or to inquire about replacement parts, please visit the official HOT TOOLS Store or contact their customer service department. Contact information is typically available on the product packaging or the brand's official website.

You can visit the HOT TOOLS Store at <https://www.amazon.com/stores/HOTTOOLS/page/2A0D19FA-924E-4F35-9EFB-55E9DFE73BEA>.

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