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For Singer Sewing Machine Models: 700, 702, 706, 708, 720, 722, 726, 740, 760, 1000 Futura, 1100 Futura

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides instructions for the installation and maintenance of the HONEYSEW Hook Drive Gear, part number 153021G. This high-quality replacement gear is compatible with various Singer sewing machine models, including 700, 702, 706, 708, 720, 722, 726, 740, 760, 1000 Futura, and 1100 Futura. Please read these instructions carefully before proceeding with installation to ensure proper function and longevity of your sewing machine.

SAFETY INFORMATION

- Always disconnect the sewing machine from the power supply before performing any maintenance or installation.
- Wear appropriate safety gear, such as gloves and eye protection, during installation.
- If you are unsure about any step, consult a qualified sewing machine technician.
- Keep small parts away from children.

PACKAGE CONTENTS

Verify that all items are present in your package:

- 1 x HONEYSEW Hook Drive Gear (Part # 153021G)



Image: Packaging for the HONEYSEW Hook Drive Gear. The packaging is an orange and white pouch with the HONEYSEW logo and a small illustration of a sewing machine.

SPECIFICATIONS

Part Number	153021G
Brand	HONEYSEW
Compatibility	Singer Sewing Machine Models: 700, 702, 706, 708, 720, 722, 726, 740, 760, 1000 Futura, 1100 Futura
Material	Durable plastic/composite with metal insert
Dimensions	Approximately 1 x 1 x 0.7 inches
Weight	Approximately 3.99 ounces



Image: The HONEYSEW Hook Drive Gear, part number 153021G. It is a dark-colored gear with a metallic center hub, designed for precise fit and function.

INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

Replacing the hook drive gear requires careful attention to detail and proper tools. If you are not comfortable performing this repair, it is recommended to seek professional assistance.

1. Preparation:

- Disconnect the sewing machine from the power outlet.
- Clear the work area and gather necessary tools (e.g., screwdrivers, pliers, gear puller, timing gauge, lubricant).
- Remove the necessary covers from your sewing machine to access the hook drive mechanism. Refer to your specific Singer model's service manual for cover removal procedures.

2. Removing the Old Gear:

- Locate the existing hook drive gear. It is typically located on the lower shaft, driving the hook assembly.
- Note the orientation and position of the old gear, especially in relation to any timing marks. Taking photos can be helpful.
- Carefully remove any set screws or retaining clips holding the old gear in place.
- Use a gear puller or appropriate tools to gently remove the old gear from the shaft. Avoid damaging the shaft or surrounding components.

3. Installing the New Gear:

- Clean the shaft thoroughly, removing any old grease or debris.
- Apply a small amount of appropriate sewing machine lubricant to the shaft where the new gear will be installed.
- Carefully slide the new HONEYSEW Hook Drive Gear (153021G) onto the shaft. Ensure it is oriented correctly.
- Press the new gear into place. This may require firm, even pressure, or a gentle tap with a rubber mallet and a suitable sleeve to avoid damaging the gear. Ensure it is fully seated.
- Secure the new gear with any set screws or retaining clips that were removed earlier. Tighten securely but do not overtighten.

4. **Timing Adjustment:**

- This is a critical step. The timing of the hook drive gear must be precisely set for the sewing machine to function correctly.
- Refer to your specific Singer model's service manual for detailed instructions on setting the hook timing. This typically involves aligning the needle bar and hook point at specific positions.
- Incorrect timing can lead to skipped stitches, thread breakage, or damage to the machine.

5. **Reassembly and Testing:**

- Once the gear is installed and timing is set, reassemble the machine covers.
- Reconnect the power and perform a test sew on scrap fabric.
- Listen for unusual noises and observe stitch quality. Make further adjustments to timing if necessary.

MAINTENANCE

To ensure the longevity and smooth operation of your HONEYSEW Hook Drive Gear and sewing machine:

- **Lubrication:** Periodically lubricate the shaft where the gear is mounted with appropriate sewing machine oil, as recommended by your machine's manufacturer.
- **Cleaning:** Keep the area around the hook drive mechanism free from lint and thread buildup, which can impede gear movement.
- **Inspection:** Regularly inspect the gear for any signs of wear, cracks, or damage. Replace if necessary.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Skipped Stitches	Incorrect hook timing; needle bent or dull; wrong needle size for fabric.	Re-check and adjust hook timing (refer to installation step 4); replace needle; use correct needle.
Thread Breakage	Incorrect hook timing; burrs on hook or needle plate; tension issues; poor quality thread.	Verify hook timing; inspect and smooth burrs; adjust tension; use good quality thread.
Machine Jams/Seizes	Gear not fully seated; debris in mechanism; incorrect installation.	Disconnect power, inspect gear seating and clear debris; review installation steps.
Unusual Noises	Lack of lubrication; loose components; gear rubbing.	Lubricate moving parts; check for loose screws; ensure gear is properly aligned.

If problems persist after following these troubleshooting steps, it is recommended to consult a professional sewing machine repair technician.

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

This HONEYSEW product is a replacement part designed for specific sewing machine models. For information regarding warranty coverage or technical support, please refer to the seller's policies or contact HONEYSEW directly through their official channels. Keep your purchase receipt as proof of purchase. For further assistance, you may visit the [HONEYSEW Store on Amazon](#).

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