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MODEL: CSC-S49-2PK-DL5

For McCulloch Eager Beaver 2.0 Series Chainsaws

Introduction

This manual provides essential information for the safe and effective use of your UpStart Components 14-inch Semi Chisel Saw Chain. This product is designed as a replacement chain for McCulloch Eager Beaver 2.0 series chainsaws. It is crucial to read and understand all instructions before installation and operation.

Important Safety Warning: This saw chain is NOT an ANSI Approved Low Kickback Chain. It may be capable of kickback that could result in serious injury to the chainsaw operator or bystanders. DO NOT USE THIS SAW CHAIN UNLESS YOU HAVE EXPERIENCE AND SPECIALIZED TRAINING FOR DEALING WITH KICKBACK. Always refer to your chainsaw's User Manual for proper chain installation, maintenance, and operation procedures.



Saw Chains

CSC-S49

14"
(36 cm)

3/8" Pitch
0.050" Gauge
49 Drive Links

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Setup and Installation

Proper installation of the saw chain is critical for safety and performance. Always consult your chainsaw's original user manual for specific instructions regarding chain replacement and tensioning for your McCulloch Eager Beaver 2.0 series chainsaw.

Pre-Installation Checks:

- **Verify Compatibility:** Ensure the new chain matches the specifications of your chainsaw's guide bar. The same chainsaw model can sometimes use different bar lengths. Confirm the pitch, gauge, and drive links required for your specific bar. This chain is 14 inches long with a 3/8" Low Profile Pitch, 0.050" Gauge, and 49 Drive Links.
- **Inspect Components:** Before installation, inspect the new chain for any manufacturing defects or damage. Also, check your guide bar and sprocket for wear or damage that could affect chain performance or safety.

Installation Steps (General Guidance):

1. Ensure the chainsaw is turned off and the spark plug cap is disconnected to prevent accidental starting.
2. Remove the chain brake cover and the old chain.
3. Carefully place the new chain onto the guide bar, ensuring the cutting edges face the correct direction (usually forward on the top of the bar).
4. Fit the chain around the drive sprocket.
5. Reinstall the chain brake cover and lightly tighten the nuts.
6. Adjust chain tension according to your chainsaw's manual. The chain should be snug but still able to be pulled freely around the bar by hand.
7. Fully tighten the guide bar nuts.
8. Reconnect the spark plug cap.



Image: The UpStart Components CSC-S49 Saw Chain laid out in a complete loop, showing its full length and design.

Operation

Once the chain is correctly installed and tensioned, operate your chainsaw according to the manufacturer's instructions. This chain is engineered for precision, balance, and safety, offering high performance and smooth cuts with reduced vibration levels.

- Always wear appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE), including safety glasses, hearing protection, gloves, and protective clothing.
- Maintain a firm grip on the chainsaw with both hands.
- Be aware of your surroundings and potential hazards.

- Avoid contact with the chain when the engine is running.
- Be prepared for kickback, especially with non-low-kickback chains. Understand how to control the chainsaw in such an event.

Maintenance

Regular maintenance extends the life of your saw chain and ensures safe operation. This chain is designed for durability to keep it sharper longer, but proper care is still essential.

Chain Inspection:

- Before each use, inspect the chain for dullness, damage, cracks, or missing cutters.
- Check for proper tension. A loose chain can derail, and an overly tight chain can cause premature wear and damage.

Sharpening:

- A sharp chain cuts efficiently and safely. A dull chain requires more force, increases kickback risk, and can damage the chainsaw.
- Sharpen the chain regularly using appropriate tools and techniques. Refer to your chainsaw manual or a professional for guidance on sharpening angles and file sizes.
- Replace dull or damaged chains promptly to avoid injuries and maintain cutting performance.

Cleaning:

- After use, clean the chain to remove sawdust, resin, and debris. This prevents buildup that can hinder performance and cause corrosion.
- Lubricate the chain with appropriate chain oil before and during operation to reduce friction and heat.



Image: A detailed close-up view of the individual links and cutters of the UpStart Components CSC-S49 Saw Chain, highlighting the semi-chisel design.

Troubleshooting

- **Poor Cutting Performance:** This is often caused by a dull chain. Sharpen or replace the chain. Incorrect chain tension can also affect cutting.
- **Chain Derailment:** A loose chain is the most common cause. Ensure the chain is properly tensioned. Worn guide bars or sprockets can also contribute to derailment.
- **Excessive Vibration:** Can indicate a dull or damaged chain, incorrect tension, or issues with the guide bar or sprocket.
- **Chain Not Fitting:** Double-check the pitch, gauge, and drive link count against your chainsaw's requirements. Ensure the bar length matches the chain.

Specifications

Feature	Specification
Brand	UpStart Components
Model Number	CSC-S49-2PK-DL5
Chain Type	Semi Chisel, Low Profile
Item Length	14 Inches
Pitch	3/8 Inches (Low Profile)
Gauge	0.050 Inches
Drive Link Count	49
Compatibility	McCulloch Eager Beaver 2.0 series Chainsaws
ANSI Approved Low Kickback	No
UPC	711841306922

Support

For further assistance or inquiries regarding your UpStart Components saw chain, please contact the manufacturer directly. Always refer to your chainsaw's original user manual for detailed operational and safety instructions specific to your equipment.

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