

Fiskars 392781-1002

Fiskars Bypass Pruning Shears Instruction Manual

Model: 392781-1002

1. INTRODUCTION

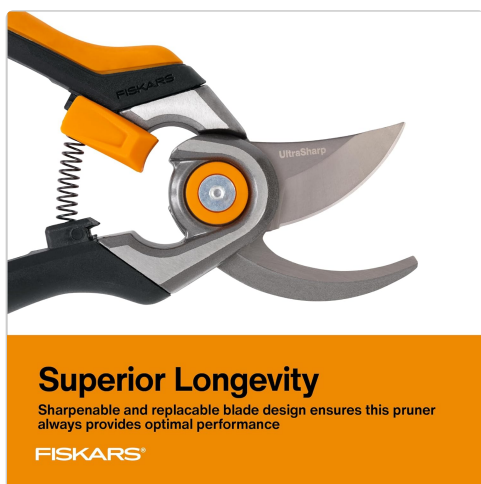
Thank you for choosing Fiskars Bypass Pruning Shears. This manual provides essential information for the safe and effective use, maintenance, and care of your new gardening tool. Designed for durability and precision, these shears feature a 1-inch cut capacity, comfortable Softgrip handles, and a forged steel replaceable blade with a rust-resistant, low-friction coating. Proper use and maintenance will ensure long-lasting performance.

2. PRODUCT FEATURES

- **Forged Steel Blades:** The blades are crafted from forged steel, offering superior strength and lasting durability for consistent cutting performance.
- **Replaceable & Sharpenable Blade:** The fully hardened, precision-ground stainless steel blade maintains sharpness through heavy use. It features a low-friction coating for smooth cuts, reduced gumming, and rust resistance. The blade is also designed to be sharpened or replaced for extended tool life.
- **Softgrip Handles:** Ergonomically designed handles with Softgrip touchpoints provide enhanced comfort and control, reducing hand fatigue during prolonged use.
- **1-Inch Cut Capacity:** Capable of cleanly cutting stems and branches up to 1 inch in diameter, making it suitable for a variety of pruning tasks.
- **Secure Locking Mechanism:** A convenient sliding lock mechanism keeps the blades safely closed when not in use, preventing accidental injury and protecting the blade.



Detailed view highlighting key features like forged steel blades and Softgrip handles.



The replaceable and sharpenable blade ensures superior longevity.



The pruner is designed for a 1-inch cut capacity.

3. SETUP

1. **Unpacking:** Carefully remove the pruning shears from their packaging.
2. **Initial Inspection:** Inspect the shears for any signs of damage. Ensure the blades are clean and the locking mechanism operates smoothly.
3. **Unlocking:** To unlock the shears, push the orange sliding lock mechanism away from the blades. The handles will spring open, ready for use.

4. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

These bypass pruners are ideal for making clean cuts on live green wood, promoting plant health. Always wear appropriate safety gear, such as gardening gloves and eye protection, when operating the shears.

1. **Positioning:** Place the branch or stem as deep as possible into the jaws of the pruner, close to the pivot point. This maximizes leverage and ensures a clean cut.
2. **Cutting:** Squeeze the handles firmly and steadily until the cut is complete. Avoid twisting the shears during the cut.
3. **Capacity:** The shears are designed to cut branches up to 1 inch in diameter. Do not force the shears through thicker material, as this can damage the blades or the tool.
4. **Safety:** Keep fingers and other body parts clear of the blades. Always engage the locking mechanism when the shears are not in use.

Demonstration Videos:

Video demonstrating the sharpness of the Fiskars Bypass Pruning Shears on various plant materials.

A user's review highlighting the effectiveness of the shears for trimming plants.

Demonstration of the shears' cutting performance after two years of use.

Video showcasing the ambidextrous design and ease of use for both left and right-handed individuals.

5. MAINTENANCE

Regular maintenance will extend the life and performance of your Fiskars Bypass Pruning Shears.

1. **Cleaning:** After each use, clean the blades to remove sap, dirt, and debris. The low-friction coating helps prevent gumming. Use a damp cloth and, if necessary, a mild detergent. Dry thoroughly to prevent rust.
2. **Sharpening:** The precision-ground blade can be sharpened as needed to maintain optimal cutting performance. Use a sharpening tool designed for garden shears, following the manufacturer's instructions.
3. **Lubrication:** Periodically apply a few drops of light machine oil to the pivot point and the spring to ensure smooth operation and prevent corrosion.
4. **Spring Care:** The spring is crucial for the smooth opening of the shears. Ensure it is properly seated. If the spring becomes dislodged, carefully re-insert it into its designated slots.

Maintenance Video:

Video demonstrating the ease of use and the locking mechanism of the pruning shears.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

- **Blades Not Cutting Cleanly:** This usually indicates dull blades. Refer to the 'Sharpening' section under Maintenance.
- **Handles Sticking or Stiff:** Clean the pivot point and blades thoroughly to remove sap and debris. Apply a few drops of light machine oil to the pivot and spring.
- **Spring Dislodged:** If the spring pops out, carefully re-insert it into the designated holes between the handles.

Ensure it is securely seated for proper tension.

- **Locking Mechanism Not Engaging/Disengaging:** Check for any debris obstructing the sliding lock. Ensure it moves freely. If it frequently falls off, inspect for damage.
- **Difficulty Cutting Thick Branches:** Ensure the branch is within the 1-inch cut capacity. Forcing the shears beyond their capacity can cause damage. Consider using a lopper or saw for larger branches.

7. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand	Fiskars
Model Number	392781-1002
Item Weight	12.8 ounces
Product Dimensions	11.5"L x 4.75"W
Cutting Width	1 Inches
Blade Type	Bypass
Blade Material	Alloy Steel
Handle Material	Stainless Steel, Steel
Hand Orientation	Ambidextrous
UPC	046561192785

8. WARRANTY & SUPPORT

Fiskars tools are designed for longevity and are guaranteed to maintain exceptional performance season after season. This product includes a Lifetime Warranty. For detailed information regarding the warranty and to access support resources, please visit the official Fiskars website at [Fiskars.com/USwarranty](https://www.fiskars.com/USwarranty).



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