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Model: PS13 | Brand: AFMAT

## INTRODUCTION

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This manual provides essential information for the safe and efficient operation and maintenance of your AFMAT Heavy Duty Electric Pencil Sharpener, Model PS13. This UL Listed sharpener is designed for frequent use in various environments, including classrooms, offices, and homes, capable of sharpening 6.5-8mm No.2 and colored pencils.

## SETUP INSTRUCTIONS

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- Unpacking:** Carefully remove the pencil sharpener from its packaging. Ensure all components are present and undamaged.
- Placement:** Place the sharpener on a stable, flat surface. The non-skid foot pads at the bottom will help keep it stable during use.
- Power Connection:** This AFMAT electric pencil sharpener is corded and operates with a 120V US wall plug. Plug the power cord into a standard 120V AC outlet.
- Shavings Box:** Ensure the shavings box is correctly installed and securely closed before operation. The sharpener will not operate if the box is removed or not closed tightly, a built-in safety feature.



Image: The AFMAT Electric Pencil Sharpener PS13, black model, ready for use.

# Non-Skid Foot Pads



Image: Underside view of the AFMAT Electric Pencil Sharpener, showing the non-skid foot pads for stability.

## OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

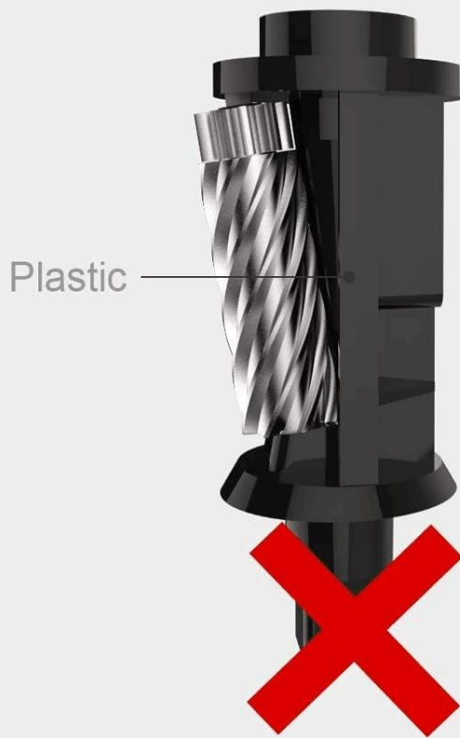
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1. **Insert Pencil:** Gently insert a 6.5-8mm No.2 or colored pencil horizontally into the sharpening hole. The sharpener will automatically begin operation.
2. **Sharpening:** Apply light pressure. The sharpener is designed to create a sharp point quickly, typically within 3-5 seconds.
3. **Remove Pencil:** Once the motor sound changes and the resistance of sharpening decreases, the pencil is sharp. Remove the pencil from the sharpener.
4. **Pencil Types:** This sharpener is suitable for graphite and colored pencils, including brands like Prismacolor Premiers, Derwent, Verithins, Faber-Castell, and Koh-I-Noor Progresso.
5. **Important Note:** It is not recommended to sharpen extra soft core pencils, as this may cause jams in the blade. Avoid pushing the pencil too hard, as this can cause a "hum" noise and prevent proper sharpening.

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Video: Demonstration of the AFMAT Electric Pencil Sharpener in use, highlighting its fast sharpening capability.

OTHERS  
3000  
Sharpening Times



Smaller  
Weaker & Easy to Break

AFMAT  
10000  
Sharpening Times



Bigger  
Stronger & Long Lasting

Image: A perfectly sharpened pencil next to the AFMAT Electric Pencil Sharpener, demonstrating the sharp point achieved.

## MAINTENANCE

- **Emptying Shavings Box:** Regularly check the transparent shavings box. When it appears full, gently pull it out from the front of the sharpener. Dispose of the pencil shavings in a waste bin.
- **Reinstall Shavings Box:** After emptying, slide the shavings box back into its position until it clicks securely. The sharpener will not operate if the box is not properly installed.
- **Cleaning:** Periodically wipe the exterior of the sharpener with a soft, dry cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners or immerse the unit in water.

# Safety Design & Large Shavings box

Stop working when the box is removed



Image: The AFMAT Electric Pencil Sharpener with its large, transparent shavings box removed for emptying.

## TROUBLESHOOTING

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If your AFMAT Electric Pencil Sharpener is not functioning as expected, please refer to the following common issues and solutions:

Problem	Possible Reason	Solution
Sharpener does not work.	Shavings box not installed well.	Reinstall the shavings box tightly.
Sharpener does not work.	Product is under overheating protection.	Wait for 20-30 minutes, and the sharpener will start to work again.
Sharpener does not work.	Shavings box is damaged.	Contact AFMAT customer service to change a new one.
Sharpener does not work.	Shavings box is too full.	Empty the shavings box and try again.
Sharpener does not work.	Broken lead jams the blade.	Unplug the machine, remove the shavings box, put the machine upside down, and use a small metal pin to poke the broken lead out.
Uneven tip after sharpening.	Pencil core is off center or pencil inserted incorrectly.	Insert the pencil horizontally and parallel with the sharpener.

## Q: What to do when it doesn't work?

A: Please check the possible reasons and solutions.

Reason 1: Shavings box not installed well.

Solution: Reinstall the shavings box tightly.

Reason 2: The product is under overheating protection.

Solution: Wait for 20-30 minutes and the sharpener will start to work again.

Reason 3: The shavings box is damaged.

Solution: Contact AFMAT customer service to change a new one.

Reason 4: The shavings box is too full.

Solution: Empty the shaving box and try again.

Reason 5: Broken lead jams the blade.

Solution: Unplug the machine, remove the shavings box, put the machine upside down, and use a small metal pin to poke the broken lead out.

## Q: Why there is an uneven tip?

A: If the pencil core is off center, there will be an uneven tip. Besides, please insert the pencil horizontally and parallel with the sharpener.

Image: A visual guide to common troubleshooting steps for the AFMAT Electric Pencil Sharpener.

## SPECIFICATIONS

- **Brand:** AFMAT
- **Model Number:** PS13
- **Color:** Black
- **Power Source:** Corded Electric - US Plug 120V 60Hz

- **Material:** Metal, Plastic, Stainless Steel
- **Specific Uses For Product:** Color Pencil, Graphite Pencil (6.5-8mm)
- **Dimensions (D x W x H):** 6.5" x 3.15" x 3.55"
- **Certifications:** UL Listed (Model No: S230)
- **Sharpening Capacity:** Designed for 10,000+ sharpenings
- **Features:** Heavy Duty, Non-skid foot pads, Overheat protection, Safety switch for shavings box.

## WARRANTY

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AFMAT offers a **2-year warranty** from the purchase date for this product. Please retain your proof of purchase for warranty claims.

## CUSTOMER SUPPORT

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For any questions, concerns, or warranty claims, please contact AFMAT customer service. You can find contact information on the official AFMAT website or through your purchase platform.