

Shoei J-Cruise II

Shoei J-Cruise II Open Face Motorcycle Helmet Instruction Manual

Model: J-Cruise II (JCR2 MTBLK5 SNL)

Brand: Shoei

1. IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

Always prioritize safety when using your Shoei J-Cruise II helmet. This helmet is designed to provide protection, but proper use and maintenance are crucial. Read all warnings and instructions carefully before use.

- **Helmet Fit:** Ensure the helmet fits snugly and securely. A loose helmet can compromise protection.
- **Chin Strap:** Always fasten the chin strap securely before riding.
- **Visibility:** Maintain clear visibility through the visor. Clean it regularly and replace if scratched or damaged.
- **Impact:** If the helmet sustains an impact, even if no visible damage is present, it should be replaced. The protective capabilities may be compromised.
- **Modifications:** Do not modify the helmet in any way, as this can reduce its protective performance.
- **Chemicals:** Avoid contact with gasoline, paint, adhesives, or cleaning agents, as they can damage the helmet materials.

2. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Shoei J-Cruise II is an advanced open-face motorcycle helmet engineered for comfort, safety, and performance. It features a lightweight AIM shell, enhanced aerodynamics, superior ventilation, and an integrated sun shield.



Front view of the Shoei J-Cruise II helmet, showcasing its sleek design and clear visor.

Key Features:

- **Premium Protection with AIM Shell:** Features SHOEI's Advanced Integrated Matrix (AIM) shell for lightweight yet robust protection.
- **Enhanced Aerodynamics and Noise Reduction:** Designed to minimize wind noise and provide stability for various riding conditions.
- **Superior Ventilation System:** Ensures optimal airflow, reducing heat and moisture for rider comfort.
- **Integrated QSV-2 Sun Shield:** Large, easily retractable internal sun shield with anti-fog and anti-scratch coatings for clear vision.
- **DOT and FMVSS 218 Standards:** Meets or exceeds safety standards for top-tier protection.

3. SETUP AND INITIAL USE

3.1 Fitting Your Helmet

A correct helmet fit is essential for safety and comfort. The helmet should feel snug around your head without causing pressure points. The cheek pads should make firm contact with your cheeks.

Chin Strap Adjustment

The J-Cruise II features a patented Micro Ratchet Chinstrap for easy and secure fastening. To adjust:

1. Place the helmet on your head.
2. Insert the ratchet tongue into the buckle until it clicks securely.
3. Pull the strap to ensure it is tight under your chin, allowing no more than two fingers to fit between the strap and your chin.
4. To release, pull the red lever on the buckle.

Video demonstrating the patented Micro Ratchet Chinstrap adjustment and overall helmet use on a motorcycle.

3.2 Visor and Sun Shield Operation

The helmet is equipped with a clear CJ-2 shield and an integrated QSV-2 sun shield for varying light conditions.

Operating the QSV-2 Sun Shield

The internal sun shield can be easily deployed or retracted using the lever on the left side of the helmet. This provides instant relief from sun glare.



Detailed view of the internal QSV-2 sun shield mechanism.

The CJ-2 shield offers a wide field of vision and can be opened or closed as needed. It is designed for easy removal and installation for cleaning or replacement.



Components of the CJ-2 shield and its base plate, illustrating ease of maintenance.

4. OPERATING FEATURES

4.1 Ventilation System

The J-Cruise II features an advanced ventilation system with strategically placed air intakes and exhausts to maximize airflow and rider comfort. The air intake has been increased by 30% and air exhaust by 20% compared to previous models.

Video illustrating the enhanced ventilation system of the J-Cruise II helmet, showing air intake and exhaust.



Visual representation of the helmet's ventilation performance, highlighting air intake and exhaust points.

4.2 Aerodynamics and Noise Reduction

The J-Cruise II is designed with advanced aerodynamics to reduce drag, lift, and yawing, contributing to a more stable and quieter ride. This design minimizes rider fatigue, especially during long journeys.

Video demonstrating the aerodynamic performance of the J-Cruise II helmet, showing reduced yawing, lift, and drag.



Diagram showing the helmet's aerodynamic performance, with reduced yawing (-43%), lift (-7%), and drag (-1%).



Features designed to reduce noise and wind turbulence for a quieter ride.

4.3 Intercom System Integration

The J-Cruise II is designed for seamless integration with Sena SRL and SRL2 intercom systems. Dedicated spaces are provided for speakers and wiring, ensuring a clean and comfortable installation without compromising helmet integrity.

Video showcasing the intercom-ready design of the J-Cruise II helmet and its seamless integration with Sena SRL/SRL2 systems.



The helmet's design allows for easy and discreet installation of Sena SRL/SRL2 intercom systems.

5. MAINTENANCE AND CARE

5.1 Cleaning Your Helmet

Regular cleaning helps maintain the helmet's appearance and functionality. Use mild soap and water for the exterior shell and visor. Avoid harsh chemicals or abrasive materials.

5.2 Interior Removal and Cleaning

The J-Cruise II features a 3D Max-Dry Interior System, which is fully removable and washable. This allows for easy cleaning to maintain hygiene and comfort.



The removable 3D Max-Dry interior system for easy cleaning and maintenance.

To remove the interior components, carefully detach the cheek pads and center pad according to the instructions in the included manual. Hand wash with mild soap and air dry completely before reinstallation.

5.3 Storage

Store your helmet in a cool, dry place away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures. Use the included helmet bag to protect it from scratches and dust.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

This section addresses common issues you might encounter with your J-Cruise II helmet.

- **Visor Fogging:** Ensure the visor is clean. The QSV-2 sun shield has anti-fog properties, but in extreme conditions, opening the visor slightly or using an anti-fog insert may be necessary.
- **Excessive Wind Noise:** Check that the visor is fully closed and sealed. Ensure all ventilation vents are properly adjusted. A snug fit is also crucial for noise reduction.
- **Discomfort/Pressure Points:** Re-evaluate the helmet size and fit. If discomfort persists, consult a Shoei dealer for advice on different pad sizes or helmet models.
- **Chin Strap Not Securing:** Inspect the Micro Ratchet mechanism for any obstructions or damage. Ensure the ratchet tongue fully engages with the buckle.

7. SPECIFICATIONS

The Shoei J-Cruise II helmet is built with high-quality materials and adheres to strict safety standards.



The Multi-Ply Matrix AIM Shell construction for superior strength and lightweight design.

Feature	Detail
Brand	Shoei
Model Name	Solid J-cruise 2 Helmet
Model Number	JCR2 MTBLK5 SNL
Outer Material	Polycarbonate (PC) - AIM Shell
Inner Material	Expanded Polystyrene
Weight	3.6 Pounds
Safety Standards	Meets or exceeds DOT and FMVSS 218
Included Components	CJ-2 Shield, Helmet Bag, Instruction Manual, Service Tool

8. WARRANTY INFORMATION

Your SHOEI helmet is covered under warranty for five years from the purchase date, or seven years from the date of manufacture (whichever comes first). The warranty covers all manufacturing defects. Please note that damage caused by the consumer (i.e., dropping the helmet, etc.) is not covered under warranty.

9. CUSTOMER SUPPORT

For further assistance, questions, or to report any issues not covered in this manual, please contact Shoei customer support or visit your authorized Shoei dealer. Always refer to the official Shoei website for the most up-to-date information and support resources.

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