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1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential information for the proper use and care of Bostitch SB38HD-1M Heavy Duty Premium Staples. These staples are specifically designed for heavy-duty stapling applications, capable of binding 2 to 180 sheets of paper, and are intended for use with compatible Bostitch B380HD staplers.

For optimal performance and safety, please read and understand these instructions before use.

2. SETUP AND LOADING

2.1 Compatible Stapler

These staples are engineered for use with the **Bostitch B380HD Heavy Duty Stapler**. Using staples with incompatible staplers may result in poor performance, stapler jams, or damage to the stapler.

2.2 Loading Instructions

1. Ensure the stapler is empty of any old or broken staples.
2. Locate the staple loading mechanism on your Bostitch B380HD stapler. This typically involves pressing a release button or pulling a lever to open the staple channel.
3. Insert a strip of Bostitch SB38HD-1M staples into the channel with the staple points facing down. Ensure the strip is fully seated and aligned correctly.
4. Close the staple channel securely until it clicks into place.
5. Perform a test staple on a scrap piece of paper to confirm proper loading and function.



Image: Bostitch SB38HD-1M Heavy Duty Premium Staples, showing the product packaging and several strips of staples. The box indicates "Extra Heavy Duty Staples" and "For use in B380HD" staplers, with a capacity of "2-180" sheets and a quantity of "1000" staples.

3. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Once loaded, use the Bostitch SB38HD-1M staples with your B380HD stapler as follows:

1. Gather the documents you wish to staple. Ensure the edges are aligned neatly.
2. Place the corner or edge of the paper stack under the stapler's head, positioning it where you want the staple to be inserted.
3. Press down firmly and evenly on the stapler handle until the staple fully penetrates the paper and clinches on the underside.
4. Release the handle and remove the stapled documents.

Note: For very thick stacks of paper (approaching 180 sheets), ensure your stapler is on a stable surface and apply consistent pressure for a clean staple.

4. MAINTENANCE AND STORAGE

4.1 Storage

Store Bostitch SB38HD-1M staples in their original packaging in a cool, dry place, away from direct sunlight and excessive humidity. Proper storage helps prevent corrosion and maintains staple integrity.

4.2 Handling

Handle staples with care to avoid bending or damaging the strips. Damaged staples can lead to stapler jams and inefficient stapling.

5. TROUBLESHOOTING

- **Stapler Jams:**

- Ensure you are using the correct staple size (SB38HD-1M) for your B380HD stapler.
- Check if the staples are loaded correctly with points facing down.
- Remove any bent or broken staples from the stapler channel.
- Do not exceed the maximum sheet capacity of your stapler.

- **Staples Not Penetrating:**

- Verify that the number of sheets does not exceed the 180-sheet capacity of these staples.
- Ensure sufficient and even pressure is applied when stapling.
- Inspect your stapler for any mechanical issues or wear.

6. SPECIFICATIONS

Model Number	SB38HD-1M (Item model number: 56314343)
Brand	Bostitch
Staple Gauge	23 gauge
Staple Length	1/4" (6.35mm)
Sheet Capacity	2-180 sheets
Quantity Per Box	1,000 staples
Item Weight	0.56 Kilograms (approx. 1.23 Pounds)

7. WARRANTY INFORMATION

Bostitch products are manufactured to high-quality standards. For specific warranty details regarding your Bostitch stapler or accessories, please refer to the documentation provided with your stapler or visit the official Bostitch website. Staples are consumable items and typically do not carry a separate warranty, but are expected to perform as described when used correctly with compatible equipment.

8. SUPPORT

For further assistance, product inquiries, or technical support, please visit the official Bostitch website or contact their customer service department. You can often find contact information and FAQs on the product packaging or the brand's official online presence.

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