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Model: 9266SE-B

## INTRODUCTION

The Duncan Roadrunner is an expert-level unresponsive yo-yo designed for advanced string tricks. Crafted from precision-machined aluminum, it features a wide shape, a concave bearing, and a silicone pad response system. This manual provides essential information for setting up, operating, maintaining, and troubleshooting your Roadrunner yo-yo.



Image: The Duncan Roadrunner Yo-Yo in Black with Red Splash, showcasing its design.

## SAFETY INFORMATION

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- Always ensure the yo-yo string is securely attached to both the yo-yo and your finger.
- Avoid playing near other people, pets, or fragile objects to prevent injury or damage.
- Do not modify the yo-yo or its components, as this may affect performance and safety.
- Keep the yo-yo and its small parts out of reach of small children.

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## FEATURES

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- **Expert Level Unresponsive Yo-Yo:** Designed for advanced bind tricks and complex combos.
- **Durable Construction:** Made from strong, precision-machined aluminum for longevity.
- **Superior Technology:** Features a wide shape, licensed concave bearing, and silicone pads response system.
- **Wide Design:** Flared body shape and wide 4.10mm string gap facilitate string tricks and horizontal play.
- **Stylish Groove Finish:** Enhances flowy grinds.



## YO-YO SPECS



- **Stylish and Powerful:** Featuring a stylish groove finish and wide shape for outstanding performance and flowy grinds.
- **Nimble and Mobile:** Designed to be nimble, responsive, and fun, perfect for fast-paced, all-around yo-yo play.
- **Versatile Play:** The wide shape helps land risky and technical tricks with ease, enabling smooth horizontal tricks.
- **Exciting Grinds:** The groove finish allows for stylish, flowing grinds.
- **All-Around Performer:** Impeccably versatile, enabling speedy and stylish tricks.
- **Unresponsive Yo-Yo:** Requires a bind return to come back to your hand, making it perfect for performing complex tricks and combos.



Weight  
64.8oz



String Gap  
4.1mm



Diameter  
52.97mm



Width  
44.92mm



Bearing Size  
Size C (0.250 x 0.500 x 0.187)



Response System  
Silicon "Slim Pad" Size 19mm OD

Image: Visual representation of the Duncan Roadrunner Yo-Yo's key specifications and features, including weight, string gap, diameter, width, bearing size, and response system.

## SETUP

### 1. Stringing the Yo-Yo

1. Separate the two halves of the yo-yo by unscrewing them.
2. Place one end of the yo-yo string over the bearing.
3. Screw the two halves of the yo-yo back together tightly.

4. Form a slip knot at the other end of the string and place it over your middle finger.

## 2. Adjusting String Length

1. Hold the yo-yo in your hand and let the string hang to the floor.
2. The string should reach your belly button.
3. If the string is too long, cut off the excess from the end without the slip knot.
4. Tie a new slip knot at the adjusted length.



Image: A close-up view of the Duncan Roadrunner Yo-Yo held in a hand, illustrating its design and size.

## OPERATING YOUR YO-YO

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### 1. Basic Throw

1. Hold the yo-yo with the string wrapped around your middle finger and the yo-yo resting in your palm.
2. Swing your arm forward and release the yo-yo with a downward flick of your wrist.

3. The yo-yo should spin at the end of the string.

## 2. Understanding Unresponsive Play (Bind Return)

The Roadrunner is an unresponsive yo-yo, meaning it will not return to your hand with a simple tug. To bring it back, you must perform a 'bind' trick:

1. While the yo-yo is spinning at the end of the string, bring your non-yo-yo hand close to the yo-yo.
2. Use your non-yo-yo hand to create a loop in the string and guide it into the gap of the yo-yo.
3. With a slight upward flick of your yo-yo hand, the string will catch the bearing, and the yo-yo will wind up and return to your hand.

## 3. Advanced Tricks

The wide shape and unresponsive nature of the Roadrunner are ideal for a variety of advanced string tricks, including horizontal tricks and grinds. Practice different string manipulations and binds to explore its full potential.



Image: A person demonstrating a yo-yo trick with the Duncan Roadrunner, highlighting its use in dynamic play.

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Video: An expert-level demonstration of the Duncan Roadrunner Yo-Yo in action, showcasing various tricks and its smooth performance.

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Video: A 360-degree view of the Roadrunner Yo-Yo, providing a detailed look at its design and construction from all angles.

## MAINTENANCE

### 1. Bearing Care

- Keep the bearing clean and free from dirt or debris.
- If the yo-yo becomes less responsive, the bearing may need cleaning. Carefully remove the bearing and clean it with a specialized yo-yo bearing cleaner or a small amount of mineral spirits.
- Avoid using thick lubricants, as this can make the yo-yo responsive.

### 2. String Replacement

- Yo-yo strings wear out over time and should be replaced regularly to maintain optimal performance and prevent breakage.
- Use high-quality yo-yo strings compatible with unresponsive yo-yos.
- Follow the stringing instructions in the 'Setup' section to replace the string.

## TROUBLESHOOTING

- **Yo-Yo not spinning smoothly:** Check the bearing for dirt or damage. Clean or replace the bearing if necessary. Ensure the yo-yo halves are screwed together tightly.
- **Yo-Yo returning too easily (responsive):** The bearing may have accumulated debris or lubricant. Clean the bearing as described in the 'Maintenance' section. Ensure you are using an unresponsive string.
- **String breaking frequently:** Inspect the yo-yo's gap for sharp edges that might be fraying the string. Replace the string regularly, especially if it shows signs of wear.

## SPECIFICATIONS

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| Brand                | Duncan             |
| Model Number         | 9266SE-B           |
| Material Type        | Aluminum           |
| Weight               | 64.8 g             |
| Diameter             | 52.97 mm           |
| Width                | 44.92 mm           |
| String Gap           | 4.10 mm            |
| Response System      | 19mm Slim Pad Size |
| Operator Skill Level | Expert             |
| Recommended Age      | 8 years and up     |

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