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Hauck 148464

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Model: 148464

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential information for the safe and proper use, assembly, maintenance, and troubleshooting of your Hauck Rapid 4 Baby Stroller. Please read this manual thoroughly before using the product and retain it for future reference.





Image: The Hauck Rapid 4 Baby Stroller in its upright, ready-to-use configuration, showcasing its grey canopy, black seat, and sturdy frame.

SAFETY INFORMATION

Always prioritize the safety of your child. Failure to follow these instructions could result in serious injury.

- Never leave your child unattended in the stroller.
- Ensure all locking devices are engaged before use.
- Do not overload the stroller or the storage basket. Refer to specifications for weight limits.
- Always use the 5-point harness system to secure your child.
- Engage the brakes when parking the stroller.
- Keep children clear of moving parts when adjusting the stroller.
- This stroller is designed for children from birth up to 25 kg (approximately 4 years).
- Do not use accessories or spare parts other than those approved by Hauck.

SETUP

Unfolding the Stroller

The Hauck Rapid 4 features an innovative one-hand folding mechanism for quick setup.

1. Place the folded stroller on a flat surface.
2. Locate the release mechanism, typically near the handle or side frame.
3. While holding the handle, release the lock and pull upwards firmly until the frame clicks into place.
4. Ensure all parts are fully extended and locked before placing a child in the stroller.



EASY HANDLING **EASY** FOLDING



Image: A hand demonstrating the "Press & Pull" strap, indicating the easy folding mechanism of the stroller. This strap is used for both folding and unfolding.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Folding the Stroller

The Rapid 4 stroller can be folded compactly with a single action, making it ideal for transport and storage.

1. Ensure the child is removed from the stroller.
2. Engage the brakes.
3. Locate the "Press & Pull" strap in the seat area.
4. Press the button and pull the strap upwards firmly. The stroller will fold inwards.
5. Secure the folding lock if present to keep the stroller in its compact form.



Image: A parent carrying the compactly folded Hauck Rapid 4 stroller up a set of stairs, demonstrating its portability and "Easy to Carry" feature.

Adjusting the Backrest and Footrest

The backrest and footrest are individually adjustable to provide optimal comfort for your child.

- **Backrest:** Locate the adjustment lever or strap behind the seat. Recline or raise the backrest to the desired position.
- **Footrest:** Press the buttons on either side of the footrest to adjust its angle.

EASY HANDLING

INDIVIDUALLY ADJUSTABLE



Image: The Hauck Rapid 4 stroller illustrating the range of motion for its individually adjustable backrest, allowing for various reclining positions.

Adjusting the Handle Height

The stroller handle can be adjusted to suit the height of the parent or caregiver, ensuring comfortable pushing.

- Locate the adjustment buttons on the sides of the handle.
- Press the buttons and move the handle up or down to the desired height.
- Release the buttons to lock the handle in place.



Image: The Hauck Rapid 4 stroller demonstrating its height-adjustable handle, which can be moved up or down to accommodate different user heights.

Using the 5-Point Harness

Always secure your child using the 5-point harness system for maximum safety.

1. Place your child in the seat.
2. Bring the shoulder straps over your child's shoulders and the waist straps around their hips.
3. Insert the buckles from the shoulder and waist straps into the central buckle until they click securely.
4. Adjust the straps to ensure a snug fit without being too tight.
5. To release, press the button on the central buckle.



Image: A close-up view of the soft, padded 5-point harness system within the Hauck Rapid 4 stroller, showing the central buckle mechanism.

Wheel Operation and Brakes

The stroller features agile wheels for easy maneuverability and a reliable braking system.

- **Swivel Wheels:** The front wheels can swivel for easy turning. To lock them in a straight position for rougher terrain, engage the lock mechanism above each front wheel.
- **Brakes:** The foot-operated brake bar is located on the rear axle. Press down firmly to engage the brakes and lift up to release. Always engage brakes when stationary.



Image: A hand demonstrating the adjustment of the front wheel lock on the Hauck Rapid 4 stroller, highlighting its "Very Agile" maneuverability.

Storage Basket

The stroller includes an XL storage basket for carrying essentials.

- The basket is located beneath the seat.
- Do not exceed the maximum weight limit for the basket (refer to specifications).
- Ensure items in the basket do not interfere with the stroller's wheels or folding mechanism.



Image: A close-up view of the spacious "XL Storage" basket located beneath the seat of the Hauck Rapid 4 stroller, designed for carrying essential items.

MAINTENANCE

- **Cleaning:** Wipe the frame with a damp cloth. Fabric parts can be spot cleaned with mild soap and water. Do not use harsh abrasives or bleach.
- **Wheels:** Regularly check wheels for debris and clean as necessary. Lubricate moving parts with a silicone-based spray if they become stiff.
- **Storage:** Store the stroller in a dry place, away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures.
- **Inspections:** Periodically check all screws, rivets, and locking mechanisms to ensure they are secure and functioning correctly.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Stroller does not fold or unfold smoothly.	Locking mechanisms are engaged or obstructed.	Ensure all locks are disengaged. Check for any obstructions in the folding mechanism. Lubricate moving parts if necessary.
Wheels squeak or are difficult to turn.	Dirt/debris in wheel axles or lack of lubrication.	Clean wheels and axles. Apply a silicone-based lubricant to moving parts.
Brakes are not holding securely.	Brake mechanism is dirty or misaligned.	Clean the brake mechanism. Ensure the brake bar is fully engaged. If problem persists, contact customer support.

SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Model Number	148464
Minimum Weight Recommendation	1000 Grams (1 kg)
Maximum Weight Recommendation	22 Kilograms
Material	Metal, Polyester (Frame: Aluminium, Plastic)
Harness Type	5 Point
Product Dimensions (LxWxH)	92 x 54 x 104 cm
Item Weight	9.5 kg
Manufacturer Recommended Age	0 - 2 years (Birth+ to 48M)
Country of Origin	Germany
Color	Grey
Stroller Type	Pram Stroller
Is Car Seat Compatible	No



Image: A diagram of the Hauck Rapid 4 stroller with key dimensions (height, length, width) clearly labeled in centimeters.

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Hauck products are manufactured to high-quality standards. For information regarding warranty coverage, please refer to the warranty card included with your purchase or visit the official Hauck website.

For technical support, spare parts, or any inquiries, please contact Hauck customer service:

- **Manufacturer:** Hauck GmbH & Co. KG
- **Importer (India):** Trucare Kidz India Private Limited
- Refer to your product packaging or the official Hauck website for contact details specific to your region.

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