

Caran d'Ache 849-495

Caran d'Ache 849-495 Classic Line Ballpoint Pen Instruction Manual

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential information for the proper use and care of your Caran d'Ache 849-495 Classic Line Ballpoint Pen. Manufactured by Caran d'Ache, a renowned Swiss company based in Thônex, Geneva, this writing instrument embodies precision and quality craftsmanship. Caran d'Ache is dedicated to producing high-quality writing tools, and the 849-495 model is a testament to this legacy, exclusively manufactured in Switzerland.



Image: The Caran d'Ache 849-495 Classic Line Ballpoint Pen in Anthracite Grey, showcasing its sleek design.

1. SETUP

The Caran d'Ache 849-495 Ballpoint Pen is designed for immediate use with minimal setup. It comes pre-assembled and equipped with a Caran d'Ache Goliath blue ink refill (size M).

1.1 Unpacking

1. Carefully remove the pen from its packaging.
2. Inspect the pen for any visible damage.

1.2 Initial Use

No assembly is required. The pen is ready to write directly out of the box.

2. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

The 849-495 Ballpoint Pen features a reliable push-button mechanism for extending and retracting the ballpoint tip.

2.1 Extending the Tip

To extend the ballpoint tip, firmly press the push-button located at the top of the pen barrel. You will hear a click as the mechanism engages, and the tip will emerge from the pen body.

2.2 Retracting the Tip

To retract the ballpoint tip, press the push-button again. The tip will retract into the pen body, protecting it from damage and preventing accidental marks.



Image: A close-up view of the pen's tip and clip, illustrating the push-button mechanism.

2.3 Writing Experience

The pen is equipped with a Caran d'Ache Goliath refill, known for its smooth ink flow and long-lasting performance. The medium tip (0.7mm) provides a consistent line suitable for various writing tasks.

3. MAINTENANCE

Proper maintenance ensures the longevity and optimal performance of your Caran d'Ache 849-495 Ballpoint Pen.

3.1 Refill Replacement

When the ink runs out, replace the refill with an authentic Caran d'Ache Goliath refill. The pen is designed to use Goliath refills exclusively.

1. Gently unscrew the upper part of the pen barrel from the lower part.
2. Remove the empty Goliath refill.
3. Insert the new Goliath refill, ensuring it is seated correctly.
4. Screw the two parts of the barrel back together until secure. Do not overtighten.



Image: A top-down view of the pen, illustrating its construction which allows for easy refill replacement.

3.2 Cleaning

The pen features a lightweight aluminum body. To clean, wipe the pen with a soft, dry, lint-free cloth. Avoid using abrasive cleaners, solvents, or harsh chemicals, as these can damage the finish.

3.3 Storage

Store your pen in a clean, dry environment, away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures. Always retract the tip when not in use to prevent ink drying and accidental marks.

4. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter any issues with your Caran d'Ache 849-495 pen, refer to the following common problems and solutions:

- **Ink Skipping or Not Writing:**
 - Check if the ink refill is empty. If so, replace it with a new Caran d'Ache Goliath refill.
 - Ensure the tip is clean. Gently wipe the ballpoint tip with a soft cloth.
 - If the pen has been stored unused for a long time, try writing a few lines on scrap paper to get the ink flowing.
- **Mechanism Not Engaging/Retracting:**
 - Ensure the pen barrel is screwed together tightly.
 - If the mechanism feels stiff, avoid forcing it. Contact Caran d'Ache customer support for assistance.

For issues not covered here, please contact Caran d'Ache customer service.

5. SPECIFICATIONS

Detailed technical specifications for the Caran d'Ache 849-495 Classic Line Ballpoint Pen:

| Feature | Detail |
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| Brand | Caran d'Ache |

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| Model Number | 849-495 |
| Product Dimensions (L x W x H) | 12.5 x 1 x 1 cm (4.92 x 0.39 x 0.39 inches) |
| Item Weight | 15 grams (0.53 ounces) |
| Material Type | Aluminum, Metal |
| Ink Color | Blue (Goliath Refill) |
| Tip Type | Medium |
| Tip Size | 0.7 mm |
| Closure Type | Retractable (Push Mechanism) |
| Special Feature | Lightweight |

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Image: An angled view of the Caran d'Ache 849-495 pen, highlighting the brand's logo and Swiss Made

6. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Caran d'Ache products are crafted with high standards of quality and precision. For specific warranty information regarding your 849-495 Classic Line Ballpoint Pen, please refer to the documentation included with your purchase or visit the official Caran d'Ache website.

6.1 Customer Support

Should you require further assistance, have questions about your pen, or need to report a defect, please contact Caran d'Ache customer service. Contact details can typically be found on the official Caran d'Ache website or within the product packaging.

For more information, visit the official [Caran d'Ache website](#).