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UpStart Components SM-125291-2PK-DL11

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Model: SM-125291-2PK-DL11 | Brand: UpStart Components

1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential instructions for the proper installation, operation, and maintenance of your UpStart Components Bobbin Case Replacement. Designed for compatibility with the Singer 191J Sewing Machine and Singer part #125291, this 2-pack ensures you have a reliable replacement part for your sewing needs. Please read this manual thoroughly before use to ensure optimal performance and longevity of the product.



Image 1.1: UpStart Components Bobbin Case. This image shows a single bobbin case with the UpStart Components logo in the background, highlighting the product's design.

2. SAFETY INFORMATION

- Always ensure your sewing machine is turned off and unplugged before attempting any installation or maintenance.
- Handle the bobbin case with care to avoid dropping or damaging it.
- Keep small parts away from children.
- If you are unsure about any step, consult a qualified sewing machine technician.

3. PACKAGE CONTENTS

Your package should contain the following items:

- 2 x UpStart Components Bobbin Case Replacement





Image 3.1: Two UpStart Components Bobbin Cases. This image displays both bobbin cases included in the 2-pack, showing their identical appearance.

4. SETUP AND INSTALLATION

Follow these steps to replace the bobbin case in your Singer 191J Sewing Machine:

1. **Power Off:** Ensure your sewing machine is turned off and unplugged from the power outlet.
2. **Access Bobbin Area:** Open the bobbin cover plate on your sewing machine to access the bobbin and bobbin case.
3. **Remove Old Bobbin Case:** Carefully remove the existing bobbin case. Note its orientation for easier installation of the new one.
4. **Insert New Bobbin Case:** Take one of the new UpStart Components bobbin cases. Hold it by the latch and gently insert it into the bobbin housing, ensuring it clicks securely into place. The small finger or arm on the bobbin case should align with the notch in the bobbin housing.
5. **Test Fit:** Gently rotate the handwheel of your sewing machine to ensure the bobbin case is seated correctly and moves freely without obstruction.
6. **Close Cover:** Close the bobbin cover plate.



Image 4.1: Side view of the bobbin case. This image highlights the latch mechanism and the overall shape, crucial for correct insertion.

5. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Once the new bobbin case is installed, follow these general steps for operation:

1. **Insert Bobbin:** Place a wound bobbin into the bobbin case. Ensure the thread unwinds in the correct direction (usually clockwise for most machines, but refer to your sewing machine's manual).
2. **Thread Bobbin Case:** Guide the bobbin thread through the tension spring slot on the bobbin case. The thread should slide smoothly under the tension spring.
3. **Pull Up Bobbin Thread:** With the needle threaded, hold the needle thread loosely and turn the handwheel towards you to lower and raise the needle. This action will catch the bobbin thread and

pull it up through the needle plate.

4. **Begin Sewing:** With both top and bobbin threads correctly positioned, you can now begin your sewing project.



Image 5.1: Top view of the bobbin case. This image clearly shows the tension spring and the central hole where the bobbin sits, illustrating the path for the bobbin thread.

6. MAINTENANCE

Regular maintenance helps ensure smooth operation and extends the life of your bobbin case:

- **Cleaning:** Periodically remove the bobbin case and use a small brush or lint remover to clean any lint, dust, or thread fragments that may accumulate around the tension spring and inside the case.
- **Inspection:** Visually inspect the bobbin case for any signs of wear, damage, or burrs that could snag the thread. If damage is found, replace the bobbin case.
- **Tension:** The bobbin case comes with pre-set tension. If you experience consistent bobbin thread tension issues, you may need to adjust the small screw on the tension spring. Make very small adjustments (quarter turns) at a time.

7. TROUBLESHOOTING

Here are some common issues and their potential solutions:

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Thread tangling or nesting on the underside of fabric.	Incorrect bobbin thread tension or improper bobbin insertion.	Ensure bobbin is inserted correctly and thread is properly routed through the tension spring. Check top thread tension.
Skipped stitches.	Bobbin case not seated correctly or damaged.	Re-install the bobbin case, ensuring it clicks into place. Inspect for damage.
Bobbin thread breaking.	Too much bobbin tension, burrs on bobbin case, or damaged bobbin.	Reduce bobbin tension slightly. Inspect bobbin case for burrs. Use a new bobbin.

8. SPECIFICATIONS

Product Name	Bobbin Case Replacement
Brand	UpStart Components
Model Number	SM-125291-2PK-DL11
Quantity	2-Pack
Compatibility	Singer 191J Sewing Machine, Singer Part #125291
Material	Metal

9. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

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