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UpStart Components SM-5011-4-2PK-DL248

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Model: SM-5011-4-2PK-DL248

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides detailed instructions for the installation, operation, and maintenance of your new UpStart Components Snap On Zig Zag Presser Foot. Designed as a replacement part, this presser foot is engineered to enhance the functionality of compatible sewing machines, ensuring smooth and efficient sewing operations. Please read these instructions carefully before use to ensure proper function and longevity of the product.

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The UpStart Components Snap On Zig Zag Presser Foot is a durable metal accessory designed for general-purpose sewing, particularly for zig-zag stitches. Its snap-on design allows for quick and easy attachment and removal from compatible sewing machines. This replacement part helps maintain the performance of your sewing machine for various sewing applications.



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Image 1: Top-down view of the UpStart Components Snap On Zig Zag Presser Foot. This image shows the overall shape and design of the presser foot, highlighting its metal construction and the opening for the needle.

COMPATIBILITY

This presser foot is specifically designed as a replacement for the Janome 380 Sewing Machine. It is compatible with original part number #5011-4. Ensure your sewing machine model matches the specified compatibility to guarantee proper fit and function.

INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

Follow these steps to correctly install the Snap On Zig Zag Presser Foot onto your sewing machine:

1. **Power Off:** Always ensure your sewing machine is turned off and unplugged from the power outlet before performing any installation or maintenance.
2. **Raise Needle and Presser Foot Lifter:** Use the handwheel to raise the needle to its highest position. Then, raise the presser foot lifter lever to lift the existing presser foot.

3. **Remove Old Presser Foot:** Locate the small lever or button at the back of the presser foot holder (often silver or black). Press this lever to release the current presser foot. It should detach easily.
4. **Position New Presser Foot:** Place the new UpStart Components Snap On Zig Zag Presser Foot directly under the presser foot holder, aligning the crossbar of the foot with the groove on the holder.
5. **Lower Presser Foot Lifter:** Slowly lower the presser foot lifter lever. The presser foot holder should snap securely onto the crossbar of the new presser foot. You should hear a click, indicating it is properly attached.
6. **Verify Attachment:** Gently try to lift the presser foot by hand to ensure it is firmly attached and does not wobble.



Image 2: Underside view of the presser foot. This image illustrates the snap-on bar and the needle opening, crucial for correct attachment to the presser foot holder.

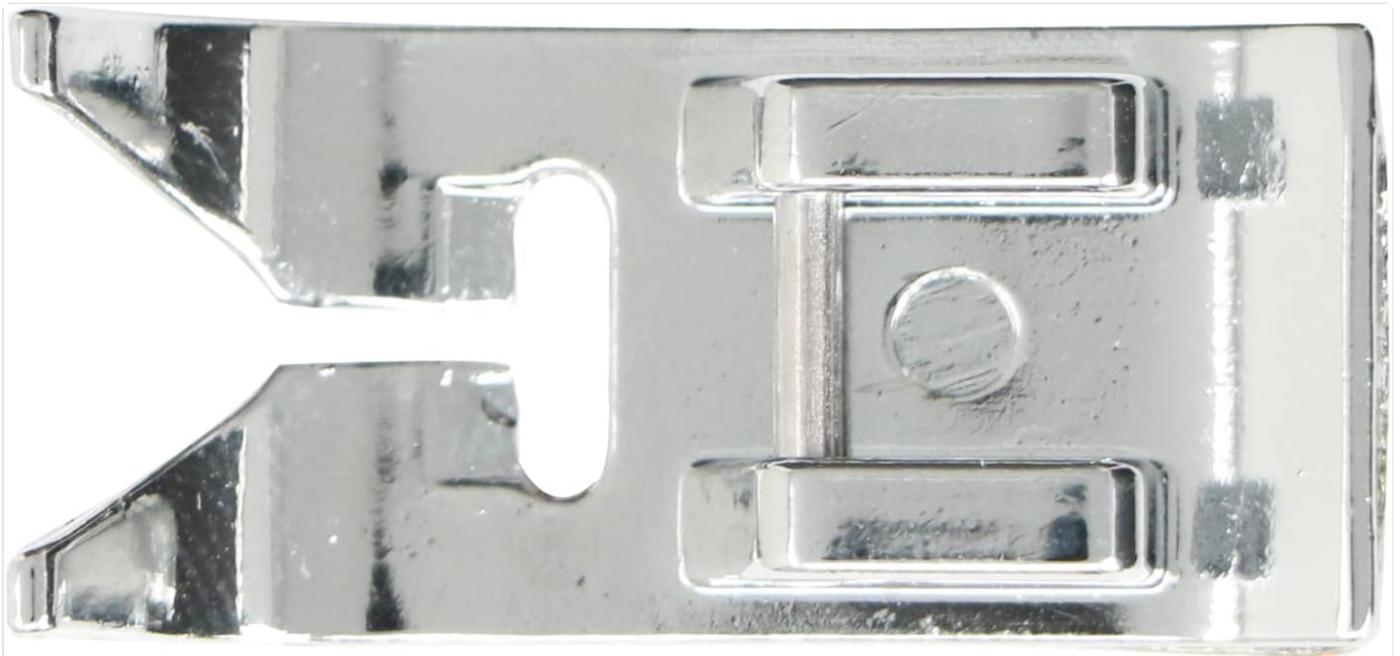


Image 3: Top view of the presser foot. This image highlights the area where the presser foot holder connects, demonstrating the design for secure attachment.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Once the Zig Zag Presser Foot is installed, you can begin sewing. This foot is versatile for various stitches, but primarily designed

for zig-zag stitching.

- **Select Stitch:** Choose your desired stitch pattern on your sewing machine, typically a zig-zag stitch for this foot. Ensure the stitch width is appropriate for the foot's opening to prevent needle breakage.
- **Place Fabric:** Position your fabric under the presser foot, aligning the edge as needed for your seam allowance.
- **Lower Presser Foot:** Lower the presser foot lifter lever to hold the fabric firmly in place.
- **Begin Sewing:** Start sewing at a moderate speed. Monitor the needle's movement to ensure it passes cleanly through the foot's opening without striking the sides.

For straight stitches, this foot can also be used, but a dedicated straight stitch foot might offer better precision for very fine work.

MAINTENANCE

Proper maintenance will extend the life of your presser foot and ensure consistent sewing performance.

- **Cleaning:** Periodically clean the presser foot to remove lint, dust, and fabric fibers that may accumulate. Use a small brush or a soft cloth.
- **Inspection:** Regularly inspect the foot for any signs of wear, bending, or damage. A damaged foot can affect stitch quality or even damage your machine.
- **Storage:** When not in use, store the presser foot in a clean, dry place, preferably in a sewing accessory box, to prevent loss or damage.

TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues while using the presser foot, consider the following common problems and solutions:

- **Presser Foot Not Attaching Securely:**
 - Ensure the presser foot lifter is fully lowered onto the foot's crossbar.
 - Verify that the crossbar is correctly aligned with the groove on the presser foot holder.
- **Needle Hitting the Presser Foot:**
 - Check that the correct stitch type (e.g., zig-zag) is selected and that the stitch width is not set too wide for the foot's opening.
 - Ensure the needle is properly installed and not bent.
- **Uneven Stitches or Fabric Not Feeding Properly:**
 - Confirm the presser foot is securely attached and not loose.
 - Clean any lint or debris from under the presser foot and around the feed dogs of your sewing machine.
 - Ensure the fabric is placed flat and not bunched up.

SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Product Type	Snap On Zig Zag Presser Foot
Brand	UpStart Components
Model Number	SM-5011-4-2PK-DL248
Compatible With	Janome 380 Sewing Machine

Feature	Detail
Replaces Part #	5011-4
Material	Metal

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

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