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## Britax E1C933M

# Britax Poplar Convertible Car Seat Instruction Manual

Model: E1C933M

Brand: Britax

## INTRODUCTION

The Britax Poplar Convertible Car Seat is designed to grow with your child, offering both rear-facing and forward-facing capabilities. It features patented ClickTight installation technology for secure and easy setup, a slim SpaceSaver design for versatile vehicle fit, and advanced safety features to provide peace of mind for parents. This manual provides essential information for the proper installation, use, maintenance, and care of your Britax Poplar Convertible Car Seat. Please read it thoroughly before first use and keep it for future reference.



Figure 1: Britax Poplar Convertible Car Seat, Stone Onyx.

## SAFETY INFORMATION

Your child's safety is paramount. The Britax Poplar Convertible Car Seat incorporates several advanced safety features:

- **SafeCell Crumple Zone:** Designed to absorb crash energy and help protect your child.
- **V-Shaped Top Tether:** Helps to minimize seat rotation and reduce forward movement in a crash.
- **Carbon Steel Reinforced Frame:** Provides strength and stability for enhanced protection.
- **Side Impact Protection:** Deep, energy-absorbing shell and headrest provide protection from side impacts.

## Weight and Height Limits:

Mode	Minimum Weight	Maximum Weight	Maximum Height
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Mode	Minimum Weight	Maximum Weight	Maximum Height
Rear-Facing	5 lbs	50 lbs	49 inches
Forward-Facing	22 lbs	65 lbs	49 inches

Always ensure your child meets the minimum and maximum weight and height requirements for the chosen car seat mode.

## SETUP AND INSTALLATION

### ClickTight Installation Technology

The Britax Poplar features ClickTight technology for a secure and straightforward installation using your vehicle's seat belt. This system provides fully open seat belt paths that are clearly labeled and easy to access. The automatic tensioner ensures a tight fit without guesswork.

1. Open the ClickTight panel by pressing the release button and lifting the seat portion.
2. Thread the vehicle's seat belt through the clearly marked belt path (blue for rear-facing, green for forward-facing).
3. Buckle the seat belt.
4. Close the ClickTight panel firmly until it clicks. The automatic tensioner will tighten the seat belt for a secure installation.



# INSTALL WITH CONFIDENCE

## Secure Installation Without The Struggle



Figure 2: The ClickTight mechanism open for seat belt routing.

### Recline Positions

The car seat offers 14 recline positions to ensure optimal comfort and proper angle for your child, whether rear-facing or forward-facing. Use the recline indicator on the side of the seat to confirm the correct angle for your child's weight and the car seat's orientation.



Figure 3: Overview of car seat features, including recline indicator.

### SpaceSaver Design (17-inch Slim Fit)

The slim 17-inch design of the Britax Poplar allows for easier fitment in various vehicles, including the possibility of fitting three-across in certain vehicles. This design does not compromise on safety or comfort.

# SLIM 17" SEAT DESIGN

Designed to Fit 3-Across\* Without Compromising Safety & Comfort



\*Britax cannot guarantee 3-across installation fitment in all vehicles.

Figure 4: The 17-inch slim design allows for fitting multiple car seats across the back seat. Note: Britax cannot guarantee 3-across installation fitment in all vehicles.

## Rebound Reduce Stability Bar (Poplar S Feature)

For enhanced safety in rear-facing mode, the Poplar S variant includes a Rebound Reduce Stability Bar. This bar helps to prevent excessive rotation of the car seat in the event of a crash. It is removable and only used in the rear-facing position.

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Video 1: Official Britax video demonstrating the Poplar S features, including 3-across seating and the Rebound Reduce Stability Bar. This video is provided by Britax Child Safety.

## OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

### Adjusting Harness and Headrest

The 14-position harness and headrest adjust together easily with one hand to create the perfect fit for your growing child. Simply squeeze the adjustment handle at the top of the headrest and slide it up or down to the desired position. Ensure the harness straps are at or just below your child's shoulders when rear-facing, and at or just above their shoulders when forward-facing.

# SAFE TO MACHINE WASH & DRY

Naturally Flame-Retardant Fabrics



Figure 5: Adjusting the headrest and harness for a perfect fit.

## **Buckling and Unbuckling Your Child**

Place your child in the car seat with their back flat against the seat back. Bring the harness straps over their shoulders and between their legs. Insert both buckle tongues into the buckle until they click. Pull the harness adjuster strap to tighten the harness until it is snug against your child's body. To unbuckle, press the red button on the buckle. To loosen the harness, lift the harness release lever located at the front of the seat and pull the shoulder straps forward.

## **Cup Holders**

The car seat includes two removable cup holders. These can be easily attached or removed as needed and are dishwasher-safe for convenient cleaning.

## MAINTENANCE

### Cleaning the Cover

The car seat cover is designed for simple cleaning. It is washer and dryer friendly. Use cold water on a delicate cycle with mild soap. Do not use bleach. The fabric is naturally flame-retardant with no added FR chemicals.

# FIND THE PERFECT FIT AS YOUR CHILD GROWS

14-Position, Quick-Adjust Headrest &  
Harness Provide Perfect Fit



Figure 6: The car seat cover is removable for easy cleaning.

### General Care

Regularly inspect the car seat for any signs of wear or damage. Ensure all straps, buckles, and adjusters are functioning correctly. Do not use abrasive cleaners or solvents on any part of the car seat.

## TROUBLESHOOTING

- **Car Seat Feels Loose After Installation:** Ensure the ClickTight panel is fully closed and clicked into place. Re-open, re-thread the seat belt, and close firmly. Apply downward pressure on the car seat while closing the ClickTight panel to help achieve a tighter fit.
- **Harness is Difficult to Tighten:** Check that the harness straps are not twisted or caught under the seat padding. Ensure the chest clip is at armpit level before tightening. Pull the harness adjuster strap straight out, not upwards or downwards.
- **Headrest/Harness Adjustment is Stiff:** Ensure the adjustment handle at the top of the headrest is fully squeezed. Check for any obstructions behind the headrest that might prevent smooth movement.
- **Child Appears Uncomfortable:** Verify that the harness is properly adjusted for height and snugness. Check the recline angle using the indicator to ensure it's appropriate for your child's age and the car seat's orientation. Remove infant inserts as your child grows to provide more space.

## SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Product Dimensions	20.5 x 17 x 23.5 inches
Item Model Number	E1C933M
Minimum Weight Recommendation	5 Pounds
Maximum Weight Recommendation	65 Pounds
Maximum Height Recommendation	49 Inches
Material Type	Alloy Steel
Material Composition	plastic, steel, polyester
Care Instructions	machine wash cold, delicate cycle, mild soap
Number Of Items	1
Style	Poplar
Number of Reclining Positions	14
Batteries Required	No
Orientation	Rear and Forward Facing
Harness Type	5-Point
Item Weight	27.2 pounds
Country/Region of Origin	China
Installation Type	Latch
Color	Stone Onyx

## **WARRANTY AND SUPPORT**

Britax products are backed by a manufacturer's warranty. For specific warranty details, product registration, or customer support, please refer to the documentation included with your car seat or visit the official Britax website. Always ensure you register your product to receive important safety updates and recall information.