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Model: 122E

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential instructions for the proper use and care of your HON 122E replacement keys. These keys are designed to operate file cabinet locks specifically marked with the "122E" code, ensuring secure access to your documents.

Each set includes two (2) replacement keys, crafted from durable brass with an anti-corrosion finish for longevity.

SETUP

Before using your new replacement keys, follow these steps to ensure compatibility and proper function:

- 1. Verify Lock Code:** Locate the lock cylinder on your HON file cabinet. Confirm that the code "122E" is clearly visible on the face of the lock. These keys are specifically cut for this code.
- 2. Insert Key:** Gently insert one of the replacement keys into the lock cylinder. Do not force the key. It should slide in smoothly.
- 3. Test Functionality:** With the key fully inserted, attempt to turn it clockwise and counter-clockwise. The lock mechanism should engage and disengage without excessive force. If the key does not turn or feels stiff, refer to the Troubleshooting section.



Image: Two brass replacement keys, clearly showing the "122E" code, ready for use with a compatible HON file cabinet lock.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Using your HON 122E replacement keys is straightforward:

- **To Unlock:** Insert the key fully into the lock cylinder. Turn the key clockwise approximately 90 degrees until the lock mechanism disengages. You should feel a slight click. Remove the key.
- **To Lock:** Close the file cabinet drawer(s) completely. Insert the key fully into the lock cylinder. Turn the key counter-clockwise approximately 90 degrees until the lock mechanism engages. You should feel a slight click.

Remove the key. Ensure the cabinet is securely locked by gently pulling on the drawer handle.

MAINTENANCE

Proper care will extend the life of your replacement keys and ensure reliable operation:

- **Keep Clean and Dry:** Avoid exposing keys to excessive moisture or dirt, which can lead to corrosion or debris accumulation in the lock.
- **Avoid Force:** Never force a key into a lock or attempt to turn it with excessive force. This can damage both the key and the lock mechanism.
- **Lubrication (If Needed):** If the lock mechanism becomes stiff, apply a small amount of graphite powder lubricant directly into the keyway. Avoid using oil-based lubricants, as they can attract dust and grime.
- **Safe Storage:** Store spare keys in a secure, easily accessible location, away from extreme temperatures or direct sunlight.

TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your HON 122E replacement keys, consider the following:

- **Key Does Not Insert Fully:**
 - Check for obstructions in the keyway (e.g., dirt, broken key fragments).
 - Ensure you are using the correct "122E" key for the lock.
- **Key Inserts but Does Not Turn:**
 - Verify the lock code on the cabinet matches "122E".
 - Apply graphite lubricant as described in the Maintenance section.
 - Ensure the file cabinet drawers are fully closed before attempting to lock.
- **Key Feels Stiff or Grindy:**
 - Clean the key and apply graphite lubricant to the lock cylinder.
 - Avoid forcing the key; gentle wiggling may help if there's minor misalignment.

If problems persist after following these steps, contact the original manufacturer of your HON file cabinet or a professional locksmith for assistance.

SPECIFICATIONS

Brand	HON (Manufacturer)
Model Number	122E
Material	Brass
Special Feature	Anti-Corrosion
Product Dimensions	2"D x 1"W x 0.04"H
Included Components	2 Keys
Recommended Use	Files & Folders

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Specific warranty information for replacement keys may vary. Please refer to the warranty documentation provided with your original HON file cabinet or contact the key supplier for details regarding coverage.

For further assistance or inquiries, please contact the customer support of the retailer where the keys were purchased or the official HON customer service channels.