Janome MyStyle 100

Janome MyStyle 100 Sewing Machine User Manual

Model: MyStyle 100

1. Introduction

Welcome to the Janome MyStyle 100 Sewing Machine User Manual. This guide provides essential information for setting up, operating, maintaining, and troubleshooting your new sewing machine. The Janome MyStyle 100 is designed for ease of use and creative flexibility, making it suitable for both beginners and experienced sewists. Please read this manual thoroughly before using your machine to ensure safe and optimal performance.



Image 1.1: The Janome MyStyle 100 Sewing Machine, a versatile tool for various sewing projects.

2. What's in the Box

Your Janome MyStyle 100 package includes the following items:

- Janome MyStyle 100 Sewing Machine
- Janome 12-Pack Pre-Wound Plastic Bobbins (White)
- Janome 10-Pack Plastic Bobbins (Clear)

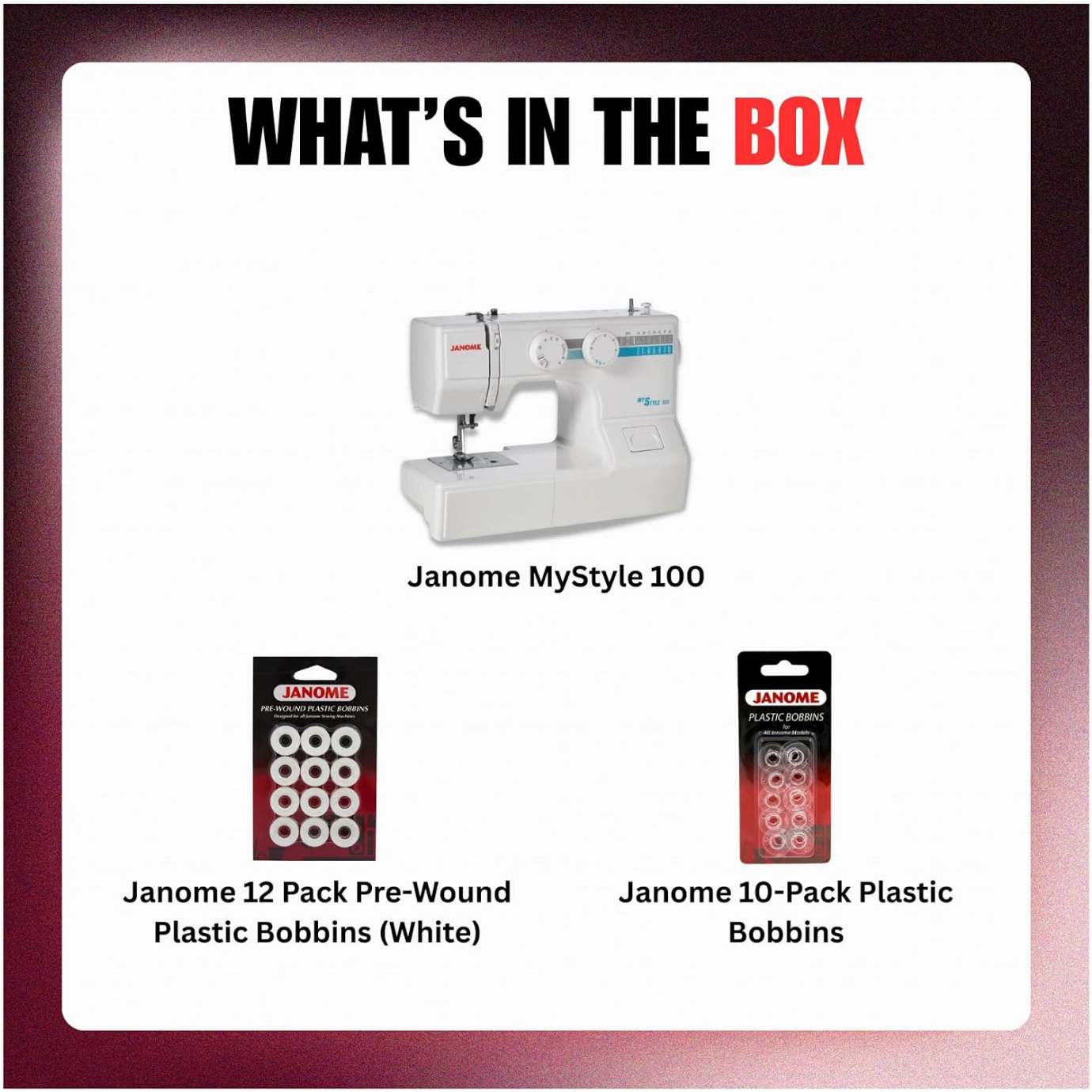
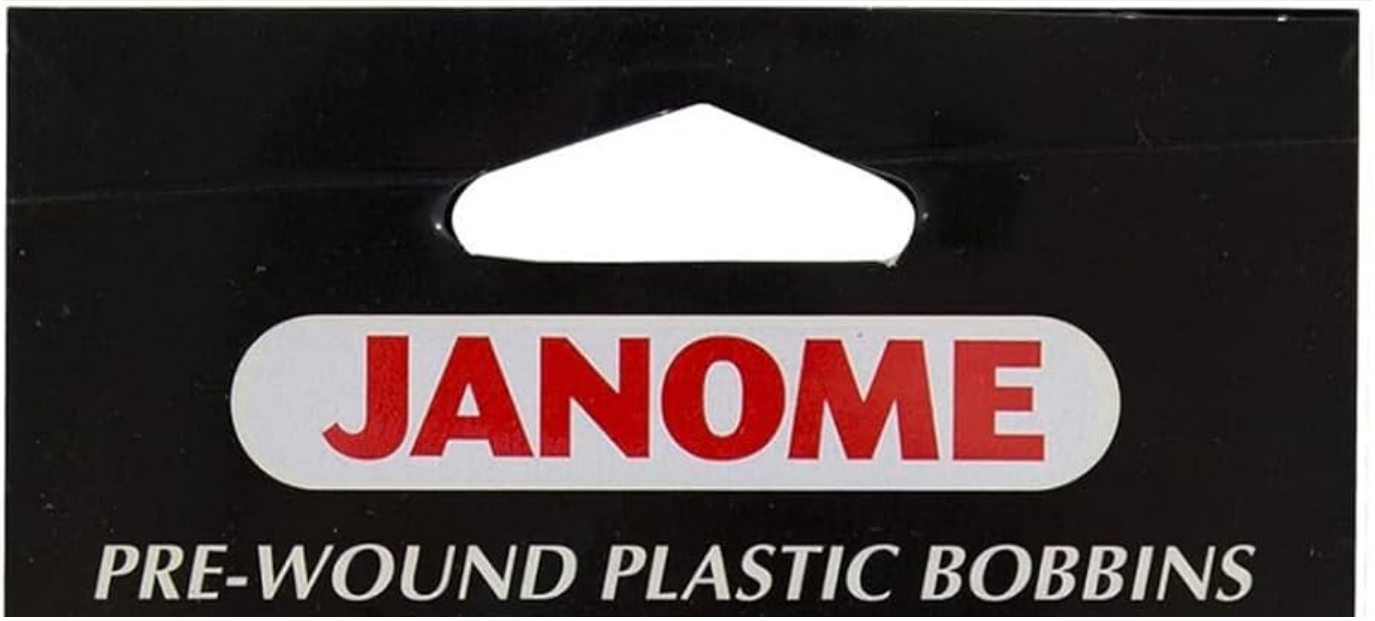


Image 2.1: Visual representation of the Janome MyStyle 100 sewing machine and included bobbin packs.



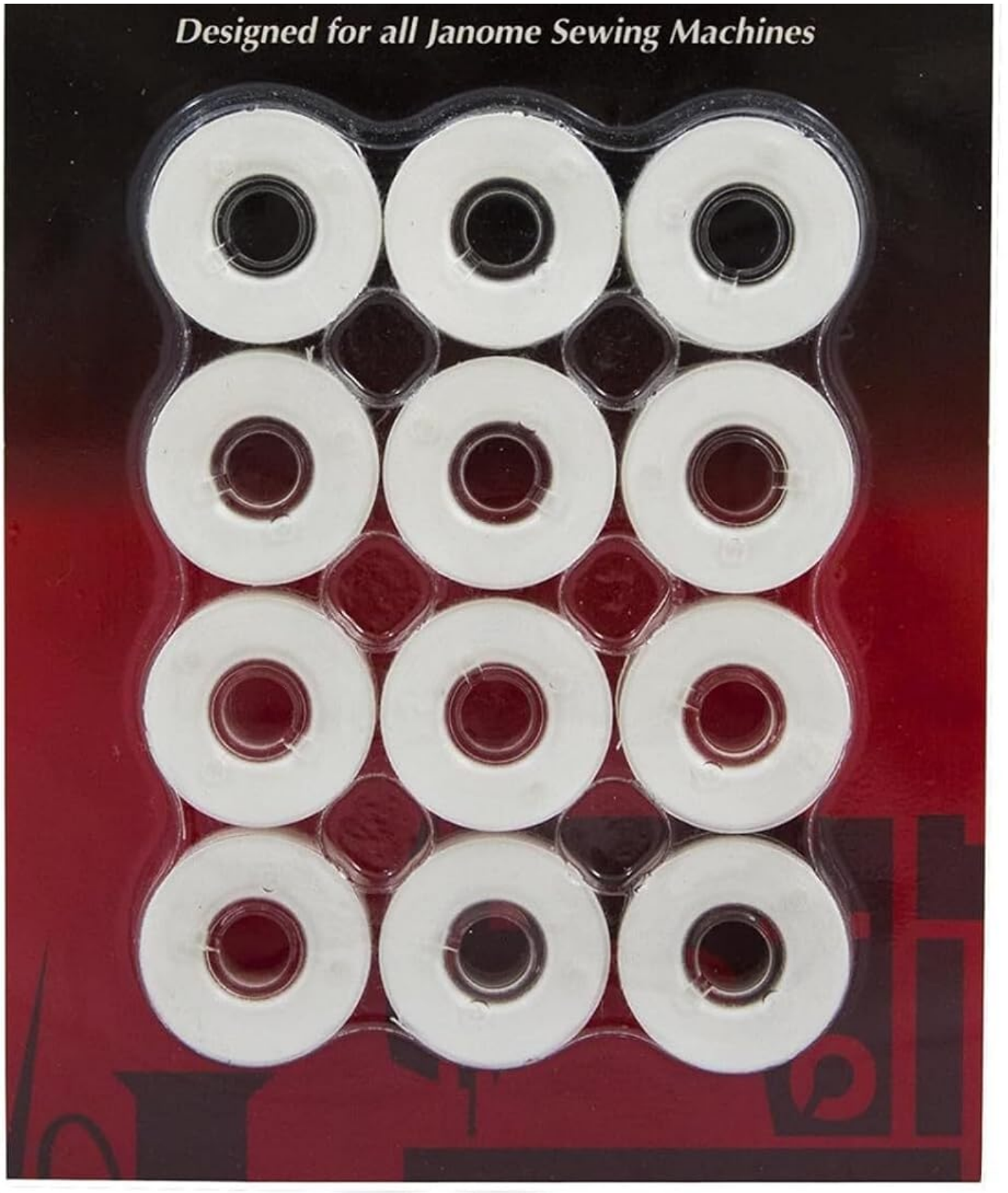


Image 2.2: A pack of 12 white pre-wound plastic bobbins, designed for convenience and immediate use.

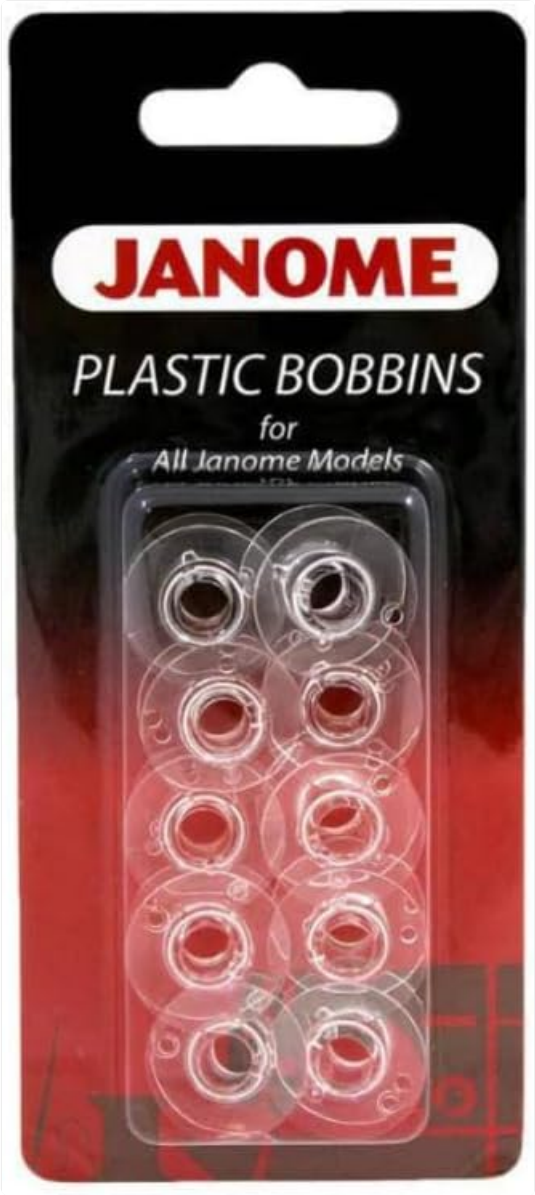


Image 2.3: A pack of 10 clear plastic bobbins, suitable for winding your own thread.

3. Setup

3.1 Unpacking and Placement

1. Carefully remove the sewing machine and all accessories from the packaging.
2. Place the machine on a stable, flat surface with adequate lighting. Ensure there is enough space around the machine for comfortable operation.
3. Connect the power cord to the machine and then to a suitable electrical outlet.

3.2 Bobbin Winding and Insertion

The MyStyle 100 features a convenient top-loading full rotary hook bobbin system.

1. Place a spool of thread on the spool pin.
2. Follow the threading path for bobbin winding, typically indicated by numbered guides on the machine.
3. Place an empty bobbin onto the bobbin winder spindle and push it to the right.
4. Start the machine to wind the bobbin. The auto-declutch bobbin winder will stop automatically when the bobbin is full.
5. Once wound, insert the bobbin into the top-loading bobbin case, ensuring the thread feeds correctly through the

tension spring.

3.3 Upper Threading

Proper upper threading is crucial for stitch quality.

1. Raise the presser foot lever.
2. Follow the numbered threading guides from the spool pin down to the needle.
3. Ensure the thread passes through the tension discs and the take-up lever.
4. Thread the needle from front to back.

4. Operating Instructions

4.1 Stitch Selection

The Janome MyStyle 100 offers 13 built-in stitches, including a 4-step buttonhole. Use the dial-style stitch selector to choose your desired stitch pattern. The stitch chart on the machine indicates the available stitches.

4.2 Stitch Control

Adjust the stitch width up to 5mm and stitch length up to 4mm using the dedicated dials. Experiment with different settings to achieve the desired look for your projects.

4.3 Speed Control

The machine operates at a speed ranging from 300 to 800 stitches per minute. Control the sewing speed using the foot pedal. Practice to find a comfortable and consistent speed for your project.

4.4 Presser Feet

The MyStyle 100 utilizes a snap-on presser feet system, allowing for quick and easy changes. The EZ Change Feet system further simplifies this process. Ensure the correct presser foot is attached for your chosen stitch and fabric type.

4.5 Feed Dog and Drop Feed

The 5-piece feed dog system ensures smooth feeding of various fabric types. For free-motion sewing or quilting, lower the feed dogs using the drop feed function. Refer to your machine's specific lever or switch for this function.

4.6 Free Arm Sewing

To sew cylindrical items like sleeves, cuffs, or pant hems, remove the accessory box to expose the free arm. This allows fabric to be easily maneuvered around the narrow arm.

5. Maintenance

Regular maintenance ensures the longevity and optimal performance of your sewing machine.

5.1 Cleaning

- **Lint Removal:** Regularly remove lint and dust from the bobbin case area, feed dogs, and tension discs using a small brush or lint brush. Accumulation of lint can affect stitch quality and machine performance.
- **Surface Cleaning:** Wipe down the exterior of the machine with a soft, dry cloth. Avoid using harsh chemicals or abrasive cleaners.

5.2 Needle Replacement

Replace the needle frequently, especially after 8-10 hours of sewing or if you notice skipped stitches, pulled fabric, or a

dull sound. Always use the correct needle type and size for your fabric.

5.3 Oiling (If Applicable)

Refer to your machine's specific instructions regarding oiling. Some modern machines are self-lubricating, while others require periodic oiling at designated points. Use only high-quality sewing machine oil.

6. Troubleshooting

This section addresses common issues you might encounter. For more complex problems, please contact customer support.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Skipped Stitches	Incorrect needle, bent needle, improper threading, wrong needle size for fabric.	Replace needle, re-thread machine, use appropriate needle for fabric.
Thread Breaking	Improper threading, tension too tight, poor quality thread, burr on needle plate.	Re-thread machine, adjust tension, use quality thread, check for burrs.
Bobbin Jamming	Improperly wound bobbin, incorrect bobbin insertion, lint in bobbin case.	Re-wind bobbin, re-insert bobbin correctly, clean bobbin case.
Uneven Stitches	Incorrect tension, dull needle, inconsistent fabric feeding.	Adjust tension, replace needle, ensure smooth fabric feeding.

7. Specifications

Key specifications for the Janome MyStyle 100 Sewing Machine:

- **Model:** MyStyle 100
- **Stitch Count:** 13 built-in stitches (including 4-step buttonhole)
- **Stitch Speed:** 300 to 800 stitches per minute
- **Stitch Width:** Up to 5mm
- **Stitch Length:** Up to 4mm
- **Bobbin System:** Top-loading full rotary hook
- **Feed Dog:** 5-piece
- **Dimensions:** Approximately 9.1 x 9.1 x 9.1 inches (Product dimensions provided by manufacturer)
- **Item Weight:** Approximately 29.9 pounds



Image 7.1: The Janome MyStyle 100 sewing machine with its approximate dimensions indicated.

8. Warranty and Support

For warranty information and customer support, please refer to the documentation included with your purchase or visit the official Janome website. Janome provides support for product inquiries, technical assistance, and service needs.
For further assistance, please contact Janome customer service through their official channels.

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