

CRAFTSMAN

U.S.

9 68514

Canada

0993056

PS2515

***Thank you for selecting the Heavy-Duty
Craftsman® EASY FIRE™
Stapler/Nail Gun***



Your new Craftsman® EASY FIRE™ Stapler / Nail Gun is designed to give you full heavy duty stapling performance with ease and control never before possible. The Craftsman® EASY FIRE™ Stapler / Nail Gun can be used for many professional applications. With proper use and care the Craftsman®

EASY FIRE™ Stapler / Nail Gun will give you many years of reliable performance. For safe operation and best performance, please read all safety rules and instructions carefully before using the Craftsman EASY FIRE™ Stapler / Nail Gun. Be sure to send in your registration card.

IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

WARNING: TO MINIMIZE THE RISK OF EYE INJURY, ALWAYS USE EYE PROTECTION. When using mechanical tools basic safety precautions should always be followed to reduce the risk of personal injury, including the following:

READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. BE AWARE OF THE STAPLE EXIT POINT.** The unique easy drive design puts the "high" part of the handle in the front. Be sure this product is in the proper position in your hand before using.
- 2. POINT THE GUN AWAY FROM YOURSELF AND OTHERS** at all times and especially when opening the track to clear a jammed staple. As the track is opened, the jammed staple may be shot out unexpectedly.
- 3. PLACE STAPLE EXIT POINT FIRMLY AGAINST WORK SURFACE BEFORE FIRING.** Staples fired "into the air" can cause serious injury.
- 4. ALWAYS USE THE PROPER STAPLE SIZE.** This product accepts .05" wire gauge heavy duty staples or 9/16" brad nails. Do not try to use light duty (.03"), desk or wire staples in this product.
- 5. KEEP WORK AREA CLEAN.** Cluttered areas and benches invite injuries.
- 6. CONSIDER WORK AREA ENVIRONMENT.** Don't expose tool to rain. Keep work area well lit.
- 7. KEEP CHILDREN AWAY.** All visitors should be kept away from work area. Do not let visitors contact tool.
- 8. STORE IDLE TOOLS.** When not in use, tools should be stored in dry, high or locked-up place — out of reach of children.
- 9. DON'T OVERREACH.** Keep proper footing and balance at all times.
- 10. STAY ALERT.** Watch what you are doing. Use common sense. Do not operate tool when you are tired.
- 11. BE CAUTIOUS NOT TO STAPLE INTO ELECTRICAL WIRES** especially those which may be hidden from view.

SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS FOR FUTURE USE

Using Your Craftsman® EASY FIRE™ Stapler/Nail Gun

Selecting the Right Staple:

To maximize performance, your Craftsman® EASY FIRE™ Stapler/Nail Gun has been designed to work with genuine Craftsman® narrow crown heavy-duty staples in various lengths from 1/4 inch to 9/16 inch and 9/16 inch brad nails (see page 5 for Craftsman staple and nail part numbers). The Craftsman® EASY FIRE™ Stapler/Nail Gun is also compatible with other brands of heavy duty staples such as Powershot® and Arrow® T-50® brand heavy duty staples.

Selecting the Right Staple Length:

As a general guideline, when stapling into wood, allow for leg penetration of approximately 3/16".

For additional tips on selecting the right staple length for specific applications, refer to the Staple Selection Chart on page 5 of this Instruction Manual.

*Arrow® T-50® are registered trademarks of Arrow Fastener Company.

Loading Staples and Nails (Fig. 1, 2 and 3)

- ▶ The Craftsman® EASY FIRE™ Stapler/Nail Gun is equipped with a Quick-Load Staple Chamber (Fig. 1).
- ▶ Make sure there are no staples jammed from previous usage by checking the handle operation.



CAUTION: If a staple is jammed, point the gun away from yourself and others before opening the track as the jammed staple may be fired out upon opening.

- ▶ If there are no jams, turn gun upside down and tilt the gun away from yourself and squeeze track release and pull open staple chamber (Fig. 1). For maximum leverage squeeze track release as close to housing as possible (Fig. 5).
- ▶ Place staples into chamber with point facing upwards (Fig. 2).
- ▶ To load nails, lean nails against side of chamber with "T" icon on housing, which is also the side of the stapler with the staples remaining window (Fig. 3).

Firing Your Craftsman® EASY FIRE™ Stapler/Nail Gun (Fig. 4)

Craftsman® EASY FIRE™ Stapler/Nail Gun has been designed for unprecedented ease of use and control. Simply grasp the staple and nail gun with your hand on the easy part of the gun (Fig. 4) and apply smooth, even pressure. Make sure the nosepiece is placed firmly against the workpiece before firing. Staple exits beneath your hand.

Staples Remaining and Staple Size Window

Use the Staples Remaining Window, located on the left side of the gun, to determine when it's time to reload. Also use the window to see what size staples are loaded.

Staple Exit Indicator (Fig. 5)

Use the Staple Exit Indicator when you need greater precision in placing your staples. Staples will exit the gun directly behind the nose.

Using the Wire Guide (Fig. 6)

- ▶ Use the wire guide to help prevent stapling into low voltage wire. The guide provides a groove, to place wire into before stapling, to help prevent puncturing the low voltage wire (Fig 6 a).
- ▶ To use the wire guide: slide lever toward front of stapler so the groove is protruding under staple exit point (Fig. 6).



IMPORTANT:
POINT THE GUN AWAY FROM YOURSELF AND OTHERS at all times and especially when opening the track to clear a jammed staple. As the track is opened, the jammed staple may be shot out unexpectedly.

Clearing the Nail and Staple Chamber

If, while using your Craftsman® EASY FIRE™ Stapler/Nail Gun, it becomes necessary to clear a jam from the staple chamber or track, follow these instructions:

- ▶ With the bottom of the gun facing away from your face and body, open the staple chamber by pulling the release straight down and away from

the stapler housing then sliding it back. (Note: the jammed staple may cause the track to be harder to slide out than usual. Once the staple has been cleared, the track will resume its normal, free operation.) Loose staples will be expelled from the chamber.

- ▶ Clear any remaining staples from the track and chamber area.
- ▶ Reload the Craftsman® EASY FIRE™ Stapler/Nail Gun and continue using.

Storing Your Craftsman® EASY FIRE™ Stapler/Nail Gun



- ▶ When finished using your Craftsman® EASY FIRE™ Stapler/Nail Gun, unload any remaining staples or nails.
- ▶ Store in a dry place, out of the reach of children.

Sears Warranty

Full One Year Warranty on Craftsman® EASY FIRE™ Stapler/Nail Gun. If this Craftsman® EASY FIRE™ Stapler/Nail Gun fails to give complete satisfaction within one year from date of purchase, RETURN IT TO THE NEAREST SEARS STORE IN THE UNITED STATES (if purchased in the US) and CANADA (if purchased in Canada), and Sears will replace it, free of charge. If this Craftsman® EASY FIRE™ Stapler/Nail Gun is used for commercial or rental purposes, this warranty applies for only 90 days from the date of purchase.

Staple Selection Guide

For best results the Craftsman® EASY FIRE™ Stapler/Nail Gun has been designed to use Craftsman® narrow crown heavy duty .05" width staples. Use Craftsman® staple part numbers: 68541 (1/4-in.), 68546 (5/16-in.), 68542 (3/8-in.), 68543 (1/2-in.), 68547 (9/16-in.), 68548 (9/16-in. ceiling tile); Staple/Nail Assortment pack part numbers: 68545, 68470; Brad Nails (9/16-in.) part numbers 68544, 68469, 93057 (Canada). It will also accept other .05" narrow crown width heavy duty staples, including PowerShot®, Cobra® and Arrow® T-50® brand staples. *Arrow® T-50® are registered trademarks of Arrow Fastener Company.

	COMMON APPLICATIONS FOR STAPLE LENGTH:
1/4" (6mm)	Display Signs, Window Shades, Window Screens, Draperies, Shelf Paper, Light Upholstery, Lining, Plastic Film, Decorations.
5/16" (8mm)	Insulation, Upholstery, Weather Stripping, Wall Decorations, Crafts, Covering Cornices, Leatherettes, Webbing, Light Fabrics.
3/8" (10mm)	Insulation, Carpeting, Wire Mesh, Plastic or Canvas Coverings, Roofing Paper, Felt Stripping, Low Voltage Wiring (Telephone, Tele-communications), Weather Stripping.
1/2" (13mm)	Insulation, Carpet Underlayment, Low Voltage Wiring (Telephone/Telecommunications), Porch Screens, Picture Frames, Wire Mesh, Netting, Roofing Paper, Paneling, Holiday Lights.
9/16" (14mm)	Ceiling Tile, Heavy Insulation, Insulation Board, Fencing, Trellises, Roofing, Carpeting, Metal Lath, Cornerite, Heavy Wire Mesh.
	COMMON APPLICATIONS BRAD NAILS:
9/16" (14mm)	Trim molding, Paneling, Picture Frames, Model Work, Any Finish Nailing Application

Warranty Service

Warranty service is available by returning this Stapler/Nail Gun to your nearest Sears store in the United States (if purchased in US) in Canada (if purchased in Canada). This warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may also have rights which vary from state to state (US) province to province (Canada). Sears Roebuck and Co., Dept. 817 WA, Hoffman Estates, IL 60179 (US) Sear's Canada Inc., Toronto, ON, M5B 2B8 (Canada)

