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Jazz Bolt Pen Kit Instructions

Required Materials

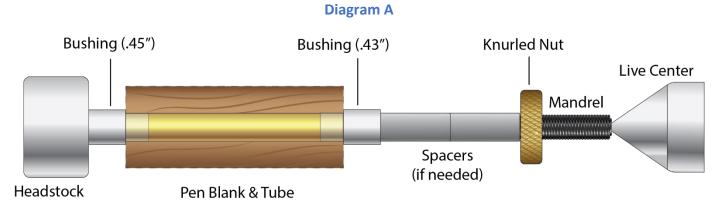
- 7mm pen mandrel
- Set of Jazz Bolt Pen Kit bushings
- 23/64" drill bit
- CA (cyanoacrylate) glue or two-part fast-drying epoxy
- Pen blank
- Pen press, vise, or clamp
- Sanding supplies and finish

Blank Preparation

- 1. Cut blank to length of brass tube, plus an additional 1/16" on each end for squaring off
- 2. Drill 23/64" hole lengthwise through the blank
- 3. Rub the brass tube with low-grit sandpaper to roughen it
- 4. Apply a line of glue to the brass tube and insert the tube into the middle of the blank with a twisting motion to spread the glue throughout the blank
 - Ensure the inside of the tube is free of any glue
- 5. Square off the ends of the blank with a barrel trimmer or sander to be flush with the brass tube

Turning the Blank

Follow diagram A below to set up the blank on the mandrel for turning



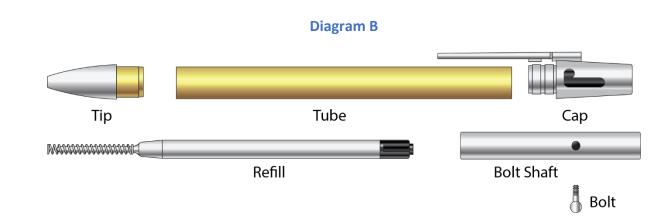
- 1. Turn down the blank to the desired shape using lathe chisels, ensuring each end is flush with the bushings
- 2. Sand the blank, progressing from coarser to finer grits
- 3. Finish blank with choice of polish



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Assembly

Follow diagram B below for assembly. Press parts using a pen press, vise, or clamp.



- 1. Press the Cap onto the thicker end (.45") of the Tube/blank
- 2. Insert the Bolt Shaft through the Cap so that the small hole in the Bolt Shaft is visible in the J-shaped hole of the Cap
- 3. Thread the Bolt into the hole of the Bolt Shaft
- 4. Press the Tip onto the opposite end of the Tube/blank
- 5. Unthread the Tip, insert Refill with spring, and thread the Tip back into place

Additional Information

- Slide the bolt up and down to extend and retract the refill
- Pen uses a Parker-style ballpoint refill
 - o To replace refill, unthread the Tip