

# 1911 EXTREME SERVICE RETRO THUMB SAFETY - HARRISON DESIGN & CONSULTING 1911 EXTREME SERVICE RETRO THUMB SAFETY BLUED

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The H-D Retro thumb safety family is the result of years of design and testing to develop a thumb safety that is ergonomically comfortable, rugged in construction and offers unique features that solve many of the problems with existing designs. The Retro thumb safety was developed to answer customer requests for a version of our original thumb safety with a small shelf that looked appropriate on a Classic or Retro 1911. The positioning of the thumb shelf also helps keep the palm of your hand in deeper, more solid contact with the grip safety, so it's less likely that you'll have a failure to get the grip safety depressed and then keep it depressed, which could render your pistol unfireable at the worst time. The plate is made thicker than most other brands and is configured so that the safety plunger bears fully on the front of the plate, eliminating side thrust loading from being exerted against your plunger tube which can eventually loosen the tube's mounting, allowing the plunger pin to climb over the safety's plate, potentially rendering the gun unfireable. An ample detent pocket and radius give a positive "click" as you move the safety on and off. The pivot shaft joins the plate with a generous radius which is crucial to prevent stress breakage of the plate/shaft joint as found on other brands. The blocking lug has an extra fitting pad on the rear of the lug allowing the gunsmith to regulate how far down the thumb safety can swing, which keeps the safety's plate from overhanging the edge of the frame. An industry first! The rear edge of the plate is beveled and blended where it meets the back edge of the frame, a feature lacking on other brands.



## Attributes

- Name: [HARRISON DESIGN & CONSULTING 1911 EXTREME SERVICE RETRO THUMB SAFETY BLUED](#)
- Manufacturer: [HARRISON DESIGN & CONSULTING](#)
- Product no.: 100022960
- Mfr. No.: HD-455
- Finish: Black
- Style: Retro
- Weapon type: 1911
- Delivery weight: 0.016kg
- Shipping height: 25mm
- Shipping width: 89mm
- Shipping length: 152mm

## Item details

Made in USA

US export classification: 0A501.x

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# Safety Instruction Guide for the 1911 Extreme Service Retro Thumb Safety

## Introduction

Thank you for choosing the 1911 Extreme Service Retro Thumb Safety by Harrison Design & Consulting. This product has been designed with your safety and comfort in mind. Please read this safety instruction guide carefully to ensure proper use and maintenance of your new thumb safety.

## General Safety Guidelines

- Ensure that your firearm is unloaded before installing or handling the thumb safety.
- Always treat your firearm as if it is loaded, even when you believe it is not.
- Keep the thumb safety out of reach of children and unauthorized users.
- Regularly inspect your thumb safety for any signs of wear or damage.
- Follow all local laws and regulations regarding firearm safety and usage.

## Specific Safety Precautions for Use

- Ensure that the thumb safety is properly installed before using the firearm.
- Do not attempt to modify or alter the thumb safety in any way.
- Be aware of your surroundings and ensure a safe environment when handling your firearm.
- Always engage the thumb safety when the firearm is not in use.
- Avoid using excessive force when operating the thumb safety to prevent damage.

## Instructions for Installation and Usage

### 1. Installation:

- Ensure the firearm is unloaded and pointed in a safe direction.
- Remove the existing thumb safety from the firearm following the manufacturer's instructions.
- Carefully install the 1911 Extreme Service Retro Thumb Safety by aligning it with the mounting points.
- Ensure that the safety plunger bears fully on the front of the plate to prevent side thrust loading.
- Confirm that the safety engages and disengages smoothly with a positive "click."

### 2. Usage:

- To engage the thumb safety, push it down until it clicks into place.
- To disengage, push the thumb safety up until it clicks off.
- Regularly check the detent pocket and radius for proper function.
- If you experience any resistance or irregular function, stop using the firearm and consult a qualified gunsmith.

## Disposal Instructions

- Dispose of the thumb safety in accordance with local regulations.
- Do not dispose of the thumb safety in regular household waste.
- Contact your local waste management authority for proper disposal methods.

## Contact Information for Further Support

For any inquiries regarding safety, installation, or usage, please consult your local firearms dealer or a qualified gunsmith. Ensure that you have the product's model and serial number available for reference.

## Conclusion

By following these safety instructions, you can ensure the safe and effective use of the 1911 Extreme Service Retro Thumb Safety. Remember to always prioritize safety when handling firearms and to stay informed about best practices in firearm safety. Thank you for your commitment to responsible firearm ownership.

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