

Tradition Meets Modern Precision: The OEM Laguiole Olive 7Cr13MoV Blade Wood Handle

In the world of fine cutlery, the <u>Laguiole knife</u> holds a place of honor, revered for its traditional French design and impeccable craftsmanship. At Shieldon, we understand the importance of maintaining this classic elegance while infusing modern functionality and reliability into every product. Our OEM Laguiole Olive Wood handle knife (Item No. GC-17927OL) is a testament to this commitment, serving as a perfect blend of timeless aesthetics and contemporary performance.





Product Overview

The OEM Laguiole Olive 7Cr13MoV Blade Wood Handle knife is designed to cater to the discerning user who appreciates the historical significance of the Laguiole brand but demands modern-day precision and durability. This knife is not only a cutting tool but also a statement piece, reflecting the refined taste of its owner.

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Blade Excellence

Material and Hardness

Crafted with a 7Cr13MoV stainless steel, the blade offers an excellent balance of strength, edge

retention, and corrosion resistance. The steel composition ensures that the blade can withstand

the rigors of daily use while maintaining its sharp edge. Heat-treated to a Rockwell hardness of

56-58, it strikes the perfect balance between toughness and ease of sharpening.

Dimensions and Style

The blade measures 72mm (2.83 inches) in length and 2.8mm (0.11 inches) in thickness,

providing a robust yet agile cutting edge. Its drop-point style is versatile for a wide array of

cutting tasks, from slicing to piercing, making it a utility knife suited for both culinary and

outdoor activities.

Finish and Grind

An acid-etched finish not only enhances the blade's corrosion resistance but also gives it a

distinctive, rugged look that sets it apart from conventional knives. The flat grind on the blade

ensures a sharper cutting angle and easier maintenance.

Handle Craftsmanship

Material and Color

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The handle is made from authentic olive wood, known for its durability and exquisite grain pattern. Each handle boasts a unique wood color, giving every knife its own individual character. This natural material not only offers a comfortable grip but also contributes to the knife's overall aesthetic appeal.

Ergonomics and Thickness

At 12mm (0.472 inches) thick, the handle is crafted to fit comfortably in the hand, allowing for confident and secure handling during use. The ergonomics of the handle design make it suitable for prolonged use without causing fatigue.





Functional Design

Lock Mechanism

Featuring a reliable liner lock mechanism, the knife provides safety and stability when in use.

This locking system ensures the blade stays open during tasks, preventing accidental closure that could lead to injury.

Opening Feature

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The thumb stud allows for easy one-handed opening, a convenient feature for those who require quick and effortless access to their blade.

Specifications

Item Number: GC-17927OL

Total Length: 175mm (6.89 inches)

• **Weight**: 112g (3.95 ounces) • Lock Mechanism: Liner lock • Open Way: Thumb stud

Manufacturing Excellence

As part of Shieldon's Manufacturing & Trading Combo business model, we take pride in our ability to oversee every aspect of the production process. Our OEM Laguiole knives are produced with precision and care, ensuring each knife meets our stringent quality standards. From the initial design phase to the final quality check, our team of skilled craftsmen and quality assurance professionals work tirelessly to provide a product that is both beautiful and reliable.

Minimum Order Quantity and Customization

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For businesses looking to add this exquisite piece to their product offerings, our regular MOQ

stands at 1000 units. This quantity allows us to maintain a high level of quality while offering

competitive pricing. Additionally, our OEM capabilities mean we can tailor the knife to meet

specific branding needs, from custom logos to unique packaging designs.

Ideal for a Variety of Markets

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Whether it's for culinary enthusiasts, outdoor adventurers, or collectors of fine knives, the OEM

Laguiole Olive 7Cr13MoV Blade Wood Handle knife is an excellent addition to any product line.

Its universal appeal, rooted in the Laguiole heritage and enhanced by modern manufacturing

techniques, makes it a versatile offering for a broad audience.

Partnering with Shieldon

Choosing Shieldon as your OEM partner means choosing a company that values quality,

tradition, and innovation. We understand the nuances of the cutlery market and strive to

provide products that not only meet but exceed customer expectations. Our commitment to

excellence is evident in every knife we produce, ensuring that when you choose Shieldon, you

are selecting a partner dedicated to your success in the competitive landscape of fine cutlery.





In summary, the OEM Laguiole Olive 7Cr13MoV Blade Wood Handle knife is more than just a tool; it's a piece of heritage equipped with modern functionality. With Shieldon at the helm of production, businesses can confidently extend their product range, offering their customers a knife that celebrates the past while embracing the present.



Unveiling the Artistry of Laguiole Knives: A Palette of Tradition

The Laguiole knife, with its origins nestled in the French village of Laguiole in the 19th century, has since transcended its humble beginnings to become an icon of fine craftsmanship and aesthetic grace. Renowned for their distinctive bee emblem and meticulously crafted handles, Laguiole knives are not merely tools but treasured heirlooms that embody the spirit of French art de vivre. In exploring the basic knowledge of Laguiole knives, one must delve into the diverse array of colors and patterns that ornament their handles, each telling its own story and adding to the knife's allure.





The Color Spectrum of Laguiole Handles

Laguiole knife handles are renowned for their vibrant colors and rich patterns, each carefully selected to enhance the knife's elegance and character. The diversity in handle choices is a nod to the personalization and uniqueness that knife aficionados cherish. Here are some of the colors and materials commonly found:

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Natural Tones

• Horn and Bone: Traditional materials like horn and bone are deeply rooted in the history of Laguiole knives. The natural hues range from deep blacks and browns to creamy whites, with each piece

featuring unique striations and color variations.

• Wood: From the deep, luxurious tones of ebony to the warm, inviting patterns of olive or juniper

wood, wooden handles add a touch of rustic charm. The grain of the wood lends each knife a

one-of-a-kind appearance, reflecting the knife's connection to nature.

Bright and Bold

• Acrylic and Synthetic: Modern materials allow for a broader color palette, with handles available in

every shade imaginable. These synthetic options provide durability and a splash of vibrant color,

from fiery reds to ocean blues, making them a popular choice for those seeking a contemporary

twist on the classic Laguiole.

Enhanced with Elegance

• Mother-of-Pearl and Precious Metals: For those with a taste for luxury, handles inlaid with

mother-of-pearl or adorned with precious metals offer a sophisticated sheen and opulence. These

materials catch the light and captivate the eye, elevating the knife to a piece of fine jewelry.

Patterns That Tell Stories

The patterns in Laguiole knife handles are as varied as the colors, each with a unique appeal

that caters to different styles and preferences:

Classic Chevron





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• A timeless design, the chevron pattern features V-shaped stripes that showcase the precision and skill of the cutler. This pattern is often seen in wood or horn handles and speaks to the traditional craftsmanship of the Laguiole knife.

Marbled and Mottled Effects

 Handles with marbled patterns offer a visual feast, with swirls of color that mimic the appearance of natural stone. Mottled effects create a speckled look, giving the knife a distinct appearance that ensures no two knives are exactly alike.

Floral and Nature-Inspired Motifs

• Drawing inspiration from the surrounding Aubrac landscape, some Laguiole handles are engraved with floral or nature-inspired patterns. These designs often feature the iconic bee or other regional flora and fauna, connecting the knife to its pastoral roots.





The Significance of Handle Design

The design of a Laguiole knife's handle is not merely about aesthetics; it is a reflection of the owner's personality and the knife's intended use. Whether chosen for practical reasons, such as grip and comfort, or for their beauty, the color and pattern of a Laguiole handle can convey status, signify a gift, or commemorate a special occasion.

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Maintenance and Care

While the appearance of the handle is a primary consideration, maintenance is equally

important. Natural materials like horn, bone, and wood require regular oiling to prevent drying

and cracking. Synthetic materials are generally more resilient but may still need attention to

maintain their luster.

In Conclusion

The Laguiole knife is a testament to the union of form and function, with its handles being a

canvas for artistic expression. From understated natural tones to bold, synthetic hues, and from

simple elegance to intricate patterns, the choices available reflect the knife's storied past and

the personal taste of its bearer. As you select a Laguiole knife, consider the color and pattern of

the handle not just as an accessory, but as a personal statement—a piece of art that you carry

with you.