

8. Push the floor plate latch to release the floor plate. The magazine spring and follower will be released from the magazine.
9. Remove released cartridges.
10. Push in the magazine follower, then close the floor plate.

>> To UNLOAD: models without a floor plate:

1. Repeat Steps 1 through 6 on "unloading with a floor plate"
2. Keep the muzzle pointed in a safe direction. Push the bolt handle slowly forward until the cartridge is released from the magazine.
3. Pull the bolt handle fully back and remove the cartridge from the ejection port.
4. Repeat Steps 2 and 3 until the magazine is empty.

NOTE: If the bolt is pushed all the way forward and a cartridge slides into the chamber, the gun can be fired. Normally, the cartridges will slide out of the chamber when the bolt is pulled back. If the cartridge remains in the chamber, point the muzzle in a safe direction, slide the bolt forward all the way and push the bolt handle down to close the bolt. Then repeat Steps 1 through 4.

>> To UNLOAD: models with a detachable magazine box:

1. Point the firearm in a safe direction.
2. Put the safety mechanism in the 'S' position.
3. Raise the bolt handle.
4. Put one hand over the top of the ejection port.
5. Slowly pull the bolt handle rearward with your other hand to remove the cartridge from the chamber.
6. Depress both latches or one latch to release magazine box.
7. Remove all the cartridges from the magazine box.
8. Replace the magazine box.

Autoloading

>> To LOAD: the chamber and magazine:

1. Point the firearm in a safe direction.
2. Engage the safety mechanism. The red band will not show.
3. Pull the operating handle fully rearward until the action is held by the magazine follower.
4. Put one cartridge of the correct caliber through the ejection port and into the chamber.
5. Keep your fingers away from the ejection port and operating handle.
6. Push the bolt release to close the action.
7. Push the magazine latch forward and pull the magazine from the receiver.
8. Push four cartridges of the correct caliber one at a time into the magazine. Keep the bullets aligned toward the chamber.
9. Replace the magazine into the firearm.
10. Make sure the magazine is fully latched into position.
11. To fire the firearm, disengage the safety mechanism. The red band will now be showing.
12. The firearm will fire each time the trigger is pulled until the magazine and chamber are empty.

>> To UNLOAD the firearm:

1. Point the firearm in a safe direction.