



SCHUMANN

INSPIRING LIFE'S HARMONY



The Schumann Story

The Schumann Story begins in 1956 with the establishment of a new piano factory in Nanjing, China. Originally built to manufacture pianos under the Moutrie name, the plant began designing a new piano line that would eventually be named “Schumann” after the famous German composer, Robert Schumann.

Basing their designs on century-old German pianos, Schumann developed instruments that combined high-end British manufacturing techniques and materials with precision German engineering and the legendary art of Eastern Asian wood finishing. The result was a selection of pianos that were as beautiful to behold as they were to play.

Today’s Schumann pianos are built in the company-owned Nanjing-Schumann plant in China. This state-of-the-art piano factory produces up to 10,000 pianos per year in it’s over 645,000 square-foot facility. ISO: 9001 and ISO: 14001 certified, the Nanjing-Schumann company has been recognized as one of China’s “Top 50 Enterprises in The Music Industry” consecutively for more than 15 years. Especially in the last decade, Schumann pianos have achieved local and international recognition for their beauty and quality of construction.

Schumann pianos are carefully crafted to inspire players of all ages. We invite you to experience the beauty and performance of a Schumann Piano today.



Inspiring Life's Harmony

The inspiration to express ourselves through music has existed since the dawn of human civilization. Throughout the centuries, diverse cultures from all over the world have created unique musical instruments to better communicate that which words alone could not. Few, however, have achieved as much global acceptance and sophistication as has the piano.

It is that passion for expression that drives Schumann. Our design philosophy revolves around "the poetic expression of melody" - a concept that drives us to constantly improve upon every piano we build. We work to make every key more expressive, every string more clear, and every soundboard more resonant - so you (our beloved player) can be inspired to express yourself as your heart demands.

We believe that something truly magical happens when we match the passionate result of our art - a fine Schumann piano - with the melodic poetry inside of you. That harmonious pairing is will inspire a player to make music a permanent part of their lives... and it inspires us to keep building - and keep *improving* - our pianos for every new generation to come.



GRAND PIANOS



The Soundboard

- High quality spruce from the Changbai Mountain range.
- Naturally dried for more than 7 years before used.
- Fully-notched ribs maintain crown and support sound transmission.



The Keyboard

- Japanese maple (all-wood) key action for greater precision and control.
- Synthetic ivory, non-slip key tops (naturals), durable composite (sharps).
- Superior Hainsworth felt (from the UK) for smooth and quiet operation.



The Hammers

- German-designed hard inner wool for better projection and longevity.
- Schumann pianos use Hainsworth Grade AAA 100 percent pure wool outer felt (from the UK) for superior tonal development.
- T-fasteners protect hammer shape and provide superior tonal projection.



The Strings

- Premium steel strings from Roslau, Germany.
- Bass strings use “pre-straight technology” for pure intonation and stability.
- Bass strings are copper-wound by hand on every Schumann piano.

The Pin Block

- 18-ply beech wood imported from Germany.
- Cross-grained woods grip the pins tighter and stay tight longer.
- Cut-thread steel tuning pins provide pure tone and greater stability.



The Hardware

- Durable nickel hardware (pedals, logos, casters, hinges, etc.).
- Hardware will not discolor or lose luster over time.
- Vacuum-cast iron plate with timeless matte gold finish.



The Finish

- Multi-layered polyester finish for lasting shine and durability.
- Polyester is impervious to moisture and easy to maintain.
- Inner rim is decorated with a stunning Birdseye Maple veneer.



The Extras

- Soft-close fallboards prevent injury or damage.
- Fully adjustable and articulating music rests for easier music viewing.
- Padded, adjustable piano benches make playing comfortable for all ages.



Model GP-186

A beautiful - and practical - addition to any living room, the GP-186 Schumann Grand Piano delivers a robust tonal palette that only a larger grand piano can.

Available in:

Ebony Polish



Weight: 761 lbs (345kg)



Compatible with
silent or auto-play
systems.

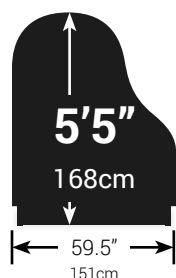
Model GP-168

A full-sized baby grand piano, the GP-168 delivers a rich, satisfying bass and room-filling tone across the entire keyboard - transforming your home into a musical haven.

Available in:

Ebony Polish

White Polish



Weight: 738.5 lbs (335kg)

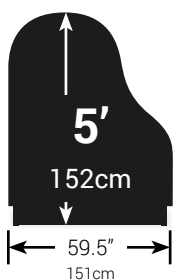
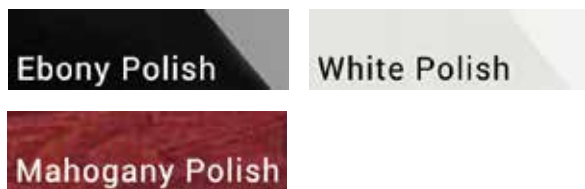


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Model GP-152

This beautiful, full-featured baby grand piano delivers astonishingly powerful sound and a smooth, balanced feel normally only found in far larger pianos.

Available in:



Weight: 672 lbs (305kg)



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systems.



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PERFORMANCE GUARANTEE

The Nanjing-Schumann Piano Company is one of the oldest and most respected piano builders in China. Our reputation for beauty, quality and performance has grown throughout the world. For us, there is no higher calling than to produce a fine instrument that can inspire the music within our clients and we strive to keep building - and improving upon - our pianos with this standard in mind.

As a Schumann Piano owner, you can rest assured that your investment is protected from defects in materials or workmanship for a period of 10 years from your purchase date. Certain conditions and limitations do apply. For more details about this performance guarantee, contact your closest Schumann Piano dealer or visit us online at www.schumannus.com.

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UPRIGHT PIANOS



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The Keyboard

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The Pin Block

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The Hardware

- Durable nickel hardware (pedals, logos, casters, hinges, etc.).
- Nickel finish for a unique and timeless look.
- Hardware will not discolor or lose luster over time.



The Cabinet

- Multi-layered polyester finish for lasting shine and durability.
- Metal-reinforced front panels and toe-block legs for lasting beauty.
- Piano-style lid hinge with front prop for easy tuning and greater tone.



The Extras

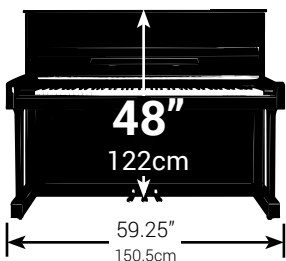
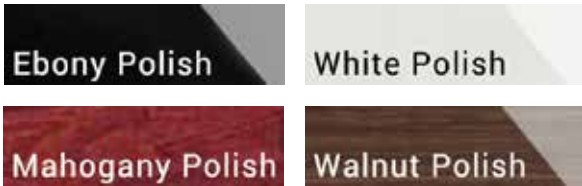
- Soft-close fallboards prevent injury or damage - a feature normally only found on high-end grand pianos.
- Middle pedal activates practice bar for quiet play anytime.
- Padded, adjustable piano benches make playing comfortable for all ages.



Model K1

A stately presence in any-sized room, the K1 delivers the warmth and depth of a baby grand piano in a stunningly beautiful - yet practical - studio upright cabinet.

Available in:



Weight: 463 lbs (210kg)



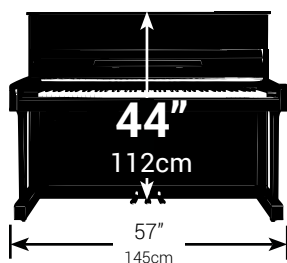
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Model C1

With its elegant cabinet, sturdy construction and adjustable bench, the Schumann C1 is the most value-rich upright piano in its class.

Available in:

Ebony Polish



Weight: 392 lbs (178kg)



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systems.



The Schumann Piano Philosophy

- **Continue to Innovate.** From shape design to structural planning; from wood selection to finish refinement; from hardware design to hammer felt recipes - every aspect of our production is repeatedly tried and constantly revised in our ongoing effort to give players a higher quality musical expression experience.
- **Focus on Quality.** Quality has always been the most important aspect of the Schumann Piano process. We constantly study our pianos - making improvements at every point in the production process - until we're satisfied that we can reliably produce high-quality pianos with the very latest technologies. Schumann focuses on every detail. Our ultimate pursuit is to fully meet the expectations of professional players, music connoisseurs and enthusiasts all around the world.
- **Inspire People to Play.** Music is a passion that everyone should be able to enjoy. To us, "music" and "life" are inseparable. ...and, as the "king" of musical instruments, the piano gives more people access to an incredible, music-filled life. From our piano engineers to our skilled piano builders - to our office staff and service team - we at Schumann Pianos strive to inspire each person who plays a Schumann Piano to express the poetry within.





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