



RAZOLUTION

Handling of and care for straight razors

Congratulations, you purchased a straight razor from the world-famous „Klingentadt“ Solingen, Germany.

Our straight razors are made of a special carbon-steel or stainless-steel in a traditional way, carefully honed by hand on special machinery. They are then finely stropped by hand.

Shaving:

Caution, straight razors have to be extremely sharp to be useful for shaving.

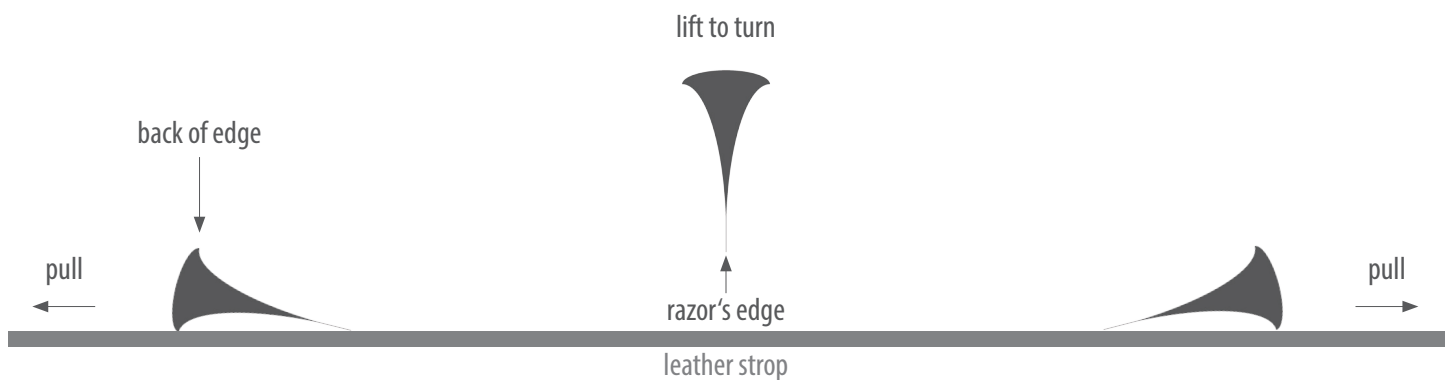
Cover the skin with lather and pull it tight, then lead the razor in a shallow angle (similar to sharpening, see fig. below) over the skin. After gaining some experience, you may carefully adjust the angle to the contour of your skin.

Care for the blade:

Especially carbon-steel blades need proper care. Rinse the blade, carefully dry it and oil it after every use. After that, the knife should be left to rest for 24 hours to help the razor's edge to regenerate.

Stropping:

Depending on the use, the razor's edge needs to be stropped on a tightly pulled leather strop. A strop paste may be used by rubbing it onto the strop.



CAUTION: Gently pull the blade over the strop and LIFT it before turning to avoid damage to the razor's edge!