



SAFE OPERATING PROCEDURE

CORDLESS PLATE JOINER



DO NOT use this machine unless a Technical Officer or correctly inducted staff member has instructed you in its safe use and operation and has given you permission.



Safety glasses must be worn and a P2 mask must be worn.



Appropriate hearing protection (*Class 5-SLC₈₀>26 dB*) must be worn.



Appropriate footwear with substantial uppers must be worn



Long or loose hair must be tied back or contained.



Remove rings, dangling jewellery and gloves.



Close fitting clothing must be worn or a correctly tied and fitted work apron

Adjust fences and depth gauges accurately

PRE-OPERATIONAL SAFETY CHECKS

1. Ensure you have a suitable safe work area with no trip/slip hazards present.
2. Make all tool adjustments prior to connecting the battery.
3. Ensure all safety guards, fences and blades are intact and fitted correctly. Use only blades specified for this tool.
4. Never operate the tool with the blade locked in exposed position or without the blade cover secured properly in place.
5. Set the fence height and correct biscuit size. Adjust the angle guide height using the lock lever. **Use the QR code above to read the operation manual for these adjustments.**
6. Correctly fit the dust bag to the joiner. Do not use the tool without the dust bag fitted.
7. Ensure you are familiar with the operation of the ON/OFF and Lock ON switch.
8. Run the tool for awhile without the blade pointing toward anyone. Check there is no vibration or wobble of the blade. Make blade adjustments if necessary.

OPERATIONAL SAFETY CHECKS

1. Do not support your material by hand. Ensure the work piece is securely supported, clamped and at good working height.
2. Maintain a firm grip on the tool with both hands.
3. Keep the sole plate pressed firmly on the work piece.
4. Do not apply excessive force to the material being worked on. Maintain steady footing at all times. **DO NOT** walk with the tool in operation.
5. If the blade breaks, stop tool immediately. Remove the battery before fitting a new blade.
6. Be aware of the overload protection function. If the load on the tool is excessive for longer than 2 seconds, the tool will automatically stop. This prevents tool damage.
7. Before cleaning away any waste material and inspecting the results of the slotting process, always bring the machine to a complete stop and keep hands away from the blade.
8. Before making any adjustments to the tool bring it to a complete standstill and remove the battery.

HOUSEKEEPING

1. After use, return the battery for recharging. Clean all debris and dispose of in correct bins.
2. Replace the cleaned tool to safe storage.
3. Leave the workspace in a safe, clean and tidy state.

POTENTIAL HAZARDS

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| ■ Moving, sharp parts | ■ Electricity | ■ Cuts or Burns |
| ■ Dust or fumes | ■ Eye injuries | ■ Noise |

FORBIDDEN DO NOT operate this equipment under the influence of alcohol or other drugs

Date of last review: _____ Signature: _____
 Relevant: Legislation/Guidelines/Standards WHS Act 2011, WHS Regulations 2011. <https://www.safework.nsw.gov.au/>