



Pushstick PUSHSTICK/1



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Please read carefully before use

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Thank you for purchasing this Trend product, which should give lasting performance if used in accordance with these instructions.

The following symbols are used throughout these instructions.



Denotes risk of personal injury, loss of life or damage to the tool in case of non-observance of the instructions.



Refer to the instruction manual of your power tool.

This unit must not be put into service until it has been established that the power tool to be connected to this unit is in compliance with 2006/42/EC (identified by the CE marking on the power tool).

INTENDED USE

This accessory is intended to be used for guiding small sections of timber, timber based materials and plastics over a router or saw table. Do not use the push-stick as a lever or for uses other than those envisaged.

It must always be used when making any cut of less than 300mm in length, or when feeding the last 300mm of a longer cut.

The push-stick is made in compliance with :-

- Directive 2006/42/EC.
- Harmonized Standard UNI EN1870-1:2007 Part 1.

SAFETY

Please read and understand the safety points at the end of this instruction as well as the power tool instructions before use.

PLEASE KEEP THESE INSTRUCTIONS IN A SAFE PLACE.

The attention of UK users is drawn to The Provision of Use of Work Equipment Regulations 1998, and any subsequent amendments.

Users should also read the HSE/HSC Safe Use of Woodworking Machinery Approved Code of Practice and Guidance Document and any amendments.

Users must be competent in using woodworking equipment before using our products.

Attention should be made to the HSE's Safe Use of Vertical Spindle Moulding Machines Information Sheet No.18 and any revisions.

Please keep children away from tools and work area. All power tools will have a residual risk, so must therefore be operated with caution.

Only use tooling that meets EN847-1/2 safety standard and any subsequent amendments.

ITEMS REQUIRED

- Router table or saw table.
- Suitable cutting tools.



Consider working environment before using tools.

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

Recycle raw materials instead of disposing as waste.

Packaging should be sorted for environmental-friendly recycling.

The accessory at the end of its life should be sorted for environmental-friendly recycling.

GUARANTEE

All Trend products are guaranteed against any defects in either workmanship or material, except products that have been damaged due to improper use or maintenance.

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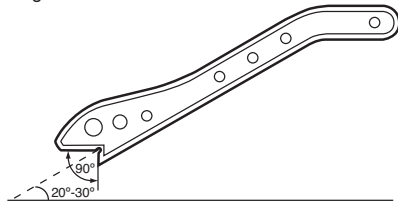
OPERATION



The push-stick has been designed for use with a router table or saw table, and should always be used when making any cut less than 300mm in length or, when feeding the last 300mm of a longer cut.

When operating a hand-fed circular saw the operator's leading hand should never be closer than is necessary to the front of the saw and hands should never be in line with the saw blade. When using a push-stick on a hand fed circular saw, the left hand should be moved to a position along the plate of the saw, so that in the event of an unexpected movement of the workpiece, the fingers will not be thrown against the teeth. A push-stick should always be used to remove the cut piece from between the saw and the fence, unless the width of the cut piece exceeds 150mm.

The birds mouth is 90° and should be angled at between 20° to 30° to the workpiece to suit the height of the machinist.



After use the accessory should be stored carefully.



Do not use the push-stick as a lever or for uses other than those envisaged.



Compliance with the safety requirements of the regulations in force is nullified by any modification or tampering with the push-stick.



Ensure working position is comfortable.

MAINTENANCE

The accessory has been designed to operate over a long period of time with minimum of maintenance. Continual satisfactory operation depends upon proper tool care and regular cleaning.

Cleaning

- The push-stick is made of thermoplastic material, which is resistant to solvents, oils, greases and water. Do not use concentrated acids or alkalis for cleaning.

Lubrication

- Accessory requires no additional lubrication.

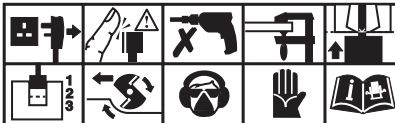
Storage

- Hanging holes are provided to store accessory on user supplied peg(s).
- Store accessory in easy reach of the router table or saw table.

Safety Points

1. Disconnect power tool and attachment from power supply when not in use, before servicing, when making adjustments and when changing accessories such as cutters. Ensure switch is in "off" position and cutter has stopped rotating.
2. Read and understand instructions supplied with power tool, attachment and cutter.
3. Current Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) for eye, ear and respiratory protection must be worn. Keep hands, hair and clothes clear of the cutter.
4. Before each use check cutter is sharp and free from damage. Do not use if cutter is dull, broken or cracked or if any damage is noticeable or suspected.
5. The maximum speed (nmax) marked on tool or in instructions or on packaging shall not be exceeded. Where stated, the speed range should be adhered to.
6. Insert the shank into the router collet at least all the way to the marked line indicated on the shank. This ensures at least 3/4 of shank length is held in collet. Ensure clamping surfaces are clean.
7. Check all fixing and fastening nuts, bolts and screws on power tool, attachment and cutting tools are correctly assembled, tight and to correct torque setting before use.
8. Ensure all visors, guards and dust extraction is fitted.
9. The direction of routing must always be opposite to the cutter's direction of rotation.
10. Do not switch power tool on with the cutter touching the workpiece.
11. Trial cuts should be made in waste material before starting any project.
12. Repair of tools is only allowed according to tool manufacturers instructions.
13. Do not take deep cuts in one pass, take shallow passes to reduce the side load applied to the cutter.

Please see www.trend-uk.com/safety for more safety advice.



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