### **Further information**

List Price Trend £35.19 0800 487363

## ON TEST

# **Trend Timber Repair Kit**

Figure 1 is an unusual kit. It is designed to get rid of blemishes on timber by removing an oval section from the item and then cutting a matching section from another piece of timber to insert in the original. It is simple to use and reasonably effective. The secret is the special guide bush with a removable collar. The collar is fitted when the initial section is cut out, then it its removed and the insert piece is cut. Once fitted into the original, the insert should stand proud and can be reduced by again fitting the template over the workpiece and, without the guide bush, using the router, with the cutter set just above the workpiece surface, to machine away the waste. Be careful not to touch the edge

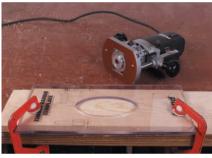
of the template. Finally finish with a sander. The kit worked well and without difficulty. It could also be used for adding a piece of contrasting timber for decoration. Another use would be for inlaying a nameplate into a box, for example.

#### The Verdict...

A useful and versatile template.



Set up for routing the recess



Oval patch routed out and ready for use





Complete the routed recess

Patch glued and pressed in place



Remove collar to cut matching patch



The finished job





Here is a simple and effective tool to square the corners of routed recesses. Routers are the ideal tool for cutting hinge recesses, but they leave

# **Corner Chisel**

rounded corners which must be squared off before the hinge can be fitted. This little tool does the job in an instant. Simply rout out the recess and put the chisel in place

Hinge recess routed with familiar rounded corners



against the edge, where it automatically aligns itself. One sharp blow with a hammer squares the corner and the waste is lifted out with a chisel.

A sharp blow from the hammer is all that is needed



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**The Verdict...** Simple, effective and a great time saver.

Neatly squared off - just like the tradional methods



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