

INSTRUCTIONS FOR

375W 230V Belt & Disc Sander

Stock No.53005

Part No.BDS150

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This manual has been compiled by Draper Tools describing the purpose for which the product has been designed, and contains all the necessary information to ensure its correct and safe use. By following all the general safety instructions contained in this manual, it will ensure both product and operator safety, together with longer life of the product itself. All photographs and drawings in this manual are supplied by Draper Tools to help illustrate the operation of the product. Whilst every effort has been made to ensure the accuracy of information contained in this manual, the Draper Tools policy of continuous improvement determines the right to make modifications without prior warning.

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3.1 GUARANTEE

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4. INTRODUCTION

4.1 SCOPE

This belt and disc sander offers complete flexibility in the home workshop. The tilting arm and unique upper table offer a wide variety of sanding operations from chamfers to compound mitres. Capabilities include horizontal and vertical sanding of various materials such as wood, plastic and aluminium.

4.2 SPECIFICATION

Stock no Part no	
Motor:	
Rated voltage	230V~
Rated frequency	50Hz
Rated input	375W
Rated input Operating time	S2 30min
Belt size	915x100mm
Belt speed	4.6m/s
Belt speed	150mm
Disc speed	1450min ⁻¹
rable size	125 X 190mm (0-45°)
Sound pressure level	79dB(A)
Sound power level	92dB(A)
Weight	16kg

4.3 HANDLING & STORAGE

The environment will have a negative result on its operation if you are not careful. If the air is damp, components will rust. If the machine is unprotected from dust and debris; components will become clogged: And if not cleaned and maintained correctly or regularly the machine will not perform at its best.

5. HEALTH & SAFETY INFORMATION

5.1 GENERAL SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS FOR POWER TOOL USE

When using any type of power tool there are steps that should be taken to make sure that you, as the user, remain safe.

Common sense and a respect for the tool will help reduce the risk of injury.

Read the instruction manual fully. Do not attempt any operation until you have read and understood this manual.

Most important you must know how to safely start and stop this machine, especially in an emergency.

Keep the work area tidy and clean. Attempting to clear clutter from around the machine during use will reduce your concentration. Mess on the floor creates a trip hazard. Any liquid spilt on the floor could result in you slipping.

Find a suitable location. If the machine is bench mounted; the location should provide good natural light or artificial lighting as a replacement. Avoid damp and dust locations as it will have a negative effect on the machine's performance.

If the machine is portable; do not expose the tool to rain. In all cases do not operate power tools near any flammable materials.

Beware of electric shock. Avoid contact with earthed surfaces; because they can conduct electricity if there is an electrical fault with the power tool. Always protect the power cable and route it away from danger.

Keep bystanders away. Children, onlookers and passers by must be restricted from entering the work area for their own protection. The barrier must extend a suitable distance from the tool user.

Unplug and house all power tools that are not in use. A power tool should never be left unattended while connected to the power supply. They must be housed in a suitable location, away locked up and from children.

Do not overload or misuse the tool. All tools are designed for a purpose and are limited to what they are capable of doing. Do not attempt to use a power tool (or adapt it in any way) for an application it is not designed for. Select a tool appropriate for the size of the job. Overloading a tool will result in tool failure and user injury: This covers the use of accessories.

Dress properly. Loose clothing, long hair and jewellery are all dangerous because they can become entangled in moving machinery: This can also result in parts of body being pulled into the machine.

Clothing should be close fitted, with any long hair tired back and jewellery and neck ties removed. Footwear must be fully enclosed and have a nonslip sole.

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Wear personal protective equipment (PPE). Dust, noise, vibration and swarf can all be dangerous if not suitably protected against. If the work involving the power tool creates dust or fumes; wear a dust mask. Vibration to the hand, caused by operating some tools for longer periods must be protected against. Wear vibration reducing gloves and allow long breaks between uses. Protect against dust and swarf by wearing approved safety goggles or a face shield. These are some of the more common hazards and preventions; however, always find out what hazards are associated with the machine/work process and wear the most suitable protective equipment available.

Do not breathe contaminated air. If the work creates dust or fumes; connect the machine (if possible) to an extraction system either locally or remotely. Working outdoors can also help if possible.

Move the machine as instructed. If the machine is hand held, do not carry it by the power supply cable. If the product is heavy; employ a second or third person to help move it safely or use a mechanical device. Always refer to the instructions for the correct method.

Do not overreach. Extending your body too far can result in a loss of balance and you falling. This could be from a height or onto a machine and will result in injury.

Maintain your tools correctly. A well maintained tool will do the job safely. Replace any damaged or missing parts immediately with original parts from the manufacturer. As applicable; keep blades sharp; moving parts clean, oiled or greased; handles clean; and emergency devices working.

Wait for the machine to stop. Unless the machine is fitted with a safety brake; some parts may continue to move due to momentum. Wait for all parts to stop; then unplug it from the power supply before making any adjustments, carrying out maintenance operations or just finishing using the tool.

Remove and check setting tools. Some machinery requires the use of additional tools or keys to set, load or adjust the power tool. Before starting the power tool always check to make certain they have been removed and are safely away from the machine.

Prevent unintentional starting. Before plugging any machine in to the power supply, make sure the switch is in the OFF position. If the machine is portable; do not hold the machine near the switch and take care when putting the machine down; that nothing can operate the switch.

Carefully select an extension lead. Some machines are not suitable for use with extension leads. If the tool is designed for use outdoors; use an extension lead also suitable for that environment. When using an extended lead, select one capable of handling the current (amps) drawn by the machine in use. Fully extend the lead regardless of the distance between the power supply and the tool. Excess current (amps) and a coiled extension lead will both cause the cable to heat up and can result in fire.

Concentrate and stay alert. Distractions are likely to cause an accident. Never operate a power tool if you are under the influence of drugs (prescription or otherwise), including alcohol or if you are feeling tired. Being disorientated will result in an accident.

Have this tool repaired by a qualified person. This tool is designed to confirm to the relevant international and local standards and as such should be maintained and repaired by someone qualified; using only original parts supplied by the manufacturer: This will ensure the tool remains safe to use.

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5.1 SPECIFIC SAFETY INSTRUCTION FOR SANDER USE

SAFETY: Safety is a combination of operator common sense and alertness at all times when the sander is being used.

WARNING: For your own safety, do not attempt to operate the belt and disc sander until it is completely assembled and installed according to the instructions and until you have read and understand the following.

- 1. STABILITY OF MACHINE: There may be a tendency for the machine to tip over or move during certain operations, due to this, the sander must be bolted down.
- 2. LOCATION: The machine should be positioned so the operator or a casual observer are not forced to stand in line with the sanding belt or disc. This machine is intended for indoor use only.
- 3. KICKBACK: When sanding on the disc, always apply the workpiece left of centre of the disc. Applying the workpiece to the right side could cause it to fly up (kickback) which could be dangerous.
- 4. PROTECTION: Eyes, hands, face, ears and body:
 - (a) Always wear safety goggles (not glasses) that comply to a recognised standard. Wear a face mask if the operation is dusty. Wear ear plugs or muffs during extended periods of operation. Do not wear gloves, jewellery or watches. Roll long sleeves above the elbow. Tie back long hair.
 - (b) Do not sand pieces of material too small to hold comfortably by hand.
 - (c) Avoid awkward hand positions, where a sudden slip could cause a hand to move into the sanding disc or belt.
 - (d) Never stand on the machine.
 - (e) Never turn your sander "ON" before clearing the belt table and worktable of all objects.
 - (f) Make sure the sanding belt runs in the right direction (directional arrow on inside of belt). Always have it adjusted correctly so that the belt does not run off the rollers.
 - (g) Hold the work firmly when sanding on the belt and against the worktable when sanding on the disc.
 - (h) Always adjust the worktable to within a maximum of 2mm off the sanding disc or belt.
 - (i) When sanding a large piece of material, provide additional support at table height.
 - (j) Never leave when the machine is on, wait until the machine has come to a complete stop.
 - (k) Do not perform assembly or adjustment work on the table while the sander is operating.
 - (I) Turn sander "OFF" and remove plug from power supply before removing any accessories.
- 5. If any part of this belt and disc sander breaks, bends, or fails in any way, or any electrical component fails to perform properly, or if any part is missing, turn off power switch, remove plug from the power supply and replace damaged, missing and/or failed parts before resuming operation.
- 6. Do not sand with the workpiece unsupported. Support it with the backstop or worktable. The only exception is curved work performed on the outer end of the belt (idler roller).
- THINK SAFETY: Safety is a combination of operator common sense and alertness at all times when the sander is in operation.

CAUTION: This Belt and Disc Sander is designed solely for wood and nonferrous metals only. Any other materials will cause damage to the product or risk of fire.

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5.3 CONNECTION TO THE POWER SUPPLY

Make sure the power supply information on the machine's rating plate are compatible with the power supply you intend to connect it to.

If a replacement plug is to be fitted this must be carried out by a qualified electrician.

The damaged or incomplete plug, when cut from the cable shall be disabled to prevent connection to a live electrical outlet.

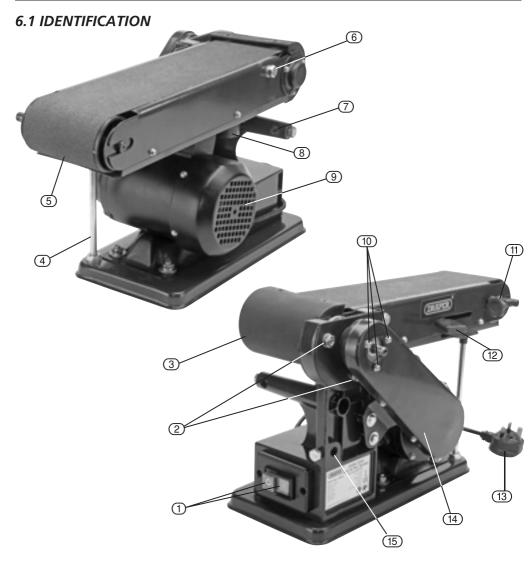
This appliance is Class I^{\dagger} and is designed for connection to a power supply matching that detailed on the rating label and compatible with the plug fitted.

If an extension lead is required, use an approved and compatible lead rated for this appliance. Follow all the instruction supplied with the extension lead.

[†]Earthed $\stackrel{\bot}{=}$: This product requires an earth connection to protect against electric shock from accessible conductive parts in the event of a failure of the basic insulation.

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6. TECHNICAL DESCRIPTION



- 1 No-volt On/Off switch.
- ② Belt bed position lock nut.
- 3 Sanding drum guard.
- 4 Belt bed horizontal support.
- Sanding belt.
- 6 Back stop bolt & washer.
- 7 Vertical bed table support.
- 8 Belt dust extraction outlet.

- (9) Motor.
- 10 Disc guard screws x3
- 11) Tracking adjustment knob.
- 12) Belt tension lever.
- 13 Moulded plug and cable.
- 14 Drive belt cover.
- 15 Disc table support.

7. UNPACKING & CHECKING

7.1 PACKAGING

Carefully remove the product from the packaging and examine it for any sign of damage that may have happened during shipping. Lay the contents out and check them against the parts shown below. If any part is damaged or missing; please contact the Draper Helpline (the telephone number appears on the Title page) and do not attempt to use the product.

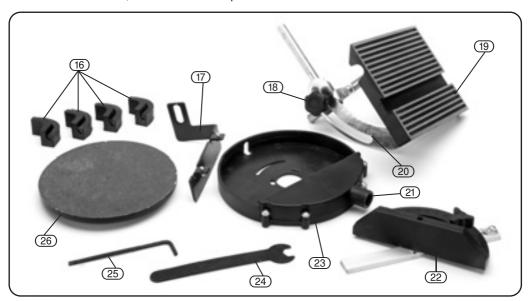
The packaging material should be retained at least during the guarantee period: in case the machine needs to be returned for repair.

Warning! Some of the packaging materials used may be harmful to children. Do not leave any of these materials in the reach of children.

If any of the packaging is to be thrown away, make sure they are disposed of correctly; according to local regulations.

7.2 WHAT'S IN THE BOX?

As well as the sander; there are several parts not fitted or attached to it.



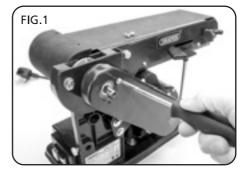
- (16) Plastic feet x4.
- 17) Back stop.
- (18) Table tilting lock knob.
- (19) Work support table.
- 20) Bevel gauge.
- (21) Disc dust extraction outlet.
- (22) Mitre gauge.
- 23) Disc guard.
- 24) Spanner 14mm
- 25) Hex. key 4mm
- (26) Sanding disc.

NOTE: Remove the plug from the socket before carrying out adjustment, servicing or maintenance.

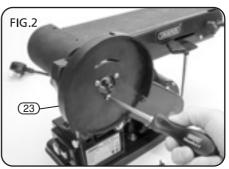
8.1 ATTACH DISC GUARD - FIGS. 1 - 2

Remove the three screws (10) on the machine.

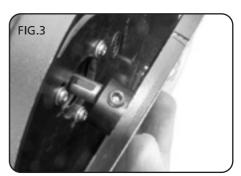
Also separate the two halves of the disc guard (23) by removing the four screws.



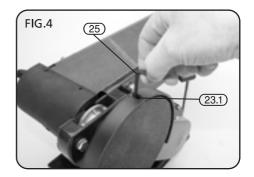
Use the three screws to attach the back of disc guard (23) to machine body.



8.2 ATTACH SANDING DISC - FIGS. 3 - 4 Slide sanding disc onto drive shaft, insure grub screw is lined up with the flat on shaft.

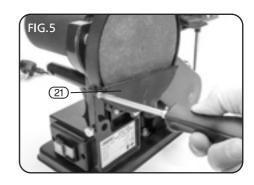


Secure using hex. key (25) inserted down through slot (23.1).



8.3 ATTACH FRONT TO DISC GUARD - FIG. 5

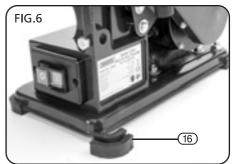
Re-assemble the base of the guard (21) with dust outlet by using four screws removed earlier.



8.4 ATTACH PLASTIC FEET - FIG. 6

Slot the feet (16) onto each corner of the machine. They will protect your worktop.

NOTE: Extra clamping maybe needed to keep the machine stable when in use.



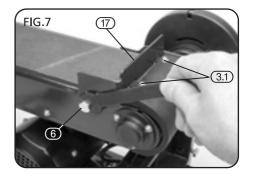
8.5 ATTACH BACK STOP - FIG. 7

A back stop is to be used when the belt sander is in horizontal position.

Loosely attach the back stop (17) with the bolt (6).

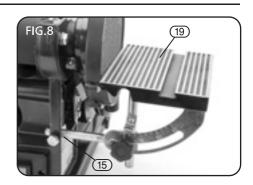
Then with the two screws (3.1) secure to the back stop under the drum guard.

Using spanner supplied tighten the bolt insuring a 1.5mm gap to allow sawdust to flow under.



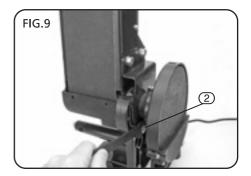
8.6 WORK SUPPORT TABLE ATTACHED TO SANDING DISC - FIG. 8

Align the work support table (19) to the sander. Insert the bar into the hole (15) in the housing and secure the nut using spanner supplied. Insure the maximum distance between disc and table is 1.6mm.



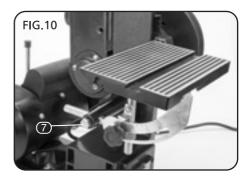
8.7 VERTICAL BELT USE- FIG. 9

Using spanner supplied loosen the bed locking bolt ②, lift bed to vertical position then tighten. NOTE: The backstop needs to be removed so that the work support table can be attached.



8.8 WORK SUPPORT TABLE ATTACHED TO SANDING BELT - FIG. 10

Insert the work support table support bar into clamp (7), tighten with spanner supplied. Insure the maximum distance between disc and table is 1.6mm.



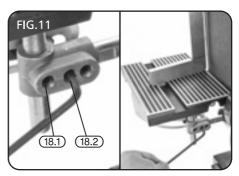
8.9 WORK SUPPORT TABLE ADJUSTMENTS - FIG. 11

Using an engineers square (for example Draper Stock No.34065), finely adjust the table with the hex. key so the 0° is square with the sander, and check table is running parallel across the disc face (with a 1.6mm gap).

To do this adjust the two hex. screws.

(18.1) to adjust the vertical.

(18.2) to adjust the horizontal.



8.10 DUST EXTRACTION - FIG. 12

Inhalation of dust particles can be detrimental to health

The dust outlet must be connected with a dust extraction machine. There are two dust extraction outlets on this machine (8) and (21).

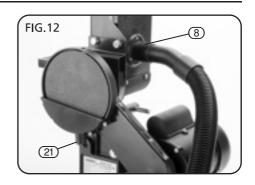
NOTE: Due to the outlet diameter, a size adaptation may be necessary.

All wood dust (including dust from composites like chipboards and fibreboards, etc.) is hazardous to health; it can affect the nose, the respiratory system and the skin.

For example MDF (medium density fibreboard) which contains formaldehyde is a known carcinogen.

In addition to the above measures a correctly fitted dust mask, suitable for the activity and in accordance to the relevant standard, must be worn.

For work activities involving exposure to the fine wood dust, a mask rated to at least FFP2 should be used.



9. OPERATING THE SANDER

IMPORTANT: Make sure that the mains voltage matches the voltage stated on the machines rating plate.

9.1 NO-VOLT ON/OFF SWITCH - FIG. 13

NOTE: The sander is fitted with a no-volt on/off switch ①.

In the event of a power failure the machine will have to be manually restarted.

To switch the machine on, push the button marked (I).

To switch the machine off, push the button marked (O).

To switch the machine off in an emergency strike the (O) button.

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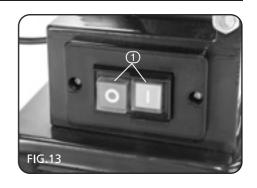
9.2 STRAIGHT SANDING ON SANDING BELT - FIG. 14

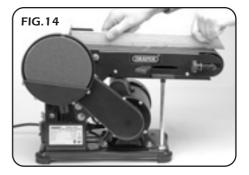
Hold the work firmly with both hands, keeping fingers away from the belt.

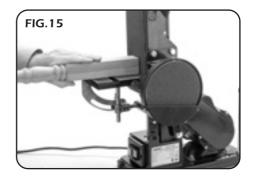
Straight pieces shorter than the belt table are sanded by holding the work piece lightly against the belt. Move it back and forth across the belt, keeping the end butted against the stop fence. This fence prevents the work piece from slipping off the table. USE EXTRA CAUTION WHEN SANDING THIN PIECES. When finishing long pieces, remove the stop fence. Start the work at one end and gradually push it to the other end. Feed it slowly across the width, at the same time, apply only enough pressure to allow the belt to remove material. If the belt stalls and belt pulleys slip while applying moderate pressure, the belt requires more tension.

9.3 END SANDING ON THE SANDING BELT - FIG. 15

It is more convenient to sand the ends of long work pieces with the sanding belt in a vertical position. Move the work evenly across the sanding belt.







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NOTE: Remove the plug from the socket before carrying out adjustment, servicing or maintenance.

9.4 CONTOUR SANDING - FIG. 16

Inside contours: Inside curves can be sanded on the drums at the end of the machine. Hold the work firmly, press the contour lightly against the drum on one side and move the work slowly across the drum while moving up the contour against the drum.

Outside contours: Outside curves can be sanded on the belt table of the unsupported side of the belt with the table in the vertical position.

Hold the work firmly. Begin the curve lightly against one side and feed it across the belt towards the other side while moving up the contour of the work piece.

Outside contours on the end of a work piece can be sanded with the sanding disc. Feed the work lightly against the disc and move it back and forth from the centre of the disc to the outside edge.

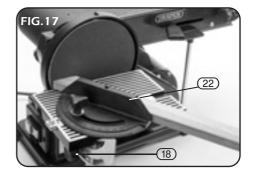


9.5 DISC SANDING - FIG. 17

Disc sanding should be done on the outer edge of the disc which revolves downward. Applying the work piece to the "UPSIDE" of the disc may cause it to fly up, which could be dangerous to the operator.

The mitre gauge (22) is very useful as a guide when chamfering and finishing angle sanding. To adjust the angle of bevel the worktable can be tilted 0° to 45° release the knob (18).

NOTE: When the worktable is titled the gap between the disc and the table may increase, insure the gap is no larger than 1.6mm.



9.6 REPLACING THE SANDING BELT AND TRACKING - FIGS. 18 - 20

WARNING: TO AVOID INJURY FROM ACCIDENTAL STARTING, TURN THE POWER SWITCH "OFF" AND REMOVE THE PLUG FROM THE POWER SUPPLY BEFORE REMOVING OR INSTALLING SANDING BELTS.

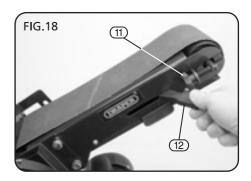
NOTE: Before the belt can be replaced the sanding drum guard, stop fence and the belt side cover need to be removed.

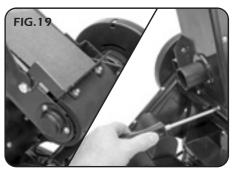
On the inside of the sanding belt you will find "direction arrows". The sanding belt must run in the direction of these arrows so that the splice does not come apart.

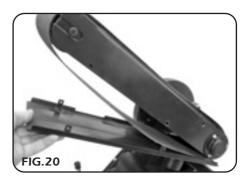
- 1. Loosen the bed locking bolt and lift the bed to approx. 45°.
- 2. Slide the tension lever 12 to release the belt tension
- Remove all screws on drum guard and lower belt cover.
- 4. Place the new sanding belt over the pulleys with the directional arrows pointing in an anticlockwise direction when looking at the sander from the disc side. Make sure the belt is centred on both pulleys.
- 5. Tension the sanding belt by sliding the tension lever back.
- 6. Re-connect to the power supply. Turn switch "ON" and immediately "OFF", noting if the belt tends to slide off the idler pulley or drive pulley. If the belt did not try to slide off, it is tracking correctly.
- 7. If the belt moves towards the disc, turn the tracking knob (11) anticlockwise 1/4 of a turn, Fig.16.
- 8. If the sanding belt moves away from the disc, turn the tracking knob (11) clockwise 1/4 of a turn.
- Turn the switch "ON" and immediately "OFF" again, noting any belt movement. Re-adjust the tracking knob if necessary.

9.7 REPLACING THE SANDING DISC - FIG. 21

With the work support table removed, remove bottom/front section of the sanding disc guard (21) by removing the four screws. Pull off the used disc and stick the new adhesive backed disc centrally on the disc.









10. MAINTENANCE

10.1 MAINTENANCE

Regular inspection and cleaning reduces the necessity for maintenance operations and will keep your tool in good working condition.

The motor must be correctly ventilated during tool operation. For this reason avoid blocking the air inlets. After use disconnect the tool from the power supply and vacuum the ventilation slots.

If the replacement of the supply cord is necessary, this has to be done by the manufacturer or his agent in order to avoid a safety hazard.

A coat of wax polish applied to the worktable will make it easier to feed the work while finishing.

Do not apply wax to the abrasive belt table because the belt could pick up the wax and deposit it on the pulleys, causing the belt to slip.

11. TROUBLESHOOTING

11.1 TROUBLESHOOTING

WARNING: FOR YOUR OWN SAFETY ALWAYS TURN THE MAIN SWITCH ON THE MACHINE "OFF" AND REMOVE THE PLUG FROM THE POWER SUPPLY BEFORE CARRYING OUT ANY MAINTENANCE OR TROUBLESHOOTING.

TROUBLE	PROBABLE CAUSE	REMEDY
	1. Defective ON/OFF switch.	Replace defective parts before using belt and disc sander again.
Motor will not run.	2. Burned out motor.	Any attempt to repair this motor may create a HAZARD unless repair is done by a qualified service technician.
Machine slows down when sanding	 Drive belt too tight. Applying too much pressure to workpiece 	Decrease belt tension. Ease up on pressure.
Sanding belt runs off pulleys.	1. Not tracking properly.	Adjust tracking, see Operation & Use Section "Replacing the Sanding Belt - Tensioning and Tracking" on page 17.
Wood burns while sanding.	Sanding disc or belt is glazed with sap.	1. Replace disc or belt.

IMPORTANT: Please note all repairs/service should be carried out by a qualified person.

12. OPTIONAL ACCESSORIES

The following accessories are available from your local Draper stockist:

150mm SELF ADHESIVE ALUMINIUM OXIDE SANDING DISCS:

STOCK No.	PART No.	GRIT GRADE	PACK QUANTITY
23361	SD6B	60	5 discs
23364	SD6B	80	5 discs
23365	SD6B	100	5 discs
23366	SD6B	120	5 discs
23367	SD6B	Assorted	5 discs

SANDING BELTS:

STOCK No.	PART No.	GRIT GRADE	PACK QUANTITY
36069	SB436	60	3
36071	SB436	80	3
36073	SB436	100	3
36074	SB436	120	3
36075	SB436	Assorted	3

13. EXPLANATION OF SYMBOLS

13.1 EXPLANATION OF SYMBOLS



Warning! Do not wear loose clothing.



Warning! Read the instruction manual



Warning! Wear dust mask. Wear goggles.



Warning! Disable the machine before attempting to maintain it.



WEEE Do not dispose of Waste Electrical & Electronic Equipment in with domestic rubbish

14. DISPOSAL

14.1 DISPOSAL

- At the end of the machine's working life, or when it can no longer be repaired, ensure that it is disposed of according to national regulations.
- Contact your local authority for details of collection schemes in your area. In all circumstances:
 - Do not dispose of power tools with domestic waste.
 - Do not incinerate.
 - Do not abandon in the environment.
 - Do not dispose of WEEE* as unsorted municipal waste.



* Waste Electrical & Electronic Equipment.



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