

WARNING PORTABLE HAND BAND SAW

Any piece of equipment can be dangerous if not operated properly. **YOU** are responsible for the safe operation of this equipment. The operator must carefully read and follow any warnings, safety signs and instructions provided with or located on the equipment. Do not remove, defeat, deface or render inoperable any of the safety devices or warnings on this equipment. If any safety devices or warnings have been removed, defeated, defaced, or rendered inoperable, **DO NOT USE THIS EQUIPMENT!!!**

⚠ WARNING: Sawing, sanding, drilling or machining steel, brass and copper products can expose you to Nickel compounds, a substance known to the State of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm. Avoid inhaling metal particles and use a dust mask or other safeguards for personal protection. For more information go to www.P65warnings.ca.gov

Do not tape down or otherwise by-pass any safety devices! Always operate this equipment from the designated operator's position.

Never operate power equipment of any kind if you are tired or if you are under the influence of alcohol, drugs, medication, or any substance that could affect your ability or judgment. Be alert! If you get tired while operating this equipment, take a break. Tiredness may result in loss of control.

Use extreme caution: The blade is very sharp! Keep your hands, feet and all other body parts clear of the blade at all times.

This 120-volt equipment may require a grounded outlet, do not modify plug.

Always wear hand, eye, dust, and hearing protection.

Warning blade gets extremely hot during use. Use care when changing blades.

Never carry this tool by the power cord and never use the cord to unplug the tool.

IMPORTANT SAFETY RULES TO FOLLOW

1. Do not use power tools in damp or wet locations. Do not expose band saw to rain. Failure to follow these instructions increases the risk of electrocution.
2. Avoid gaseous areas. Do not operate band saw in explosive atmospheres or in the presence of flammable liquids or gases. This motor creates sparks, which could ignite fumes.
3. Do not wear loose clothing or jewelry. Wear safety glasses, ear protection, & dust mask if needed.
4. Always inspect tool for frayed or damaged cords. Do not use if band saw is not in proper working order.
5. Avoid accidental starting. Do not carry plugged in tool with finger on switch. Be sure the switch is in the "OFF" position before plugging into outlet.
6. Never connect a band saw to any source that does not match the voltage of the tool.
7. Do not force the band saw. Do not bear down while cutting. Only use for the purpose it was intended.
8. Keep the blade off the workpiece until the motor has reached the selected speed.

If the person receiving this handout will not be the user of the equipment, forward these instructions to the operator. If there is any doubt as to the operation or safety of the equipment.

DO NOT USE!!! CALL A TOOL SHED IMMEDIATELY!!! FAILURE TO FOLLOW THESE INSTRUCTIONS COULD RESULT IN INJURY OR DEATH