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laminate floor & furniture repair kit

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INSTRUCTION MANUAL & SAFETY GUIDE



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IMPORTANT: PLEASE READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY. PLEASE NOTE THE SAFE OPERATIONAL REQUIREMENTS, WARNINGS AND CAUTIONS. USE THIS PRODUCT CORRECTLY AND WITH CARE FOR THE PURPOSE FOR WHICH IT IS INTENDED. FAILURE TO DO SO MAY CAUSE DAMAGE AND/OR PERSONAL INJURY. PLEASE KEEP THE INSTRUCTIONS SAFE FOR FUTURE USE.

LAMINATE FLOOR & FURNITURE REPAIR KIT

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CONTENTS:

Wax heater tool, cleaning scraper, texturing scraper, 11 hard wax sticks, fine sanding sponge, cleaning cloth, 2 x 1.5V AA batteries, storage case. See page 3 Fig 2 for detailed contents.

UNPACKING:

When unpacking, make sure the item is intact and undamaged.

GENERAL SAFETY WARNINGS AND PRECAUTIONS:

WARNING: When using tools, basic safety precautions should always be followed to reduce the risk of personal injury and damage to equipment. Read all instructions carefully before using this product.

- Familiarise yourself with the application, limitations and potential hazards linked to the tool.
- Maintain the tool in good condition. Keep tools clean for better and safer performance.
- Keep work area clean. Cluttered areas invite injuries.
- Keep children away. Children must never be allowed in the work area. Do not let them handle machines, tools or extension cords.
- Store idle equipment. When not in use tools must be stored in a dry location. Always store in a safe location and keep out of reach of children.
- Use the right tool for the job. Do not attempt to force a small tool or attachment to do the work of a larger industrial tool. There are certain applications for which this tool was designed. It will do the job better and more safely at the rate for which it was intended. Do not modify this tool and do not use for a purpose for which it was not intended.
- Remove ill fitting clothing. Remove ties, watches, rings and other loose jewelry and tie back long hair.
- Wear approved safety respiratory protection and safety eye goggles.
- Do not overreach. Keep proper footing and balance at all times. Do not reach over or across running machines.
- Stay alert. Watch what you are doing, use common sense. Do not operate any tool when you are tired.
- Check for damaged parts. Before using any tool, any part that appears damaged should be carefully checked to determine that it will operate properly and perform its intended function. Any part that is damaged should be replaced (if replacement part is available).
- Do not operate if under the influence of alcohol or drugs.
- DO NOT allow untrained person to operate tools.
- Avoid unintentional starting of the wax heater tool. Ensure that the wax heater tool is always switched off after use and before storage.
- Avoid skin contact with the wax heater tool tip and protect yourself from hot wax as there is a risk of burns.

BATTERY INSTALLATION:

The wax heater tool requires 2 x 1.5V AA batteries (supplied).

- Open the battery compartment on the back of the wax heater tool.
- Insert 2 x AA batteries ensuring the correct polarity (+/-).
- Replace the battery cover and close to secure.

HANDLING AND OPERATION:

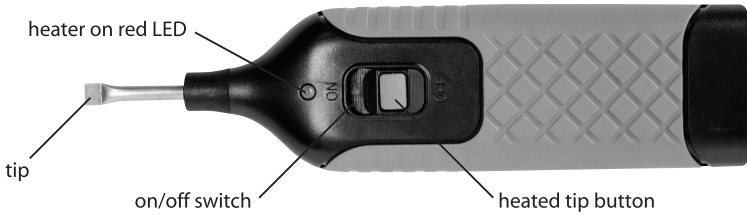
Switching the wax heater tool on/off

See Fig. 1 for details

- To switch the wax heater tool on, slide the on/off switch to the ON position.
- Press and hold down the red button to heat up the tip. The red LED will remain lit as long as you hold down the button.
- To switch the wax heater tool off, slide the on/off switch to the OFF position.

Warning: the heater tip gets hot in use. Always place on a heat resistant surface when being used.

Fig. 1



APPLICATION EXAMPLE:

Preparation:

Clean the damaged area with the scraper and remove all loose parts.

Colour selection:

Select the closest matching hard wax stick. Use several colour waxes (from light to dark) if required to match a specific wood colour.

Melting and filling:

Place the On/Off switch at the position "ON" to switch the appliance on.

Press and hold the red button to heat up the wax heater tool tip.

Melt small portions of the hard wax and place them into the damaged area, until it is slightly overfilled.

Start with the light colour tones and progress step by step to the dark colour tones.

Filling:

For vertical surfaces it is recommended to mix the colour tone beforehand, collect it on the scraper and then fill the damaged area. When working on curved areas the scraper with curvature should be used to fill hard wax into the damaged area.

Smoothering:

Allow the hard wax to cool for a short while (approx 30 seconds). After cooling, smooth any ridges with the planing grooves of the scraper. Use only light pressure to smooth the surface.

Fine matching:

For fine matching, such as marbling or matching grain use a darker colour hard wax. Smooth any ridges with the planing grooves of the scraper.

Degreasing:

To finish, remove the last hard wax residues with the sanding sponge. The surface finish should now be a good match to the original wood colour or grain.

Cleaning the planer grooves:

Place the cleaning scraper on the cooled wax melter tip and scrape the wax residues from the plane grooves.

TROUBLESHOOTING:

Malfunction causes and remedies:

The following table will help to remedy minor malfunctions:

Defect:	Possible cause:	Solution:
The wax heater tip does not get hot	The batteries have been inserted incorrectly. The batteries are discharged.	Insert the batteries as shown in the battery compartment. Insert two new AA batteries .

CLEANING:

Ensure that, when cleaning it, no moisture can penetrate into the appliance, so as to avoid irreparable damage to it. Do not use chemical or abrasive cleaning agents. These could damage the housing. Clean the wax melter and the wax melter tip with the cleaning cloth only when they have cooled down.

STORAGE WHEN NOT IN USE:

If you do not intend to use the appliance for an extended period of time, remove the batteries. Store all parts of the repair kit in the storage case and in a clean, dry location out of direct sunlight.

PLEASE NOTE:

This product can be used by children aged 8 years above and by persons with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities or lack of experience and knowledge if they have been given supervision or instruction concerning the use of the product in a safe way and understand the hazards involved. Children should not be allowed to play with the product. Cleaning and user maintenance should not be undertaken by children without adult supervision.

DISPOSAL

Tools should not be disposed of with household waste. Contact your local waste disposal facility for information on the correct way to dispose of tools.

CONTENTS**Fig 2.**

1. 11 hard wax sticks
2. Wax heater tool
3. Cleaning scraper
4. Texturing scraper
5. Fine sanding sponge
6. Cleaning cloth
7. 2 x 1.5V AA batteries
8. Storage case

**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION**

Waste electrical products should not be disposed of with household waste. Please recycle where facilities exist. Check with your local authority or retailer for recycling advice.

IMPORTANT:

No liability is accepted for the incorrect use of the product. Whilst every effort has been made to ensure accuracy of information contained in this manual the DK Tools Ltd policy of continuous improvement determines the right to make modifications without prior warning.