

Model Assessment sheet

Narrow Band Saw

Operator Name:	Date of Assessment:
Assessor Name:	

When competence has been achieved, tick the appropriate requirement. For operations not carried out, mark N/A for Not Applicable

<p>1. Health & Safety <i>The individual has a suitable level of understanding on health & safety requirements, including:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Employee's responsibilitiesb. Employer's responsibilitiesc. Noise requirementsd. Dust extraction requirementse. PUWER 98 and ACOPf. Manual Handling requirements <p>2. Machine identification and setting <i>The individual is able to correctly identify, describe and set/adjust the following:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Saw guides and thrust wheelsb. Tension devicec. Tracking deviced. Type and size of bladee. Top and bottom pulley wheel guardsf. Under table guard (between bottom guides and table)g. Start and stop controls including braking devices <p>3. Machine set up and operation <i>The individual is able to:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. State the maximum size sections that can be safely cutb. Use and adjust guards appropriate to the workpiece being machinedc. Cut materials to sized. Correctly use safety devicese. Where appropriate, use work holders and jigs for producing shaped componentsf. Machine is started and stopped following correct procedures, including the use of braking devices after completing the machining operation <p>4. Tooling <i>The individual is able to:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Identify dull and defective saw blades and teethb. Select and change the appropriate blade to cut materialc. Carry out the handling and storage of saw blades safely <p>5. Maintenance <i>The individual is able to:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Demonstrate that all guards, fences, tables can be adjusted with easeb. Demonstrate that all machine components, guards and safety devices are in a safe condition, well maintained including braking devicesc. Can remove the saw blade, clean the machine and blade, and adjust the tension	Achieved
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