

# Portable Electric Power Tools



## ✓ Do

- ✓ Conduct an inspection of tools, electrical cables, and electrical connections to identify damage.
- ✓ Ensure regular (and valid) inspections of electric tools according to the manufacturer's instructions by a qualified electrician.
- ✓ Ensure that the device has double insulation.
- ✓ Ensure that the power switch is in the off position before connecting a portable electric tool.
- ✓ Stop the device before disconnecting the supply cable.
- ✓ Use personal protective equipment appropriate to the tool and the type of work being done
- ✓ Store tools in a safe place to prevent falling.
- ✓ Keep the device away from the body before operation.
- ✓ Unwind the power cable to prevent overheating.
- ✓ Check the integrity of the drum and the socket casings on the extension cable.

## ✗ Don't.

- ✗ Do not wear loose clothing or jewelry when using rotating tools.
- ✗ Do not use electric tools in damp and wet locations.
- ✗ Do not insert fingers or any body parts into the device's working area or moving parts.
- ✗ Do not connect multiple cables to a multi-socket outlet without considering its total load capacity
- ✗ Do not disconnect the power supply to a tool by shaking the cable and pulling it from the socket.
- ✗ Do not use an extension cord as permanent wiring.
- ✗ Do not allow vehicles to pass over unprotected electrical cables.
- ✗ Do not move a powered device from one place to another.
- ✗ Do not leave an electrical device connected to the power supply unattended. Disconnect the device from the power source after each use.
- ✗ Do not repair or service an electrical device except by a qualified professional

