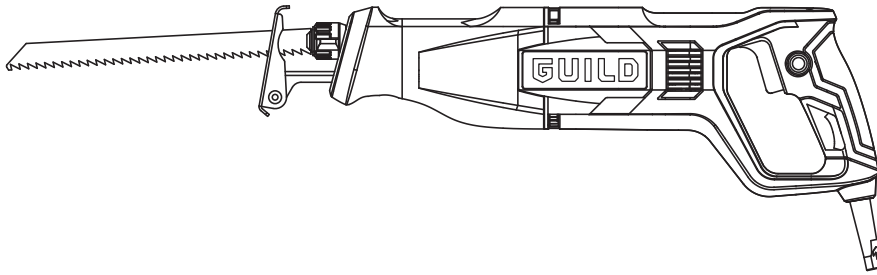
GUILD
800W Reciprocating Saw

Instruction Manual **PSR800G**



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Important - Please read these instructions fully before operating or maintaining your Guild reciprocating saw

These instructions contain important information that will help you get the best from your Guild reciprocating saw, ensuring it remains safe to operate.
If you need help or have damaged or missing parts, call the Customer Helpline on 0333 3201989

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Safety Information

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Warning Symbols

The following warning symbols appear throughout this assembly manual and indicate the appropriate safety measures you should take when assembling and operating the reciprocating saw.

To reduce the risk of injury, Please read the instruction manual

Wear eye protection

Wear ear protection

Wear dust mask

Warning

Double insulation

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

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General Power Tool Safety Warnings

WARNING! Read all safety warnings and all instructions. Failure to follow the warnings and instructions may result in electric shock, fire and/or serious injury.

Save all warnings and instructions for future reference.
The term "power tool" in the warnings refers to your mains-operated (corded) power tool or battery-operated (cordless) power tool.

1) Work area safety

a) Keep work area clean and well lit. Cluttered or dark areas invite accidents.

b) Do not operate power tools in explosive atmospheres, such as in the presence of flammable liquids, gases or dust. Power tools create sparks which may ignite the dust or fumes.

c) Keep children and bystanders away while operating a power tool. Distractions can cause you to lose control.

2) Electrical safety

a) Power tool plugs must match the outlet. Never modify the plug in any way. Do not use any adapter plugs with earthed (grounded) power tools. Unmodified plugs and matching outlets will reduce risk of electric shock.

b) Avoid body contact with earthed or grounded surfaces, such as pipes, radiators, ranges and refrigerators. There is an increased risk of electric shock if your body is earthed or grounded.

c) Do not expose power tools to rain or wet conditions. Water entering a power tool will increase the risk of electric shock.

d) Do not abuse the cord. Never use the cord for carrying, pulling or unplugging the power tool. Keep cord away from heat, oil, sharp edges or moving parts. Damaged or entangled cords increase the risk of electric shock.

e) When operating a power tool outdoors, use an extension cord suitable for outdoor use. Use of a cord suitable for outdoor use reduces the risk of electric shock.

f) If operating a power tool in a damp location is unavoidable, use a residual current device (RCD) protected supply. Use of an RCD reduces the risk of electric shock.

3) Personal safety

a) Stay alert, watch what you are doing and use common sense when operating a power tool. Do not use a power tool while you are tired or under the influence of drugs, alcohol or medication. A moment of inattention while operating power tools may result in serious personal injury.

b) Use personal protective equipment. Always wear eye protection. Protective equipment such as dust mask, non-skid safety shoes, hard hat, or hearing protection used for appropriate conditions will reduce personal injuries.

c) Prevent unintentional starting. Ensure the switch is in the off-position before connecting to power source and/or battery pack, picking up or carrying the tool. Carrying power tools with your finger on the switch or energising power tools that have the switch on invites accidents.

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d) Remove any adjusting key or wrench before turning the power tool on. A wrench or a key left attached to a rotating part of the power tool may result in personal injury.

e) Do not overreach. Keep proper footing and balance at all times. This enables better control of the power tool in unexpected situations.

f) Dress properly. Do not wear loose clothing or jewellery. Keep your hair, clothing and gloves away from moving parts. Loose clothes, jewellery or long hair can be caught in moving parts.

g) If devices are provided for the connection of dust extraction and collection facilities, ensure these are connected and properly used. Use of dust collection can reduce dust-related hazards.

4) Power tool use and care

a) Do not force the power tool. Use the correct power tool for your application. The correct power tool will do the job better and safer at the rate for which it was designed.

b) Do not use the power tool if the switch does not turn it on and off. Any power tool that cannot be controlled with the switch is dangerous and must be repaired.

c) Disconnect the plug from the power source and/or the battery pack from the power tool before making any adjustments, changing accessories, or storing power tools. Such preventive safety measures reduce the risk of starting the power tool accidentally.

d) Store idle power tools out of the reach of children and do not allow persons unfamiliar with the power tool or these instructions to operate the power tool. Power tools are dangerous in the hands of untrained users.

e) Maintain power tools. Check for misalignment or binding of moving parts, breakage of parts and any other condition that may affect the power tool's operation. If damaged, have the power tool repaired before use. Many accidents are caused by poorly maintained power tools.

f) Keep cutting tools sharp and clean. Properly maintained cutting tools with sharp cutting edges are less likely to bind and are easier to control.

g) Use the power tool, accessories and tool bits etc. in accordance with these instructions, taking into account the working conditions and the work to be performed. Use of the power tool for operations different from those intended could result in a hazardous situation.

5) Service

Have your power tool serviced by a qualified repair person using only identical replacement parts. This will ensure that the safety of the power tool is maintained.

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Reciprocating Saw Safety Warnings

1. **Hold reciprocating saw by insulated gripping surfaces, when performing an operation where the cutting accessory may contact hidden wiring or its own cord.** Cutting accessory contacting a "live" wire may make exposed metal parts of the power tool "live" and could give the operator an electric shock.

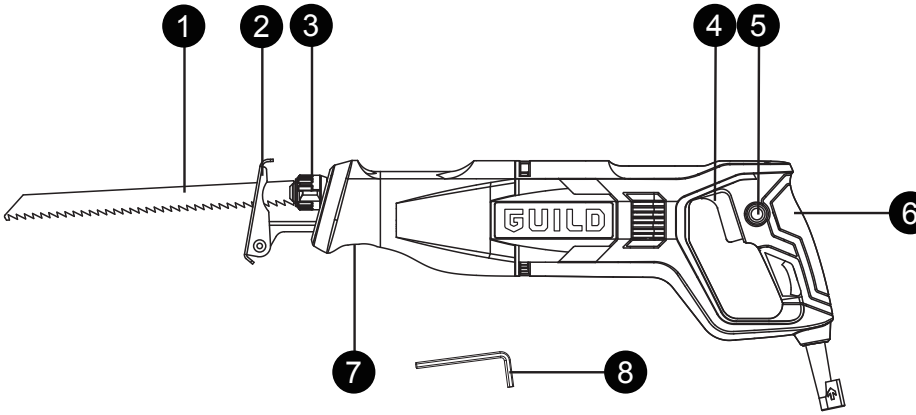
Additional Safety Rules for Reciprocating Saw

1. **Always wear a dust mask.**

In The Box

Parts

1. Blade for wood
2. Pivoting foot plate
3. Blade holder
4. On/Off switch
5. Lock on button
6. Main handle
7. Guide plate adjustment
8. Allen key



Accessories

Blade for wood	1pc
Allen key	1pc

Operating Instructions

NOTE: Before using the tool, read the instruction book carefully.

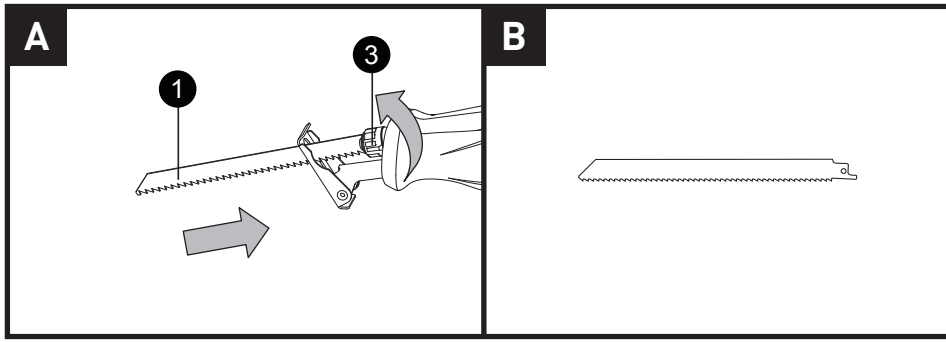
Intended Use
This tool is intended for sawing wood, plastic, metal and building materials while resting firmly on the workpiece. It is suitable for straight and curved cuts.

ASSEMBLY
REPLACING / INSERTING THE SAW BLADE (SEE FIG A)
WARNING: Remove the plug from the socket before carrying out any adjustment, servicing or maintenance.
When mounting the saw blade, wear protective gloves. Danger of injury when touching the saw blade. When changing the saw blade, take care that the saw blade holder is free of material residue, e. g. wood or metal shavings.

1. SELECTING A SAW BLADE
Use only saw blades with single-nose shank (SEE FIG B). The saw blade should not be longer than required for the intended cut. Use a thin saw blade for narrow curve cuts.

2. INSERTING A SAW BLADE
Rotate the blade holder (3) anti-clockwise and hold it in position. Insert the blade into the saw's blade, release the blade clamp ring and ensure the blade is locked securely in place.
WARNING: Check the tight seating of the saw blade. A loose saw blade can fall out and lead to injuries.
For certain work, the saw blade (1) can also be turned through 180° (with the teeth pointed upwards) and reinserted again.

3. REMOVING A SAW BLADE
Rotate the blade holder (3) anti-clockwise and hold. Pull the blade out and release the blade holder.



OPERATION

1. PIVOTING FOOT PLATE ADJUSTMENT (SEE FIG C)

The adjustable pivoting foot plate (2) adapts to the required angular position of the surface. It must be held firmly against the material being cut to reduce saw vibration, blade jumping and blade breakage.

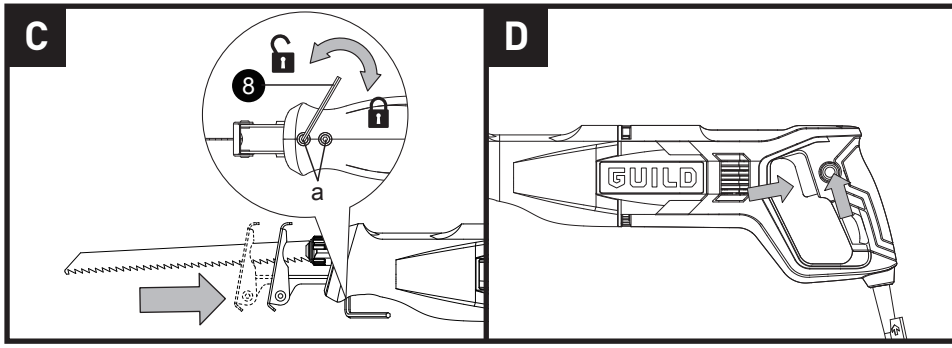
If you need to reduce the cutting capacity of your tool (depth of cut), the pivoting foot plate (2) may be adjusted as follows. Loosen the two securing screws (a) on the underside of the front housing with a allen key (8). Slide the pivoting foot plate (2) to the required position. Tighten both screws (a) and check that the pivoting foot plate (2) is firmly latched. (SEE FIG C)

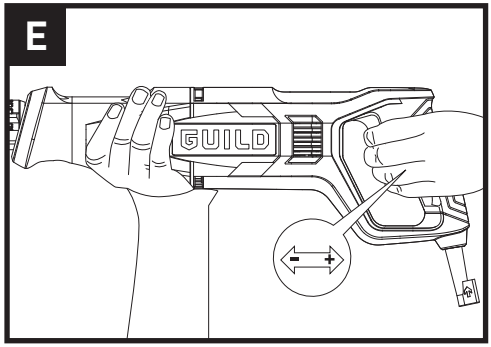
2. SWITCHING ON AND OFF (SEE FIG D)

Depress the On/Off switch (4) to start and release it to stop your tool. Depress the on/off switch (4) then the lock on button (5). Your tool is now locked on for continuous use. To switch off your tool just depress and release the on/off switch (4).

3. VARIABLE SPEED CONTROL (SEE FIG E)

The On/Off switch (4) is also a variable speed controlled trigger switch. The blade plunger stroke rate can be adjusted from the minimum to maximum by the pressure you apply to the On/Off switch. Apply more pressure to increase the speed and release pressure to decrease speed.





4. CUTTING INSTRUCTION

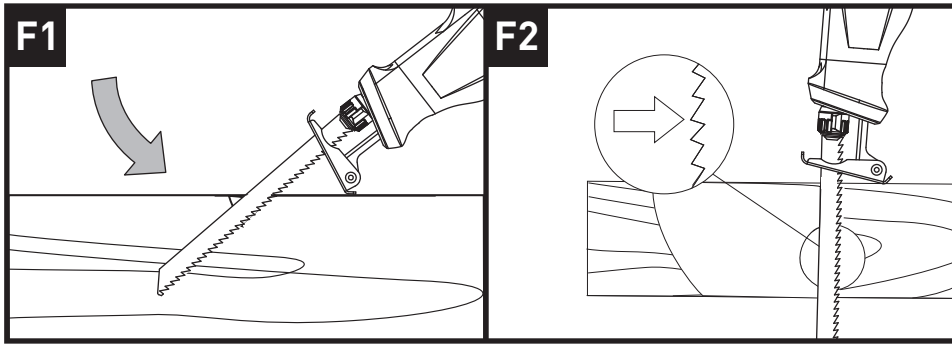
PLUNGE CUTTING (SEE FIG F1, F2)

WARNING: The plunge cutting procedure is only suitable for cutting soft materials such as wood, plaster board or similar! Do not work metal materials with the plunge cutting procedure!

Use only short saw blades for plunge cutting.

Place the tool with the edge of the pivoting foot plate (2) onto the workpiece and switch on. For power tools with stroke speed control, set the maximum stroke speed. Press the power tool firmly against the workpiece and allow the saw blade to slowly plunge into the workpiece.

As soon as the pivoting foot plate (2) fully lays on the surface of the workpiece, continue sawing alongside the desired cutting line. For certain work, the saw blade (1) can also be inserted turned through by 180° and the sabre saw can be guided accordingly in a reversed manner.



FLUSH CUTTING (SEE FIG G1, G2)

Pay attention that the saw blade always extends beyond the diameter of the material being worked. There is danger of kickback.

It is possible to make cuts extremely close to floors, walls and other difficult areas. Insert the blade shank into the blade clamp with the blade teeth facing up (opposite to normal working position). This will make cuts closer to the work surface. Using special flexible blades insert the blade into the blade clamp with the blade teeth facing down (normal working position). It will allow flush pipe cutting.

WOOD CUTTING

For easier control use low speed to start cutting, then increase to the correct speed.

METAL CUTTING

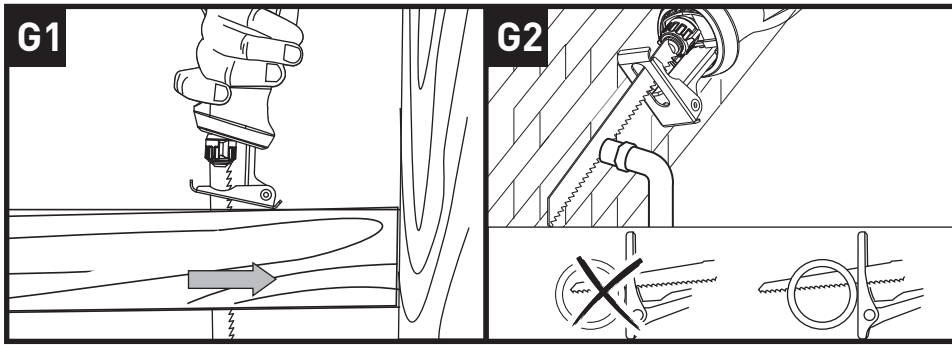
This saw has different metal cutting capacities depending upon the type of blade being used and metal being cut.

Use a finer blade for ferrous metals and a coarse blade for non-ferrous metals.

When cutting thin gauge sheet metals, **ALWAYS** clamp wood on both sides of the sheet. This will give you a clean cut without excess vibration or tearing of the metal.

DO NOT force the cutting blade. Forcing the blade will reduce blade life and cause the blade to break.

NOTE: We recommend that you spread a thin film of oil or other coolant along the line of cut ahead of the saw. This will allow easier operation and help extend blade life. When cutting aluminum, use kerosene.



Work Hints For Your Reciprocating Saw

If your power tool becomes too hot, set the speed to maximum and run a no load for 2-3 minutes to cool the motor.
Always ensure the work-piece is firmly held or clamped to prevent movement.
The blade guard must be held firmly against the material being cut to reduce saw vibration, blade jumping and blade breakage.

Maintenance

Remove the plug from the socket before carrying out any adjustment, servicing or maintenance.
There are no user serviceable parts in your power tool. Never use water or chemical cleaners to clean your power tool. Wipe clean with a dry cloth. Always store your power tool in a dry place. Keep the motor ventilation slots clean. Keep all working controls free of dust. Occasionally you may see sparks through the ventilation slots. This is normal and will not damage your power tool.
If the supply cord is damaged, it must be replaced by the manufacturer, its service agent or similarly qualified persons in order to avoid a hazard.

Technical Data

Technical Data Table

Rated Voltage	230V-240V ~ 50Hz
Rated Power	800W
Rated No-load speed	0-2700/min
Stroke length	20mm
Cutting capacity max.	
Wood	115mm
Steel	10mm
Plastic	15mm
Protection class	⧈/II
Machine weight	2.48kg

Noise Information

A weighted sound pressure L_{pA} : 89.0dB(A)
A weighted sound power L_{wA} : 100.0dB(A)
K_{pA} & K_{wA}=3.0dB(A)

Wear ear protection.

Vibration Information

Vibration total values (triax vector sum) determined according to EN 60745:	
Cutting boards	Vibration emission value $a_{h,B}$ = 18.16m/s^2
	Uncertainty K = 1.5m/s^2
Cutting wooden beams	Vibration emission value $a_{h,M}$ = 18.86m/s^2
	Uncertainty K = 1.5m/s^2

The declared vibration total value may be used for comparing one tool with another, and may also be used in a preliminary assessment of exposure.

WARNING: The vibration emission value during actual use of the power tool can differ from the declared value depending on the ways in which the tool is used dependant on the following examples and other variations on how the tool is used:
How the tool is used and the materials being cut .
The tool being in good condition and well maintained
The use the correct accessory for the tool and ensuring it is sharp and in good condition.
The tightness of the grip on the handles and if any anti vibration accessories are used.
And the tool is being used as intended by its design and these instructions.

This tool may cause hand-arm vibration syndrome if its use is not adequately managed

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WARNING: To be accurate, an estimation of exposure level in the actual conditions of use should also take account of all parts of the operating cycle such as the times when the tool is switched off and when it is running idle but not actually doing the job. This may significantly reduce the exposure level over the total working period.
Helping to minimize your vibration exposure risk.
Maintain this tool in accordance with these instructions and keep well lubricated (where appropriate)
If the tool is to be used regularly then invest in anti vibration accessories.
Avoid using tools in temperatures of 10^0C or less
Plan your work schedule to spread any high vibration tool use across a number of days.

Environmental Protection

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

Guarantee

This product is selected for DOMESTIC USE ONLY and not for business use.
This product is guaranteed against manufacturing defects for a period of 24 months. This does not cover the product where the fault is due to misuse, abuse, use in contravention of the instructions, or where the product has been the subject of unauthorised modifications or alterations, or has been the subject of commercial use. In the event of a problem with the product within the guarantee period please return it to your nearest store. If the item is shown to have an inherent defect present at the time of sale, the store will provide you with a replacement. Your statutory rights remain unaffected.

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Declaration of Conformity

This Guild 800W Reciprocating Saw model number PSR800G fully complies with the Machinery Directive 2006/42/EC, Electromagnetic Compatibility Directive 2004/108/EC(before 2016/04/20) and 2014/30/EC(since 2016/04/20), RoHS Directive 2011/65/EU and the following harmonized EU standards
EN 60745-2-11: 2010
EN 60745-1: 2009 + A11: 2010
EN 55014-1: 2006 + A1:2009 + A2:2011
EN 55014-2: 1997 + A1:2001 + A2:2008
EN 61000-3-2: 2014
EN 61000-3-3: 2013
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signed Luke Wong

Plug Replacement (Uk & Ireland Only)

If you need to replace the fitted plug then follow the instructions below.

IMPORTANT

The wires in the mains lead are colored in accordance with the following code:

Blue – Neutral

Brown – Live

As the colors of the wires in the mains lead of this appliance may not correspond with the coloured markings identifying the terminals in your plug, proceed as follows. The wire which is coloured blue must be connected to the terminal which is marked with N. The wire which is coloured brown must be connected to the terminal which is marked with L.

WARNING:

Never connect live or neutral wires to the earth terminal of the plug. Only fit an approved BS1363/A plug and the correct rated fuse.

Note: If a moulded plug is fitted and has to be removed take great care in disposing of the plug and severed cable, it must be destroyed to prevent engaging into a socket.