ST10 WALLPAPER STRIPPER OPERATION AND SAFETY GUIDE

Thankyou for hiring this professional ST10 Wallpaper Stripper.

You should read this entire Operation and Safety guide before you use the ST10 Wallpaper Stripper and you should restrict its use to persons who have read, understood and who will follow all warnings and instructions contained on this sheet. In addition, you should follow all warnings and instructions affixed to the ST10 Wallpaper Stripper.

RESIDUAL CURRENT DEVICE (RCD)

The British Standards Institute recommends that you connect the ST10 Wallpaper Stripper to the electricity power supply through an RCD Check your RCD every time you use it.

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

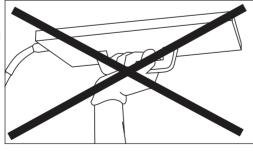
The safety of this appliance complies with current safety regulations and with applicable directives. Should you have any queries relating to the safe operation of this wallpaper stripper, please refer to your tool hire agent.

Please read these instructions carefully prior to using this product. There is a possible risk of personal injury if you fail to follow the advice laid down in this guide.

After use, ensure that these instructions are kept with the ST10 Wallpaper Stripper for future reference.

Essential safety instructions to note:

- 1. ST10 should only be used by a competent person who has read and understood these instructions. If in doubt, please refer to a suitably qualified person or your tool hire agent.
- 2. ST10 is a 230V only product.
- ST10 must not be modified in any way. Alterations of any description may invalidate the product warranty and technical approvals.
- 4. ST10 must only be used for its intended purpose.
- 5. ST10 must not be used in an operating area where children and pets are present.
- 6. ST10 steam
 plate must
 never be used
 directly above
 the operator
 or anyone
 else in the
 operating
 area. Always



stepladders or trestles and battens when needed – do not over reach.

- ST10 pressure relief cap must be removed slowly when refilling (see point 13 on 'Operation and Use')
- 8. ST10 must always be filled with cold water.
- 9. BOTH HOT WATER AND STEAM CAN SERIOUSLY SCALD!!

Further safety instructions to note:

1. Never use this equipment if you are feeling ill, tired, or under

the influence of alcohol or drugs.

- 2. Always switch OFF and unplug the ST10 when not in use.
- 3. Always unplug the ST10 from the power supply before moving or repositioning it.
- 4. Do not remove the pressure relief cap during operation.
- 5. Always ensure that the ST10 has cooled completely prior to cleaning or storing
- Make sure that you know how to switch the ST10 OFF before you switch it ON.
- 7. Keep power cord out of harms way and clear of work area.
- 8. Take care when using steam hose in confined areas that it does not become entangled and cause a hazard.
- 9. Keep the ST10 dry wherever possible.
- 10. Never leave the ST10 switched on without supervision.
- 11. Do not use the ST10 if the power cord appears to be damaged. Return to tool hire agent for replacement cord or unit.
- 12. Do not unplug the ST10 by pulling on the power cord.

Advised safety wear when using the ST10 Wallpaper Stripper:

- Gloves (preferably rubber)
- Goggles
- Overalls
- Boots

Other optional tools that may be required:

- Perforator
- Stepladders
- Trestles and battens

Most of the above items are also available for hire. Please ask when collecting your ST10 Wallpaper Stripper.

HOW TO USE THE ST10 WALLPAPER STRIPPER

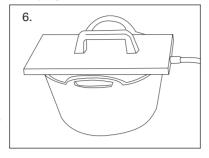
Preparation of work area:

- 1. Ensure operating area and other surfaces are clear of obstacles and obstructions.
- 2. Ensure that unmovable remaining damageable areas and surfaces, i.e. large pieces of furniture, fire hearths, carpets etc. have been protected using suitable covering.
- Although on castors, ST10 steam tank and steam hose may get hot during operation. Ensure that surfaces they are resting on are well protected with suitable covering.
- 4. Where possible open windows for ventilation to allow excess steam to escape.

Operation and Use:

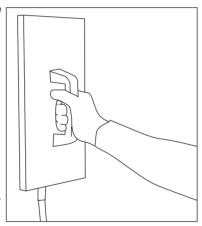
- 1. ST10 must be positioned on a suitable even 'protected from damage' surface.
- 2. Un-clip the 2 side locking clips holding steam plate/lid on

- ST10 tank.
- 3. Remove steam plate/lid, unravel and remove the steam hose and power cord from its storage position.
- 4. Remove pressure relief cap.
- 5. Using a measuring jug carefully fill the empty steamer tank with a maximum of 6 litres of clean cold water (using a funnel if possible) leaving approx. 4cm airspace in tank, Do not over fill. Dry off any spilled water and replace pressure relief cap ensuring that it is fully tightened.
- Place steam plate face down over a large plastic bowl or similar container. (see opposite)
- Making sure hands are dry, plug power cord into 230V power supply (use of an RCD is recommended). If an



extension cable is needed, 2.5mm industrial grade cable must be used (ensure that extension cable is fully uncoiled). Switch ON using socket switch.

- 8. Allow 15 to 20 minutes for full steam pressure to be reached.
- 9. Once full steam pressure has been reached (you will know this when steam is being emitted from the steam plate at a constant rate) using a sturdy safely positioned stepladder or trestles with battens, apply steam plate to wall at shoulder height at ceiling level and work downwards. Do not over reach.

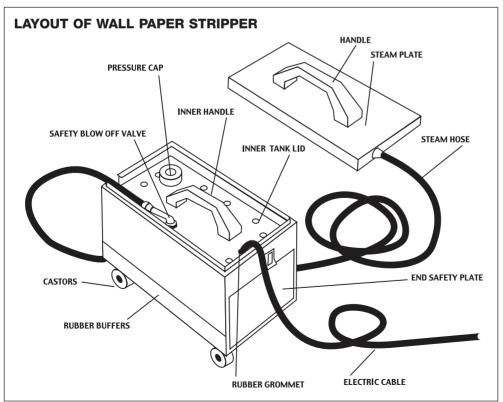


- 10. Using a suitable tool, i.e. scraper, remove loose wallpaper.
- 11. If wallpaper is difficult to remove, use perforator to penetrate wallpaper and apply steam plate again.
- 12. If removing wallpaper or artex from ceiling do not operate with steam plate directly overhead. Use stepladders or trestles and battens and work at arms length away from body and head.
- 13. ST10 Wallpaper Stripper is fitted with a highly efficient thermal cut out switch which will automatically switch the machine off once the water level is insufficient (which is normally after 60-80 minutes of constant use). Once this has occurred, switch OFF and remove the plug from the power supply and wearing gloves slowly remove the pressure relief cap allowing the pressure to reduce.
- 14. Repeat points 5 to 9 inc. to continue use.
- 15. If a large section is to be stripped then refill with cold water approx. every 45 minutes to save re-heating time (ensure that details in points 5 to 9 inc. and 13 are adhered to).
- 16. Upon completion of period of use or on leaving the room, switch OFF ST10 at the power supply and disconnect power cord from power supply.

Storage and Cleaning Advice:

- 1. Leave ST10 to cool for approx. 2 to 3 hours.
- 2. Carefully remove pressure relief cap and empty tank of any remaining water.
- 3. Wipe clean with a damp cloth and leave to dry. Do not use any cleaning agents or chemicals.
- 4. Re-coil power cord and steam hose onto top of tank, re-fit lid and lock down the 2 side locking clips.
- Either place in a dry place of storage or return to your hire agent.

Please clean the ST10 before returning, you may be charged for returning dirty equipment. Thankyou.



Specifications:

Model: ST10

Input voltage: 220-240V AC~50Hz

50Hz rating 2.4kW Tank size: 7 litres

Approx max

steam time: 80 minutes

Max flash

test setting: 1500V