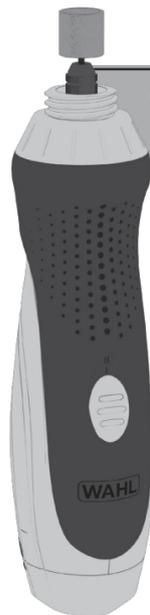




Grind, Trim, Smooth

Operating Instructions for 2-Speed Battery Trimmer Nail Grinder and Rechargeable Nail Grinder



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IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

When using an electrical appliance, basic precautions should always be followed, including the following: Read all instructions before using this appliance.

READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS AND SAFEGUARDS BEFORE USING THIS GRINDER.

DANGER

To reduce the risk of death or injury by electric shock:

- 1. Do not reach for nail grinder if it has fallen into water.
2. This appliance can be used by children aged from 14 years and above and persons with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities or lack of experience and knowledge if they have been given supervision or instruction, by a person responsible for their safety, concerning the use of the appliance in a safe way and understand the hazards involved.

- 3. Do not place or store nail grinder where it can fall or be pulled into a tub or sink. Do not place in or drop into water or other liquid.

WARNING

To reduce the risk of burns, electrical shock or injury to persons:

- 1. Use this appliance only for its intended use as described in this manual. Do not use attachments not recommended by the manufacturer.
2. Turn unit off before adding or removing attachments
3. Never operate nail grinder if it is not working properly, if it has been dropped or damaged, or dropped into water. Return to an Authorized Service Center for examination or repair.
5. Do not use outdoors or operate where aerosol (spray) or other flammable products are being used or where oxygen is being administered.
6. Do not touch the collet or attachment after use. These may be hot and cause burns to the skin.
7. Move the switch to the off, or "O" position, then remove the batteries.
8. Clean the nail grinder's air vents with compressed air on a regular basis. Material

may accumulate inside the grinder and cause electrical failure.

- 9. Always wear safety glasses when using nail grinder. Do not wear loose jewelry or clothing when in use. Keep long hair pulled back out of work area.

- 10. Do not allow animal to lick or touch the nail grinder during use.

- 11. Make sure attachments are securely in place before use. Before each use, check that the sanding drum is sufficiently expanded to secure the sanding band during use. If sanding band is loose during operation, it may be ejected from grinder and cause injury.

- 12. During use, do not place or leave appliance where it may be (1) damaged by an animal or (2) exposed to the weather.

- 13. Do not over-grind or apply excessive pressure. (See FIG.1 'Nail Anatomy' for further information to safely grind your pets nails.)

- 14. Keep this appliance dry.

- 15. With the exception of attachments (grinding drum sanding bands & stone), nail grinder does not have user-serviceable parts. Any maintenance not explained in this manual should be preformed by Wahl Repair Service & Repair.

SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS THIS PRODUCT IS INTENDED FOR HOME USE

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS:

- Using your thumb, apply light to moderate pressure to the animal's pads in order to separate their toes. Hold paw firmly.
- Turn grinder "ON". The "ON/OFF" switch is located on the front of the grinder.

- For best results, start grinding from the bottom of the nail, slowly moving toward the tip. Apply consistent pressure, moving the grinder from side to side of each nail

- To avoid tangling of hair on long-haired breed dogs, push hair away from pet's paw before applying the grinder. (Tip: Use a small nylon stocking or sock over the pet's paw and push the nails through a hole at the end to ensure only the nails are exposed.)

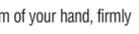
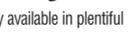
- For larger dogs, position the front paw forward in order to grind nails.

- For smaller dogs, hold their paw up and position it below their body. Pay extra caution not to entangle hair.

HOW TO TRIM

Keep your pet's nails trimmed properly for greater comfort and well being

- Make sure the dog is relaxed and comfortable.
- Have the dog sit and talk to him/her softly to keep them calm.
- Always include a favorite treat during the session and at the end.
- Have a styptic powder or cornstarch readily available in plentiful amount.
- Grasp the foot from the ankle up in the palm of your hand, firmly but gently.



- Position the grinder under the nail.
- Trim off a little of each nail. Be sure to avoid trimming into the 'quick'.

-If bleeding occurs, use styptic powder or cornstarch to stop the bleeding.

NAIL ANATOMY:

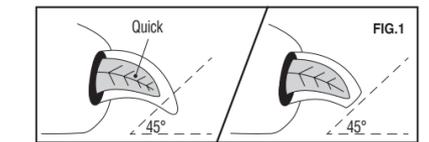
- Before you begin trimming your pet's nails, you will need to identify the 'quick' of the nail. The diagram (FIG.1) will help you identify the basic nail anatomy. The outer nail is hard and has no nerve endings and protects the inner soft part of the nail, known as the 'quick'. The quick has nerve endings, tiny blood vessels and is very sensitive should you accidentally cut or grind into it.

With lighter colored nails, the quick can usually be seen which will make it easier to avoid while grinding. Dark colored nails may not allow you to see where the quick is. While grinding, keep checking the nail and watch for a dark spot in the middle of the grinding area. This spot will indicate the start of the quick and that you should not grind any further.

Please also reference the diagram for the appropriate angle for trimming the nail.

WHAT TO DO IF ACCIDENTALLY HIT THE QUICK:

If by chance you happen to hit the quick of a nail and the nail starts to bleed, don't allow your dog to wrench away from you and run around. Hold him firm and reassure him that you know it hurts, your pet trusts you. You also need



to get styptic or corn starch onto the end of the nail. Simply keep the original grasp you had on the paw and press the powder to the end of the nail until the bleeding stops. You may have to keep packing powder for two to three minutes, but the longer you are able to apply steady pressure, the more effectively you will stop the bleeding. Don't be concerned if your dog wants to lick the wound after initial bleeding stops. Do keep him from prancing about for at least fifteen minutes. Bleeding should stop within 15 minutes, if the nail is bleeding freely after 30 minutes of applying pressure and powder call your veterinarian.

CHANGING ATTACHMENTS:

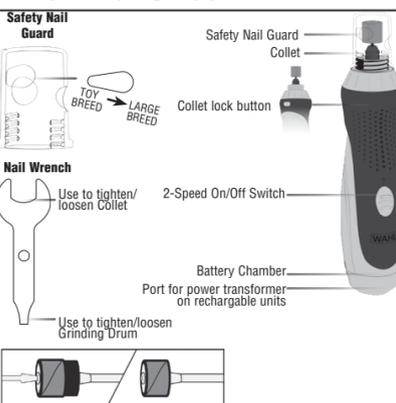
- Ensure grinder is in the "OFF" or "O" position before changing attachments.
- Unscrew the protective cap
- Press Collet Lock and use provided wrench turning it counter clockwise. Doing so will open up collet. If there is already an attachment (Drum or stone) in collet, opening it will allow it to be easily removed by gently pulling on stem. Insert stem of grinding stone or sanding drum into collet and tighten by turning wrench clockwise.

APPLYING SANDING BANDS TO GRINDING DRUM:

- Select either the 60 or 100 grit sanding band (60 grit medium sanding band for quick and efficient grinding down of your pet's nail; 100 grit fine sanding band for smoothing uneven rough nails.)
- While pressing the collet lock to keep shaft from turning, firmly, loosen the single screw on the top of the grinding drum by turning the screw counter clockwise.
- Slide off the sanding band and replace with a new sanding band.
- Retighten the screw on top of the grinding drum. This will allow the drum to expand, creating the perfect fit.
- Screw on the protective cap



Understanding Your Wahl® Nail Grinder



Stones & Bands

- Grinding Stone with Concave Top - Long lasting grinding attachment. Ideal for grinding and rounding of nails.
- Course Grinding Bands - Quickly grind down bulk of nail
- Fine Grinding Band - Smooths rough edges

For replacement attachments call 800-767-WAHL (9245) or visit www.WahlUSA.com

Getting Started - Quick Start Guide

Prepping the Nail Grinder

- Make sure unit has a set of fresh batteries or if rechargeable, unit is fully charged
- Install Grinding Drum & Band
- Pressing Collet Lock Button found on back, while using the wrench supplied in kit, turn wrench counter clockwise to loosen Collet.

- Insert Grinding Drum or Stone all the way down.
- Tighten the Collet (turning wrench clockwise) until it is tight. Check to make sure drum is secured in the Collet. Do not overtighten.

- Select either the 60 or 120 grit sanding band (60 grit medium sanding band for quick and efficient grinding down of your pet's nail; 120 grit fine sanding band for smoothing uneven rough nails.)

- Place the sanding band over the grinding drum until it is in place (please note, you will find it sits loosely over the grinding drum). While pressing the collet lock button to keep shaft from turning, use a screw driver at the top of the grinding drum. Screwing it in a clockwise direction will allow the drum to expand, creating the perfect fit for the band.

- Verify Grind Band is pushed down all the way to eliminate rubbing on the safety guard preventing it from spinning

Trimming Pet's Nails

- Screw Safety Nail Guard back on top. This is only used with the Grinding Bands
- Checking the nail each time you file to be sure you are taking off one layer at a time.

- Stop when you get close to the Quick. You will see the Quick begin to appear when you look at the nail head on.

- 4. To round the tip of the nail, use the Grinding Stone. Gently run the nail in the top concave area as shown to round out edges and ridges.

Take pet's paw and gently squeeze the nail between the thumb and pointer finger to extract nail. Turn grinder "ON". The "ON/OFF" switch is located on the front of the grinder. Start with 1st Speed.

Pull hair back from hair area. Always keep hair away from spinning parts. If hair is accidentally caught in spinning drum, immediately turn power OFF and untangle hair.

- 2. Slide nail into hole on safety guard according to where it fits best.

It is possible to not use the guard but caution must always be taken. Begin filing each nail for no more than 2-4 seconds at a time. Alternate between each nail - NEVER trim a nail completely at a time.

MAINTENANCE

- After each use, remove any debris and dust from grinder by using a soft brush.

- To clean housing, use a soft, dry cloth.

Note: Certain cleaning agents and solvents can damage plastic parts. Use only a water-moistened cloth when wiping plastic housing.

- For maximum efficiency, ensure grinding attachments and sanding bands are properly replaced when worn or blunt.

- Periodically examine tool for any wear or damage. See Service and Repair.

- To order replacement accessories, please contact Wahl at 1-800-767-9245 or purchase from our website www.WahlUSA.com

SERVICE AND REPAIR

-This appliance contains no user-serviceable parts.

- Any servicing should be done by Wahl Service and Repair or by an Authorized Service Center.

-Do not return this product to the store where purchased. If you have problems with your unit, send it prepaid with a note explaining the problem to:

Wahl Clipper Corporation
Attn: Service Department
3001 Locust Street
Sterling, Illinois 61081

1-800-767-9245 or visit www.wahlusa.com

HOW TO CHANGE THE BATTERIES

- When the battery is low, the speed of the unit will be slower. This means it is time to change your batteries.

- Please make sure the grinder is in the "OFF", or "O", position before changing batteries.

-The battery door is located on the bottom of the grinder. Hold the unit with one hand and unscrew the bottom cap (battery door) with the other hand. Twist door counter clockwise, lining up the arrow and the symbol. You will feel it click into place, then pull two pieces apart.

-Once 4AA Alkaline batteries are placed within the shaft of the grinder, replace the bottom cap by screwing clockwise and line up the arrow with the symbol.

- To place batteries in correctly, look for the + and - symbols on the bottom of the unit.

