ELBLOW ELECTRIC VACUUM / BLOWER INSTRUCTION MANUAL



READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS AND WARNINGS BEFORE USING THIS PRODUCT.

This manual provides important information on proper operation & maintenance. Every effort has been made to ensure the accuracy of this manual. These instructions are not meant to cover every possible condition and situation that may occur. We reserve the right to change this product at any time without prior notice.

IF THERE IS ANY QUESTION ABOUT A CONDITION BEING SAFE OR UNSAFE, DO NOT OPERATE THIS PRODUCT!

HAVE QUESTIONS OR PROBLEMS? CONTACT CUSTOMER SERVICE FIRST.

If you experience a problem or need parts for this product, visit our website <u>http://www.buffalotools.com</u> or call our customer help line at **636-532-9888**, **Monday-Friday**, **8 AM - 4 PM Central Time**. A copy of the sales receipt is required.

FOR CONSUMER USE ONLY - NOT FOR PROFESSIONAL USE.

KEEP THIS MANUAL, SALES RECEIPT & APPLICABLE WARRANTY FOR FUTURE REFERENCE.

IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS – SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

WORK AREA

A WARNING

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

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

ELECTRICAL SAFETY

A WARNING

Double insulated tools are equipped with a polarized plug (one blade is wider than the other.) This plug will fit in a polarized outlet only one way. If the plug does not fit fully in the outlet, reverse the plug. If it still does not fit, contact a qualified electrician to install a polarized outlet. Do not change the plug in any way. Double insulation eliminates the need for the three wire grounded power cord and grounded power supply system.

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

Do not abuse the cord. Never use the cord to carry the tool or pull the plug from an outlet. Keep the cord away from heat, oil, sharp edges, or moving parts. Replace damaged cords immediately. Damaged cords increase the risk of electric shock.

When operating the tool outside, use an outdoor extension cord marked "WA" or "W." These cords are rated for outdoor use and reduce the risk of electric shock. Make sure the extension cord being used is in good condition. If there are any cuts or nicks (no matter how deep) in the insulation, DO NOT use that cord. Also, make sure the extension cord is heavy enough to carry the current needed. DO NOT use small "around-the-house" lamp extension cords. These cords can easily overheat and/or catch fire when used with power tools.

TOOL USE & CARE

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Do not use the tool if the power switch does not turn it "ON" or "OFF". Any tool that cannot be controlled with the switch is dangerous and must be repaired.

Disconnect the power cord plug from the power source before making any adjustments, changing accessories or storing the tool. Such preventive safety measures reduce the risk of starting the tool accidentally.

Store idle tools out of reach of children and other untrained persons. Tools are dangerous in the hands of untrained users.

🛦 DANGER

People with pacemakers or other electronic devices should consult with a physician before operating this product. Interruption or failure of the pacemaker could occur when electrical equipment is operated within close proximity of electrical devices.

A WARNING

Do not operate power tools in the presence of flammable liquids, gas, or dust. Sparks created from the power tool could ignite flammable materials.

A WARNING

This power tool is equipped with a polarized plug, meaning one blade is wider than the other and is designed to fit into a standard polarized outlet. The plug will fit into polarized outlets only one way. DO NOT FORCE THE PLUG INTO THE OUTLET! If the plug does not fit, a polarized outlet may need to be installed by a qualified electrician.

A WARNING

Keep the power cord in good condition, and replace damaged cords immediately. Do not use the cord to pull the plug from the outlet. Keep the cord away from materials and surfaces that could damage cords. The risk of electric shock increases when the power cord is damaged.

A WARNING

Always use the appropriate extension cord, making sure it is rated for use with power tools. Always be sure the extension cords are in good condition, free of cuts or nicks in the insulation. If using the power tool in an outside area with an extension cord, make sure the cord is rated for outdoor use.

A WARNING

Do not make contact with a grounded surface while using this power tool. Contact with surfaces like pipes, radiators or major appliances increases your risk of electric shock.

A WARNING

Use common sense while operating this power tool.

Do not use this tool if you are:

- Feeling tired or are under the influence of alcohol or drugs.
- Wearing loose clothing or jewelry. Keep long hair pulled back and away from moving parts.
- Overreaching or have improper footing. Handling the tool in this way could cause serious injury.

When using this power tool always:

- Wear the proper safety equipment, such as safety goggles, dust masks, non-skid shoes, etc.
- · Check to be sure the power switch is in the "OFF" position before plugging the power tool into an electrical outlet.



PRODUCT USAGE



1. Attach the Quick Connect Flexible Outlet Hose to the unit. Then insert attach the Plastic Nozzle. (The Quick Connect Rubber Nozzle only attaches directly to the vacuum/blower).



2. Locate the Power Trigger (Switch Button under the grip), and the Lock Button (on the side). The Lock Button will provide continuous power without continuously holding the Power Trigger. Use the Variable Speed Wheel to control and adjust suction/blow intensity of the vacuum / blower.



3. Over time, the carbon brush may need to be replaced. Use a screwdriver to remove cap and replace the brush. Discard old brush.



Unit without nozzle or hose attached.



Unit with hose attached. You can also attach plastic nozzle to end of hose.



Unit with rubber nozzle attached.



Rotate to allow port to OPEN and the unit will become Blower.



Rotate to allow port to CLOSE and the unit will become Vacuum.



Unlock hinge to allow bag removal.



The flange will allow the bag to lock in place.

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