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INSTRUCTION BOOK

Battery/Battery Pack Clipper

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Introduction

Your Wolseley clipper has a 2 year guarantee. Please make sure that you complete and return the Guarantee Registration Card or register online at www.wolseleygrooming.co.uk within 30 days of purchase otherwise your guarantee will not be valid.

This Instruction Book is to advise you on the correct use and maintenance of your new clipper. For information on clipping a horse please consult the Wolseley Clipping Guide.

If you have any queries concerning your clipper not covered by this Instruction Book please contact our specialist in-house service department.

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1. Safety

Clipping animals can be dangerous and it is advised that you take all possible safety precautions.

In particular:

- Keep your clipper out of the reach of children at all times.
- Switch off your clipper whenever you are carrying out cleaning or maintenance, changing your clipper blades, or whenever your clipper is not in use.
- Regularly check your battery leads, connectors and clipper for damage. (For Servicing and Repairs please see Section 6, page 11).
- Make sure that no objects enter into the ventilation slot of the battery charger or the battery pack adaptor.
- The battery pack should not be charged from an electric generator.
- Wear protective footwear, steel capped and rubber soled, a hard hat is also advised.
- Avoid using long cable leads which you may trip over or the horse may stand on.
- Have an experienced assistant to hold the animal and to generally assist you.

2. Parts

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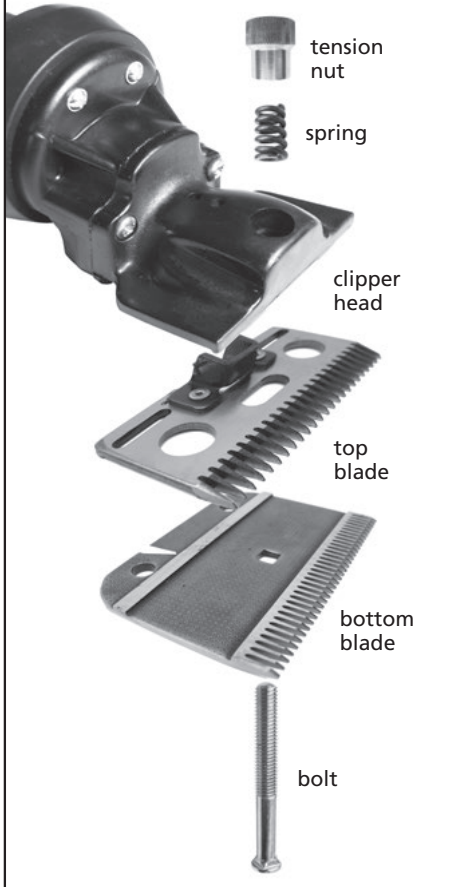


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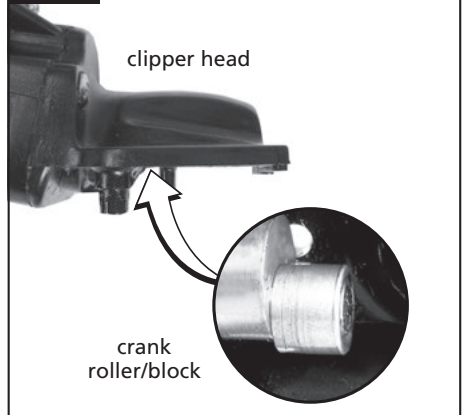


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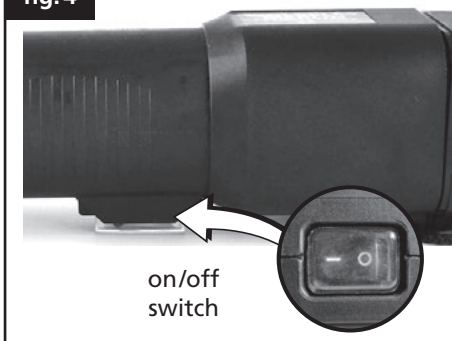


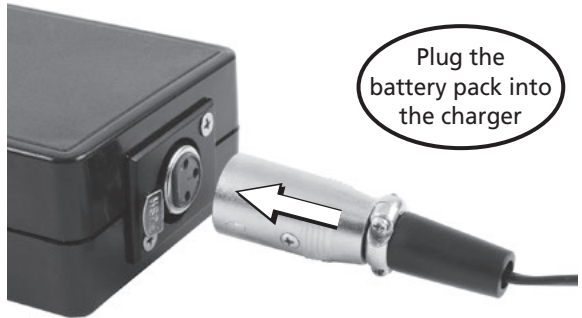
fig. 5



3. Charging the Battery Pack/Battery

A. Battery Pack

- Before using your clipper you will need to charge the battery pack by connecting it to the charger and then plugging the charger into the mains supply.



- The LED light indicator on the charger will show the different charge modes (see table below). The light will be yellow at first and then turn to orange as it starts charging. As the battery pack reaches full charge the light will turn to green with intermittent flashes of yellow (top-off charge mode), and once it is fully charged, the light will turn to green only.



- It is not recommended to leave the battery pack charging for longer than 24 hours.
- To avoid damaging your battery pack by overcharging it there is a safety fuse which will cut off the power. If the charger detects a fault, an intermittent green and orange light will indicate the error. To reset the charger disconnect and then reconnect the power supply.
- A full charge takes 4½ hours but a new battery pack will not reach full charge until it has been fully charged and discharged approximately 5 times. This means that initially the clipping time maybe reduced until the battery pack has been charged sufficient times to reach full capacity.

Led Light Indicators and Charge Cycle

LED	MODE
Yellow	Battery initialisation
Orange	Fast charge
Green with intermittent yellow flash	Top-off charge
Green	Fully charged / Trickle charge
Alternating orange/green	Error

- Once charged disconnect the battery pack from the charger and the charger from the mains supply.



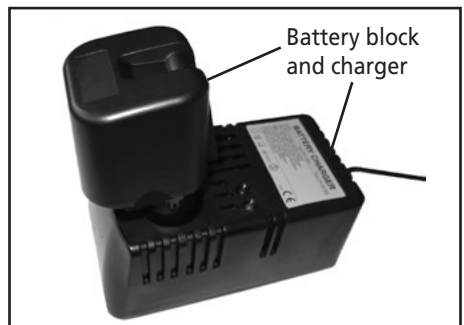
- To clip connect the clipper lead to the battery pack. Place the battery pack into the bag provided and attach the bag to your belt or place the strap over your shoulder. Alternatively you may prefer to secure the battery pack in your pocket.
- A full charge lasts approximately 3½ hours. The clipper speed will noticeably reduce when the battery pack requires recharging. You will then need to stop clipping and recharge it.

NOTE

- “Topping up” your battery pack by partial charging and discharging will not cause any damage. The amount of power “topped-up” will be proportionate to the amount of time charged.
- The charger is designed for indoor use only and should be kept dry at all times.
- The battery pack will gradually lose its charge over long periods of time and will therefore need fully recharging after storage.

B. Battery

- Before using your battery clipper you will need to charge the battery.
- Remove the battery block from the clipper casing by pushing the metal clamps back and pulling the battery block out.
- Place the battery block into the charger and plug it into the mains.
- Once fully charged (approximately 2 hours) insert the battery block into the clipper casing and secure by closing the metal clamps. They should click into place
- The battery charge can be topped up at any time.
- Never force the battery block into the clipper casing.



4. Preparation and Use of your Clipper

A. Choose the correct Wolseley Clipper Blades

- To achieve the best clip it is essential to choose the correct Wolseley clipper blades.
- When choosing the most appropriate blades, you must consider;
 - (a) type of animal
 - (b) length of hair
 - (c) condition of coat
- Wolseley offer four types of clipping blades:
 - (i) **A2F Fine blades.** Clipping height 2mm. Use - veterinary surgical / freeze branding cattle.
 - (ii) **A2 Original blades.** Clipping height 2-3 mm. Use - horse / clean cattle.
 - (iii) **A6 Coarse Blades.** Clipping height 3mm. Use - horses with thick coats / cattle.
 - (iv) **A7 Extra Coarse Blades.** Clipping height 3-4mm. Use - coarse hair on cattle.
- If you are in doubt as to which Wolseley clipper blades to use, we advise that you consult your Wolseley dealer for more detailed information.
- **Always use Wolseley clipper blades on your Wolseley clipper.**

B. Tensioning the Clipper Blades

Your Wolseley clipper will arrive with the clipper blades on. To tension them correctly:

- Turn on the clipper.
- Adjust the tension by turning the tension nut clockwise until you feel it start to tighten (see fig.6). **You will hear the motor begin to strain.**
- Loosen the blades by turning the tension nut anti-clockwise (approximately ½ turn) until you feel the blades loosen (see fig.7). **You will hear the motor begin to run freely.**
- Use the marker on the tension nut for a guide.
- You are now ready to clip.

fig.6

turn
tension
nut
clockwise
until tight

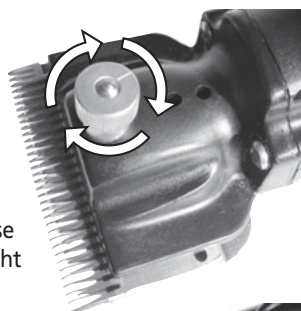
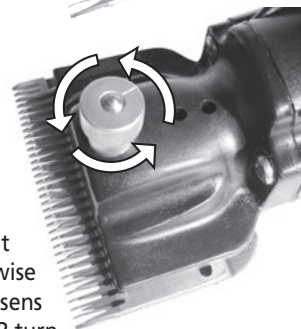


fig.7

turn the
tension nut
anti-clockwise
until it loosens
(approx 1/2 turn)



- You may need to adjust the tensioning whilst clipping if the blades become worn or if you are clipping a thick or dirty coat. Do this by turning the tension nut anti-clockwise ¼ turn each time until the blades start to clip properly again.
- It is important to correctly tension your clipper blades. If they are too loose they will not clip properly or they will clog. If they are too tight the blades will become blunt and may cause overheating.
- **Please note as a general rule the least tension you can use to clip the better.**

C. Oiling and Cleaning

Before Clipping

- Oil your clipper blades and motor by pouring a thin film of oil:-
 - into the opening on top of the clipper head (see fig.2, page 4).
 - onto the clipper blades.
 - between the clipper blades by turning the clipper head sideways.
- Switch on and run your clipper so that the oil spreads.
- Once the clipper blades are well lubricated, switch the clipper off and wipe away any excess oil with a clean dry cloth.

During Clipping

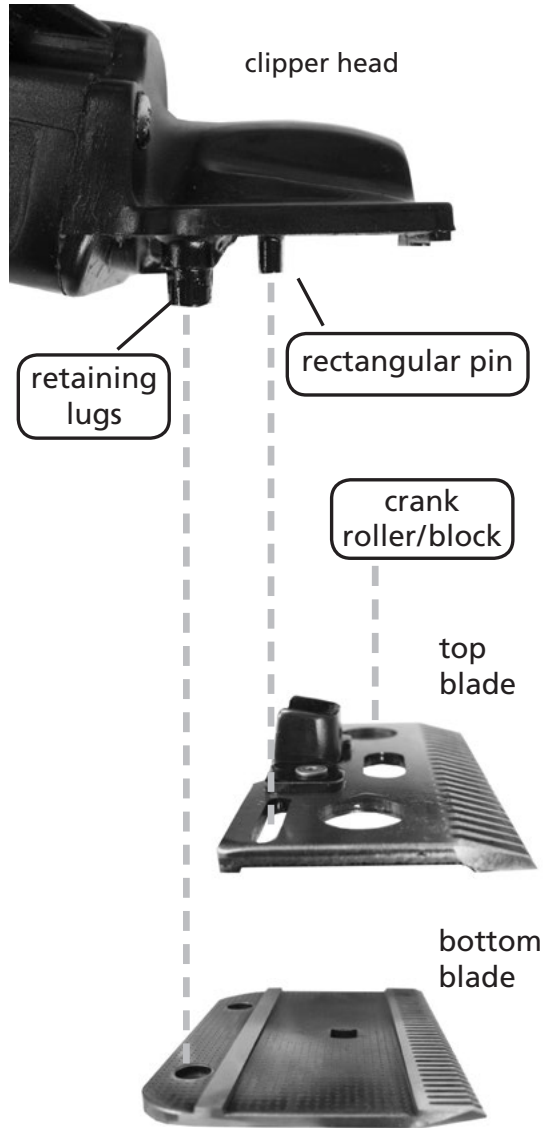
- Regularly brush off loose clipped hair from the blades using the clipper brush to prevent them getting clogged.
- Oil the blades and motor as above, approximately every 5-10 minutes, to stop the clipper blades running dry and the clipper motor overheating.
- **We recommend that you only use the specially formulated Wolseley clipping oil. Never use diesel or WD40 as this will damage your blades and your clipper.**



D. Changing your Wolseley Clipper Blades

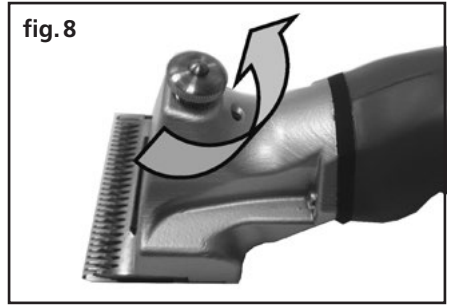
Battery Pack

- Switch off your clipper.
- Unscrew the tension nut and remove it together with the pin and the spring. Keep them in a safe place.
- Carefully remove the clipper blades and wipe each blade clean with dry cloth. Brush away any loose hair between the teeth of the clipper blades. Likewise clean the clipper head.
- To replace the blades fit the upper blade (i.e. the shorter one) on the rectangular pins on the clipper head. The crank roller/block (see fig.3, page 4) must fit into the socket of the top blade.
- Place the longer, lower blade onto the retaining lugs.
- Replace the tension pin and carefully holding the clipper blades and tension pin together turn the clipper over. Then replace the tension spring and nut and screw the clipper blades together until they begin to tighten.
- Before clipping, correctly tension and oil your clipper blades (see Section 4 paragraphs B & C).

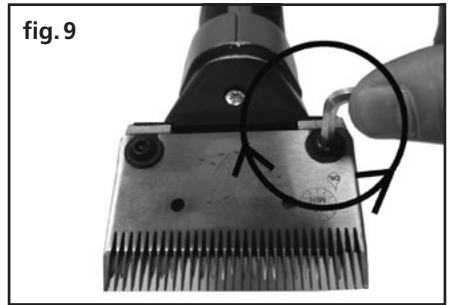


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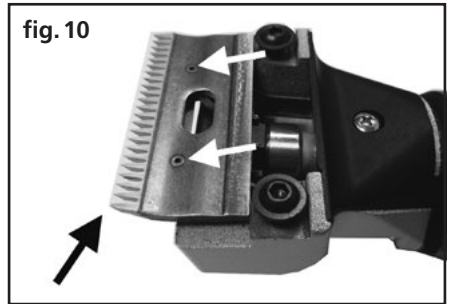
- Switch off your clipper.
- Loosen the tension screw by turning it anti-clockwise (see fig.8).



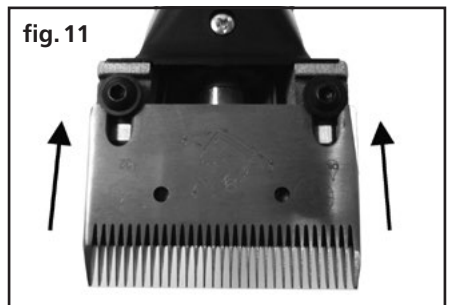
- Turn the clipper over and using the spanner provided loosen the two screws on either side of the bottom of the blade, then slide the bottom blade out and remove the top blade (see fig.9).



- Place the upper blade of the new set of blades on the tapered pins (see fig.10).



- Push the bottom blade between the loosened screws up to the rear buffer (see fig.11).
- Tighten the screws on the bottom of the blades with the spanner.
- Turn the clipper over and tension correctly (see Section 4 paragraph B).



Note:

Clipper blades are manufactured in pairs and should be used only with their correct pair.

5. Motor Overload Protection

- Your clipper has an automatic internal motor overload trip-switch to protect the clipper against damage from mechanical or electrical overloading.
- If the clipper is in danger of being damaged the internal mechanism will switch your clipper off.
- This is usually caused by over-tensioning, lack of oil, blunt blades, or a defective motor.
- **Switch off your clippers by the on/off switch**, identify and rectify the problem (e.g. check the tension, oil and clean the blades or change the blades for a sharper set).
- Once the problem is solved **switch your clipper back on by the on/off switch** and your clipper should start clipping again.
- If your clipper fails to start after you have switched the motor on having rectified any problems you will need to return them to the Wolseley Service Department for inspection.

6. Blade Sharpening, Clipper Servicing and Repairs

A. Blade Sharpening

- Your Wolseley clipper blades will need regularly re-sharpening by our specialist Wolseley Service Department.
- Blunt blades should be removed, cleaned, wrapped and placed in the blister pack provided.
- Using the envelope provided post the blades back to Wolseley Service Department. (please keep proof of postage).
- Alternately take the blades to your nearest Wolseley clipping services agent.

B. Clipper Servicing and Repairs

- Clippers should be serviced annually by our Wolseley Service Department to prolong their life and to ensure that they run smoothly.
- The service department can also carry out any repairs, which are guaranteed for 6 months.
- **Please note that all servicing and repairs should only be done by Wolseley otherwise your warranty will be invalidated.**

7. Frequent Clipping Questions

My blades won't cut

- Remove them and clean them as there may be hair between the blades.
- They maybe blunt and need replacing with a sharp set.
- The tension might be too slack - consult Section 4b to correctly tension.
- If there are lines showing on your horse you may not be overlapping adequately or there may be teeth missing from your blades.

My clipper won't start

- The internal motor switch may have tripped, see Section 5.
- Check the connector between the battery pack and clipper is firmly connected.
- Your battery pack/battery may need charging.

My machine is getting too hot

- Check the tensioning of the blades – over tensioning causes the motor to overheat.
- Ensure that the blades are properly oiled with the correct type of oil.

8. Maintenance and Storage

- When you have finished using the clipper remove the clipper blades, clean and oil them, and store in the Wolseley blade tin.
- Clean and oil the clipper head and store the clipper with the blades in the Wolseley case.
- Store in a dry place out of reach of children.

9. Disposal

- Please dispose of your clipper and battery pack in the correct manner at a registered recycling facility and not at a landfill site. (more information can be found at www.recyclenmore.co.uk).
- Alternatively, you can contact the retailer who sold you the product or Stockshop Wolseley directly, who will be able to help you dispose of the product.