

**Safety Notes and Operating Instructions  
Floor Sander - Models 848 and 849.**

N.B. Where possible a residual current circuit breaker ( R.C.C.B.) should be used with this machine.

**SAFETY NOTES.**

- A. Do not use the machine in damp conditions and do not expose it to rain.
- B. Always wear goggles and a face mask.
- C. Empty the dust collecting bag regularly, as the concoction of wood dust, paints, oils and varnishes is prone to combustion.
- D. Wood dust is easily ignited :-  
Do not smoke when using the machine.  
Ensure all nails are removed or punched below the surface to avoid sparks.  
Do not empty the dust on to an open fire.
- E. If the machine fails to operate do not attempt to repair it. It should be returned to the distributor.

**OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS.**

- A. Tilt the machine backwards and switch on.
- B. Lower the machine gently on to the floor and always keep it moving to prevent gouges.
- C. Close doors and open all windows to minimise the spread of dust.
- D. Never use the machine without sandpaper fitted.
- E. An edging sander, model E55, can be used to obtain very good results close to a skirting board.

- 1 What does R.C.C.B. stand for? \_\_\_\_\_
- 2 Why should you always wear goggles? \_\_\_\_\_
- 3 Why is wood dust very dangerous? \_\_\_\_\_
- 4 What should you not do if the machine fails to work? \_\_\_\_\_
- 5 Why should nails be punched below the surface or removed? \_\_\_\_\_

Choose one word which means **the same** or **almost the same** as the following.  
Underline your answer.

- 6 concoction                      paints    mixture    machine    sandpaper
- 7 combustion                      varnish    dust            ignition    dampness
- 8 What must be fitted to the machine every time it is used? \_\_\_\_\_
- 9 How can you let dust out of a room ? \_\_\_\_\_
- 10 What model number may be used to sand the edges of the floor? \_\_\_\_\_