

# **Diamond Core Drills**

CLARKE core drills are vibrationless when used as directed.

Core drills are used to form holes in, brick, concrete blocks, aerated blocks, asphalt, Cotswold stone and limestone.

A heavy duty drill with a  $\frac{1}{2}$ " chuck, low speed and high torque must be used with diamond core drills.

### **NEVER USE HAMMER ACTION WITH DIAMOND CORE DRILLS**

#### **NOTE**

All core drills larger than 28mm must be used with an arbor and pilot/guide drill, these are sold separately and can be purchased from your nearest Clarke dealer



### **CLARKE GUARANTEE**

This CLARKE product is guaranteed against faulty manufacture for a period of 12 months from the date of purchase. Please keep your receipt as proof of purchase.

This guarantee is invalid if the product is found to have been abused or tampered with in any way, or not used for the purpose for which it was intended.

Faulty goods should be returned to their place of purchase, no product can be returned to us without prior permission.

This guarantee does not effect your statutory rights.

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# SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

For your own safety and that of others around you, please read and observe these safety instructions.

- 1. **ALWAYS** Learn the machines' applications, limitations and the specific potential hazards peculiar to it. Read and become familiar with the entire operating manual.
- 2. ALWAYS wear good quality industrial gloves.
- 3. **ALWAYS** wear safety goggles, manufactured to the latest European Safety Standards. Everyday eyeglasses do not have impact resistant lenses, they are not safety glasses.
- 4. ALWAYS wear a suitable dust mask.
- 5. **ALWAYS** disconnect the tool/machine from the power supply before servicing and when changing accessories.
- 6. ALWAYS check for damage. Before using the machine, any damaged part, should be checked to ensure that it will operate properly, and perform its intended function. Check for alignment of moving parts, breakage of parts, mountings, and any other condition that may affect the machines' operation. Any damage should be properly repaired or the part replaced. If in doubt, **DO NOT** use the machine. Consult your local dealer.
- 7. ALWAYS keep work area clean. Cluttered areas and benches invite accidents.
- 8. **ALWAYS** ensure that adequate lighting is available. A minimum intensity of 300 lux should be provided. Ensure that lighting is placed so that you will not be working in your own shadow.
- 9. **ALWAYS** keep children away. All visitors should be kept a safe distance from the work area, especially whilst operating the machine.
- 10. **ALWAYS** maintain machine in top condition. Keep tools/machines clean for the best and safest performance. Follow maintenance instructions.
- 11. **ALWAYS** handle with extreme care do not carry the tool/machine by its' electric cable, or yank the cable to disconnect it from the power supply.
- 11. ALWAYS ensure the switch is off before plugging in to mains. Avoid accidental starting.
- 12. **ALWAYS** concentrate on the job in hand, no matter how trivial it may seem. Be aware that accidents are caused by carelessness due to familiarity.
- 13. **ALWAYS** keep your proper footing and balance at all times don't overreach. For best footing, wear rubber soled footwear, keep floor clear of oil, scrap wood, etc.

## **Directions For Use**

- 1. Insert core drill into chuck and tighten securely.
- 2. With drill set to a reasonably slow speed, plug in and switch ON.
- 3. Slowly offer core drill to wall etc to be drilled until it touches, using a steady pressure, push drill into surface, DO NOT FORCE, allow the drill to do the work. It may be necessary to adjust the speed to suit the size of drill and the material being cut.
  - AS A GENERAL GUIDE ONLY, the larger the drill, the slower the speed required, also the harder the material being cut, the slower the speed.
- 4. To ensure the core drill doesn't bind, occasionally withdraw it from the hole whilst it is still turning to clear any waste, keep repeating this process until the hole is finished.
- 5. When finished turn the drill OFF and unplug from the main electric supply.
- 6. Remove core dril and store safely for later use.

#### **!!! CAUTION !!!**

When using core drills, ensure a firm grip at all times on the machine to prevent the drill being snatched from your hands in the event of a jam. Jaming can be caused for various reasons, such as small pieces of brick etc breaking off an wedging the core drill in the hole.