

JOINTER Safe Operating Procedure Updated October 19, 2022 Page 1 of 1

Hazards	cuts, electrical
Tools/Equipment	push block
Employee Group(s)	Facilities Management – Carpentry

Required PPE:









Safety Shoes

Ear Protection

Eye Protection

Gloves

SAFE WORK PRACTICES

- Do not perform the procedure or operate the equipment until you have been appropriately trained and authorized to do so by your supervisor.
- Inspect required personal protective equipment (PPE) and replace if required.
- Do not wear loose-fitting clothing, dangling jewelry, etc.

PROCEDURE

- 1. Knives of cutter must not exceed beyond the body of the head more than 3.2 mm.
- 2. Cutterhead of left side must be guarded to the size of the stock.
- 3. Hands should be kept as high as possible on the side of the stock.
- 4. Stock that has loose knots, splits, metal or sones should not be jointed.
- 5. Always use a push block for thin material.
- 6. Allow cutterhead to come to full speed before jointing.
- 7. Stand beside machine, not in the front.
- 8. Do not leave jointer until cutterhead has come to a complete stop.
- 9. Return depth to cut at 1 mm when you are finished.
- 10. Clean up the work area.