



Electric Uncapping Plane Instructions



When operating the electrically heated Maxant Uncapping Plane, the sore, tired wrist, so often experienced with uncapping knives is practically eliminated, because the wrist is not compelled to work up and down. The Maxant plane operates horizontally, which is the natural motion for the wrist. With a slight sideways motion, along with the horizontal pull across the surface of the comb. This will ensure a nice clean cut.

Your Maxant Uncapping Plane comes with a allen wrench to allow for adjustment of the copper blade. To adjust, simply loosen the 3 bolts and slide in or out to your desired cutting depth.

When being used, the 200W heating element will heat the plane to approximately 145 degrees fahrenheit, in about 3 minutes it will reach a higher temperature. This blade will become very hot when not in use. Thus the danger of overheating and shortening the life of the element can and should be appreciated.

While working with cold honey, the temperature of the plane will be relative to the amount of work being done, as cold honey will hold down the heat.

Large producers with continuous usage will have little need to check the heat. Those with thin combs and little cappings to remove, or sporadic uncapping should unplug if not uncapping within the next 5 minutes.



Replacement elements and copper blades are always available for immediate shipment.

NOTE: ON 220/240 VOLT PLEASE CUT OFF 110V PLUG AND INSTALL YOUR OWN 220V PLUG IF NOT ALREADY DONE SO.

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