

# SABER SAW

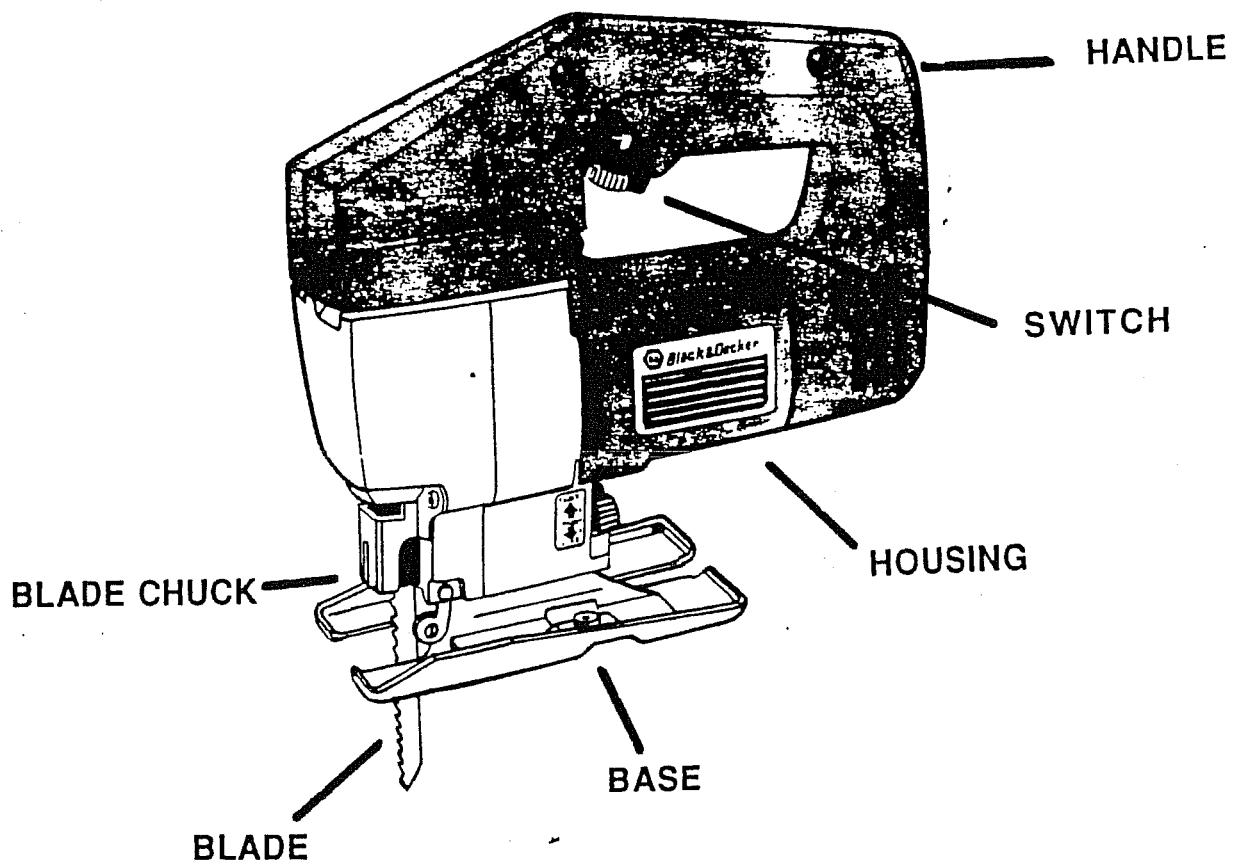
To certify on the saber saw you will need to know:

1. The safety rules.
2. The parts of the saber saw.
3. How to install a blade in the saber saw.
4. Demonstrate your ability to operate the saber saw.

## Saber saw safety rules

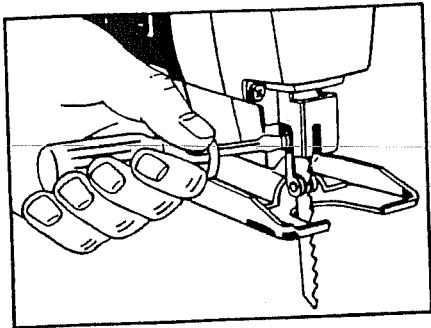
1. Wear eye protection.
2. Disconnect the plug before you make any adjustments or change blades.
3. Hold or clamp the material to be cut so that it will not vibrate.
4. Always hold the saber saw firmly.
5. Allow the blade to come to full speed before starting to cut.
6. Be sure the blade is the correct type for the material you are cutting.

## Saber saw parts



### How to install a blade.

1. Cycle the saber saw on and off as necessary to make the blade chuck stop in a position where you can reach the blade set screw.
2. Disconnect saber saw from the power outlet.
3. Loosen the set screw at the side of the blade chuck.
4. Insert the blade in as far as it will go into the blade chuck. Make sure the back edge of the blade fits into the support roller. Then tighten the set screw against the blade.



### Procedures for operating the saber saw.

1. See that the proper blade has been installed in the blade chuck.  
**Note:** Use the blade with small teeth for cutting metal and the blade with larger teeth is used for wood or plastic.
2. Secure the material to be cut.
3. Start the motor and let blade come to full speed.
4. Hold the saw firmly on the material to be cut and move it slowly. Do not force the saw.
5. For inside holes you will need to drill hole. Then place the blade through hole prior to starting the saber saw.
6. When through cutting, turn off switch. Do not set the saw down until the blade has stopped.