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TOOLBOX TALK

GRINDER SAFETY

The right wheel. The right guard.

A damaged or unsuitable grinding wheel can fail violently. Inspect the grinder, match the accessory and control sparks and dust.

WHAT TO LOOK FOR



Match the accessory:

Use the correct wheel type, size and speed rating for the grinder and task.



Inspect before use:

Check the disc, guard and handle. Remove damaged equipment.



Keep guards fitted:

Use the required guard and side handle as instructed.



Control the workpiece:

Secure the material and use a stable, balanced position.



Control exposure:

Use eye and face protection; assess hearing, dust and fire hazards.



Isolate for changes:

Disconnect energy before changing wheels or clearing problems.



LET'S TALK



Does the wheel rating match the tool?



Where will sparks and dust go?



How do we isolate for a wheel change?



USE THE RIGHT DISC

Use the accessory only for its intended purpose. Keep people clear of the wheel and spark path.



Follow the grinder and accessory manufacturer instructions.

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