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TREND PRT

Latest version and the T11 makes an excellent system

This is a very popular all-metal table which can be used in bench mode or as a floor-standing model. The transformation is affected by fitting the four long legs. Apart from this, and the need to install the fence, the PRT comes fully assembled. It is also fully specified with NVR switch, mitre fence reducing rings safety guard, pressure fingers, lead-in pin and pushstick.

Maximum cutter aperture is 90mm plus four reducing rings.

The top is 8mm (%in) extruded alloy with the three standard Elu/DeWalt/Trend fixing holes, which accept routers from these makers, plus a number of other brands which have adopted the standard base configuration.

The centre panel of the top lifts out for easy fitting and removal of the router, and the back fence has adjustable aluminium cheeks and squareness adjustment.

The very latest model, new for 2005, has a bench leg levelling foot and additional holes in the top to take the quick-release gear of the new T11 and to give access to the Quick Raiser height adjuster fitted to that router.

SPECIFICATIONS

Top: 650 x 550mm (25% x 21%in)

Height: Bench: 350mm (13%in), floor-standing: 830mm (32%in) Maximum cutter aperture: 90mm Depth of cut lost: 8mm

Fence: Aluminium with adjustable cheeks NVR Switch: Yes Price: Around £350

Although not cheap, you receive a fully specified table capable of a wide range of work. Fitted with the new T11 you have a very powerful system which provides all the features that most workers are looking for.

ACCESSORIES

Copy follower: £49.35 T11 quick release kit: £22.92

RATINGS

Value for money: Accessory availability / compatibility: Table compatibility:

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