1. Slide Camlock lever to unlock shear.

2. Place product on table. Bring handle down until blade touches material.

3. Push handle down until material is completely cut.

Do not use your Sharpshooter or Marksman to cut solid hardwood!
Notes and Tips

When most materials are cut, the ‘drop’ piece will have a beveled edge, while the ‘keep’ piece (the piece left on the table) will have a mostly square edge.

**DOUBLE CUTTING**

Most materials shear very well with just one cut. However, some brands of fiber cement siding & other products may require cutting twice to produce a better cut.

Simply make your first cut 1/8” to 1/4” (3 to 6mm) longer than your mark, then go back and make your second cut on your mark. This is very useful to create a cleaner cut when a trim molding or transition cannot be used to cover your cut end.

**FLOPPY MATERIALS**

When cutting floppy materials, flip the anvil: Remove anvil and bladestop using a 4mm or 5/32” hex key. Reinstall with flat side up instead of bevel. This makes fibrous and floppy materials (examples: cove base, thin vinyl plank) cut more easily.

For Kevlar® fiber reinforced materials (example: rubber belting), put flat side of anvil up as above, but also remove plastic bladestop.

**CAUTION EXTREMELY SHARP BLADE**

**MAINTENANCE**

**Daily:**

- **Hone blade**
  (Wear cut-resistant gloves!)
  Unlatch and open your shear.
  Lay the shear on its head with the handle parallel to the floor.
  While pressing honestone firmly against flat side of blade, slide honestone back and forth across entire blade length 5 times.

  **WARNING: NEVER HONE THE BEVELED SIDE OF THE BLADE**
  **DO NOT TILT THE HONE STONE; HOLD IT FLAT TO THE FACE OF THE BLADE**

- **Monthly:**
  Tighten rail and handle screws
  Apply lithium grease to inside of bearings
  Apply lithium grease to steel pins and axle bolts

- **Yearly:**
  Replace blade stop
  Reinstall using new blade stop
  Replace blade
  Remove dull blade using 4mm hex key
  Install new blade
  Replace foot caps (included in Maintenance kit part number ...)
  WARRANTY (usual 1-year warranty information)