



**Diablo Introduces Another Industry First:
The First Full Range of Application Specific Carbide Reciprocating Saw Blades**
Performance Leading Technology in Carbide Solutions Delivers up to
50X Longer Cutting Life

May 13, 2019 – Trailblazers in the cutting tool industry, Diablo unveils the first and only full-range line of carbide reciprocating saw blades that expands the applications for reciprocating saws not once before available. This full breadth of range consists of six application specific, radical carbide-reciprocating blades; each designed to solve real end-user problems in an extremely dynamic industry where power tools and materials are constantly evolving.



Diablo's carbide reciprocating blades are individually designed and engineered for specific cutting applications ranging from clean or nail-embedded wood, general purpose wood and metal to all thicknesses of metals such as rebar, stainless steel and cast iron. By providing

greater durability, cutting performance and up to 50 times longer cutting life than standard bi-metal reciprocating blades, these revolutionary reciprocating blades make the Pro more productive on the jobsite. Pros and tradesmen including plumbers, electricians and contractors, are now able to reach areas not once easily accessible due to the limitations of their tools. No job is too big or too small; all that is needed to complete the cut is a corded or cordless reciprocating saw and a Diablo carbide reciprocating blade.

“Diablo’s passion is focusing on end-user problems and providing real world solutions that capitalize on our core competencies and vertical integration. Our goal in everything we do is to step-up, expand and create new markets in every category we serve,” said Russell Kohl, President and CEO of Freud America. “By creating our own carbide, we are able to utilize this core competency to provide the market with application specific cutting solutions that are not only high-performance but also offer extreme durability and maximum cutting life, ultimately providing cutting tools that are far-more superior and productive than standard bi-metal reciprocating blades. Our continuous investment in Carbide technology provides the professional contractor with leading innovation to deliver “more cut for their buck”; an incredible value story of one Diablo carbide reciprocating blade for every 50 standard bi-metal blades.”

This radical, new carbide reciprocating family features enhanced carbide tip-to-blade connection for extreme impact resistance in some of the toughest cutting situations. The one-inch oversized blade body creates straighter cuts with less vibration to protect the carbide teeth for superior cutting stability while Diablo’s proprietary Perma-SHIELD non-stick coating for less gumming and friction allows the carbide reciprocating blades to cut extreme materials with ease.

Diablo offers this innovative, full range of carbide reciprocating saw blades in a variety of sizes, 6”, 9” and 12”, and multi-pack quantities ranging from single, three-packs to 10-packs, all available to meet the needs of the Pro.

Diablo carbide reciprocating blades are available wherever Diablo products are sold. For more information, visit: www.diablotools.com/ recip.

About Diablo

Diablo manufactures premium circular saw blades, reciprocating blades, hole saws, sand paper, bonded abrasives, router bits and forstner bits that are specifically designed to provide superior performance all while withstanding the most extreme conditions. Diablo is the only manufacturer of construction tools that produces its own MicroGrain Carbide with Titanium, called TiCo™, a high-density combination of Titanium and Cobalt, and a specialized ceramic metallic tooth blend, called Cermet II for metal and stainless steels. By producing their own carbide and Cermet II, Diablo has the unique ability to formulate each tool for each specific application, thereby maximizing cutting life and performance. Diablo

has a specialized solution for every application and guarantees to provide unrivalled performance.

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