

Panel Saw

The Panel Saw is for cutting large sheet goods such as 4x8 plywood. The cutter is a standard circular hand saw and the same operating procedures should apply.

- Place the piece securely in the slot at the bottom with the long edge down. The saw is normally set up for vertical cuts
- Start the saw and pull it downward on its rails. It helps to have another person steady large pieces during the cut.
- The blade can be rotated 90 degrees to make horizontal cuts. Unplug the saw while making adjustments.
- Rotate and lock the saw on the rails at the desired height.
- The material is then pushed through the saw. Be sure that the material is loaded to the front of the saw.
- Use the spacers (hanging on strings) to keep the blade from being pinched.
- Be sure that the top piece is held securely so as not to drop down and pinch the blade while cutting or to fall at the end of the cut.
- If you are cutting pieces that need to be cut accurately or if you are concerned about the saw chipping the outer surface of the plywood cut the pieces slightly larger and finish cut them on the table saw to exact specification.
- When finished be sure the cutter is in the vertical cut position and unplugged.
- Clean up any mess.