Backlit Cube! At last!

Posted by leomitch - 06 Mar 2012 08:21

Many thanks to Herman (wmarq9237) for the heads up. Anyone who has been annoyed trying to read your angle cube because of no lighting on the meter face, here is a cube that has a back lit meter face! Hallelujah!

My poor old eyes have a need for lots of light and contrast to read figures clearly and the old cube I have has given me a pain in this regard. Amazon.com sells a backlit angle cube, go here:

www.amazon.com/INT-102144-Intercomp-Digi...331039282&sr=8-1

It is more expensive but for me I say hang the expense...at least I can easily read the meter. If your eyes require more light like mine pick one of these up for around 60 bucks US dollars, They are out of stock now but will be replenished next week.

At last I can easily see the angle reading! Thanks again Herman for the tip!

Cheers

Leo

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Re: Backlit Cube! At last!

Posted by martinlind - 13 Apr 2012 19:22

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sure i can show off some of my knives that i make and use and some outdoor photos if some want to see it, but i think i will start a new topic of that and not on this one.

some answers: i dont like fällkniven knives many do nice for them but they not for me.

Mora knives ihave been using my hole life but not now in forest but at work, they come sheep and scandi grind sharp.

the knife on the photo is one of my latest, a wide beast in 12c27 steel with rubber scales on it, i will send more photos of it, got a twin brother to him also but with home made micarta.

Living in sweden is great, lot of forest and you can go where ever you want almost anyway, fire and so on just show respect:cheer: we dont have so many dangery animals either, just one poisen snake and you would not die if you been bitten;) no sharks,crocks and so on...

realy hot sommers and realy cold winters with lots of snow, but that makes survival great, if you dont

learn your dead... and we have many great knifemakers and so on...

see y martin

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Re: Backlit Cube! At last!
Posted by jeremyjordan - 15 Mar 2013 16:14

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has anyone tried to add their own back lighting to their cube yet? im sure it wouldnt be hard ive added back lighting to other lcds before. im waiting on my pro pack 2 to arrive next week ill give it a try as soon as i can put the sharpener down long enough to tinker with it.

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Re: Backlit Cube! At last!
Posted by cbwx34 - 16 Mar 2013 11:40

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Welcome to the forum!

Haven't tried this... if you do it, let us know how it goes!

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Re: Backlit Cube! At last!
Posted by R.JeffreyCoates - 16 Mar 2013 22:11

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AN angle cube allows one to set the angle EXACTLY.

Here's how:

1. Set your knife in the sharpener and decide the angle (ie. 18 per side.)
2. Put the angle cube on the base of the sharpener and zero it.
3. Put the stone on the sharpening rod and set the pre-marked scale to 18 degrees.
4. Lay the stone against the knife as if you were going to start sharpening
5. Put the Angle Cube on the side of the sharpening stone that is not against the knife .....

6. READ THE ANGLE. It probably will NOT be 18 (due to inherent differences in the height of each knife

   being sharpened.)

7. Adjust the angle until it reads 18 on the Angle Cube

You now have a true 18 degrees.

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Re: Backlit Cube! At last!

Posted by cbwx34 - 17 Mar 2013 09:33

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Thanks... looks like a Wiki addition!

wickededgeusa.com/wiki/index.php?title=B..._Digital_Angle_Gauge

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