Wicked Edge lapping films and aluminium blanks?

Posted by mark76 - 28 Mar 2012 06:20

Hi all,

I another topic I read about Wicked Edge lapping films (of various micron sizes) and aluminium blanks these lapping films can be attached to.

Does anyone know a reputable seller that sells these? Does Wicked Edge produce these themselves or do sellers make them? I got a pair of blank paddles from Wicked Edge directly and these did not (as I intended) have any aluminium in them.

Thanks!

Mark.

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Re: Wicked Edge lapping films and aluminium blanks?

Posted by razoredgeknives - 30 Mar 2012 18:12

I would definitely be interested in some lapping film w/ a sticky back and some blanks... anyone know where we can get & assemble the materials? (obviously I know the blanks from WE). I am mainly interested in lapping film 1 micron and less as I already have the 5k/10k choseras. The issue I have w/ the strops is that they are VERY slow working... even after a fresh paste/spray. I am hoping to post 230x photos soon to show what I mean.

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Re: Wicked Edge lapping films and aluminium blanks?

Posted by wickededge - 30 Mar 2012 18:59

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For the lapping film, Tools for Working Wood. We'll start carrying them soon enough as well. I'm very interested in seeing your results at 230x.

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Re: Wicked Edge lapping films and aluminium blanks?
Posted by babo - 30 Mar 2012 20:08

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polishing film

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Re: Wicked Edge lapping films and aluminium blanks?
Posted by KenSchwartz - 31 Mar 2012 12:57

I do offer diamond lapping film going from 165 microns up to 0.1 microns. I can bring these over to the WE platform for those interested. I have found that I get more precision from these films if they are mounted on glass over the blanks and can do this for the WE.

Anyone interested? I have about 15 grits inbetween the 165 and 0.1 micron range. In a few instances, I also have several formulations that are either more robust or delicate depending on your requirements.

I also offer these in 1x6, 2x6 and 3x8" sizes.

Ken

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Re: Wicked Edge lapping films and aluminium blanks?
Posted by PhilipPasteur - 31 Mar 2012 13:12

Thanks for that Ken.

I did some searching and could not find an email address for you. How would one get in touch with you?

I have checked out your blog in the past and seen your pagges at Chefsknivestogo. But no email found.

Thanks,

Phil

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Re: Wicked Edge lapping films and aluminium blanks?
Posted by KenSchwartz - 31 Mar 2012 14:19

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PhilipPasteur wrote:

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Phil

ksskss at earthlink dot net - I'll send you other contact info from there (skype, phone, etc)

Ken

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Re: Wicked Edge lapping films and aluminium blanks?
Posted by razoredgeknives - 01 Apr 2012 09:18

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I'll try to get those pics up today... Clay, I would love to see your results with the lapping film tape as compared to the strop if you ever get time to run them through the mill lol.

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Re: Wicked Edge lapping films and aluminium blanks?
Posted by wickededge - 01 Apr 2012 10:41

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razoredgeknives wrote:

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Hey Josh,

Thanks for the suggestion. I'll put it on the list of to-dos. Sounds like fun!

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