

BLADE USAGE CHART *courtesy of andis.*

ALL BREEDS AND MIXED BREEDS

Area	Blade Size
Sanitary prep.....	10
Pads.....	15 or 5/8" wide
Slightly matted.....	5 & 5FC
Very matted.....	7 & 7FC
Very heavy coats.....	7 or T84
Legs.....	3¾FC, 5/8"HT, ¾"HT or Scissor
Feet, beards, mustaches, furnishings.....	Scissor

AIREDALE TERRIER

Body, sides, tail.....	7 or 5
Head, throat.....	9 or 7
Ears.....	10 or 15

BEARDED COLLIE

Body.....	3¾ & 3¾FC to ¾"HT
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BEDLINGTON TERRIER

Body.....	5 & 5FC to ¾"HT
Face, ears, 2/3 of tail end.....	10 or 15

BICHON FRISE

Plush look - Body.....	3¾ & 3¾FC to ¾"HT
Short - Body.....	4 & 4FC or 5 & 5FC

BOUVIER DES FLANDRES

Body, sides.....	3¾ to ¾"HT
Legs, underbody, face.....	Scissor
Cheeks, throat.....	4
Ears.....	10 or 15

BRIARD

Body.....	¾"HT
Legs, underbody, face.....	Scissor

CAIRN TERRIER

Head, face, legs, underbody.....	Scissor
Body.....	4 or 3¾
Ears.....	10 or 15

CATS

Very matted.....	10
Some matting.....	7FC
No matting.....	7FC to ¾"HT

COCKER SPANIEL

Body, side, back, tail.....	7 & 7FC or 5 & 5FC
Face, ears, throat, head.....	10 or 15

DANDE DINMONET TERRIER

Area	Blade Size
Body, side, back.....	4
Head, tail, feet.....	Scissor
Top of ears.....	10 or 15

ENGLISH COCKER SPANIEL

Body, side, back.....	7 & 7FC or 5 & 5FC
Front of forelegs.....	7 & 7FC
Head, neck, ears, face.....	15

ENGLISH SETTER

Body, side, back.....	7 & 7FC or 5 & 5FC
Head.....	9
Top of ears.....	10 or 15
Underbody, tail, legs.....	Scissor

ENGLISH SPRINGER SPANIEL

Body, sides, back, tail.....	7 & 7FC or 5 & 5FC
Head, neck, ear top, throat.....	10

FOX TERRIER AND IRISH TERRIER

Body, sides, back, tail.....	5
Head, ears, throat.....	10

GORDON SETTER AND IRISH SETTER

Body, sides, back.....	7 & 7FC or 5 & 5FC
Head, ears, throat.....	10
Underbody, tail, legs.....	Scissor

KERRY BLUE TERRIER

Body, sides, back, tail.....	4 & 4FC to ¾"HT
Cheeks, throat.....	10 or 15
Top of head.....	4 or 5

LHASO APSO AND MALTESE

Body.....	5 & 5FC to ¾"HT
Head, face, tail, underbody.....	Scissor

OLD ENGLISH SHEEPDOG

Body.....	4 & 4FC to ¾"HT
Head, face.....	Scissor

PEKINGESE

Body.....	5 & 5FC to ¾"HT
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POODLE

Face, feet, base of tail.....	10 or 15
Body.....	7 & 7FC to ¾"HT
Topknot, tail piece.....	Scissor
Pattern set.....	5/8" wide

PORTUGESE WATER DOG (LION CLIP)

Area	Blade Size
Body - Last rib to forward.....	¾"HT or Scissor
Last rib backward, legs, ¾ of tail & face.....	10

PORTUGESE WATER DOG (RETRIEVER CLIP)

Body.....	3¾ & 3¾FC to ¾"HT
Face.....	4 & 4FC
Head, tail.....	Scissor

SCHNAUZER

Body, sides, back.....	7 & 7FC or 5 & 5FC
Head, ears, cheeks.....	10

SCOTTISH TERRIER & SEALYHAM TERRIER

Body, back, forechest.....	4 or 5
Ears, throat.....	10 or 15
Top of head, cheeks.....	8½ or 7
Tail.....	3¾ or Scissor

SHIH TZU

Body.....	4 & 4FC to ¾"HT
Head, tail, ears.....	Scissor

SILKY TERRIER

Body.....	4 & 4FC to ¾"HT
Head, underbelly, tail.....	Scissor
Ears.....	10

SOFT COATED WHEATEN TERRIER

Body, tail.....	3¾ & 3¾FC to ¾"HT
Cheeks, throat.....	4 & 4FC or 5 & 5FC
Head, ears.....	Scissor

WELSH TERRIER

Body, back, sides, tail.....	5 or 7
Head, ears, throat.....	10

WEST HIGHLAND WHITE TERRIER

Body, back, sides.....	5 to 3¾
Head, underbody, tail.....	Scissor
Ear tips.....	10 or 15

YORKSHIRE TERRIER

Body.....	4 & 4FC to ¾"HT
Head, ears, throat.....	10
Face, head.....	Scissor
Ears.....	10

Blade Care and Maintenance Tips *courtesy of andis.*

Removing Blade Set

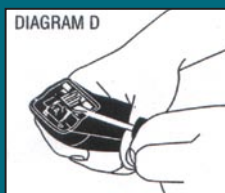
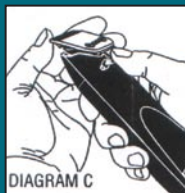
To remove blade set, first make sure your clipper motor is switched 'OFF'.

Push blade release mechanism under blade hinge (Diagram B). While holding down the blade release mechanism, push down on blade, then gently pull the blade forward (Diagram C), and slide it off the blade hinge.

If your blade hinge should snap closed and is flush with the clipper, use a small standard screwdriver to pry the tongue of the hinge out (Diagram D).

NOTE: Hair may accumulate in the front cavity of the housing under the blade.

If this happens, you can clean out the hair by brushing out the cavity with a small brush or an old toothbrush while the blade is off the clipper (See Diagram E for location of cavity being referenced.)



Replacing Or Changing Blade Set

To replace or change your blade set, slide the blade bracket onto the hinge of the clipper (Diagram F) and with the clipper turned 'ON', push the blade towards the clipper to lock into position.

Care And Servicing Of Your Clipper Blades

Blades should be oiled before, during and after use. If your clipper blades leave streaks or slow down, it's a sure sign blades need oil. Place a few drops of oil on the front and side of the cutter blades (Diagram G). Wipe excess oil off blades with a soft, dry cloth. Spray lubricants contain insufficient oil for good lubrication, but are an excellent clipper blade coolant. Always replace broken or nicked blades to prevent injury. You can clean the excess hair from your blades by using a small brush or worn out toothbrush. To clean the blades, we suggest to immerse the blades only into a shallow pan of clipper oil, while the clipper is running. Any excess hair and dirt that has accumulated between the blades should come out. After cleaning, turn your clipper off and dry blades with a clean dry cloth and start clipping again. If upon cleaning your blades you find that the blades will still not cut, there may be a few fine pieces of hair trapped between the upper and lower blade. If this happens, you will need to snap the blade off the clipper. Proceed to slide the upper blade to one side, without loosening the tension spring or moving the upper blade completely out from under the tension spring (See Diagram H for position of blade). Wipe the surface between the blades clean with a dry cloth, then place a drop of clipper oil where the upper and lower blades meet and also in the guide slot of the tension spring.

