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Aligning Diameter for the taper tool: Turn the drum to the position of the desired diameter, set an arrow shaft on the prism to adjust the drum with the body and tighten the screw with the allen key. Once you have set up your diameter for the shaft size, it will work for nock and point because the same sized bores are diagonally opposite of each other.



The nock and point are tapered by hand. Lightly turn the arrow shaft clockwise. Depending on the wood type, you may need to use more or less hand strength. The tapering process is complete when the point of the shaft has been achieved and no more shavings are created.



The outside and inside cones are set together with a light turning movement. The surface of the outside cone should completely set into the inside cone. If outside cone is not completely set into the inner cone, rework them.





For working with **epoxy**, you should follow the manufactures instructions. When epoxy has been applied, the outside and inside cones are set together with a light turning movement. If the outer cone bounces back while fitting together with the epoxy, make a slit on the outer cone surface to allow the air to escape.

Directly after epoxying the joined parts should be set into the prism of the tool and fixed with the **o-rings**. It is important to pay attention that the glued joint is placed in the middle of the prism. Make sure that no excess epoxy runs out onto the prism.The curing time of the epoxy is dependent on the surrounding temperature and the type of epoxy.

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Finish:

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After the curing process you can take the arrow out of the prism. Use fine sandpaper to smooth the repair joint. If there is a gap on the repaired joint, mix fine sawdust with epoxy to fill the space. Lightly sand to even the surface.

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