

3M[™] Abrasives for Right Angle Tools Field Guide







3M[™] Cubitron[™] II Flap Disc 969F Grind and blend in one step. A "user-friendly" flap disc for heavy duty applications.

- Ideal for applications where fast cutting and final finish are important
- Features tough polyester backing, to hold up under demanding applications like grinding, edge deburring and beveling
- Flap construction contains more abrasive material, for longer life
- * For medium duty applications, try 3M™ Cubitron™ II Flap Disc 967A





3M™ Cubitron™ II Cut-Off Wheel

Fast cutting on most metals. Now improved to outlast and out-perform our original Cubitron II Cut-Off Wheel!

- Fast cutting on ferrous metals, stainless steels, alloy steels and cast iron
- Long-lasting
- Cool cutting







3M[™] Fibre Discs 782C/787C

An unbeatable combination of performance and value

Use 782C for carbon steel and 787C for stainless steel and non-ferrous metals

- Made with 3M Precision-Shaped Grain, for outstanding speed and long life
- Great for grinding, weld removal, beveling and edge chamfering
- Cuts cooler, faster and longer than alumina zirconia (AZ) and conventional ceramic abrasives



3M[™] Cubitron[™] II Depressed Center Grinding Wheels Type Q Tough and long-lasting

- Ideal for heavy grinding, weld removal and burr removal on steel and stainless steel
- Long life
- Fast cutting
- Smooth-running feel

Which right angle product is best for your customer?

What's important	Choose this product
Speed	3M™ Cubitron™ II or 3M™ Fibre Discs
Life	3M™ Cubitron™ II Depressed Center Grinding Wheels
Ease-of-use	3M™ Cubitron™ II Flap Discs

Choosing the best fibre disc for the job

What's the difference between 3M™ Cubitron™ II Fibre Discs and 3M™ Fibre Discs with Precision-Shaped Grain?



3M Cubitron II fibre discs provide a fast cut and very long life, making them an ideal choice for heavy volume production applications.

If your customer still wants a very fast cut but is price sensitive, or doesn't need the extreme long life of a Cubitron II disc, 3M Fibre Discs 782C or 787C are ideal alternatives that outlast conventional ceramic fibre discs.*

Key Application: Weld Grinding

Lead with fibre discs



3M[™] Fibre Discs 782C/787C or 3M[™] Cubitron[™] II Fibre Discs

When speed is key. For longer life and/or higher pressure applications, try Cubitron II discs.



3M[™] Cubitron[™] II Flap Discs

Not as fast as fibre discs, but more user-friendly. Delivers a finer finish, with less chance of gouging.



3M[™] Cubitron[™] II Depressed Center Grinding Wheels

For heavy-duty weld grinding and other heavy grinding operations. Very long lasting.

Key Application: **Blending**

Lead with flap discs



3M™ Cubitron™ II Flap Discs

Produces a fine finish, for blending and refining. User friendly. For an even finer finish, try Scotch-Brite™ Light Grinding and Blending Disc.



3M[™] Fibre Discs 782C/787C or 3M[™] Cubitron[™] II Fibre Discs

Faster cutting, but may be trickier for inexperienced operators to control. Use grades 80+ and 120+ for blending.

Key Application: Finishing/Surface Prep

Lead with Scotch-Brite™ Light Grinding & Blending Discs



Scotch-Brite[™] Light Grinding & Blending Discs

Ideal for refining grind marks and removing imperfections. Leaves a smooth, paintable finish.



3M™ Cubitron™ II Flap Discs

For fine finish and paint prep applications that require a more aggressive cut.

Key Application:

Surface Prep, Scale Removal, Weld Spatter Removal



Lead with flap discs



3M[™] Cubitron[™] II Flap Discs

Use 969F for heavy duty applications; 967A for medium duty.



Scotch-Brite[™] Light Grinding & Blending Discs

For light duty scale/weld spatter removal and surface prep, where a finer finish is desired.

Key Application: **Beveling**

Lead with DCGWs



3M[™] Cubitron[™] II Depressed Center Grinding Wheels

When abrasive life is critical.



3M™ Cubitron™ II Flap Discs

Fast, versatile and easy to control.



3M[™] Fibre Discs 782C/787C or 3M[™] Cubitron[™] II Fibre Discs

The fastest way to achieve a bevel.

Tip: For even longer life, teach operators to grind with less pressure when using Cubitron II products.

Key Applications: Heavy Deburring, Slag Removal

Lead with DCGWs



3M™ Cubitron™ II Depressed Center Grinding Wheels

For heavy duty jobs and large burrs that will shred most coated abrasive products.



3M™ Cubitron™ II Flap Discs

If the customer is only removing an occasional large burr, flap discs will handle the job, without the necessity of changing discs.



3M[™] Fibre Discs 782C/787C or 3M[™] Cubitron[™] II Fibre Discs

Fastest cutting on smoother surfaces.

Key Applications: Cutting



Lead with Cut-Off wheels



3M™Cubitron™ II Cut-Off Wheels

Fast, smooth cutting with exceptional life. Slices through all metals, including stainless, mild steel and aerospace alloys.



3M[™] Cubitron[™] II Cut & Grind Wheels

For especially heavy cutting.

Key Applications: Back Gouging



Lead with a Cubitron II Cut & Grind wheel



3M™ Cubitron™ II Cut & Grind Wheel

Fast, smooth cutting, with less chatter on back gouging and root pass grinding. Very long life.

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