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MAKITA RELEASES TWO NEW 40V MAX XGT® 5-PIECE KITS

Multi-tool kits offer versatility and great entry point to XGT® system

July 17, 2024, La Mirada, CA – Makita U.S.A., Inc., manufacturer of high-quality professional tools, power equipment, and accessories, has released two new five-piece kits to the expanding XGT® system of equipment and tools. Both kits offer users an ideal combination of tools for drilling, driving, fastening, and cutting.

“Combo kits are a great way for users to expand their XGT® tool system or to start new on the platform,” said Wayne Hart, communications manager, Makita U.S.A., Inc. “The two new five-piece kits feature top performing tools for drilling, driving, fastening, and cutting.”

XGT®: One System of Cordless Equipment and Tools

These new five-piece kits are part of Makita XGT®, an expanding system of 40V max and 80V max cordless equipment and tools. XGT® gives users one system, from core handheld tools like drills and impact drivers to equipment-grade products including high-capacity saws, rotary hammers, and power cutters – all powered by 40V max XGT® batteries. The expanding XGT System will offer 125+ products in 2024.

GT500M: Includes the 40V max XGT® 1/2" Hammer Driver-Drill (GPH01Z), the 40V max XGT® 4-Speed Impact Driver (GDT01Z), the 40V max XGT® Recipro Saw (GRJ01Z), the 40V max XGT® Rear Handle 7-1/4" Circular Saw (GSR01Z), and the 40V max XGT® L.E.D. Flashlight (ML001G).

GT501M: Includes the 40V max XGT® 1/2" Hammer Driver-Drill (GPH01Z), the 40V max XGT® 4-Speed Impact Driver (GDT01Z), the 40V max XGT® Recipro Saw (GRJ01Z), the 40V max XGT® 7-1/4" Circular Saw, AWS® Capable (GSH01Z) and the 40V max XGT® L.E.D. Flashlight (ML001G).

Long Run Time

Both kits feature tools from the XGT® system with standout features like brushless motors for increased power and 40V XGT® 4.0Ah batteries (BL4040), that reach full power in only 45 minutes utilizing the 40V max XGT® Rapid Optimum Charger (DC40RA).

Convenience Features

All tools in the GT500M Kit and the GT501M Kit feature Makita-built brushless motors for more performance and longer motor life. The tools and XGT® 40V batteries utilize digital communication which optimizes performance and provides up to 2X longer sustained power under heavy-load applications.

Specifications

Description	40V max XGT® Brushless 5-Pc. Combo Kit (GT500M)	40V max XGT® Brushless 5-Pc. Combo Kit (GT501M)
Form Factor:	40V max XGT®	40V max XGT®
Total Tool Count:	5	5
Shipping Weight:	48 lbs	48 lbs

About Makita

Makita is a worldwide manufacturer of industrial power tools, power equipment, pneumatics, and cleaning solutions that offer a wide range of industrial accessories. Makita U.S.A., Inc. is located in La Mirada, California, and operates an extensive distribution network throughout the U.S.A. With over 50 years in the United States and over 100 years worldwide, Makita utilizes experience and expertise to manufacture best-in-class solutions. For more information about Makita U.S.A. call (800)4-MAKITA or visit makitatools.com. Find Makita on Instagram, YouTube, Facebook, and Twitter @makitatools.

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