# Fusion Razor Handle 2

## RAZ-FUS-2

This razor handle is designed to be used with Fusion razor cartridges (cartridge not included).

### **Recommended Supplies:**

7mm Mandrel 7mm Drill Bushing BUSH-RAZ-FUS-2

## Preparing the Blank:

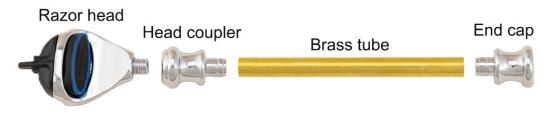
- 1. Cut the blank about 1/4" longer than the brass tube.
- 2. Drill the blank through the centre, lengthwise, with a 7mm drill bit.
- 3. Scuff up the brass tube with sandpaper to give the glue a better surface to adhere to.
- 4. Plug the ends of the tube with a material of your choice we recommend baseplate wax to keep glue from getting into the tube. Push each end into a thin section of the material to form a plug. This is an important step. Glue inside tubes is a common cause of kit failure.
- 5. Roll the tube in glue (thick CA glue, or a 2-part epoxy).
- 6. Insert the tube into the blank with a twisting motion to spread the glue inside. The tube should be centred between the ends of the blank.
- 7. When the glue has cured, remove the plugs from the ends.
- 8. Square up the ends of the blank with a barrel trimmer or on a disc sander. STOP once you see the bright brass tube. Be careful not to shorten the tube.

#### **Turning the Blank:**

- 1. Assemble the blank on the mandrel using bushing set BUSH-RAZ-FUS-2.
- Bring up the tailstock, lock it down, and tighten it against the mandrel. Be careful not to overtighten, as this can damage the mandrel or cause it to bend.
- 3. Turn the blank to your desired shape, using the bushings as a sizing guide.
- 4. Sand the surface of the blank in progressive steps and apply a finish of your choice.
- 5. Remove the blank and bushings from the mandrel.

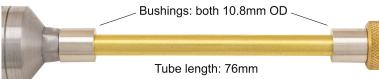
#### Assembling the Kit:

- 1. Lay out the parts according to the parts diagram below.
- 2. Unscrew the **razor head** from the **head coupler**. Press the **head coupler** into one end of the tube.
- 3. Press the **end cap** into the other end of the tube.
- 4. Screw the razor head back into the head coupler.
- 5. Attach a Fusion razor cartridge.



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