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New brushless drill/drivers deliver two times more life than previous models

Las Vegas, November 11, 2013 – Bosch proves good things come in small packages with the introduction of its new 12V max brushless drill/drivers. The PS22 1/4-inch hex drill/driver and the PS32 3/8-inch drill/driver are the lightest, most compact tools in their class, offering unmatched ease of use in extended applications. Featuring innovative EC brushless motor designs, these 12V max drill/drivers deliver increased runtime and boast twice the life of previous generations.

The lightweight PS22 and PS32 are the tools of choice for professionals who perform continuous overhead work. In fact, at 1.6 and 2 pounds, respectively, these tools weigh up to 45 percent less than competitors. The PS22and PS32 also deliver optimum performance when utilized in corners or other confined spaces. With respective head lengths of 5-5/16 and 6-1/2 inches, these drill/drivers are the shortest in their class.

For increased versatility and control in drilling and driving applications, the PS22 and PS32 can operate in two speeds: 0-400 RPM and 0-1,300 RPM. The PS22 features a 1/4-inch hex head that allows for quick and easy bit changes, while the PS32 delivers the ultimate in functionality with a 3/8-inch single sleeve universal chuck that accommodates 90 percent of common applications.

Both tools feature a four-piece bit tip set and a magnetic bit holder, making it easy for users to store and access their most commonly used bits. The PS22 and PS32 also are equipped with a built-in LED light, which can be used to illuminate any working area.

The PS22 and PS32 will be available in February 2014 at authorized dealers nationwide. The PS22-02 and PS32-02 include two 12V max 2.0 Ah batteries, a magnetic bit holder, four-piece bit tip set, a belt clip, charger and a soft carry case. The PS22-02 retails for a suggested price of $149, while the PS32-02 retails for a suggested price of $159. Both tools are also available as bare tool kits. To find out more or to locate a dealer, visit www.boschtools.com or call 877-BOSCH-99.

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