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Trend Snappy Angle Screwdriver Attachment

£29.32 ☎ **0800 487363**

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(Snappy range from £4.50 for three).

With the supplied bit in place the tool is pretty compact. If you've ever struggled to get a screw in or out in a cupboard or other cramped space, an angled screwdriver is invaluable. This is the one time you really need a magnetic bit chuck to hold a screw in position. Oddly, Trend did not magnetise theirs! On offer at £24.95.

This driver attachment is the latest in Trend's growing Snappy range. Its rubberised body is an improvement on the old metal-body types out there, as it offers better control in tight corners. An extra handle fits either side, improving control as torque increases as you're driving screws. The standard 1/4in hex shank will fit into any Snappy chuck, or a standard three-jaw drill chuck.

Gearing through the body links the shaft to the chuck

spinning it at 90°. The tool comes with a double-ended Pozidriv bit which fits the standard hex shank collar. You slide a knurled sleeve on the chuck to release the bit. I tried fitting a standard 25mm long, single-ended screwdriver bit, but it was too short, dropping inside the chuck. You either need to fit a standard bit adaptor to take them, which defeats the object of its narrow accessibility profile somewhat, or you need longer 50mm bits

GW verdict

- ⊕ Chunky, comfortable grip
- ⊖ Does not accept 25mm bits

Value for money



Performance

