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KNIFE SHARPENER

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Abstract (en)
[origin: EP0206700A1] A blade sharpener having an access opening (5) through which a blade (4) is moved to be sharpened and including a sharpening device (3) which engages with and sharpens the blade cutting edge (6) and a reaction member (31) which engages with and applies downward pressure to the blade back edge (10). The reaction member (31) has an upper portion (33) which is pivotally mounted adjacent an upper extremity of the access opening (5) and at a location forward of the sharpening device (3). A lower portion (35) of the reaction member (31) is engageable with a knife blade (4). The sharpening device is mounted adjacent the lower extremity of the access opening (5). Biasing means (32) urges the reaction member (31) into a rest position at which the lower portion (35) of that member is located forward of the sharpening device (3) and rearward of the pivotal mounting (34) of the reaction member (31). The sharpener is adapted for removable location within the open mouth of a blade protecting scabbard (11).

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