THE SHOULDER PLANE

THE SHOULDER PLANE IS A NARROW, SPECIALISED WOODWORKING PLANE. IT IS USED TO CLEAN UP THE SHOULDERS OF HAND CUT TENONS, TO ENSURE THAT THEY FIT THE MORTISE ACCURATELY. THIS PLANE IS USEFUL WHEN REFINING GROOVES / RECESSES CUT INTO A SURFACE (E.G. HOUSING JOINTS). IT IS THE IDEAL TOOL FOR PLANING INSIDE CORNERS AND PRODUCING SHOULDERS / REBATES, BECAUSE THE BLADE EXTENDS ACROSS THE ENTIRE WIDTH OF THE SOLE. THE MOUTH CAN BE ADJUSTED BY TURNING THE ADJUSTING SCREW. THIS ALLOWS VERY FINE SHAVINGS TO BE CUT / PLANED.

PLAN VIEW

