INTRODUCTION

Please read these instructions and the SAFETY notes on page 7 before using your new Iron.

Before use:
- Remove any sticker or protective covering from the Sole plate and wipe with a soft cloth.

- Check that the voltage printed on the rating plate on the bottom of the Iron corresponds to the mains voltage in your home.
- Keep all the packaging until you are sure that the product is operating correctly.

GETTING TO KNOW YOUR IRON

Burning smell
Some parts of the Iron have been slightly greased and as a result the Iron might smoke very slightly when switched on for the first time. After a short while, this will stop.

Which water
If the water in your area is very hard, we advise you to use distilled water or demineralised water only. If you are unsure which water type you have, call your local Water Authority, who can tell you. Do not use chemically decaled water.

Make ironing easy
First sort your items of clothing according to their fabric. Ironing temperature: wool with wool, cotton with cotton, etc. The Iron heats up quicker than it cools down. Therefore, start by ironing the articles requiring the lowest temperature, such as those made of synthetic fibres.

Setting the temperature
Always check to see if ironing temperature instructions (as shown below) are attached to the article to be ironed. Always follow the manufacturer’s ironing instructions.

Nylon, Acetate
Wool, Silks, or Blends
Cotton, Linen

Minimum
Maximum
Off

Follow these ironing instructions in all cases. Test the garment by ironing a small unseen section on the inside. If ironing instructions are missing, refer to the kind of fabric. Textiles to which some kind of finish has been applied (glass, wrinkle, relief etc.) should be ironed at lower temperatures. If the fabric consists of various kinds of fibres, you must always select the lowest ironing temperature of the composition. For example, an article consisting of 60% Nylon and 40% cotton should be ironed at the temperature indicated for Nylon and without steam.

Pure woolen fabrics (100% wool) may be pressed with the Iron set to a steam position. Preferably, select a high steam selector position and use a dry pressing cloth.
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How to fill with water
1. Disconnect the iron from the mains.
2. Set the steam control dial to position "0" no steam.
3. Pull the Water Inlet Cover away from the body of the iron.
4. Pour water slowly into the Water Inlet as far as the MAX fill line.
5. Do not over-fill.
6. Push the Water Inlet Cover back into place.

Steam ironing
1. Fill the iron with water as described in 'How to fill with water'.
2. Plug the iron into a wall socket.
3. Turn the Temperature Control dial to the correct STEAM position for the fabric you are ironing.
4. Wait for the Indicator Light to turn off, which shows that the required temperature for steam has been reached.
5. Hold the iron horizontally and rotate the Steam control dial to the STEAM 0 or HALF STEAM 0 position. Steam will then be emitted from the Sole Plate.
6. During steam ironing it is normal for the Indicator Light to go on and off. This shows that the thermostat is automatically maintaining the heat.
7. The water level can be checked by looking through the transparent Water Tank. If the level is low, or if the iron stops producing steam, hold the iron in the vertical position and pull the Water Inlet Lid back and pour in more water. Only refill as far as the MAX fill line.

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Dry ironing
1. Rotate the steam control dial to the no steam position 0.
2. Set the Temperature Control dial to • for dry ironing. See "Setting the temperature" on page 6.
3. Plug the iron into a wall socket.
4. Wait for the Indicator Light to turn off, which shows that the required temperature has been reached. The iron is ready for use.
5. During dry ironing it is normal for the indicator light to cycle on and off as the temperature is maintained.

Spraying
- The Spray may be used on any setting when either steam or dry ironing. (If dry ironing, ensure there is water in the tank.) A fine spray comes out of the front of the iron. This helps very dry fabrics, making them easier to iron.
- Press the SPRAY button for the spray function. It may be necessary to press the button several times to start the spray working.

**WARNING:** NEVER IRON CLOTHES WHilst BEING WORN!

After use
- Emptying and storing the iron:
  - The iron must be unplugged before emptying.
  - Do not store the iron with water in the water tank.
  - Set the steam control dial to the no steam position 0.
  - Remove the Water Inlet Cover and tip the iron over a sink or bowl to allow all the remaining water to run out.
  - Place the iron vertically on its heel and allow to cool completely before storing.
  - Always store the iron vertically with the steam control dial to the no steam position 0. Do not use the packaging box to store the iron as this may damage the Sole Plate.
  - Always store the iron in a safe and dry place.

**MAINTENANCE**

Self clean function
This useful function removes the lime scale and mineral deposits that can build up in the Water Tank, to keep your iron in the best condition you should Set Clean your iron at least once every two weeks or more regularly if you live in a hard water area.
1. Fill the iron as described in 'How to Fill with Water'. Fill the Water Tank to the Max Level.
2. Place the iron on its heel and turn the Temperature Control dial to the Maximum position B - B.
3. When the Indicator Light goes out the iron is at the correct temperature.
4. Unplug the iron from the mains supply.
5. Hold the iron horizontally over a sink and at the same time turn the Steam Control dial to >xx<, the self clean position.
6. The Steam Control dial will rise up slightly, pull it up slightly further and gently shake the iron.
7. Steam and hot water will be emitted from the holes in the Sole Plate washing away any deposit that have built up, so make sure that you keep your face and hands clear. Gently move the iron back and forth until the Water Tank is empty.
8. Turn the Steam Control dial to the no steam position 0.
9. Plug the iron into the mains socket and allow to heat up in order to dry the sole plate. You should stand the iron on its heel as you wait for it to dry. DO NOT leave the iron unattended while drying.
10. Once dry, unplug the iron and leave until it is completely cool.
11. Wipe the Sole Plate with a cold damp cloth.

Cleaning the Sole plate
The iron must be unplugged and allowed to cool completely before cleaning the sole plate:
- Keep the Sole plate smooth, do not scratch it against metal objects, (e.g. the iron rack of an ironing board, buttons, zippers etc.)
- If the sole plate gets marked by starch or other ironing aids or if particles of fabric get stuck to it, due to using a too high temperature setting, apply a small amount of mild cleaner or a damp cloth, forming a paste on the cloth. Gently rub, then wipe with a moist cloth.
- Do not use metal scouring pads, scouring powders, womb cleaners or solvents, or iron sole plate cleaners.
- The upper part of the iron can be cleaned with a soft damp cloth.
SAFETY

Safety

Follow these guidelines carefully:

- To protect against a risk of electric shock, do not immerse the iron in water or other liquids.
- The iron should always be turned off by turning the Temperature Control dial to the Minimum position before plugging or unplugging from a power outlet. Never yank the cord to disconnect from the wall outlet, instead, grasp the plug and pull it to disconnect.
- Always switch off and unplug from the mains socket when not in use.
- Do not leave your iron unattended while connected to the mains or whilst it is standing on an ironing board.
- Always allow the iron to cool completely before putting it away.
- Always disconnect the iron from the power outlet when filling it with water or emptying it.
- Do not operate the iron with a damaged cord or plug. The cord is not replaceable by the user. If the cord is damaged, it must only be replaced by a qualified service centre.
- Do not operate the iron after it stops working or has been damaged in any manner until it has been inspected by a qualified service centre.
- To avoid the risk of electric shock, do not disassemble the iron, take it to a qualified service centre for examination and repair. Incorrect reassembly can cause a risk of electric shock when the iron is re-used.
- Close supervision is necessary when your iron is being used near children or persons suffering from any physical impairment.
- Burns can occur from touching hot metal parts, hot water, or steam. Use caution when you turn a steam iron upside down as there may be hot water in the tank reservoir.
- Do not allow the cord to touch hot surfaces.
- To avoid a circuit overload, do not operate another high wattage appliance (e.g. fan heater) on the same circuit.
- Do not use the iron with any extension socket or power cord unless approved by a certified electrician.
- Care should be taken to arrange the cord so that it cannot be pulled or tripped over.

SAFETY cont.

- Regularly check if the mains cord is still in good and safe condition.
- This appliance is for domestic household use only.
- Do not use this appliance for anything other than it's intended use.
- The ejected steam is hot and therefore dangerous.
- Never direct the steam at people.
- Never iron clothes whilst being worn.
- Do not use outdoors.