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Manual abstract:

It will enable you to navigate all processes perfectly and most efficiently. To refer to this manual any time you need to, we recommend you to keep it in a safe place. And please pass it to any future owner of the appliance. We wish you much joy with your new appliance. The following symbols are used in this manual: Important information concerning your personal safety and information on how to avoid damaging the appliance General information and tips Environmental information Contents 3 Contents Instruction booklet Safety information Product description Detergent dispenser drawer Control panel First use Daily use Load the laundry Measure out the detergent and the fabric softener Select the required programme Select the spin speed or the Rinse Hold option Programm option button Select the Stain option Select the Super Quick option Select the Start/Pause Select the Delay Start Programme progress display Select an additional rinse Altering an option or a running programme Interrupting a programme Cancelling a programme Opening the door after the programme has started At the end of the programme 6 6-8 9 9 10 11 11 11 11 12 12-13 13 13 14 14 15 15 15 15-16 16 16 16 16 Washing programmes Programme informations 16-17 18 4 Contents Preparing the wash cycle Sorting out the laundry Temperatures Before loading the laundry Maximum loads Laundry weights Removing stains Detergents and additives Quantity of detergent to be used Degrees of water hardness 19 19 19 19 19 20 20 21 21 Care and cleaning Descaling After each wash Maintenance wash External cleaning Detergent dispenser drawer Washing drum Door seal Drain pump Water inlet filter Emergency emptying out Frost precautions 22 22 22 22 22 22 23 23 23 25 25 26 Something not working Technical Data Consumption value 27-29 30 30 Contents 5 Installation Unpacking Positioning and levelling Water inlet Water drainage Electrical connection 31-34 31 32 33 33 34 Environment concerns Packaging materials Old machine Ecological hints 35 35 35 35 6 Safety information Instruction booklet Safety information Prior to using for the first time

The safety of AEG/ELECTROLUX appliances complies with the industry standards and with legal requirements on the safety of appliances. However, as manufacturers, we feel it is our duty to provide the following safety notes. You MUST read them carefully before installing or using the appliance. It is most important that this instruction book should be retained with the appliance for future reference. Should the appliance be sold or transferred to another owner, or should you move house and leave the appliance, always ensure that the book is supplied with the appliance in order that the new owner can get to know the functioning of the appliance and the relevant warnings. You MUST read them carefully before installing or using the appliance.

Before first starting up, check the machine for any damage incurred during transport. Never connect up a damaged machine. If parts are damaged, contact your supplier. If the appliance is delivered in the winter months when there are minus temperatures: Store the washing machine at room temperature for 24 hours before using for the first time. General safety It is dangerous to alter the specifications or attempt to modify this product in any way.

During high temperature wash programmes the door glass may get hot. Do not touch it! Make sure that small pets do not climb into the drum. To avoid this, please check into the drum before using. Any objects such as coins, safety pins, nails, screws, stones or any other hard, sharp material can cause extensive damage and must not be placed into the machine. Only use the advised quantities of fabric softener and detergent.

Damage to the fabric can ensue if you over-fill. Refer to the manufacturer's recommendations of quantities. Safety information 7 Wash small items such as socks, laces, washable belts etc in a washing bag or pillow case as it is possible for such items to slip down between the tub and the inner drum. Do not use your washing machine to wash articles with whalebones, material without hems or torn material. Always unplug the appliance and turn off the water supply after use, clean and maintenance. Under no circumstances should you attempt to repair the machine yourself. Repairs carried out by inexperienced persons may cause injury or serious malfunctioning. Contact your local Service Centre. Always insist on genuine spare parts. Installation This appliance is designed for domestic use.

It must not be used for purposes other than those for which it was designed. When unpacking the appliance, check that it is not damaged. If in doubt, do not use it and contact the Service Centre. All packing and transit bolts must be removed before use. Serious damage can occur to the product and to property if this is not adhered to. See relevant section in the user manual. After having installed the appliance, check that it is not pressing or standing on its electrical supply cable, inlet hose and drain hose. If the machine is situated on a carpeted floor, please adjust the feet in order to allow air to circulate freely Always be sure, that there is no water leakage from hoses and their connections after the installation. If the appliance is installed in a location subject to frost, please read the "dangers of freezing" chapter. Any plumbing work required to install this appliance should be carried out by a qualified plumber or competent person.

Any electrical work required to install this appliance should be carried out by a qualified electrician or competent person. 8 Safety information Use This appliance is designed for domestic use. It must not be used for purposes other than those for which it was designed. Only wash fabrics which are designed to be machine washed. Follow the instructions on each garment label.

Do not overload the appliance. See the relevant section in the user manual. Before washing, ensure that all pockets are empty and buttons and zips are fastened. Avoid washing frayed or torn articles and treat stains such as paint, ink, rust, and grass before washing. Underwired bras must NOT be machine washed.

Garments which have been in contact with volatile petroleum products should not be machine washed. If volatile cleaning fluids are used, care should be taken to ensure that the fluid is removed from the garment before placing in the machine. Never pull the power supply cable to remove the plug from the socket; always take hold of the plug itself. Never use the washing machine if the power supply cable, the control panel, the working surface or the base are damaged so that the inside of the washing machine is accessible. Child Safety This washing machine is not intended for use by young children or infirm persons without supervision. Young children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the appliance.



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The packaging components (e.g. plastic film, polystyrene) can be dangerous to children - danger of suffocation! Keep them out of children's reach. Keep all detergents in a safe place out of children's reach.

Make sure that children or pets do not climb into the drum. To avoid that they remain trapped inside, this the machine incorporates special feature. To activate this device, rotate the button (without pressing it) inside the door clockwise until the groove is horizontal. If necessary use a coin. To disable this device and restore the possibility of closing the door, rotate the button anticlockwise until the groove is vertical. Product description 9 Product description

Your new appliance meets all modern requirements for effective treatment of laundry with low water, energy and detergent consumption. The ECO valve system allows total use of detergent and reduces water consumption so saving energy. 1 2 3 Detergent dispenser drawer Control panel Door opening handle 4 5 6 Rating plate Drain pump Adjustable feet Detergent dispenser drawer Compartment for prewash phase or stain remover used for main wash. The prewash detergent is added at the beginning of the wash programme. The stain remover is added during the STAIN-Action phase in the main wash.

Compartment for powder or liquid detergent used for main wash. Compartment for liquid additives (fabric softener, starch). 10 Control panel Control panel

Below is a picture of the programme selector dial, the buttons and the display will be indicated with the numbers given in this table. 1 2 3 4 Programme selector dial SPIN button STAIN button SUPER QUICK button 5 6 7 START/PAUSE button Programme progress display DELAY START button Symbols: =

Rinse Hold, = Handwash, = Child safety lock Indicator pilot lights (7) After having pressed the button 5, the WASHING pilot light (7.1) comes on.

When the pilot light 7.1 comes on this means that the machine is operating. When the programme has finished, the END pilotlight (7.2) comes on. When the appliance is performing additional rinses the EXTRA RINSE pilot light (7.

3) comes on. To add an additional rinse, please see «Select anadditional rinse». Use 11 First Use Ensure that the electrical and water connections comply with the installation instructions. Remove the polystyrene block and any material from the drum. Pour 2 litres of water into the main wash compartment of the detergent drawer in order to activate the ECO valve. Then run a cotton cycle at 90° or 95°C, without any laundry in the machine, to remove any manufacturing residue from the drum and tub. Pour 1/2 a measure of detergent into the dispenser drawer and start the machine. Daily Use Load the laundry

1. Open the door by carefully pulling the door handle outwards. Place the laundry in the drum, one item at a time, shaking them out as much as possible.

2. Close firmly the door. You must hear a click during closing. Attention! Do not embed the laundry between the door and the rubber joint. Measure out the detergent and the fabric softener Your new appliance was designed to reduce water, energy and detergent consumption. 1. Pull out the dispenser drawer until it stops. Measure out the amount of detergent required, pour it into the main wash compartment and, if you wish to carry out the prewash phase or to perform the stain function , pour the detergent or the stain remover into the compartment marked . If using liquid detergents, a programme without prewash must be selected. 12 Use 2.

If required, pour fabric softener into the compartment marked (the amount used must not exceed the MAX mark in the drawer). Close the drawer gently.

Select the required programme by means of programme selector dial (1) You can choose the right programme for any type of laundry following the descriptions on the washing programme tables (see «Washing Programmes»). Turn the programme selector dial to the required programme. The programme selector determines the type of washing cycle (e.

g. water level, drum movement, number of rinses) and the washing temperature according to the type of laundry. The pilot light of button 5 starts flashing.

The selector dial can be turned either clockwise or anticlockwise. Turn to position O/OFF to Reset programme/Switch OFF the machine.

At the end of the programme the selector dial must be turned to position O/OFF, to switch the machine off. For the description of each washing programmes of the selector dial, consult the chapter «Washing programmes». Attention! If you turn the programme selector dial to another programme when the machine is working, the yellow pilot light of button 5 will flash 3 times to indicate a wrong selection. The machine will not perform the new selected programme. Select the SPIN speed or the RINSE HOLD option (Button 2) When the required programme has been selected, your appliance automatically proposes the maximum spin speed provided for that programme. Press the button 2 repeatedly to change the spin speed, if you want your laundry to be spun at a speed different from the one proposed by the washing machine. The relevant light will light up. Use 13 Rinse Hold: then to the new programme position. Start the new programme by pressing the 5 button again. The washing water in the tub will not emptied out.

Use 15 Interrupting a programme Press the button 5 to interrupt a programme which is running, the corresponding light starts blinking. Press the button again to restart the programme. Cancelling a programme Turn the selector dial to O to cancel a programme which is running. Now you can select a new programme. Opening the door after the programme has started First set the machine to pause by pressing the button 5. After some minutes the door can be opened. If the door remains locked, this means that the machine is already heating, that the water level is above the bottom edge of the door. In this case the door can not be opened. If you cannot open the door but you need to open it you have to switch the machine off by turning the selector dial to O. After about some minutes the door can be opened (pay attention to the water level and temperature!).

After closing the door, it is necessary to select the programme and options again and to press button 5. At the end of the programme The machine stops automatically. The pilot light of button 5 and pilot light 7.1 go off. The phase light 7.

2 goes on. If a programme or an option that ends with water still in the tub has been selected, the relative pilot light remains lit, the phase light 7.2 goes on, the door remains locked to indicate that the water must be emptied out before opening the door. To empty the water out: -turn the programme selector dial to O -select the DRAIN or SPIN programme -reduce the spin speed if needed, by means of the relevant button -press button 5 -when the programme has finished only the pilot light 7.



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H. 0-7 0-15 8-14 16-25 15-21 26-37 > 21 > 37 22 Care and cleaning Care and cleaning You must DISCONNECT the appliance from the electricity supply, before you can carry out any cleaning or maintenance work.

Descaling The water we use normally contains lime. It is a good idea to periodically use a water softening powder in the machine. Do this separately from any laundry washing, and according to the softening powder manufacturer's instructions. This will help to prevent the formation of lime deposits. After each wash Leave the door open for a while. This helps to prevent mould and stagnant smells forming inside the appliance. Keeping the door open after a wash will also help to preserve the door seal. **Maintenance wash** With the use of low temperature washes it is possible to get a build up of residues inside the drum. We recommend that a maintenance wash be performed on a regular basis. To run a maintenance wash: · The drum should be empty of laundry.

· Select the hottest cotton wash programme. · Use a normal measure of detergent, must be a powder with biological properties. **External cleaning** Clean the exterior cabinet of the appliance with soap and water only, and then dry thoroughly. **Important:** do not use methylated spirits, solvents or similar products to clean the cabinet. **Detergent dispenser drawer** The detergent dispenser drawer should be cleaned regularly. 1. Remove the detergent dispenser drawer by pulling it firmly. **Care and cleaning 23** Remove the conditioner insert from the middle compartment. Clean all parts with water. Put the conditioner insert in as far as it will go, so that it is firmly in place.

Clean all parts of the washing machine, especially the nozzles in the top of the washing-in chamber, with a brush. 6. Insert the detergent dispenser drawer in the guide rails and push it in. 2. 3.

4. 5. **Washing drum** Rust deposits in the drum may occur due to rusting foreign bodies in the washing or tap water containing iron. **Important!** Do not clean the drum with acidic descaling agents, scouring agents containing chlorine or iron or steel wool. 1.

Remove any rust deposits on the drum with a cleaning agent for stainless steel. 2. Run a washing cycle without any washing to clean off any cleaning agent residues. Programme: COTTONS 95 or 90°C, press the «SUPER QUICK» button, add approx. 1/2 measuring cup of detergent. **Door seal** Check from time to time the door seal and eliminate eventual possible objects that could be trapped in the fold. **Drain pump** The pump should be inspected regularly and particularly if · the machine does not empty and/or spin · the machine makes an unusual noise during draining due to objects such as safety pins, coins etc. blocking the pump. Proceed as follows: 1. Disconnect the appliance.

2. If necessary wait until the water has cooled down. 3. Open the pump door. 24 **Care and cleaning 4.** Place a container close to the pump to collect any spillage. 5. Release the emergency emptying hose, place it in the container and remove its cap. 6. When no more water comes out, unscrew the pump and remove it.

Always keep a rag nearby to dry up spillage of water when removing the pump. 7. Remove any objects from the pump impeller by rotating it. 8. Put the cap back on the emergency emptying hose and place the latter back in its seat.

9. Screw the pump fully in. 10. Close the pump door. **Warning!** When the appliance is in use and depending on the programme selected there can be hot water in the pump.

Never remove the pump cover during a wash cycle, always wait until the appliance has finished the cycle, and is empty. When replacing the cover, ensure it is securely retightened so as to stop leaks and young children being able to remove it. **Care and cleaning 25** **Water inlet filter** If you notice that the machine is taking longer to fill, check that the filter in the water inlet hose is not blocked. 1. Turn off the water tap. 2. Unscrew the hose from the tap. 3. Clean the filter in the hose with a stiff brush. 4.

Screw the hose back onto the tap. **Emergency emptying out** If the water is not discharged, proceed as follows to empty out the machine: 1. pull out the plug from the power socket; 2. close the water tap; 3. if necessary, wait until the water has cooled down; 4. open the pump door; 5. place a bowl on the floor and place the end of the emergency emptying hose into the bowl. Remove its cap. The water should drain by gravity into the bowl. When the bowl is full, put the cap back on the hose.

Empty the bowl. Repeat the procedure until water stops flowing out; 6. clean the pump if necessary as previously described; 7. replace the emergency emptying hose in its seat after having plugged it; 8. screw the pump again and close the door.

26 **Care and cleaning** **Frost precautions** If the machine is installed in a place where the temperature could drop below 0°C, proceed as follows: 1. Close the water tap and unscrew the water inlet hose from the tap. 2. Place the end of the emergency emptying hose and that of the inlet hose in a bowl placed on the floor and let water drain out. 3.

Screw the water inlet hose back on and reposition the emergency emptying hose after having put the cap on again. By doing this, any water remaining in the machine is removed, avoiding ice forming and consequently damage to the appliance. When you use the machine again, make sure that the ambient temperature is above 0°C. **Important!** Every time you drain the water through the emergency emptying hose you must pour 2 litres of water into the main wash compartment of the detergent drawer and then run the drain programme. This will activate the ECO VALVE device avoiding that part of the detergent remains unused at next washing. **Something not working 27** **Something not working** Certain problems are due to lack of simple maintenance or oversights, which can be solved easily without calling out an engineer. Before contacting your local Service Centre, please carry out the checks listed below. During machine operation it is possible that the yellow pilot light of button 5 flashes to indicate that the machine is not working. Once the problem has been eliminated, press the button 5 to restart the programme. If after all checks, the problem persists, contact your local Service Centre.

Problem Possible cause/Solution The door has not been closed. (Yellow Start/Pause pilot light flashes) · Close firmly the door. The plug is not properly inserted in the power socket. · Insert the plug into the power socket. There is no power at the socket. · Please check your domestic electrical installation. The main fuse has blown. · Replace the fuse. The selector dial is not correctly positioned and the Start/Pause button has not been depressed. · Please turn the selector dial and press the Start/Pause button again.

The delay start has been selected. · If the laundry are to be washed immediately, cancel the delay start. The water tap is closed.



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(Yellow Start/Pause pilot light flashes) · Open the water tap. The inlet hose is squashed or kinked.

(Yellow Start/Pause pilot light flashes) · Check the inlet hose connection. The filter in the inlet hose is blocked. (Yellow Start/Pause pilot light flashes) · Clean the water inlet hose filter. The door is not properly closed. (Yellow Start/Pause pilot light flashes) · Close firmly the door.

The end of the drain hose is too low. · Refer to relevant paragraph in «water drainage» section. The washing machine does not start: The machine does not fill: The machine fills then empties immediately: 28 Something not working Problem Possible cause/Solution The drain hose is squashed or kinked. (Yellow Start/Pause pilot light flashes) · Check the drain hose connection. The drain pump is clogged. (Yellow Start/Pause pilot light flashes) · Clean the drain pump. An option or a programme that ends with the water still in the tub or that eliminates all the spinning phases has been selected.. · Disable this option. · Select the Drain or Spin programme.

The laundry is not evenly distributed in the drum. · Redistribute the laundry. Too much detergent or unsuitable detergent (creates too much foam) has been used. · Reduce the detergent quantity or use another one. Check whether there are any leaks from one of the inlet hose fittings. It is not always easy to see this as the water runs down the hose; check to see if it is damp. · Check the water inlet hose connection. The drain hose is damaged. · Change it with a new one.

The cap on the emergency emptying hose has not been replaced after cleaning the pump.

· Put the cap back on the emergency emptying and place the latter back in its seat. Too little detergent or unsuitable detergent has been used. · Increase the detergent quantity or use another one. Stubborn stains have not been treated prior to washing. · Use commercial products to treat the stubborn stains.

The correct temperature was not selected. · Check if you have selected the correct temperature. Excessive laundry load. · Introduce into the drum less laundry.

Machines based on modern technology operate very economically using very little water without affecting performance.

The machine does not empty and/or does not spin: There is water on the floor: Unsatisfactory washing results: No water is visible in the drum: Something not working 29 Problem Possible cause/Solution The programme is still running. · Wait the end of washing cycle. The door lock has not been released. · Wait some minutes. There is water in the drum. · Select drain or spin programme to empty out the water. The transit bolts and packing have not been removed. · Check the correct installation of the appliance. The support feet have not been adjusted · Check the correct levelling of the appliance. The laundry is not evenly distributed in the drum.

· Redistribute the laundry. Maybe there is very little laundry in the drum. · Load more laundry. The door will not open: The machine vibrates is noisy: The electronic unbalance detection device has cut in because the laundry is not evenly distributed in the drum. The laundry is redistributed by reverse rotation of the drum. This may happen several times before the unbalance disappears and normal spinning can Spinning starts late or the machine resume. If, after some minutes, the laundry is still not evenly distributed in the drum, the machine will not does not spin: spin. · Redistribute the laundry. The load is too small. · Add more items, redistribute the load manually and then select the spinning programme.

The machine is fitted with a type of motor which makes an unusual noise compared with other traditional motors. This new motor ensures a softer start and more even distribution of the laundry in the drum when spinning, as well as increased stability of the machine. The machine makes an unusual noise: If you are unable to identify or solve the problem, contact our service centre. Before telephoning, make a note of the model, serial number and purchase date of your machine: the Service Centre will require this information. Mod.

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.... 30 Technical data Technical Data Dimensions Width Height Depth (door included) 60 cm 85 cm 63 cm Electrical connection Voltage - Information on the electrical connection is given on the rating Overall power - Fuse plate on the inner edge of the appliance door Minimum Maximum Cotton Maximum 0,05 MPa 0,80 MPa 6 kg 1000 rpm (L 50840) 1200 rpm (L 52840) Water supply pressure Maximum Load Spin Speed Consumption value Programme Energy consumption (in kWh) Water consumption (in litres) Programme duration (in minutes) White Cottons 95° Cottons 60° Cottons ECONOMY 60°(*) Synthetics 40° Delicates 40° Wool/Handwash 30° 2.0 1.3 1.02 0.5 0.55 0.

25 61 58 46 50 60 53 135 125 150 80 65 55 The consumption data shown on this chart is to be considered purely indicative, as it may vary depending on the quantity and type of laundry, on the inlet water temperature and on the ambient temperature. It refers to the highest temperature for each wash programme.

(*) Cottons «ECONOMY» at 60° is the reference programme for the data entered in the energy label, in compliance with EEC 92/75 standards. Installation 31 Installation Unpacking All transit bolts and packing must be removed before using the appliance. You are advised to keep all transit devices so that they can be refitted if the machine ever has to be transported again. 1. After removing all the packaging, carefully lay machine on it's back to remove the polystyrene base from the bottom. HEC0008 2. Remove the power supply cable and the draining hose from the hose holders on the rear of the appliance.

HEC0030 3. Unscrew the three bolts with the supplied spanner HEC0036 4. Slide out the relevant plastic spacers. HEC0037 32 Installation 5. Open the porthole and remove the polystyrene block fitted on the door seal. 6.

Fill the smaller upper hole and the two large ones with the corresponding plastic plug caps supplied in the bag containing the instruction booklet. HEC0010 Positioning and levelling HEC0005 Install the machine on a flat hard floor. Make sure that air circulation around the machine is not impeded by carpets, rugs etc. Before placing it on small tiles, apply a rubber coating. Never try to correct any unevenness in the floor by putting pieces of wood, cardboard or similar materials under the machine.

If it is impossible to avoid positioning the machine next to a gas cooker or coal-burning stove, an insulating panel covered with aluminium foil on the side facing the cooker or stove, must be inserted between the two appliances. HEC007S The machine must not be installed in rooms where the temperature can drop below 0.

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The water inlet hose and the drain hose must not be kinked. Please ensure that when the appliance is installed, it is easily accessible for the engineer in the event of a breakdown. Carefully level by screwing the adjustable feet in or out. @@This appliance must be connected to a cold water supply. Do not place the inlet hose downwards. @@Connect the hose to a tap with a 3/4" thread. Always use the hose supplied with the appliance. The inlet hose must not be lengthened.

@@3. Set the hose correctly by loosening the ring nut. @@4. Connect the hose to a tap with a 3/4" thread. Always use the hose supplied with the appliance. Installation should comply with local water authority and building regulations requirements. Check the minimum water pressure required for safe operation of the appliance in the chapter "Technical Data". If you cannot make the cold water connection direct from the rising mains, you may be able to operate the HEC0025 appliance from your cold water storage system. There should be a minimum vertical distance of 16.5 feet between the appliance's inlet and the bottom of the water storage tank.

Water drainage The end of the drain hose can be positioned in three ways: Hooked over the edge of a sink using the plastic hose guide supplied with the machine. In this case, make sure the end cannot come unhooked when the machine is emptying. This could be done by tying it to the tap with a piece of string or attaching it to the wall. In a sink drain pipe branch. This branch must be above the trap so that the bend is at least 60 cm above the ground.

34 Installation Directly into a drain pipe at a height of not less than 60 cm and not more than 90 cm. The end of the drain hose must always be ventilated, i.e. the inside diameter of the drain pipe must be larger than the outside diameter of the drain hose. The drain hose must not be kinked.

P1118 Important! The drain hose may be extended to a maximum of 4 metres. An additional drain hose and joining piece is available from your local Service Centre. Electrical connection This machine is designed to operate on a 220-230 V, single-phase, 50 Hz supply. Check that your domestic electrical installation can take the maximum load required (2.2 kW), also taking into account any other appliances in use. Connect the machine to an earthed socket. The manufacturer does not accept any responsibility for damage or injury through failure to comply with the above safety precaution. The power supply cable must be easily accessible after installing the machine. Should the power supply cable need to be replaced, this must be carried out by a Service Centre. Installation 35 Environment concerns Packaging materials The materials marked with the symbol are recyclable.

>PE<=polyethylene >PS<=polystyrene >PP<=polypropylene This means that they can be recycled by disposing of them properly in appropriate collection containers. Old machine Use authorised disposal sites for your old appliance. Help to keep your country tidy! The symbol on the product or on its packaging indicates that this product may not be treated as household waste. Instead it shall be handed over to the applicable collection point for the recycling of electrical and electronic equipment. By ensuring this product is disposed of correctly, you will help prevent potential negative consequences for the environment and human health, which could otherwise be caused by inappropriate waste handling of this product. For more detailed information about recycling of this product, please contact your local city office, your household waste disposal service or the shop where you purchased the product. Ecological hints To save water, energy and to help protect the environment, we recommend that you follow these tips: · Normally soiled laundry may be washed without prewashing in order to save detergent, water and time (the environment is protected too!). · The machine works more economically if it is fully loaded. · With adequate pre-treatment, stains and limited soiling can be removed; the laundry can then be washed at a lower temperature. · Measure out detergent according to the water hardness, the degree of soiling and the quantity of laundry being washed.

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