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TUMBLE DRYER

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you must select your preferred
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Keep this instruction booklet on hand in order to refer to it when necessary. Take it with you when you move, and should you sell this appliance or pass it on to another party, make sure that this booklet is supplied along with the dryer so that the new owner may be informed about warnings and suggestions on how the appliance works. Read these instructions carefully; the following pages contain important information on installation and suggestions on how the appliance works.

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Manual abstract:

1 Important Information GB For your Condenser dryer to operate efficiently, you must follow the regular maintenance schedule shown below: Fluff Filter. ! You MUST clean the fluff filter after EVERY drying cycle. **sSTEP 1.** Open the door of your dryer. Open the filter and clean any fluff deposits from the filter mesh. **sSTEP 4.** Refit the filter - NEVER run the dryer without the filter in position. ! Failure to clean the filter after EVERY drying cycle will affect the drying performance of your machine. - It will take longer to dry and as a result will use more electricity during drying. You MUST empty the water container after EVERY drying cycle.

sSTEP 1. @ @ **sSTEP 2.** @ @ **sSTEP 3.** @ @ ! @ @ ! Failure to empty the water container will result in: - The machine will stop heating (so the load may still be wet at the end of the drying cycle). - The 'Empty Water' message will tell you that the water container is full.

Priming the Water Collection System When your dryer is new, the water container will not collect water until the system is primed. This will take 1 or 2 drying cycles. Once primed it will collect water during every drying cycle. You MUST clean the fluff from the condenser EVERY month. **gB STEP 1.**

Open the condenser cover - hold the handle and pull towards you. **STEP 2.** Remove the condenser by rotating the 3 clips then pulling the condenser towards you. (There may be some water in the tubes, this is normal). **STEP 3.** Flush the condenser, from the rear with water, to remove any fluff deposits. **STEP 4.** Refit the condenser unit - ensure that the unit is pushed in fully, all 3 clips are re-secured and the positioning arrows on the front of the condenser are pointing upwards. □ Check that: - The positioning arrows are pointing upwards. - The 3 clips are re-secured back into their 'lock' position.

rotate 3 clips ! Failure to clean the condenser could cause premature failure of your dryer. **3 Installation GB** Where to put your dryer Place your dryer at a distance from gas ranges, stoves, heaters, or cook tops because flames can damage the appliance. Minimum gap 10mm □ If you are going to install the appliance under a work counter, be sure to leave a 10mm space between the Minimum gaps top and any other objects 15mm on or above the machine and a 15mm space between the sides and lateral furnishings or walls. This is to ensure proper air circulation. □ Electrical connections Make sure of the following before you insert the plug into the the electrical socket: □ The socket must be grounded. □ The socket must be able to sustain the machines maximum power, which is indicated on the rating label (see Dryer Description). □ Power voltage must be within the values indicated on the rating label (see Dryer Description). □ The socket must be compatible with the dryers plug. Should this not be the case, replace the plug or the socket. ! The dryer must not be installed outdoors, even if the space is sheltered.

It can be very dangerous if it is exposed to rain or storms. ! Once installed, the dryers electrical wire and plug must be within easy reach. The power cord must not be bent or squashed. ! The power supply cord should be checked periodically and replaced by a cord specially prepared for this dryer and fitted only by authorised technicians (see Service). New or longer power cords are supplied at an extra charge by authorised dealers.

! The manufacturer denies any responsibility should any of these rules not be followed. ! If in doubt about any of the above consult a qualified electrician.

Ventilation When the dryer is in use, there has to be adequate ventilation. Make sure you put your dryer in an environment that is not damp and has proper air circulation throughout. Airflow around the dryer is essential to condense the water produced during the washing, the dryer will not operate efficiently in an enclosed space or cupboard.

! If using the dryer in a small or cold room some condensation could be experienced. ! We do not recommend that the dryer is installed in a cupboard but the dryer must never be installed behind a lockable door, a sliding door or a door with a hinge on the opposite side to that of the dryer door. Before you start using your dryer **Water drain** If your dryer is installed next to a drain the water can be plumbed into this drain. This does away with the need to empty the water container. If the dryer is stacked onto or installed next to a washing machine it can share the same drain. The height of the drain must be less than 3' (1m) from the bottom of the dryer. remove hose from position shown (see diagram). Once you have installed your dryer and before you use it, clean the inside of the drum to remove any dust that could have accumulated during transport. remove hose from here. Fit a suitable length of hose to the new location shown (see diagram).

Make sure that the hose is not squashed or kinked when the dryer is in its final location. **4 Dryer Description** The features Rating plate Water container GB Model & Serial numbers Filter Condenser cover handle (Pull to open) Condenser cover Air intake grille Control panel PROGRAMME Selection Buttons Display Unit CHILD LOCK Button ON/OFF Button The ON/OFF button : If the dryer is running and this button is pressed, the dryer is turned off. Press again, the dryer reactivates. The PROGRAMME selection buttons set the programme: press the button corresponding to the programme you want to select (see Start and Programmes). The OPTION buttons/indicators: these buttons select available options for your selected programme (see The Controls). The indicators on the display unit next to the bottom buttons light to show that the option has been selected. The START/PAUSE button/light starts a selected programme. When you press this button there will be one beep and the display will show PAUSED . Note: This light also flashes amber during the Heat & Enjoy programme and during the Post Care phase of a programme. The Display Unit gives warnings and information about the programme selected and its progress (see next page).

! When the icon is lit, the other buttons are disabled. Hold the button to cancel and the icon will go out, the display will briefly show UNLOCKED . Note: This tumble dryer, in compliance with new energy saving regulations, is fitted with an automatic standby system which is enabled after about 30 minutes if no activity is detected. Press the ON-OFF button briefly and wait for the dryer to reactivate. **5 The Display GB** Selecting your language The first time you turn on your dryer you should select your preferred language from the available list.

To change: the language current selection must flash, on the first line of the display. - Press and hold all 3 buttons: Child Lock , and Dryness Level for 5 seconds. Timed Dry - Press the Child Lock or the Timed Dry button to scroll up or down through the list. - When your required language is flashing on the top line of the display, pressing the Dryness Level button will select your choice.



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- Press and hold all 3 buttons: Child Lock , and Dryness Level for 5 seconds.

COTTONS ANTI ALLERGY SYNTHETICS WOOL BABY DELICATE CUDDLY TOYS EASY IRON REFRESH My Cycle When you select the My Cycle button the Display will show your selected programme with 'M' before its name. The second line of the display shows the dryness level you require, for each press of the option from the list below is selected and displayed. IRON DRY CUPBOARD DRY EXTRA DRY Dryness Level button the next Iron Dry: Dries your clothes ready for ironing. Cupboard Dry: Dries your clothes ready for putting away. Extra Dry: Dries your clothes ready for wearing. The display also shows: one, two or three blocks, depending on your selection. These are displayed during the programmes progress. 6 The Display Programme progress The second line of the display shows the status of the programme as it progresses: (long messages scroll across the line) (if option Crease Care PRE CARE available and selected). DRY COOL TUMBLE END OF CYCLE , POST CARE PHASE (if option Crease Care available and selected). GB END OF CYCLE, EMPTY THE WATER BOTTLE Timed drying After selecting a programme that has a Timed Dry option, press the Timed button and the display will increment the selected time, each time you press and release the button (see Start and Programmes).

Each press advances: 0:20 0:30 1:00 1:30 2:00 2:40 3:00 then , and then repeats. Delicates have a maximum time of: 2:00 The bars to the right of the time, light to give an indication of the time duration selected: 0:20 0:30 1:00 1:30 2:00 2:40 3:00 The selected time remains displayed after the programme starts. delay and Time to End Some programmes can have a delayed start (see Start and Programmes). Press the Each press of the Delay button advances the delay setting in 1 hour increments, from: 1h to 24h , then OFF and then after a couple of seconds cancels the delay. The delay time is shown on the display next to the Delay button. The display counts down the minutes of the delay period after the Start/Pause button is pressed. The second line of the display shows STARTED Delay button and the icon flashes. delay and Time to End Some programmes can have a delayed start (see Start and Programmes). 7 The Display GB Warnings The second line of the display also gives warnings and reminders: (reminders occur at the end of the programme) END OF CYCLE, EMPTY THE WATER BOTTLE Reminder that the water container should be emptied every time you use the dryer (see Maintenance). eEMPTY WATER BOTTLE Indicates that the water container is full.

The message will take a few seconds to go out after replacing the empty water container; the dryer must be running for this to happen (see The Controls). Note: If the water container fills and this message is displayed, the heat is turned off and your clothes will not dry. CLEAN CONDENSER This message indicates that you must clean the Condenser unit (see Maintenance) and will occur at intervals depending how much you have used the dryer. When you finish the next programme the message is cancelled. CLEAN FILTER Reminds you to clean the Filter every time you use the dryer (see Maintenance). start and Programmes Choosing a programme 1. Plug the dryer into the electrical socket. 2. Sort your laundry according to fabric type (see Laundry). 3. Open the door and make sure the filter is clean and in place and the water container is empty and in place (see Maintenance). 4. Load the machine and make sure items are not in the way of the door seal. If the Display is not lit: Press the ON/OFF button 6. @@@@ 7. @@@@ Maximum load is 8kg for a wet load and 4kg for a dry load. @@@@ repeat every 6 weeks. @@ repeat every 6 weeks. The maximum load should not exceed 2. 5kg and no individual item should be greater than 600g.

Programme option modifiers Extra Care This anti-ageing function for Cottons and Synthetics helps to maintain the brightness of your laundry for a long time thanks to the use of the right drum rotation (reduced in the last part of the cycle) and the correct drying temperature Note: It cannot be used with the 'Extra Dry' and 'Custart. @@ gB The Controls ! @@@@ Ensure the water container is emptied before setting a delayed start. @@@@ Note: The Start/Pause light flashes Amber during this phase. @@ high Heat Allows Low Heat to be selected on some programmes. When the light above this button is on High Heat is selected. Not all programmes allow you to change this setting. @@@@ The delay or time to end is displayed in hours and minutes and counts down each minute. 11 Laundry GB Sorting your laundry Check symbols on clothing labels to make sure that the articles can be tumble dried. Wring out each item in order to eliminate as much excess water as possible. ! Do not load dripping wet clothes into the dryer.

Wash Care Labels Look at the labels on your garments, especially when tumble drying for the first time. The following symbols are the most common: May be tumble dried Do not tumble dry Tumble dry at high heat setting Tumble dry at low heat setting Maximum load size Do not load more than maximum capacity. These numbers refer to dry weight: Natural fibres: 8kg max (18lb) Synthetic fibres: 3kg max (6.6lb) ! DO NOT overload the dryer as this could result in reduced drying performance. Items not suitable for tumble drying Typical weights Note: 1kg = 1000g (1lb = 16oz) Clothes Blouse Cotton 150g Other 100g Dress Cotton 500g Other 350g Jeans 700g 10 nappies 1000g Shirt Cotton 300g Other 200g T-Shirt 125g Household Items Duvet cover Cotton (Double) Other Large Tablecloth Small Tablecloth Tea Towel Bath Towel Hand Towel Double Sheet Single Sheet (5oz) (3oz) (1lb 2oz) (12oz) (1lb 6oz) (2lb 3oz) (10oz) (7oz) (4oz) Articles that containing rubber or rubber-like materials or plastic film (pillows, cushions, or PVC rainwear), any other flammable articles or objects that contain flammable substances (towels soiled with hair spray).

Glass fibres (certain types of draperies) Items which have been dry cleaned Items with the ITCL Code (see Special clothing items). These can be cleaned with special at-home dry cleaning products. follow instructions carefully. Large bulky items (quilts, sleeping bags, pillows, cushions, large bedspreads etc). These expand when drying and would prevent airflow through the dryer.

1500g 1000g 700g 250g 100g 700g 350g 500g 350g (3lb 5oz) (2lb 3oz) (1lb 6oz) (9oz) (3oz) (1lb 6oz) (12oz) (1lb 2oz) (12oz) At the end of a drying cycle, cottons could still be damp if you grouped cottons and synthetics together. If this happens simply give them an additional short period of drying. Note: The last 10 minutes of any time set is the Cool Tumble, so allow for this when setting the time, as this period will not dry your laundry. 12 Laundry Special clothing items Blankets and Bedspreads: acrylic items (Acilan, Courtelle, Orion, Dralon) must be dried with special care on LOW heat setting. Avoid drying for a long period of time.



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removing the filter: 1.

Pull the plastic grip of the filter upwards (see diagram). 2. Open the filter and clean the lint from the inside. Ensure the filter is fully located flush into the tumble dryer trim. 4.

Remove any lint that has built up on the inside of the door and around the door seal. ! Do not use the dryer without replacing the filter. Cleaning the condenser unit Periodically (every month) remove the condenser unit and clean any build up of fluff from between the plates by rinsing it under the tap with cold water. This should be done with cold water from the rear of the condenser. removing the condenser: 1.

Unplug the dryer and open the door. 2. Pull open the condenser cover (see diagram). Release the three catches by turning 90° counterclockwise then pull on the grip and remove from the dryer. 3. Clean the surface of the seals and replace, making sure that the catches have been secured. Check the drum after each cycle Turn the drum manually in order to remove small items (handkerchiefs) that could have been left behind. Cleaning the dryer External parts in metal or plastic and rubber parts can be cleaned with a damp cloth. □ Periodically (every 6 months) vacuum the front air intake grille, to remove any build up of fluff, lint or dust. Also to remove accumulation of fluff from the front of the condenser and filter areas, clean occasionally with a vacuum cleaner.

Your dryer uses special bearing components which do not need lubrication. ! Have your dryer checked regularly by authorised technicians to ensure electrical and mechanical safety (see Service). @@Refit the cap and replace the container securely. ! @@@@Possible causes / Solution: □ □ □ □ □ □ □ The plug is not plugged into the socket, or not making contact. There has been a power failure. the fuse has blown. Try to plug another appliance into the socket. You are using an extension cord? Try to plug the dryer's power cord directly into the socket. The door is not closed securely? The programme has not been set properly (see Start and Programmes). The Start/Pause button has not been pressed (see Start and Programmes).

You have set a delayed time (see Start and Programmes). The filter has not been cleaned (see Maintenance). The water container needs emptying? The condenser needs cleaning? (see Maintenance). The temperature setting is not ideal for the type of fabric you are drying (see Start and Programmes, and see Laundry). The correct drying time has not been selected for the load (see Laundry).

@@The items were too wet (see Laundry). the dryer was overloaded (see Laundry). @@@@ drying cycle will not begin. Its taking a long time to dry. □ □ □ □ □ □ □ Empty water message is displayed but the dryer has only been running for a short period.

Empty water message is displayed and the water container is not full. Programme finishes and clothes are damper than expected. □ □ ! For safety the dryer has a maximum programme time of 4 hours. □ □ ! Check the above points and run the programme again, if the results are still damp, contact the Service Centre (see Service). □ The display shows a fault code F followed by one or two numbers. □ If the display shows F10 or F15: - Turn off and remove the plug. Clean the filter and the condenser (see Maintenance). Then replace the plug, turn on and start another programme. if F10 or F15 is still displayed contact the Service Centre (see Service). If any other number is shown: Note down the code and contact the Service Centre (see Service).

the dryer is in 'Demo' mode. Press and hold both the On/Off and Start/Pause buttons for 3 seconds. The display will show DEMO OFF for 3 seconds and then the dryer will resume normal operation. The display briefly shows DEMO ON every 6 seconds. □ 16 Service Before calling the Service Centre: □ Spare Parts

This dryer is a complex machine. Repairing it yourself or having a non-authorised person try to repair it could cause harm to one or more persons, could damage the machine and could invalidate the spare parts warranty. Call an authorised technician if you experience problems while using the machine. GB □ Use the troubleshooting guide to see if you can solve the problem yourself (see Troubleshooting). If not, turn off the dryer and call the Service Centre closest to you. What to tell the Service Centre: name, address and post code.

□ the appliance model (Mod.). □ the serial number (S/N). This information can be found on the data label inside the door of the machine. □ Recycling and Disposal Information As part of our continued commitment to helping the environment, we reserve the right to use quality recycled components to keep down customer costs and minimise material wastage.

□ Disposing of the packaging material: follow local regulations, so the packaging can be recycled. □ To minimise risk of injury to children, remove the door and plug - then cut off mains cable, flush with the appliance. Dispose of these parts separately to ensure that the appliance can no longer be plugged into a mains socket. Disposal of old electrical appliances The European Directive 2002/96/EC on Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment (WEEE), requires that old household electrical appliances must not be disposed of in the normal unsorted municipal waste stream. Old appliances must be collected separately in order to optimise the recovery and recycling of the materials they contain and reduce the impact on human health and the environment.

The crossed out "wheeled bin" symbol on the product reminds you of your obligation, that when you dispose of the appliance it must be separately collected. Consumers should contact their local authority or retailer for information concerning the correct disposal of their old appliance. Comparative Programmes □ Programmes recommended for comparative test to EN61121 Programme (EN61121) Dry Cotton Iron Dry Cotton Easy-care textile Programme to select Load size Heat Setting Dryness Option COTTONS COTTONS SYNTHETICS 8 kg 8 kg 3 kg High High Low CUPBOARD DRY IRON DRY CUPBOARD DRY ! .



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