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Manual abstract:

This could cause an explosion. @ @ Only use products (detergent, salt and rinse aid) suitable for dishwashers. Avoid opening the door whilst the appliance is in operation, hot steam may escape. Do not take any dishes out of the dishwasher before the end of the dishwashing cycle. After use, isolate the appliance from the power supply and turn off the water supply. This product should be serviced only by an authorised service engineer, and only genuine spare parts should be used. q Ensure that the door of the dishwasher is always closed when it is not being loaded or unloaded. In this way you will avoid anybody tripping over the open door and hurting themselves. Do not sit or stand on the open door. q q Child safety q q This appliance is designed to be operated by adults. Don't allow children to use the dishwasher unsupervised. Keep all packaging well away from children. There is risk of suffocation. Keep all detergents in a safe place out of children's reach. Keep children well away from the dishwasher when the door is open.

q q q q q q Installation q General safety q Check your dishwasher for any transport damage. Never connect a damaged machine. If your dishwasher is damaged contact your supplier. All packaging must be removed before use. Any electrical and plumbing work required to install this appliance must be carried out by a qualified and competent person.

For safety reasons it is dangerous to alter the specifications or attempt to modify this product in any way. Dishwasher detergents can cause chemical burns to eyes, mouth and throat. Could endanger life! Comply with the safety instructions of the dishwasher detergent manufacturer. The water in your dishwasher is not for drinking. Detergent residues may still be present in your machine. q q q q 3 q Never use the dishwasher if the electrical supply cable and water hoses are damaged; or if the control panel, work top or plinth area are damaged such that the inside of the appliance is freely accessible. Contact your local Service Force centre, in order to avoid hazard. All sides of the dishwasher must never be drilled to prevent damage to hydraulic and electric components. WARNING! For electrical and water connection carefully follow the instructions given in specific paragraphs. q Control panel and functions Programme phase indicator lights Delay start button Programme selector dial and On/Off switch 5 1 4 3 2 Programme guide Start/Cancel button Salt and rinse aid refilling lights Programme selector dial and On/Off switch q q when in this position, the machine is switched off (corresponding light off), when the marker on the dial corresponds with a programme, the machine is switched on and a programme is selected (corresponding light on) 4 q Starting the washing programme: 1.

Select a washing programme. 2. Press the start / cancel button (corresponding light on). IMPORTANT! Once the programme has started, if you want to change the selection made you must cancel the washing programme in progress. Start / cancel button q Cancel the washing programme in progress: 1. Press and hold the start / cancel button until the corresponding light turns off. 2. Release the start / cancel button. 3. Turn the programme selector dial to the Off position or select a new washing programme (check that there is detergent in the detergent dispenser).

Delay start button This option allows the start of the programme to be delayed by 3 hours. Once the washing programme has been set, press the delay start button. The corresponding indicator light illuminates. Press the start / cancel button, the countdown of the delay start begins automatically. Once the countdown has elapsed the washing programme will start automatically.

The delay start indicator light turns off. Cancel the delay start in progress: press and hold the start / cancel button until the start / cancel and delay start indicator lights turn off. To start the washing programme press the start / cancel button. Wash light Illuminates when the washing and rinsing phases are running. Drying light Illuminates when the drying phase is running.

Illuminates when the washing programme has ended. Switch off the dishwasher by returning the programme selector dial to the Off position. The On/Off light turns off. End light It also has added functions of visual signalling as: - the setting of the water softener, - intervention of an alarm due to the malfunction of the machine. 5 Salt refilling light Illuminates when special salt needs to be filled. It can remain illuminated several hours after the salt has been filled. Rinse aid refilling light Illuminates when rinse aid needs to be filled. Programme table Programme POWER WASH 70 1 NORMAL WASH 65 2 QUICK WASH 65 3 ECO WASH 50 4 RINSE & HOLD 5 Heavy soil. Crockery, cutlery, pots and pans Normal soil. Crockery and cutlery Light soil.

Crockery and cutlery Normal soil. Crockery and cutlery Any. Partial load (to be completed later in the day). This programme does not require the use of detergent. Use Cycle description Prewash - Main wash 2 intermediate rinses Final rinse - Dry Prewash - Main wash 2 intermediate rinses Final rinse - Dry Main wash Final rinse Prewash - Main wash 1 intermediate rinse Final rinse - Dry Prewash 6 Before the first use When using separate special (dishwasher) salt, rinse aid and detergent: - set the water softener - add special (dishwasher) salt - fill up with rinse aid When using tablets that integrate rinse aid, detergent, salt function and other additives: there is no need to fill up with special salt or rinse aid. Check whether these detergents are suitable for your water hardness. Follow the manufacturers instructions. - Set the water hardness to level 1. IMPORTANT! If the drying results are not satisfactory we recommend that you: 1. Fill up the rinse aid dispenser with rinse aid.

2. Set the rinse aid dosage to position 2. If you decide in future to use separated detergents, we advise that you: - Fill up the salt and rinse aid container. - Adjust the water hardness setting to the highest level and perform 1 normal washing programme without loading any dishes. - Adjust the water hardness setting according to the hardness of the water in your area.

- Adjust the rinse aid dosage When using tablets that integrate rinse aid and detergent: there is no need to fill up with rinse aid - set the water softener - add special (dishwasher) salt Setting the water softener The dishwasher is equipped with a water softener designed to remove minerals and salts from the water supply, which would have a detrimental or adverse effect on the operation of the appliance. The softener should be adjusted according to the hardness of the water in your area. Your local Water Authority can advise you on the hardness of the water in your area. IMPORTANT! The water softener must be set in both ways: manually and electronically.



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7 Water hardness in Clarke1) 64 - 88 53 - 63 46 - 52 36 - 45 28 - 35 23 - 27 18 - 22 13 - 17 5 - 12 <5 in TH2) 91 - 125 76 - 90 65 - 75 51 - 64 40 - 50 33 - 39 26 - 32 19 - 25 7 - 18 <7 in mmol/l3) 9,0 - 12,5 7,6 - 8,9 6,5 - 7,5 5,1 - 6,4 4,0 - 5,0 3,3 - 3,9 2,6 - 3,2 1,9 - 2,5 0,7 - 1,8 < 0,7 Number of flashes of the "end of programme" light Adjustment of the water hardness setting manually electronically level 10 level 9 level 8 level 7 level 6 level 5 level 4 level 3 level 2 level 1 no salt necessary factory setting 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 2 2 2 2 2 1 1 1 1 1) Clarke degree, measure of the water hardness.

2) (TH) French degree, measure of the water hardness. 3) (mmol/l) millimol per litre, international unit for water hardness Setting the water softener manually (see table) The water softener is factory set at position 2. Set switch to position 1 or 2 8 Setting the water softener electronically (see table) The water softener is factory set at position 5. The dishwasher must be switched off Press and hold the start / cancel button and turn the programme selector dial clockwise till the first programme. Keep the button pressed until the programme selector light and the start / cancel light start flashing. Release the button. The End light will flash. The number of flashes corresponds to current level set. The End light might flash 5 times, for example. The flashing is repeated every 5 seconds.

To change the level, press the start / cancel button. Each time the button is pressed the level increases. (Level 1 follows level 10). The End light indicates the new setting. To memorise the operation, turn the programme selector dial to position off. 9 Filling with dishwasher salt CAUTION! Use only special salt suitable for dishwashers Only before filling with salt for the first time, fill the salt container with water Using the funnel provided, pour in the salt until the container is filled with salt. IMPORTANT! Immediately start a complete programme. Remove any trace of salt. Replace the cap tightly turning it clockwise until it stops with a click. IMPORTANT! Top up the special salt when the light on the control panel illuminates.

IMPORTANT! Water will overflow from the container as salt is added. 10 Filling with rinse aid Open the lid. Fill up with rinse aid. The maximum level for filling is indicated by "max". Clean up any rinse aid which overflows.

Close the lid and press until it locks. IMPORTANT! Top up the rinse aid when the light on the control panel illuminates. CAUTION! Never fill the rinse aid dispenser with any other substances (e.g. dishwasher cleaning agent, liquid detergent).

This would damage the appliance. Adjusting the dosage of rinse aid Increase the dose if there are drops of water or lime spots on the dishes after washing. Reduce the dose if there are whitish streaks on the dishes or a bluish film on glassware or knife blades. Open the lid. Set the dosage level. (The dose is factory set in position 4). Close the lid and press until it locks. 11 Loading cutlery and dishes q The following items are not suitable for use in the dishwasher: -

Cutlery with wooden, horn, china or mother-of-pearl handles - Plastic items that are not heat resistant - Older cutlery with glued parts that are not temperature resistant - Bonded cutlery items or dishes - Pewter or copper items - Lead crystal glass - Steel items prone to rusting - Wooden platters - Items made from synthetic fibres q When loading the dishwasher, make sure that you: - Remove all left over food and debris. - Soften remnants of burnt food in pans - Load hollow items such as cups, glasses, pans, etc. with the opening downwards so that water cannot collect in the container or a deep base.

- Dishes and items dispensers are cleaned regularly with a damp cloth. We recommend every 3 months to run a 65C wash programme without dishes using detergent. Frost precautions Avoid placing the machine in a location where the temperature is below 0C. If this is unavoidable, empty the machine, close the appliance door, disconnect the water inlet pipe and empty it. Moving the machine If you have to move the machine (moving house etc....): 1. Unplug it. 2. Turn the water tap off. 3. Remove the water inlet and discharge hoses. 4.

Pull the machine out together with the hoses. 5. @@ Unplug the appliance and then turn off the water. 2. @@3.

@@The plastic components are identified by markings, e.g. >PE<, >PS<, etc. @@WARNING! @@- Cut off the cable and plug and dispose of them. - Dispose of the door catch. @@@@The dishwasher will not start or stops during operation. @@@@The water tap is turned off. The filter (where present) in the . threaded hose fitting at the water inlet valve is blocked. @@The sink spigot is blocked.

@@Anti-flood device is activated. Solution Clean the water tap. Turn the water tap on. Clean the filter in the . threaded hose fitting. Check the water inlet hose connection. Clean out the sink spigot. Check the water drain hose connection. Close the water tap and contact your local Service Force Centre. @@@@The programme does not start.

@@@@The dishes were arranged in such a way as to stop water reaching all parts of the surface. The baskets must not be overloaded. q The spray arm do not rotate freely due to incorrect arrangement of the load. q The filters in the base of the washing compartment are dirty or incorrectly positioned. q Too little or no detergent has been used.

q Where there are limescale deposits on the dishes; the salt container is empty or the incorrect level of the water softener has been set. q The drain hose connection is not correct. q The salt container cap is not properly closed. q q q q The dishes are wet and dull There are streaks, milky spots or a bluish coating on glasses and dishes Water drops have dried onto glasses and dishes Rinse aid was not used. The rinse aid dispenser is empty.

Decrease rinse aid dosing. q q Increase rinse aid dosing. The detergent may be the cause, Contact the detergent manufacturer's consumer care line. If after all these checks, the problem persists, contact your local Service Force Centre, quoting the model (Mod.), product number (PNC) and serial number (S.N.). This information can be found on the rating plate located on the side of the dishwasher door (see picture). So that you always have these numbers at hand, we recommend you to make a note of them here: Mod. : .

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. . 18 Technical data Dimensions Width Height Depth. 60 cm 85 cm 61 cm Electrical connection Voltage - Overall power - Fuse Water supply pressure

Capacity Max. weight Noise level Information on the electrical connection is given on the rating plate on the inner edge of the dishwasher's door. Minimum
Maximum 0,05 MPa (0.5 bar) 0,8 MPa (8 bar) 12 place settings 41 51 dB (A) Consumption values The consumption values are intended as a guide and
depends on the pressure and the temperature of the water and also by the variations of the power supply and the amount of dishes.



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Programme POWER WASH 70 NORMAL WASH 65 QUICK WASH 65 ECO WASH 50 (Test programme for Test Institutes) RINSE & HOLD Programme duration (minutes) 85 - 95 108 - 118 25 - 35 140 12 Energy (kWh) 1,7 - 1,9 1,7 - 1,8 0,7 - 0,8 1,05 < 0,1 Water (litres) 23 - 25 24 - 26 8 18 4 19 Hints for test institutes Testing in accordance with EN 60704 must be carried out with appliance fully loaded and using the test programme (see "Consumption values"). Test in accordance with EN 50242 must be carried out when the salt container and rinse aid dispenser have been filled with salt and rinse aid respectively and using the test programme (see "Consumption values"). Full load: 12 standard place settings Amount of detergent required: Rinse aid setting: 5 g + 25 g (Type B) position 4 (Type III) Upper basket Cutlery basket Lower basket Cup racks: position A 20 Installation WARNING! Any electrical and/or plumbing work required to install this appliance should be carried out by a qualified electrician and/or plumber or competent person.

Water connection WARNING! The dishwasher must not be connected to open water appliances or instantaneous water heaters. This dishwasher must be fed with cold water. WARNING! Only use, for connection to the water mains, new hose-set; old hose-set must not be reused. CAUTION! If the machine is connected to new pipes or pipes which have not been used for a long time, you should run the water for a few minutes before connecting the inlet hose. Inlet hose Connect the inlet hose to a water tap with an external thread of 3/4".

The inlet hose can be turned either to the left or the right to suit the installation by means of the locknut. The locknut must be correctly fitted to avoid water leaks. Drain hose - Connect drain hose to the sink. Secure it with the supplied hose clamp. - Required height: 30 to 100 cm above bottom of the dishwasher. - If you use a drain hose extension the total length should not be longer than 4 metres. Likewise the internal diameter of the couplings used for connections to the waste outlet must be no smaller than the diameter of the hose provided. 21 CAUTION! Always be sure, that there is no water leakage from hoses and their connections after the installation. Ensure that the hoses are not kinked, crushed or entangled. Electrical connection WARNING! Safety standards require the appliance to be earthed. The manufacturer accepts no liability for failure to observe the above safety precautions. Prior to using the appliance for the first time, ensure that the rated voltage and type of supply on the rating plate match that of the supply where the appliance is to be installed. The fuse rating is also to be found on the rating plate. Always plug the mains plug into a correctly installed shockproof socket. WARNING! Multi-way plugs, connectors and extension cables must not be used.

This could constitute a fire hazard through overheating. If necessary, have the domestic wiring system socket replaced. In case that the electrical cable has to be replaced, contact your local Service Force centre. The plug must be accessible after the appliance has been installed. Never unplug the appliance by pulling on the cable. Always pull the plug. 22 Fitting under a counter By removing the dishwasher's worktop, you can install it under a close fitting sink unit or a pre-existing top. Be sure that once the appliance has been installed, it is easily accessible for the service engineer in the event that a repair is required.

Unscrew the two screws at the rear. Push the top backwards about 1 cm.

Lift top at the front and remove it. Levelling Good levelling is essential for correct closure and sealing of the door. When the appliance is correctly levelled, the door will not catch on either side of the cabinet. Check if the dishwasher is levelled. If not, loosen or tighten the adjustable feet until the appliance is perfectly levelled.

23 Service and spare parts In the event of your appliance requiring service, or if you wish to purchase spare parts please contact your local Service Force Centre by telephoning: Customer Care Department For general enquiries concerning your Tricity Bendix appliance or for further information on Tricity Bendix products please contact our Customer Care Department by letter or telephone at the address below or visit our website at www.tricity-bendix.co.uk Customer Care Department Major Appliances Tricity Bendix Addington Way Luton Bedfordshire LU4 9QQ Tel: 08705 950950 (*) * calls to this number may be recorded for training purposes 08705 929929 Your telephone call will be automatically routed to the Service Force Centre covering your post code area.

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3. 4. Guarantee conditions Standard Guarantee Conditions Exclusions We, Tricity Bendix, undertake that if within 12 months of the date of purchase this Tricity Bendix appliance or any part thereof is proved to be defective by reason only of faulty workmanship or materials, we will, at our option repair or replace the same FREE OF CHARGE for labour, materials or carriage on condition that: q This guarantee does not cover: q Damage or calls resulting from transportation, improper use or neglect, the replacement of any light bulbs or removable parts of glass or plastic. q The appliance has been correctly installed and used only on the electricity supply stated on the rating plate. The appliance has been used for normal domestic purposes only, and in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions. The appliance has not been serviced, maintained repaired, taken apart or tampered with by any person not authorised by us. All service work under this guarantee must be undertaken by a Service Force Centre. Any appliance or defective part replaced shall become the Company's property. This guarantee is in addition to your statutory and other legal rights. Costs incurred for calls to put right an appliance which is improperly installed or calls to appliances outside the United Kingdom.

Appliances found to be in use within a commercial environment, plus those which are subject to rental agreements. Products of Tricity Bendix manufacture which are not marketed by Tricity Bendix. q q q q q q q Home visits are made between 8.30am and 5.30pm Monday to Friday. Visits may be available outside these hours in which case a premium will be charged. 25 European guarantee This appliance is guaranteed by Electrolux, in each of the countries listed in the following page, for the period specified in the appliance guarantee or otherwise by law. If you move from one of these countries to another of these countries the appliance guarantee will move with you subject to the following qualifications: q The appliance guarantee starts from the date you first purchased the appliance which will be evidenced by production of a valid purchase document issued by seller of the appliance. The appliance guarantee is for the same period and to the same extent for labour and parts as exists in your country of residence for this particular model or range of appliances.



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The appliance is installed and used in accordance with instructions issued by Electrolux and is only used within the home, i.e. is not used for commercial purposes. The appliance is installed in accordance with all relevant regulations in force within your new country of residence. q q q q The provisions of this

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