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Manual abstract:

Contact After-Sales Service or your local retailer. @@@@The appliance must be earthed by law. The manufacturer declines all liability for damage to property or injury to persons or animals deriving either directly or indirectly from failure to observe the directions. • Do not use extension leads or multi sockets. • Before any maintenance on the washing machine disconnect it from the mains supply. • Access to the mains plug or to disconnection from mains supply via a double-pole switch must be ensured at all times following the installation. • Do not operate the washing machine if it has been damaged during transport. Inform the After-Sales Service. • Mains cable replacement is only to be carried out by After-Sales Service. • The washing machine must only be used in the household for the prescribed uses.

Minimum housing dimensions: Width: 600 mm Height with worktop: 825 mm Height with UBS cover panel (optional): 600 mm Depth: 600 mm 2. Remove the transit bolts • The appliance is fitted with transit bolts to prevent internal damage during transport. Before using the washing machine you must remove the transit bolts (see "Installation/Remove the transit bolts"). 3. Install the washing machine • Remove the protective foil from the control panel. • Move the machine without carrying it at the top. • Install the appliance on a solid and level floor surface, preferably in a corner of the room. • Adjust the feet to ensure that the machine is stable and level (see "Installation/Adjust the feet"). 4. Water supply • Connect the water supply inlet hose in accordance with regulations of your local water company (see "Installation/Connect the water inlet hose"). cold water only • Water supply: 3/4" threaded hose connection • Tap: 100-1000 kPa (1-10 bar). • Pressure: For Australia, New Zealand, Great Britain & Ireland: • Water inlet: hot and cold fill. The warm water inlet temperature must not exceed 60° C. • The hot water fitting is the same size and the same pressure requirements apply as per cold water. 5. Drain hose • Connect the drain hose to the siphon or hook it over the edge of a sink by means of the "U" bend (see "Installation/Connect the water drain hose"). • If the washing machine is connected to a built-in drainage system, ensure the latter is equipped with a vent to avoid simultaneous loading and draining of water (siphoning effect). Home Appliances FIRST WASH CYCLE We recommend the first wash cycle be made without laundry. This will remove any residual water used in testing your washing machine. 1.

Turn on the tap. 2. Close the appliance door. 3. Pour a small amount of detergent (about 30 ml) into the detergent dispenser 4. Select a short program (see programme chart). 5. Press the "Start/Pause" button. . PRECAUTIONS AND GENERAL RECOMMENDATIONS 1.

Packing • The packing box may be fully recycled as confirmed by the recycling symbol. Adhere to local regulations when disposing of packaging material. 2. Energy saving tips • Achieve the best use of energy, water, detergent and time by using the recommended maximum load size. • Do not exceed the detergent dosages indicated in the manufacturer's instructions.

• The Eco Flap - a special system in the outlet - will prevent detergent loss from the drum to avoid detergent loss into the environment. • Use "Prewash" for heavily soiled laundry only! Save detergent, time, water and energy consumption by not selecting "Prewash" for slight to normally soiled laundry. • Pretreat stains with stain remover or soak dried in stains in water before washing to reduce the necessity of a hot wash program. • Save energy by using a 60° C instead of a 90° C wash programme or a 40° C instead of a 60° C wash programme. • Save energy and time by selecting a high spin speed to reduce the water content in laundry before using a tumble dryer (for machines with adjustable spin speed).

4. Child safety • Children must not be allowed to play with the washing machine. 5. General recommendations • When the appliance is not in use unplug it and turn off the tap. • Before cleaning or carrying out maintenance, switch off the washing machine and disconnect it from the mains supply. • To clean the outside of the washing machine, use a neutral detergent and a damp cloth. • Do not use abrasive detergents. • Do not attempt to force the door open. • If necessary, the power cable may be replaced with an identical one obtained from our After-Sales Service. The power cable must only be replaced by a qualified technician.

6. EC Declaration of Conformity • This washing machine has been designed, constructed and distributed in compliance with the safety requirements of EC Directives: 93/68/EC. 3. Disposing of packaging and old appliances • The washing machine is built from reusable materials. The washing machine must be disposed of in compliance with local waste disposal regulations. • Before scrapping, cut off the power cable so that the washing machine cannot be connected to the mains. • Remove detergent from compartment if you intend scrapping your appliance. DESCRIPTION OF THE WASHING MACHINE Worktop Control panel Detergent dispenser After-Sales Service sticker (on the back side of the door) 5. Door 6. Door handle • To open the door press the button on the inside of the handle and pull • Close the door by pushing it firmly (the lock will click into place) 7.

Child safety (inside door) 8. Filter (behind cover) 9. Plinth 10. Adjustable feet 1. 2.

3. 4. 1 3 2 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 CHILD SAFETY To protect the appliance from improper use, turn the plastic screw on the interior of the door using a coin or the thick rounded plastic projection on the coloured insert from the detergent dispenser: • Slot vertical: safety position, i.e. the door will not lock.

• Slot horizontal: normal position, i.e. the door can be locked again. Home Appliances DETERGENTS AND ADDITIVES Filling the detergents and additives 1. Pull out the detergent to its full extent. 2. Filling the detergent: • Programme with pre- and main wash. • Main wash programme without prewash. When using liquid detergent, extract the coloured insert from the detergent dispenser and put it in the compartment. The insert has a scale to make dosing easier.

• Add fabric softeners and conditioners - no further than the "Max" mark (three chamber model "B") or the "100 ml" mark (four chamber model "A"). • Fill chlorine bleach only to the "Max" mark (four chambers model "A") • Stain remover • Water softener (water hardness class 4) • Starch (diluted in water). In this case select the programme "Rinse and Spin". After pouring the starch fill about 1 litre of water into chamber.



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3. Slide the detergent dispenser in until it clicks shut. **Notes:** • Keep detergents and additives in a dry place and out of reach of children. • If you use descaling agents, dyes or bleaches, make sure they are suitable for washing machine use. Descaler could contain components that can attack parts of your washing machine. • Do not use solvents (turpentine, benzene, etc.

). Do not machine wash fabrics that have been treated with solvents or flammable liquids. • You can use liquid detergent in the "Prewash" phase for programmes with this option. In this case put only powder detergents in the compartment for the main wash. • When using concentrated fabric softeners, add hot water in the softener dispenser up to "MAX" level mark.

• To prevent dispensing problems when using highly concentrated liquid and powder detergents or tablets, use the special detergent ball or bag supplied with the detergent and place it inside the drum. **WASHING PROGRAMME** Selecting the programme: 1. Plug in the appliance. 2. Turn on the water supply tap. 3. Set the Programme Selector knob to the desired programme. 4. Depending on model the recommended temperature can be altered by pressing "+" or "-" button. 5. Select additional options, if desired, pressing the corresponding button. The indicator lights up. By pressing the button once more, this option can be turned off again. 6. Press the "Start/Pause" button.

The indicator light will come on and the programme duration is shown on the display (if available). The indicator lamps show the sequence reached in the programme. After starting the programme, the sequence indication runs from left to right through Wash, Rinse, Spin. When the sequence of the programme is finished the corresponding lamp goes out. Start delay (if available) Select the programme and temperature, any additional options and the spin speed.

Pressing the "Start Delay" button the associated display comes on. Press the "Start Delay" button repeatedly until the desired number of hours is reached. If the maximum number of hours is reached for the delayed start, further pressing of the button starts the counter at zero again. Press the "Start/Pause" button in order to start the programme, it will start after the selected time. Correct the start delay The start delay hours can be corrected even after the "Start/Pause" button has been pressed: press it repeatedly until the desired number of hours is reached.

Once the display has counted down the selected programme is started and the related programme remaining time is displayed. Cancel the start delay Turn the programme selector and set it to the desired programme. The remaining time of the selected programme is displayed and the "Start/Pause" button flashes.

The programme can now be started immediately by pressing this button. N.

B. With liquid detergent, a dosing aid placed directly in the drum should be used if a start delay has been selected. Door lock The door locks automatically after the programme start until the end of the programme. @@@@ • the programme sequence indicators are all off. 1.

Turn the water supply tap off. 2. Wait for the door to unlock (about one minute). 3. Open the door and unload the machine. N.B. @@ Press the "Start/Pause" button. The "Start/Pause" button flashes. 2.

Select the new programme, options and spin speed. 3. Press the "Start/Pause" button. @@@@ Press the "Start/Pause" button. The indicator flashes.

2. Following the desired pause press the "Start/Pause" button once again. Cancelling the programme If the current programme is to be terminated prematurely and cancellomatic safety functions which detect and diagnose faults at an early stage and react appropriately.

@@@@@ • Excessive foam formation may prevent spinning. @@@@ Check whether: • the water tap is completely open, and the water supply pressure is sufficient; • the water inlet hose is kinked; • the mesh filters are clogged (see "Care and Maintenance" / "Water Hose Mesh Filters"); • the water inlet hose is frozen.

Connect the appliance to the electrical supply. Reselect the desired programme and press the "Start/Pause" button again to continue with the programme (do not add detergent for this programme) b. Draining out fault The display alternately shows "FP". @@ Check whether: • the drain hose is kinked (see "Installation Instructions"); • the pump / filter are blocked (see "Removing the Filter / Draining Residual Water"). **IMPORTANT:** before draining, allow the wash water to cool down.

• the drain hose is frozen. Connect the appliance to the electrical supply. Reselect the desired programme and press the "Start/Pause" button again to continue with the programme (do not add detergent for this programme). If the fault re-occurs, contact After-Sales Service (see "After-Sales Service"). c. Electrical module fault The display shows "F4" to "F15". • Switch off the appliance. Select a programme and press the "Start/Pause" button once again. The programme will continue. • If the fault re-occurs, contact After Sales Service (See "After-Sales Service"). d. Water Stop fault (if available) An audible tone sounds. The light of the Water Stop indication is on. The display shows "FA" and the pump is running. Switch off the appliance by turning the programme selector to the " " position, unplug the appliance and make sure that the water tap is closed.

The "Water Stop" may have been triggered by: 1. too much foam. 2. a leak in the inlet hose or in the appliance. Tilt the appliance forwards carefully to allow the collected water to flow out from the bottom of the appliance. Clean up the water and make the area safe. Then: 1. connect the appliance to the electrical supply, 2. open water supply to machine (if "Start/Pause" button is not pressed, but machine begins to fill, close water supply and call After-Sales Service), 3. reselect the desired programme and press the "Start/Pause" button (there is no need to add additional detergent).

The programme will continue. If the faults occurs again, call After-Sales Service with details about the fault (see "AfterSales Service"). **AFTER-SALES SERVICE** Before contacting After-Sales Service: 1. Try to remedy the problem yourself (see "Troubleshooting guide"). 2.

Restart the programme to check whether the problem has solved itself. 3. If the machine continues to function incorrectly, call After-Sales Service. Specify: • The nature of the problem. The After-Sales Service sticker is on the inside of the door.

• The exact model of the appliance (number after the word SERVICE). • The serial number. The number is directly below the model number.



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• Your full address. • Your telephone number and area code. After-Sales Service phone numbers and addresses are given on the guarantee card. Alternatively, consult the dealer where you purchased the appliance. Home Appliances TRANSPORT AND HANDLING Never move the appliance by carrying by the worktop. 1. Unplug the appliance.

2. Turn off the tap. 3. Remove the water supply and drain hose. 4. Eliminate all water from the hoses and from the appliance (see "Removing the Filter", "Draining Residual Water"). 5. Fit the transit bolts (obligatory) (see "Installation Instructions"). INSTALLATION Remove the transit bolts 1. Slacken the four bolts with the spanner supplied (Fig A).

2. Fully unscrew the bolts by hand. 3. Holding the bolt head, pull each bolt and plastic spacer through the wide part of the holes (Fig B). 4. Close the holes with the plastic covers supplied; insert the covers in the wide part of the hole and slide them toward the narrow part until they click into place (Fig C). 5. Keep the transit bolts and plastic spacers for future use. • Whenever the appliance is transported, the transit bolts must be refitted: 1. Pry off the plastic covers with a screwdriver, slide them in the opposite direction of the arrow and remove.

2. Insert the transit bolts, performing the steps for removal in reverse order. A B C Adjust the feet If the floor is uneven, adjust the levelling feet as required (do not insert pieces of wood etc. under the feet): 1. Slacken the locknut using the spanner supplied. 2. Adjust the height of the foot, turning it by hand. 3. Tighten the locknut by turning it anti-clockwise towards the appliance casing. If the appliance is to be installed on a wooden floor, distribute the weight by placing it on a 60 x 60 cm sheet of plywood at least 3 cm in thickness.

Secure the plywood sheet to the floor. Worktop for built-under models The appliance must only be installed beneath a continuous fitted kitchen worktop. If the appliance is to be built under and the worktop removed, it is mandatory to use the cover panel UBS. This can be obtained from specialist shops or from After-Sales Service. 1. Unplug the appliance. 2. Unscrew the worktop fixing screws from the rear of the appliance. 3. Slide the worktop fully backward and lift it upwards to remove.

Install the cover panel following the relative instructions. 4. Refit the fixing screws and tighten them. 5. Plug the appliance only into the mains power socket. Home Appliances Connect the water inlet hose For models with straight hose "A" 1. Insert the dirt strainer (already premounted on the hose end or included in the accessories) into the threaded tap coupling. 2. Carefully screw the hose connection onto the tap preferably by hand. 3.

Make sure there are no kinks in the hose. 4. Check water-tightness of tap and appliance connections by turning the tap completely on. If the hose is too short, replace it with a suitable length of pressure resistant hose (1000 kPa min, EN 50084 approved type). Periodically check the hose for brittleness and cracks and replace if necessary. @ @ 1. Screw the threaded connector with the filter inserted onto the tap. @ @ @ @ @ The appliance must not be connected to the mixing tap of a non-pressurized water heater. The inlet hose and the plastic enclosure at the tap connection contain electrical components. Do not cut the hose and do not immerse the plastic enclosure in water.

B Connect the water drain hose 1. Connect the drain hose to the siphon or hook it over the edge of a sink by means of the "U" bend. 2. Make sure there are no kinks in the hose. 3. Secure the hose so that it cannot fall down while the appliance is running. The drain hose should not be hooked onto small washbasins. If you need to add an extension, use a flexible hose of the same type and secure the union with screw on hose clips. Max. drain hose length: 2.

50 m Max. drain height: 1.25 m U.K. ONLY ELECTRICAL CONNECTION Do not use extension leads or multi sockets.

Electrical connections must be made in accordance with local regulations. 1) Warning - this appliance must be earthed This appliance is normally supplied with a mains lead having a plug fitted in the factory which has been checked for correct earth continuity. If the fitted plug is not suitable for your socket outlet, or if the machine's mains lead is not fitted with a plug, you should fit a suitable new, good quality plug by following the instructions in (2) below. Any unsuitable plug should be cut off and disposed of in order to avoid a possible shock hazard should it be inserted into a socket. 2) CONNECTION TO A REWIRABLE PLUG - to be carried out only by a qualified electrician The wires in the mains lead are coloured in accordance with the following code: BLUE - "NEUTRAL" ("N") BROWN - "LIVE" ("L") GREEN AND YELLOW - "EARTH" ("E") To fit a new plug, proceed as follows: 2.

1 Polarized Plugs (e.g. 3 pin, 13 amp plug conforming to BS 1363A) a. The GREEN AND YELLOW wire must be connected to the terminal in the plug which is marked with the letter "E" or by the Earth symbol or coloured green and yellow. b. The BLUE wire must be connected to the terminal which is marked with the letter "N" or coloured blue. c. The BROWN wire must be connected to the terminal which is marked with the letter "L" or coloured brown. 2.2) Non-polarized plugs (e.

g. 2 pin with side earth contact) The wire which is coloured GREEN AND YELLOW must be connected to the earth contact. The other two wires should be connected to the two pins, irrespective of colour. FUSE REPLACEMENT If the mains lead of this appliance is fitted with a BS 1363A 13 amp fused plug, replace the fuse only with an A.S.T.A. approved type conforming to BS 1362 and proceed as follows: Remove the fuse cover (A) and the fuse (B). Fit the replacement 13 A fuse into the fuse cover. Refit both into the plug.

For all other types of plug, the supply socket should be protected by a 16 A fuse or circuit breaker at the distribution board. Printed in Italy 5019 108 00366

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