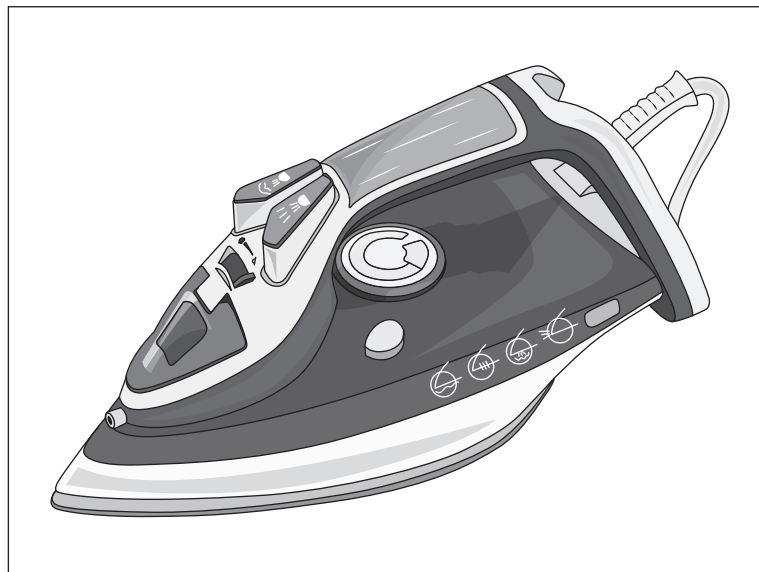


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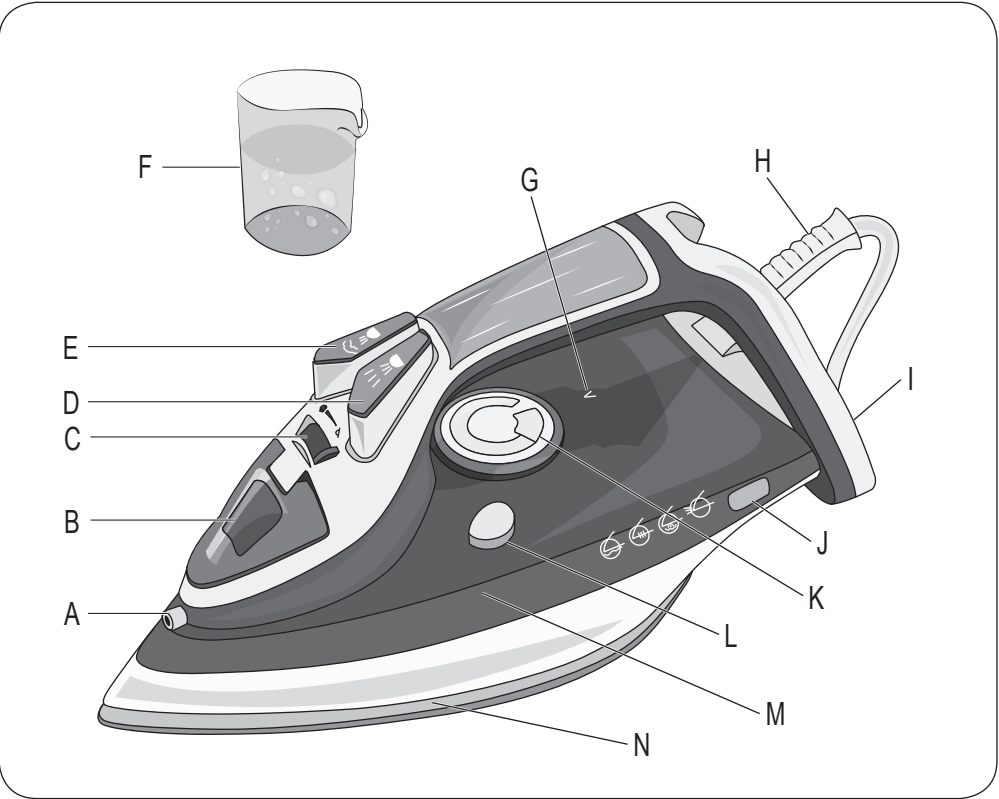


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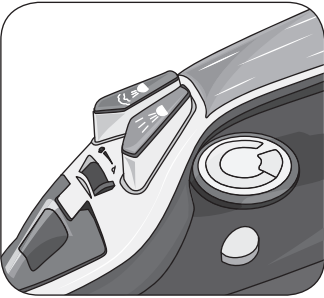


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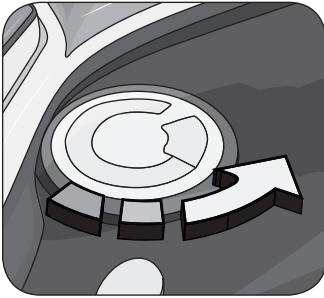


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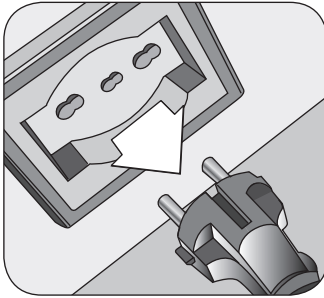


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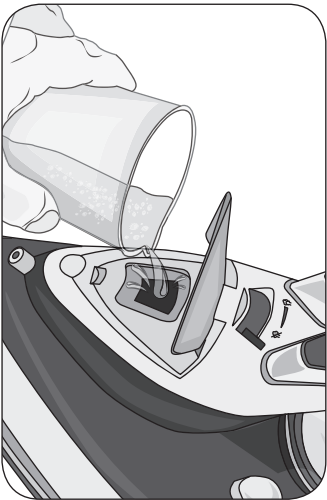


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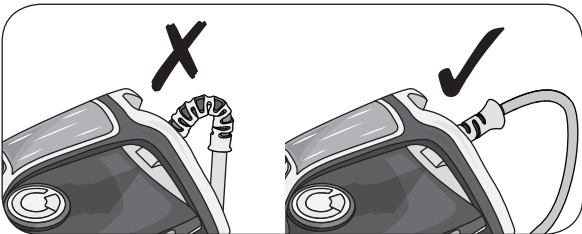


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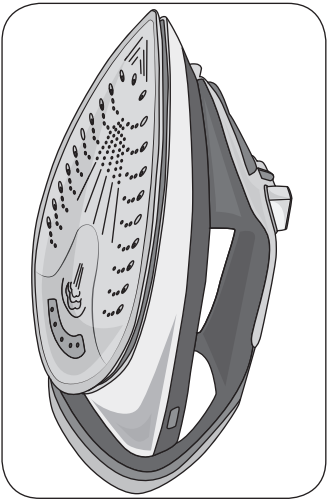


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Fig. 8

IMPORTANT WARNINGS

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY.

- The appliance has been designed for home use only and must not be used for commercial or industrial purposes.
- We decline any responsibility resulting from misuse or any use other than those covered in this booklet.
- We suggest you keep the original box and packaging, as our free-of-charge service does not cover any damage resulting from inadequate packaging of the product when this is sent back to an Authorised Service Centre.



Danger for children

- This appliance can be used by children aged from 8 years and above and persons with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities or lack of experience and knowledge if they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance in a safe way and understand the hazards involved.
- Always keep the appliance and the power cord out of the reach of children under the age of 8.
- Do not let the power cord hang in a place where it could be grasped by a child.
- Cleaning and user maintenance shall not be made by children without supervision.
- Children must be supervised at all times to ensure they do not play with the appliance.
- Do not leave the packaging near children because it is potentially dangerous.
- In the event that this appliance is to be disposed of, it is suggested that the power chord is cut off. It is also recommended that all potentially dangerous components are rendered harmless to prevent children hurting themselves when playing with the apparatus.



Danger due to electricity

- Before plugging the appliance into the mains socket, ensure that the voltage shown on the rating plate matches the local voltage supply.
- Always connect the iron to an earthed socket.
- Do not immerse the appliance in water or other liquids.
- Do not start ironing if your hands are wet or if you are barefoot.




Danger of damage originating from other causes

- Fill up the tank with water before starting up the appliance. Be sure to unplug the appliance before pouring water into the tank.
- When filling the water tank, always use the measuring cup provided. Never put the iron directly underneath the tap.
- Close the cover after filling, making sure that it is perfectly closed.
- Turn on the appliance only when it is in working position.

- The appliance may give out a little smoke when used for the first time. This transitory effect is perfectly normal and is due to the fact that some of components have been slightly lubricated.
- Place the appliance on a stable and well-lit horizontal surface during use.
- Never leave the appliance unattended when it is connected to the power supply.
- The appliance must be used and rested on a stable surface.
- When placing the iron on its stand, ensure that the surface it sits on is stable.
- When you have to leave for even a short period of time, turn off the iron, place it on its stand and always unplug the power cord.
- The appliance is not to be used if it has been dropped, if there are visible sign of damage or if it is leaking. To prevent any accident, all repairs, including the replacement of the power cord, must be carried out by an Authorised Service Centre or, in any case, by qualified personnel.
- Do not use the appliance if the power cord appears to be damaged, with parts showing burns, etc.; an authorised Ariete service centre must repair and replace the power cable, under penalty of the warranty being forfeited.



Warning of burns

- Never try to iron garments being worn.
- Do not touch the metal parts of the iron when in operation and for several minutes after it is turned off since it could cause burns.
- Do not aim the jet of steam towards parts of the body or pets.
-  Warning: hot surface.



Warning – material damage

- Remove any labels and protections from the soleplate before using the appliance for the first time.
- Always unwind the power cord before use.
- The use of extensions not approved by the manufacturer can result in damage to property and personal injury.
- Do not use sparkling (carbonated) water. If your water supply is very hard, we suggest you use demineralised water instead.
- Do not place the iron on top of the power cord when it is hot.
- Do not bend the power cord protection when it is wrapped around the iron: the cord could break with time.
- Do not pull the power cord to unplug the appliance.
- The appliance must only be cleaned with a soft, slightly dampened, cloth after unplugging the iron and allowing all its parts to cool down. Never use solvents which may damage the plastic parts.
- Do not wrap the power cord around the soleplate when the iron is hot.
- Do not put the soleplate in contact with metal surfaces.
- Always turn off the iron by turning the thermostat knob to the position MIN and

by unplugging the power cord before removing the tank to fill it with water or to empty it, before cleaning the iron, and immediately following use.

- Always take off the appliance turning the temperature control knob to "OFF" and disconnect the main plug from the wall socket before filling the iron with water or pouring the remaining water out.
- Do not expose the appliance to atmospheric agents (rain, sun ...).
- **KEEP THESE INSTRUCTIONS IN A SAFE PLACE AT ALL TIMES**

Notes: When using the iron for the first time, test it on an old piece of fabric to ensure that the sole plate and water tank are completely clean.

DESCRIPTION OF THE APPLIANCE

- A - Spray nozzle
- B - Water tank filling cover
- C - Steam adjustment selector
- D - Spray button
- E - Steam button
- F - Water measure
- G - Reference for temperature setting
- H - Power cord protection
- I - Iron stand
- J - Iron temperature control lamp
- K - Temperature adjustment knob
- L - SELF CLEAN button
- M - Tank
- N - Soleplate

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

Filling the tank before use



Warning

Make sure the iron is unplugged from the supply mains before filling the tank with water.

Set the steam control knob (C) onto "☂" (Fig. 2).

Open the door (B) by pushing it upwards and, holding the iron horizontally, fill the water tank up to the maximum level using the measuring cup (F) provided (Fig. 5).

Close the cover (B) again. If your tap water is very hard, use demineralized water.

NEVER exceed the MAX mark when filling the tank.

Do not pour vinegar, descalers or other scented substances into the tank; under penalty of immediate cancellation of the warranty.

If it proves necessary to add water while ironing, always turn off the iron and unplug the power cord before filling the tank with water.

Open the water filling cover and turn the iron upside down to empty the tank.

Turning on the appliance

It is possible that there white powder leaks from the soleplate the first time the iron is used; this is normal, and the effect will disappear after a few jets of steam.

You may notice a delay in the formation of steam the first time the iron is used; this is normal, and is because the water starts to circulate inside the iron. It may be necessary to press the steam and spray button a few times for it to operate correctly.

Rest the iron upright on the iron stand (I) (Fig. 7).

Plug it into the socket. The temperature control lamp (J) turns on.

Select the desired temperature by turning the temperature adjustment knob (K), lining it up with the reference (G) on the iron. When the iron reaches the selected temperature, the lamp (J) turns off (the temperature lamp turns off and on while ironing, indicating that the iron is maintaining the right temperature).

Follow the instructions on the care label of the garment to be ironed so that the dots shown on the iron correspond to those shown on the label.

SUGGESTIONS

Do not run the iron over zippers or other objects made of a hard material so as to not damage the anti-adherent coating.

Divide the articles to be ironed according to the types of material: wool with wool, cotton with cotton, etc...




Because the iron heats up much more quickly than it cools down, it is advisable to start with those fabrics which require lower temperatures and move on to those which require progressively higher temperatures.

If the material is made up of more than one type of fibre, always set the temperature to the fibre which requires less heat. For example, if the material is made up of 70% synthetics and 30% cotton, set the temperature control to position (•) (see table) without steam, that is, the temperature for synthetic fabrics.

If you do not know the composition of the article to be ironed, choose a part of the article which will not be seen. Do a test ironing on this part to establish the appropriate temperature (always start with a relatively low temperature and work up until the ideal temperature is reached).

Pure (100%) wool articles can be ironed with the iron set to one of the steam positions. To avoid pure wool, silk and synthetic materials becoming shiny, it makes good sense to iron them on the reverse side. For other materials, especially velvet, which can become shiny very easily, cover them with a cloth and iron in one direction only, using light pressure. The iron must be kept constantly moving over the fabric.

 Nota: This symbol on label means: this article cannot be ironed! (e.g. chlorofibre, elastodiene).

Label	Iron	Kind of textile	Fibre material
	•	Synthetic Silk	Acrylic Modacryl Polypropylene Polyurethane Acetate Triacetate Metallized cupro Polyamide (nylon) Modal viscose Polyester (rayon)
	••	Wool	Wool
	•••	Cotton Linen	Cotton (steam or dry) Linen (steam or dry)

STEAM IRONING

Steam ironing is only possible at high temperature.

Ensure that there is enough water in the water tank.

Rest the iron upright on the iron stand (I).

Insert the plug into the wall socket.

Position the temperature adjustment knob (K) on position ••• or higher.

When the temperature control lamp (J) turns off, move the steam adjustment selector (C) to the desired position. You get maximum steam dispensing by moving the selector to the “☺” position. Steam is not dispensed when it is moved to “☹” (Fig. 2).

NOTE: this model is equipped with a drip-proof system that automatically blocks water from going from the tank to the holes of the soleplate. The drip-proof system automatically cuts out the steam function if the iron's temperature should be too low.

Shot of steam

If there is water in the tank and the temperature is set on ••• or on a higher level, all you have to do is press the steam button (E).

Spray button

Make sure the steam adjustment selector is set on “☹” and that there is water in the tank. Press the spray button (D).

It may be necessary to press the spray button repeatedly to activate this function.

DRY IRONING

Insert the plug into the wall socket. Move the steam adjusting knob (C) onto “☹”.

Set the temperature control knob (K) according to the type of fabric to be ironed.

Wait a few minutes for the soleplate to reach the set temperature.

VERTICAL IRONING

This special ironing procedure serves to remove creases from curtains, fabrics, etc. Set the ironing temperature by turning the adjustment knob (K) past the symbol (•••). Put the curtain or fabric in the position you want to iron it vertically and press the steam button.

If the temperature lamp is on, do not press the steam button more than three times in a row.



Warning!

Do not iron fabrics held by other people.

AFTER IRONING

Turn the temperature control knob (K) to «OFF».

Disconnect the plug from the wall socket.

Put the iron in a vertical position and let it cool down.

Empty the tank: open the water filling cover (B), turn the iron upside-down and let the water pour out (Fig. 8).



Warning!

Let the iron cool down before emptying the tank: danger of burns.

Wrap the power cord around the iron without pulling it too tight (Fig. 6). Store the iron in a vertical position (Fig. 7).

CLEANING THE APPLIANCE



Warning!

Before cleaning, always disconnect the plug from the power point and allow the iron to cool down.



Warning!

Never immerse the appliance in water or other liquids.



Warning!

Check the state of the power cable of your iron on a regular basis before using it, and if it is damaged, take it to the service centre closest to you to have it replaced only by specialised personnel.

Self clean system

To prolong the life of your iron, we recommend that this procedure be carried out at regular intervals (once or twice a month).

Fill the tank one-fourth full with water using the measuring cup (F) provided (Fig. 5).

Set the iron on a stable surface in a vertical position on the iron stand (I). Plug it into the socket.

Make sure the steam adjustment selector is set on "☼".

Position the temperature adjustment knob on "MAX".

Heat the iron until the lamp (J) turns off a second time.

Position the temperature adjustment knob on "OFF".

Unplug the iron and keep the iron in a horizontal position on a sink.

Press the self clean button (L) and keep the iron in a horizontal position. Steam and boiling water will come out of the holes of the soleplate. They will remove the lime deposits and impurities that

have accumulated inside the boiler.

Gently move the iron back and forth until the tank is completely emptied.

Put the steam adjustment selector back on minimum “” at the end of the self-cleaning procedure.

Put the iron in a vertical position on its stand and wait for the soleplate to cool down completely.

Make sure that the soleplate is completely dry before storing the iron.

Before using the iron again, try it on an old piece of cloth to make sure that the soleplate and tank are clean and to allow residual water to vaporize.

Cleaning the soleplate and shell



Warning!

Do not use abrasives for cleaning the soleplate. Try and keep the soleplate smooth: avoid contact with metal objects.

Deposits and other residues on the soleplate can be removed with a rough cloth soaked in a vinegar/water solution.

Clean plastic parts with a damp, non-abrasive cloth and dry them with a dry cloth.

FAILURE TO OBSERVE THE RULES ABOVE CAUSES THE WARRANTY TO BE FORFEITED.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR CORRECT DISPOSAL OF THE PRODUCT IN ACCORDANCE WITH EC DIRECTIVE 2012/19/UE



At the end of its working life, the product must be not disposed of as urban waste.

It must be taken to a special local authority differentiated waste collection centre or to a dealer providing this service.

Disposing of a household appliance separately avoids possible negative consequences for the environment and health deriving from inappropriate disposal and enables the constituent materials to be recovered to obtain significant savings in energy and resources. As a reminder of the need to dispose of household appliances separately, the product is marked with a crossed-out wheeled dustbin.

WARRANTY

PLEASE AFFIX YOUR RECEIPT/PROOF OF PURCHASE HERE.

IN THE EVENT OF A CLAIM UNDER THIS WARRANTY THE AFORESAID RECEIPT/PROOF OF PURCHASE MUST BE PRODUCED TOGETHER WITH THIS WARRANTY.

Model number	(Lot number:)
Product name	
Date of purchase	
Place of purchase	

1. The party selling the product ("the seller") to the original purchaser of this product ("the customer") hereby warrants that this product will be of good quality and, in good working order and, free of defects and suitable for its intended purpose under normal household use, for a period of 1 (one) year from the date of purchase ("warranty period") of this product.
2. In the event that the warranty period has not lapsed and the product is not of a good quality, or in good working order or, is defective or is not suitable for its intended purpose under normal household use, the customer may, subject to paragraph 3 below, return the product to the seller and have the following options available:
 - 2.1 Within the first 6 (six) months of the warranty: to receive a refund of the actual price paid or exchange the product for the same or similar product of the same purchased value;
 - 2.2 Within the second 6 (six) months of the warranty: to have the product exchanged for the same or similar product of the same purchased value.
3. The seller will not replace the product or refund the customer in terms of this warranty if the product:
 - 3.1 has been altered contrary to the instructions provided in the product manual;
 - 3.2 has been misused, abused or tampered with;
 - 3.3 is defective or not in working order due to ordinary wear and tear;
 - 3.4 is damaged resulting from the customer's gross negligence, recklessness, malicious behavior or criminal conduct;
 - 3.5 has been utilised for commercial use.
4. This warranty applies only to the product that has been purchased from the seller and not to any expendables attached to or installed on the product by the customer.
5. Any claim in terms of this warranty must be supported by the original proof of purchase.
6. Note that the exchange item will only carry the balance of the warranty period as from the original date of purchase.
7. Spares:
Selected spares can be purchased from:

ServiceTec
 10 Saddle Drive
 Woodmead Office Park
 Woodmead

Email: spares.za@delonghigroup.com
 Tel: +27 11 474 0153