

Read this manual thoroughly before using the appliance. This will ensure optimum results and maximum safety. Save these instructions for future reference.

IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

Read the following instructions carefully.

- Before using the appliance, check that the mains supply voltage corresponds to the voltage indicated on the rating plate. Connect the appliance to an efficiently earthed power supply and sockets with a minimum current rating of 10 A only.
 - If the socket and power cable plug are incompatible, the socket should be changed by a qualified professional only.
 - The safety of this appliance is guaranteed only if correctly connected to a proper and effective earth connection as specified by current electrical safety standards and regulations.
- The manufacturer cannot be considered responsible for damage caused by the absence of an earth connection on the power supply line.
If in doubt, consult a qualified professional.
- Do not leave the iron unattended when plugged in.
 - Never leave the appliance filled with water in a room where it will be subject to a temperature below or equal to 0°C.
 - After removing the packing, make sure the appliance is not damaged. If in doubt, do not use the appliance and contact a qualified professional.
 - Do not leave packaging (plastic bags, polystyrene foam, etc) within reach of children as it could be dangerous.
 - Adapters, multiple sockets and/or extensions should not be used. If their use is necessary, only adapters, multiple sockets and extensions complying with current safety standards and regulations should be used, taking care not to exceed the power limit indicated on the adapter.
 - This appliance is intended for household use only. Any other use is considered improper and thus dangerous.
 - Noises could occur when the steam generator is heating up or cooling down. This is due to normal expansion of the metal it is made from.
 - The manufacturer is not liable for damage caused by inappropriate, incorrect or irresponsible use or for damage resulting from repairs carried out by unqualified personnel.

- If the tank door is damaged, replace it with an original spare part.

- To repair or if the power cable is damaged and requires replacement, contact an authorised Customer Service Centre in order to avoid compromising the efficiency of your appliance and guarantee the validity of the guarantee. For the same reasons, you are always recommended to use original spare parts.
- Use the iron rest provided ONLY. If it is damaged, use an original replacement only.

IMPORTANT!!

In the case of malfunction, steam is discharged through a safety valve on the bottom of the control unit.

You will hear a loud whistling noise caused by opening of the valve. You should immediately turn the appliance off, unplug and contact an authorised service centre. Do not use the ironing system for dry ironing without the steam generator!!

The use of all electrical appliances implies the observance of some fundamental rules.

IN PARTICULAR:

- Never touch the appliance with wet or damp hands or feet. Never immerse the appliance in water.
- Never use the appliance in bathrooms.
- Never pull the power cable or the appliance with wet or damp hands or feet.
- Never allow the appliance to be used by persons (including children) with psychological, physical or sensory impairments or with insufficient knowledge, unless closely supervised and instructed by someone responsible for their safety. Always supervise children. Make sure they do not play with the appliance.
- Never leave the appliance plugged in as it could be a safety hazard.
- **IMPORTANT: the tube connecting the iron to the steam generator may become hot.**
- Before cleaning or servicing, disconnect the appliance by unplugging from the mains.
- In the event of malfunction or faulty operation, switch off and do not attempt to repair. For all repairs contact a Customer Service Centre appointed by the manufacturer only and ask for original spare parts. Failure to respect the above could reduce the safety of the appliance.
- When the appliance is to be discarded, after unplugging from the mains, the cable should be cut to make the appliance unusable.
- If the power cable is damaged, it must be repla-

- ced by the manufacturer or an authorised technical service centre in order to avoid all risk.
- To add water, use the switch to turn the ironing system off then unplug from the mains. Never fill the appliance under running water.
 - The filling aperture must not be opened during use.
 - All contact between the hot base and cables must be rigorously avoided.
 - If the safety thermistor is activated, the appliance switches off automatically.
Before re-use, it must be serviced by a qualified professional.
 - Do not direct the steam jet toward people as this could be dangerous.
 - Do not use the iron on excessively damp clothes.
 - After ironing, allow the iron to cool before putting away.
 - NEVER mix the water in the tank (**M**) with stain removers, additives or perfumed oils.
This reduces the safety of the appliance and irreparably damages the steam generator which would have to be replaced.
 - Unplug the appliance when not in use.
Do not leave plugged in unnecessarily.
 - During use, the steam generator should not be moved.
 - The iron is not to be used if it has been dropped, if there are visible signs of damage or if it is leaking. If the ironing system is dropped causing visible damage to the appliance (steam generator or iron), do not use. Take to an authorised service centre.
 - The steam generator should be placed on a flat surface extremely resistant to high temperatures.
 - The iron must be used and rested on a stable surface;
 - When placing the iron on its stand, ensure that the surface on which the stand is placed is stable;
This appliance complies with directive 89/336/EEC on radio interference suppression.

DESCRIPTION

- A)** Steam discharge button
- B)** Steam button lock (certain models only)
- C)** "Iron at temperature" indicator light
- D)** Steam discharge trigger (certain models only)
- E)** Steam discharge wheel with top and bottom activation and end lock for continuous delivery (certain models only).
- F)** Display
- G)** ON/OFF button
- H)** Function selector knob
- I)** Manual mode button
- L)** Tank door
- M)** Removable water tank
- N)** Iron rest
- O)** Lime scale filter
- P)** Cable tidy
- Q)** Lime scale filter holder
- R)** Water hardness indicator paper
- S)** Sachet of citric acid granules

USEFUL TIPS

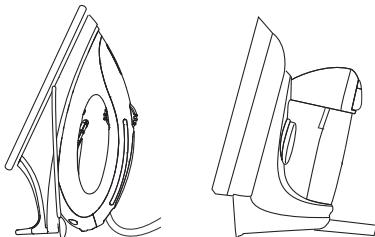
- The original appearance and softness of fabrics such as velvet or wool, or gloves, bags etc. can be restored by passing the iron a short distance away with the steam jet in operation (vertical ironing programme).
- Do not rest or use the iron on zips, hooks, rings etc to avoid scratching the sole plate.
- Keep the surface of the sole plate clean. To clean, wipe the cold surface with a damp cloth. The iron must never be treated with descaling products.
- After use, always wait for the iron to cool down before putting away.
When the iron is hot, take care not to touch the tank.
- Store the iron in a dry place.
- After ironing, the water remaining in the tank need not be drained.
However, the appliance should be drained of water if left unused for long periods.
- Separate clothes according to the recommended ironing temperature and begin ironing with items requiring the lowest temperatures.
- Silk may be dry-pressed on the reverse.
- Wool, cotton and fine linen can either be steam-

ironed on the reverse or on the right side, interposing a thin cloth between the iron and the fabric to avoid "shine".

Starched fabrics require greater moisture.

Iron whites and light colours on the right side and dark colours on the reverse. Embroidery should also be ironed on the reverse to make it stand out.

- Each time the iron is used (including for the first time) or if you have not used steam for several minutes, press the steam delivery button a number of times away from the ironing board. This will eliminate cold water from the steam circuit.
- During use, the iron can be rested in a "vertical" position (see figure below): check that the surface is flat and stable to avoid dangerous fallings. However, make sure the surface is even to avoid the iron falling over.



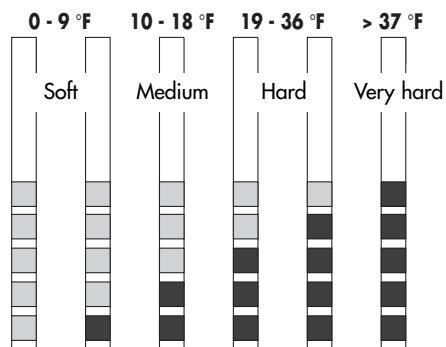
- In models with domestic iron, the iron can be secured in position (see figure on page 15).

Important: never move the appliance by the iron handle

PREPARATIONS FOR USE

The machine works with normal tap water. Never use other types of water, chemical substances or detergents (e.g. perfumed water, essences, water softener, etc).

There is a water hardness indicator paper in the packaging. Immerse the indicator paper in the water for one second, shake it to remove excess water, wait about one minute, then use the result to set the appliance the first time you use it (see table).



TURNING THE APPLIANCE ON FOR THE FIRST TIME

- Plug the appliance into a mains socket (fig. 1)
- The display (F) shows:

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(see fig. 3).

- Turn the function selector knob (H) until the required language is displayed, then confirm by pressing the knob (fig. 3).
- The display shows:

SET WATER HARDNESS

(see fig. 4): select the water hardness (soft, medium, hard, very hard, see table) by turning the knob (H), then confirm by pressing the knob (fig. 5).

- The display shows:

INSERT SCALE FILTER

insert the filter and confirm by pressing the knob (fig. 6).

- For two seconds, the display shows:

OK

It then shows:

FILL TANK

fill the removable water tank (M), open the door (L) (fig. 7) and position the tank correctly (fig. 8). Confirm by pressing the knob (H).

- The display shows:

WAIT FOR FIRST CYCLE

the pump can be heard filling the system with water.

When first used when new, internal appliance water heating tank is empty. On first filling, please be aware that extra heating time is necessary as air is removed from this internal tank and replaced with first fill of water.

There may be an unusual sound whilst filling/heating, which is quite normal, and appliance will use up first fill of water much more quickly than subsequent top-ups.

When you turn the iron on subsequently and during operation, from time to time you will hear noise and vibrations from the pump as it tops up the level of water in the steam generator. This is part of normal operation and is not hazardous.

- When the steam generator is full, the display shows:

SYNTHETICS

turn the knob (H) to select the programme corresponding to the fabric to be ironed (for example, JEANS). The "TEMPERATURE" (sole plate temperature) and "STEAM POWER" (steam regulation) bars flash (fig. 9).

The appliance is ready to use when both the "TEMPERATURE" and "STEAM POWER" bars stop flashing.

SUBSEQUENT USE

- If necessary, top up the removable water tank (M) (fig. 7) and then put back in place (fig. 8).
- Plug the appliance into a mains socket (fig. 1).
- Press the ON/OFF button (G). The following runs across the display:

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It then shows:

CHECK WATER IN TANK

- If not done previously, top up the removable water tank as described in the section "FILLING WITH WATER".
- The appliance proposes the programme:

Select the required programme (for example,
SYNTHETICS)

The appliance is ready to use when the bars stop flashing.

The following programmes are available:

- Quick&go (suitable for delicate fabrics)
- Synthetics
- Silk
- Wool
- Cotton
- Linen
- Jeans
- Vertical ironing (for freshening curtains and jackets)

Steam is not available in the "Quick&Go", "Synthetics" and "Silk" programmes.

STEAM DELIVERY IN MODELS WITH PROFESSIONAL IRON

To deliver steam, press the steam button (A) on the iron.

In models with both steam button (A) and steam trigger (D), you can choose to use either the top button or the bottom trigger as you prefer.

Certain models are provided with a lock (B) which allows **continuous steam delivery** to be obtained by keeping the steam button pressed down mechanically, avoiding the need to do so manually.

To use, simply press the button (A) and slide the lock backwards.

To release the button, slide the lock forwards.

STEAM DELIVERY IN MODELS WITH DOMESTIC IRON

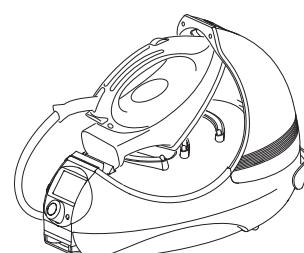
To deliver steam, rotate the steam delivery wheel forwards (E).

The steam delivery wheel can be rotated from the bottom of the handgrip.

To obtain **continuous steam** rotate the steam delivery wheel forwards until it locks into place.

In models with domestic iron, the iron can be secured for safe transport (see figure below).

Never move or lift the appliance using the iron as a carrying handle.



FILLING WITH WATER

If the water runs out while you are ironing, the display shows:

FILL TANK

and at the same time steam delivery stops.

If the water is not topped up within ten minutes, the steam generator is automatically shut off and the iron continues working.

To top up the water, turn the appliance off, unplug from the mains and fill the tank.

Then turn the appliance on again following the normal procedure.

PLEASE ENSURE THAT AT ALL TIMES REMOVABLE WATER TANK IS FIRMLY SEATED IN POSITION

The bottom of tank comprises a water-feed valve into the internal water heater tank, this may leak outside the appliance if tank is not firmly seated and waterfeed valve engaged into appliance.

In particular, only park iron in the transit notch on the tank for transport purposes. In use, always stand the iron on the provided iron rest.

If you do ever use the transit notch to park your iron, make sure you have reseated the tank down tightly in position before filling the water tank.

MANUAL MODE

If none of the programmes are suitable for the ironing you want to do, you can manually set the sole plate temperature and steam power.

Proceed as described:

- With the appliance on, press the manual mode button (I) (fig. 10). The display shows:

MANUAL

and the TEMPERATURE bar flashes;

- Turn the knob (H) until the required temperature is reached:

MIN =  TEMPERATURE MAX

MAX =  TEMPERATURE MAX

Confirm by pressing the knob.

- Then turn the knob to select the required steam level and press the knob to confirm.
- To return to the automatic programmes, press the manual mode button again.

Once the manual mode button (I) has been pressed, if no selection is made within three seconds, the appliance automatically resets to the programme used previously.

In manual mode, the appliance does not deliver steam when the temperature is lower than :

MENU FUNCTIONS

You can modify language and water hardness and set the iron to turn off automatically.

Proceed as follows:

With the appliance on, hold the function selector knob (H) down for at least 10 seconds until the display shows:

CHANGE LANGUAGE?

Press the knob to change the language, then turn it to select the required language.

Press the knob again to confirm.

The display shows:

CHANGE LANGUAGE?

Turn the function selector knob again to select water hardness.

The display shows:

SET WATER HARDNESS

Confirm by pressing the knob, then turn to select the appropriate level of hardness:

SOFT, MEDIUM, HARD, VERY HARD.

Press the knob to confirm.

It displays:

SET WATER HARDNESS

Turn the knob again. The display shows:

SET SHUT OFF?

Press the knob to confirm and turn it to set after how many minutes without delivering steam you want the iron to go off.

After choosing, confirm by pressing the knob.

The display shows:

SET SHUT OFF?

Turn the function selector knob The display shows:

EXIT

Press the knob to go back to the preset programmes.

Notes:

- When the iron has been programmed to go off automatically, to reactive operation, activate any command and the iron starts up again with the settings last used.
- The system goes off automatically an hour after steam was last used. To turn it on again, press the ON/OFF button (G).

DRY IRONING

- Plug the appliance into a mains socket.
- Pour a little water into the tank (M) to enable the system to work correctly.
- The display shows:

SYNTHETICS

- Press the manual mode button (I) then turn the function selection knob (H) to select the correct sole plate temperature for the type of fabric to be ironed.
- Confirm the selection by pressing the knob or wait three seconds (the appliance automatically confirms the selection).
- Turn the function selector knob anticlockwise until the "STEAM POWER" bar disappears from the display.
- Confirm the selection by pressing the knob or wait three seconds (the appliance automatically confirms the selection).

REGENERATE OR CHANGE THE LIME SCALE FILTER

To extend the working life of your ironing system, the appliance indicates when the lime scale filter needs regenerating or replacing.

The display shows:

REGENERATE OR CHANGE THE LIME FILTER, THEN PRESS THE KNOB FOR 5 SEC

When this message is displayed, the appliance continues to operate normally, but you should replace or regenerate the lime scale filter as soon as possible to maintain its efficiency.

Proceed as follows:

- Turn the appliance off by pressing the ON/OFF button (G) and unplug from the mains socket.

- Remove the water tank (M).
- Remove the lime scale filter (O).
- Place the resin filter in the filter holder (fig. 12). (You are recommended to do this over the kitchen sink).
- Attach the tank to the lime scale filter.
- Dissolve the contents of the sachet of citric acid supplied (S) in a 1 litre jug of tap water.
- Pour the resulting solution into the tank and allow all the contents to pass through the filter (about 20 minutes), then wait for a minimum of 40 minutes to regenerate the lime scale filter.
- To rinse the lime scale filter, fill the water tank with 1 litre of tap water and allow all the contents to pass through the filter.
- When the operation is completed, put the filter and tank back in place.

Turn the appliance on again by pressing the ON/OFF button (G).

To cancel the display press the function selector knob for five seconds.

NB: Sachets of citric acid are available from authorised service centres.

Note: The regeneration of the resins ensures long-term effectiveness: after 5 years of use, however, the filter should be replaced completely. Sachets of citric acid and the lime scale filters are available from authorised service centres.

PLUSES OF THE IRONING SYSTEM



High pressure for drier more constant steam



Water softener system to reduce the build up of lime scale in the steam generator



The iron turns off automatically for greater safety (see menu)



The system turns off if steam is not delivered for an hour for safety and energy saving.



Non drip system turns steam off if the sole plate temperature is too low



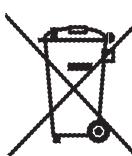
Provides vertical steam to iron jackets and curtains.

AFTER IRONING

Place the iron on the iron rest (in the secured position for models with domestic iron (B)) and wait for the system to cool down before putting it away.

To ensure efficient operation of the appliance, the limescale filter must not be removed except for regeneration.

Important information for correct disposal of the product in accordance with EC Directive 2002/96/EC.



At the end of its working life, the product must not be 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.

MEANING OF THE MESSAGE DISPLAYED AND WHAT TO DO

MESSAGE	MEANING	WHAT TO DO
FILL TANK	<ul style="list-style-type: none">The water tank is empty.The tank is not correctly in place.The tank is dirty or there is lime scale.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Fill the water tank and insert it correctly as described in figure 8.Remove the tank and put it back correctly as shown in the figure.Rinse the tank and remove lime scale.
IRON HEATING	<ul style="list-style-type: none">The iron is heating up.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Wait for the iron to heat up.
IRON OFF	<ul style="list-style-type: none">The automatic shut off time has been reached and the iron has switched off automatically (see page 16 "setting shut off")	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Press any button and/or turn the function selection knob.
REGENERATE SCALE FILTER	<ul style="list-style-type: none">The lime scale filter needs regenerating. You can, however, finish the current ironing session.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Regenerate as described in page 17.
TECH. R55.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">The water fill tubes may be clogged by dirt in the water tank.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Turn the appliance off and wait two hours for it to cool down, then turn on again. If the message continues, unplug the appliance and contact an authorised De'Longhi technical service centre.

PROBLEMS RESOLVABLE WITHOUT CONTACTING A TECHNICAL SERVICE CENTRE

PROBLEM	CAUSE	SOLUTION
The appliance does not come on.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The appliance is not plugged into a mains socket. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Make sure the appliance is correctly connected and press the ON/OFF button on the left of the front control panel.
Steam is not delivered from the iron	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The iron is heating up. The ironing system is set to manual and regulated to low temperature (less than ). The steam pressure in the control unit is too low. The iron is set to one of the programmes which do not envisage use of steam (Quick&go, synthetics, silk). Automatic iron shut off is set. None of the above. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wait for the iron to reach the working temperature as explained on page 15. Select a high temperature. Wait for pressure in the control unit to reach the rated value. Select another programme. Press any button and/or turn the function selection knob. Turn off, allow to cool down, then turn on again. If the problem continues, contact an authorised technical service centre.
Steam comes out of the bottom of the appliance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The maximum pressure safety system has tripped. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Turn the appliance off immediately and contact an authorised technical service centre.
When the appliance is turned on, it continues to request the initial start up sequence (enter language, water hardness, ...)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The first operating cycle has not been completed correctly. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Finish the first operating cycle correctly as described on page 14 (first start up).
Water leaks out from the holes in the bottom of the sole plate.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Water has condensed inside the tubes because steam is being used for the first time, or has not been used for some time. The ironing system is positioned on an unstable and/or sloping surface. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Press the steam delivery button a number of times away from the ironing board. This will eliminate cold water from the steam circuit. Rest the ironing system on a stable flat surface.
Brown coloured fluid leaks from the sole plate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chemical water softeners or additives have been poured into the water tank. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Never pour products into the water tank (see our tips in the quick guide). Clean the sole plate with a damp cloth.
The first time the appliance is turned on, you notice smoke	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Some parts have been treated with sealer/lubricant which evaporates the first time the iron heats up. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> This is normal and will stop when you have used the iron a few times.
The appliance emits an intermittent noise associated with vibrations.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Water is being pumped into the steam generator. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> This is completely normal.
The appliance emits a continuous noise associated with vibrations.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Unplug the system from the mains and contact an authorised De'Longhi technical service centre.
After topping up with water, the appliance does not emit steam.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Remove the tank completely and reposition it correctly.