## **LEGEND**

- 1) Boiler cap
- 2) ON-OFF boiler switch
- 3) "Steam ready" warning light
- 4) ON-OFF iron switch
- 5) Iron thermostat knob
- 6) Steam supply button
- 7) "Iron on temperature" warning light
- 8) Steam slider lock

## SAFETY WARNINGS

# Carefully read this handbook before using the appliance in order to obtain the best results and for maximum safety in use. Preserve this handbook for future reference.

- ✓ Carpets will become like new again by removing the mark left by furniture placed on them; make the steam penetrate into the carpet where the nap has been pressed and brush it softly.
- ✓ Neither use or lean the iron on zips, hooks, rings, etc. to avoid scratching the plate.
- ✓ The surface of the plate must be kept clean: to clean it, just wipe the cold surface with a damp cloth. The iron mustn't be treated with decalcifying detergents.
- ✔ After using it, always wait till the iron is cold before putting it away.
- ✔ Put the iron in a dry place.
- ✓ When you have finished ironing it is not necessary to empty the water left in the boiler.
- ✓ Subdivide clothes according to the fabric and begin to iron the ones that require the lowest temperature.
- ✓ Silk textiles can be dry-pressed on the reverse.
- ✓ Wollen, cotton and fine linen can be steam-ironed on the reverse or on the right side by putting a thin cloth to avoid the "shiny" effect. Stached textiles need more steam. Iron whites and light colours on the right side; iron dark colours on the reverse as well as embroidery to make it stand out.
- ✓ Linen textiles can be steam-ironed by abundantly vaporising the material and by ironing dark colours on the reverse to avoid the "shiny" effect. Iron the reverse of your clothes on the right side to make them stand out.
- ✓ Each time you start operating the steam generator (and the first time you use it) or if you haven't used steam for some minutes: press the steam control button several times and away from the ironing board. This will remove the cold water from the steam circuit.

## SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

Read the following instructions carefully:

- Before use, check that the power supply corresponds to the voltage shown on the serial number plate. Connect the appliance only to properly-earthed power outlet (minimum 10A). In case of incompatibility between the plug and your socket, have the socket replaced by a qualified
- The electrical safety of this appliance is only guaranteed when it is properly earthed according to current electrical safety regulations.
  - The manufacturer declines all responsibility for any damage resulting from inadequate earthing of the appliance. If in doubt, do not use the appliance; contact a qualified technician.
- Do not leave water in the machine when the room temperature is 0°C or below.

  After unpacking, check the appliance for damage. If in doubt, do not use the appliance; contact a qualified technician.
- Packaging materials (plastic bags, polystyrene foam, etc.) are a potential source of danger, and must be kept out of reach of children
- It is unadvisable to use adapters, multiple sockets and/or extensions. In cases in which this is unavoidable, always use adapters, multiple sockets and extensions which comply with current safety norms.
- Do not exceed the maximum power rating shown on the adapter. This appliance is designed for domestic use only. Any other use of the appliance is considered improper and therefore dangerous
- For any repairs and for the replacement of the power cable, if damaged, contact your reseller or an authorised service centre, so as to ensure the effectiveness of your appliance and the validity of the guarantee. The manufacturer cannot be considered responsible for damages caused by inappropriate, incorrect or irresponsible use or for damages resulting from repairs carried out by non-qualified personnel.
- In the event of damage to the plug, to the hydraulic and electric system, only qualified personnel should replace the component parts with original spare parts.
- When using any electrical appliance, a few basic rules should be observed:

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- Do not touche the appliance with wet or damp hands or feet. Never place the appliance in water.
- Do not use the appliance in bathrooms
- Do not pull the power cable or the appliance to remove the plug from socket.
- Do not allow the appliance to be used by children or irresponsible persons unless under supervision.
- Do not leave the iron unattended when it is switched on, as this may be a source of danger
- Always disconnect the plug before filling the boiler tank, or before carrying out any maintenance work on the actual appliance itself, or before cleaning it. In case of failure or malfunction, switch off the appliance and do not attempt to effect repairs.
- Contact an authorized Service Centre and insist on original spare parts. Failure to observe the above points may affect the safety of the appliance.
- Should you decide to not to use the appliance again, remove the plug from the socket and cut the power cable to render the appliance completely inoperative.
- The power cable must not be replaced by the user, as this requires the use of special tools. If the power cable is damaged, contact an authorized Service Centre.
- Do not fill the appliance under a running tap.
- Do not allow the power cable to come into contact with the ironing plate.
- If the safety cut-out intervenes, the iron will no longer function.
  - If this should occur, contact a qualified electrician.
- Never direct the steam jet in the direction of persons, as this may be extremely dangerous.
- ONLY use the iron pad supplied; in the event of loss (or damage), only use the ORIGINAL spare part.
- Do not use the iron on very wet fabrics.
- Do not put the iron away while the plate is still hot. Do not make mixtures with stain-removers or similar products.
- Remove the plug from the mains socket when the appliance is not in use. Do not leave the appliance switched on unnecessarily. Turn off the power switch on the appliance when it is not in use.
- The boiler must not be moved while in operation.

  DO NOT OPEN THE CAP WHEN USING THE APPLIANCE OR UNTIL THE APPLIANCE HAS RUN OUT OF WATER. The latter occurs when no more steam is released from the iron or the accessories. To add water, unplug the appliance, and wait around 15 minutes to avoid rapid changes in temperature. Place a cloth on the cap and gradually unscrew it, allowing any residual steam to be released slowly
- The boiler must be placed on a flat surface resistant to high temperatures.
- Keep this booklet in a safe place for future reference.

This appliance conforms to EEC Directive EN 55014 regarding the suppression of radio disturbance.

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

Before steam ironing, make sure the fabric is suitable for this kind of ironing. The machine works with normal water. In case of very calcareous water (hardness above 27°F) we suggest using distilled water.

#### Boiler filling and connection to the electric net

Make sure the appliance is unplugged. Remove the cap of the boiler (1) and fill the tank with water. Some models are provided with a double safety cap which can't be unscrewed if there's still steam in the boiler. Screw back the cap (1) and plug the switch in. Attention: never unscrew the cap (1) with the boiler under pression.

### **Functioning**

Press switch (2) to power the boiler. Press switch (4) to power the iron. If present, the lamp in the switch will light up.

Important: When in use for the first time, the iron may give off some smell and a particular odour due to the heating and subsequent drying out of the sealants used to assemble the steam generator and the iron. This will stop in a few minutes. It is advisable to ventilate the room.

Place the iron thermostat knob (5) in the area shown in pictures 1, according to the kind of material to be ironed (picture 4). Wait till the "steam ready" light (3) light on and the "iron on temperature" light (7) go out before starting to iron.

N.B.: both warning lights will go on and out during the ironing, according to the temperature reached by the boiler and the iron. This is part of the normal functioning of the iron and you needn't worry about it.

To obtain the supply of steam, it's your choice to press the upper or the lower steam button (6).

#### Steam button slide lock (8)

This device allows a continuous output of steam to be obtained by mechanically keeping the steam button pressed, thus avoiding to do it manually. To activate it, just slide it backwards after pressing the button (6). To unlock the button push the slide lock forwards to its original place.

The iron is provided with a special device which allows you to have a steam supply "on the whole plate" or "concentrated on the tip". If you want a steam supply "on the whole plate", press the steam supply button (6) with the iron in a horizontal position. If you keep the button (6) pressed and move the iron in a vertical position, the steam supply will continue "on the whole plate" (picture 2). If you want a steam supply "concentrated on the tip", press the steam supply button (6) with the iron in a vertical position. If you keep the button (6) pressed and move the iron in a horizontal position, the steam supply will continue "concentrated on the tip" (picture 3).

### WARNING: the iron-steam generator connecting hose may become hot.

## Refilling of water into the boiler

When the boiler tank runs out of water the steam emission stops. To refill the boiler follow these instructions.

Turn the boiler off using the switch (2). Let the remaining steam off by pushing the button (6) placed on the iron handle. Turn the iron off using the switch (4).

Unplug the appliance. Allow the appliance to cool down for a few minutes. Refill the boiler as indicated in the "boiler filling" paragraph.