#### **IMPORTANT**

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

#### **WARNINGS**

# Read the following instructions carefully.

- Before using the appliance, check that the mains supply voltage corresponds to the voltage indicated on the rating plate.
  - Only connect the appliance to a power supply and sockets with a minimum current rating of 10 A and provided with an earth connection
- If the socket and power cable plug are incompatible, the socket should be changed by qualified personnel 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 an expert.
- 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
- After removing the packing, make sure the appliance is not damaged. If in doubt, do not use the appliance and contact professional personnel.
- Do not leave packaging (plastic bags, polystyrene foam, etc) within reach of children as they 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 stainless steel 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 cap or hydraulic and electric safety system are damaged, have the components replaced with original
- spare parts by qualified personnel.

  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.
- Do not open the cap while using the appliance or before all the water has been exhausted. This occurs when steam is no longer discharged by the iron. To add water, unplug and wait about 15 minutes to avoid sudden temperature changes. Place a cloth over the cap and unscrew slowly to allow residual steam to escape slowly.
- Use the iron rest provided ONLY. If it is damaged, use only an original replacement.

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

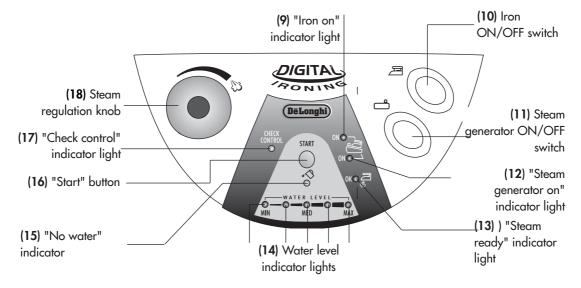
## IN PARTICULAR:

- 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 let children or unfit persons use the appliance without supervision.
- Never leave the appliance plugged in as it could be a safety hazard.
- Before cleaning or servicing, disconnect the appliance
- by removing the plug from the socket. 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.
- The power cable of this appliance should not be changed by the user. If it is damaged or needs replacing, contact a Customer Service Centre appointed by the manufacturer.
- Never fill the appliance under running water.
- 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 qualified personnel
- 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 use mixtures of stain removers or similar.
- Unplug the appliance when not in use. Do not leave plugged in unnecessarily.
- During use, the steam generator should not be moved. -Never unscrew the steam generator cap while the appliance is plugged into the mains.
- The steam generator should be placed on a flat surface extremely resistant to high temperatures. This appliance complies with directive 89/336/EEC on radio interference suppression.

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#### **DESCRIPTION**



## (9) "Iron on" indicator light

Indicates that the iron ON/OFF switch has been pres-

## (10) Iron ON/OFF switch

The ON/OFF switch turns the iron on and brings it to the temperature set with the thermostat knob (3). It must be turned on for both steam ironing (together with the steam generator ON/OFF switch) and dry ironing.

## (11) Steam generator ON/OFF switch

The steam generator ON/OFF switch turns the steam generator on for steam ironing.

# (12) Steam generator on indicator light

Indicates that the steam generator ON/OFF switch has been pressed for steam ironing.

# (13) "Steam ready" indicator light

This indicator light comes on when the steam generator ON/OFF switch is turned on and goes off when the iron reaches the steam ironing temperature. The indicator light goes on and off during ironing.

## (14) Steam generator water level indicator lights

These indicator lights measure the progressive consumption of water in the steam generator. As the water level drops, the indicator lights go out. When all the indicator lights are on, the water is at maximum level (the steam generator is full), when just one indicator light remains on, the water is at minimum level (about to run out).

To ensure correct operation of the water level indicator lights, the start button must be pressed only after the steam generator has been completely filled.

## (15) "No water" indicator light

The "no water" indicator light flashes when the steam generator is empty and requires topping up.

## (16) "Start" button

The start button tells the appliance that the steam generator has been filled.

Press (and hold down until all the water level indicator lights come on) only after the steam generator has been completely filled.

Whenever the "START" button is pressed when the steam generator is not completely full, all the water indicator lights come on, leading to an erroneous indication of the level of water in the appliance.

# (17) "Check control" indicator

The electronic system controls operation of the appliance each time it is turned on (the indicator light flashes three times then goes off). If this light remains on, it indicates that, although still in perfect working order, the iron should undergo a general check at an authorised service centre (see annexed list).

When the indicator light comes on, you can continue to use the iron normally, but should have it checked as soon as possible to keep it in perfect working order.

NB: have the iron checked by an authorised service centre only.

# (18) Steam regulation knob

The steam regulation knob enables the quantity of steam to be increased or decreased.

#### **DESCRIPTION**

- 1) Steam button lock (certain models only)
- 2) Steam discharge button
- 2A)Steam discharge button (certain models only)
- 3) Iron thermostat knob
- 4) "Iron at temperature" indicator light
- 5) Steam generator cap
- 6) Iron rest
- 7) Funnel (certain models only)
- 8) Water measuring bottle (some models only)

## Control panel

- 9) "Iron on" indicator light
- 10) Iron ON/OFF switch
- 11) Steam generator ON/OFF switch
- 12) "Steam generator on" indicator light
- 13) "Steam ready" indicator light
- 14) Water level indicator lights
- 15) "No water" indicator
- 16) "Start" button
- 17) "Check control" indicator
- 18) Steam regulation knob

#### **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.
- To remove the marks left by furniture and restore carpets to new, allow the steam to penetrate into the flattened pile and brush lightly.
- Do not rest or use the iron on zips, hooks, rings etc to avoid scratching the plate.
- Keep the surface of the plate clean. To clean, when cold, wipe the 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.
- Store the iron in a dry place.
- After ironing, the water remaining in the steam generator 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.
- Linen can be steam-ironed with abundant steam. Iron dark colours on the reverse to avoid "shine". Iron lapels on the right side to make them stand out.
- Each time the iron is used (including for the first time) or if you have not used the steam for several minutes, press the steam discharge button several times away from the ironing board. This will eliminate cold water from the steam circuit.
- This iron for domestic use is fitted with a special device to obtain either steam discharge over the whole plate or concentrated at the tip.
  - If you require steam discharge over the whole plate, press the steam discharge button (2) with the iron in a horizontal position. Hold the button (2) down and move the iron into a vertical position to obtain continuous steam discharge over the whole plate.
  - If, on the other hand, you require steam discharge concentrated at the tip, push the steam discharge button (2) with the iron in a vertical position. To obtain tip discharge in a horizontal position, hold the button down.

# INSTRUCTIONS STEAM IRONING

Before steam ironing, make sure the fabric is suitable for this kind of ironing.

The machine works with normal **tap water**. In case of very hard water (hardness above 27°F) we suggest using 50% distilled water diluted with tap water. **Never use distilled water alone**.

Never use chemical substances or detergents (eg perfumed water, essences, descaling solutions, etc).

## Filling the steam generator and connecting to the mains

Make sure the power cable is unplugged from the mains socket.

Unscrew the steam generator cap (5) and fill the tank with water (about 1.5 l) using the funnel (7).

Certain models come with a water measuring bottle (8). This accessory enables the steam generator to be filled completely by upturning the bottle over the opening in the steam generator and pressing it down (fig. 1). It may be necessary to refill the bottle a number of times). Screw up the cap (5) fully and plug the iron into the mains socket.

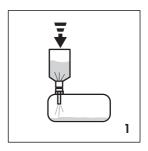
Important: never unscrew the cap (5) with the boiler under pressure.

# Turning on for the first time

- Press both the iron (10) and steam generator (11) ON/OFF switches (fig. 2).
  - On the iron, the "iron at temperature" (4) indicator light comes on. On the control panel, the "iron on" (9), "steam generator on" (12) and "steam ready" (13) indicator lights come on **and the water level indicator lights (14) start to flash**. If the "no water" indicator also flashes, this is normal. It will go off after the START button has been pressed. The "check control" indicator light (17) will flash three times while the appliance is being checked.
- Press the "start" button (16) and hold down until all the water level indicator lights come on confirming that the steam generator has been completely filled. This is the only way to ensure correct operation of the steam generator water level indicator lights.

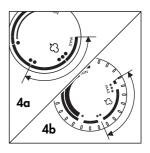
NB: When used for the first time, the appliance may give off smoke and an odour for several minutes. This is caused by heating and subsequent drying of the sealers used in assembling the steam generator and iron. This is normal. You are recommended to ventilate the room to eliminate the unpleasant smell.

- Position the thermostat regulation knob (3) in the area shown in figure
  4a (if your appliance is provided with a professional iron) or 4b (if the
  iron is a domestic model) depending on the type of fabric to be ironed
  (see temperature table on page 2).
- Rotate the steam regulation knob to the maximum steam discharge position (fig. 5).



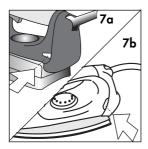
















 Wait for the "steam ready" (13) (fig. 6) and "iron at temperature" (4) (fig. 7a or 7b according to model) indicator lights go out. The appliance is now ready for ironing.

When using the iron for the first time, you are recommended to pass it several times over a piece of cloth.

NB: both indicator lights will go on and off during ironing, according to the temperature reached by the steam generator and iron. This is part of normal operation.

To obtain steam, press the steam button (2) located on the iron. You can use the steam knob to vary the amount of steam discharged from the plate according to the type of fabric to be ironed.
 NB: If your iron has both buttons (2) and (2A), you can choose to use either the top or the bottom button as you prefer.

IMPORTANT: the tube connecting the iron to the steam generator may become hot.

## Subsequent use of the iron

- Press both the iron (10) and steam generator (11) ON/OFF switches (fig. 2).
- On the iron, the "iron at temperature" (4) indicator light comes on and, on the control panel. the "iron on" (9), "steam generator on" (12) and "steam ready" (13) indicator lights come on. The "check control" indicator light (17) will flash three times while the appliance is being checked. The "water level" indicator lights (14) come on to indicate the amount of water left in the steam generator after the previous use.
- If you think there is sufficient water in the steam generator, wait until the "iron at temperature" (4) and "steam ready" (12) indicator lights go out before starting to iron.
- If on the other hand you think the steam generator needs topping up in order to iron for a longer period, turn the appliance off using the steam generator (11) and iron (10) ON/OFF switches. Proceed as described in the paragraph: "Filling the steam generator and connecting to the mains".

# Steam button lock (1)

This device allows a continuous output of steam to be obtained by keeping the steam button pressed down mechanically, avoiding the need to do so manually. To use, simply press the button (2) and slide the lock backwards. To release the button, slide the lock forwards.

## Topping up the steam generator with water

While steam ironing, the water level indicator lights (14) go off one at a time as the water in the steam generator is used up, until they are all off. When the water in the steam generator is completely exhausted, the "water level" indicator lights (14) and "no water" indicator light (15) flash (fig. 8).

To refill, proceed as follows:

- Turn the steam generator off using the "steam generator ON/OFF" switch (11) (fig. 9). The "steam generator on" and "no water" indicator lights (15) go out.
- Vent any steam left using the button (2) or (2A) on the handle of the iron.

- Turn the iron off using the switch (10) (fig. 10).
- Unplug from the mains socket. Wait a few minutes for the iron to cool down.
- Unscrew the cap slowly and fill as described in the paragraph "filling the steam generator".

IMPORTANT: each time the tank is filled, after pressing the iron (10) and steam generator (11) ON/OFF switches, press the "start" button (16) until the water level indicator lights come on to confirm filling.

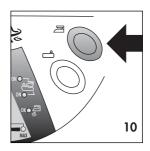
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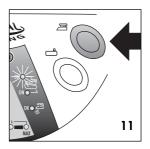
- Plug into the mains socket.
- Press the "iron ON/OFF" switch (10) to turn the iron on. The "iron on" indicator light (9) on the control panel comes on (fig. 11) together with the "iron at temperature" (4) indicator light on the iron (fig. 7a or 7b according to the type of iron supplied).
- Position the thermostat regulation knob (18), according to the type of fabric to be ironed (see temperature table on page 2).

# When dry ironing, do not use the steam control (2 or 2a).

NB: When the iron has reached the selected temperature, the "iron at temperature indicator light (4) goes out.

NB: the water level lights indicate the presence of water in the steam generator. The steam function is not, however, active (steam generator ON/OFF switch not pressed).





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