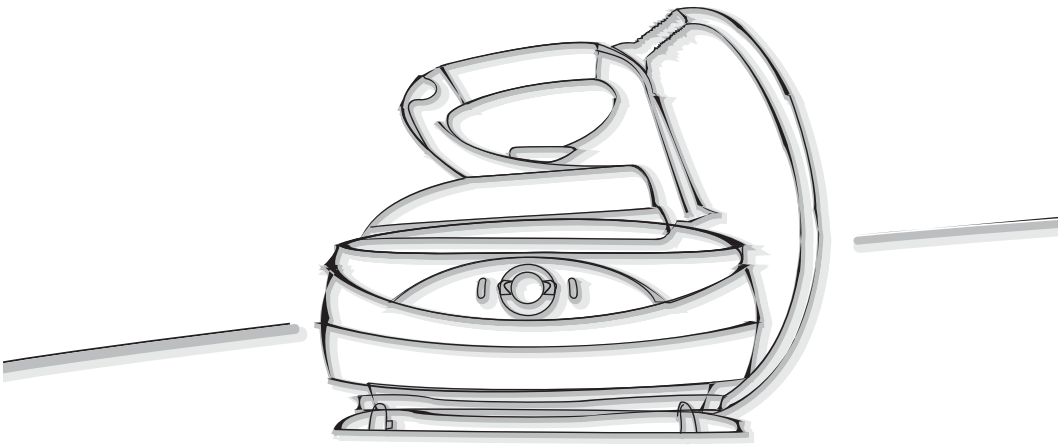


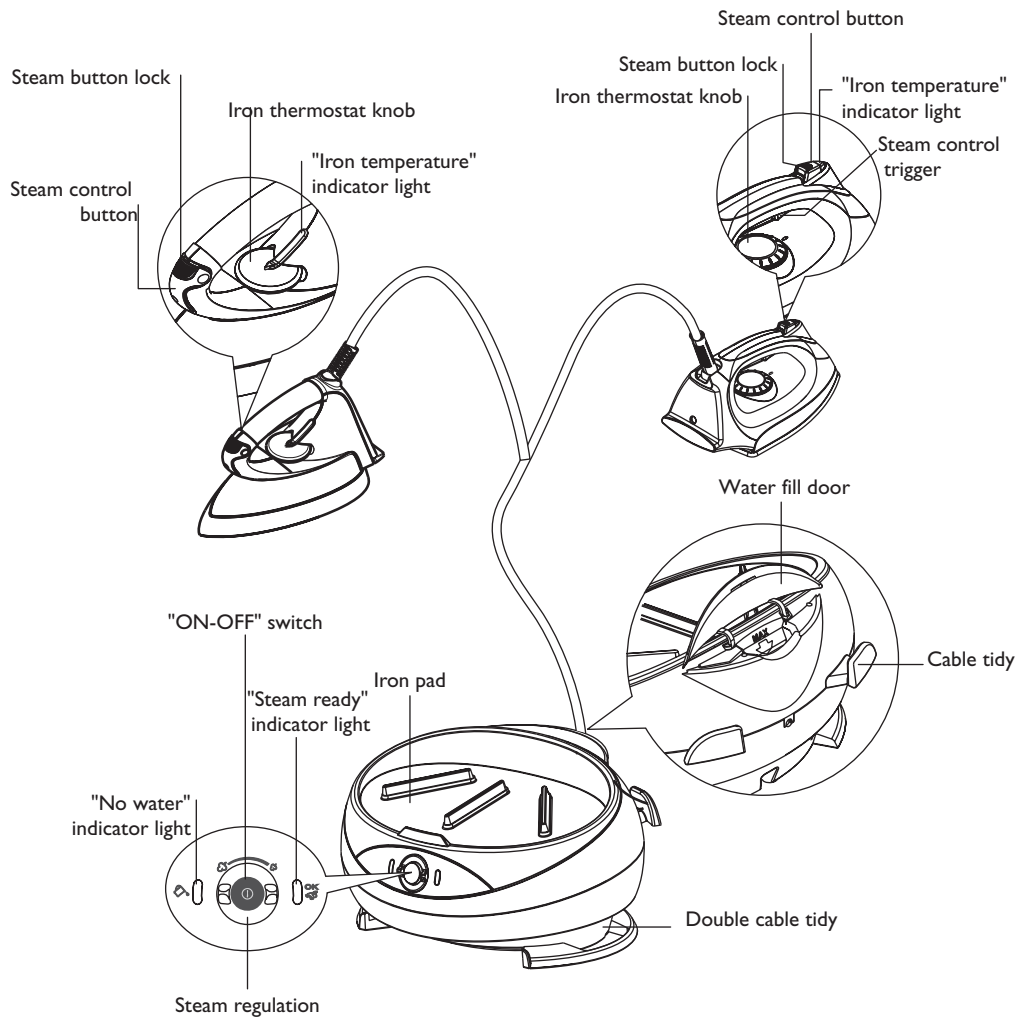
instructions



Steam Iron

Please keep your instructions for future reference

Description



Thank you for choosing this steam iron. To get the very best out of your new appliance it is advisable to read these instructions before using it. This will ensure that you gain optimum results and use the appliance safely.

About your appliance

The ironing system uses normal tap water. If the water in your area is very hard, please mix half tap water with half distilled water.

Do not use chemicals or detergents such as fragrances or scale removers in the tank as this could damage the tank.

The ironing system should be placed for use on a flat, stable, surface that is heat resistant.

We suggest that as the ironing system takes several minutes to heat up, fill it up and switch it on (following the instructions below), and then gather your ironing while you wait for it to heat up.

During use, the iron can be rested in a "vertical" position (fig. 1). However, make sure the surface is even to avoid the iron falling over.

The double cable connecting the iron to the steam generator is positioned centrally to enable both right handed and left handed users to iron comfortably.

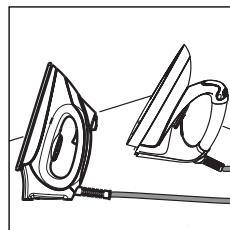


fig. 1

Filling and preparing for use

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

Lift the fill door using the special tab.

Top up to the MAX level (fig. 2). **NEVER** exceed the MAX level pointed by the arrow.

Always top up with water each time you turn your ironing system on, even if you want to dry iron.

Plug the appliance into the mains.

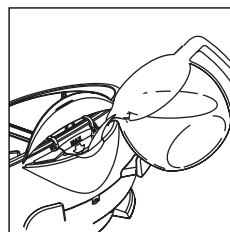


fig. 2

Using your ironing system

Press the ON/OFF switch to turn power to the appliance on. The "steam ready" indicator light and "iron temperature" light come on.

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. The room should be ventilated. It is also normal to hear the noise of the pump conveying water to the steam generator.

Position the thermostat regulation knob in the area indicated in the figure according to the type of fabric to be ironed (see table on page 5 for guidance)

Wait for the "steam ready" and "iron temperature" lights to go out before starting to iron.

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 and is not a cause for concern.

While ironing, it is normal to hear the water fill pump come on and go off.

This is caused by transfer of water from the tank to the steam generator.

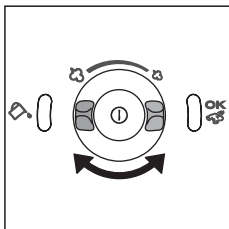


fig. 3

This is part of normal operation and is not a cause for concern.

The steam regulator enables the quantity of steam to be increased or decreased (fig. 3).

NB: When you turn the iron on, you are recommended to turn the regulator to the maximum steam position.

IMPORTANT: the tube (double cable) connecting the iron to the steam generator may become hot.

Steam discharge

To obtain steam, press the steam button located on the iron.

Models with "domestic" type iron

If your iron has both the button and trigger, you can choose to use either the top button or the bottom trigger as you prefer.

In certain models, a slide 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 and slide the lock backwards.

To release the button, slide the lock forwards.

Models with "professional" type iron

The professional iron supplied with your appliance has a bimetal plate. The aluminium distributes heat evenly across the plate, while the stainless steel ensures the iron slides easily, thus making ironing more comfortable and less tiring.

The steam button has been designed to be easily accessible for both left handed and right handed users.

There is also a slide allowing **continuous discharge** of steam to be obtained by keeping the steam button pressed down mechanically, avoiding the need to do so manually.

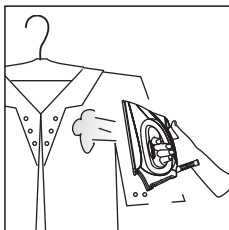


fig. 4

Vertical ironing (fig. 4)

The ironing system can be used for ironing and freshening garments on hangers, and curtains. Unless the fabric is cotton or linen we suggest holding the iron a few centimetres away from the material.

Topping up the tank with water

When the water in the tank runs out, the light comes on. You should top-up the water in the tank as soon as possible following the same procedure as filling for the first time.

This will enable you to continue ironing without interruption.

If you delay topping up (for more than 5 minutes) and the steam generator cools down, the system will stop discharging steam. Once the level of water in the tank has been topped up, the appliance will operate as if turned on for the first time, in other words, steam will be ready in five minutes.

The steam generator is now stabilised and will operate as normal, filling the water every now and then.

Dry ironing

Press ON/OFF switch to turn on the iron handset and the generator. The "steam ready" and "iron temperature" lights come on.

Position the thermostat dial, according to the type of material you are ironing, and you are ready to iron.

When dry ironing, do not use the steam control.




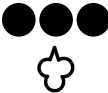
NB: When the iron has reached the selected temperature, the indicator light goes out.

Putting your ironing system away

It is normal for there to be water left in the tank when you finish ironing. This does not affect operation of the iron. **NEVER turn the appliance upside down to empty the tank.**

After finishing ironing, you should put the ironing system away with the door tightly closed to avoid dust and foreign bodies falling into the tank and possibly jeopardising operation of the pump. To put the appliance away tidily, make sure it is completely cold, wrap the power cable around the cable tidy, then wrap the double cable.

Table - Thermostat dial settings

			
Acetate, acrylic, nylon, polyester, rayon	Silk	Wool, cotton, fine linen	Cotton, linen, starched clothes

Safety Warnings

- This appliance is designed to iron. Use with extreme care to avoid burns from the steam and avoid any improper use.
- When in use, do not touch any of the appliance's hot surfaces.
- After unpacking, make sure that the appliance is complete and undamaged. In case of doubt, do not use the appliance and seek the advice of a qualified service professional.
- Packaging materials (plastic bags, foam polystyrene, etc.) should not be left within the reach of children as this could be a potential source of danger.
- This appliance is designed for domestic use only. Any other use is to be considered improper and invalidates the guarantee and could be dangerous.
- The manufacturer takes no responsibility for damage derived from improper use.
- Never touch the appliance with wet or damp hands.
- Never allow children or unfit persons to use or play with the appliance.
- Never leave the appliance unattended.
- In case of breakdown or malfunctioning, turn the appliance off immediately and do not touch. For repairs, please contact a Service Centre authorised by the manufacturer and request the use of original replacement parts only. This is to ensure the safe use of the appliance.
- Noises could occur when the steam generator is heating up or cooling down, due to normal expansion and contraction of the stainless steel with which it is made.
- Do not attempt to lift the whole appliance using the water tank handle.
- The power cable must never be replaced by the user. If the cable should become damaged, or needs to be replaced, please contact a Service Centre authorised by the manufacturer.
- When the appliance is not in use, turn off and disconnect the plug from the socket.
- The use of an extension lead is not recommended, however if it is necessary then follow carefully the extension lead's instructions, and most importantly ensure that the extension lead is correctly rated in accordance with the appliance being used and NEVER overloaded.
- As with any electrical appliance, whilst the instructions aim to cover as many eventualities as possible, caution and common sense should be applied when operating your appliance, particularly in the vicinity of young children.



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.

Electrical requirements

Before using this appliance ensure that the voltage indicated on the product corresponds with the main voltage in your home, if you are in any doubt about your supply contact your local electricity company.


The flexible mains lead is supplied connected to a B.S. 1363 fused plug having a fuse of 13 amp capacity. Should this plug not fit the socket outlets in your home, it should be cut off and replaced with a suitable plug, following the procedure outlined below.

Note: Such a plug cannot be used for any other appliance and should therefore be properly disposed of and not left where children might find it and plug it into a supply socket - with the obvious consequent danger.

N.B. We recommend the use of good quality plugs and wall sockets that can be switched off when the machine is not in use. important: the wires in the mains lead fitted to this appliance are coloured in accordance with the following code:

GREEN AND YELLOW	EARTH
BLUE	NEUTRAL
BROWN	LIVE

As the colours of the wires in the mains lead of this appliance may not correspond with the coloured markings identifying the terminals in your plug, proceed as follows:

The wire which is coloured green and yellow must be connected to the terminal in the plug which is marked with the letter E or by the earth symbol  or coloured green or green and yellow.

The wire which is coloured blue must be connected to the terminal which is marked with the letter N or coloured black.

The wire which is coloured brown must be connected to the terminal which is marked with the letter L or coloured red.

When wiring the plug, ensure that all strands of wire are securely retained in each terminal. Do not forget to tighten the mains lead clamp on the plug. If your electricity supply point has only two pin socket outlets, or if you are in doubt, consult a qualified electrician.

Should the mains lead ever require replacement, it is essential that this operation be carried out by a qualified electrician and should only be replaced with a flexible cord of the same size.

After replacement of a fuse in the plug, the fuse cover must be refitted. If the fuse cover is lost, the plug must not be used until a replacement cover is obtained. The colour of the correct replacement fuse cover is that of the coloured insert in the base of the fuse recess or elsewhere on the plug. Always state this colour when ordering a replacement fuse cover.

Only 13amp replacement fuses which are asta approved to B.S. 1362 should be fitted.

This appliance conforms to the Norms EN 55014 regarding the suppression of radio interference.

Warning - this appliance must be earthed

