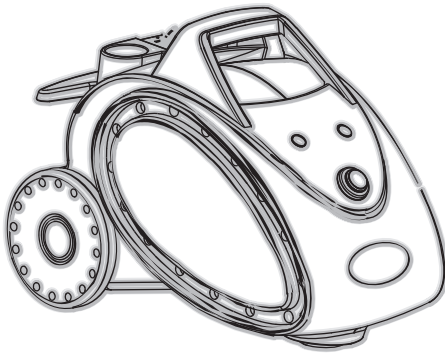


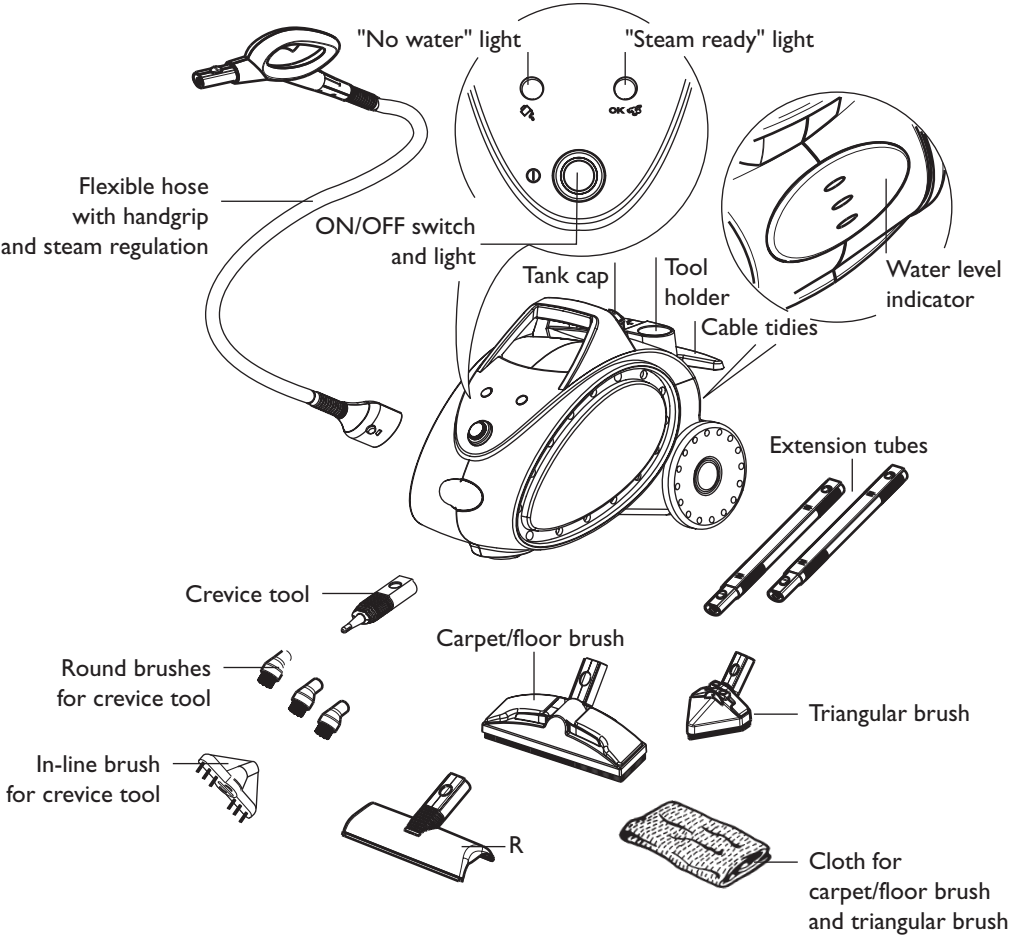
# instructions



## **Steam Cleaner**

**Please keep your instructions for future reference**

**Description**



## Safety Warnings

- 1) Read the instructions carefully
- 2) The appliance contains pressurised steam. Incorrect or improper use could be dangerous. The appliance is designed for household use only as described in the manual. The manufacturer declines all liability for damage deriving from improper use of the product.
- 3) Do not leave the appliance unsupervised when plugged into the mains.
- 4) After use and before cleaning the appliance or carrying out maintenance, always unplug from the mains.
- 5) Before use, make sure the mains voltage corresponds to the voltage indicated on the rating plate on the bottom of the appliance.
- 6) Plug the appliance into an efficiently earthed socket with a minimum rating of 10 A.
- 7) Never direct the steam jet towards power sockets or appliances containing electrical components such as those inside ovens. They could be damaged.
- 8) Never direct the steam jet towards the appliance.
- 9) Never unplug the appliance by pulling the power cable or appliance itself. Do not touch the plug with wet hands.
- 10) Do not run the appliance over the power cable. Avoid closing the door on the cable or rubbing it over sharp edges. Keep it away from hot surfaces.

**Never place the appliance in a vertical position.** Always keep the appliance in a horizontal position when in use.

- 11) **When filling the tank, never place the appliance under the tap to add water.**
- 12) Avoid the steam coming into contact with the skin. The high temperature could cause serious burns. Never direct the steam jet towards persons or animals or towards surfaces or objects which could be damaged by high temperatures.
- 13) To move the appliance, hold it by the handgrip. As it contains a steam generator, surfaces become hot during use. Persons affected by particular pathologies causing abnormal sensitivity to heat should take special care when using this appliance.
- 14) Do not add detergent to the tank. Use water only.
- 15) Never wash the appliance with triethylene or other solvents. Clean with a damp cloth and normal washing up liquid only.  
**NEVER immerse the appliance in water.**
- 16) Take the utmost care when using the appliance to clean stairs.
- 17) If not used for long periods, you are recommended to evaporate the water completely before putting the appliance away.
- 18) Keep the appliance out of reach of children or persons not capable of using it without supervision.

- 19) Do not use the appliance if it appears to be faulty. Contact your local dealer or an authorised service centre.
- 20) Protect the appliance from atmospheric agents (rain, frost, sun, etc).
- 21) For all repairs contact your dealer or an authorised service centre to maintain the efficiency of your appliance and the validity of the guarantee. For the same reasons, you are always recommended to use original spare parts.
- 22) Each appliance is tested to ensure perfect operation, and consequently droplets of water may be noted through the water level indicator (H).
- 23) If the supply cord is damaged, it must be replaced by the manufacturer, its service agent or similarly qualified persons in order to avoid a hazard.

KEEP THESE INSTRUCTIONS IN A SAFE PLACE FOR FUTURE USE.



**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.

*Thank you for purchasing our steam cleaner. It is the result of expert research and development to produce a quality functional product. Rigorous quality control ensures that your product will give you good service. This booklet has been prepared to enable you to get the most out of your steam cleaner. Please read it thoroughly to familiarise yourself with the machine and make steam cleaning an easy chore. Keep the instructions in a safe place so that you can refer to it in the future.*

### **SPECIAL WARNING**

Do not use steam on Dralon® or synthetic velvet type materials. On any other fabric carry out a patch test on an unseen area of reasonable size and allow to dry before doing a full clean or check with the fabric manufacturer to see if steam is safe on their product.

### **Preparing For Use**

#### **Filling the tank**

**Before performing maintenance or cleaning the appliance, make sure it is unplugged from the mains.**

- To open the tank, remove the cap (fig. 1).
- Pour the water into the tank, taking care not to exceed the top notch on the water level indicator (fig. 2).
- Close the cap.

#### **Fitting the hose to the appliance and preparing the cleaning tools**

To fit the hose to the appliance, insert into the socket until it hooks into place (fig. 3). To remove, press the button and pull out (fig. 4). The tools provided have the same attachment system and can be used on either the extension tubes or the handgrip.

#### **Using the appliance**

- Plug the appliance into the mains.
- Press the ON/OFF switch. When the "steam ready" light goes off, the appliance is ready for use.

To use the steam press the button on the handgrip (fig. 5). To stop steam delivery just release the button.

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

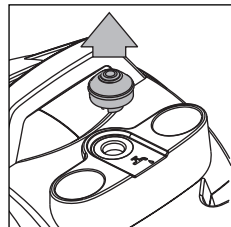


fig. 1

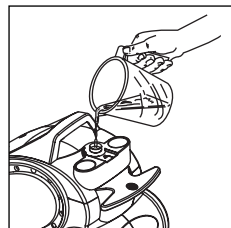


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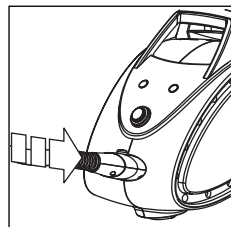


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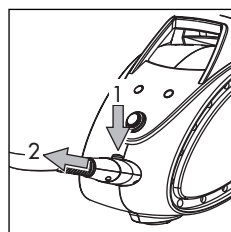


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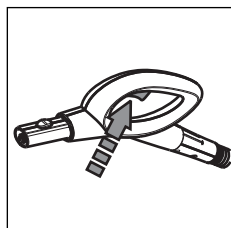


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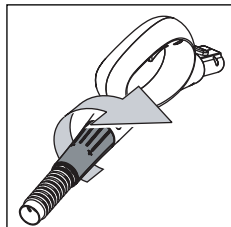


fig. 6

### Steam regulation

The steam regulator is located on the hose at the bottom of the handgrip (fig. 6). This can be used to reduce or increase the quantity of steam according to the type of surface to be cleaned (eg. hard floors, tile joints - maximum steam; sofas, upholstery - minimum steam).

**When you turn the appliance on, you are recommended to turn the steam regulator to maximum.**

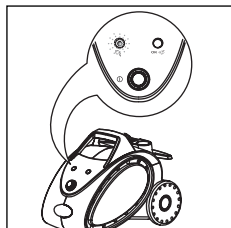


fig. 7

### Topping up the water in the tank

When the "no water" light comes on (fig. 7), the tank must be filled. Proceed as follows:

- Turn the appliance off using the ON/OFF switch and unplug from the mains socket.
- Remove the cap and fill the tank with **cold** water. Replace the cap.

**IMPORTANT:** during operation, the appliance fills the steam generator with water from the tank (continuous fill). It is normal to hear the noise caused by filling at regular intervals to maintain constant steam pressure.

If the water in the tank **runs out completely**, there is still enough steam left for about 10 minutes operation, depending on the quantity being used. If you do not fill the tank, the pump vibrates and no more steam is given off.

When the water in the tank has been topped up, the appliance operates as if it were turned on for the first time. Before cleaning, you must therefore wait for the steam to be ready. This takes about three minutes, during which time the water is pumped into the steam generator.

**When the water in the tank has run out, you should not continue steam cleaning, leaving the pump vibrating. If continued over time, this practice could irreparably damage internal components.**

**IMPORTANT:** there may be water on the surface under the appliance. This is caused by the pressure relief valve.

To avoid water spilling out of the tank when moving the appliance, always close the tank with the cap.

### After use

After use, put the appliance away tidily by unplugging, wrapping the power cable around the cable ties and putting the tools away on the tool holder (fig. 8).

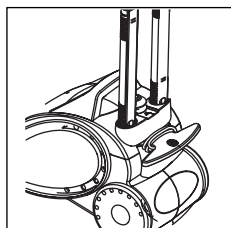


fig. 8

## Cleaning carpets and rugs (fig. 9-10)

**Accessories:** carpet/floor brush and cloth attached by the spring clips.

**Tips:**

- Try out the resistance of fabrics and colours first in a concealed area.
- You should remove dust first using a carpet beater or vacuum cleaner.

## Cleaning hard floors (fig. 9-10)

**Tools:** carpet/floor brush + cloth attached to the spring clips.

**Tips:**

- Not recommended for treated cotto.

**Armchairs, sofas, cushions, mattresses, car interiors, blinds, vertical walls, garden furniture, gazebos, garden umbrellas and rocking chairs. (fig. 11-12)**

**Tools:** triangular brush + cloth attached to the spring clips.

**Tips:**

- Try out the resistance of fabrics and colours first in a concealed area.
- You should remove dust first using a vacuum cleaner.

**Joints between tiles, radiators, shutters, door jambs, inaccessible points, vases, bicycles, mountain bikes, car engines, motorbikes, garden equipment (mower), children's toys (swing) (fig. 13-14)**

**Tools:** crevice tool + brushes (round or in-line).

**Bathroom (shower cubicle, sanitary fittings, basins, swimming pools) (fig. 13-15)**

**Tools:** crevice tool + brushes (round or in-line) directly on the hose or extension tubes.

**Mirrors, windows, car windows, verandas and greenhouses (fig. 16)**

**Tools:** squeegee directly on the hose or extension tubes.

**Important:** in low temperatures, you are recommended to warm the windows first with a weak jet of steam to avoid the risk of breakage due to sudden temperature changes..



fig. 9

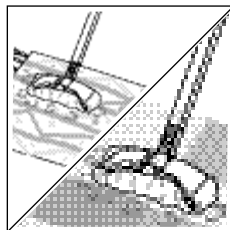


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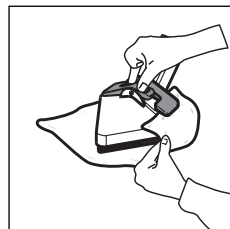


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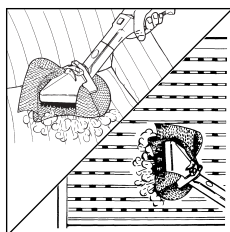


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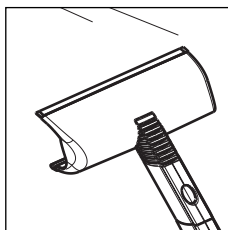


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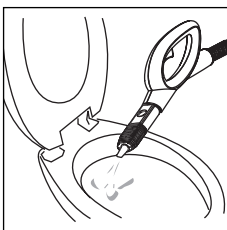


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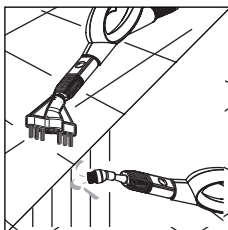


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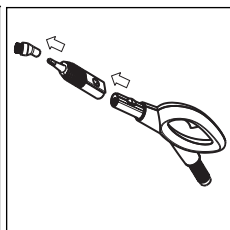
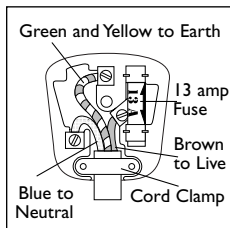


fig. 13



## 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  $\perp$  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**