

SAFETY PRECAUTIONS



Carefully read the instructions for use before using the washing machine.

Please, do not use the washing machine without reading and understanding these instructions or use first.

These instructions for use of a washing machine are supplied with different types or models of washing machines. Therefore, they may include descriptions of settings or equipment that are not available in your washing machine.

Failure to observe the instructions for use or inappropriate use of the washing machine may result in damage to the laundry or the appliance, or injury to the user. Keep the instruction manual handy, near the washing machine.

This appliance is intended to be used in household.

If the washing machine is used for professional, for-profit purpose or purpose exceeding normal use in a household, or if the washing machine is used by a person who is not a consumer, the warranty period shall be equal to the shortest warranty period required by relevant legislation.

Follow the instructions for correct installation of the washing machine and connection to the water and power mains (see chapter »INSTALLATION AND CONNECTION«). Connection to water and power supply has to be executed by an adequately trained technician or expert.

Any repair and maintenance pertaining to safety or performance should be done by trained experts. To avoid danger, **a damaged power** cord may only be replaced by the manufacturer, a service technician, or an authorized person.

Before connecting the washing machine to the power mains, wait for at least 2 hours until it reaches room temperature.

This product must be serviced by an authorized Service Center, only use approved spare parts by authorized manufacturers.

Under no circumstances should you attempt to repair the appliance yourself. Repairs carried out by inexperienced persons may cause injury or more serious malfunctioning. Refer to your local Service Center, and always insist on genuine spare parts.

In case of incorrect washing machine connection, incorrect use, or servicing by an unauthorized person, the user shall bear the cost of any damage as such damage shall not be covered by warranty.

The washing machine may not be connected to the power mains using an extension cord.

Do not connect the washing machine to power mains using an external switching device such as a programme timer, or connect it to power mains that is regularly switched on and off by the power supply provider.

Do not connect the washing machine to an electrical outlet intended for an electric shaver or hair dryer.

The power socket has to be safely earthed, and the water supply should be unimpeded.

Do not install the washing machine in a room where the temperature can drop to below 5°C, as washing machine parts may be damaged in case of water freezing.

Place the washing machine on a level and stable solid (concrete) base.

If the washing machine is placed on an elevated stable base, the washing machine has to be additionally secured against tipping.

Before the first use of the washing machine, remove the blocking rods, as switching on a blocked washing machine can result in serious damage (see chapter »INSTALLATION AND CONNECTION/Removing the blocking rods«). Warranty shall be void in cases of such damage.

To connect the washing machine to water supply, make sure to use the supplied water supply hose and gaskets. Water pressure has to be between 0.1–1 MPa (1-10 bar; 1–10 kp/cm²; 10–100 N/cm²).

Always use a new water supply hose to connect the washing machine to water supply; do not reuse an old water supply hose.

The end of the water discharge hose should reach into a water drain line.

Before the start of the washing cycle, press the door on the indicated spot until it locks into place. The door cannot be opened during washing machine operation.


We recommend removing any impurities from the washing machine drum before the first wash using the Drum clean programme (see PROGRAMME TABLE).

After the washing cycle, close the water tap and pull out the washing machine plug from the power socket.

Only use the washing machine for washing laundry, as described in the instruction manual. The machine is not intended for dry cleaning.

Only use agents for machine washing and care of laundry. We shall not be responsible for any damages or discolouration of gaskets and plastic parts resulting from incorrect use of bleaching or colouring agents.

When descaling, only use descaling agents with added anti-corrosion protection. (Only use non-corrosive descaling agents.) Follow the manufacturer's instructions. Finish the descaling process with several rinse cycles or by running the Drum clean (Self-cleaning programme) in order to remove any residual acid (e.g. vinegar etc.).

 Do not use detergents that contain solvents as this could lead to release of poisonous gases, damage to the washing machine, and risk of fire and explosion.

The washing machine is not intended for use by persons (including children) with physical or mental impairments, or persons with lacking experience and knowledge. These persons should be instructed about the use of the washing machine by a person responsible for their safety.

The warranty does not cover consumables, minor deviations in colour, increased noise that results from appliance age and which does not affect the functionality of the appliance, and aesthetic defects on components, which do not affect the functionality and safety of the appliance.

CHILD SAFETY

Before closing the washing machine door and running the programme, make sure there is nothing except laundry in the drum (e.g. if a child climbed into the washing machine drum and closed the door from the inside).

Keep the detergent and conditioner out of reach of children.

Activate the child lock. See chapter »CHOOSING THE SETTINGS/Child lock«.

Do not let children younger than three years come near the appliance, unless they are under constant supervision.

The washing machine is made in compliance with all relevant safety standards.

This washing machine may be used by children aged 8 years and above and by persons with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities or lack of experience and knowledge, but only if they are supervised during the use of

the washing machine, if they have been provided relevant instructions regarding safe use of the washing machine, and if they understand the hazards of inappropriate use. Make sure children do not play with the appliance. Children may not clean the washing machine or perform any maintenance tasks without supervision.

DANGER OF HOT SURFACE

At higher washing temperatures, the door glass will heat up. Be careful to avoid burns. Make sure children do not play near the door glass.

WATER OVERFLOW PROTECTION (WITH WASHING MACHINE SWITCHED ON)

If the water level in the appliance rises above normal level, then the excess water level protection will be activated. It will shut off the water supply and start pumping out the water. The program is interrupted and an error is reported.

TRANSPORT/TRANSPORT AFTER INSTALLATION

If you intend to move the washing machine after it has been installed, then it should be blocked by inserting at least one blocking rod (see chapter »INSTALLATION AND CONNECTION/Moving and transport«). Before inserting the blocking rods, disconnect the washing machine from the power mains!

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.