Instruction booklet

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TUMBLE DRYER

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TDHP 871

First time you turn on your dryer you must select your preferred language see the Display

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! This symbol reminds you to read this instruction manual.

! Keep this manual at hand for immediate reference whenever necessary. Always store this manual close to the tumble dryer and remember to pass it on to any new owners when selling or transferring the appliance, so they may familiarise with the warnings and suggestions herein contained.

! Read these instructions carefully: the following pages contain important information on installation and useful suggestions for operating the appliance.

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Installation

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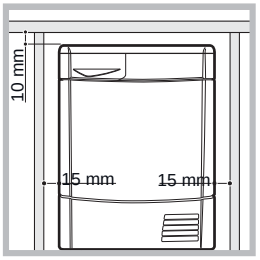
Where to put your dryer



• Place your dryer at a distance from gas ranges, stoves, heaters, or cooktops because flames can damage the appliance. The dryer should be installed in an ambient room temperature of between 20 to 23°C for optimum performance. But will function if the room is between 14 and 30°C. If you are going to install the appliance under a work counter, be sure to leave a 10 mm space between the top and any other objects on or above the machine and a 15 mm space between the sides and lateral furnishings or walls. This is to ensure proper air circulation. The appliance must be installed with the rear surface placed against a wall.

Ventilation

• When the dryer is in use, there has to be adequate ventilation. Make sure you put your dryer in an environment that is not damp and has proper air circulation throughout. Airflow around the dryer is essential to condense the water produced during the washing, the dryer will not operate efficiently in an enclosed space or cupboard.

! If using the dryer in a small or cold room some condensation will be experienced.

!We do not recommend that the dryer is installed in a cupboard but the dryer must never be installed behind a lockable door, a sliding door or a door with a hinge on the opposite side to that of the dryer door.

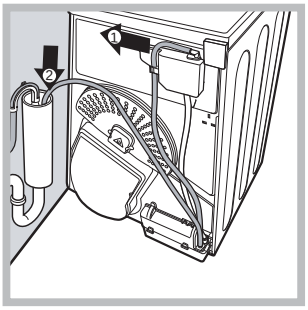


Fig. **A**

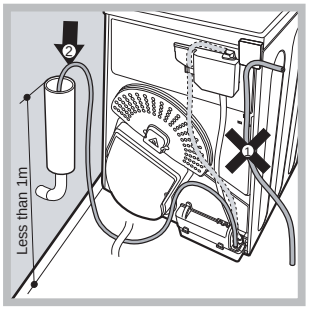


Fig. **B**

Water Drain

If the machine is positioned close to a drain it is possible to drain the condensed water directly without using the waterbottle. In which case it is no longer necessary to empty the water bottle at the end of each cycle. If the Dryer is positioned above or close to a Washing Machine the same drainage can be used. Just remove the tube indicated in figure **A** and connect it to the drainage. If the drainage is further away than the length of the tube it is possible to buy and connect a tube of the same diameter and the necessary length in order to reach the drain. To install the new tube just substitute the existing one as indicated in figure **B** inserting it in the same place.

! The drain tube has to be below 1 m from the bottom of the Dryer.

! Once the Dryer has been installed please assure that the drain tube is not bent or kinked.

Electrical connections

Before plugging the appliance into the socket, check the following:

- Make sure your hands are dry.
- The socket must have an earth connection.
- The socket must be able to withstand the machine's maximum power output as indicated on the rating plate (see Description of the tumble dryer)
- The power supply voltage must fall within the values indicated on the data plate (see Description of the tumble dryer).
- The socket must be compatible with the dryer's plug. Should this not be the case, replace the plug or the socket.

! DO NOT USE EXTENSION CORDS.

! The dryer must not be installed outdoors, even if the space is sheltered. It can be very dangerous if exposed to rain or storms.

! Once installed, the dryer's electrical wire and plug must be within reach.

! The power cord must not be bent or squashed.

! If the plug being replaced is a non-rewirable type, then the cut-off plug must be disposed of safely. DO NOT leave it where it can be inserted into a socket and create a shock hazard.

! The power must be regularly checked. 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. (see Assistance). New or longer electric cords are supplied by authorised dealers at a supplementary cost.

! The manufacturer denies any responsibility should any of these rules not be followed.

! If in doubt about any of the above consult a qualified electrician.

Levelling the tumble dryer

The dryer must be installed level for correct operation.

When you have installed your dryer in its final

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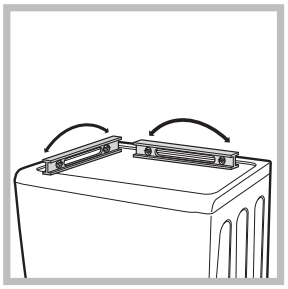
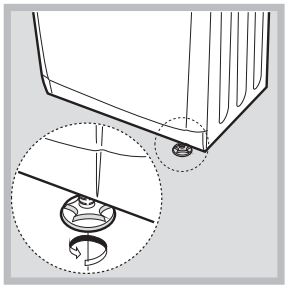
location check that it is level first side-to-side, then front to back. If the dryer is not level, adjust the two legs up or down until your dryer is level.





Preliminary information

Once you've installed your dryer and before you use it, clean the inside of the drum to remove any dust that could have accumulated during transportation.

Warning ! Before you use your dryer ensure that its has been in a upright position for at least 6 hours.

Maximum load sizes: 8 kg

Product Data - Regulation 392/2012.	
Brand Hotpoint	
Model TDHP 871 RP (UK)	
Rated capacity of cotton laundry for the "standard cotton programme" at full load - kg	8.0
This household tumble drier is a	Condenser
Energy efficiency class on a scale from A+++ (low consumption) to D (high consumption)	A+
The weighted Annual Energy Consumption (AEc)* kWh 1)	306
This household tumble drier is a	Automatic
Energy consumption full load; Edry - kWh 2)	2.64
Energy consumption partial load; Edry½ - kWh 2)	1.34
Power consumption: off-mode (Po) - Watts	3.16
Power consumption: left-on mode (Pl) - Watts	0.14
Duration of the 'left-on mode' for power management system - minutes	30
Prog. Time - weighted (Tt) full & partial load - minutes 3)	173
Full load (Tdry) - minutes	235
Partial load (Tdry½) - minutes	127
Condensation efficiency class on a scale from G (least efficient) to A (most efficient)	C
Average condensation efficiency - %	
weighted (Ct) full & partial load 3)	71
full load (Cdry)	72
partial load (Cdry½)	71
Airborne acoustical noise emissions - dB(A) re 1 pW	69
1) "Standard cotton" at full and partial load is the standard programme to which the information in the label and the fiche relates. The standard cotton program is suitable to dry at cupboard level (0%) cotton laundry and is the most efficient programme in terms of energy consumption. Partial load is half the rated load.	
2) based on 160 drying cycles of the standard cotton programme at full and partial load, and the consumption of the low-power modes. Actual energy consumption will depend on how the appliance is used.	
3) Weighted average of 3 cycles at full load and 4 cycles at half load.	
Regulation 932/2012.	
Energy consumption in kWh, for program "Synthetics" full load	0.69
Programme time in minute, for program "Synthetics" full load	70
Partial load for program "Synthetics" N/A	

Warnings

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! This appliance has been designed and built according to international safety standards. These warnings are given for safety reasons and must be followed carefully.

General safety

- This appliance can be used by children aged from 8 years and above and persons with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities or lack of experience and knowledge if they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance in a safe way and understand the hazards involved.
- This tumble dryer has been designed for home, and not professional, use.
- Do not touch the appliance while barefoot or with wet hands or feet.
- Unplug the machine by pulling on the plug, not the cord.
- After using the dryer, turn it off and unplug it. Keep the door closed to make sure that children do not use it as a toy.
- Children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the dryer.
- Cleaning and user maintenance shall not be made by children without supervision.
- Children of less than 3 years should be kept away from the appliance unless continuously supervised.
- The appliance must be installed correctly and have proper ventilation. The air intake at the front of the dryer should never be obstructed (see Installation).
- Never use the dryer on carpeting where the pile height would prevent air from entering the dryer from the base.
- Check to see if the dryer is empty before loading it.
-  The back of the dryer could become very hot. Never touch it while in use.
- Do not use the dryer unless the filter, watercontainer and condenser are securely in place (see Maintenance).
- Do not overload the dryer (see Laundry for maximum loads).
- Do not load items that are dripping wet.
- Carefully check all instructions on clothing labels (see Laundry).
- Do not tumble dry large, very bulky items.
- Do not tumble dry acrylic fibres at high temperatures.
- Do not turn off the dryer when there are still warm items inside.
- Clean the filter after each use (see Maintenance).
- Empty the Water Container after each use (see Maintenance).
- Clean the Heat Pump filter unit at regular intervals (see Maintenance).
- Do not allow lint to collect around the dryer.
- Never climb on top of the dryer. It could result in damage.
- Always follow electrical standards and requirements (see Installation).
- Always buy original spare parts and accessories (see Service).

To minimise the risk of fire in your tumble dryer, the following should be observed:

- Tumble dry items only if they have been washed with detergent and water, rinsed and been through the spin cycle. It is a fire hazard to dry items that HAVE NOT been washed with water.
- Do not dry garments that have been treated with chemical products.
- Do not tumble dry items that have been spotted or soaked with vegetable or cooking oils, this constitutes a fire hazard. Oil-affected items can ignite spontaneously,especially when exposed to heat sources such as a tumble dryer. The items become warm, causing an oxidisation reaction with the oil, Oxidisation creates heat. If the heat cannot escape, items can become hot enough to catch fire. Piling, stacking or storing oil-effected items can prevent heat from escaping and so create a fire hazard. If it is unavoidable that fabrics containing vegetable or cooking oil or those that have been contaminated withhair care products be placed in a tumble dryer they should first be washed with extra detergent - this will reduce, but not eliminate the hazard. They should not be removed from the dryer and piled or stacked while hot.
- Do not tumble dry items that have previously been cleaned in or washed in, soaked in or soiled with petrol/gasoline, dry cleaning solvents or other flammable or explosive substances. Highly flammable substances commonly used in domestic environments including cooking oil, acetone, denatured alcohol, kerosene, spot removers, turpentine,

waxes and wax removers. Ensure these items have been washed in hot water with an extra amount of detergent before being dried in the tumble dryer.
- Do not tumble dry items containing foam rubber (also known as latex foam), or similarly textured rubber like materials. Foam rubber materials can, when heated, produce fire by spontaneous combustion.
- Fabric softener or similar products should not be used in a tumble dryer to eliminate the effects of static electricity unless the practice is specifically recommended by the manufacturer of the fabric softener product.
- Do not tumble dry undergarments that contain metal reinforcements eg. bras with metal reinforcing wires. Damage to the tumble dryer can result if the metal reinforcements come loose during drying.
- Do not tumble dry rubber, plastic articles such as shower caps or babies waterproof covers, polythene or paper.
- Do not tumble dry rubber backed articles, clothes fitted with foam rubber pads, pillows, galoshes and rubber coated tennis shoes.
- Remove all objects from pockets such as lighters and matches.

! WARNING: Never stop the dryer before the end of the drying cycle unless all items are quickly removed and spread out so that the heat is dissipated.

Save energy and respect the environment
- Wring out all items to eliminate excess water before tumble drying (if you use a washing machine first, select a high spin cycle). Doing this will save time and energy during drying.
- Always dry full loads - you save energy: single items or small loads take longer to dry.
- Clean the filter after each use to contain energy consumption costs *(see Maintenance)*.

Care and maintenance

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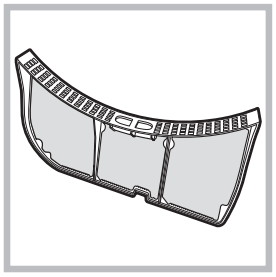
Disconnecting the power supply

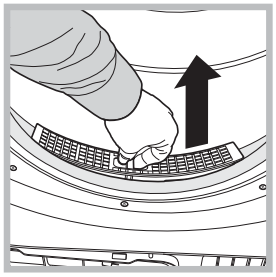
! Disconnect the dryer when not in use or during cleaning and maintenance operations.

Cleaning the filter after each cycle

The filter is a fundamental component of the dryer: its function is to collect lint and fluff that form during drying.



Clean the filter once drying is completed, by rinsing it under running water or cleaning it with a vacuum cleaner. Should the filter become clogged, the flow of air inside the dryer will be seriously hampered: drying times becomes longer and more energy is consumed. Moreover, the dryer may become damaged.



The filter is located in front of the dryer seal *(see Picture).*

Removing the filter:

1. Pull the filter's plastic handle upwards *(see Picture).*
2. Clean the fluff off the filter and replace it correctly. Ensure that the filter is pushed fully home.

! Do not use the dryer unless the filter has been replaced in its holder.

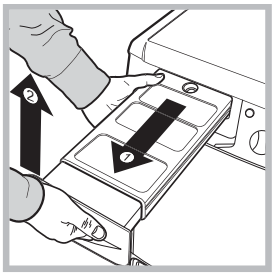
Checking the drum after each cycle

Rotate the drum manually to remove smaller items (handkerchiefs) that could have been left inside the dryer.

Cleaning the drum

! Avoid using abrasives, steel wool or stainless steel cleaning agents to clean the drum. A coloured film may appear on the stainless steel drum surface: it may be caused by a combination of water and/or cleaning agents such as wash-softeners. This coloured film does not affect the dryer's performance.

Emptying the water container after each cycle



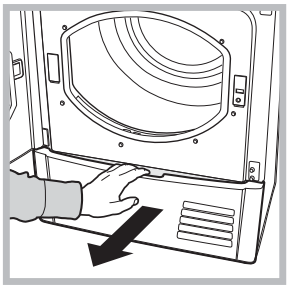
Remove the water container and empty it into a sink or other suitable drain outlet, then replace it correctly.
Always check the water container and empty it before starting a new drying cycle.

-Failure to empty the water container may cause the following:
- The dryer stops heating (thus the load may still be damp at the end of the drying cycle).
- The "Empty water container" LED activates to show that the water container is full.

Priming the Water Collection System
When your dryer is new, the Water Container will not collect Water until the system is primed, this will take 1 or 2 drying cycles. Once primed it will collect Water during every cycle.

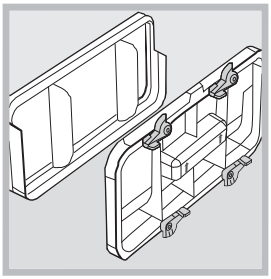
Cleaning the Heat Pump Filter Unit

• Periodically (every 5 drying cycles) remove Heat pump filter unit and clean any build up of fluff from the surface of the filter by rinsing it under running water or with your vacuum cleaner.
We however recommend that you clean this filter after every drying cycle to optimize the dryers performance.

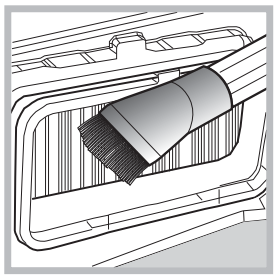


To remove Heat pump filter unit:

1. Unplug the dryer and open the door.
2. Remove the filter unit by rotating the 4 clips to the vertical position then pulling the filter unit towards you.
3. Separate the two parts of the filter unit and clean the surface of the filter.



! Warning: The front of the heat pump is made from thin metal plates. Take care that you do not damage these or cut yourself when cleaning, removing or replacing the filter unit.



4.Whenever you clean the Heat pump filter unit always clean any build up of fluff from the surface of the metal plates. Carefully clean this fluff off with a damp cloth,sponge or vacuum cleaner. Never use your Fingers.

5. Assemble the two parts of the filter clean the surface of the seals and replace with the 4 clips into the horizontal position, sure that the catches have been secured.

Cleaning the tumble dryer

- The external metal, plastic and rubber parts can be cleaned with a damp cloth.
- Clean the front air intake grille regularly (every 6 months) with a vacuum cleaner to remove any lint, fluff or dust deposits. Furthermore, remove any lint deposits from the front part of the condenser and from the filter area, using a vacuum cleaner every so often.

! Do not use solvents or abrasives.

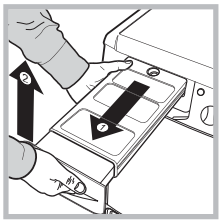
! Have the dryer checked regularly by authorised technical personnel in order to ensure that the electrical and mechanical parts work safely (see Assistance).

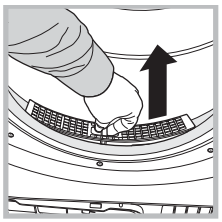
Quick Tips

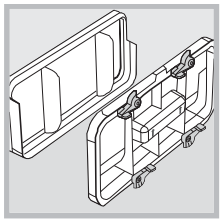
!Remember to clean your filter and Heat Pump filter unit after each load.

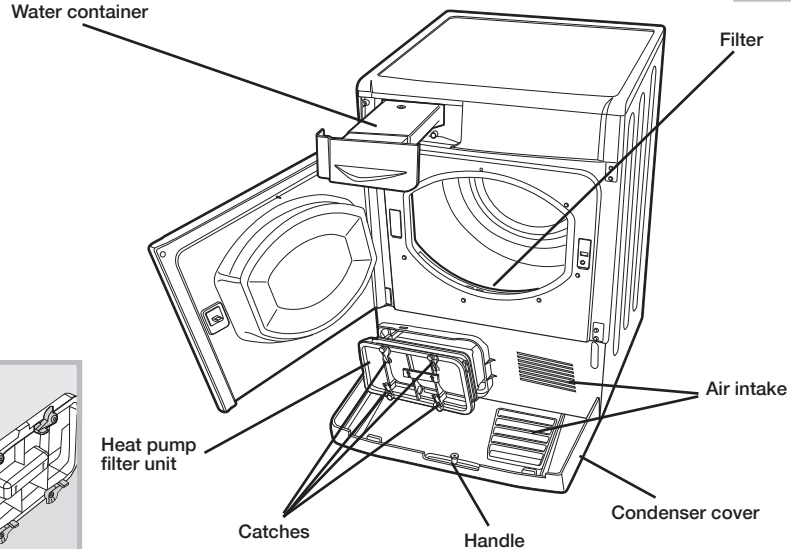
! Remember to empty your water container after each load.

! Doing this will keep your machine working at its BEST!









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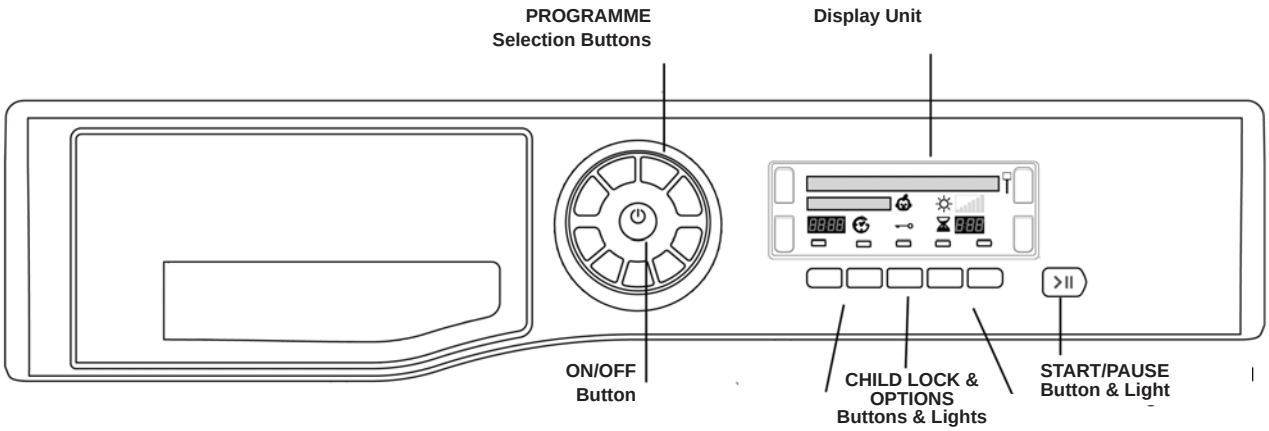

The ON/OFF button ⏻ : - if pressed when the dryer is running: If the display shows TURNING OFF the dryer stops. If the display shows PRESS AND HOLD, hold the botton and the display counts down 3, 2, 1 and then stops. Press and hold again for more than 3 seconds, the display briefly shows POWER ON .

The **PROGRAMME** selection buttons set the programme: press the button corresponding to the programme you want to select *(see Start and Programmes*).

The **OPTION** buttons/indicators: these buttons select available options for your selected programme *(see The Controls).* The indicators on the display unit next to the bottom buttons light to show that the option has been selected.
The START/PAUSE button/light ⏯ starts a selected programme. When a programme is running, pressing this button in pauses the programme, there will be one beep, the display will show PAUSE and the dryer stops.
The light is green when the programme is running, flashing amber if the programme has been paused or flashing green if on standby waiting to start a programme *(see Start and Programmes).*
Note: This light also flashes amber during the Post Care phase of a programme.

The **Display Unit** gives warnings and information about the programme selected and its progress *(see next page)*.

The **CHILD LOCK** button/icon 👶: Press and hold this button after selecting your programme and any options, this prevents the programme settings from being changed, the display will briefly show LOCKED . When the icon is lit, the other buttons are disabled. Hold the button to cancel and the icon will go out, the display will briefly show UNLOCKED.

Note: This tumble dryer, in compliance with new energy saving regulations, is fitted with an automatic standby system which is enabled after about 30 minutes if no activity is detected. Press and hold the ON-OFF button until the display briefly shows POWER ON, and the dryer then reactivates.

Laundry

Sorting laundry

- Check the symbols on the care labels of the various garments to verify whether the garments can be safely tumble dried.
- Sort laundry according to the type of fabric.
- Empty all pockets and check for loose buttons.
- Close zips and hooks and fasten belts and strings without tightening them.
- Wring out garments to remove the maximum amount of water possible.

! Do not load the dryer when garments are dripping wet.

Maximum load sizes
Do not overload the drum.
The following values indicate the weight of dry garments:
Natural fibres: maximum 8 kg
Synthetic fibres: maximum 3 kg

! Do not overload the dryer as this may result is reduced drying performance.

Care labels

Always check the care labels, especially when placing garments in the tumble dryer for the first time. Below are the most commonly used symbols:

◯	May be tumble dried.
⊠	Do not tumble dry.
⊙	Tumble dry – high heat.
⊙	Tumble dry – low heat.

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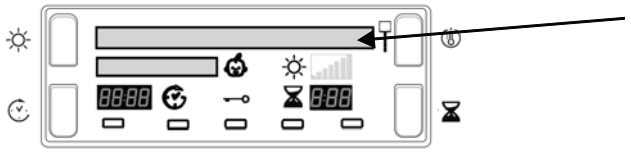
Selecting your language

The first time you turn on your dryer you should select your preferred language from the available list.



To change: the language current selection must flash, on the first line of the display.

- Press the On/Off button to turn off the display then press and hold all 3 buttons: *Heat Level, Timed Dry, and Sensor Dry for 5 seconds.*
- Press the *Heat Level* or the Timed Dry button to scroll up or down through the list.
- When your required language is flashing on the top line of the display, pressing the Sensor Dry button will select your choice.

Understanding the display

Programme selection and display

The selected programme is shown on the first line of the display, this message is shown while the programme is running. Eight of the buttons have two selections, press the button once for the first choice and press again for the second choice, your selected programme is displayed. The final button selects My Cycle.

My Cycle. When you select the My Cycle button the Display will show your selected programme with 'M' before its name. ie. **M STANDARD COTTON** (*see Start and Programmes*).

Dryness levels

During programme selection for an automatic programme that has different dryness levels available *(see Programmes Table)*.

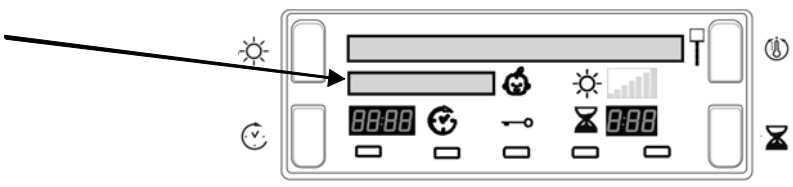
The second line of the display shows the dryness level you require, for each press of the Dryness Level button the next option from the list below is selected and displayed. The display also shows 1 to 7 bars depending on your selection and these are displayed during the programmes progress.

! Some automatic programmes do not allow the dryness level to be changed or do not have all the dryness level options.

DAMP	Dries your items ready to be ironed using a machine or rotary ironer.
IRON DRY	Dries your items ready to be ironed with a hand iron.
HANGER PLUS	Dries your delicate items ready to be hanged for final drying.
HANGER DRY	Dries your items ready to be hanged for final drying.
LIGHT DRY	Dries your delicate items ready to be put away.
CUPBOARD DRY	Dries your items ready to be put away.
EXTRA DRY	Dries your clothes ready to be worn.

Programme progress

The second line of the display shows the status of the programme as it progresses:
(long messages scroll across the line)



- DRY
- COOL TUMBLE
- HEATING
- READY
- END OF CYCLE, CREASE CARE (if option *Crease Care* selected)
- END OF CYCLE, CLEAN FILTER AND EMPTY WATER BOTTLE

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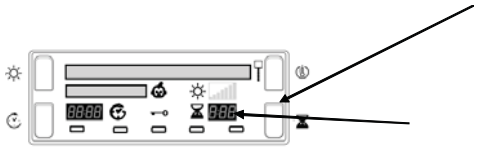
Timed drying



After selecting a programme that has a Timed Dry option, press the Timed button and the display will increment the selected time, each time you press and release the button *(see Start and Programmes).*

Each press reduces the time duration and number of available time options depending on the programme/material selected.

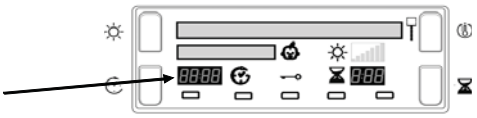
The Timed Dry icon is displayed next to the time..

The selected time remains displayed after the programme starts, but can be changed anytime you wish.

Delay and Time to End

Some programmes can have a delayed start *(see Start and Programmes)*. Press the , Delay button and the icon flashes.

Each press of the Delay button advances the delay setting in 1 hour increments, from: 1h to 24h ,then OFF and then after a couple of seconds cancels the delay.



The delay time is shown on the display next to the Delay button.

The display counts down the minutes of the delay period after the Start/Pause button is pressed. The second line of the display shows **STARTS IN**

You can change or cancel the delay time selected anytime if you wish.

After the Start/Pause button is pressed the Delay or Time to End is displayed in hours and minutes and counts down each minute.

Time to End

After the delay period finishes, or for all the programme if delay not selected, this part of the display will show:
- the estimated time to the end of the programme, for automatic programmes
- the actual time remaining during a timed programme

When timed programmes are selected the time displayed throughout the cycle is the actual time remaining.
When Automatic programmes are selected the time displayed is an estimate of the time remaining. When the programme is selected the display shows the time required to dry a full load. The time remaining is constantly monitored during the drying cycle and is updated to show the best forecast.
The colons between the hours and minutes in the display flash to show the time is counting down.

Warnings

The second line of the display also gives warnings and reminders: (reminders occur at the end of the programme)

END OF CYCLE, CLEAN FILTER AND EMPTY WATER BOTTLE

- Reminder that the water container should be emptied and the filter cleaned every time you use the dryer *(see Maintenance)*.

EMPTY WATER BOTTLE

- Indicates that the water container is full. The message will take a few seconds to go out after replacing the empty water container; the dryer must be running for this to happen *(see The Controls)*. **Note:** If the water container fills and this message is displayed, the heat is turned off and your clothes will not dry.

CLEAN CONDENSER, FILTER AND EMPTY WATER BOTTLE

- This message indicates that you must clean the Heat pump Condenser filter unit (see Maintenance) and will occur at intervals depending how much you have used the dryer. When you finish the next programme the message is cancelled. You must also clean the filter.

Start and Programmes

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Choosing a programme

1. Plug the dryer into the electrical socket.
2. Sort your laundry according to fabric type *(see Laundry)*.
3. Open the door and make sure the filter is clean and in place and the water container is empty and in place *(see Maintenance)*.
4. Load the machine and make sure items are not in the way of the door seal. Close the door.
5. If the Display is not lit: Press the ON/OFF button ⏻.
6. Press the Programmes Selection button that corresponds with the type of fabric being dried by checking the Programmes Table *(see Programmes)* as well as the indications for each type of fabric *(see Laundry)*.
   - if the **M** button is selected; steps 7 and 8 are not required *(see below).*
7. Choose Timed Drying or Dryness Levels option:
   - If Timed Drying press and release the Timed button until the required time is displayed.

   or - To change from default dryness setting, press and release the Dryness Levels button until required level is indicated.

   ! See Programmes Table, for more details: availability of Dryness Levels, Timed Dry and Options.
8. Set a delay time and other options if necessary *(see The Display)*.
9. Press the Start/Pause button ▶II to begin. The display will show the estimated time to end. During the drying programme, you can check on your laundry and take out items that are dry while others continue drying. When you close the door again, press the Start/Pause button ▶II in order to resume drying.
   If you open the door to check your laundry you will extend the drying time as the heat pump compressor will not start for 5 minutes after you close the door and press the Start/Pause button *(see The Controls).*
10. During the last few minutes of Drying Programmes, before the programme is completed, the final COOL TUMBLE phase is entered (fabrics are cooled), this phase should always be allowed to complete.
11. At the end of the drying cycle a message is displayed:
    - if END OF CYCLE, CLEAN FILTER AND EMPTY WATER BOTTLE is shown, the buzzer will beep 3 times (**Note**: If the SOUND option was selected the buzzer beeps 3 times every 30 seconds for 5 minutes).
    - if END OF CYCLE, CREASE CARE is shown, Crease Care option has been selected and if you do not remove the laundry immediately, the dryer will tumble occasionally for 10 hours or until you open the door, the buzzer will beep 3 times to confirm the programme is completed.
12. Open the door, take the laundry out, clean the filter and replace it. Empty the Water Container and replace it *(see Maintenance).*
13. Unplug the dryer.

My Cycle button:

First time you press this button the display will show PRESS AND HOLD TO STORE

After selecting your favorite programme and options you can save these settings by pressing and holding in the My Cycle button for at least 5 seconds, the top line will show a flashing **M** followed by the selected programme. The buzzer will then beep and the second line of the display shows MEMORY

The next time you need this programme press the **M**, button, then the Start/Pause button ▶II (and this programme will run.

If you wish, you can change your stored favorite, by selecting a new programme and/or options and press and hold in the **M** button (as above).

Programme	Programmes Table The duration of the drying cycles can be checked on the display[1].
 Cottons Standard	• This is a programme for cotton items. • The Standard Cotton programme to EU Regulation 392/2012 is Programme 1 selection with High Heat and Dryness Level Cupboard Dry (the standard/default starting configuration). It is the most efficient programme in terms of energy consumption (to EU.392/2012).
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 Shirts	**High heat option** • This is a programme for shirts made from cotton. **Medium heat option** • This is a programme for shirts made from synthetic materials or a mixture of natural and synthetic materials, such as polyester and cotton. Loads dried using the Cupboard Dry setting are usually ready to wear, the edges or seams may be slightly damp. If this is the case, try turning the shirts inside out and running the programme again for a short period.
3 kg	
 Synthetics	• This is a programme for items of Synthetic with low heat setting or Synthetic/Cotton mixtures with medium heat setting.
3 kg	
 Easy Iron	'Easy Iron' is a short 10 minute programme (8 minutes of heat followed by a 2 minute cool tumble period) which fluffs the fibres of clothing that have been left in the same position/location for an extended period of time. The cycle relaxes the fibres and makes them easier to iron and fold. **!** 'Easy Iron' is **not a drying programme** and should not be used for wet articles of clothing. 1. Do not load more than the maximu m capacity. These numbers refer to the dry weight: Cotton and Cotton mixtures 2,5kg - Synthetics 2Kg - Denim 2 Kg 2. Unload the dryer immediately after the end of the programme, hang, fold or iron the articles and put them away in the closet. Should this not be possible repeat the programme. The 'Easy Iron' effect varies from one fabric to the next. It works well on traditional fabrics like Cotton or Cotton mix, and less well on acrylic fibres and on materials such as Tencel®.
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 Refresh	**!** 'Refresh' **is not a drying programme** and should not be used for wet articles of clothing. • It can be used on any load size but is more effective on smaller loads. • This is a 20 minute programme that airs your clothes with cool air. Also use to cool warm clothes.
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Note:
1 - The duration of the program will depend on the size of the load, types of textiles, the spin speed used in your washer and any extra options selected.

Programme	Programmes Table The duration of the drying cycles can be checked on the display[1].
 Delicates 2 kg	• This is a programme for drying your delicate clothes ie. Acrylics. • Loads dried using this programme are usually ready to use, but on some garments the edges may be slightly damp. If this is the case, try opening them out or turn items inside out and running the programme again for a short period.
 Wool Programme 1 kg	• This is a programme for tumble dryer safe garments marked with the symbol ◯ . • We recommend that garments are turned inside out before drying. • Loads dried using this programme are usually ready to wear, but on some heavier garments the edges may be slightly damp. Allow these to dry naturally as over-drying could damage garments. ! Unlike other materials, the mechanism of wool shrinkage is irreversible; i.e. it will not stretch back to original size and shape. ! This programme is not suitable for Acrylic garments.
 Bed & Bath max	• This is a programme for cotton towels and sheets. • Loads dried using the Extra Dry setting are usually ready to use, the edges or seams may be slightly damp especially on large items. If this is the case, try opening them out and running the programme again for a short period.

Note:
1 - The duration of the program will depend on the size of the load, types of textiles, the spin speed used in your washer and any extra options selected.

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The Controls

! Warning, after pressing the START/PAUSE button ▶||, the programme cannot be changed. To change a selected programme, press the START/PAUSE button ▶|| the light flashes Amber to indicate the programme is paused. Select the new programme and any options required, the light will then flash green. Press the START/PAUSE button ▶|| again and the new programme will start.

• Option buttons
These buttons are used to customise the selected programme to your requirements. A programme must have been selected, by pressing a programme selection button, before an option can be selected. **Not all options are available for all programmes. If an option is not available and you press the button, the buzzer will beep 3 times.** If the option is available the indicator, on the display unit next to the bottom buttons, lights to show that the option has been selected.

Delay Timer (Time Delay)
The start of some programmes can be delayed for up to 24 hours. Ensure the water container is emptied before setting a delayed start.

Pre Care
This option is only available if a delayed start has been selected. It tumbles the clothes occasionally during the delayed period to help prevent creases developing.

Post Care
TWhen available and selected, the clothes are occasionally tumbled after the end of the drying and cool tumble cycles, to help prevent creases developing should you not be available to remove the load immediately the programme is complete.
Note: The Start/Pause light flashes Amber during this phase.

Heat Level button, Display and Icons
Not all programmes allow you to change the heat level and some programmes allow all three heat level options: Low, Medium and High.
When the heat level options are available pressing this button changes the heat level and the display briefly shows the selected heat level, along with a display of the selected level icon:

HIGH HEAT | MEDIUM HEAT | LOW HEAT

Sound/Alarm
Available on all programmes and allows the buzzer to give a signal at the end of the drying cycle, to remind you that the clothes are ready to be removed.

Mini Load
Available with programmes: Cotton High Heat 4kg and Synthetic Medium Heat 1kg.
This option optimises Automatic programme for smaller loads and improves the Time to End estimation.

• TIME DISPLAY
The display shows either the amount of time delay remaining or an indication of the amount of time left for a drying programme *(see The Display)*. The display also shows if there is a problem with your dryer, if this occurs the display will show F followed by a fault code number *(see Troubleshooting)*.

• Empty Water Container
(Messages about emptying can be ignored if you have plumbed your dryer into a drain as there is no need to empty the water container). Messages are displayed to reminds you to empty the water container *(see The Display)*. If the water container fills during a programme, the heater turns off and the dryer does a period of Cool Tumble. After this it stops and a message tells you to EMPTY THE WATER CONTAINER. You must empty the water container and restart the dryer or the clothes will not dry. After re-starting the dryer the message will take a few seconds to go out. To avoid this always empty the water container each time you use the dryer *(see Maintenance)*.

• Door Opening
Opening the door during a programme will stop the dryer and have the following effects:
Note: The START/PAUSE ▶||light flashes Amber during the Post Care phase of a programme
- The display shows PAUSED .
- During a delay phase the delay will continue to count down. The START/PAUSE ▶|| button **must** be pressed to resume the delay programme. The display will change to show current status.
- The START/PAUSE ▶|| button **must** be pressed to resume the programme. The display will change to show the current status.
- During the Post Care phase, the programme ends. Pressing the START/PAUSE ▶|| button will restart a new programme from the beginning.

• Heat Pump Protection System
The heat pump system has a compressor protectionfeature that operates if you open the door or there is apower disruption or if you turn off the dryer. This systemwill prevent the heat pump compressor from starting for 5minutes after the door is closed and the programme isstarted.

• Note
If you have a power cut, switch off the power or remove the plug. When power is restored, press and hold the On/Off button until the display briefly shows POWER ON and the dryer reactivates. Then press the START/PAUSE ▶|| button and the programme will resume.

Troubleshooting

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One day your dryer seems not to be working. Before you call your Service Centre (see Service), go through the following troubleshooting suggestions:

Problem:	Possible causes / Solution:
The tumble dryer won't start.	• The plug is not plugged into the socket, or not making contact. • There has been a power failure. • The fuse has blown. Try to plug another appliance into the socket. • You are using an extension cord? Try to plug the dryer's power cord directly into the socket. • The door is not closed securely? • The programme has not been set properly **(see Start and Programmes)**. • The Start/Pause button has not been pressed **(see Start and Programmes).**
Drying cycle will not begin.	• You have set a delayed time **(see Start and Programmes).**
Its taking a long time to dry.	• The filter has not been cleaned **(see Maintenance)**. • The water container needs emptying? The empty water message is displayed? **(see Maintenance)**. • The heat pump filter needs cleaning? **(see Maintenance)**. • The temperature setting is not ideal for the type of fabric you are drying **(see Start and Programmes, and see Laundry)**. • The correct drying time has not been selected for the load **(see Laundry)**. • The air intake grille is obstructed **(see Installation, and see Maintenance)**. • The items were too wet **(see Laundry).** • The dryer was overloaded **(see Laundry)**.
Empty water message is displayed but the dryer has only been running for a short period.	• The water container was probably not emptied at the start of the programme. Do not wait for the empty water signal, always check and empty the container before starting a new drying programme **(see Maintenance)**. END OF CYCLE, CLEAN FILTER AND EMPTY THE WATER BOTTLE
Empty water message is displayed and the water container is not full.	• This is normal, the: message is shown as a reminder to empty the container **(see The Display and Start and Programmes)**.
Programme finishes and clothes are damper than expected.	**!** For safety the dryer has a maximum programme time of 5 hours. If an automatic programme has not sensed the required final moisture in this time the dryer will complete the programme and stop. Check the above points and run the programme again, if the results are still damp, contact the Service Centre **(see Service)**.
The display shows a fault code F followed by one or two numbers.	• If the display shows a fault: - Turn off and remove the plug. Clean the filter and the heat pump filter unit **(see Maintenance).** Then replace the plug, turn on and start another programme. If a fault is then displayed: Note down the code and contact the Service Centre **(see Service)**.
The display briefly shows DEMO ON **every 6 seconds.**	• The dryer is in 'Demo' mode. Press and hold both the On/Off and Start/Pause buttons for 3 seconds. The display will show DEMO OFF for 3 seconds and then the dryer will resume normal operation.
The lights on the dryer control panel are off although the dryer is switched on.	• The dryer has gone into standby mode to save power. This occurs if you have had a power cut or leave your dryer either without starting a programme or after your drying programme has finished. - Press and hold the On/Off button and the lights will come on.

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Heat Pump System
This dryer is fitted with a sealed heat pump system to dry your clothes. To operate, the heat pump contains fluorinated greenhouse gases (F gases) which are covered by the Kyoto Protocol. These F gases are contained in a hermetically sealed unit. This sealed unit contains 0,29 kg of the F gas R134a which acts as a refrigerant. GWP = 1430 (0.4 t C02). If the sealed unit fails then it must be replaced by a new sealed unit. Contact your nearest service centre for advise.
Note: The gases contained in the sealed unit are not hazardous to health, but if they escape they will have an impact on global warming.

Before calling the Service Centre:
• Use the troubleshooting guide to see if you can solve the problem yourself *(see Troubleshooting).*
• If not, turn off the dryer and call the Service Centre closest to you.

Spare Parts
This dryer is a complex machine. Repairing it yourself or having a nonauthorised person try to repair it could cause harm to one or more persons and to the machine, and could invalidate the spare parts warranty.
Call an authorised technician if you experience problems while using the machine.
Please note that it is an offence for an unqualified person to undertaken any servicing or repair work that involves breaking into the sealed heat pump unit.

Product Guarantee And Repair Information

Guarantee
12 Months Parts and Labour Guarantee
Your appliance has the benefit of our manufacturer's guarantee, which covers the cost of breakdown repairs for twelve months from the date of purchase.
This gives you the reassurance that if, within that time, your appliance is proven to be defective because of either workmanship or materials, we will, at our discretion, either repair or replace the appliance at no cost to you:
This guarantee is subject to the following conditions:
- The appliance has been installed and operated correctly and in accordance with our operating and maintenance instructions.
- The appliance is used only on the electricity or gas supply printed on the rating plate.
- The appliance has been used for normal domestic purposes only.
- The appliance has not been altered, serviced, maintained, dismantled, or otherwise interfered with by any person not authorised by us.
- Any repair work must be undertaken by us or our appointed agent.
- Any parts removed during repair work or any appliance that is replaced become our property.
- The appliance is used in the United Kingdom or Republic of Ireland.

The guarantee does not cover:
- Damage resulting from transportation, improper use, neglect or interference or as a result of improper installation.
- Replacement of any consumable item or accessory. These include but are not limited to: plugs, cables, batteries, light bulbs, fluorescent tubes and starters, covers and filters.
- Replacement of any removable parts made of glass or plastic.

THIS GUARANTEE WILL NOT APPLY IF THE APPLIANCE HAS BEEN USED IN COMMERCIAL OR NON-DOMESTIC PREMISES.

Repairs and After Sales
For product help and advice, repairs, spare parts or accessories, we're here to help.
For local repair engineers - **03448 111 606** ROI - **0818 313 413** UK standard local rate applies ROI local Irish rate applies
For Parts and Accessories visit: **parts.hotpoint.co.uk/shop**
Please remember to register your appliance at **www.hotpointservice.co.uk** to activate your 10 year parts guarantee.
Please note, our advisors will require the following information: model number, serial number
This information can be found on the data plate located behind the door.

Information on recycling and disposal

As part of our continual commitment towards environmental protection, we reserve the right to use recycled quality components to reduce costs for our customers and to minimise materials wastage.
- Disposing of the packaging materials: follow local regulations to allow for recycling of packaging materials.
- In order to minimise the risk of injury to children, remove the door and plug, then cut the power supply cord flush with the appliance. Dispose of these parts separately to prevent the appliance from being connected to a power supply socket.

Disposal of old household appliances

The European Directive 2012/19/EC on Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment (WEEE), requires that old household electrical appliances must not be disposedof in the normal unsorted municipal waste stream. Old appliances must be collected separately in order tooptimise the recovery and recycling of the materialsthey contain and reduce the impact on human healthand the environment. This dryer has a sealed heat pump unit containing Fgases which should be recovered and destroyed.The crossed out "wheeled bin" symbol on theproduct reminds you of your obligation,thatwhen you dispose of the appliance it must beseparately collected.Consumers should contact their local authority orretailer for information concerning the correct disposalof their old appliance.

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This appliance has been designed, constructed and distributed in compliance with the requirements of European Directives:

- LVD 2014/35/EU, EMC 2014/30/EU and RoHS 2011/65/EU.