

Model PCV1

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IMPORTANT USER INFORMATION

It is most important that this instruction book should be retained with the appliance for future reference. Should the appliance be sold or transferred to another user, always ensure that the book is supplied with the appliance in order that the new user can be acquainted with the functioning of the appliance and the relevant warnings. These warnings are provided in the interest of safety. You must read them carefully before installing or using the appliance.

CAUTION: This machine is not suitable for picking up health endangering dust.

CAUTION: This machine is for dry use only and shall not be used or stored outdoors in wet conditions.

This machine is also suitable for commercial use, for example in hotels, schools, hospitals, factories, shops and offices for other than normal housekeeping purposes.

If the supply cord is damaged, it must be replaced by a special cord or assembly available from the manufacturer or its service agent.

Do not use the appliance in the presence of flammable gases.

Never leave the appliance running unattended.

Remove the plug from the wall socket before attempting any form of user maintenance specified in the user instruction book.

Do not carry or drag your vacuum cleaner by the mains supply cable.

Do not tug at the mains supply cable to remove the plug from the wall socket.

Keep the mains supply cable away from heat, oil, sharp edges and rough surfaces.

Always ensure that the cable is not damaged in any way.

Never pick up hot cinders or lighted cigarette ends.

Paper bags and filters should be changed or cleaned at regular intervals.

Do not use the appliance to suck up liquids.

Do not use the appliance for dry vacuuming with the filter or paper bag removed.

Always replace the paper bag when full ensuring that the cloth filter is not blocked with dust.

This appliance should be serviced by authorised personnel and only genuine spare parts should be used.

Safety Instructions – Electrical Safety (UK only)

This vacuum cleaner is a Class 1 earthed appliance and has 10 metres of 3-core flex with a moulded-on non-rewireable 13 amp 3 pin plug (to BS1363A). The fuse fitted (ASTA Approved) is rated at 13 amps. Only 13 amp fuses must be used. *Note: Fuses do not give personal protection against electric shock.*

Should the moulded-on plug be damaged please follow this procedure:

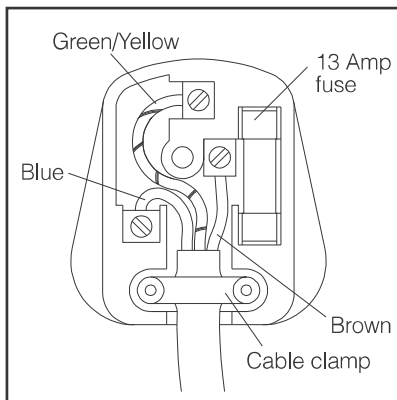
Switch off supply at socket, remove damaged plug from socket, cut plug off flex.

Make sure the damaged plug is disposed of immediately so as there is no chance of the damaged plug being used.

Fitting a Replacement Plug

Use only a 13 amp (approved) plug. To fit proceed as follows:

- 1) Ensure that the lengths of wire to be fitted inside the plug have been cut to the correct length and the ends correctly prepared. When preparing the cable ends take care not to damage the outer sheath, or the insulation surrounding the inner conductors.
- 2) Connect the blue (NEUTRAL) wire to the terminal in the plug which is marked with the letter “N” or coloured black.
- 3) Connect the brown (LIVE) wire to the terminal in the plug which is marked with the letter “L” or coloured red.
- 4) Connect the green/yellow (EARTH) wire to the terminal in the plug which is marked with the letter “E” or coloured green.
- 5) Tighten all screws. Ensure that all conductor strands have entered into the terminal posts and that the mains lead is securely held in place by the cable clamp.
- 6) Ensure that the plug is fitted with a 13 amp ASTA approved BS1362 fuse. Replace the top cover of the plug and secure.



UNPACKING YOUR CLEANER

Unpack your cleaner and ensure that you have a complete set of accessories as listed below:

- 1 25mm x 2.5m Antistatic Crushproof Hose Assembly
- 1 32mm Antistatic Crevice Tool
- 1 32mm End Brush for Crevice Tool
- 1 32mm Compact Dusting Brush
- 1 Spare Paper Bag
- 2 Self Adhesive Sealing Discs for Paper Bag

Optional extras:

- 1 Flexiclean Nozzle & Brush
- 1 Anti-Static Wristband & Yellow Coily Lead
- 1 Packet of 10 Disposable Paper Bags

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

1. Hose

Lift the flap at the right hand end of carrying case and insert either end of the suction hose into the suction end cap.

2. Accessories

Attach appropriate nozzle to the end of the hose.

3. Coily Lead & Wristband

Connect the coily lead to the earth stud by the switch and the wristband to the coily lead to dissipate any static build up in the user.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

1. Connection to the Electricity Supply

Insert the mains plug into a suitable socket outlet. When you have finished cleaning, unplug the appliance. When coiling the mains cable make sure that any twists or knots in the cable come out at the plug end. DO NOT coil cable from the plug end as all twists and knots remain in the cable and considerably shorten its life.

2. Cleaner Controls

The following controls are provided:

- a) The on/off switch is situated toward the rear of the casing. To switch the appliance on firmly press the raised portion of the rocker.
- b) The speed control is situated near the on/off switch. It is used to control the suction power generated.

3. Carrying and Storing

The assembled cleaner should only be moved by the carrying handle. Do not attempt to lift or drag the machine by the mains lead. The cleaner must be stored indoors and in a dry environment.

4. Access to Paper Bag and Filter

- a) To remove the paper bag, unclip both clips. Ensure that the clips are hinged clear of the rim of the end cap. The paper bag is a push fit onto the end cap.
- b) Refitting the paper bag and end cap is the reverse of the above.

5. Cleaning Tools and Suggested Uses

Antistatic Crevice Nozzle:- Used to concentrate the suction power and reach into awkward places.

Compact Crevice Nozzle End Brush:- Fits onto the end of the Crevice Nozzle and used to dislodge dust & debris in difficult to reach places.

Compact Dusting Brush:- A versatile brush with a multi-position elbow. Used for vacuum dusting vertical and horizontal flat and ribbed surfaces.

Flexiclean Nozzle & Brush:- A long, flexible nozzle and brush to reach deep into awkward places. Particularly useful for cleaning behind radiators, under machinery and equipment etc.

FILTRATION SYSTEM

This Vacuum Cleaner is fitted with 3 stages of filtration. All stages are on the negative pressure (Suction) side of the motor.

1) 1st Stage – PCV1 Disposable Paper Bag

It is very important that a paper bag be used at all times, failure to do so could result in a blocked filter and over heating of the motor (leading to motor failure).

2) 2nd Stage – Cloth Filter Bag

A nylon type of material filter. Specially designed material for use as a Vacuum Cleaner filter.

3) 3rd Stage – Microfilter Disc

Designed to protect the motor in the event of a paper bag/cloth filter bag failure.

LOSS OF SUCTION / THERMAL CUTOUT SWITCH

If your cleaner loses suction power, first check that the hose and other accessories are not blocked. Then check that the filtration system is not blocked. The filtration system can be serviced as follows:

PCV1 disposable paper bags – these are not designed to be emptied. They must be disposed of when full. Use the self adhesive circular paper bag sealing disc to prevent the escape of any dust during disposal. Make sure the cloth filter bag has no loose dust or debris lying in the bottom. If it has, empty out before fitting a replacement paper bag.

Cloth Filter Bag – This will become contaminated with dust during normal use. The dust must be removed either by brushing off or by vacuuming with another Vacuum Cleaner. It is advisable to have a spare filter so that one filter can be used in the machine and then the machine itself can be used to vacuum the dust off the contaminated spare filter.

Microfilter Disc – This can only effectively be cleaned with a vacuum cleaner. Replace when heavily contaminated.

If any of the filters or paper bags are damaged or holed they must be replaced with new items.

This vacuum cleaner is fitted with thermal cutout switch which automatically stops the motor if it overheats. This may be caused by a blocked hose, a full paper bag, or a blocked filter. If your vacuum cleaner cuts out check for the above. The cutout switch will automatically reset itself when the motor temperature drops.

SERVICING & SPARES

Should your VACUUM CLEANER need any servicing, repair or spares please contact your nearest dealer.

Please make a note of the model and serial number before contacting your dealer.

GUARANTEE

products are guaranteed for 12 months against defective parts and workmanship. There are certain conditions that may invalidate this guarantee.

- a) This appliance must be correctly installed and used in accordance with these instructions.
- b) Servicing must be carried out by authorised personnel only.
- c) The guarantee may be invalidated by unauthorised repair or modification to the appliance.

may introduce modifications to their products from time to time and consequently the details given in this instruction book are subject to alteration without notice.