

# Washing Machine OWNER'S MANUAL

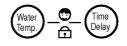
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Thank you for purchasing LG Fully Automatic Washer. Please read your owner's manual carefully, it provides instructions on safe installation, use and maintenance. Retain it for future reference.

Record the model and serial numbers of your washing machine











# Protection against wrinkles

With the alternate rotation of the drum, the wrinkling in the laundry is minimized.

# Preferred temperature selection

There are 4 temperature selections between cold and 95°C

# Low noise speed control system

By sensing the load and balance, evenly distributes the load to minimize the spinning noise level.

## **Child-Lock**

The Child-Lock system has been developed to prevent children from pressing any button to change the program during operation.

# **Delay finish**

Delayed Washing can be set easily from 3 hours to 19 hours.

## **Auto Restart**

Although the washing machine is turned off by a power failure, it restarts automatically in its stopped again and the process is properly adjusted and it will be the same when the machine unplugged in operation is plugged in again.

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# Warnings

You must read the whole of this instruction book before you use the appliance. Follow the advice carefully.

Keep the book for future reference. If you sell or give away the appliance, make sure that the book is passed to the new owner. The following warning are provided in the interests of overall safety.

You must read them before the appliance is installed or used.

This appliance is designed to be used by adults. Children should not be allowed to touch the controls or play with the product.

It is dangerous to modify the specifications of this appliance in any way.

This appliance is heavy. Care should be taken when moving it.

All packaging and transit bolts must be removed before the appliance is used.

Serious damage may occur if this is not done.

Any plumbing work required to install this appliance should be carried out by a qualified plumber or a competent person.

Any electrical work required to install this appliance should be carried out by a qualified electrician or a competent person.

Make sure that the appliance does not stand on its electrical supply cable.

If the machine is situated on a carpeted floor, please adjust the feet to ensure that air can circulate freely.

Always unplug the appliance and turn off the water tap after use.

Do not overload the appliance.

Only wash fabrics which are designed to be machine washed. If in doubt, follow the instructions you find on the label of the item itself.

Avoid electric heaters, candles, etc. near the machine. It may ignite or deform the machine.

Don't sprinkle water. It may cause a fire or electric shock.

Use the exclusive 220-240V outlet with ground terminal. Do not use an extension cord or double adapter.

Make sure that all pockets are empty. Hard, sharp objects such as coins, safety pins, nails, screws or stones can cause extensive damage.

Do not wash laundry stained with edible oil, machine oil, dry-cleaning oil, gasoline, etc. It may cause fire or explosions.

This appliance is designed for donestic use. It must not be used for purposes other than those for which it was designed.

Do not machine wash fabrics which are saturated with petroleum products. If volatile cleaning fluids have been used, make sure that they are thoroughly removed from the fabric before it is placed in the appliance.

Do not operate near places with ignitable material such as gasoline, benzene, etc. or inflammable gas leak. Due to volatile nature of these material, It can cause fire or explosions.

Use only the recommended quantities of fabric softener. An excessive amount could damage the laundry.

Leave the porthole door slightly ajar between washes to preserve the door seal.

Before you open the door of the machine check that the water has drained. Do not open the door if you can still see water.

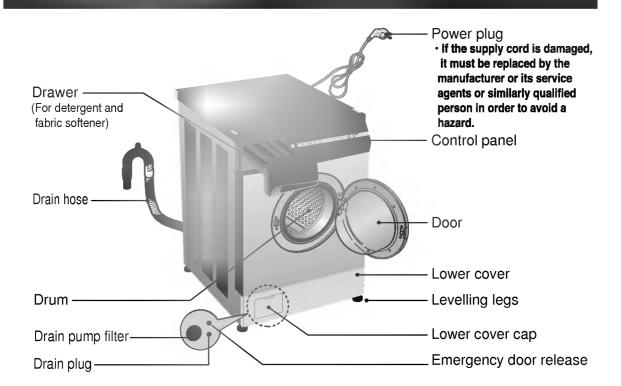
Pets and children may climb into the washing machines. Check your appliance each time before use.

The glass door becomes very hot during washing. Keep children away from the appliance while it is in use.

You should not attempt to repair the machine yourself Repairs carried out by inexperienced or unqualified persons may cause injury and/or more serious faults to the machine.

This product should be serviced by an authorized Service Centre only, and only genuine spare parts should be used.

When disposing of your old washing machine, the electric cable must be cut off and the door catch must be made inoperative to avoid it becoming a death trap for a child.



Name : Front loading washing machine

Power supply : 220-240V, 50Hz

Size :  $600 \text{mm}(W) \times 600 \text{mm}(D) \times 850 \text{mm}(H)$ 

Weight : 63kg
Wash capacity : 7.0kg
Heating : 2100W

Spin speed : 600/800/1000/1200rpm

Wash consumption :  $67 \ell (9.6 \ell / kg)$ 

Permissible water pressure : 0.3-10kgf/cm² (30-1000kPa)

The appearance and specifications may be varied without notice to raise the units quality





Keep the transit bolts and spanner for future use in case the machine is to be transported again.

## How to disassemble the transit bolts.

To protect the washer during transportation, the special 4 bolts are locked. Before operating the washer, remove the bolts.

( If they are not removed, it may cause heavy vibration, noise and malfunction)

- 1. Locate the 4 bolts that secures the back cover.
- 2. Unscrew the 4 bolts with a spanner provided.
- 3. Take out the 4 bolts.

## Level adjustment

#### 1. Select a place for installation

Place it at a firm and even floor Place it more than 2cm away from the wall or other furniture

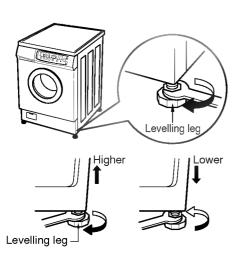
#### 2.Check the gap

Ensure all feet are firmly on the floor.

#### 3.Level adjustment

After adjusting the level, check it by shaking the washer. Readjust the level if necessary.

Levelling should be done within 1.5 degree angle.



If the washer is not levelled, it may cause noise or vibration.

### **Electrical connection**

Do not use an extension cord or double adapter.

If the supply cord is damaged, it must be replaced by the manufacturer or its service agents or similarly qualified person in order to avoid a hazard.

Always unplug the machine and turn off the water supply after use.

Connect the machine to an earthed socket in accordance with current wiring regulations.

If the appliance is supplied from a cord extension set or electrical portable outlet device, the cord extension set or electrical portable outlet device should be positioned so it is not subject to splashing or ingress of moisture. If a stationary appliance is provided with a supply cord and a plug, the instructions shall state that the appliance must be positioned so that the plug is accessible.

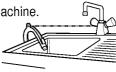
## Water drain

Hook over the edge of a sink using the plastic hose hanger supplied with the machine.

Make sure there are no kinks in the hose and that it is no crushed.

Secure the hose so that it can not be dislodged while the appliance is running.

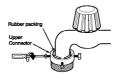
The drain hose should not be placed higher than 85cm above the floor.



# Installation

## Connecting the inlet hose

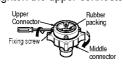
- 1. Unscrew the fixing screw to attach the faucet.
- 2. Push the connector up till the rubber packing is in tight contact with the faucet. Then tighten the 4 screws.



3 Push the water supply hose vertically upwards so that the rubber packing within in the hose can adhere completely to the faucet and then tighten it by screwing it to the right.



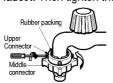
# Connecting the inlet hose (How to connect the hose of one touch type.)



• In case the diameter of the faucet is large remove the guide plate.



1. Untighten the upper connector screw. 2. Push the upper connector up till the rubber packing is in tight contact with the faucet. Then tighten the 4 screws.

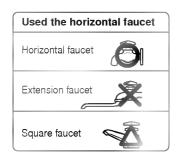


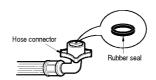
• Turn the middle connector not to have water leaked.

3. Connect the water supply hose to the middle connector, pushing the plate down.



 To separate the water supply hose from the middle connector sut off the fauce. Then pull the inlet hose down. pushing the plate down.





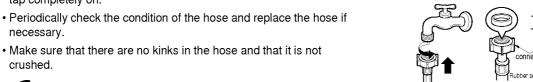
· Make sure that the rubber seal is inside the hose connector.



- · Your machine comes with only cold water connection.
- · Make sure that there are no kinks in the hose and that it is not crushed.

# Connecting the inlet hose (How to connect the hose of screw type.)

- Two rings are supplied with the water inlet hose in the valve connector in order to prevent water leaks.
- · Your machine comes with only cold water connection. Connect to cold water using the inlet valve.
- Check water tightness of washing machine connections by turning the tap completely on.
- · Make sure that there are no kinks in the hose and that it is not crushed.







Check pocket for any articles (coin, safety pin, paper clips, etc.)

Close zips and fasten button or hooks: loose belt or ribbons should be tied together.

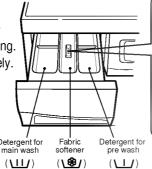
Never wash whites and coloureds together.

Follow the wash code symbols on each garment label and manufacturer's washing instructions.

Soiled condition	Washing	Temperature
Heavily soiled	- Pre wash - Main wash	Heavily soiled cottons : cold - 95°C  Normally soiled cottons : cold - 95°C  Colored cottons : cold - 60°C
Normally Soiled	- Main wash	Synthetics : cold - 60°C Delicate fabrics : cold - 40°C Woollens : cold - 40°C

# Where to place the detergent

Pull out the detergent drawer. Put the detergent and fabric softener in the detergent drawer before washing. Close the detergent drawer completely.



The drawer for fabric softener

- · Do not leave the fabric softener in the detergent drawer for more than 2 days. (Fabric softener could harden)
- Do not open the drawer during water fill cycle.
  Softener will automatically add during last rinsing cycle.
- Do not fill past MAX indicator.

· Do not use solvents (benzine, etc.)







The detergent should be used according to the instruction of the detergent manufacturer.

If the detergent is used over the recommended amount too many bubbles will be generated thus causing an inferior washing result. Which will cause malfunction.

Use detergent only for drum washing machine.

#### Detergent dosages

Do not exceed manufacturer's recommended dosages as shown on the detergent package.

The amounts depend on

degree and type of soiling

amount of wash

- full load : according to manufacturers" instructions
- part load: 3/4 of the normal amount
- minimum load (about 1kg): 1/2 the amount used for

Water hardness in your area.

### Choosing the right detergent

The type of detergent depends on

the type of fabric (cotton, synthetic, delicate items, wool)

colour

wash temperature

degree and type of soiling

NOTE: use appropriate detergent only for wool



 To drain and spin, press the Rinse button or Start/Pause button to turn off the rinse hold lamp.

#### Wash program selector

- 6 programs can be selected depending on the type of laundry.
- If the power button is pressed, Coloreds program is automatically set.
- By pressing the Program button, [Coloreds→Whites→Rapid→Delicate→ Wool→Synthetic] can be selected.

## Display the remaining time (Hour : Minute) to finish.

 In case of abnormal operation, error indications are displayed.
 ( PE, FE, dE, LE, SE, CE )
 See trouble shooting guide.

#### Error displa

 The display blinks if there is an error.

• no inlet : Trouble with water supply.

• imbalance : The laundry is titled to one side.

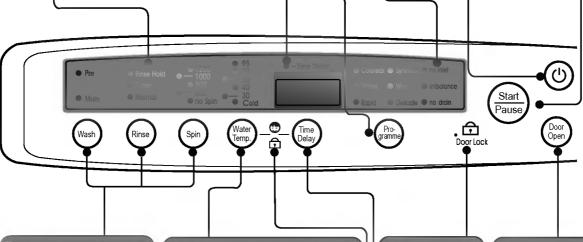
• no drain:
The drain filter is clogged or the drain pump is out of order.

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- Press the button to turn power on and off.
- Press the button to cancel the delay finish.

## art/Pause button

- Use the button to start or pause wash cycle.
- The power turns off automatically 4 minutes after the pause button is pressed.



### For manual wash, ri and spin speed

- Use these buttons to change wash/rinse/spin.
- When lamp is off no selection has been made.
- Prewash is available for Coloreds, Whites, Synthetic.

#### Water temperature select

- Press the button to select water temperature.
- The water temperature [40°C → 50°C → 60°C → Cold → 30°C] can be selected in Coloreds, Synthetic.
- 95°C is selected for Whites only.
- By pressing the button during operating the washer, the present temperature is displayed.

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- It shows whether the door can be opened or not.
- When the lamp is on, the door can't be opened.

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- Press the button to open the door.
- Only operates when the power plug is connected to 220-240V outlet.

- Once Child-Lock is set, all buttons are inoperable during operation.
- The Child-Lock system can be set at any time even including during Power-Off, on Pause and operation. It is automatically cancelled when an operational error occurs and when the cycle ends.
- When power is off, the LED indicates [ £ L] only. During operation, or when the program is paused the LED will indicate [ £ L] and the remaining time.
- · Press the button when delayed washing is needed.
- When the button is pressed, [ **]:00** ]is delayed. A maximum delay of [ **!9:00** ] hours can be set.
- Each press advances time delay by one hour.
- Time Delay means the time required from the present to the completion of washing.

# The whole washing process is carried out automatically with just one touch.

(If no program is selected, Coloreds program will commence.)

## Prepare the washing

Make sure that the machine is plugged in the electric supply.

Turn on the cold water tap.

Press the Door Open button.

Load the laundry and close the door.

Put the detergent and fabric softener into drawer.

## In case of automatic washing

- 1. Press the Power button.
- 2. Press the Start/Pause button to start the washing machine.

The coloreds program is carried out automatically.

3. The optimum wash program is selected once the load is detected.

## To change the washing program

- 1. Press the Power button.
- 2. [Coloreds Whites Rapid Delicate Wool Synthetic] will appear in order by pressing the Program button.

Make adjustment to water temperature, rinse or spin cycles to suit your wash needs by pressing these buttons.

Programmer		Select the function to change rinse, spin and water temperature.     ( ) indicates manual operations.			Washing	
		Wash		Spin	Water Temp.	time
Coloreds	Colored blouses, aprons, shirts, bed linen	Main wash (Pre + Main)		800 (no Spin, 600, 1000, 1200)	<b>40 i C</b> (Cold, 30BC, 50BC, 60BC	about one hour & 46 minutes
Whites	First check if the laundry is machine washable. White cottons and linen(towels, sheets)	Main wash (Pre + Main)		800 (no Spin, 600, 1000, 1200)	95 <sub>i</sub> C	about 2 hours & 23 minutes
Rapid	For quick washing of less dirty laundry or frequently used towels.	Main wash	Normal (Super) (Normal+Rinse Hold)	600 (no Spin, 600, 1000, 1200)	Cold (30 <sub>i</sub> C, 40 <sub>i</sub> C)	about 43 minutes
Delicate (Below 3.0kg)	Delicate laundry easily damaged.(silk, curtains)	Main wash	(Super+Rinse Hold)	600 (no Spin)	Cold (30 <sub>i</sub> C, 40 <sub>i</sub> C)	about one hour & 9 minutes
WOOL (Below 1.0kg)	Machine washable woollens with pure new wool only.	Main wash		600 (no Spin)	Cold (30 <sub>i</sub> C, 40 <sub>i</sub> C)	about 45 minutes
Synthetic (Below 4.0kg)	Polyamide, Acrylic, Polyester	Main wash (Pre + Main)		800 (no Spin, 600, 1000, 1200)	40 i C (Cold, 30 i C, 50 i C, 60 i C)	about one hour & 46 minutes

3. Press the Start/Pause button to start the cycle.



# Completion of washing

If the washing is completed, the display shows [ <code>End</code> ] with a beep. Press the Door Open button and take out the laundry.

Switch off the appliance and turn off the tap.

# How to use your washing machine

## More convenient manual operations of Coloreds program

It is more convenient to operate manually in Coloreds program than in others because Coloreds program is firstly set with power on.

#### In Coloreds.

When you want wash only, press the Wash button to select the washing mathod.

When you want rinse only,

press the Rinse button to select the rinsing mathod.

When you want spin only,

press the Spin button to select the Spin speed.

When you want wash and rinse only,

press the Wash button and Rinse button to select each method.

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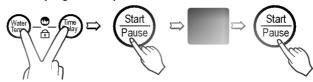
# The Child-Lock system

The Child-Lock system can be programed and cancelled by pressing the both Water Temp. and Time Delay buttons simultaneously.

**Child-Lock** (If you want to lock all the buttons to prevent all the setting from a child or infirm persons, you can use this option.)

If you want to change the program when the Child-Lock system is on,

- 1. Press both Water Temp. and Time Delay buttons.
- 2. Press the Start/Pause button.
- 3. Change the desired program and press the Start/Pause button.

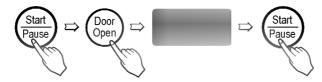


If you want to deacitvate Child -Lock during wash cycle, press both Water Temp. and Time Delay simultaneously.



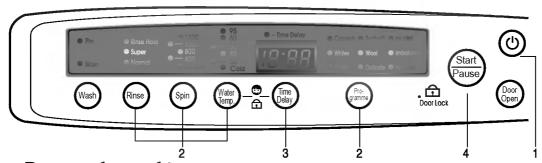
If the lamp turn off, the door can be open by pressing the Door Open button, additional laundry can be put in during the washing. In other words, it shows whether the door can be open or not.

In case of adding laundry (when Dogreek is off)





If the lamp is on, select spin cycle to drain water and press the Start/Pause button and than Door Open button to open the door.



# Prepare the washing

Plug the power into the exclusive 220-240V outlet.

Turn on the water tap.

Put in the laundry and close the door.

Place the detergent and fabric softener in the drawer.

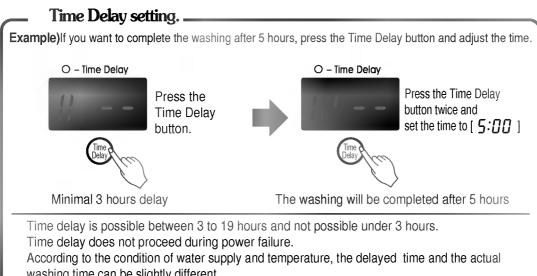
#### 1. Press the Power button

### 2. Press the Program selection button to select the program you require.

Select the rinse, spin and the water temperature.

#### 3. Press the Time Delay button

Select the finish time you require by pressing the Time Delay button.



washing time can be slightly different.

The Power button can be use to cancel the time delay.

Each press advances Time Delay by one hour.

### 4. Press the Start / Pause button

All lamps except the time delay and the remaining time display will be turned off.



#### The washing is completed at the selected time

Unplug the appliance and turn off the tap.

#### The washing program for when you go out.

If you are unable to unload the washing machine at the end of delay cycle, it is best to select the no spin or use Rinse Hold.

Unplug the power plug prior to maintaining Clean the filter periodically every 3 months.

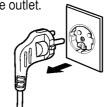
# Clean the filter in the inlet valve-

When no water flows through detergent drawer, or filter is clogged with foreign material "no inlet" is displayed of the control panel.

7 Turn off the water tap.

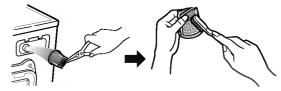


Unplug the power plug from  ${\bf 2}$  Disconnect the inlet hose the outlet.





- Pull out the filter with a tool or by gand and clean it using a toothbrush.
- Connect the inlet hose and check water 5 leakage.

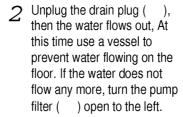


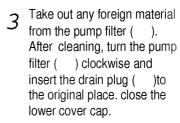


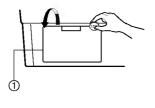
Insert the filter in it's original place.

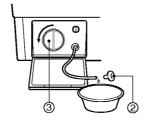
# Clean the drain pump filter -

 $1^{\rm Open}$  the lower cover cap ) by using coin. Turn the drain plug ( pull out the hose.









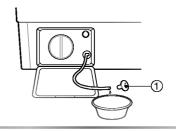


# Clean the filter in the inlet valve -

1 Turn off the water tap and remove the inlet hose.



2 Drain water in the machine using drain plug ( ).

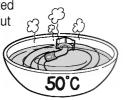


## When the machine is frozen -

Pour hot water (about 50°C) on the faucet and remove the inlet hose.



2 Submerge the separated hose in hot water (about 50°C).



3 Pour the hot water in the drawer and maintain it for 10 minutes for melting.

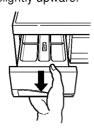


4 Connect the inlet hose to the water tap and check the drain after turning on the water tap and operating the washing machine.

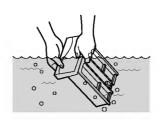


## Maintenance of the drawer

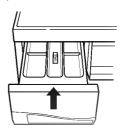
1 Pull out the drawer slightly upware.



 $2^{\,\mathrm{Wash}}$  it clearly.



3 Insert it in its original place.



# Trouble - Shooting guide

Check the following before asking for service if the error message is displayed during washing, rinsing, spinning. Request for service in the case of failure or damage except the followings.

Symptom	Check points		Solution	
no inlot		<ul><li>Is the water tap turned off?</li><li>Is the water frozen?</li></ul>	• Turn the water tap on. • Melt it with 50°C hot water	
- no iniet -		Is the water pressure low or the filter clogged ?	Disconnect the inlet hose and clean the filter.  12 Refer	
		• Is there foreign matter in the drain filter ?	Clean and remove foreign material from drain filter.  12 Refer	
no drain		• Is the drain hose bent or higher than 85cm above the floor? Is the hose clogged?	Put the drain hose evenly.  Place the drain hose under 85cm from the floor.  Refer	
		• Is the hose frozen ?	• Melt it with 50 °C hot water.	
imbalance —		Is the laundry tilted to one side in the drum?	<ul> <li>Spread the laundry evenly.</li> <li>Release imbalance by pressing the [Start / Pause ] button. If it happens after rinsing or spinning, call for service.</li> </ul>	
		• Is the washer leveled?	• Install it on a firm and even floor.	
d E		• Is the door opened?	• Close the door.	
L E			Unplug the power plug and call for service	

Symptom	C	Check points	Solution	
FE	ı	rfillsa due to the abnormal water et " <i>FE</i> ," display.	Close the water tap. Unplug the power plug.	
PE	" <i>PE</i> , "is displayed	l if the water level sensor malfunctions.	Call for service	
5 <i>E</i>	Motor is not op	erating.		
[E] LE	Over load in m	otor.		
	(4)	Did you press the [ Power ] button?	• Turn it on.	
		<ul><li>Is the power plug unplugged?</li><li>Is the power supply correct?</li></ul>	Plug it to power supply. Use exclusive 220-240V outlet with ground terminal.	
		<ul> <li>Is the short-circuit breaker turned off?</li> </ul>	• Turn it on.	
	Low foaming	<ul> <li>Did you use more detergent than recommended?</li> <li>Did you use low suds detergent for the front loading washing machine?</li> </ul>	Use the recommended amount. Use detergents for front loading washing machines only.	
	?	<ul> <li>Did you remove the transit bolts?</li> <li>Is the washer tilted?</li> <li>Is the drain pump clogged with foreign matters?</li> <li>Is the washer loaded with excessive clothes?</li> </ul>	Remove it.  Install it on the firm and even floor and level it. Remove foreign matter from the drain filter. Remove the excessive loads.  Refer	