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Models GC-1150 & BFP-1150

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Instruction manual
Vacuum cleaner

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Explanation of the Symbols



Read and follow the instruction manual and keep it for later use.



Attention! Disregarding the warning may lead to property damage.



Attention! Disregarding the warning may result in harm to self and/or others.

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Important Safety Instructions

Save these instructions.

- Read all Instructions before using




This vacuum cleaner complies with the compulsory safety regulations for electric equipment.

However, improper use can be harmful to people and property. Please read these operating instructions through carefully and completely before switching the appliance on. Keep the operating instructions, the guarantee certificate, the receipt, as well as the packaging and packaging material if at all possible.

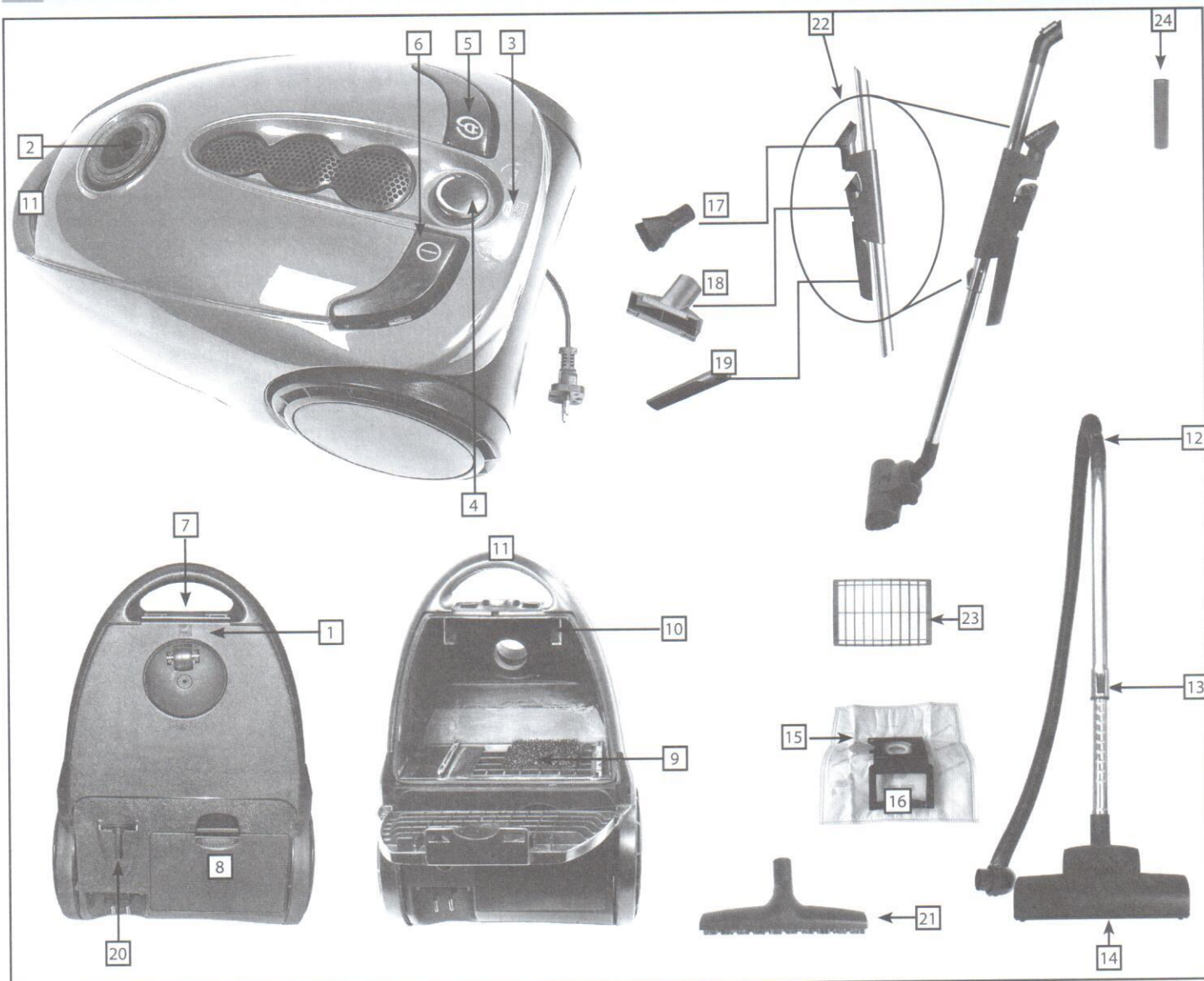
- Remember to pass on the operating instructions if you hand the appliance on to another user.
- This appliance is designed solely for household use. The appliance is not suitable for commercial use. Don't use the appliance outdoors. Don't subject the appliance to heat, direct sunshine or moisture. NEVER immerse the appliance in water and any other liquids and be aware of sharp edges that may damage it. Never use the appliance with wet or damp hands. Unplug it immediately if the appliance becomes wet or damp when motor is running.
- Check the appliance and the power cord regularly for any possible damage. Do not use damaged appliances.
- This appliance can be used by children aged 8 and upwards and by people with reduced physical, sensory or mental abilities, lack of experience and/or knowledge if they are supervised or instructed in the safe use of the appliance and have understood the ensuing risks. Children should not play with the appliance. Cleaning and user maintenance must not be carried out by children unless they are supervised.
- Children are not aware of the dangers that result from handling electric appliances. Therefore, children should never handle electric appliances without supervision.
- This vacuum cleaner may only be used and kept in the home. People or animals must never be vacuumed with this vacuum cleaner.
- When using the appliance, make sure that no hair, clothing, or extremities are drawn in.
- Other uses and unattended operation are not allowed.
- The manufacturer cannot be made responsible for damages that are caused by improper use or incorrect operation.
- Connect the appliance only to a 120 volt electrical outlet.
- The appliance must not be used without a vacuum cleaner bag and exhaust filter.
- When using the appliance for longer periods of time, the power cord must be pulled out by at least 2/3 to prevent risk of overheating and damage.
- If the power cord is damaged, it must be completely replaced along with the cable cylinder by customer service.
- Do not vacuum up ashes, hot coals or the like, large fragments of glass and sharp objects. The vacuum cleaner may catch on fire or become blocked and damaged.
- Don't vacuum up any toner dust, which is used in printers and copiers for example, because it is electrically conductive. In addition, it is possible that it will not be completely filtered out by the filter system of the vacuum cleaner and can be released into the air via the exhaust fan.
- Never vacuum up asbestos, asbestos dust, or any carcinogens.
- Never vacuum up flammable or poisonous liquids like petroleum, oil, acids, or other volatile substances. The vacuum cleaner may explode.
- Do not vacuum up any liquids (e.g. water). This may damage the operation of the vacuum cleaner, and protection against electric shock may be adversely affected.
- Never use the appliance in damp rooms.
- Never operate the appliance when it is on its edge or on its side. When being operated, the unit must be on the floor. Pay particular attention to a horizontal position and adequate stability on stairs. When cleaning stairs, the unit must always be lower than the user!
- Always unplug the appliance after use and before cleaning or changing the filters.
- Only authorized Soniclean dealers may make repairs on the vacuum cleaner. Improper repairs could result in considerable danger to the user.
- Do not store the appliance directly beside a hot oven or radiator.
- When cleaning or removing the appliance, always switch it off, and unplug if you are not going to use the appliance for an extended period of time. Never pull on the power cord to unplug the appliance, rather pull on the plug itself. Also, remove any special accessories from the appliance.
- Never leave the appliance switched on unattended. If you leave the work area, switch the appliance off first and then unplug it from the outlet (don't pull the cord, but use the plug).
- In order to protect children from electric household appliances, make sure that the power cord can't cause children to trip and don't give children access to the appliance.

- Check the appliance and the power cord regularly for any possible damages. Don't use damaged appliances.
- Don't try to repair the appliance yourself. Always use an authorized technician for repairs. Always have faulty power cords replaced immediately by the manufacturer or an authorized Soniclean Dealer. Use the same type of cable in order to prevent any danger of electric shock and injury.
- Only use original spare parts from authorized Soniclean Dealer.
- Do not allow to be used as a toy. Close attention is necessary when used by or near children.
- Do not use with damaged cord or plug. If appliance is not working as it should, has been dropped, damaged, left outdoors, or dropped into water, return it to a service center.
- Do not pull or carry by cord, use cord as a handle, close a door on cord, or pull cord around sharp edges or corners. Do not run appliance over cord. Keep cord away from heated surfaces.
- Do not put any object into openings. Do not use with any opening blocked; keep free of dust, lint, hair, and anything that may reduce air flow.
- Hold plug when rewinding onto cord reel.
Do not allow plug to whip when rewinding.

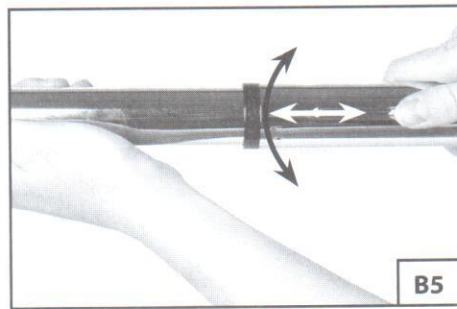
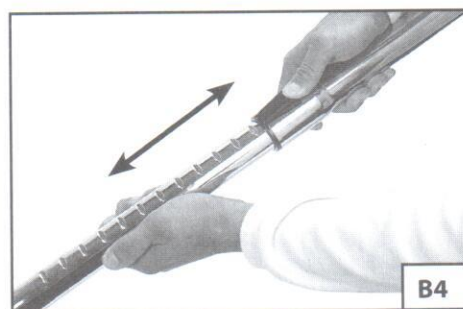
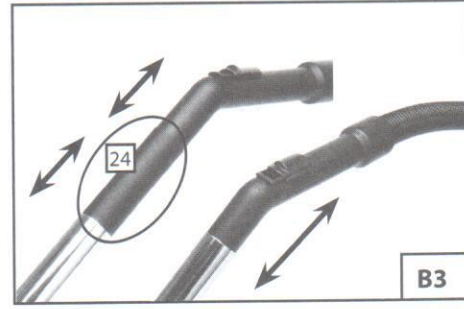
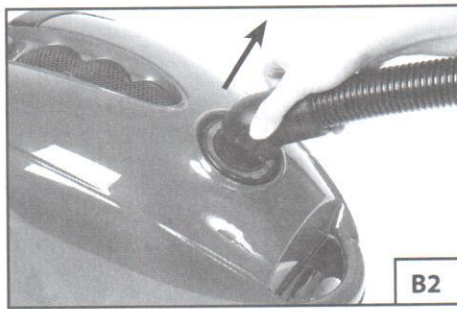
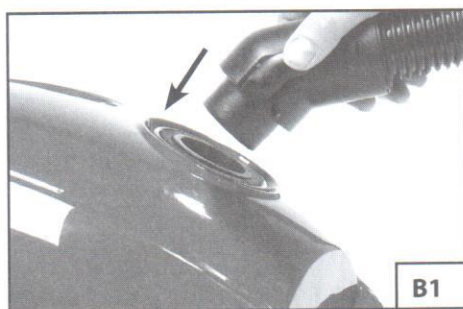
 Plastic bags may be dangerous. To avoid any danger of suffocation, keep plastic sheeting and bags out of the reach of babies and small children.

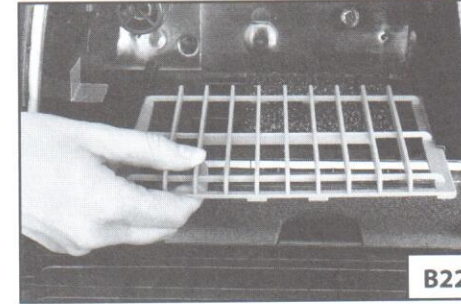
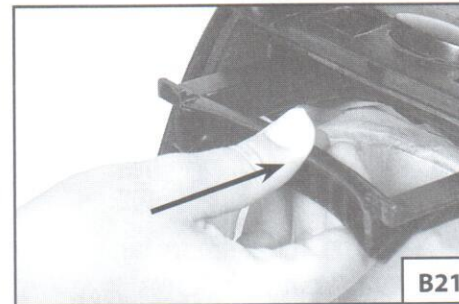
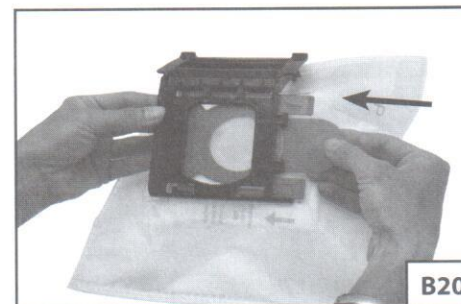
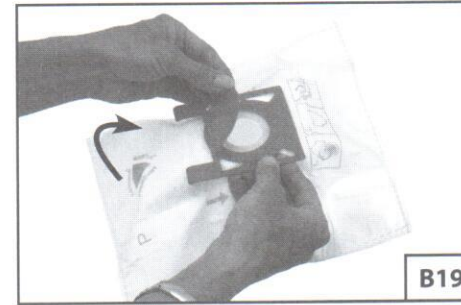
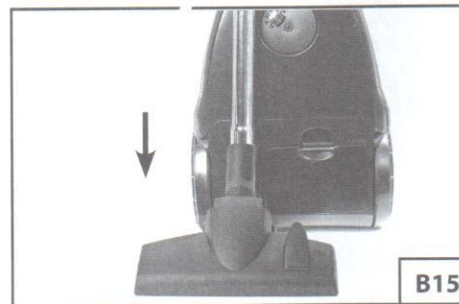
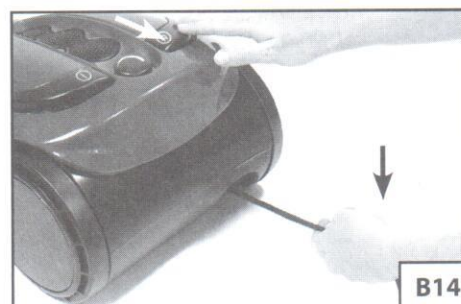
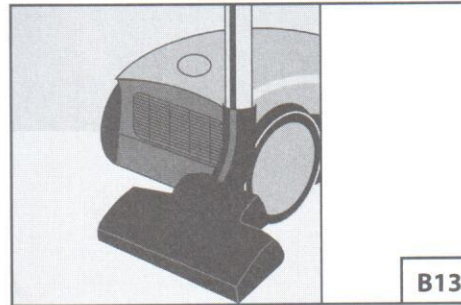
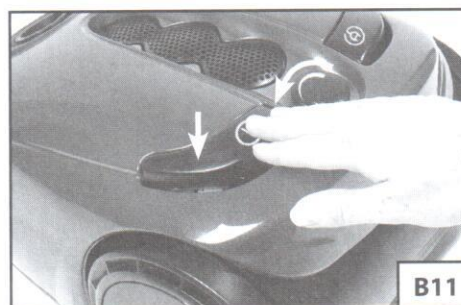
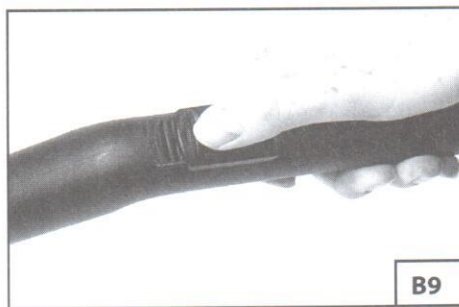
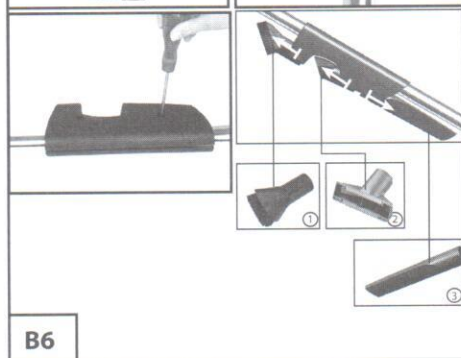
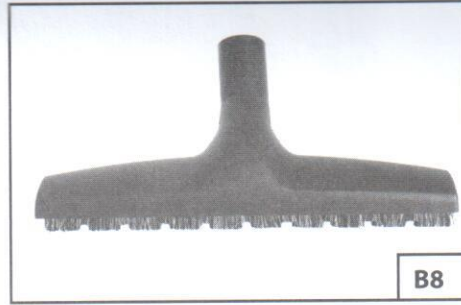
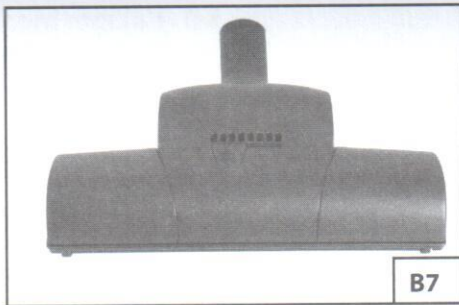
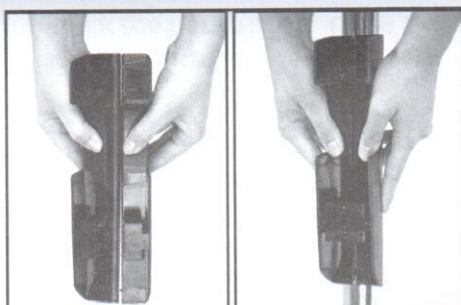
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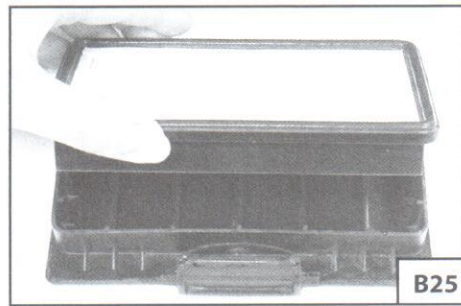
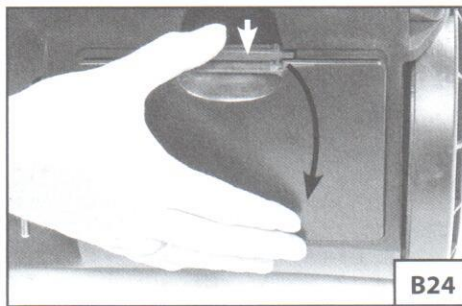
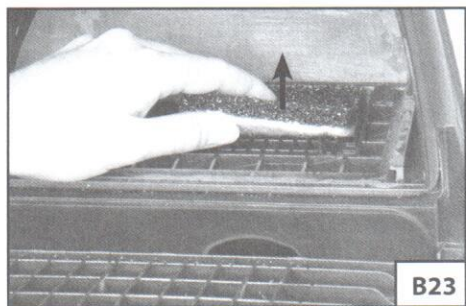
To Reduce The Risk Of Electric Shock or injury:
do not use outdoors or on wet surfaces.



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A Overview of the Appliance Components

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|----|--|----|--|
| 1 | Dust space lid | 13 | Telescopic tube with accessories holder (depending on the configuration) |
| 2 | Suction opening | 14 | Turbo nozzle |
| 3 | "Dust bag full" display | 15 | Dust bag with plastic seal |
| 4 | Power controller | 16 | Filter bridge |
| 5 | Button to wind up the cable | 17 | Furniture Brush (depending on the configuration) |
| 6 | ON/OFF switch | 18 | Upholstery nozzle (depending on the configuration) |
| 7 | Unlocking device for the dust compartment | 19 | Crevice nozzle |
| 8 | Exhaust filter compartment | 20 | Holder for vacuuming fittings in the storage position |
| 9 | Motor protection filter: Plastic foam filter or microhygiene filter (depending on the configuration) | 21 | Hard floor nozzle (depending on the configuration) |
| 10 | Holder for filter bridge | 22 | Accessories holder with screws for the installation (depending on the configuration) |
| 11 | Carrying handle | 23 | Suction mesh (depending on the configuration) |
| 12 | Vacuum hose with air leak slider | 24 | Extension adapter |

B Assembly

Insert hose (B1)

Insert the hose in the suction inlet on the top of the vacuum cleaner. You will hear it click into place.

To disconnect the hose, just press the two tabs on either side of the hose and pull it out. (B2)

Connect the vacuum tube

Insert the narrower end of the vacuum tube into a floor nozzle, turning the tube to attach it more firmly.

Insert the handle end of the hose in the vacuum tube.

To adjust the vacuum tube in the length you can also use the extension adapter. (B3)

Ratchet telescopic tube (B4) (varies depending on the appliance model)

This adjustable vacuum tube can be lengthened to fit your height to make your work more convenient. Loosen the locking device by pressing the button in the direction of the arrow. Set the vacuum tube to the desired length. To lock the vacuum tube in the desired length, release the button and push the suction tube in a little until you hear the lock click.

Rotary telescopic tube (B5) (varies depending on the appliance model)

This adjustable vacuum tube can be lengthened to fit your height to make your work more convenient. Hold the narrower end of the tube firmly with one hand. With your other hand, unlock the tube by turning the lock to the left. Set it to the desired length and then relock the tube by turning to the right. Pay attention to the instructions stamped on the tube.

Accessories

Accessory holder (depending on the configuration) (B6)

Fold open the accessory holder.

Clamp both halves opposite each other on the upper section of the suction tube and screw them together. With the accessory holder on the telescopic suction tube, you always have easy access to the accessories. Remove the accessory in the direction of the arrow as shown in the picture.

The accessory can be snapped onto the tube or the handle. (The accessories vary depending on the model of the appliance.)

Furniture Brush (1): e.g. for shelves and delicate surfaces.

Upholstery nozzle (2): e.g. for sofas and chairs.


Crevice nozzle (3): for small gaps like radiators, baseboards, joints and corners.

Turbo nozzle (B7): The turbo nozzle is ideal for low pile carpet.

 **Attention:** The following carpets should not be cleaned with the turbo brush, as there is a danger that threads may be pulled out: high-quality, handmade carpets, e.g. Berber, Persian and so on, as well as extremely long shag carpets and broadloom.

Hard floor nozzle (B8) (depending on the configuration): The hard floor nozzle cleans hard floors such as parquet, tiles, laminate, stone and linoleum floors.

Using the vacuum cleaner

 **CAUTION:** Never use the vacuum cleaner without a dust bag and motor protection filter in place or the motor may be damaged. Such damage is outside the terms of the warranty.

Starting the appliance

Pull out the power cord to the necessary length and put the plug into a properly installed and grounded 120 volt electrical outlet.

To start the motor, press the "ON/OFF" switch (B11).

Now, turn the power control until the desired power setting has been reached (B12). Work with consistent speed when vacuuming. In the process, it is unnecessary to apply additional pressure on the suction nozzle. When vacuuming very dirty surfaces, we recommend setting the controller to the highest suction power in order to obtain an optimum cleaning effect.

Suction Power Regulator

Low level of suction:	for curtains and delicate fabrics.
Medium level of suction:	for deep pile velour rugs and broadloom.
High level of suction:	for hardwearing carpets and floors.



Vacuum curtains and light fabrics only with low vacuuming power. Such items can be sucked in and damaged.

Air-leak slider (B9)

Open the air leak slider on the handle to vacuum delicate items such as curtains or fabrics or to remove articles that are stuck to the nozzle.

Closed - high suction power

Open - low suction power

After vacuuming

Taking a break from vacuuming (B13)

For a short break you can hook the floor nozzle into the slot on the back of the vacuum cleaner.

Switching off (B11)

Switch off the motor by pressing the "On/Off" button and pull the plug out of the electrical outlet.

Power cord rewind (B14)

Hold the cable rewind button  pressed down and use your hand to guide the cable. Do not rewind the cable too quickly or it may become jammed or tangled.

Storage (B15)

The vacuum cleaner can be stored upright. To do this, hook the floor nozzle into the tab on the back of the vacuum cleaner.

Transporting (B16)

Always use the handle to transport.

Changing the vacuum cleaner bag



CAUTION: Before changing the dust bag or filter, always turn off the vacuum and remove plug from the outlet.

"Change Dust Bag" indicator

The dust bag must be replaced when the „Change Dust Bag“ indicator lights up.



WARNING: The indicator will also alert you to the motor being overloaded, if the hose is blocked, for example. If this happens, switch off the vacuum cleaner, unplug it and remove the blockage.

Press the unlocking button of the dust compartment lid and fold down the dust compartment lid. (B17)

Pull out the filter bridge with the dust bag towards the back. (B18)

Pull the full dust bag sideways from the filter bridge.

Dust bag with plastic seal

When removing the full bag from the filter bridge, raise the plastic disc slightly and remove from the filter bridge.

Seal the opening of the bag with the folding tab. (B19)

Dispose of bag with household waste.

With plastic seal to the front, push the new dust bag into the filter bridge until it clicks into place in the filter bridge. (B20)

This will prevent the dust bag from moving around in the filter bridge on insertion into your vacuum cleaner.

Reinsert the filter bridge with the dust bag and close the lid. (B21)



CAUTION: The lid cannot be closed without the filter bridge and dust bag in position.

Filter changing

Cleaning the motor protection filter

It is recommended to always clean the filter when the dust bag is changed and to replace it with a new filter after changing the dust bag five times.

It is recommended to always clean the filter if there is an operational fault, i.e. after the dust bag tears or after removing a blockage.



ATTENTION: Never use the appliance without the motor protection filter in place or else the motor could become damaged, which would not be covered by warranty.

Press the unlocking button of the dust compartment lid and fold down the dust compartment lid. (B17)

Pull out the filter bridge with the dust bag towards the back. (B18)



CAUTION: In some models the suction mesh (in front of the motor protection filter) will need withdrawing from the guideways before cleaning the motor protection filter. (B22)

Remove the filter and clean it by either shaking it out or washing it. (B23)

When washing the filter, handle it with care and use warm water. Let it dry in the air. Do not use a detergent. **The filter must be fully dry before reinserting it back into the appliance.**

Reinsert the motor protection filter. Make sure that the filter is fastened centrally on the suction grate.

Replace the filter bridge with the dust bag and close the lid.

Changing the HEPA Exhaust Filter

Press the retaining strap for the exhaust filter lid to the back and lift the lid to the back. (B24)

The filter configuration varies depending on the appliance model.

Pull the HEPA exhaust filter up and out of the holder. Clean the HEPA exhaust filter by banging it out or with a soft brush. Afterwards, put the HEPA exhaust filter back into the appliance. (B25)

The HEPA exhaust filter must be replaced with a new one after approx. 50 hours of normal operation.

Cleaning and Service

 **CAUTION:** Before cleaning the vacuum cleaner switch it off and unplug it.

The vacuum cleaner, especially the dust compartment, and the accessories, can be cleaned with a soft cloth or standard plastic cleaner and then dried.

Remove hair and threads from the nozzles at regular intervals.

Other Important Information

Dust bags are disposable articles. They must not be reused.

Checking the Change Dust Bag indicator:

- Attach the floor nozzle. All other nozzles affect the functioning of the change dust bag display.
- Switch on the vacuum cleaner and set the suction power selector (if available) to full suction power.
- Lift the floor nozzle off the floor by a small amount.

If the dust bag full display is "red", then you must change the dust bag.

What you should know about how the change dust bag display works.

The display is designed to work with mixed dust, as is mainly found in the home. This includes hair, carpet fluff, threads, sand, etc. However, if you vacuum up a great deal of fine dust, for example drilling dust, sand, plaster, or flour, the pores of the dust bag will become clogged. Then, the change dust bag display will show "full", even if the dust bag is not yet full. The dust bag must then be changed, since the suction power has been reduced by the plugged pores. However, if you vacuum up a great deal of hair, carpet or wool fluff, etc., then the change dust bag display may only respond when the dust bag is already bulging full.

Overheating protection

- Overheating protection (thermo switch) – vacuum cleaner switches off independently (depending on the configuration)
- If the motor switches off independently, you can resume vacuuming after approx. 60 minutes.
- In such a case, switch your appliance off (press the ON/OFF button).
- The appliance may switch off automatically if, for example:
 - a large object has blocked the suction path
 - you continue vacuuming with a full dust bag
 - the motor protection filter is very dirty or
 - there is a very dirty exhaust filter in the appliance.
- After removing the cause of the problem and waiting for the above-mentioned delay time, the appliance can be started once again.

What to do if you accidentally vacuum up some water

1. If you have accidentally vacuumed up some water, switch the vacuum cleaner off immediately.
2. Remove the damp dust bag from the vacuum cleaner and dry off any dampness in the dust compartment.
3. Send the vacuum cleaner to an authorized Soniclean Dealer for the motor to be checked.

Troubleshooting

Fault	Cause	Remedy
Weak suction	Dust bag full	Fit new dust bag
	Motor protection filter dirty	Clean or replace motor protection filter
	Exhaust filter dirty	Replace exhaust filter
	Nozzle, tube or hose blocked	Remove blockage
Motor does not start	No power	Check mains fuses and reset if necessary
	Switch not on	Switch on
	Not plugged in or not plugged in properly	Plug in
	Overheating protection has switched off the vacuum cleaner automatically	First switch off, then unplug, correct the problem (see above), wait about 60 minutes, then switch on again and continue vacuuming.

Dust Bags, Motor Filters & HEPA Filters

Dust bags and filters are available from authorized Soniclean Dealers or at MySoniclean.com or at 1-877-377-0111.

Warranty

Your Soniclean vacuum cleaner comes with a limited warranty only if it was purchased at an authorized Soniclean dealer or agent. The limited warranty is only valid for residential use. Soniclean will repair or replace, free of charge, to the original purchaser, any part that is found to be defective in material or workmanship within one year, and five years for the motor, from the original date of purchase. This limited warranty applies to normal residential use. Any commercial use of this product will void this limited warranty.

This limited warranty does not cover blockages in your vacuum or the replacement of expendable or consumable parts such as carbon motor brushes, power cords, disposable dust bags and other parts subject to normal wear unless they are defective in material or workmanship.

This limited warranty does not apply to any part subjected to accident, abuse, commercial use, alteration, misuse, damage caused by act of God, the use of voltages other than indicated on the rating label displayed on this product or service of this product by other than Soniclean or a participating Authorized Soniclean Dealer. Soniclean does not authorize any person or representative to assume or grant any other warranty obligation with the sale of this product.

Soniclean's limited warranty is valid only if you retain proof of purchase from Soniclean or an Authorized Soniclean Dealer for this product. If you purchase this product from any other source, your purchase is "AS IS", which means Soniclean grants you no warranty, and that you, not Soniclean, assume the entire risk of the quality and performance of this product, including the entire cost of any necessary servicing or repairs of any defects.

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