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### Your new dryer

With the purchase of your new dryer, you have chosen a modern, high-quality domestic appliance.

A distinctive feature of your dryer is its low energy consumption.

Every dryer which leaves our factory is carefully checked to ensure that it functions correctly and is in perfect condition. Our after-sales service is available should you have any questions, particularly on how to set up your dryer.

You will find further information and a selection of our products on our website:

http://www.bosch-hausgeraete.de

Read and observe this instruction manual and all other accompanying information for your dryer.

Keep all the documents in a safe place for future reference or to pass on to the next owner.

### Notes on disposal

#### Disposing of packaging

#### Disposing of old dryers

#### $oldsymbol{\Delta}$ Risk of suffocation

There is a risk of suffocation from the cardboard box and plastic film.

Do not allow children to play with the packaging.

All our packaging materials are environmentally friendly and recyclable. Please dispose of the packaging in an environmentally-responsible manner.

Any retailer or your local authority will be able to advise you on the disposal methods currently available.

#### ▲ Danger of death

Danger of death from electrical voltage or suffocation.

Your old dryer:

- Disconnect it from the mains.
- Cut through the mains cable and discard along with the plug.
- Break the door lock. This prevents children from locking themselves in the dryer.

Environmentally-friendly disposal conserves valuable raw materials.

Any retailer or your local authority will be able to advise you on the disposal methods currently available.

This appliance is marked according to the European directive 2002/96/EC on Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment (WEEE). This guideline is the frame of a European-wide validity of return and recycling on Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment.

### Safety notes

Using the dryer correctly	<ul> <li>Only for domestic use.</li> <li>Only for drying fabrics which have been washed in water.</li> <li>Do not leave children unsupervised near the dryer –</li> </ul>	
	⚠ Risk of explosion/fire	
	Solvent danger. Do <b>not use</b> the dryer if:	
	the laundry has been treated with a solvent or has been colour-treated (e.g. stain remover, petroleum ether).	
	Dust danger. Do <b>not use</b> the dryer if:	
	<ul> <li>the laundry contains dust, e.g. coal dust or flour</li> <li>the laundry contains foam/rubber</li> <li>the laundry contains traces of hairspray, nail varnish remover or similar substances.</li> </ul>	
Before using the dryer	<ul> <li>Install the dryer in accordance with the installation instructions (see page 22).</li> <li>Do not connect the dryer if it has visible signs of damage. If in doubt, contact a specialist retailer.</li> </ul>	

### ▲ Risk of explosion/fire

Do not discharge exhaust air through an outlet pipe used for waste gas from appliances which burn gas or fuels.

Observe when drying	<ul> <li>Do not leave children unsupervised near the dryer.</li> <li>Keep pets away from the dryer.</li> <li>Remove all objects from pockets. Look out for lighters in particular –</li> <li>Risk of explosion.</li> </ul>	
Observe at the end of the program	Switch off the dryer when the program has ended.	
Notes on protecting the dryer	<ul> <li>Do not climb onto the dryer.</li> <li>Do not lean or sit on the door –</li> <li><b>A</b> Risk of tipping</li> <li>Do not use any protruding components to lift the dryer.</li> <li><b>A</b> Risk of breakage and injury</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Do not use detergent boosters containing solvents or dirt and stain removers in the dryer. These substances may damage the dryer.</li> <li>Empty the dryer completely when it is to be transported or stored.</li> </ul>	

Do not set up the dryer in a room susceptible to frost.

### Environmental protection/ notes on economy

Drying in an economical and environmentallyaware manner **Spin the laundry thoroughly before drying.** Spin the laundry thoroughly in the washing machine before drying. The higher the spin speed, the shorter the drying time and the lower the energy consumption. You should also spin easy-care laundry.

- Fill to full capacity
   Fill the dryer to its maximum recommended capacities. Do not exceed the capacities:
   White and coloureds max. 5.0 kg
   Easy-care fabrics max. 2.5 kg
- Ensure sufficient room ventilation
   Open a window or door while drying laundry.
- Clean the fluff filter
   Clean the filter after each drying cycle (see page 17).
- Do not obstruct the cooling air supply
   Do not position or affix anything over the cool air inlet on the rear of the dryer.

### **Dryer description**

# Brief instructions

#### Before drying

- Open the door.
- Place the laundry in the drum.
- Close the door.
- Select the drying time you require using the drying time selector (see programme information on the dryer fascia).
- Set additional functions if required (see page 16).
- D Press Start button M.

#### Adding laundry

- Open the door.
  - The drying cycle is halted.
- Add or remove laundry.
- Close the door.
- If necessary, select another time using the drying time selector (see programme information on the dryer fascia).
- D Press Start button M.

#### After drying

- Open the door.
- □ Remove the laundry.
- □ Turn the drying time selector to Off m.
- □ Clean the fluff filter (see page 17).

#### **Door operation**

- □ Press the door to open.
- □ Close the door (you will hear a clicking noise).



#### Installing the dryer



#### **Control panel**



For drying delicate fabrics

### **Notes on laundry**

Labelling of fabrics

Check the following fabric symbols:

	DRYING		
0	Can be dried in a tumble-dryer		
	Wring out and hang on a washing line to dry		
	Do not wring, hang out wet to dry		
	Wring out, lay on a flat surface to dry		
$\boxtimes$	Do not dry in a tumble-dryer		
$\bigcirc$	Dry at normal temperatures		
$\bigcirc$	Dry at low temperatures		

Do not tumble-dry the following fabrics:

- □ Airtight fabrics (e.g. rubber-coated fabrics).
- Delicate materials (silk, curtains made from synthetic material) – they may crease
- Dripping-wet laundry high energy consumption
- □ Wool or fabrics containing wool.
- Deserve the manufacturer's instructions.

#### Tips on drying

Important for all drying cycles:

- To obtain a uniform drying result: sort the laundry by fabric type and drying program.
- □ Fasten zips, hooks and eyes. Tie loose belts, apron strings etc, together.
- Do not over-dry easy-care laundry: Risk of creasing. Allow laundry to finish drying in the air.
- Do not over-dry laundry.
- Do not iron laundry immediately after drying. Leave laundry folded up for a short while. This helps the residual moisture to distribute evenly.

### First use

### Drying



Please read this instruction manual before using the dryer for the first time:

- 1. Open the door.
- 2. Place the laundry into the empty drum.

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Ensure that the drum contains only laundry.

- 3. Close the door.
- Read the programme information read off the required drying time and
- 5. Set the drying time selector accordingly.
- 6. Set additional functions if required (see page 16).
- 7. Press Start button M.

#### Note

You can interrupt the drying program by opening the door.

- Close the door.
- D Press Start button M.

It is possible to change the drying time during drying.

- 1. Turn the **Drying time selector** to "Off" m (to clear the drying time).
- 2. Select the new drying time using the **drying time selector**.
- 3. Press Start button M.

### Selecting a program

Selecting	Your dryer offers different drying times and the additional <b>Low heat</b> J function (see page 16).
	Our drying programs are designed to protect your laundry with minimum energy consumption. Due to residual heat after drying, your laundry feels damper than it really is.
	If the dryness of the laundry is not sufficient after cooling down, use a longer drying time or continue drying.
	The following table gives drying times for 5 kg of

Type of	Drying temperature	Additional function	Spin speed	
washing	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	Low heat	1200 rpm	800 rpm
_		Low near	Drying time (min) W	
	Cupboard dry	-	70	110
Cottons +	Cupboard dry + Low heat	*	80	130
linens	Iron dry	-	50	90
5 kg	Iron dry + Low heat	*	60	110
			1000 rpm	800 rpm
Easy-care	Cupboard dry	-	25	55
2.5 kg	Cupboard dry + Low heat	*	30	60
	Iron dry	-	20	40
	Iron dry + Low heat	*	25	45
Cool air ธ				Max. 10

laundry at different spin speeds for the Cupboard dry programme.

Deviations from the specified values may occur due to differences in the composition of the laundry, the quantity of laundry, power fluctuations and the room temperature and humidity.

#### Programme information/table

Cupboard dry
Cupboard dry + Low heat
Iron dry
Iron dry + Low heat

70 - 110 min 80 - 130 min 50 - 90 min

at 60 - 110 min

#### Easy-care 1.5 - 2.5 kg

Cupboard dry25 - 55 minCupboard dry + Low heat30 - 60 minIron dry20 - 40 minIron dry + Low heat25 - 45 min

## **Additional function**

# Low heat button J



Press the **Low heat** button J for temperature sensitive fabrics (e.g. acrylics).

Observe the fabric care instructions 🖸

The temperature is reduced.



The function remains active until the button is pressed again.

### **Cleaning and care**

# Cleaning the dryer

### A Risk of explosion

There is a risk of explosion from solvents.

Never use solvents for cleaning.

The dryer may be damaged if it is not cleaned correctly. Do not spray the dryer with a water jet. Do not use abrasive agents or general-purpose cleaners.

 Clean the housing and the control panel with a mild detergent and a soft cloth.

#### Fluff filter



#### Clean the fluff filter after each drying cycle.

Bobbling (fluff) occurs when fabrics become worn. These bobbles come off during the drying cycle and collect in the fluff filter.

A clogged filter results in longer drying times and higher energy consumption.

- 1. Open the door.
- 2. Pull the filter out towards the top.
- 3. Remove the fluff (by drawing your hand across the filter).
- 4. Replace the filter (it can only be inserted one way round).
- 5. Close the door.

## Troubleshooting...

Troubleshooting	Cause	Solution
The "on" indicator lamp does not light	The dryer is not plugged in.	Plug in the dryer.
up.	No drying time has been set.	Select the drying time you require using the drying time selector.
	The household fuse has tripped.	Reset/replace the fuse.
The dryer does not start.	Start button M has not been pressed.	Press the button.
	No drying time has been set.	Select the drying time you require using the drying time selector
	The door is not shut.	Close the door.
	The ambient temperature is below 5°C.	Increase the room temperature.
The humidity in the room has increased significantly.	The room is not sufficiently ventilated.	Ensure sufficient ventilation.
The door opens by itself.	The locking pins are not engaged.	Push the door closed until you hear the locking pins click into place.
Drying is not satisfactory or the drying time is too long.	The filter is blocked.	Clean the filter (page 17).

Troubleshooting	Cause	Solution	
Drying is not	Ambient temperature is above 30° C.	Make sure that there is sufficient ventilation.	
satisfactory	The wrong drying time has been set.	Set the drying time using the programme information (from page 16).	
	Power cut for more than two hours.	Restart the program by pressing the Start button again.	
	The laundry feels damper than it really is.	Reset the drying time if the laundry has not been dried sufficiently after cooling down.	
Laundry is not dried evenly	There was - too much laundry - only large items of laundry - items of laundry with different fibre constructions	Dry - small amounts of laundry - large and small items together - items according to their fibre construction.	
Condensation in the exhaust air hose.	The exhaust air hose is too long.	Arrange the dryer so that the exhaust air hose is no more than 2 m long.	

### $\Lambda$ Danger, electrical current

Repairs must only be carried out by the aftersales service or an authorised expert.

If you cannot rectify a fault yourself or a repair is necessary:

- □ Set the drying time selector to Off.
- □ Remove the plug from the socket.
- □ Contact the aftersales service (see page 20).

### **After-sales service**

Before you contact the after-sales service, please check that you cannot rectify the malfunction yourself.

(see page 18 onwards)

If you contact the after-sales service, even within the warranty period, you will be liable for labour costs.

Please inform the aftersales service of the product number (E-Nr.) and the manufacture number (FD) of the appliance.

You will find this information in the thick edged area of the rating plate on the door frame (visible when the door is open).



Note the numbers for your appliance here.

Please help us to avoid unnecessary journeys by quoting the product and manufacture numbers. This will also save you the related additional costs.

Further information can be found on our website: http://www.bosch-hausgeraete.de

or

at our aftersales service centres.

You can still use our after-sales service even after your warranty has expired if no other repair workshops are available to you.

### **Technical data**

Size	Load
Height	85 cm (adjustable)
Width	60 cm
Depth	59 cm
Weight	approximately 45 kg
Nominal capacity	5 kg
A.C. voltage, connected load, fuse	see the rating plate

Consumption rates	Spin speed in rpm (residual moisture)		Energy consumption in kWh
Cottons + linens 5 kg			
Cupboard dry	800	(approx. 70%)	3.35
	1,000	(approx. 62%)	3.00
	1,200	(approx. 55%)	2.70
	1,400	(approx. 50%)	2.35
	1,600	(approx. 47%)	2.30

The information shown represents average values under standard conditions only. Deviations of up to 10% are possible.

### Setting up and connecting

#### Safety notes

#### A Risk of injury

The dryer is very heavy. Do not attempt to lift it on your own. Do not lift the dryer by any of the protruding parts (e.g. the door) – **they may break off**.

### ▲ Risk of tripping

There is a risk of tripping due to cables or hoses hanging down. Secure loose cables or hoses.

Check the dryer for damage caused during transportation. Do not connect the dryer if it has visible signs of damage. If in doubt, contact a specialist retailer.

Empty the dryer completely before transporting.

#### Setting up the drver

igtarrow Never place the appliance behind a lockable door, a sliding door or a door with the hinge on the opposing side to the appliance.



Position the appliance so that the door of the tumble dryer can be opened unimpeded.

A That exhaust air must not be discharged into a flue which is used for exhausting fumes from appliances burning gas or other fuels.

- The dryer must be positioned so it is level on the floor. Use a spirit level to ensure that this is the case. The height of the feet can be adjusted. If necessary, use these to line the dryer up, as described below:
- Loosen the counter nuts.
- Turn the feet so that they compensate for the height of the machine.
- Retighten the counter nuts.



- Do not trap the mains cable between the dryer and the wall.
- Leave a minimum distance of 10 cm between the ventilation support and the wall.



Make sure that there is easy access at all times to the earth contact socket.



The dryer cannot be assembled and disassembled.

#### Washer-dryer stack connection set

Order no.: WTZ 1250

# Assembling the exhaust air hose

Exhaust air hose:

Order no.: WTZ 1130

The dryer can be placed on top of a Bosch washing machine of the same dimensions to save space.

### A Risk of injury

- For reasons of safety, the dryer must be installed by an expert. Always use a connection set to secure the dryer to the washing machine.
- □ There are exhaust air outlets in the left side wall and the rear panel of the dryer.
- □ Select the most suitable exhaust air outlet after installing the dryer.
- Turn the exhaust air hose (see Special accessories) or the adapter directly to the required exhaust air outlet. Turn the hose or adapter clockwise to do so.
- Seal off the other exhaust air outlet with the plastic cover.



- 1 Plastic cover
- 2 Exhaust air hose
- Place the end of the exhaust air hose in the open air without bending it. The exhaust air hose should only be positioned horizontally or vertically and never left to sag.
- The exhaust air hose should not be more than 2m long.
- Position the exhaust air hose so that there is no counter pressure (e.g. from wind) on the exhaust outlet.

# Electrical connection

- Only connect the dryer to an earth contact socket installed in accordance with regulations.
- Make sure that the voltage details on the rating plate (visible when the door is open) correspond with the mains voltage where the appliance is set up. The connected load and the fuse or LS machine are also specified on the rating plate.
- Make sure that the plug and the socket match, the cross section of the cable is sufficient and the earthing system has been installed in accordance with regulations.
- Do not use multiple plugs/couplings or an extension cable.
- Only pull the mains plug out of the socket using the grip on the plug. Do not use wet hands to connect the appliance to the mains.
- Only have the mains cable replaced by the after-sales service.
- If the power cable for the dryer is damaged, have it replaced by the manufacturer or its after-sales service.

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