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Instruction manual
**Your washing machine**

Congratulations - You have opted for a modern, high-quality domestic appliance manufactured by Siemens. This washing machine is distinguished by its economical water and energy consumption.

Each machine that leaves our factory has been inspected thoroughly to ensure that it functions properly and is in perfect condition.

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- GB 0844 8928999 (calls from a BT landline will be charged at up to 3 pence per minute. A call set-up fee of up to 6 pence may apply)
- IE 01450 2655

**Environmentally friendly waste disposal**

All packaging must be disposed of in accordance with environmental guidelines.

This appliance is certified in accordance with European Directive 2002/96/EC on waste electrical and electronic equipment (WEEE). This directive provides the framework for the EU-wide collection and reuse of used appliances.

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**Environmental protection/Conservation tips**

- Always fill the washing machine with a maximum amount of laundry for the relevant programme.
- Wash normally soiled washing without a pre-wash.
- Instead of Cottons 90 °C, choose the programme Cottons Eco 60 °C. Comparable cleaning result with significantly lower energy consumption.
- Measure the detergent according to the manufacturer's instructions and water hardness.
- If the laundry is then dried in the tumble dryer, select the spin speed according to the instructions of the dryer manufacturer.

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**Intended use**

- for use in the household only,
- for machine-washable fabrics and hand-washable wool in detergent solution,
- to be operated with cold drinking water and commercially available detergents and care products which are suitable for use in washing machines.
- The washing machine may be operated by children from 8 years of age, by persons who have limited physical, sensory or mental abilities and by persons who have inadequate experience or knowledge, provided they are supervised or have been instructed by a responsible person.

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**Preparation**

Correct installation according to the separate installation instructions.

**Checking the machine**

- Never use a damaged machine.
- Inform the after-sales service.

**Connecting the mains plug**

Make sure your hands are dry. Take hold of the plug only.

**Turning the tap on**

Compartment II: Detergent for the main wash, water softener, bleach, stain remover
Compartment #: Fabric softener, starch
Compartment I: Detergent for pre-wash

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**Programmes**

Detailed overview of programmes → page 7.

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<tr>
<th>Programme</th>
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<td>Cottons</td>
<td>hard-wearing fabrics</td>
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<td>Cottons Eco</td>
<td>hard-wearing fabrics</td>
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<tr>
<td>Cottons + Prewash</td>
<td>hard-wearing fabrics, prewash at 30 °C</td>
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<tr>
<td>Rinse</td>
<td>with subsequent spin cycle</td>
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<tr>
<td>Spin</td>
<td>laundry washed by hand</td>
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<tr>
<td>Empty</td>
<td>the rinsing water</td>
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<tr>
<td>wool</td>
<td>hand/machine-washable textiles</td>
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<tr>
<td>Delicates</td>
<td>delicate washable fabrics</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Easy-Care</td>
<td>easy-care fabrics</td>
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</table>
Sorting and loading laundry

Follow the manufacturer's care information.
According to the information on the care labels.
According to type, colour, soiling and temperature.
Do not exceed the maximum load → page 7.
Observe the important information → page 6.
Insert large and small items of laundry.
Close the washing machine door. Take care not to trap items of laundry between the washing machine door and the rubber seal.

Add detergent and care products

Measure accordingly:
Amount of laundry, soiling, water hardness (ask your water supply company) and manufacturer's instructions.
Pour liquid detergent into the appropriate dispenser and place in the drum.
Dilute thick fabric softener and fabric conditioner with water. This prevents blockages.

Setting and adjusting programmes

Additional function → Individual settings, page 5.

Detergent drawer with compartments I, II, ®

Washing machine door

Control panel

Washing machine door handle

Service flap

Removing the washing

Open the washing machine door and remove the washing. If No Spin (without final spin) is active: Turn the programme selector to Empty or select the spin speed. select Start ．
- Remove any foreign objects - risk of rusting.
- Leave the washing machine door and detergent drawer open so that any residual water can evaporate.

Turning the tap off

Not required for AquaStop models → Hinweise Installation Instructions, page 7.

Switching off

Turn the programme selector to Off.

End of programme when ...

... the status indicator (spin) - → (end) flashes.

Interrupting the programme

Programmes at high temperatures:
- Cool washing: Select Rinse.
- Select Start ．.
Programmes at lower temperatures:
- Select Spin or Empty.
- Select Start ．.

Changing the programme, if ...

... you have selected the wrong programme by mistake:
- Reselect the programme.
- Select Start ．. The new programme starts from the beginning.

Before washing for the first time

Wash once without any laundry → page 9.
Individual settings

- **Additional functions**: and overview of programmes, see page 7.
- **Reduce spin speed** *(values depending on model)*.
- **No spin**: Clothing remains immersed in the last rinse water.
- **Start**: For starting the programme.

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**Important information**

### Protecting the washing and the machine
- When measuring the amount of all detergents/additives and cleaning agents, always check the manufacturer’s instructions.
- Empty pockets.
- Look out for metal items (paperclips, etc.).
- Wash delicates in a laundry bag (tights, curtains, underwired bras).
- Fasten zips, do up any buttons.
- Brush sand out of pockets and collars.
- Remove curtain fittings or place in the laundry bag.

### Washing with varying degrees of soiling

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Light</th>
<th>Wash new items of clothing separately. Do not pre-wash.</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Heavy</td>
<td>Load less washing. Select programme <strong>Cottons Eco 60°C</strong>.</td>
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</table>

### Starching
Washing must not be treated with fabric softener

Starching is possible in all wash programmes if liquid starch is used. Pour the starch in accordance with the manufacturer’s instructions into fabric softener compartment ~(rinse first if necessary)~.

### Dyeing/bleaching
Dye should only be used in normal household quantities. Salt may damage stainless steel. Always follow the dye manufacturer's instructions! Do **not** use the washing machine for bleaching clothes!
Overview of programmes

Refer to the table of consumption values on page 8 and notes on page 6.

Programme

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Type of laundry</th>
<th>Temperature</th>
<th>Load</th>
<th>Electricity</th>
<th>Water</th>
<th>Programme duration</th>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Cottons</strong></td>
<td>20 °C</td>
<td>5.5 kg</td>
<td>0.25 kWh</td>
<td>57 l</td>
<td>1 3/4 min</td>
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<td></td>
<td>30 °C</td>
<td>5.5 kg</td>
<td>0.40 kWh</td>
<td>57 l</td>
<td>1 3/4 min</td>
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<td></td>
<td>40 °C</td>
<td>5.5 kg</td>
<td>0.75 kWh</td>
<td>57 l</td>
<td>1 3/4 min</td>
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<tr>
<td></td>
<td>60 °C</td>
<td>5.5 kg</td>
<td>1.20 kWh</td>
<td>57 l</td>
<td>2 min</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>90 °C</td>
<td>5.5 kg</td>
<td>2.00 kWh</td>
<td>64 l</td>
<td>2 min</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Easy-Care</strong></td>
<td>40 °C</td>
<td>2.5 kg</td>
<td>0.60 kWh</td>
<td>50 l</td>
<td>1 1/2 min</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Delicates</strong></td>
<td>30 °C</td>
<td>2 kg</td>
<td>0.30 kWh</td>
<td>55 l</td>
<td>1 min</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Wool</strong></td>
<td>30 °C</td>
<td>2 kg</td>
<td>0.20 kWh</td>
<td>30 l</td>
<td>1 min</td>
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**Programme setting for testing in accordance with currently applicable EN60456 standard.**

Note on comparative tests: When testing the test programmes, wash the specified load using the maximum spin speed.

Programme

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<th>Programme</th>
<th>Load</th>
<th>Annual energy consumption</th>
<th>Annual water consumption</th>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Cottons Eco 40 / 60 °C</strong></td>
<td>5.5/2.75 kg</td>
<td>182 kWh</td>
<td>8800 l</td>
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</table>

**Programme settings for testing and energy labelling in accordance with European standard EN60456 Ed.5 with cold water (15 °C).**

**The values may deviate from the specified values depending on water pressure, water hardness, and inlet temperature, ambient temperature, type, amount and level of laundry soiling, detergent used, fluctuations in the power supply and selection of options.**
Before washing for the first time

Do not load any laundry into the machine. Turn on the tap. Add the following to compartment II:
- approx. 1 litre water
- detergent (dosage according to the manufacturer's instructions for light soiling and the appropriate degree of water hardness)
Set the programme selector to **Cottons 60 °C** and select **Start**. At the end of the programme, turn the programme selector to **Off**.

Before washing for the first time

Do not load any laundry into the machine. Turn on the tap. Add the following to compartment II:
- approx. 1 litre water
- detergent (dosage according to the manufacturer's instructions for light soiling and the appropriate degree of water hardness)
Set the programme selector to **Cottons 60 °C** and select **Start**. At the end of the programme, turn the programme selector to **Off**.

**Care**

- **Risk of electric shock.** Disconnect the mains plug.
- **Risk of explosion.** No solvents.

**Machine housing, control panel**

- Remove detergent residue immediately.
- Wipe off with a soft, damp cloth.
- Do not clean with a jet of water.

**Cleaning the detergent drawer ...**

... if it contains detergent or fabric softener residues.

1. Pull out, press insert down, remove drawer completely.
2. To remove the insert: press the insert upwards from below with your finger.
3. Clean the detergent dispenser tray and insert with water and a brush and dry it.
4. Attach the insert and engage (connect the cylinder to the guide pin).
5. Push in the detergent drawer.

Leave the detergent drawer open so that any residual water can evaporate.

**Drum**

Leave the washing machine door open so that the drum can dry out.

Rust stains - use chlorine-free cleaning agent, not steel wool.

**Descaling**

Ensure there is no laundry in the machine

This should not be necessary if the correct detergent dosage has been used. If it is necessary, however, proceed according to the descaling agent manufacturer's instructions. Suitable descalers can be obtained via our website or from our after-sales service (page 1).

**Information to indicator lights**

Indicator lights for status displays flash:

- **(wash)** and **(rinse)** Close the washing machine door properly; laundry may be caught.
- **(wash)** and **(spin)**
  - Open the tap completely.
  - Supply hose kinked or trapped.
  - Clean the filter (page 10). Water pressure too low.
- **(rinse)** and **(spin)** Detergent solution pump blocked; Clean the detergent solution pump (page 10). Drainage hose/waste pipe blocked; Clean the drainage hose at the siphon (page 10).

**Maintenance**

**Detergent solution pump**

Turn the programme selector to **Off** and disconnect the mains plug.

1. Remove the service flap for detergent solution pump.
2. Carefully unscrew the pump cover (residual water).
3. Clean the interior, pump cover thread and pump housing (the impeller in the detergent solution pump must rotate).
4. Replace the pump cover and screw it tightly.
5. Place the service flap back.

To prevent unused detergent from flowing straight into the drain during the next wash: Pour 1 litre of water into compartment II and start the **Empty** programme.

**Drainage hose at the siphon**

Turn the programme selector to **Off** and disconnect the mains plug.

1. Loosen the hose clamp, carefully remove the drainage hose (residual water).
2. Clean the drainage hose and siphon connecting piece.
3. Reattach the drainage hose and secure the connection with the hose clamp.

**Filter in the water supply**

Risk of electric shock

Do not immerse the HydroSafe safety device in water (contains an electric valve).

Reduce the water pressure in the supply hose:

1. Turn off the tap.
2. Select any programme (except **Spin / Empty**).
3. Select **Start**. Let the programme run for approximately 40 seconds.
4. Turn the programme selector to **Off**. Disconnect the mains plug.
5. Clean the filter:
   Disconnect the hose from the tap. Clean the filter using a small brush.
   and/or for Standard and Aqua-Secure models:
   Remove the hose on the rear of the appliance, Remove the filter with pliers and clean.
6. Connect the hose and check the leak tightness of the connection points.
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<th>Possible causes</th>
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<td>Water is leaking out.</td>
<td>- Attach/replace the drainage hose correctly.</td>
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<td></td>
<td>- Tighten the screw connection of the supply hose.</td>
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<tr>
<td>No water supply.</td>
<td>- <strong>Start</strong> not selected?</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Detergent not dispensed.</td>
<td>- Tap not turned on?</td>
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<tr>
<td></td>
<td>- Filter blocked? Clean the filter — page 10.</td>
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<td></td>
<td>- Supply hose kinked or trapped?</td>
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<tr>
<td>Washing machine door cannot be opened.</td>
<td>- Safety function active. Wait approx. 2 minutes.</td>
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<tr>
<td></td>
<td>- Is No Spin Ø (without final spin) selected? — page 1, 5.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Programme does not start.</td>
<td>- <strong>Start</strong> selected?</td>
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<tr>
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<td>- Washing machine door closed?</td>
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<tr>
<td>Detergent solution is not drained.</td>
<td>- Clean the detergent solution pump — page 10.</td>
</tr>
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<td></td>
<td>- Clean the waste pipe and/or drainage hose.</td>
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<td>- Is No Spin Ø (without final spin) selected? — page 1, 5.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Water not visible in the drum.</td>
<td>- Not a fault - water below the visible area.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Unsatisfactory spin result. Laundry wet/too damp.</td>
<td>- Not a fault - the unbalanced-load detection system has cancelled the spin cycle because of uneven distribution of the laundry. Distribute small and large items of laundry evenly inside the drum.</td>
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<td>- Selected speed too low? — page 5.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Spin cycle performed several times.</td>
<td>- Not a fault - the unbalanced load detection system adjusts the imbalance.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Residual water in the compartment for care products.</td>
<td>- Not a fault - the action of the care product is not affected.</td>
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<td></td>
<td>- Clean the insert if necessary — page 9.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Odour formation in the washing machine.</td>
<td>- Run programme <strong>Cottons 90 °C</strong> without laundry. Use standard detergent.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Foam escaping from the detergent drawer.</td>
<td>- Too much detergent used?</td>
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<td>If foam is escaping from the detergent drawer: Mix 1 tablespoon of fabric softener with ½ litre of water and pour into compartment II (not with outdoor or down fabrics).</td>
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<td>- Reduce the detergent dosage for the next wash cycle.</td>
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<td>Intense noise formation, vibrations and “wandering” during the spin cycle.</td>
<td>- Are the appliance feet fixed?</td>
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<td>Secure the appliance feet — Installation instructions.</td>
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<td>- Transportation safety devices removed?</td>
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<td>Remove the transportation safety devices — Installation instructions.</td>
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<td>Indicator lamps do not function during operation.</td>
<td>- Power cut?</td>
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<td>- Fuses triggered? Reset/change the fuses.</td>
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<td></td>
<td>- If the fault occurs repeatedly, call the after-sales service.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Programme sequence longer than usual.</td>
<td>- Not a fault - the unbalanced load detection system adjusts imbalance by repeatedly distributing the laundry.</td>
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<td></td>
<td>- Not a fault - foam detection system active - adds an additional rinse cycle.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Detergent residues on the laundry.</td>
<td>- Occasionally, phosphate-free detergents contain water-insoluble residues.</td>
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<td></td>
<td>- Select <strong>Rinse</strong> or brush the laundry after washing.</td>
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If you cannot correct a fault yourself or a repair is required:
- Turn the programme selector to **Off** and remove the mains plug from the socket.
- Turn off the water supply and call the after-sales service — Installation instructions.