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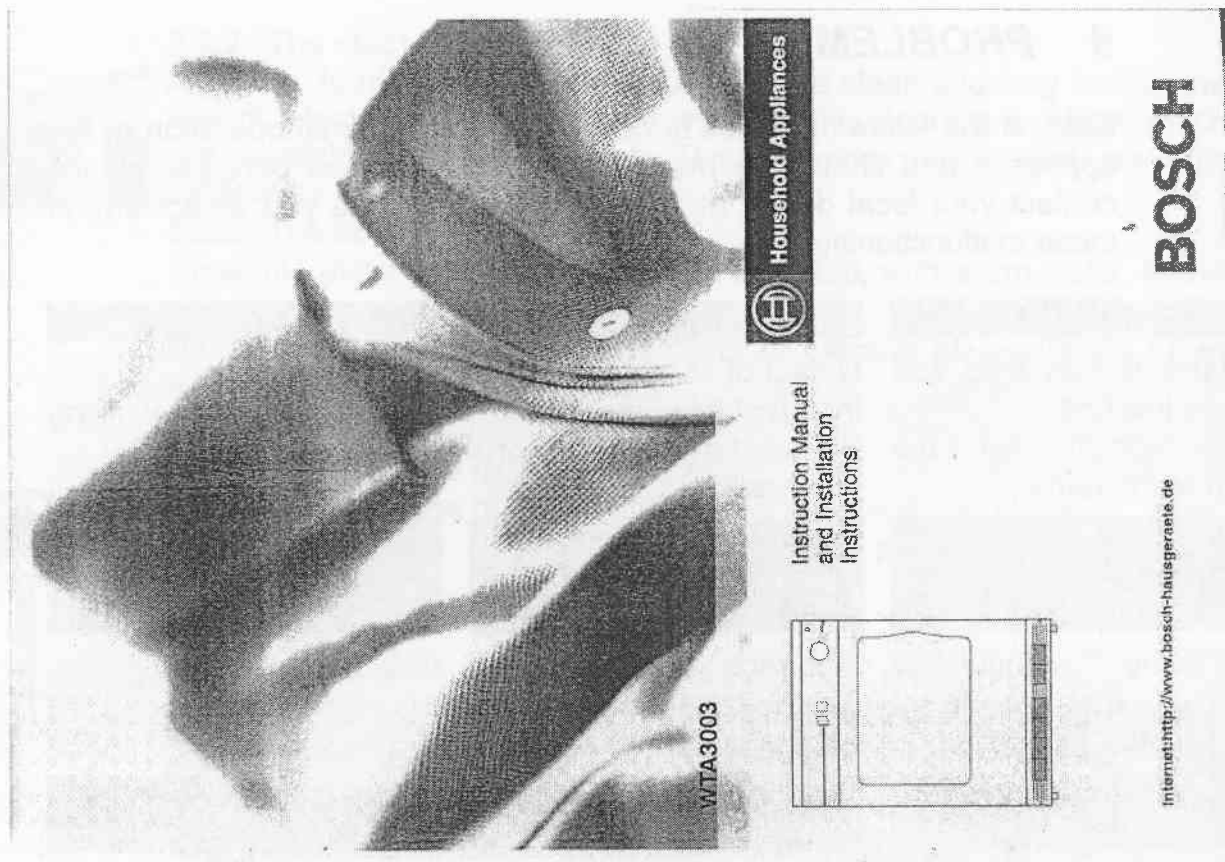
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Your new tumble-dryer

The design of your new tumble-dryer meets all present and future requirements in modern laundry care.

The demand of top quality in both development and manufacture guarantee a long life for your tumble-dryer.

Minimum energy consumption and short drying times ensure maximum efficiency in the operation of your tumble-dryer

– Whatever the weather you will obtain fluffy soft laundry with your tumble-dryer and any degree of dryness you might wish for.

Please read the instructions for use carefully so that you can utilise to the full the facilities and advantages of your new tumble-dryer.

Best of luck with cost-saving and careful laundering.

Disposal hints

Packing of the new machine

All the packaging material used is environmentally friendly and reusable. Wooden parts have not been chemically treated. The films are of polyethylene (PE), the binding tapes of polypropylene (PP) and the CFC-free packing uses polystyrene foam (PS). These substances are pure hydrocarbon compounds and recyclable. Through recycling, raw materials are saved and the volume of refuse is reduced.

Worn-out machines

! Make worn-out machines unusable. Pull out mains plug, sever the connecting cable and remove with the mains plug. Destroy door latch, so that children playing don't get locked in and put their lives at risk.

Your local authority will provide the address of waste recycling centres for disposal of worn-out machines.

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Economical drying with the environment in mind

In this way you will save electricity, time and costs:

- Before drying remove water thoroughly from the laundry by spinning in the washing machine or in a spin dryer. The higher the spinning rate the shorter the drying time and the lower the electricity consumption.
- Also spin easy-care washing.
- Insert the maximum amount of washing quoted. Do not exceed this amount.
- During drying there must be sufficient air circulating within the room (window or door open).
- Clean the filter after each use.

Energy use

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Whites and coloureds	RPM spin speeds (approx.)	Drying times in min. (inclusive of 12 min. cool-down)	Energy use in kWh
Cupboard Dry	1400	80	2.8
	1200	80	2.9
	1000	90	3.1
	800	100	3.5

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Whites and coloureds	RPM spin speeds (approx.)	Drying times in min. (inclusive of 12 min. cool-down)	Energy use in kWh
Cupboard Dry	1400	95	2.8
	1200	96	2.8
	1000	100	3.1
	800	113	3.4

The above are average values which are found under normal conditions. Variations are possible. Lower ambient temperatures where the dryer is positioned will lead to longer drying times.

Safety hints and warnings

Before starting operation please note:

- ! Read carefully the accompanying pamphlets. They contain important information on the installation, use and safety of the machine.
- ! Carefully preserve the accompanying pamphlets in case the machine becomes the property of another user.
- ! Set the machine up in accordance with the installation instructions.
- ! Do not connect a machine that is visibly damaged. In case of doubt, consult customer service or dealer.
- ! Make sure that the air inlet at the back is not blocked.

When drying note:

- ! Use the machine only for the drying of textiles.
- ! The tumble dryer is intended only for drying textile material washed in water. The appliance is not intended for use by young children or infirm persons without supervision.
- ! Young children should be supervised to ensure they do not play with the appliance.
- ! Keep domestic animals away from the machine.
- ! Don't dry or air in the machine laundry that has been treated with a solvent (e.g. stain remover, cleaning fluid) (Risk of explosion).
- ! Textiles that contain foam rubber or have been in contact with setting lotion, nail varnish remover or similar fluids must not be dried in the machine (Fire risk).
- ! Do not use the dryer in a confined space with the vent hose retracted.
- ! Clean lint filter regularly. Lint must not be allowed to accumulate around tumble dryer.
- ! If the appliance is supplied from a cord extension set or portable outlet device, they shall be positioned such that they are not subject to splashing or ingress of water.
- ! If the supply cord is damaged, it must be replaced by a special cord or assembly

available from Bosch Household Appliances or its Service Agents.

At the end of the programme note:

- ! Switch the machine off by opening the door.

To protect the machine note:

- ! Don't climb on the machine. Don't lean or sit on the door. (Risk of tipping).

When transporting note:

- ! Caution when transporting the machine (Risk of injury!).
- ! Don't lift the machine using protruding parts.
- ! Do not connect the vent hose to a chimney to which a gas oven or cooker or gas central heating is already connected. There is a risk of poisoning due to reverse suction.

Instructions in brief

Before drying

1. Open the door.
2. Load the washing.
3. Close the door.
4. Select the drying time.
5. Where necessary, press the low heat button.
6. Press the Start button.

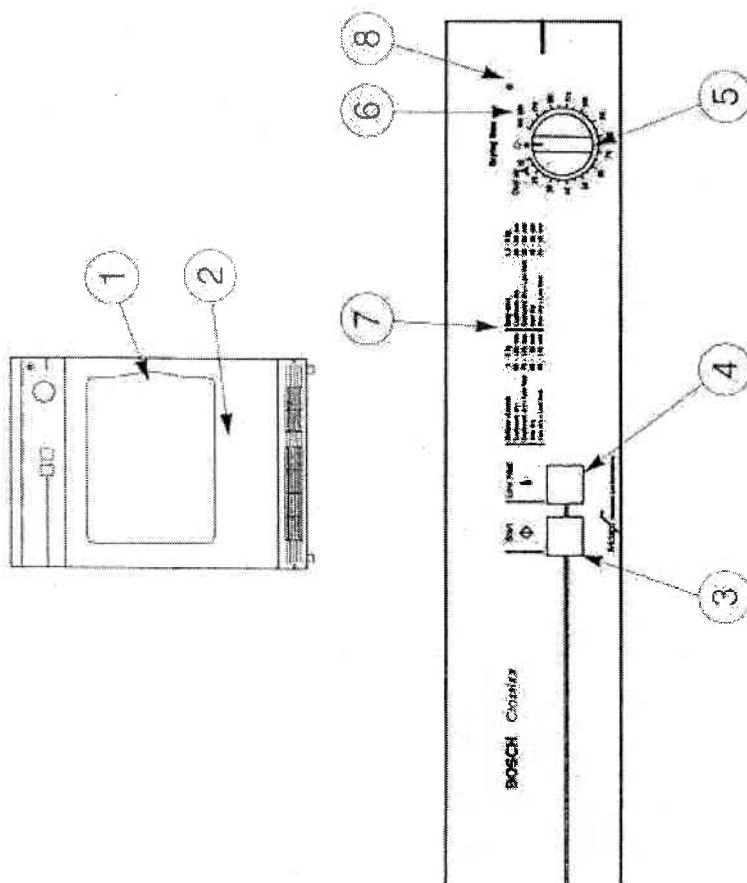
After drying

1. Open the door.
2. Remove the washing.
3. Clean the filter (page 9).

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Getting to know the machine



Door.

Filter.

Start button for switching the machine on.

Low heat drying button for careful drying at

reduced temperature (for additional

function, see p.8).

Selector for drying time.

Setting marking.

Programme display.

Indicator lamp.

Laundry hints

1. Take note of the drying symbols on the textiles.

☐ = Dry at normal temperature

☐ = Dry at low temperature (press low heat button)

☒ = Do not machine-dry

Don't dry the following textiles in the machine:

- Woolens or textiles with a wool component (Risk of felting).
- Sensitive fabrics (silk, synthetic net curtains). Creasing!
- Dripping washing. **Waste of energy!**

Drying tips

- To achieve a uniform drying result, sort the laundry according to type of fabric and the desired dryness level.
- Close zip fasteners, hooks and eyes. Tie together loose belts, apron strings.
- Remove easy-care laundry from the machine if possible in a slightly damp state (select light drying), and allow to dry out in the air for a short period. There is a risk of creasing with over-drying.
- Laundry items to be ironed should not be ironed immediately after drying. It is helpful to fold or roll them together for a time so that the residual moisture can be distributed uniformly in the laundry.

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Operation

! Install the machine in accordance with the installation instructions.

Before the machine is operated for the first time, wipe the drum with a damp cloth.

- Warning! The vent hose must be extended.

Load the washing

1. Open the door.

! Before loading the washing make sure that there are no foreign bodies or trapped animals in the drum.

2. Load the washing, well loosened, into the drum.

3. Make sure that no washing items become jammed when closing the door.

Switch the machine on.

→ Press the Start button. The indicator lamp lights up.



Programme

Select a drying time

The drying time to be set depends on the type, quantity and wetness of the washing.

Low heat drying button

This must be pressed in the case of sensitive textiles, e.g. acrylic fibres. The temperature is reduced and the drying time is lengthened somewhat.

To start the programme

Set the selector to the desired drying time. (The laundry is cooled down during the last 12 minutes).

Close door.

Press Start button.

(The indicator light goes on).

To alter the drying time

1. Reset the selector

Adding further washing is always possible.

1. Open the door.
(The drum stops rotating).
2. Load the washing.
3. Close the door.
4. Press the Start button.

Removing washing/Switching off the machine

1. Open the door.
2. Clean the filter (page 9).
3. The door can then be closed.



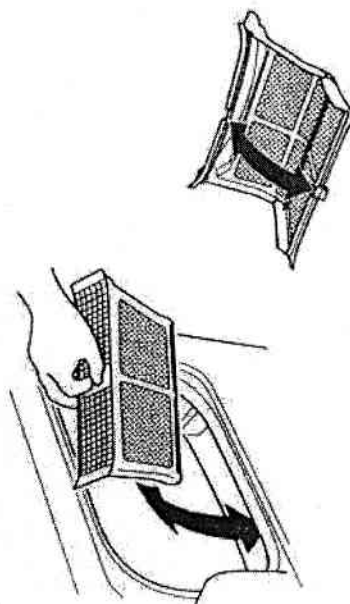
Maintenance/Care/Cleaning

To clean the filter

During use the laundry develops fibre wear (laundry fluff) which is loosened during drying and collects in the filter.

For this reason the filter must be cleaned after each drying. The machine must be switched off.

1. Open the door.
2. Pull out the filter.
3. Open and clean the filter.
4. Insert the filter again properly.
5. Close the door.



To clean the machine

- ! Don't use solvents! These may damage some parts of the machine, develop toxic fumes and create an explosion risk.
- ! Don't spray the machine down with a jet of water!

Clean the casing and working parts only with soap suds or with a common commercial solvent-free non-scouring, cleaning agent.

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Eliminate minor faults yourself

This machine meets relevant safety regulations for electrical appliances. Alterations or other operations on electrical appliances may be made by qualified technicians. Unprofessional repairs may cause considerable damage or personal injury. If the following immediate measures do not help, call customer service.

Faults

Indicator light stays off and machine won't start

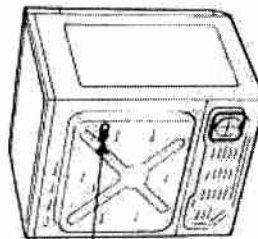
Possible causes/Remedy

- Mains plug not plugged in or loose in socket.
- On button not pressed.
- Automatic circuit breaker in the home has cut out.
- Door not shut properly.
- No time selected.
- Check heater cut-out (see below)
- Drum overloaded.
- Laundry not spun sufficiently.
- Room ventilation inadequate (open door or window).
- Filter in the door blocked by fluff (clean the filter).
- Air flow through the exhaust air line impeded.

The laundry won't dry at the longest possible time setting

HEATER CUT-OUT

Your machine is fitted with a resettable cut-out. Check whether this has operated. There is a red button on the right hand side at the back of your dryer, press it. If it has operated then a sharp 'click' will be heard. This cut-out only operates if the airflow is severely restricted so make sure the filter is clean and that all other restrictions are removed before re-starting.



CAUTION
HOT SURFACE

This label, positioned on the rear of your dryer, indicates the surface is not when in operation - avoid touching

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Customer service

Before you call customer service, check whether you can cure the fault yourself. (See section 'Eliminate minor faults yourself').

In cases where an unnecessary service visit is made the cost of the technician's time will be charged, even during the period of guarantee.

If you cannot cure a fault yourself, switch off the machine, pull out the mains plug and call customer service; you can find the customer service centre nearest you from the enclosed list.

Please give customer service the product number (E No) and the production number (FD) of the machine. You will find this data on the name plate inside the door and inside the thick bordered area of the rating plate at the back of the machine.

Please note here, the numbers of your machine.

E-No. _____ FD _____

Product number

Production number

Please help us by quoting these two numbers so as to avoid unnecessary journeys. You will then save the additional costs involved.



Installing the appliance

- ! When installing and connecting the appliance, the following safety precautions, warnings and general advice are to be observed.
- ! If in doubt, let a specialist connect the appliance.
- ! Take care when lifting the appliance!
- ! Do not lift the appliance onto projecting structural units!

This dryer works on the waste air principle. The warm, moist air produced when the washing is being dried is taken to the rear of the appliance via the vent hose.

It is recommended that the exhaust air is taken, via a hose, to a ventilation shaft or out into the open air (see: "Installing a vent hose" page 13).

Observe the following during the drying process:

- ! Good ventilation must be provided (open a door or a window or provide permanently open vents in walls or doors).
- ! Do not block or cover the ventilation slits in the rear of the appliance.
- ! The vent hose at the rear of the appliance must always be pulled out during the drying process (see: "Installing appliance" page 13).

If the exhaust is not taken to a ventilation shaft or straight out into the open air, the following should be noted:

- ! Walls may be damaged by moisture over a long period.
- ! Do not block the exit from the waste air hose (leave a space of about 1 m round the end of the hose).
- ! Provide good ventilation during the drying process, otherwise the dryer takes in warm, moist air it has just discharged. This extends the drying time and increases energy consumption.

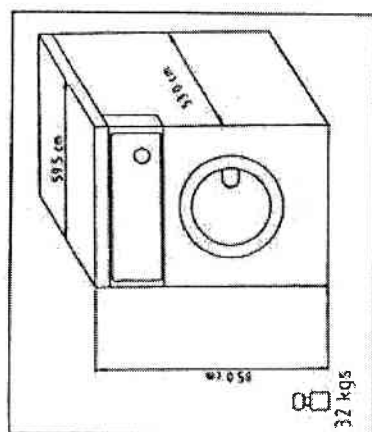
Installation area

- ! Keep the area around the dryer free from dust, fluff and other contamination.

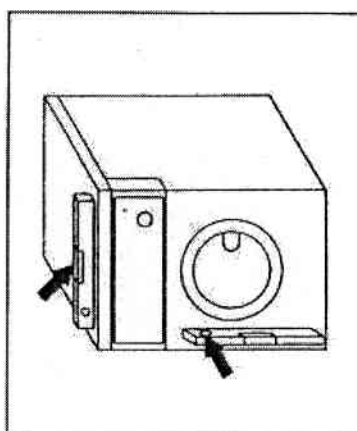


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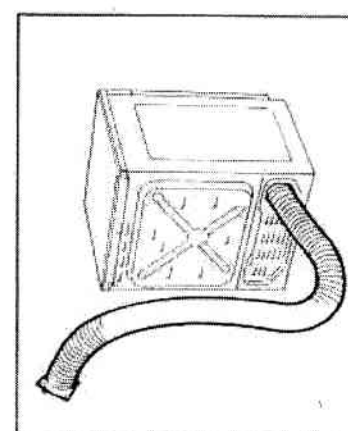
When installing the appliance take account of the dimensions of the appliance.



1. The appliance must stand vertical with all four feet firmly on the floor and should not wobble about.
! Line up the appliance using a spirit level on all sides.



2. Pull out the vent hose at the rear of the appliance.
! The vent hose must always be pulled out during the drying process.



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Installing a vent hose

Possibilities for venting

- through a brick box into a chimney or ventilation shaft:

- ! Do not connect the vent hose to a chimney which is connected to gas or coal cookers or to an open fire or gas heaters.
- ! If additional appliances operate in the room where the appliance is installed or in adjacent rooms, such as gas heaters, gas geysers or coal fired cookers with a sealed chimney connection or with an open chimney, a reduction in pressure may be produced, which could produce a suckback of waste gases. Risk of poisoning!

- through a brick box into the open air:
- directly into the open air:

If the machine is installed close to a window, the exhaust air can be taken straight outside through the open window, using the vent hose.

- ! Locate the vent pipe so that the dryer cannot take in the moist, warm air which it has just discharged.

- ! The outlet for the exhaust must be designed or located so that no additional back pressure (e.g. due to the wind blowing straight in) can be produced against the exhaust air flowing outwards.

Electrical connection

- ! Observe any special regulations imposed by the relevant electricity board.
- ! The appliance must be connected only to a source of alternating current via an earthed power point which has been installed in accordance with the regulations.
- ! The voltage data on the appliance identification plate (on the rear of the appliance) must agree with the mains voltage supplied to the site of installation.
- ! The wattage and fuse or automatic circuit-breaker required are stated on the identification plate.
- ! It must be ensured that the plug is pushed well into the socket, that the cross-section of the cable is large enough and that the earthing system is installed correctly.
- ! Multiple sockets/couplings and extension cables should not be used.
- ! The use of a residual current operated circuit-breaker with the symbol [] is recommended.
- ! Do not switch on the appliance with wet hands.
- ! Pull the mains plug out only by holding the lugs provided for this purpose.

Wash-Dry Stack

In order to save space (installation area), your dryer may be placed on top of a front-loading automatic washing machine (a wash-dry stack).

- ! When used like this, the dryer must be fastened to the washing machine with a stack frame.

The appropriate part may be obtained in kit form from your specialist supplier.

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- ! If the wash-dry stack is dismantled, the holes in the side plate of the washing machine must be sealed or this plate must be replaced by a new side plate.

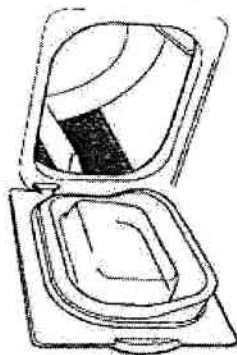
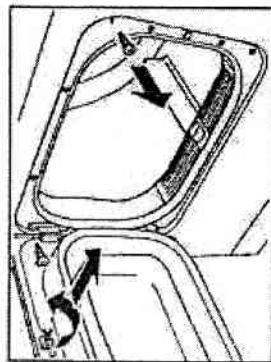
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Reversing the door

Large Door Opening:- Door reversal

Your dryer has a reversible door. To change the direction of the opening. Proceed as follows:



First remove the child safety peg from the top of the door by rotating 90° anticlockwise. Now unscrew the door hinges from the machine by removing the four screws. Do not use a power screwdriver as this may damage the threads.

Remove the four screws from the opposite side of the door opening. Place these screws in the other side of the door opening.

Reverse the door and re-apply the hinge screws.

Replace the child safety peg in the top of the, now reversed, door.