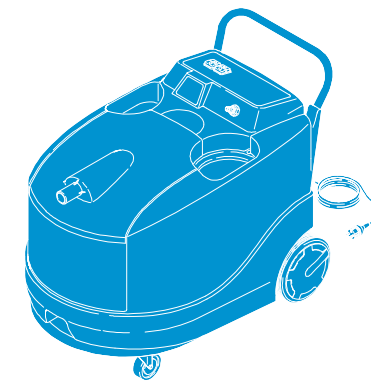


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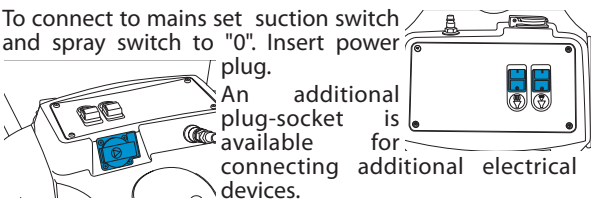
Professional Carpet Cleaner

A powerful vacuum carpet cleaner, designed for use on large heavily soiled carpets.



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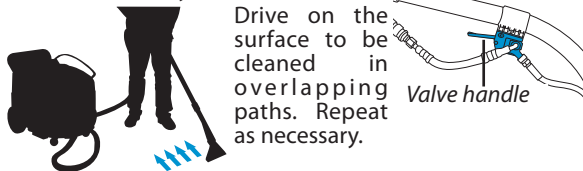
To connect to mains set suction switch and spray switch to "0". Insert power plug.



An additional plug-socket is available for connecting additional electrical devices.

CLEANING

Set suction and spray switch to "I". Activate valve handle. The cleaning agent solution is sprayed and simultaneously sucked in.



Drive on the surface to be cleaned in overlapping paths. Repeat as necessary.

To clean **dirty carpets** spray cleaning solution and use suction immediately. Using suction again shortens the drying time. When the **carpet is very dirty**, firstly spray cleaning solution. Wait around 10 - 15 minutes and use suction to remove cleaning solution.

To obtain better result rinse the cleaned surface with clear water. Remains of the cleaning agent and loosened dirt are then rinsed out.

WARNING

IF YOU HAVE ANY DOUBTS, DO NOT CONTINUE, CONTACT YOUR LOCAL HSS HIRE FOR ADVICE.

CLEANING TIPS

- The more sensitive the carpet, use a smaller amount of cleaning agent.
- Carpets with jute backings can shrink and the colours can bleed if the treatment is too wet.
- High pile carpets should be brushed off first.
- Cleaning with warm water (up to max. 50°C) is more effective.
- Spray very dirty areas beforehand.
- Work from light to dark areas (from window to doors).
- Work from cleaner areas to dirty ones.
- Wait until cleaned surface is dry before walking on it.

EMPTYING DIRTY WATER TANK

When the dirty-water tank is full, the suction air is interrupted by the mechanical floating switch.

To remove dirty water tank switch off spray and suction switch. Remove the cover and then remove dirty-water tank and empty it, or empty using a drain hose.

If practicable, keep an eye on the waste tank water level and empty when about three quarters full.



EQUIPMENT CARE

Never push the equipment beyond its design limits. If it will not do what you want with reasonable ease and speed, assume you have the wrong equipment for the job. Contact your local HSS Hire for advice.

Keep the equipment clean - you will find this less of a chore if you clean it regularly, rather than wait until the end of the hire period.

When not in use, store the equipment somewhere clean, dry and safe from thieves.

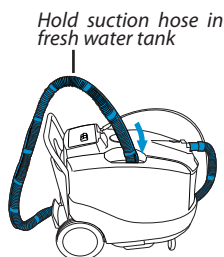
FINISHING OFF

Remove unused cleaning fluids from the housing with suction hose.

Remove the floor nozzle, hold suction hose in a fresh-water tank, turn "Suction" switch to "ON" and wait until cleaning fluid is removed and collected in dirty-water tank.

Empty the dirty-water tank. Fill fresh-water tank with 5l clean water. Switch on spray switch. Activate valve handle and rinse out unit for approx. 2 min. Switch off unit and pull the power plug.

Give the unit a final clean up ready for return, to your local HSS Hire.



...any problems
Contact your local
HSS Hire
0845 728 2828
We are here to help!

... have you been trained

The law requires that personnel using this type of equipment in the workplace must be competent and qualified to do so. Training is available at HSS Training Solutions 0845 766 7799

...any comments?

If you have any suggestions to enable us to improve the information within this guide please e-mail your comments or write to the Safety Guide Manager at the address below e-mail: safety@hss.com

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GENERAL SAFETY

For advice on the safety and suitability of this equipment contact your local HSS Hire.


There is a serious risk of personal injury if you do not follow all instructions laid down in this guide.

The hirer has a responsibility to ensure that all necessary risk assessments have been completed prior to the use of this equipment.


This equipment should only be used by an operator who has been deemed competent to do so by his/her employer.

This equipment should be used by an able bodied, competent adult who has read and understood these instructions. Anyone with either a temporary or permanent disability, should seek expert advice before using it.

Keep children, animals and bystanders away from the work area. Cordon off a NO GO area using cones and either barriers or tape, available for hire from your local HSS Hire.

 Never use this equipment if you are ill, feeling tired, or under the influence of alcohol or drugs.

 Wear practical, protective clothing, gloves and footwear. Avoid loose garments and jewellery that could catch in moving parts, tie back long hair.

 This equipment is heavy (31kg with an empty tank). Never attempt to lift it on your own, always get help.

Take all necessary precautions to protect yourself and others against the possibility of contracting infectious diseases in your work environment.

Always switch OFF and unplug the equipment when not in use.

Ensure the work area is well lit and ventilated, if in doubt, ask about lighting and ventilation equipment at your local HSS Hire.

Make sure you know how to switch this machine OFF before you switch it ON in case you get into difficulty.

Never leave the unit running and unattended.

Make sure that anyone in the immediate work area is warned of what you are doing.

Keep cleaning equipment and chemicals out of the reach of children and pets.

Never operate electric cleaning equipment or electric switches with wet hands.

Never use the equipment near flammable, explosive or toxic substances/fumes.

Never use HSS carpet cleaners to remove asbestos and similarly dangerous dusts.

Keep clear of the carpet cleaner's spray. Its chemical content, together with the fact that it is hot and under pressure, could hurt you. Never carry or pull the equipment by its power supply cable or hoses.

Check the condition of the equipment before use. If it shows signs of damage or excessive wear, return it to your local HSS Hire.

COSHH information sheets are available from your local HSS Hire.

ELECTRICAL SAFETY

The HSS Professional Carpet Cleaner plugs into a standard 240V 13amp earthed power socket.

If the equipment fails, or if its power supply cable or plug becomes damaged, return it. Never try to repair it yourself.


Only use suitable three core earthed extension leads to power this equipment. Available from your local HSS Hire.

Keep cables out of harm's way, and clear of the work area.

Extension leads should be fully unwound and loosely coiled, away from the equipment. Never run them through water, over sharp edges or where they could trip someone.

Keep the equipment dry, avoid spilling liquid over the machine.

Using electrical equipment in very damp or wet conditions can be dangerous. Only work with dry hands

 To reduce the risk of electric shock, always use a RCD suitable RCD (Residual Current-Operated Device) available from your local HSS Hire. Or power the equipment from a mains circuit with a built in RCD.

Ensure the machine and power socket are switched OFF before plugging into the power supply.

GETTING STARTED

Never use the Professional Carpet Cleaner until you have fully read and understood this User Guide and the machine has been properly set up using the information it contains.

THIS UNIT IS INTENDED FOR WET CLEANING CARPETS AND HOME TEXTILES ONLY. ANY OTHER USE IS NOT RECOMMENDED.

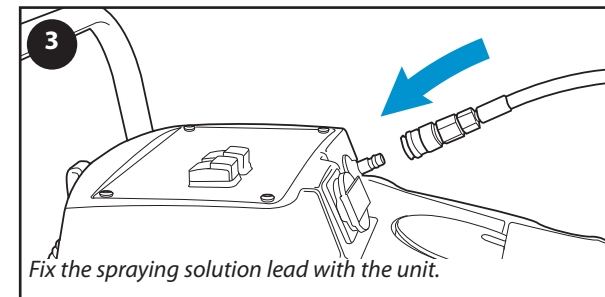
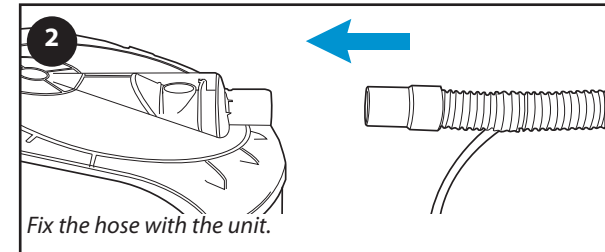
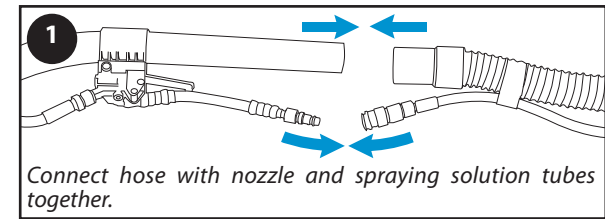
Clear the room of all furniture, if this is impractical, the furniture will have to be moved around as the work progresses. Tie up any long curtains that touch the floor. Vacuum the entire carpet and remove any bits left behind by the vacuum.

Take the unit into the room and unroll the power lead.

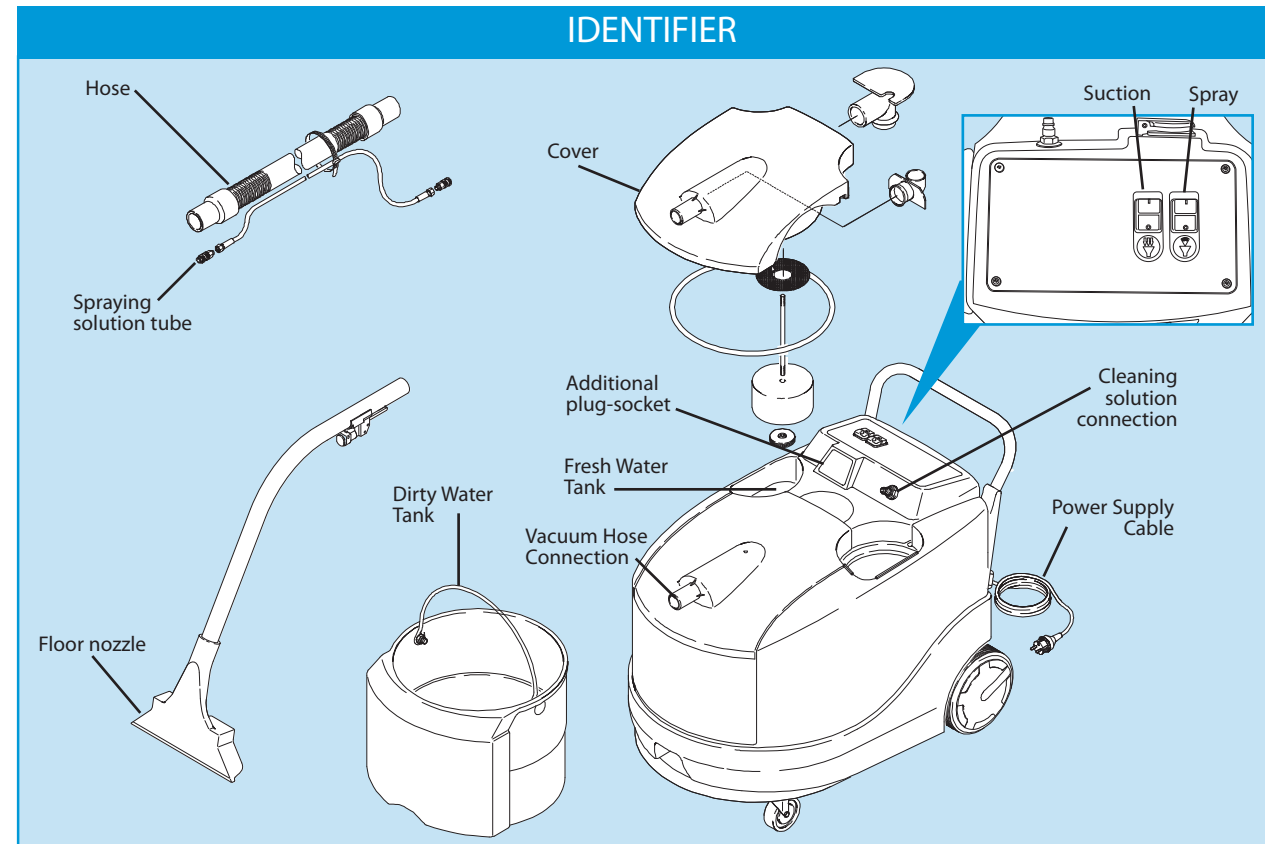
NOTE: This machine must be switched OFF and unplugged from its power supply whenever you are making any adjustments to it!

PREPARING UNIT

The carpet cleaner will not work unless the unit is correctly connected.



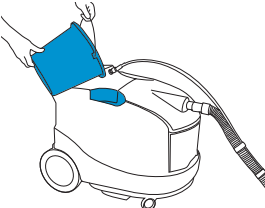
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BASIC TECHNIQUES

Thoroughly mix fresh water and cleaning agent in a clean container. Pour in amount of cleaning solution to fresh water as instructed on HSS carpet cleaning solution which can be purchased from your local HSS Hire.

Take great care that you DO NOT spill any over the machine. Small spills must be wiped up immediately, if you spill a large amount, STOP and contact your local HSS Hire for advice.



Fill unit with a maximum of 40ltrs cleaning solution

CHECKING CARPET

Make sure that the carpet is securely fixed and that all seams are tightly sewn together or stuck down (or shrinkage may occur). Pre-treat heavily soiled or stained areas with pre-spotter following the instructions on the product's container. You can now begin the cleaning process proper.

CONNECTING TO THE MAINS

Only work with dry hands. When using extension cable, be careful. Extension cable must not be in water.