

# REMINGTON®

## PrecisionCut Hair Clipper



HC5500  
HC5700



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## IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

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**WARNING – TO REDUCE THE RISK OF BURNS, ELECTROCUTION, FIRE OR INJURY TO PERSONS:**

- 1 This appliance can be used by children aged from 8 years and above and persons with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities or lack of experience and knowledge if they have been supervised/instructed and understand the hazards involved. Children shall not play with the appliance. Cleaning and user maintenance shall not be done by children unless they are older than 8 and supervised. Keep the appliance and cable out of reach of children under 8 years.
- 2 The adaptor contains a transformer. Do not cut off the adaptor to replace it with another plug, as this causes a hazardous situation.
- 3 Use this appliance only for its intended use as described in this manual. Do not use attachments not recommended by Remington®.
- 4 Do not use this product if it is not working correctly, if it has been dropped or damaged, or dropped in water.
- 5 This appliance should never be left unattended when plugged into a power outlet, except when charging.
- 6 Keep the power plug and cord away from heated surfaces.
- 7 Do not immerse the appliance in liquid; do not use it near water in a bath-tub, basin or other vessel; and don't use it outdoors. 
- 8 Make sure the power plug, cord and product unit do not get wet.
- 9 Do not plug or unplug the appliance with wet hands.
- 10 Do not immerse in water or any other liquid. Do not rinse under a tap.
- 11 Do not reach for an appliance that has fallen into water. Unplug it immediately.
- 12 Always place and use that appliance on a surface that is fluid-resistant.
- 13 Always put the headguard on the product to protect the cutting heads whilst travelling.
- 14 Do not use the appliance, adaptor or any other part if it is damaged, as this may cause injury. Always replace a damaged adaptor with one of the original type.
- 15 Do not twist or kink the cable, or wrap it round the appliance.
- 16 Charge, use and store the product at a temperature between 10°C and 35°C.
- 17 This appliance is not intended for commercial or salon use.
- 18 **WARNING:** Keep the appliance dry.

- 19  HC5500: This appliance should be supplied with approved safety isolating adaptors PA-3215E (for EU), PA-3215U (for UK) with the output capacity of 3.2Vdc; 1500mA (adaptor output).
-  HC5700: This appliance should be supplied with approved safety isolating adaptors PA-4515E (for EU), PA-4515U (for UK) with the output capacity of 4.5Vdc; 1500mA (adaptor output).



## KEY FEATURES

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| 1 On/Off/Turbo Switch  | 5 Charging indicator light            |
| 2 Blade set  | 6 Micro USB port                      |
| 3 2 attachment guide combs<br>1-21mm and 24-44mm (not shown) | 7 Adaptor (not shown)                 |
| 4 Blade release button                                       | 8 Slide select adjustable comb switch |

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## GETTING STARTED

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### CHARGING YOUR APPLIANCE

- Before using your hairclipper for the first time, charge for 14-16 hours (HC5500) and 4 hours (HC5700).
- Ensure the product is switched off.
- Connect the charging adaptor to the product and then to the mains.
- If the product is not going to be used for an extended period of time (2 – 3 months), unplug it from the mains and store.
- Fully recharge your hairclipper when you would like to use it again.
- Allow for 14-16 hours for a full charge for HC5500 and 4 hours for HC5700.
- HC5500: when charging the LED indicator will be illuminated and will remain illuminated once the product is fully charged.
- HC5700: when charging the LED indicator will be illuminated and will turn off once the product is fully charged.
- To preserve the life of your batteries, let them run out every 6 months then recharge for 14-16 hours.
- The HC5700 comes with a quick charge function, 10 minutes charging will give an emergency burst of run time.

### CHARGING VIA STANDARD ELECTRICAL SOCKET

- Ensure the product is switched off.
- Connect the charging adaptor to the product and then to the mains.

### USB

- Connect Micro USB to the appliance, and the USB connector to any standard USB port or charger.
- Product will only charge through USB and will not run in corded mode.

### CORDED USE

- Connect the charging adaptor to the product then to the mains.

### CAUTION

- Extended mains only use will result in the reduction of the battery life.

### CORDLESS USE

- When the unit is switched on and fully charged, the product can be used in cordless mode for up to 60 minutes for the HC5500 and up to 75 minutes for the HC5700.

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

### BEFORE STARTING THE CUT

- Inspect the clipper making sure that it is free from hair and dirt.
- Seat the person so that their head is approximately at your eye level.
- Before cutting, always comb the hair so it is tangle free and dry.

### TO ATTACH A COMB

- Hold the comb with its teeth upward.
- To attach a comb, align the legs of the comb with the holes in the top of the clipper on each side of the blade and slide the legs into the trimmer until they click.
- To remove, firmly pull the comb straight up away from the clipper.

### HAIR CLIPPER COMB SETTINGS

- The clipper comes with two adjustable combs, a short length adjustable comb (indicated by 1-21mm on the back of the comb) and a longer length adjustable comb (indicated by 24-44mm on the back of the comb).
- Please see table below for different cutting lengths available on each comb:

Shorter Length Adjustable Comb	Longer length Adjustable Comb
1mm	24mm
2mm	25mm
3mm	26mm
4mm	27mm
5mm	28mm
6mm	29mm
9mm	32mm
12mm	35mm
15mm	38mm
18mm	41mm
21mm	44mm

- On the slide select switch there is a silver indicator which, when the short length adjustable comb is on the product, shows the corresponding length setting on the left of the slide select switch. On the other side of the slide select switch there is another silver indicator which shows the corresponding length setting when the longer length adjustable comb is on the product, on the right side of the slide select switch.
- To adjust the length settings, you must press the upper half of the slide select switch to release the locking mechanism, then apply force upwards on the slide select switch to increase the length setting. To decrease the length settings press the upper part of the slide select switch down and slide downwards.
- Use the clipper without any fixed combs for trimming hair close to the skin.
- This will trim hair to 1mm, holding the clipper so the blades are perpendicular to the skin will trim hair to 0.5mm.

#### ✱ INSTRUCTIONS FOR CUTTING HAIR

- To turn the product On or Off slide the switch. To locate the On/Off switch please refer to the key features section.
- For even cutting, allow the comb attachment/blade to cut its way through the hair. Do not force it through quickly. If you are cutting for the first time, start with the maximum comb attachment.

#### ✱ STEP 1 – Nape of the neck

- Set the comb to 3mm or 6mm.
- Hold the clipper with the blade teeth pointing upwards. Begin starting at the centre of the head at the base of the neck.
- Slowly lift the clipper, working upwards and outwards through the hair, trimming just a little at a time.

#### ✱ STEP 2 – Back of the head

- With the comb set at 12mm or 18mm, cut the hair at the back of the head.

#### ✱ STEP 3 – Side of the head

- With the comb set at 3mm or 6mm, trim sideburns. Then change to the longer 9mm guide comb and continue to cut the top of the head.

#### ✱ STEP 4 – Top of the head

- Use the longer length comb attachment and set it to 24mm or 27mm then cut hair on top of the head against the direction in which the hair normally grows.

- For longer hair on top, use the longer length comb attachment (24 – 44mm) to achieve the desired style.
- Always work from the back of the head.

#### ✳ **STEP 5 – The finishing touches**

- Use the clipper without an attachment comb for close trimming around the base and sides of the neck.
- To produce a clean straight line at the sideburns, reverse the hair clipper.
- Place the reversed clipper at right angles to the head, tips of the blades lightly touching the skin and then work downwards.

#### ✳ **DUAL BOOST SYSTEM (HC5700)**

- There is a 3 position switch on HC5700 only. First position is Off, second is normal speed, and third position is Boost for extra power to cut through thicker hair.
- If the clipper is set to On, it will run at regular power.
- If the clipper is set to Boost, it will provide maximum power.

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### **CARE FOR YOUR HAIRCLIPPER**

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- Your clipper is fitted with high quality blades.
- To ensure long lasting performance of your clipper, clean the blades and unit regularly.
- Always keep the attachment guide comb on the trimmer blade.

#### ✳ **AFTER EACH USE**

- Ensure the appliance is switched off and unplugged from the mains before cleaning.
- Brush the accumulated hair from the blades and body of the clipper. Do not submerge the clipper in water.
- To clean the unit, wipe with a damp cloth and dry immediately.
- Place a few drops of cutter or sewing machine oil onto the blades. Wipe off excess oil.

#### ✳ **WASHABLE BLADE CLEANING**

- Blade cartridge is removable.
- ✳ **NOTE:** Only the blades on this clipper can be washed under running water.
- To remove the blades ensure the unit is off. Press the blade release button on the back of the clipper where it meets the blade and push away from the clipper.

- To reattach once the blades are cleaned and dry, align the bottom of the blade with the bottom blade housing tab and slide the cartridge back into place until you hear a click.
- Do not run the entire unit under the tap, only the blade set is meant to be submerged in water.
- Place a few drops of cutter or sewing machine oil onto the blades. Wipe off excess oil.

#### ✱ EVERY SIX MONTHS

- At regular intervals the blade set should be removed and cleaned.
- Remove the 2 screws retaining the fixed blade with a screwdriver. Do not remove the blade set.
- Brush out hairs from between the blades with soft cleaning brush. Do not remove the lubricating grease from the blades. It is not necessary to remove the small moving blade from the unit.
- If the moving blade has been removed this can be re-fitted by slotting the coated blade holder over the pin in the centre of the interior product head.
- The groove on the coated blade, just below the teeth, rests on a metal plate at the opposite side to the screw holes. The fixed blade is fitted with the raised profile pointing outwards and fixed with the 2 screws.
- If the blades are not correctly aligned, cutting efficiency will be impaired.
- Place a few drops of cutter or sewing machine oil onto the blades. Wipe off excess oil.

#### ✱ CLEANING CAUTIONS

- Ensure the appliance is switched off and unplugged from the mains before cleaning.
- Only the attachment guide combs and trimmer blade may be removed from the product for cleaning.
- Do not rinse under water.
- Do not use harsh or corrosive cleaners on the units or their blades.



#### BATTERY REMOVAL

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- The appliance must be disconnected from the supply mains when removing the battery.
- Turn the trimmer on and discharge all remaining power.
- Remove the comb attachment.
- Detach the blade cartridge.
- Pry the decorative panel off the top housing to expose the internals and printed circuit board.



- Unscrew the 2 screws on the big printed circuit board and 3 screws on the small printed circuit board.
- Remove the battery and printed circuit board assembly from the battery chamber.
- Disconnect the battery from the circuit board.
- The battery is to be disposed of safely.



## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

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To avoid environmental and health problems due to hazardous substances in electrical and electronic goods, appliances marked with this symbol must not be disposed of with unsorted municipal waste, but recovered, reused or recycled.



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## ➡ SERVICE AND GUARANTEE

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Defects affecting product functionality appearing within the guarantee period will be corrected by replacement or repair at our option provided the product is used and maintained in accordance with the instructions.

Your statutory rights are not affected.

Consumables are excluded.

Defects from repair by an unauthorized dealer are not covered.

If you call the Service Centre, please have the Model No. to hand, as we won't be able to help you without it. The Model No. can be found on the rating plate of the appliance.


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