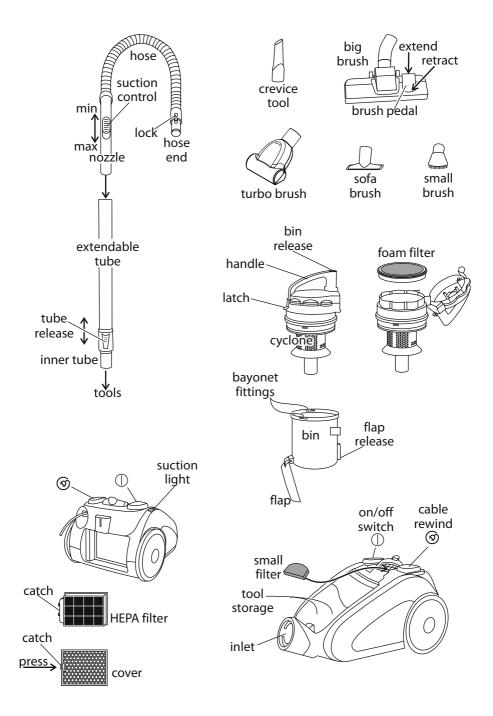




Problems? – Ring the helpline 0845 658 9700 (local rate number) (local rate number) 000 year out of the output of



Read the instructions, keep them safe, pass them on if you pass the appliance on. Remove all packaging before use.

IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

Follow basic safety precautions, including:

- 1 The cleaner should only be used by or under the supervision of a responsible adult. It's not a toy – don't let children play with it.
- 2 Don't put the cleaner in liquid; don't use it anywhere damp or wet.
- 3 Don't use the cleaner near a gas, oil, or open fire. The flame may be sucked towards the cleaner, causing a fire hazard.
- 4 Keep hair, clothing, fingers, toes, and pets away from the end doing the sucking, and from the brush.
- 5 Stuff you mustn't pick up:
 - a) liquids you'll short the motor
 - b) stuff that may ignite, like matches, bits of fire-lighter
 - c) anything burning or smouldering (cigarette ends, ashes, embers) wait till they're extinguished and cold
 - d) spillage from toner cartridges the fine particles may pass through the filter, and short circuit the motor
 - e) cement or plaster dust they'll combine with moisture in the air, clog the filter, scour the bin, and may burn out the motor
 - f) anything sharp you may puncture the filter
 - g) anything biological you'll eventually have to clean it off the filter, and viral particles may pass through the filter, reach the air outlet, and enter your air supply
- 6 If you use the cleaner outdoors (e.g. cleaning the car), connect it to the electricity supply via a residual current device (RCD), with a rated residual operating current not exceeding 30mA.
- 7 Don't leave the cleaner unattended when plugged in.
- 8 Unplug the cleaner and rewind the cable when not in use.
- 9 Keep an eye on the cable, so it doesn't catch on anything, or trip anyone up. Don't run the cleaner over the cable, you'll damage it.
- 10 If you're using the cleaner on stairs, sit it where it can't fall, and keep it below you, so if it does fall, it won't land on you.
- 11 Don't use the cleaner if the bin is full switch off, unplug, empty.
- 12 Don't use the cleaner for any purpose other than those described in these instructions.
- 13 Don't use accessories or attachments unless we provide them.
- 14 Don't leave the cleaner in sunlight, UV can damage plastics.
- 15 Don't use the cleaner if it's damaged or malfunctions.
- 16 If the cable or plug is damaged, return the cleaner to avoid hazard.

household use only

🗄 COUNT THE BITS

You should have an extendable tube, a turbo brush, a big brush, a crevice tool, a small brush, a sofa brush, and a hose – check all the packaging before you dispose of it. ★ The crevice tool and small brush are stored in the cleaner, under the bin.

FITTING THE HOSE

- 1 Align the hose end with the inlet in the cleaner.
- 2 Push the hose end into the inlet. It'll click as it locks into position.

CABLE

- 3 Pull as much cable as you need from the back of the cleaner.
- 4 The yellow band round the cable tells you there's a metre left.
- 5 The red band tells you "Stop pulling, you've run out of cable!".
- 6 Watch the cable so it doesn't catch on anything, or trip anyone.

CARRYING AND MOVING THE CLEANER

- 7 Lift the cleaner only by the handle.
- 8 Don't sit it upright it'll fall over.
- 9 You may move the cleaner around by pulling gently (that's gently), on the hose.

CHOOSE THE TOOL FOR THE JOB

- 10 The tools will fit on the nozzle, or the end of the inner tube.
 - **big brush** used with the extendable tube, for floors and carpets: Press the rear of the pedal to extend the bristles for floors with little or no pile. Press the front to retract the bristles for rugs, carpets, and anything with pile.
 - turbo brush used with the extendable tube, for floors and carpets, it has a rotating, suction-powered brush, for deep cleaning.
 - **crevice tool** as the name implies, down the sides of upholstery, and awkward spaces nothing else can reach.
 - small brush to remove dust from blinds and curtains, and to brush/clean awkward corners.
 - sofa brush to remove pet hair, lint, and dust from upholstery, and other small, flat areas – don't use it on hanging curtains, as it doesn't have the bristles necessary to let air flow freely, use the small brush instead.
- 11 Fit the extendable tube to the nozzle for floors, carpets, or hard to reach places:
 - a) push the tube release towards the narrow end of the tube, and keep it pressed
 - b) pull out as much of the inner tube as you need
 - c) if you've finished using it, push it back
 - d) return the tube release to the locked position
- 12 Fit the wide end of the extendable tube to the nozzle.
- 13 Choose a tool, and fit it to the end of the inner tube.

SUCTION CONTROL

14 Move the suction control towards the nozzle for maximum suction, away from the nozzle, to reduce suction.

POWER UP

- caution If you've accidentally pressed the on/off switch (), the cleaner may start up when you plug it in.
- 15 Plug the cable into a power socket (switch the socket on).
- 16 Press and release the on/off switch (), to turn the cleaner on.

CLEANING

- 17 Move the tool over the surface, cleaning a small area at a time.
- 18 When you move to a new area, overlap the previous area.

FINISHED?

- 19 Press and release the on/off switch (), to turn the cleaner off.
- 20 Unplug the cleaner (switch the socket off first).
- 21 Press the log button, and hold it in the cable will rewind.
- 22 Keep clear of the cable. If it catches on anything, stop pressing, and it'll stop rewinding.
- 23 We've tried not to make it too powerful, to avoid wrecking your home, so you may need to push the plug end in manually.

REMOVING AND EMPTYING THE BIN

- 24 It's best to empty the bin after each use.
- 25 Switch off, unplug, and leave it for a minute, to let the dust settle.
- 26 Press the locks on the hose end, and pull the hose from the inlet.
- 27 Hold the handle, press the bin release, then lift the bin up and out of the cleaner.
- 28 Lower the bin into your dustbin so the bottom of the bin is below the rim, to prevent the dust dispersing into your environment.
- 29 Press the flap release on the side of the bin, to open the flap at the bottom of the bin.
- 30 Give the bin a couple of taps, to shake all the dirt loose.
- 31 Push the flap back up, to seal the bottom of the bin again.

CHECK THE FILTERS

- 32 While you've got the bin off the cleaner, why not check the filters?
- ✤ Filters must be completely dry before replacing in the cleaner.
- 33 Turn the cyclone anti-clockwise, to release the bayonet fittings holding it to the bin (move the ▼ on the front from 1 to 1).
- 34 Hold the cyclone over your dustbin, and give it a couple of taps on the side, to dislodge any dust adhering to the surfaces of the cyclone.
- 35 Lower the cyclone into the bin, and turn it clockwise to engage the bayonet fittings (move the ▼ on the front from 1 to 1).

the foam filter

- 36 This protects the HEPA filter from the worst of the dirt.
- 37 Lift the latch and open the top of the cyclone to expose the foam filter.
- 38 Lift out the foam filter, and wash it in warm soapy water, rinse, to remove all trace of soap, then let it air dry.
- 39 When it's dry, replace it in the cyclone, and close the cyclone.

the small filter

- 36 This stops particles falling into the cleaner when it's open.
- 37 If it looks OK, leave it alone.
- 38 It's held in place by two spikes.
- 39 If you need to remove it, peel it out, gently, from the top.
- 40 Wash it in warm soapy water, rinse, to remove all trace of soap, then let it air dry, and replace it on its spikes.

refit the bin

- 41 Lower the bottom of the bin on to the cleaner.
- 42 Push the top of the cyclone against the cleaner, till the bin release clicks into place.

the HEPA filter

- 43 This filters the returning airflow. It's expensive to replace, so be gentle with it.
- 44 Press the catch on the side of the cover towards the cover.
- 45 Pull the cover off the cleaner.
- 46 Press the catch on the side of the HEPA filter, and pull the filter out of the cleaner.
- 47 If the filter looks a bit mucky, tap it over the dustbin, to dislodge the dirt.
- 48 If its very dirty, soak it in warm soapy water for a few minutes, rinse under a running tap, to remove all trace of soap, then let it air dry don't refit till it's completely dry.
- 49 Replace the HEPA filter in the cleaner.

50 Replace the cover.

CLEANING THE CLEANER

- 51 Switch the cleaner off and unplug it.
- 52 Wipe external surfaces of the cleaner with a damp cloth.
- 53 Wipe the tools and tubes with a damp cloth.
- 54 Wipe the inside of the bin and its bottom with a damp cloth.
- 55 Don't put any part of the cleaner in a dishwasher.

TIMING

56 Clean the cleaner frequently. Basically, the better you look after it, the longer it'll last. Keep an eye on it as you use it, and examine the filters when you empty the bin. If anything needs cleaning, do it there and then, don't put it off, in case you forget.

SUCTION LIGHT

- 57 The suction light, on top of the cleaner, beside the () switch, glows if the cleaner is stressed, then goes out as the stress is removed.
 - a) unless it glows steadily, you needn't worry about it
 - b) it may flicker while you're cleaning, as the load changes
 - c) it'll glow steadily if you block the hose move the hose
 - d) it'll glow steadily if you let the bin get full stop and empty it
 - e) it'll glow steadily if there's a blockage stop and clear it

BLOCKAGES

58 No matter how careful you are, sooner or later you'll block the cleaner.

ON'T PANIC!

If the bin full light comes on and stays on, don't worry, it's not the end of the world, you've probably just picked up something odd.

- 1 Switch the cleaner off and unplug it.
- 2 Spread a newspaper on the floor, you're going to make a mess.
- 3 If you're using one of the tools, remove and check it first.
- 4 Pull the hose out and check it.
- 5 Use something blunt, like the blunt end of a ball-point pen to dislodge any blockage.
- 6 Remove the bin, and check the cyclone and filters.
- 7 If you haven't cleared the blockage by now, try again.
- 8 Still not clear? Ring the helpline.

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

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

helpline – 0845 658 9700

If you need help, note the **Model No** (on the rating plate) and ring the helpline 0845 658 9700 (it's a local rate number).

SERVICE

If you ring Customer Service, please have the **Model No.** to hand, as we won't be able to help you without it. It's on the rating plate (usually underneath the product).

The product isn't user-serviceable. If it's not working, read the instructions, check the plug fuse and main fuse/circuit breaker. If it's still not working, consult your retailer.

If that doesn't solve the problem – ring Customer Service – they may be able to offer technical advice.

If they advise you to return the product to us, pack it carefully, include a note with your name, address, day phone number, and what's wrong. If under guarantee, say where and when purchased, and include proof of purchase (till receipt). Send it to:

Customer Service, Spectrum Brands (UK) Limited, Fir Street, Failsworth, Manchester M35 0HS

email: service@russellhobbs.com

telephone: 0845 658 9700 (local rate number)

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