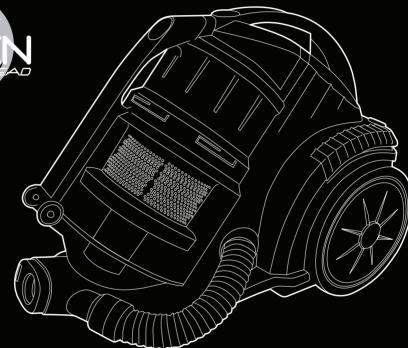


User Guide

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Bagless Cylinder





Get Cleaning...

What's your Vax's model number?

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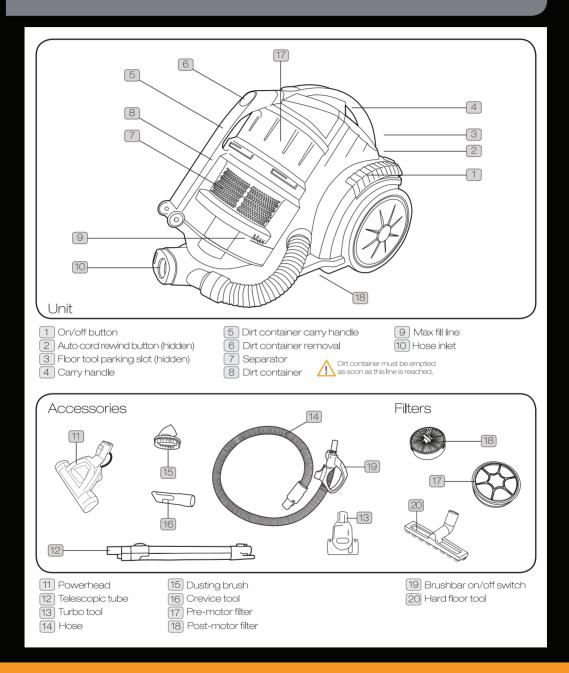
What's your serial number? (Located on the base of the machine)

Note these down in case you need them in future. Please keep instructions for further use.

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VCZPH1600

Machine Overview



General Safety Information

FOR HOUSE HOLD USE ONLY.

When using the vacuum cleaner, basic safety precautions should always be observed, including the following:

- 1. Only use the vacuum cleaner indoors on dry surfaces.
- 2. Turn off the vacuum cleaner controls before disconnecting or connecting from the mains supply.
- Always unplug the vacuum cleaner before connecting or disconnecting the vacuum hose and accessories.
- 4. Children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the appliance.
- This appliance is not intended for use by persons (including children) with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge, unless they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance by a person responsible for their safety.
- 6. Use only as described in this manual. Use only Vax recommended attachments.
- 7. Do not use the vacuum cleaner if it has been dropped, damaged, left outdoors or dropped into water. Do not use the vacuum cleaner with a damaged cord or plug. If the supply cord is damaged, it must be replaced by the manufacturer, its service agent or similarly qualified persons in order to avoid a hazard.
- Do not pull or carry by cord. Do not use the cord as a handle, close a door on the cord or pull cord around sharp edges or corners. Do not run the vacuum cleaner over the cord. Keep the cord away from heated surfaces.
- 9. Do not handle the plug or vacuum cleaner with wet hands. Do not use outdoors or on wet surfaces.
- Do not put any objects into openings. Do not use with any openings blocked and do not restrict air-flow. Keep all openings free of dust, lint, hair or anything that might reduce airflow.
- 11. Keep hair, loose clothing, fingers and all parts of the body away from openings and moving parts.
- 12. Do not pick up hot coals, cigarette butts, matches or any hot, smoking or burning objects.
- Do not pick up flammable or combustible materials (lighter fluid, petrol, kerosene etc.) or use in the presence of explosive liquids or vapours.
- 14. Do not vacuum up harmful or toxic material (chlorine, bleach, ammonia, drain cleaner etc.).

- 15. Do not vacuum up hard or sharp objects such as glass, nails, screws, coins, etc.
- 16. Do not use without ALL of the filters in place.
- 17. Take extra care when vacuuming on stairs.
- 18. Keep vacuuming area well lit.
- 19. Store the vacuum cleaner in a cool, dry area.
- 20. Turn off the on/off switch before unplugging the vacuum cleaner
- Use only SAA approved 10 amp extension cords. Non-approved cords may overheat. Care should be taken to arrange the cord so that the cord cannot be tripped over.

WARNING: Always switch off and unplug the vacuum cleaner from the electrical outlet before assembling, opening or emptying the dirt container, or before connecting/disconnecting the attachments.

CAUTION: The vacuum cleaner is a very powerful unit. Before plugging the cord into the electrical outlet, make sure the switch is in the 'off' position. Hold the vacuum cleaner firmly when starting and in use.



- do not use to suck up water (for vacuum cleaners only);
- do not immerse in water for cleaning;
- the hose should be checked regularly and must not be used if damaged.

IMPORTANT: If the inlet, hose or telescopic tube is blocked, switch off the vacuum cleaner and remove the blockage(s) before re-starting the vacuum cleaner.

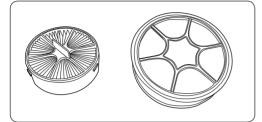
IMPORTANT: Cleaning filters improves vacuum performance. Vax recommends that your filters should be checked and cleaned periodically. If your filters are washable make sure they are completely dry before inserting back into the vacuum cleaner.

This machine is intended for house hold use only, and NOT for commercial or industrial use.

PLEASE KEEP THESE INSTRUCTIONS FOR FURTHER USE.

Operation

Keep your Vax like new

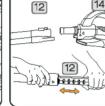


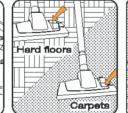
IMPORTANT: The condition of the filters affects the performance of your machine. Please check and clean filters periodically (depending on the level of use). For full cleaning instructions, see Maintenance.

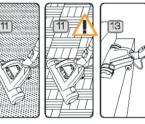
IMPORTANT: Do not use the vacuum cleaner without all of the filters in place.

Assembling your vacuum cleaner









IMPORTANT: For use on hard floors, switch the brushbar off. The on/off switch is located on the hose handle. Alternatively use the hard floor tool provided.

NOTE: The Powerhead, crevice tool and dusting brush can all be attached to the telescopic tube or handle.

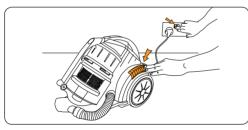
Operation

Operating the appliance



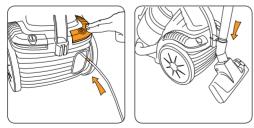
NOTE: Fully unwind power cord before every use. A yellow mark on the cord indicates the recommended cord length. Do not exceed the cord length beyond the yellow mark.

Switch vacuum cleaner on



Switch the vacuum cleaner on by inserting plug into outlet and pressing on/off pedal.

Packing away and storage



NOTE: For convenience there is a parking slot located at the rear of the vacuum cleaner where the floor tools and tubes can be attached for storage and carrying.

Maintenance (Keep your Vax as good as new)

Emptying and cleaning the dirt container



WARNING: Always unplug the vacuum cleaner from the electrical outlet before removing dirt container.



WARNING: Do not use the vacuum cleaner without all filters in place.

WARNING: Vax recommends that filters should be checked & cleaned periodically (eg. every 6 months as a guide), depending on level of use.



Press down the button located on the dirt container. When the button is pressed down, the dust barrel can be lifted to remove. Replace the dirt container.



Hold the dirt container over a bin and press the quick release button to empty the container.

When emptied, close the dirt container flap. A click will be heard when closed.

Advanced cleaning - Cleaning the cyclone separator



1. Twist and pull the dirt container bin off the cyclone separator. The dirt container bin may be wiped clean. 2. The separator should only be cleaned with a soft brush and wiped with a damp cloth. 3. Leave the separator to dry completely before replacing. Allow 24 hrs to dry.

WARNING: The cyclone separator should not be submerged in water.

Maintenance (Keep your Vax as good as new)

Cleaning the pre-motor filter



Twist the top of dust canister and lift.



Pull filter out.



Separate the two filter components.

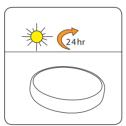


Tap over bin to release excess dirt.



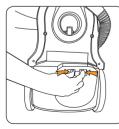
Rinse in warm water (max 40°C).

Do not use detergents.



Allow to dry for 24 hours after removing excess water.

Cleaning the post-motor filter



Squeeze together the tabs at the base of the vacuum.



Remove filter by twisting.





Pull filter out of cleaner.



Tap over bin to release excess dirt. Do not wash.



Maintenance (Keep your Vax as good as new)

Cleaning blockages

WARNING: To reduce the risk of electric shock, turn the vacuum cleaner off and unplug from the electrical outlet before performing maintenance/troubleshooting checks.

Hose blockages

The hose may be disconnected from the vacuum cleaner. Carefully remove any blockages found and reconnect hose securely.

Accessory blockages

Remove accessory from hose/tube. Carefully remove the blockage and return to the cleaner.

Cleaning debris from the Powerhead and Turbo tool

NOTE: Switch the cleaner off and disconnect the power plug from the electrical outlet.



Press the two side buttons together & pull sides apart.



Carefully use scissors to cut out the blockage.

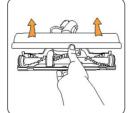


Realign turbo brush sides & press together.

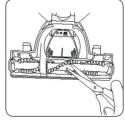
Powerhead blockages



Open clips at either side of the Powerhead.



Lift top cover up to reveal brushbar.



Cut away tangled hairs with a pair of scissors.

FAQ's

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WARNING: To reduce the risk of personal injury, unplug the vacuum cleaner before performing maintenance/troubleshooting checks.

Problem	Cause	Solution	
Is there an accessory missing?		Check the 'Machine Overview' page in this guide to make sure the part is definitely included in your unit	
Why won't the vacuum cleaner pick up?	The filters may be clogged	Refer to the Maintenance section	
	The dirt container is full or blocked	Refer to the Maintenance section	
	The dirt container may be incorrectly installed	Refer to the Maintenance section	
Why is dust escaping from	The filters may not be installed correctly	Refer to the Maintenance section	
the vacuum?	The dirt container may not be installed correctly	Remove the dirt container from the unit by pressing the dirt container removal button and reattach it to the unit, ensuring it is locked firmly back into place	
	The filters may be clogged	Refer to the Maintenance section	
Why won't the accessories pick up properly?	The accessory may be blocked	Refer to the Maintenance section	
Why will the vacuum cleaner not run?	It may not be plugged into the electrical outlet correctly	Ensure that the plug is pushed into the electrical outlet securely	
	The electrical outlet may not be working	Check the fuse or breaker and consult an electrician	
	The motor Thermostat may have tripped	Switch off and unplug the vacuum cleaner. Leave it for one hour before switching the vacuum cleaner back on	



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Other Information

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Monday-Friday 8.30am to 5.00pm

If you have queries or concerns about using your Vax, call the Vax Careline. Calls are charged at the standard local rate. Please make a note of the serial number and model number of the vacuum cleaner before calling.

For the nearest Service Agent, please call the Vax Customer Careline or visit www.vax.com.au

Technical Specification

On Vacuum		Motorised Head Attachment		
Voltage:	220-240V ~50Hz	Voltage:	220-240V ~50Hz	
Wattage:	1600W	Wattage:	35W	
Air Wattage:	320AW			
Capacity:	2.6 Litres			
Filter:	Cyclone Separator – Wipe clean Pre-motor – Washable sponge Post-motor – HEPA12, Antibacterial	(not washa	able – tap to clean)	
Cord length:	8m			
Weight:	6.5kg			

Subject to technical change without notice.





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