





Before Operating Your Washer

Read your washer Use and Care Guide. It has important safety and warranty information. It also has many suggestions for best washing results.

A WARNING To reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, or injury to persons, read the IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS in your washer Use and Care Guide before operating this appliance.

Operating Steps

Read and follow **Washing Procedures** in your Use and Care Guide. It provides detailed information for preparing the wash load and choosing control settings to ensure best washing results.

- Sort laundry into loads that can be washed together.
- 2. Prepare items for washing.

- 3. Pretreat stains and heavy soil.
- 4. Add laundry load to the wash drum.
- 5. Open the dispenser drawer and add the measured amount of detergent to the detergent compartment. If desired, add liquid bleach and fabric softener to the appropriate compartments. Slowly close dispenser drawer. The washer will not operate with the drawer open.
- 6. Set Wash/Rinse Temperature according to fabric type and soil level of each load.
- 7. If desired, select Extra Rinse in the Regular or Perm Press cycle.
- Select Final Spin Speed as desired when using the Perm Press or Hand Washables cycles.
- 9. Push in the cycle selector knob and turn it clockwise to the desired wash cycle.

- 10. Start the washer by closing the door and pulling out the cycle selector knob. The washer will not operate with the door open. As a safety measure, the door will automatically lock during the entire wash cycle.
 - To stop the washer, push in the cycle selector knob.
 - To change a cycle, push in the cycle selector knob and turn it clockwise to the desired setting.
 - Pull out the knob to restart the washer.
- 11. Remove items when cycle ends. A signal will sound at the end of the cycle.

Note: From time to time you may see water in the bleach and fabric softener compartments. This is a result of the siphoning action and is part of the normal operation of the washer.

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Cycle Selection

For best results, follow the fabric care label directions on items to be washed.

Regular Cycle

Up to 19 minutes of reversing tumble action for most fabrics. Three rinses, a high-speed final spin, a pause and a brief tumble complete the cycle.

- Heavy Wash provides up to 19 minutes of reversing tumble action for heavily soiled fabrics.
- Wash provides up to 13 minutes of reversing tumble action for normally soiled fabrics.
- Short provides up to 6 minutes of reversing tumble action for lightly soiled fabrics.

Delayed Start

Use the Delayed Start feature to select a wash time convenient to your schedule or during off-peak energy hours. The start of the Regular Cycle can be delayed for 1 to 9 hours.

Load the washer. Fill the dispenser. Select the proper Wash/Rinse Temperature and Extra Rinse, if desired. Close the door.

Turn the cycle selector knob to the desired time delay setting. Pull out the cycle selector knob. The timer will automatically advance to the Regular Cycle-Heavy Wash setting after the appropriate time has elapsed.

Perm Press Cycle

Up to 13 minutes of reversing tumble action for cottons and blends with a no-iron finish. Three rinses, 2 spins, a pause and a brief tumble complete the cycle. Select **Normal** or **Fast** Final Spin as desired for this cycle.

Delicates and Hand Washables Cycle

Up to 9 minutes of gentle tumble action for the gentle care of knit, delicate and hand washable items. Two rinses and 2 spins complete the cycle. Select **Normal** or **Fast** Final Spin as desired for this cycle.

Controls

Always follow instructions on fabric care labels.

Note: There is no need to select a water level because the washer automatically adjusts the water level to the type and size of wash load.

WASH/RINSETEMPERATURE-This determines water temperatures for washing and rinsing. For example, the Warm/Cold setting provides a warm water wash and a cold water final rinse. Warm/Warm setting available only in Regular cycle.

Note: Detergents are not as effective at wash water temperatures below 65°F (18.3°C).

The following chart suggests wash/rinse temperatures for basic fabric types.

Wash/Rinse

Fabric Type Heavily soiled white/colorfast cotton, perm press Normally soiled white/colorfast Warm/Cold cotton, perm press Lightly soiled/noncolorfast fabrics, knits, delicates, hand washables Warm/Cold Warm/Cold

CYCLE SIGNAL - A signal will sound at the end of the cycle.

EXTRA RINSE - Use Extra Rinse when additional rinsing is desired to remove excess dirt and detergent from heavily soiled loads.

- Select Extra Rinse YES to automatically include an extra rinse in the Regular or Perm Press cycle.
- Select Extra Rinse NO to conserve water when an extra rinse is not desired.

FINAL SPIN - There are two spin speed options available for the **Perm Press** and **Hand Washables** cycles.

- Normal is recommended for most loads, especially hand washables and items which may wrinkle easily.
- Fast provides a faster spin speed to increase water extraction and decrease drying time.

The following chart shows the speed selections available.

FINAL SPIN Cycle Normal Fast Regular* Fast Fast Perm Press Medium Fast Delicates/ Slow Medium Hand Washables

*The **Final Spin** in the **Regular** cycle is nonadjustable. Final spin speed in the **Regular** cycle is fast regardless of control setting.

DOOR LOCK INDICATOR LIGHT- The indicator light is on when the cycle selector knob is pulled out. The light turns off at the end of the cycle. See your Use and Care Guide for detailed information.