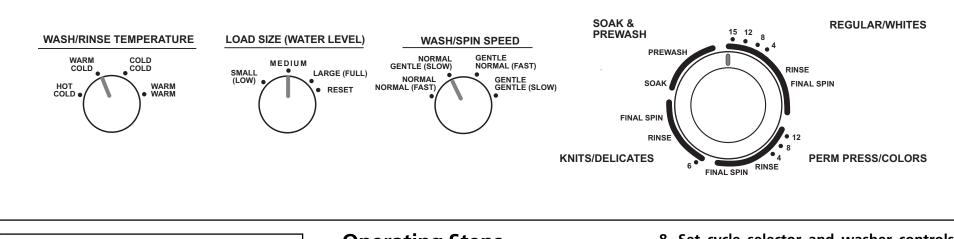
## **OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS**



#### Versión en español

Si desea obtener una copia en español de estas Instrucciones de Funcionamiento, sírvase escribir a la dirección que se incluye a continuación. Solicite la P/N 131920400.

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## **Before Operating Your Washer**

**Read your washer Owner's Guide.** It contains important safety and warranty information. It also contains many suggestions for obtaining the best results from your washer.

**WARNING** To reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, or injury to persons, read the IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS in your washer Owner's Guide before operating this appliance.

### **Operating Steps**

**Read Washing Procedures in your Owner's Guide.** It explains these operating steps in detail.

- **1.** Sort laundry into loads that can be washed together.
- 2. Prepare items for washing.
- 3. Pretreat stains and heavy soil.
- 4. Add the measured amount of detergent to wash tub.
- 5. If desired, add diluted liquid bleach to Bleach Dispenser.
- 6. Add laundry load to wash tub.
- 7. If desired, add liquid fabric softener to the Fabric Softener Dispenser.

- 8. Set cycle selector and washer controls according to type, size, and soil level of each load. See Control Settings Chart.
- 9. Close lid and pull cycle selector knob to start washer.
- **10.Remove items at end of cycle.** Wait about 1 minute for safety lid lock to release.

### **Cycle Selection**

Always follow instructions on fabric care labels.

The Regular/Whites, Perm Press/Colors and Knits/ Delicates cycles provide wash agitation as described below, followed by a deep rinse and a final spin at the selected water temperature and speeds.

#### **Regular/Whites Cycle**

The Regular/Whites cycle provides up to 15 minutes of wash agitation for most fabrics.

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### Cycle Selection (continued)

#### Perm Press/Colors Cycle

The Perm Press/Colors cycle provides up to 12 minutes of wash agitation for cottons and blends with a no-iron finish.

#### **Knits/Delicates Cycle**

The Knits/Delicates cycle provides up to 6 minutes of wash agitation for the gentle care of knit and delicate items.

### Soak & Prewash Cycle

- **Soak** The Soak setting can be used to treat heavily soiled or stained items. It provides 2 minutes of agitation and 12 minutes of soaking time, then advances to the Prewash portion of the cycle. Use the amount of detergent recommended for a normal wash cycle. For colorfast items, bleach or a soaking agent may also be used. Follow manufacturer's directions on the product label.
- **Prewash** When soaking is not necessary, the Prewash setting can be used alone to help remove protein-based stains such as milk, grass and blood and to help loosen soils before washing. During Prewash, the washer will agitate the load for 2 minutes, then drain, spin and shut off. Use the amount of detergent and other laundry products recommended for a normal wash cycle.

#### Note:

- The Soak water temperature is the same as the rinse water temperature selected; the Prewash water temperature is the same as the wash water temperature selected. To avoid setting protein stains, select cold water.
- Select wash/spin speeds appropriate for the items being soaked or prewashed.
- Soak and Prewash should always be followed by a complete wash cycle using the recommended amount of detergent.

### Controls

Always follow instructions on fabric care labels.

**WASH/RINSE TEMPERATURE** determines water temperatures for washing and rinsing.

**WASH/SPIN SPEED** determines speeds for the agitation and spin portions of each cycle.

**LOAD SIZE/WATER LEVEL** sets the amount of wash and rinse water for the wash load. Select a water level appropriate for the load size. There should be enough water for items to move freely.

• To increase water level after the wash cycle begins, turn the Load Size/Water Level control to Reset and hold. When water begins to enter the tub, turn the control to the desired setting.

# **Control Settings Chart**

Locate fabric type and read across guide for suggested wash and rinse temperatures, wash cycle and time setting. This is only a general guide. For best results, follow label directions on specific items to be washed.

Fabric Type	Temperature (Wash/Rinse)		Wash Cycle and Setting	Wash/Spin Speed
<b>REGULAR/WHITES</b> Heavily Soiled Colorfast & White Cotton & Linen	Hot	Cold	Regular - 15	Normal/Normal - Fast
Normally Soiled Colorfast & White Cotton & Linen	Warm	Cold	Regular - 8 to 12	Normal/Normal - Fast
Lightly Soiled Noncolorfast Bright Colors	Cold	Cold	Regular - 4 to 8	Normal/Normal - Fast
<b>PERM PRESS/COLO</b> White or Heavily Soiled	<b>RS</b> Hot or Warm	Cold	Perm Press - 8 to 12	Normal/Gentle - Slow
Colored or Lightly Soiled	Warm or Cold	Cold	Perm Press - 4 to 8	Normal/Gentle - Slow
KNITS/DELICATES Knitted Fabrics Delicates	Cold Cold	Cold Cold	Delicates - 6 Delicates - 6	Gentle/Normal - Fast Gentle/Gentle - Slow
Washable Woolens	Warm	Warm	Delicates - 6	Gentle/Normal - Fast