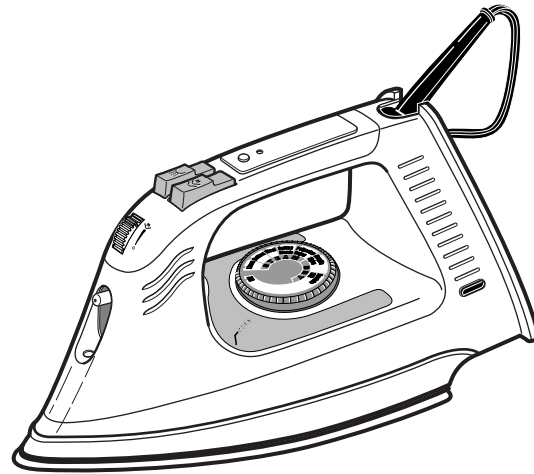


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**Use & Care for Steam Irons .....2**  
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## IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

When using your flatiron, basic safety precautions should always be followed, including the following:

### **READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE USING**

1. Use iron only for its intended use.
2. To protect against risk of electric shock, do not immerse the iron in water or other liquids.
3. The iron should always be turned to OFF before plugging or unplugging from outlet. Never yank cord to disconnect from outlet; instead, grasp plug and pull to disconnect.
4. Do not allow cord to touch hot surfaces. Let iron cool completely before putting away. Loop cord loosely around iron when storing.
5. Always disconnect iron from electrical outlet when filling with water or emptying and when not in use.
6. Do not operate iron with a damaged cord or if the iron has been dropped or damaged. To avoid the risk of electric shock, do not disassemble the iron. Call our toll-free customer service number for information on examination, repair or electrical or mechanical adjustment. Incorrect reassembly can cause a risk of electric shock when the iron is used.
7. Close supervision is necessary for any appliance being used by or near children. Do not leave iron unattended while connected or on an ironing board.
8. Burns can occur from touching hot metal parts, hot water, or steam. Use caution when you turn a steam iron upside down—there may be hot water in the reservoir.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

1. To avoid a circuit overload, do not operate another high wattage appliance on the same circuit.
2. If an extension cord is absolutely necessary, a 10-ampere cord should be used. Cords rated for less amperage may overheat. Care should be taken to arrange the cord so that it cannot be pulled or tripped over.

## SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS!

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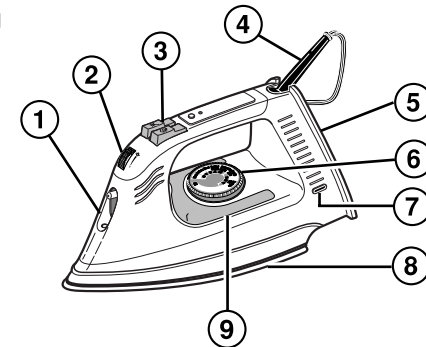
## Consumer Safety Information

**This product is intended for household use only.**

This appliance is equipped with a polarized plug. This type of plug has one blade wider than the other. The plug will fit into an electrical outlet only one way. This is a safety feature intended to help reduce the risk of electrical shock. If you are unable to insert the plug into the outlet, try reversing the plug. If the plug should still fail to fit, contact a qualified electrician to replace the obsolete outlet. Do not attempt to defeat the safety purpose of the polarized plug by modifying the plug in any way.

## Parts and Features

1. Water Tank Opening
2. Adjustable Steam Switch
3. Spray/Blast Buttons
4. Swivel Cord
5. Heel Rest
6. Temperature Control Dial
7. Power On Light
8. Soleplate
9. Water Window



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## Before First Use

- Steam vents should be cleaned before first use. Prepare iron for steam ironing, then iron over an old cloth for a few minutes while letting the iron steam.
- Many irons spit or sputter during the first few uses with tap water. This happens as the steam chamber becomes conditioned. This will stop after a few uses.
- During first use of the iron, it may appear to smoke. This will stop and does not indicate a defect or hazard.

## To Dry Iron

1. Set Adjustable Steam Switch to **0** or empty water tank.
2. Turn Temperature Control Dial to desired temperature.  
Allow two minutes for iron to reach desired temperature.


## To Steam Iron

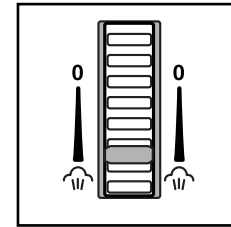
1. Unplug iron. Using a cup, slowly pour 4 ounces ( $\frac{1}{2}$  cup) of tap water into water tank opening. Plug iron into outlet.
2. Set Adjustable Steam Switch to STEAM.
3. Turn Temperature Control Dial to desired fabric setting in steam range. Allow two minutes for the iron to reach desired temperature.

**Water:** Please use ordinary tap water. If you have extremely hard water, alternate between tap water and distilled water for use in the iron.

## Features (not all features on all models)

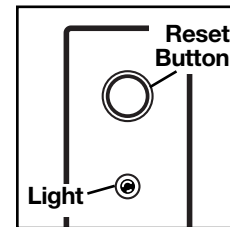
### Adjustable Steam Switch

This switch provides continuous steam in the STEAM  position. Push the switch to **0** to change to dry iron.



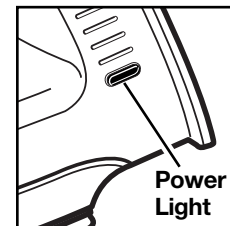
### Auto Shutoff Reset Button/Light

The light comes on when the iron is first plugged in even if Temperature Control Dial is set at Off. The light indicates that the iron is plugged in. After **one hour**, the iron will shut off and the light will blink. Push the Reset Button to turn the iron back on.



### Power On Light

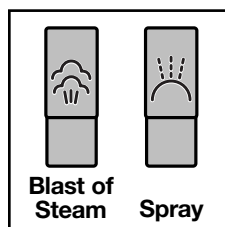
This light comes on when the iron is plugged in and remains on until the iron is unplugged. The light stays on even if Temperature Control Dial is turned to Off.



## Features (not all features on all models)

### Spray and Blast of Steam Buttons

Push spray button to release a fine spray of water for difficult wrinkles in cotton or linen. Push blast button for an extra blast of steam.



### Fabric/Setting Chart

	Setting	To Iron	Ironing Instructions
	<b>0</b>	Off	
Dry Iron	<b>1</b>	Acetate, Silk	Dry iron on the wrong side of the fabric.
	<b>2</b>	Acrylic, Nylon	Dry iron using spray if necessary.
Steam Range	<b>3</b>	Polyester, Rayon	For polyester, dry iron while the fabric is still damp.
	<b>4</b>	Cotton Blends	Iron using steam or spray for difficult wrinkles.
	<b>5</b>	Wool	For wool, use a press cloth and steam iron on the wrong side.
	<b>6</b>	Cotton	Iron cottons while still damp, using steam and/or spray.
	<b>7</b>	Linen	Iron on wrong side of fabric while still damp.

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## Caring for Your Iron

### Iron

1. Turn temperature control dial to Off. Unplug and let cool. The iron takes longer to cool down than it does to heat up.
2. To empty water from iron, slowly tilt pointed end of iron down over a sink. Water will run out of water tank opening.
3. Wrap cord loosely around iron and store iron in an upright position. Do not store iron laying flat on soleplate.

### Soleplate

1. Never iron over zippers, pins, metal rivets, or snaps, as these may scratch the soleplate.
2. To clean occasional build-up on the soleplate, wipe with a sudsy cloth. Do not use abrasive cleansers or metal scouring pads.
3. Always store iron upright in the heel rest position.

## Troubleshooting

### Won't heat.

- Is the iron plugged in and the outlet working? Check the outlet by plugging in a lamp.
- Is the Temperature Control Dial turned to a fabric setting?
- If auto shutoff model, is the Automatic Shutoff Light blinking? If so, push Reset Button to reset.

### Water is leaking.

- Do not overfill the water tank.
- If steam ironing, is the Temperature Control Dial in the steam range and did the iron have enough time to preheat?
- If dry ironing, make sure the Adjustable Steam Switch is in the **0**, dry iron position.

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## Troubleshooting (continued)

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### Won't steam.

- Check the water level.
- Is the Adjustable Steam Switch in the STEAM position?
- Has the iron had enough time to preheat?

### Leaves spots.

- ALWAYS empty the water tank of the iron after using. Water left in the tank may discolor clothing and soleplate.

#### LIMITED WARRANTY

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