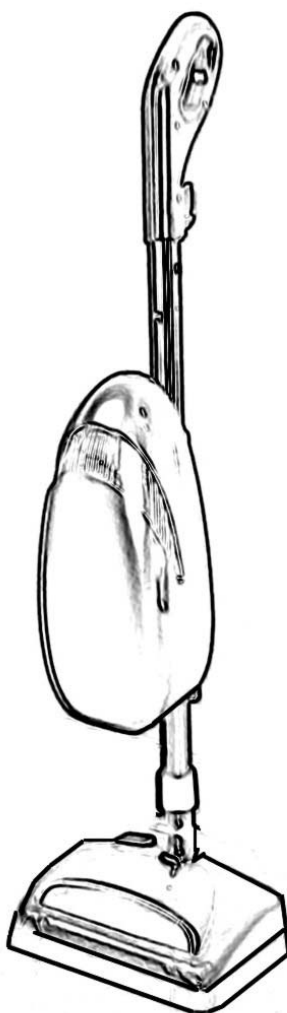


# **EURO-PRO**

## ***Ultra Lightweight Upright Vacuum***

**Model EP700**

### **Use and Care Instructions**



For information or assistance:

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# IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

When using an electrical appliance, basic safety precautions should always be observed, including the following:

## **READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE USING YOUR VACUUM CLEANER.**

**WARNING:** To reduce the risk of fire, electrical shock, or injury:

1. Do not leave vacuum cleaner unattended when it is plugged in. Unplug from outlet when not in use and before changing bags or filters.
2. To reduce the risk of electric shock – do not use outdoors or on wet surfaces.
3. Do not allow children to use as a toy. Close attention is necessary when used by or near children.
4. Use only as described in this manual. Use only manufacturer's recommended attachments.
5. Do not use with damaged cord or plug. Do not use vacuum cleaner if it has been dropped, damaged, left outdoors, or dropped into water. Return appliance to **EURO-PRO** Corporation for examination, repair or adjustment.
6. Do not pull or carry by cord. Do not use cord as a handle, close a door on cord, or pull cord around sharp edges or corners. Do not run appliance over cord. Keep cord away from heated surfaces.
7. Do not unplug by pulling on cord. To unplug, grasp the plug, not the cord.
8. Do not handle plug or vacuum cleaner with wet hands. Do not use outdoors or on wet surfaces.
9. Do not put any objects into openings. Do not use with any opening blocked and do not restrict airflow. Keep all openings free of dust, lint, hair, and anything that may reduce airflow.
10. Keep hair, loose clothing, fingers, and all parts of body away from openings and moving parts.
11. Do not pick up hot coals, cigarette butts, matches or any hot, smoking, or burning objects.
12. Do not pick up hard or sharp objects such as glass, nails, screws, coins, etc.
13. Do not use without dust bag and/or filters in place.
14. Turn off all controls before plugging or unplugging vacuum cleaner.
15. Use extra care when vacuuming on stairs.
16. Do not pick up flammable or combustible materials (lighter fluid, gasoline, kerosene, etc.) or use in the presence of explosive liquids or vapor.
17. Do not pick up toxic material (chlorine bleach, ammonia, drain cleaner, etc.).
18. Do not use in an enclosed space filled with vapors given off by oil based paints, paint thinner, moth proofing substances, flammable dust, or other explosive or toxic vapors.
19. Use only on dry, indoor surfaces.
20. Do not use for any purpose other than described in this user's guide.

## **IMPORTANT NOTICE**

This appliance has a polarized plug (one blade is wider than the other). To reduce the risk of electric shock, this plug will fit in a polarized outlet only one way. If the plug does not fit fully in the outlet, reverse the plug. If it still does not fit, contact a qualified electrician. Do not modify the plug in any way.

**SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS  
FOR HOUSEHOLD USE ONLY**

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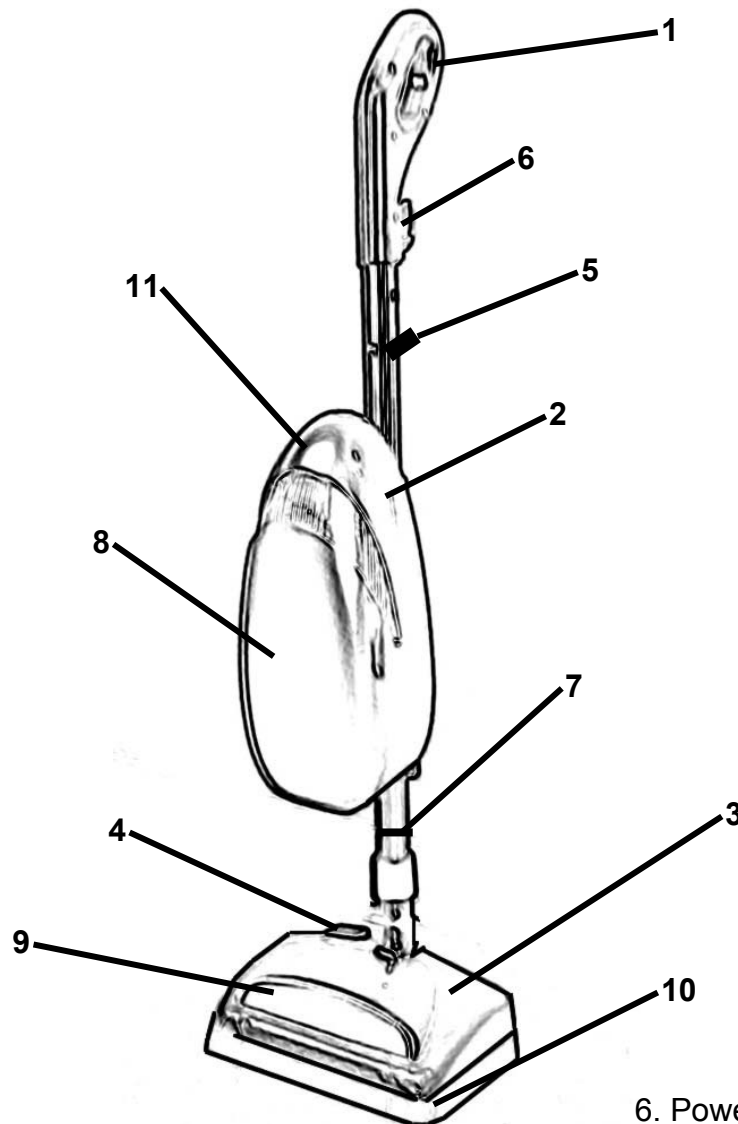


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120 V~, 60 Hz., 3.3 A.

### Main Components



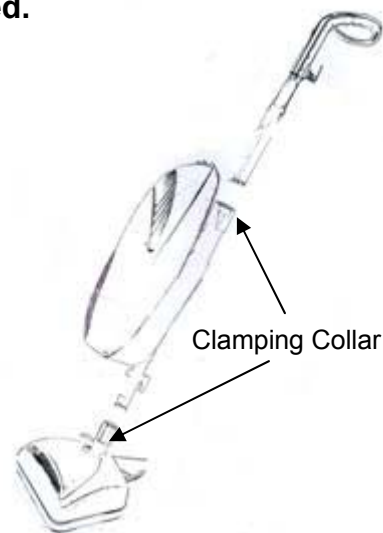
1. Handle Assembly
2. Middle Hard-shell Body Section
3. Vacuum Cleaner Power Nozzle
4. On/off Foot Switch
5. Power Cord

6. Power Cord Storage Hooks
7. Power Cord Guide Clips
8. Hard-shell Body Cover
9. Light Bulb Lens Cover
10. Power Nozzle Bumper
11. Cover Latch

## Assembling Your Vacuum Cleaner

**Warning: Do not plug in vacuum unit until it is fully assembled.**

1. Carefully unpack all components, set aside packaging.
2. Place power nozzle section on a flat surface, loosen clamping collar. Make sure that the power nozzle elbow is in the vertical and locked position.
3. Take the middle body section and insert the tapered end of the dirt tube into the top opening of the power nozzle elbow. Clamp in place by turning the locking collar clockwise. (Do not over-tighten.)
4. To assemble the handle, align the handle tube with the locking collar on the upper middle body section. Insert the tube until it is bottomed and then turn locking collar clockwise until secure. (Do not over-tighten.)



## Power Cord

Unwrap power cord and push lower cord guide clip (7) onto dust tube just behind exhaust grill. Take extra cord guide clip (7) and push onto top handle section. Wrap power cord using cord storage hooks (6). Upper cord storage hook (6) swivels to make it easy to unwrap cord before using vacuum cleaner.

## Operation

### 1. Release Power Cord:

The upper cord storage hook (6) has a quick release action. To release cord, rotate the hook downward and the entire power cord will drop off the hook for immediate use.

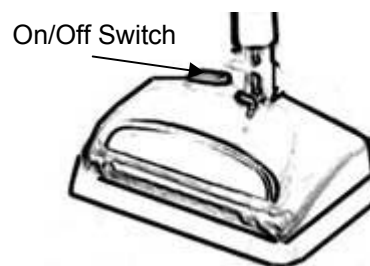
### To Store Cord:

Return the cord hook (6) to the upright position before rewinding the cord. Unplug from wall outlet by grasping the plug and pulling, then rewind cord using upper and lower cord storage hooks.

### 2. Turn Vacuum On and Off:

To start the vacuum cleaner, push (step on) the switch (4) on top right side of the power nozzle (3).

To stop the vacuum cleaner, push (step on) switch again.



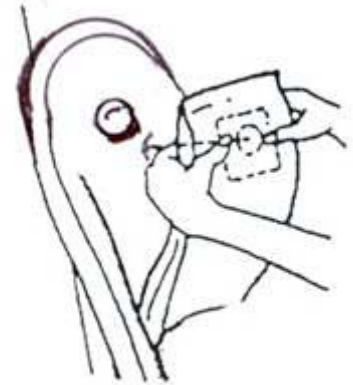
## Maintenance & Care

For best cleaning results, the dust bag should be changed often. The use of powder carpet fresheners can decrease the effectiveness of the dust bag filtering system by clogging the bag and not allowing air to flow through properly. We recommend that hard objects, pins, broken glass, paper clips, etc. be picked up from the floor before vacuuming. Although, your vacuum will pick them up, they could do severe damage to the vacuum.

Use genuine EURO-PRO dust bags, belts and filters only, to insure top performance from your vacuum.

### 1. Changing the Dust Bag:

- A) Unplug cord from wall outlet.
- B) Pull hard-shell body cover (8) off by releasing the latch (11) on top of the cover.
- C) Remove the old dust bag by holding the cardboard support and pull towards you from the bottom first and next from the top. Remove carefully to avoid dust/dirt spilling from dust bag.
- D) Take a new dust bag and while holding the cardboard support push the bag over the opening of the dirt discharge tube until it is seated against the rear of the enclosure.
- E) Make sure that the entire bag is inside the hard-shell housing, before closing outer cover. Always check the filter every time you change the dust bag.
- F) Once the new dust bag is in place, re-close the hard shell front cover by aligning the bottom locking tab with the slot in the body, close cover slowly allowing the mid locks to engage, then snap top in place. The latch will self lock.

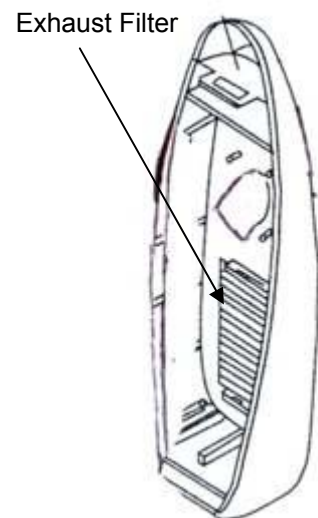


### 2. Changing the Filter:

- A) This is best done while changing the dust bag.
- B) Follow instructions for changing the dust bag. Once dust bag has been removed, peel off exhaust filter, located behind the dust bag on unit body.
- C) The filter is held in place by Velcro strips and is easily removed and replaced for cleaning.
- D) To clean filter rinse in warm, soapy water. Filter must be completely dry before re-installing into your vacuum. To re-install, press filter back onto Velcro strips.

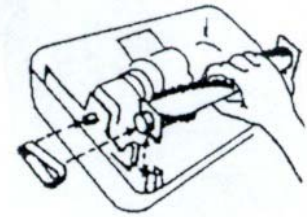
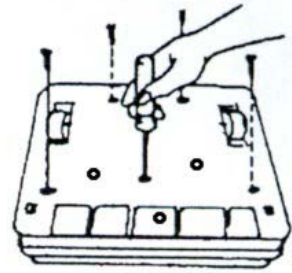
**NOTE: DO NOT OPERATE VACUUM WITHOUT FILTER IN PLACE.**

- E) Once filter has been replaced, follow instructions for installing dust bag and closing front hard shell cover.



### 3. Changing the Power Nozzle Belt:

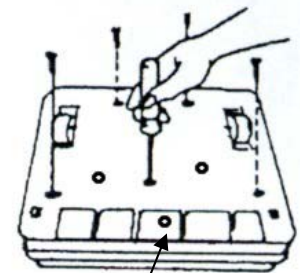
- A) Occasionally the power nozzle drive belt will require changing, the frequency will depend upon the amount of use your vacuum sees.
- B) Turn unit "Off" and unplug from wall outlet. Lower handle until it is flat on the floor. Turn unit over so that power nozzle base faces up.
- C) Use a Phillips screwdriver and remove all seven (7) screws from the power nozzle base.
- D) Lift off power nozzle base being careful not to remove the bumper.
- E) If the belt has broken, remove any loose pieces before replacing.
- F) Grasp the beater bar at either end and lift straight up.
- G) Place one end of new belt over motor shaft and the other on the round pulley end of the beater bar.
- H) Align the rubber supports at the ends of the beater bar, with the slots in the power nozzle. Push into place. Ensure that the cut-outs on the rubber supports face upwards.
- I) Re-install the power nozzle base and seven (7) screws.



### 4. Changing the Power Nozzle Light:

Should the long life power nozzle bulbs burn out, they can be changed in the following manner:

- A) Unplug unit from wall outlet.
- B) Remove power nozzle base (follow instructions for changing the drive belt). Do not remove the drive belt or beater bar when only changing the light bulbs.
- C) Once the power nozzle base has been removed, remove the Phillips screw at the center of the base adjacent to the beater bar.
- D) The light housing on the power nozzle top cover may now be removed allowing access to the light bulbs.
- E) Pull the burnt bulb out of socket and replace in the same manner with a new bulb.
- F) Reassemble unit by reversing steps B, C & D being careful not to pinch internal wiring and ensure that the light lens is correctly seated.



Screw for light



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TO ORDER REPLACEMENT BAGS, FILTERS, BELTS OR LIGHTS BULBS  
for Model EP700

Or for Customer Service:

Call **EURO-PRO** Customer Service:

In U.S.: 800-798-7398 or 514-842-8691

Monday to Friday 8:30 A.M. - 5:00 P.M. Eastern Standard Time

**Please Note:**

The Exhaust Filter is washable.

**Important:**

Make sure that the Filter is **completely** dry before inserting back in the vacuum.



### THREE (3) YEAR LIMITED WARRANTY

**EURO-PRO** CORPORATION warrants this product to be free from defects in material and workmanship for a period of three (3) years from the date of the original purchase, when utilized for normal household use, subject to the following conditions, exclusions and exceptions.

If your appliance fails to operate properly while in use under normal household conditions within the warranty period, return the complete appliance and accessories, freight prepaid to

In US: **EURO-PRO** Corporation, 178 West Service Rd., Champlain, N.Y. 12919

If the appliance is found by **EURO-PRO** to be defective in material or workmanship, **EURO-PRO** will repair or replace it free of charge. Proof of purchase date and \$19.95 to cover the cost of return shipping and handling must be included. \*

Non-durable parts including, without limitation, dust cup filters, filters, brushes and electrical parts which normally require replacement are specifically excluded from warranty.

The liability of **EURO-PRO** Corporation is limited solely to the cost of the repair or replacement of the unit at our option. This warranty does not cover normal wear of parts and does not apply to any unit that has been tampered with or used for commercial purposes. This limited warranty does not cover damage caused by misuse, abuse, negligent handling or damage due to faulty packaging or mishandling in transit. This warranty does not cover damage or defects caused by or resulting from damages from shipping or repairs, service or alterations to the product or any of its parts, which have been performed by a repair person not authorized by **EURO-PRO**.

This warranty is extended to the original purchaser of the unit and excludes all other legal and/or conventional warranties. The responsibility of **EURO-PRO** Corporation if any, is limited to the specific obligations expressly assumed by it under the terms of the limited warranty. **In no event** is **EURO-PRO** Corporation liable for incidental or consequential damages of any nature whatsoever. Some states do not permit the exclusion or limitation of incidental or consequential damages, so the above may not apply to you.

This warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may also have other rights which vary from state to state.

**\*Important: Carefully pack item to avoid damage in shipping. Be sure to include proof of purchase date and to attach tag to item before packing with your name, complete address and phone number with a note giving purchase information, model number and what you believe is the problem with item. We recommend you insure the package (as damage in shipping is not covered by your warranty). Mark the outside of your package "ATTENTION CUSTOMER SERVICE".**



### OWNERSHIP REGISTRATION CARD

Please fill out and mail the product registration card within ten (10) days of purchase in order to validate the foregoing Limited Warranty. The registration will enable us to contact you in the unlikely event of a product safety notification. By returning this card you acknowledge to have read and understood the instructions for use, and warnings set forth in the accompanying instructions.

RETURN TO **EURO-PRO** CORPORATION, 178 WEST SERVICE RD., CHAMPLAIN, N.Y. 12919

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