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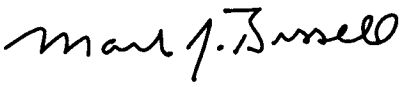
Thanks for buying a BISSELL Vacuum

We're glad you purchased a BISSELL vacuum. Everything we know about floor care went into the design and construction of this complete, high-tech home cleaning system.

Your BISSELL vacuum is well made, and we back it with a limited one year warranty. We also stand behind it with a knowledgeable, dedicated Consumer Services department, so, should you ever have a problem, you'll receive fast, considerate assistance.

My great-grandfather invented the floor sweeper in 1876. Today, BISSELL is a global leader in the design, manufacture, and service of high quality homecare products like your BISSELL vacuum.

Thanks again, from all of us at BISSELL.



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IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

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

READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE USING YOUR UPRIGHT VACUUM.

Always connect to a polarized outlet (left slot is wider than right). Unplug from outlet when not in use and before conducting maintenance.

⚠ WARNING: To reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, or injury:

- Do not modify the polarized plug to fit a non-polarized outlet or extension cord.
- Do not leave vacuum cleaner unattended when it is plugged in.
- Unplug from outlet when not in use and before servicing.
- Do not use outdoors or on wet surfaces.
- Do not allow children to operate vacuum cleaner or use as a toy.
- Close attention is necessary when used by or near children.
- Do not use for any purpose other than described in this User's Guide.
- Use only manufacturer's recommended attachments.
- Do not use with damaged cord or plug.
- If appliance is not working as it should, has been dropped, damaged, left outdoors, or dropped into water, have it repaired at an authorized service center.
- Do not pull or carry by cord, 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.
- Do not unplug by pulling on cord. To unplug, grasp the plug, not the cord.
- Do not handle vacuum cleaner or plug with wet hands.
- Do not put any object into openings. Do not use with any opening blocked; keep openings free of dust, lint, hair, and anything that may reduce air flow.
- Keep hair, loose clothing, fingers, and all parts of body away from openings and moving parts.
- Turn off all controls before plugging or unplugging vacuum cleaner.
- Use extra care when cleaning stairs.
- Do not pick up flammable materials (lighter fluid, gasoline, kerosene, etc.) or use in the presence of explosive liquids or vapors.
- Do not pick up toxic material (chlorine bleach, ammonia, drain cleaner, etc.).
- Do not use vacuum cleaner in an enclosed space filled with vapors given off by oil base paint, paint thinner, some moth proofing substances, flammable dust, or other explosive or toxic vapors.
- Do not pick up hard or sharp objects such as glass, nails, screws, coins, etc.
- Do not pick up anything that is burning or smoking, such as cigarettes, matches, or hot ashes.
- Do not use without filters in place.
- Use only on dry, indoor surfaces.
- Keep appliance on a level surface.

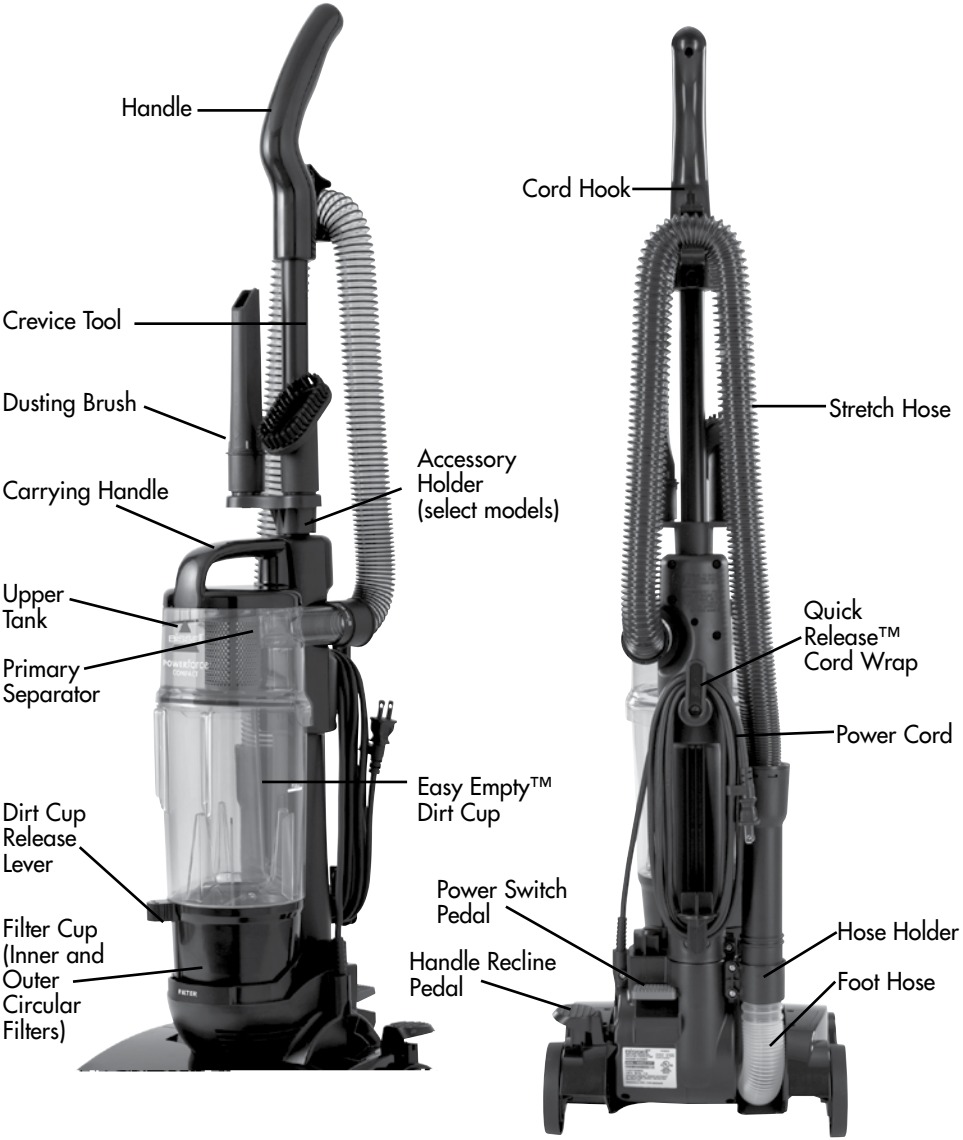
SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS FOR FUTURE USE

THIS APPLIANCE HAS A POLARIZED PLUG.

To reduce the risk of electric shock, this appliance has a polarized plug (one blade is wider than the other). 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 to install a proper outlet. Do not change the plug in any way.

This model is for household use only.

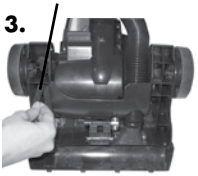
Product view

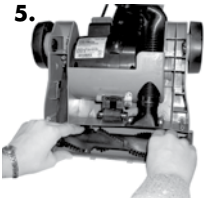


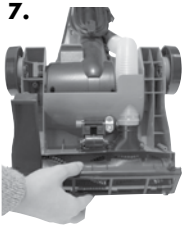
Maintenance and care

Replace drive belt

1. Follow steps 1-4 of previous section, "Clean and replace rotating floor brush".
2. Check drive belt carefully for wear, cuts and stressed areas. If the drive belt appears worn, you will need to replace it.
3. Grasp old drive belt and remove from motor shaft. Discard old drive belt.
4. Loop new drive belt over motor shaft and stretch other end over floor brush in the space provided between the bristles.
5. Place ends of floor brush down into slots on sides as shown.
6. Turn floor brush by hand several times in the direction of the motor shaft. If properly installed, drive belt will align itself on floor brush.
7. Replace brush cover and five screws.



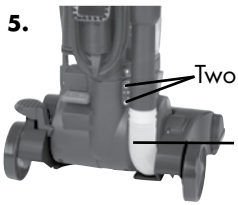




Cleaning stretch hose and foot hose

1. Locate the stretch hose where it connects to the dirt cup on the back of the vacuum.
2. Rotate hose downward toward unlock position and pull out to release hose from the holder.
3. Look to see if there is any debris in the hose. Clean as necessary.
4. Locate the clear foot hose under the hose holder.
5. Remove the two screws located to the left of the hose.
6. Check for any debris in the hose.
7. Use a long narrow object such as a broomstick to clean the hose. Remove clogs or debris.
8. Replace two screws to attach foot hose. Replace stretch hose by sliding over inlet and rotating upwards towards the lock position.

   ***Note: If the debris cannot be reached through the hose, then follow the instructions for cleaning the air passageway in the "Clean and replace rotating floor brush" section.**



⚠CAUTION:
Do not use sharp objects, such as a hanger, to remove clogs.

Troubleshooting

⚠ WARNING: To reduce the risk of electric shock, turn power OFF and disconnect plug from electrical outlet before performing maintenance or troubleshooting.

Vacuum cleaner won't run

Possible causes	Remedies
1. Vacuum cleaner is not plugged in	1. Check electrical plug
2. Blown fuse/tripped breaker	2. Check/replace fuse or reset breaker

Vacuum cleaner won't pick up dirt

Possible causes	Remedies
1. Dirt cup is full	1. Empty dirt cup
2. Filter dirty	2. Check, remove debris or clean
3. Hose not secure	3. Check to be sure hose is snapped into place at both ends
4. Dirt cup not in place	4. Make sure dirt cup is fully inserted and dirt cup release handle is pushed in completely
5. Vacuum path clogged	5. Visually check air passageway, hose inlet, and hose for anything that might be obstructing. the vacuum path. Carefully remove blockage
6. Rotating power brush drive belt broken	6. Replace drive belt
7. Drive belt stretched	7. Check drive belt area and remove obstructions Replace drive belt if necessary
8. Floor brush bristles worn	8. Replace floor brush
9. Floor brush jammed	9. Remove floor brush and clean debris from brush and ends Check drive belt for any damage

Other maintenance or service not included in the manual should be performed by an authorized service representative.

Thank you for selecting a BISSELL product.

Please do not return this product to the store.

For any questions or concerns, BISSELL is happy to be of service. Contact us directly at 1-800-237-7691.

Replacement parts - BISSELL Easy Vac® and PowerForce® Compact vacuum

Item	Part No.	Part Name
1	203-7592	Dirt Cup
2	203-7034	Drive Belt
3	203-7627	Floor Brush
4	203-7593	Inner & Outer Circular Filter Set
5	203-7943	Crevice Tool
6	203-7882	Dusting/Upholstery Tool (select models)
7	203-7596	Vacuum Hose Replacement
8	203-8163	Cord Wrap
9	203-8123	Replacement Handle with Accessory Holder

Warranty - BISSELL Easy Vac® and PowerForce® Compact vacuum

This warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may also have other rights which may vary from state to state. If you need additional instruction regarding this warranty or have questions regarding what it may cover, please contact BISSELL Consumer Services by E-mail, telephone, or regular mail as described below.

Limited One Year Warranty

Subject to the *EXCEPTIONS AND EXCLUSIONS identified below, upon receipt of the product BISSELL will repair or replace (with new or remanufactured components or products), at BISSELL's option, free of charge from the date of purchase by the original purchaser, for one year any defective or malfunctioning part.

See information below on "If your BISSELL product should require service".

This warranty applies to product used for personal, and not commercial or rental service. This warranty does not apply to fans or routine maintenance components such as filters, belts, or brushes. Damage or malfunction caused by negligence, abuse, neglect, unauthorized repair, or any other use not in accordance with the User's Guide is not covered.

If your BISSELL product should require service:

Contact BISSELL Consumer Services to locate a BISSELL Authorized Service Center in your area.

If you need information about repairs or replacement parts, or if you have questions about your warranty, contact BISSELL Consumer Services.

Website or E-mail:
www.bissell.com
Use the "Customer Services" tab.

Or Call:
BISSELL Consumer Services
1-800-237-7691
Monday – Friday 8 am - 10 pm ET
Saturday 9 am - 8 pm ET

Or Write:
BISSELL Homecare, Inc.
PO Box 3606
Grand Rapids, MI 49501
ATTN: Consumer Services

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Some states do not allow limitations on how long an implied warranty last so the above limitation may not apply to you.

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Automatically earn points for discounts and free shipping on future purchases.

Faster Service
Supplying your information now saves you time should you need to contact us with questions regarding your product.

Product Support Reminders and Alerts
We'll contact you with any important product maintenance reminders and alerts.

Special Promotions
Optional: Register your email to receive notice of offers, contests, cleaning tips and more!

Visit www.bissell.com/registration now!

BISSELL consumer services

For information about repairs or replacement parts, or questions about your warranty, call:

BISSELL Consumer Services
1-800-237-7691

Monday – Friday 8 am - 10 pm ET
Saturday 9 am - 8 pm ET

Or write:
BISSELL Homecare, Inc.
PO Box 3606
Grand Rapids MI 49501
ATTN: Consumer Services

Or visit the BISSELL website - **www.bissell.com**

When contacting BISSELL, have model number of cleaner available.
Please record your Model Number: _____
Please record your Purchase Date: _____

NOTE: Please keep your original sales receipt. It provides proof of purchase date in the event of a warranty claim. See Warranty on page 15 for details.

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