Owner's Manual
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Kenmore®

Vacuum Cleaner
Aspiradora

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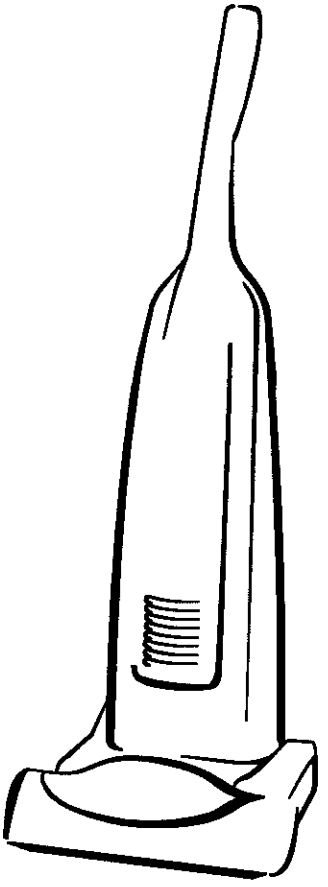

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CAUTION:
Read and follow all safety and operating instructions before first use of this product.

CUIDADO:
Lea y sigue todas las instrucciones de operación y seguridad antes del uso de este producto.

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BEFORE USING YOUR NEW VACUUM CLEANER

Please read this guide. It will help you assemble and operate your new Kenmore vacuum cleaner in the safest and most effective way.

For more information about vacuum cleaner care and operation, call your nearest Sears store. You will need the complete model and serial numbers when requesting information. Your vacuum cleaner's model and serial number are located on the Model and Serial Number Plate.

Use the space below to record the model number and serial number of your new Kenmore vacuum cleaner.

Model No._____

Serial No. _____

Date of Purchase _____

Keep this book and your sales check (receipt) in a safe place for future reference.

KENMORE VACUUM CLEANER WARRANTY

LIMITED ONE YEAR WARRANTY ON KENMORE VACUUM CLEANER

This warranty is for one year from the date of purchase, and includes only private household vacuum cleaner use. During the warranty year, when this vacuum cleaner is operated and maintained according to the owner's manual instructions, Sears will repair any defects in material or workmanship free of charge.

This warranty excludes vacuum cleaner bags, belts, light bulbs, and filters, which are expendable parts and become worn during normal use.

For warranty service, return this vacuum cleaner to the nearest Sears Service Center in the United States.

This warranty applies only while this product is in use in the United States. This warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may also have other rights which vary from state to state.

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IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

WARNING:

Your safety is important to us. To reduce the risk of fire, electrical shock, injury to persons or damage when using your vacuum cleaner, follow basic safety precautions including the following:

Read all instructions in this manual before assembling or using your vacuum cleaner.

Use your vacuum cleaner only as described in this manual. Use only with Sears recommended attachments.

Disconnect electrical supply before performing maintenance to the brush area. Failure to do so could result in electrical shock or the brush suddenly starting.

Do not leave vacuum cleaner when plugged in. Unplug from outlet when not in use and before preforming maintenance.

To reduce the risk of electrical shock - Do not use outdoors or on wet surfaces.

Do not allow to be used as a toy. Close attention is necessary when used by or near children.

Do not use with a damaged cord or plug. If vacuum cleaner is not working as it should, has been dropped, damaged, left outdoors, or dropped in water, return it to a Sears 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 vacuum cleaner 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 plug or vacuum cleaner with wet hands.

Do not put any objects into openings.

Do not use with any opening blocked; keep 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 unplugging.

Do not rest vacuum cleaner on steps.

Do not put on chairs, tables, etc. Keep on floor.

Do not use vacuum cleaner to pick up flammable or combustible liquids (gasoline, cleaning fluid, perfumes, etc.), or use in areas where they may be present. The fumes from these substances can create a fire hazard or explosion.

Do not pick up anything that is burning or smoking, such as cigarettes, matches, or hot ashes.

Do not use vacuum cleaner without dust bag and/or filters in place.

Always change the dust bag after vacuuming carpet cleaners or freshener, powders, and fine dust. These products clog the bag, reduce airflow and can cause the bag to burst. Failure to change the bag promptly could cause permanent damage to the cleaner.

Do not use the vacuum cleaner to pick up sharp hard objects, small toys, pins, paper clips, etc. They may damage the cleaner or dust bag.

Do not operate vacuum cleaner without the belt access door properly installed (if applicable).

The hose contains electrical wires. Do not use when damaged, cut, or punctured. **Do Not** pick up sharp objects.

Always turn off and unplug the vacuum cleaner before connecting or disconnecting either hose, Handi-mate Jr. (if applicable) or Power-mate Jr. nozzle.

You are responsible for making sure that your vacuum cleaner is not used by anyone unable to operate it properly.

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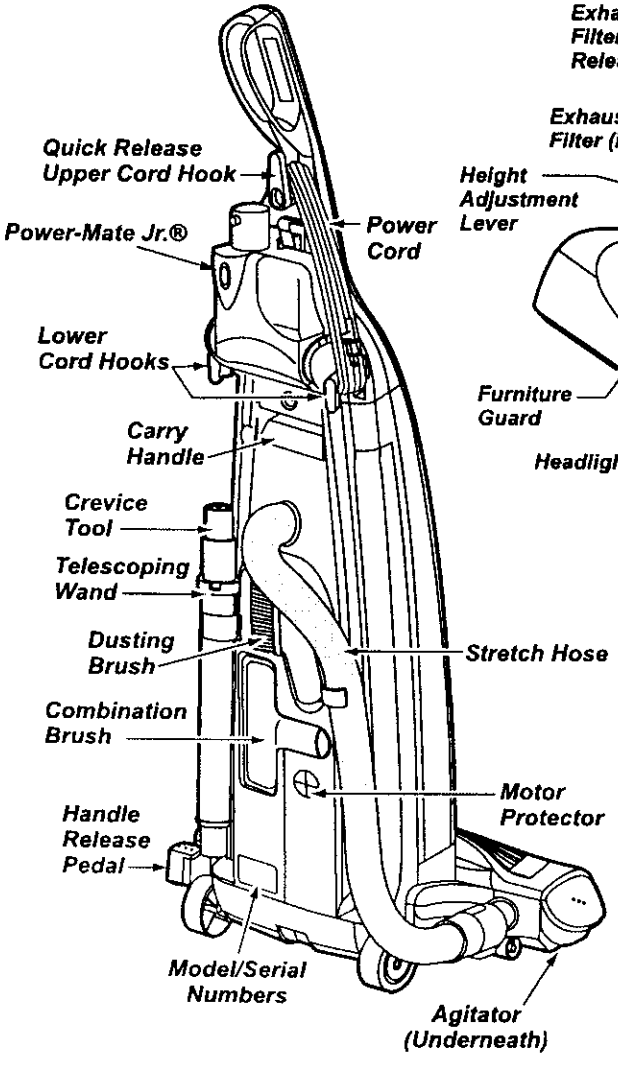
SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

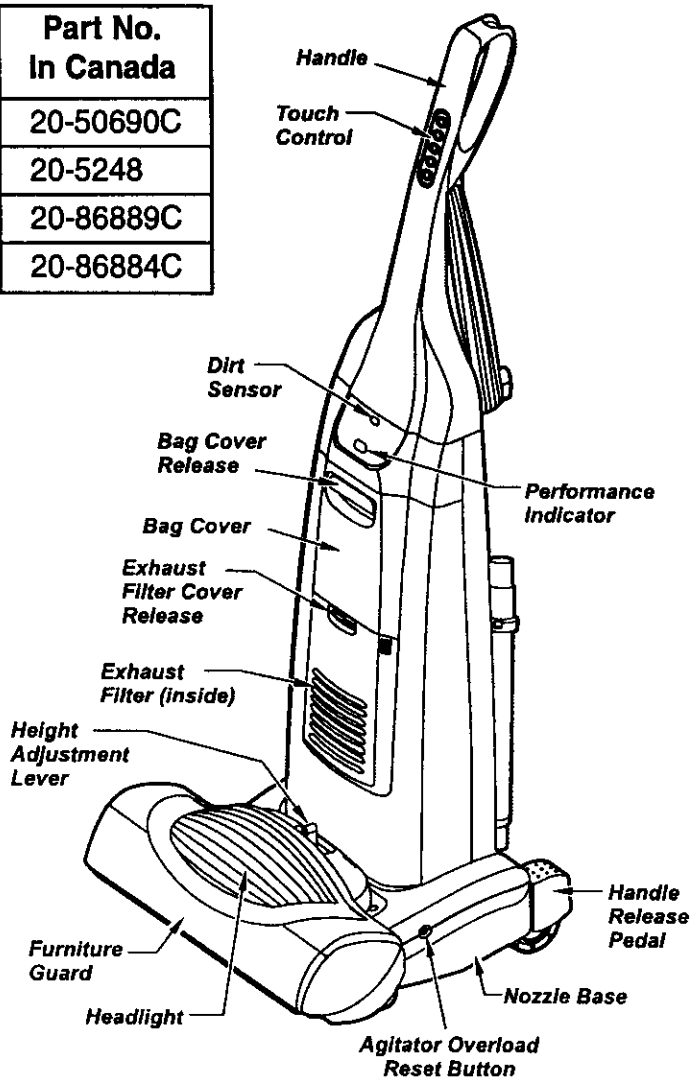
Proper assembly and safe use of your vacuum cleaner are your responsibilities. Your vacuum cleaner is intended for **Household use**. Read this Owner's Manual carefully for important use and safety information. This guide contains safety statements under warning and caution symbols.

PARTS AND FEATURES

It is important to know your vacuum cleaner's parts and features to assure its proper and safe use. Review these before using your vacuum cleaner.

Item	Part No. In U.S.	Part No. In Canada
Dust Bag	20-50690	20-50690C
Headlight Bulb	20-5248	20-5248
Exhaust Filter	20-86889	20-86889C
Motor Safety Filter	20-86884	20-86884C





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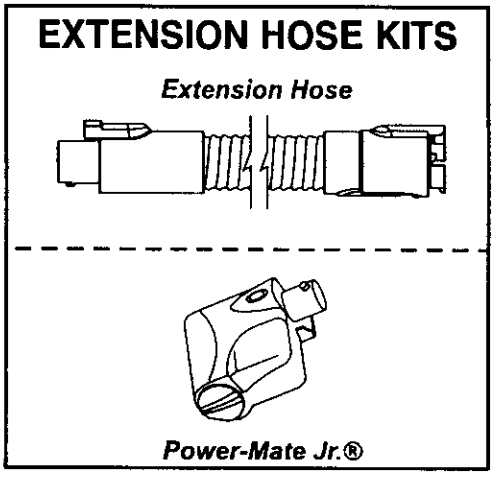


Please pay special attention to these hazard alert boxes, and follow any instructions given. **WARNING** statements alert you to such dangers as fire, electric shock, burns and personal injury. **CAUTION** statements alert you to such dangerous personal injury and/or property damage.

ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS

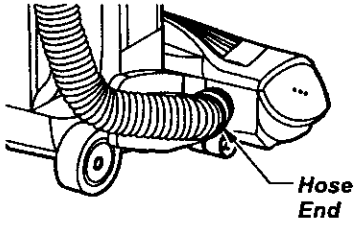
WARNING

Electrical Shock Hazard

Do not plug into the electrical supply until the assembly is complete. Failure to do so could result in electrical shock or injury.

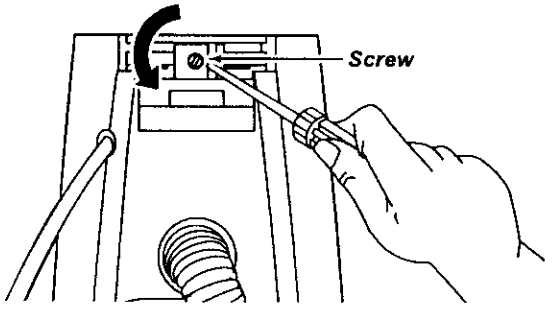
Before assembling the vacuum cleaner, check the **PACKING LIST** on the cover of the separate **REPAIR PARTS LIST**. Use this list to verify that you have received all the components of your new Kenmore vacuum cleaner.

Attach stretch hose end to nozzle until hose end locks into place.



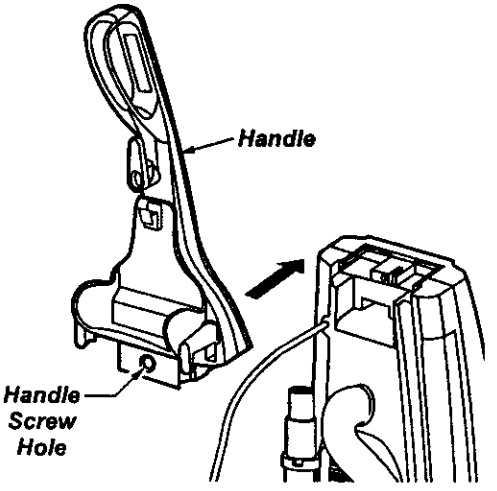
HANDLE ASSEMBLY

Remove the screw located just below the top edge of the back of the vacuum cleaner.

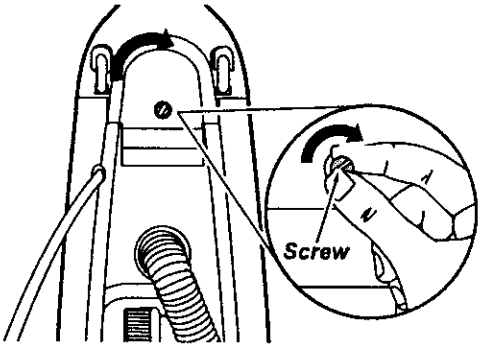


Position the handle as shown in the illustration above right.

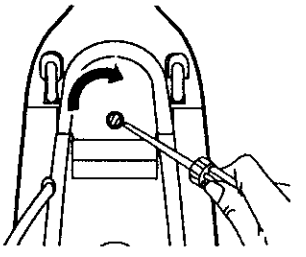
Slide the handle into the opening at the top of the vacuum cleaner.



Insert the screw so it passes through the handle into the vacuum cleaner.



Begin to tighten the screw with your fingers. It may be necessary to adjust the handle slightly.



Using a screwdriver, tighten the screw.

CAUTION

Do not overtighten.

Overtightening could strip the screw holes.

Do not operate the vacuum cleaner without the screw in place.

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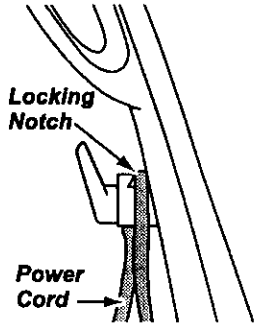
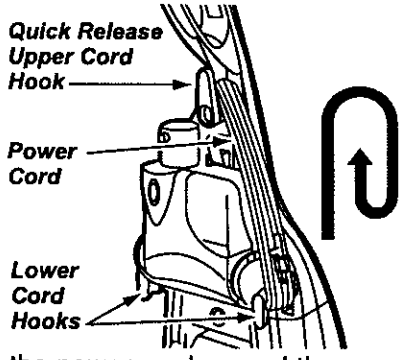
CORD ASSEMBLY

Make sure the quick release upper cord hook is in the upright position. Remove the wire tie from the power cord.

Lock the power cord into the locking notch base by pressing it into the quick release upper cord hook as shown. This helps keep the power cord out from under the vacuum cleaner agitator.

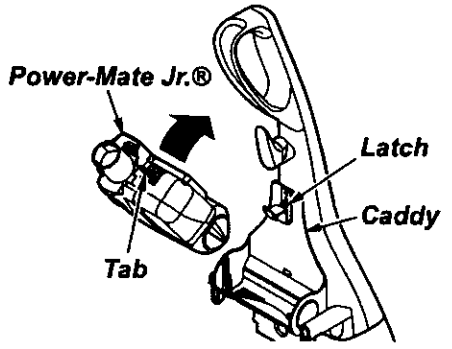




Wrap the power cord around the upper and lower cord hooks and lock the power cord plug onto the power cord.

POWER-MATE JR.®

For operation of Power-Mate Jr.® see separate Owner's Manual.



TO INSERT POWER-MATE JR®

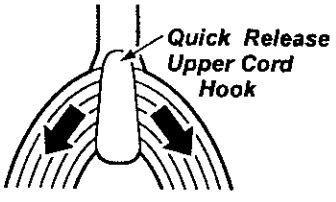
Place the rear of the Power-Mate Jr.® into the caddy. Rotate the Power-Mate Jr.® back until it snaps into place.

TO REMOVE POWER-MATE JR.®

Lift up on the latch and rotate Power-Mate Jr.® out of the caddy.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

CORD RELEASE



1. Turn the quick release upper cord hook to either side and down to release the power cord.

2. Detach the power cord plug from the power cord and pull the cord off the quick release upper cord hook. Be sure the power cord is still locked into the locking notch of the upper cord hook.

3. Be sure the vacuum cleaner has bag installed. See **DUST BAG REPLACEMENT.**

4. Plug the polarized power cord into a 120 Volt outlet located near the floor.

5. To replace cord, turn upper hook counter-clockwise pointing up, then wrap cord.

WARNING

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

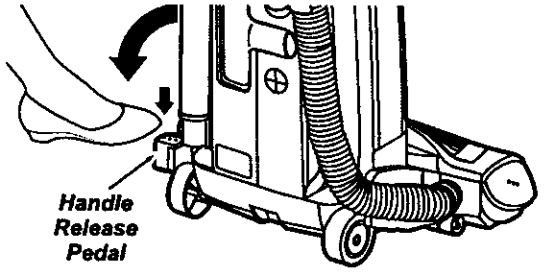
WARNING

Personal Injury and Product Damage Hazard
• DO NOT place hands or feet under the unit at any time.
• DO NOT use outlets above counters. Damage from cord to items in surrounding area could occur.

RELEASING THE HANDLE

Release the handle by pressing down on the handle release pedal with your foot and pulling back and down on the handle with your hand.

Note: The agitator does not rotate when the vacuum cleaner is in the upright position.



TOUCH CONTROL

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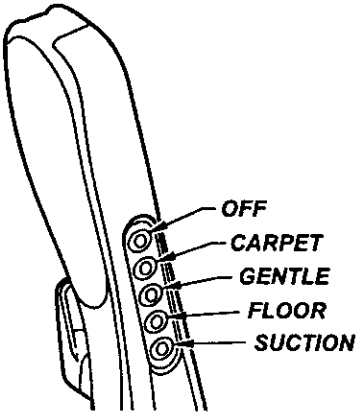
OFF - Turns **OFF** the vacuum cleaner (suction) motor.

CARPET - Turns **ON** the vacuum cleaner motor to **HIGH** suction level and the agitator motor to **HIGH** speed level for cleaning of most carpets and rugs. In order to get **MEDIUM** and **LOW** suction levels for cleaning, press the **SUCTION** button to cycle the vacuum cleaner motor through **MEDIUM, LOW**, and **HIGH** suction levels respectively.

GENTLE - Turns **ON** the vacuum cleaner motor to **HIGH** suction level and the agitator motor to **LOW** speed level for gentle cleaning of most delicate carpets and rugs. In order to get **MEDIUM** and **LOW** suction levels for cleaning, press the **SUCTION** button to cycle the vacuum cleaner motor through **MEDIUM, LOW**, and **HIGH** suction levels respectively.

FLOOR - Turns **ON** the vacuum cleaner motor to **HIGH** suction level and turns **OFF** the agitator motor for cleaning of bare floor. In order to get **MEDIUM** and **LOW** suction levels for cleaning, press the **SUCTION** button to cycle the vacuum cleaner motor through **MEDIUM, LOW**, and **HIGH** suction levels respectively.

SUCTION - Changes the suction level of the vacuum cleaner motor. If the unit is **OFF**, pressing the **SUCTION** button turns **ON** only the vacuum cleaner motor to **HIGH** suction level for cleaning of most carpets, rugs, and fabrics. If the unit is **ON**, pressing the **SUCTION** button cycles the vacuum cleaner motor through suction levels.



MOTOR FUNCTION		
Touch Control Button	**Vacuum Cleaner (Suction) Motor**	**Agitator Motor**
OFF	OFF	OFF
CARPET	HIGH	HIGH
GENTLE	HIGH	LOW
FLOOR	HIGH	OFF
SUCTION	HIGH/MEDIUM/LOW	

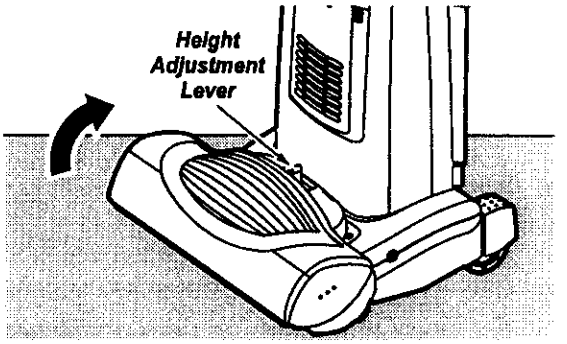
PILE HEIGHT SELECTION AND SETTING

To select a pile height setting:

Turn off vacuum cleaner. Select a pile height setting by tilting the cleaner back until front wheels are lifted slightly off the floor.

Slide the adjustment lever to the correct setting.

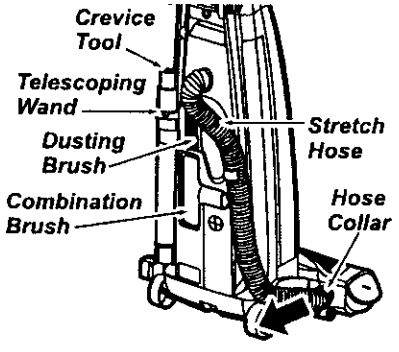
There are four (4) pile height settings on the vacuum cleaner. Use the **LOW** setting for most low-pile carpets and bare floor cleaning (with agitator **OFF**), and the **HIGH** setting for high-pile carpets like shag carpet, scatter rugs, etc. Use the other settings as needed for carpet heights in-between low and high pile.



CAUTION

Do not allow vacuum cleaner to remain in one spot for any length of time when the agitator is turning. Damage to carpet may occur.

ATTACHMENTS



Identify each of the attachments shown above.

TO USE ATTACHMENTS

Remove the lower end of the stretch hose from the vacuum cleaner by grasping the hose collar, press the release button and pull straight out. The attachments can now be added to the hose.

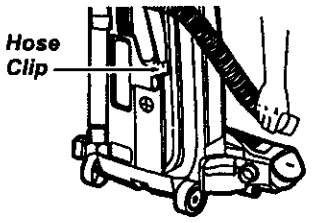
NOTE: The motor protector may open when using attachments or when cleaning new carpet, due to reduced airflow caused by the attachments themselves or by new carpet lint filling the bag quickly. See the **TROUBLESHOOTING** section.

WARNING

Electrical Shock And Personal Injury Hazard

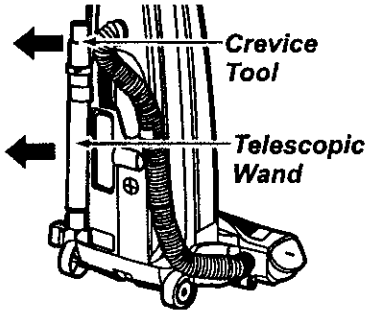
Disconnect electrical supply before performing maintenance to the unit. Failure to do so could result in electrical shock or personal injury from vacuum cleaner suddenly starting.

TELESCOPIC WAND WITH SUCTION CONTROL SLIDE



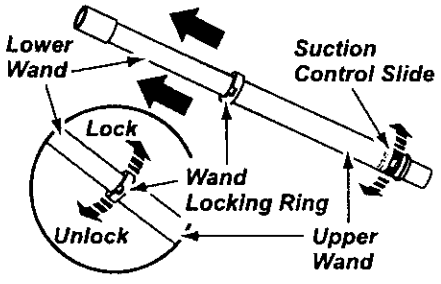
1. Remove the hose from the hose clip by pulling straight out.

2. Remove the telescopic wand from its storage position.



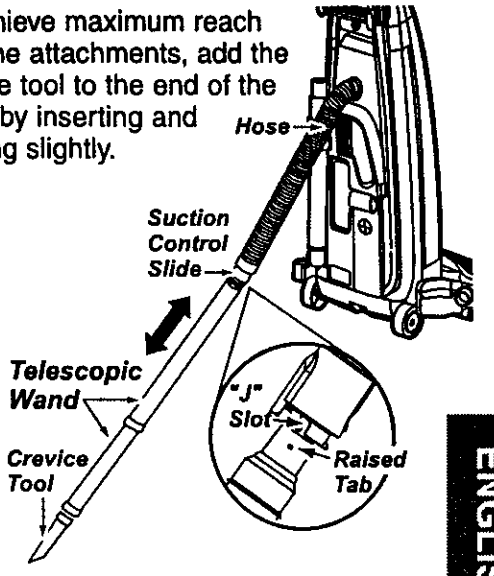
3. Remove the crevice tool from its storage position in the wand. Turn the locking ring to the **UNLOCK** position.

4. Extend the wand to its full length. Turn the locking ring to the **LOCK** position. Attach the extension wand onto the open end of the hose.



Align the tabs on the extension wand with the "J" slots in the hose (as illustrated above right). Push the wand into the hose and twist to the right to lock.

To achieve maximum reach with the attachments, add the crevice tool to the end of the wand by inserting and twisting slightly.



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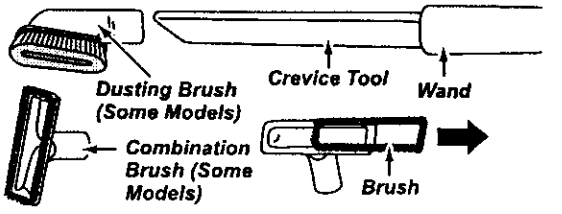
The dusting brush or the combination brush may be attached directly to the wand or placed on the end of the crevice tool.



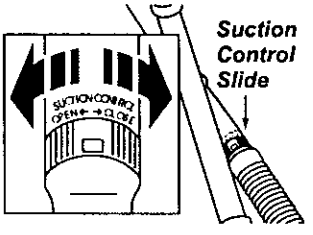
TO OPERATE SUCTION CONTROL SLIDE

Telescopic Wand

When using attachments for cleaning draperies, small rugs with low pile and other delicate items, twist the suction control slide to the open position. This slide is located on the telescopic wand, close to the hose.

This will reduce suction for ease of cleaning.

Note: Return suction control slide to the closed position for normal cleaning.



CAUTION

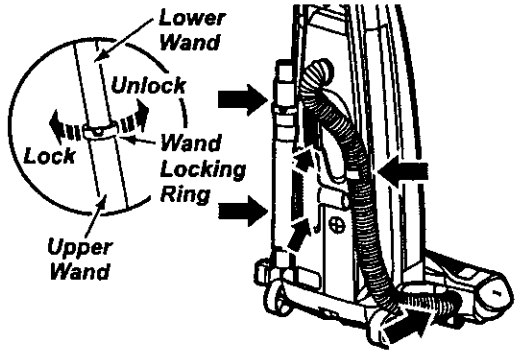
When using attachments, be careful not to overextend the stretch hose when reaching. Trying to reach beyond the hose stretch capability could cause the vacuum cleaner to tip over.

TO STORE ATTACHMENTS

Remove dusting brush or combination brush. Snap into appropriate storage location.

Remove crevice tool from the wand by twisting. Lay aside.

Remove the extension wand from the hose. Twist the wand to the left and pull from the hose end.
Unlock the wand by turning the wand locking ring to the **UNLOCK** position.



Slide the lower wand into the upper wand. Turn the wand locking ring to the **LOCK** position.

Place the crevice tool down into the compressed wand. Snap into the appropriate storage location.

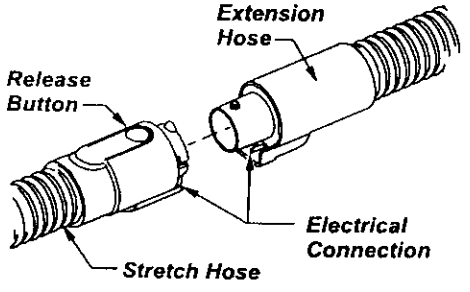
Reinsert the hose fully into the opening on the nozzle body from which it was removed. Press firmly to assure connection.

CAUTION

DO NOT pull the vacuum cleaner around the room by the hose. Property damage or personal injury could result.

EXTENSION HOSE

Some models include an extra hose which connects to the stretch hose on the vacuum cleaner for a longer cleaning reach.



Connect extension hose to stretch hose by pressing together. Make sure electrical connections are pressed firmly together.

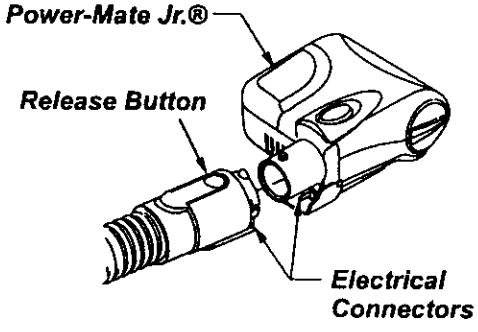
To disconnect press release button on hose and pull apart.

CAUTION

When using the stretch hose or with the extension hose attached, the vacuum cleaner should be on a solid surface on the same level or below the level of the user's feet. DO NOT use the hoses when the vacuum cleaner is above the level of the user's feet.

POWER-MATE JR.®

When attaching Power-Mate Jr.® to extension hose align electrical connections and press together. Power-Mate Jr.® cannot be used with extension wand.



To disconnect press release button on hose and pull apart.

CAUTION

DO NOT connect Power-Mate Jr.® to electrified hose with power to vacuum cleaner ON. ALWAYS unplug before connecting powered attachments.

CAUTION

DO NOT leave the Power-Mate Jr.® running in one spot for any length of time. Damage to carpet may occur.

ATTACHMENT USE CHART

ATTACHMENT	CLEANING AREA				
	Furniture*	Between Cushions*	Drapes*	Stairs	Walls
DUSTING BRUSH	✔		✔		✔
CREVICE TOOL	✔	✔		✔	
COMBINATION BRUSH	✔		✔	✔	
Power-Mate Jr.®	✔			✔	

*Always clean attachments before using on fabrics.

✔ = Applicable

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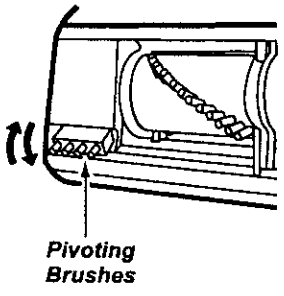
VACUUMING TIPS



Carpet edges
Guide either side or the front of the nozzle along a baseboard. The pivoting brushes help remove dirt at carpet edges.

Stairs
Set handle in full upright position. Agitator stops rotating. Use the crevice tool or combination brush or Power-Mate Jr.® when vacuum cleaner is running. Pressing the **SUCTION** button will cycle the vacuum cleaner motor through **HIGH**, **MEDIUM** and **LOW** suction levels.

WARNING

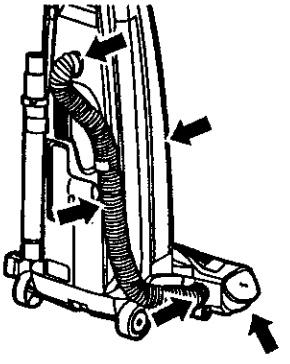
Personal Injury Hazard

DO NOT set the vacuum cleaner on stairs. It may fall, causing personal injury or property damage.

For best cleaning results, keep the airflow passage clear.

Occasionally, check each of the areas indicated for clogs.

Unplug the vacuum cleaner from the outlet before checking.

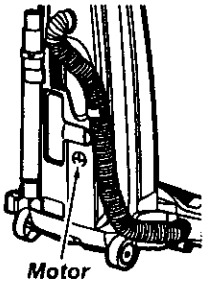


MOTOR PROTECTION SYSTEM

Motor Protector
This vacuum cleaner has a motor protector by-pass valve which automatically opens to provide cooling air to the vacuum cleaner motor when a clog prevents the normal flow of air to the motor. If the by-pass valve opens to prevent motor overheating and possible damage to the vacuum cleaner, you will notice a change of sound as air rushes through the valve opening.

To correct problem: See the **TROUBLE-SHOOTING** table and page 11.

NOTE: The motor protector may open when using attachments or when cleaning new carpet, due to reduced airflow caused by the attachments themselves or by new carpet lint filling the bag quickly. See the **TROUBLESHOOTING** section.

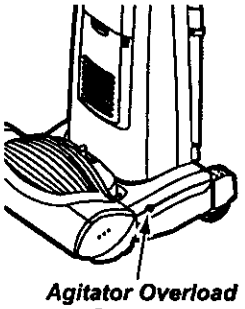

Motor Protector

Note: Do not block motor protector.

Thermal Protector
This vacuum cleaner has a thermal protector, which automatically trips to protect both the vacuum cleaner and the agitator motor from overheating. If a clog prevents the normal flow of air to the motor, the thermal protector turns the motor off automatically. This allows the motor to cool in order to prevent possible damage to the vacuum cleaner.

To correct problem: Turn the vacuum cleaner off and unplug the power cord from the outlet to allow the vacuum cleaner to cool and the thermal protector to reset. **Check for and remove clogs, if necessary. Also check and replace any clogged filters. Wait approximately thirty (30) minutes and plug the vacuum cleaner in and turn back on to see if the motor protector has reset.**

AGITATOR MOTOR OVERLOAD PROTECTOR


Agitator Overload Protector Reset Button

The agitator motor has built-in protection against motor damage should the agitator jam. If the agitator slows down or stops, the agitator overload protector shuts off the agitator motor. The vacuum cleaner motor will continue to run.

To correct problem: Turn off and unplug vacuum cleaner, remove obstruction, then press overload protector reset button.

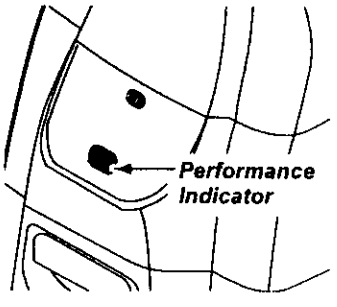
If the problem persists, have the vacuum cleaner serviced by a Sears or other qualified service agent.

PERFORMANCE INDICATOR

When the unit is running with normal air flow, the light on the performance indicator is off. The light comes on whenever the airflow becomes blocked. If that occurs, check the disposable dust bag, motor safety filter and other possible clog locations shown in **CLOG REMOVAL.**

To correct problem: See the **TROUBLE-SHOOTING** table.

Note: The light may also come on when using attachments, due to reduced airflow through the attachment.



DIRT SENSOR

The electronic dirt sensor is a feature which will detect particles as they pass through the vacuum cleaner.

The dirt sensor indicators is located on the front of the switch cover.

A red light indicates dirt is being picked up by the vacuum cleaner. A green light indicates most of the dirt has been picked up by the vacuum cleaner.

OPERATION

As you vacuum, the red indicator light will come on and stay on as long as the sensor detects a high concentration of particles passing through the vacuum cleaner.

WARNING

Electrical Shock And Personal Injury Hazard

Disconnect electrical supply before performing maintenance to the unit. Failure to do so could result in electrical shock or personal injury from vacuum cleaner suddenly starting.

TO CLEAN DIRT SENSOR OPTICS

The dirt sensor optics consist of two optic cells located inside the bag holder. Occasionally, it may become necessary to clean the two optic cells to assure maximum performance. It is recommended the optic cells be cleaned:

- When the red light stays on continuously.
- When the green light stays on continuously.
- When dirt or dust adheres to the optic cells.
- Whenever the dust bag is changed.

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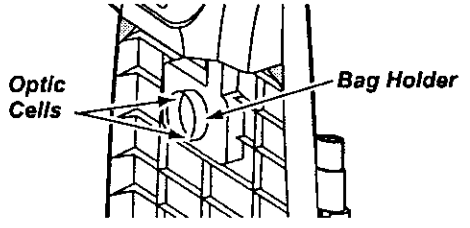
To clean the sensor, wipe the optic cells with a soft, dry cloth. Never use cleaners or liquids as they can help speed the recoating of the optic cells and make it necessary to clean them much sooner than normal. The dirt sensor area can be reached by removing the dust cover and the dust bag.



VACUUM CLEANER CARE

Always follow all safety precautions when performing maintenance to the vacuum cleaner.

WARNING

Electrical Shock And Personal Injury Hazard

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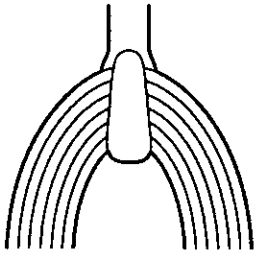
VACUUM CLEANER STORAGE

Gather the cord and wrap it loosely around the upper and lower cord hooks.



Store the vacuum cleaner in a dry, indoor area, on the floor with the handle locked in the upright position.

WARNING

Electrical Shock And Personal Injury Hazard

Wrapping the cord too tightly puts stress on the cord and can cause cord damage. A damaged cord is an electrical shock hazard and could cause personal injury or damage.

CLEANING EXTERIOR AND ATTACHMENTS

Unplug cord from wall outlet. **DO NOT** drip water on vacuum cleaner.

Clean exterior using a clean, soft cloth that has been dipped in a solution of mild liquid detergent and water, then wrung dry. Wipe dry after cleaning.

To reduce static electricity and dust build-up, wipe outer surface of vacuum cleaner and attachments.

Wash attachments in warm soapy water, rinse and air dry. **DO NOT clean in dishwasher.**

CAUTION

Do not use attachments if they are wet. Attachments used in dirty areas, such as under a refrigerator, should not be used on other surfaces until they are washed. They could leave marks.

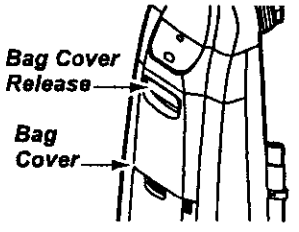
DUST BAG REPLACEMENT

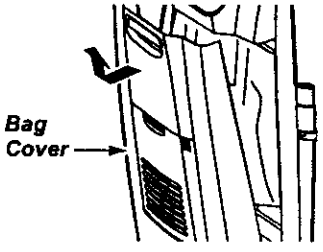
TO REMOVE DUST BAG

WARNING

Always unplug power cord from electrical outlet before performing any maintenance on the vacuum cleaner.

1. Pull out on the bag cover release located near the top of the bag cover.

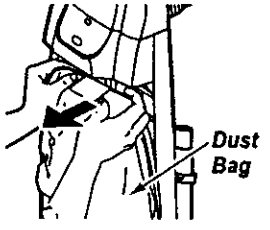




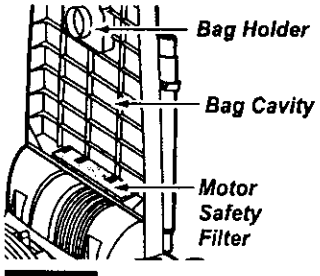
2. Pull the bag cover forward and lift up. Remove and lay aside.

3. Grasp the dust bag collar and pull gently, carefully removing the dust bag.

4. Throw away the used dust bag.



Do not reuse dust bag.



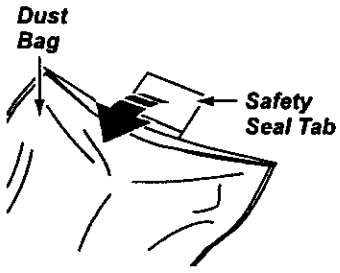
Check the bag holder and the motor safety filter. If either is blocked, check **TROUBLE-SHOOTING.**

CAUTION

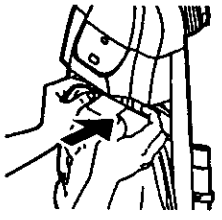
NEVER REUSE A DUST BAG. Very fine materials, such as carpet freshener, face powder, fine dust, plaster, soot, etc. can clog the bag and cause it to burst before it is full. Change bag more often when vacuuming these materials.

TO REPLACE DUST BAG

1. Unfold the new dust bag. Fold the safety seal tab on the new dust bag away from the opening that fits on the bag holder.



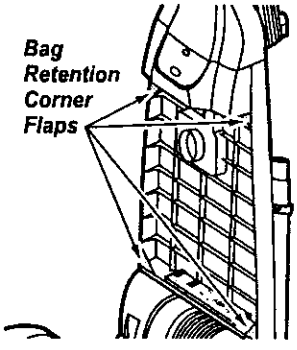
NOTE: See **PARTS AND FEATURES** for bag number.

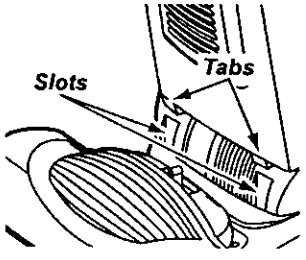


2. Insert the dust bag onto the bag holder completely by holding the bag collar.

3. Place the dust bag collar into position.

4. Tuck the bag behind each of the four bag retention corner flaps shown here. Be sure the bottom and sides of the dust bag are completely within bag cavity prior to replacing the bag cover.

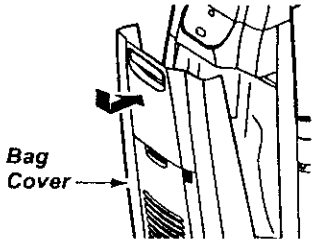




5. Position the bag cover so its positioning tabs fit into the body positioning tab slots.

6. Close the bag cover.

You will hear a distinct snap when cover is securely closed.



Check to see that the dust bag is fully enclosed in the bag cover.

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FILTER REPLACEMENT

Check motor safety filter frequently and change when dirty.

WARNING

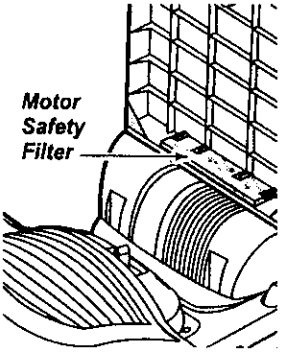
Electrical Shock Hazard

Unplug power cord from electrical outlet. Do not operate the vacuum cleaner without the motor safety filter. Be sure the filter is dry and properly installed to prevent motor failure and/or electrical shock.

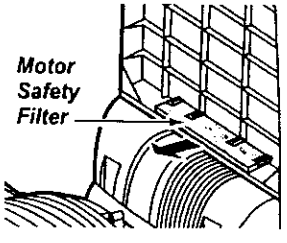
Remove the dust bag as outlined in the **DUST BAG REPLACEMENT** section.

MOTOR SAFETY FILTER
(ELECTROSTATIC)

1. The filter must be replaced when dirty. It should be replaced regularly depending on use conditions. **The filter CANNOT be washed as it will lose its dust trapping ability.**

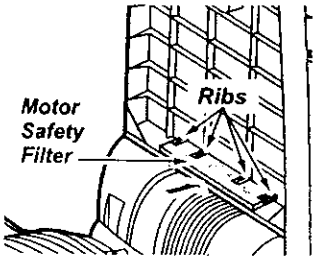


Note: See **PARTS AND FEATURES** for motor safety filter number.



2. If the filter, located in the bottom of the bag cavity, is dirty, remove it by pulling forward and out from under the ribs.

3. Replace the filter, **smooth (white)** side up, by sliding it back into place under the ribs in the bag cavity.



Replace the bag as outlined in the **DUST BAG REPLACEMENT** section.

EXHAUST FILTER
(HEPA)

WARNING

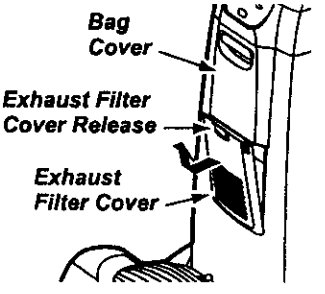
Do not operate without exhaust filter. Failure to due so may damage the vacuum cleaner

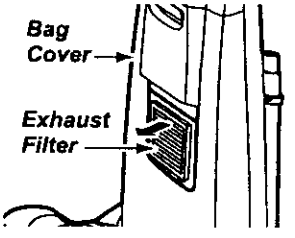
The exhaust filter cartridge must be replaced when dirty. It should be replaced regularly depending on use conditions. **The filter CANNOT be washed as it will lose its dust trapping ability.**

Note: See **PARTS AND FEATURES** for the exhaust filter number.

1. Slide the exhaust filter cover release down.

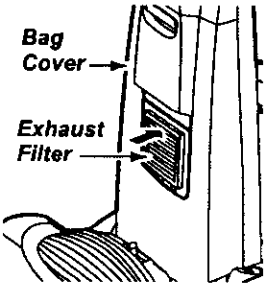
2. Pull out on exhaust filter cover to remove from bag cover.

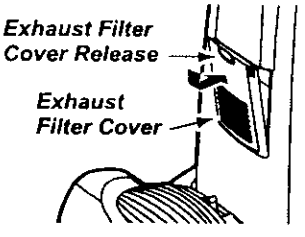




3. Remove the exhaust filter cartridge from the bag cover.

4. Replace the exhaust filter cartridge, carefully positioning it so that it fits into the bag cover. **The black edge of the filter should be facing away from the operator.** Push only on filter cartridge frame, not on filter itself.





5. Replace the exhaust filter cover and secure the latch by pushing it upward.

LIGHT BULB REPLACEMENT

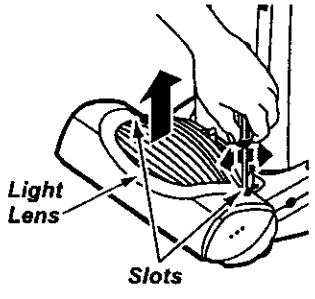
WARNING

Electrical Shock Or Personal Injury Hazard

Disconnect electrical supply before performing maintenance to the unit. Failure to do so could result in electrical shock or personal injury from the vacuum cleaner suddenly starting.

TO REMOVE LIGHT BULB

1. Disconnect power cord from electrical outlet.

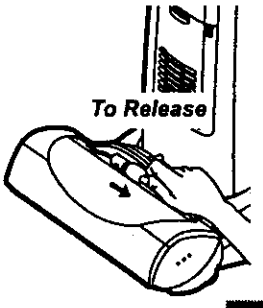


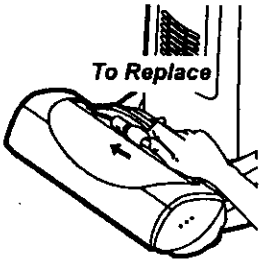
2. Pry light lens out at slot in rear as shown on both sides. Rotate lens up and lift off.

CAUTION

Do not use a bulb rated over 9W (13V). During extended use, heat from the bulb could overheat surrounding plastic parts.

3. Remove the light bulb by pulling straight out.





4. To replace the light bulb, carefully insert fully into slot.

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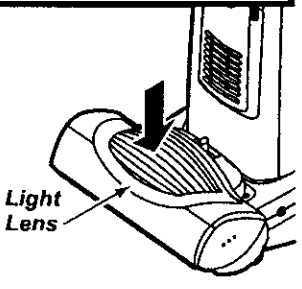
Note: See **PARTS AND FEATURES** for bulb number.

CAUTION

Do not plug in or turn on until the vacuum cleaner is completely reassembled.

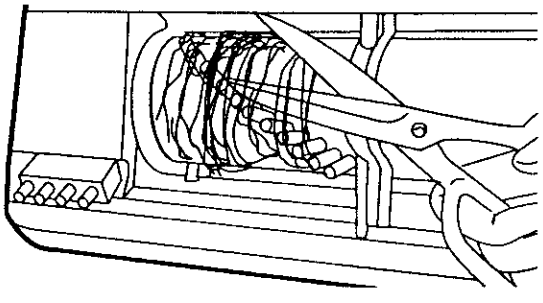
To replace light lens, place tabs at front of lens into slots. Rotate lens down and snap into place.



AGITATOR CLEANING

To maintain efficient cleaning, the agitator must be kept free of carpet fiber, string, or hair build-up. After every 7 to 10 uses, unplug and turn vacuum cleaner over and check agitator for fiber and hair build-up.

Use scissors to remove any build-up entangled around the agitator.



CLOG REMOVAL

Always follow all safety precautions when performing maintenance to the vacuum cleaner.

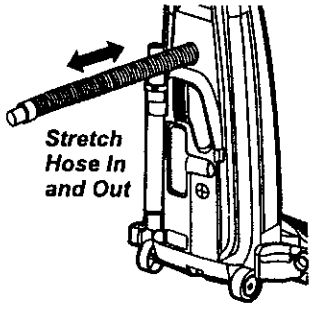
WARNING

Electrical Shock Or Personal Injury Hazard

Disconnect electrical supply before performing maintenance to the unit. Failure to do so could result in electrical shock or personal injury from vacuum cleaner suddenly starting.

If the vacuum cleaner does not seem to have adequate suction, first check if the dust bag is full or if a filter is clogged. See **DUST BAG REPLACEMENT** and **FILTER REPLACEMENT.**

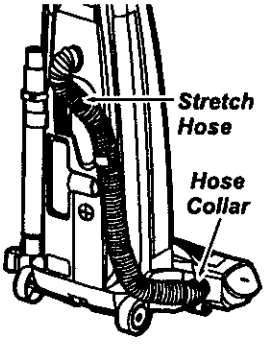
If the bag and filter areas are free of clogs, check the hose area. Remove the lower end of the stretch hose from the vacuum cleaner by grasping the hose collar, twisting, and pulling straight out.



Plug in the vacuum cleaner and turn it on. Stretch the hose to maximum length and then allow the hose to return to its natural length.

Turn off and unplug the vacuum cleaner. Remove any visible clogs from the hose.

Re-insert the hose into the opening on the lower body from which it was removed. Press firmly to assure connection.



WARNING

Personal Injury Hazard

DO NOT place hands or feet underneath the unit at any time.

If the bag and filter areas and the hose areas are free of clogs, disconnect the hose from the floor nozzle pipe and check the nozzle pipe for clogging. Clean the agitator according to the instructions in the **AGITATOR CLEANING** section.

Return the vacuum cleaner to the upright position before plugging into an electrical outlet.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Review this table to find do-it-yourself solutions for minor performance problems. Any other service needed, should be performed by a Sears or other qualified service agent.

WARNING:

Disconnect electrical supply before performing maintenance to the unit. Failure to do so could result in electrical shock or personal injury.

PROBLEM	POSSIBLE CAUSE	POSSIBLE SOLUTION

CÓMO ELIMINAR LOS RESIDUOS DE BASURA EN LOS CONDUCTOS

Proceda siempre con precauciones de seguridad antes de efectuar el mantenimiento a su aspiradora.

ADVERTENCIA

Peligro de choque eléctrico o lesión corporal

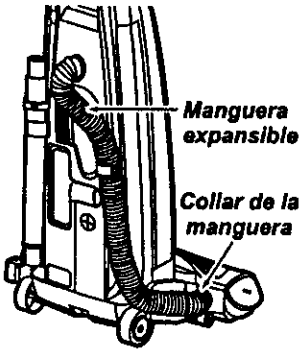
Desconecte la unidad antes de efectuar el mantenimiento a su aspiradora. De lo contrario podría producirse un choque eléctrico o causar lesión corporal si la aspiradora arranca de manera imprevista.

Si considera que la aspiradora no aspira bien asegúrese primero de que la bolsa no esté llena y de que el filtro no esté atascado. Consulte las instrucciones sobre **CAMBIO DE LA BOLSA PARA POLVO** y **LIMPIEZA DE FILTROS.**

Si las zonas del filtro y la bolsa no están atascadas, examine la zona de la manguera. Retire el extremo inferior de la manguera expansible de la aspiradora tomándola por el collar y tirando de hacia arriba.

Enchufe la aspiradora y enciéndala. Estire al máximo la manguera y luego permita que se encoja hasta su tamaño normal de almacenamiento.

Inserte nuevamente la manguera en la abertura de la parte inferior de donde la retiró. Empuje con firmeza para asegurarse de que quede bien conectada.



ADVERTENCIA

Peligro de lesión personal

NO coloque nunca las manos ni los pies debajo de la unidad.

Si las áreas de la bolsa y del filtro y las áreas de la manguera están libres de obstrucciones, desconecte la manguera del tubo de la boquilla y revise si hay residuos de polvo en el tubo de la boquilla. Véase **LIMPIEZA DEL AGITADOR** para como limpiar el agitador.

Coloque la aspiradora en la posición vertical antes de conectarla en el enchufe.

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RECONOCIMIENTO DE PROBLEMAS

Revise este recuadro para encontrar soluciones a problemas que puede corregir usted mismo. Cualquier otro servicio debe ser realizado por SEARS u otro agente de servicio calificado.

ADVERTENCIA **Peligro de choque eléctrico**

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PROBLEMA	CAUSA POSIBLE	SOLUCIÓN POSIBLE
La aspiradora no enciende	1. Está desconectada. 2. Cortacircuitos botado o fusible quemado en el tablero de servicio de la residencia. 3. Protector termal activado.	1. Conecte bien, seleccione la funcion deseada en el control manual. 2. Restablezca el cortacircuitos o cambie el fusible. 3. Desconecte la aspiradora y permita que se enfrié, el protector térmico se activara por si solo.
No aspira satisfactoriamente.	1. Bolsa para polvo llena o atascada. 2. Ajuste incorrecto de nivel de pelo de la alfombra. 3. Agitador desgastado. 4. Boquilla, o sujetador de la bolsa, atascada. 5. Manguera atascado. 6. Manguera rota. 7. La manguera no está bien insertada. 8. Activación del sistema de protectión del motor. 9. Filtros de seguridad.	1. Cambie la bolsa. 2. Ajuste el nivel. 3. Acuda el Centro de Servicio de Sears más cercano. 4. Revise COMÓ ELIMINAR LOS RESIDUOS DE BASURA EN LOS CONDUCTOS. 5. Limpie la manguera de obstrucciones. 6. Acuda el Centro de Servicio de Sears más cercano. 7. Inserte bien la manguera. 8. Determine si existen bloqueos. 9. Cambie el filtro de protección al motor y el filtro del escape
La aspiradora levanta tapetes o es dificil empujar.	1. Ajuste incorrecto de nivel de pelo de la alfombra.	1. Ajuste el nivel.
La luz no funciona.	1. Bombilla fundida.	1. Cambie la bombilla.
El ensamble del agitador no funciona	1. El mango esta completamente en posición vertical. 2. Sobrecarga del agitador activada. 3. Protector térmico desactivado.	1. Mueva el mango desde la posición vertical. 2. Reajuste la sobrecarga del agitador, 3. Desconecte la aspiradora y permita que se enfrié, el protector térmico se activara por si solo.
El indicador de rendimiento, algunos modelos, está rojo.	1. Bolsa para polvo llena o atascada. 2. Filtros de seguridad atascado. 3. Conducto de flujo de aire atascado. 4. Ciertos accesorios.	1. Cambie la bolsa. 2. Cambie el filtro de protección al motor y el filtro del escape 3. Retire el material bloqueante del conducto de aire. 4. Esto es normal. La luz debe apagarse al quitar la herramienta.
Restricción del flujo de el uso de los accesorios. Cambio de sonido.	1. El uso de los accesorios limita el flujo de aire. 2. La pelusa de una alfombra nueva obstruye el paso de aire.	1. Revise USO DE LOS ACCESORIOS 2. Revise CÓMO ELIMINAR LOS RESIDUOS DE BASURA EN LOS CONDUCTOS y limpie la manguera.
Indicador de polvo, algunos modelos, no funciona.	1. Celdas ópticas están sucias.	1. Limpie las celdas ópticas.

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