

User Manual

GETTING STARTED? EASY.



ZDT 21001FA

EN User Manual Dishwasher

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A SAFETY INFORMATION

Before the installation and use of the appliance, carefully read the supplied instructions. The manufacturer is not responsible if an incorrect installation and use causes injuries and damages. Always keep the instructions with the appliance for future reference.

CHILDREN AND VULNERABLE PEOPLE SAFETY

- This appliance can be used by children aged from 8 years and above and persons with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities or lack of experience and knowledge if they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance in a safe way and understand the hazards involved.
- Do not let children play with the appliance.
- Keep all detergents away from children.
- Keep children and pets away from the appliance door when it is open.
- Cleaning and user maintenance shall not be made by children without supervision.

GENERAL SAFETY

- This appliance is intended to be used in household and similar applications such as:
 - farm houses; staff kitchen areas in shops, offices and other working environments;
 - by clients in hotels, motels, bed & breakfast and other residential type environments.
- Do not change the specification of this appliance.
- The operating water pressure (minimum and maximum) must be between 0.5 (0.05) / 8 (0.8) bar (Mpa)
- Obey the maximum number of 13 place settings.
- If the supply cord is damaged, it must be replaced by the manufacturer, its Authorised Service Centre or similarly qualified persons in order to avoid a hazard.
- Put knives and cutlery with sharp points in the cutlery basket with the points down or in a horizontal position.

- Do not keep the appliance door open without supervision to prevent to fall on it.
- Before maintenance, deactivate the appliance and disconnect the mains plug from the mains socket.
- Do not use water spray and steam to clean the appliance.
- The ventilation openings in the base (if applicable) must not be obstructed by a carpet.
- The appliance is to be connected to the water mains using the new supplied hose-sets. Old hose sets must not be reused.

SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

INSTALLATION

- Remove all the packaging.
- Do not install or use a damaged appliance.
- Do not install or use the appliance where the temperature is less than 0 °C.
- Obey the installation instruction supplied with the appliance.
- Make sure that the appliance is installed below and adjacent to safe structures.

ELECTRICAL CONNECTION



WARNING! Risk of fire and electrical shock.

- The appliance must be earthed.
- Make sure that the electrical information on the rating plate agrees with the power supply. If not, contact an electrician.
- Always use a correctly installed shockproof socket.
- Do not use multi-plug adapters and extension cables.
- Make sure not to cause damage to the mains plug and to the mains cable. Should the mains cable need to be replaced, this must be carried out by our Authorised Service Centre.
- Connect the mains plug to the mains socket only at the end of the installation. Make sure that there is access to the mains plug after the installation.
- Do not pull the mains cable to disconnect the appliance. Always pull the mains plug.
- This appliance complies with the E.E.C. Directives.
- Only for UK and Ireland. The appliance has a 13 amp mains plug. If it is necessary to change the fuse in the mains plug, use fuse: 13 amp ASTA (BS 1362).

WATER CONNECTION

- Make sure not to cause damage to the water hoses.
- Before you connect the appliance to new pipes or pipes not used for a long time, let the water flow until it is clean.
- The first time you use the appliance, make sure that there is no leakage.
- If the water inlet hose is damaged, immediately disconnect the mains plug from the mains socket. Contact the Authorised Service Centre to replace the water inlet hose.

USE

- Do not sit or stand on the open door.
- Dishwasher detergents are dangerous. Obey the safety instructions on the detergent packaging.
- Do not drink and play with the water in the appliance.
- Do not remove the dishes from the appliance until the programme is completed. There can be detergent on the dishes.
- The appliance can release hot steam if you open the door while a programme operates.
- Do not put flammable products or items that are wet with flammable products in, near or on the appliance.

SERVICE

- Contact the Authorised Service Centre to repair the appliance. We recommend only the use of original spare parts.
- When you contact the Authorised Service Centre, ensure that you have the following information that is available on the rating plate. Model : PNC :

Serial Number :

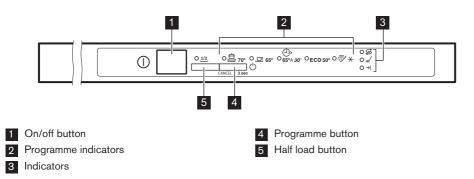
DISPOSAL



WARNING! Risk of injury or suffocation.

- Disconnect the appliance from the mains supply.
- Cut off the mains cable and discard it.
- Remove the door catch to prevent children and pets to get closed in the appliance.

EASY START



INDICATORS

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Running programme indicator. It comes on when the programme starts and goes off when the programme is completed. \rightarrow End indicator.

Salt indicator. It is always off while the programme operates.

| Programme | Programme Degree of soil Type of load | Programme phases | Consumption values | | |
|-------------|--|--|--------------------|-----------------|--------------|
| Ū | | | Duration (min) | Energy (kWh) | Water (I) |
| ECO 2) | Normal soil Crockery and cutlery | Prewash Wash 50 °C Rinses Dry | 195 | 1.039 | 11 |
| <u>†</u> 3) | Heavy soil Crockery, cut- lery, pots and pans | Prewash Wash 70 °C Rinses Dry | 140 - 160 | 1.3 - 1.5 | 13 - 15 |
| Ð | Normal soil Crockery and cutlery | Prewash Wash 65 °C Rinses Dry | 100 - 120 | 1.2 - 1.5 | 15 - 17 |

PROGRAMMES

| Programme | Degree of soil | Programme phases | Con | sumption val 1) | lues |
|-----------|---------------------------------------|---|-------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| | Type of load | | Duration (min) | Energy (kWh) | Water (I) |
| (_)>4) | Fresh soil Crockery and cutlery | Wash 60 °C or 65 °C Rinses | 30 | 0.9 | 9 |
| 5) | All | Prewash | 14 | 0.1 | 4 |

1) The pressure and the temperature of the water, the variations of the mains supply, the options and the quantity of dishes can change the values.

2) With this programme you have the most efficient use of water and energy consumption for crockery and cutlery with normal soil. (This is the standard programme for test institutes).

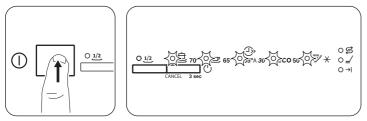
3) This programme has a high temperature rising phase for better hygiene results. During the rinsing phase, the temperature stays at 70 °C for at least 10 minutes.

4) With this programme you can wash a load with fresh soil. It gives good washing results in a short time.

5) Use this programme to quickly rinse the dishes. this prevents the remaining food to bond on the dishes and bad odours to come out from the appliance. Do not use detergent with this programme.

SETTINGS

PROGRAMME SELECTION MODE

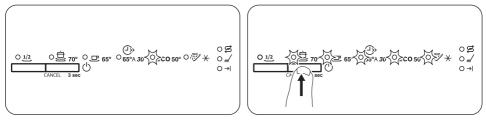


The appliance is in programme selection mode when all programme indicators are on.

When the appliance is in programme selection mode, it is possible to set a programme and to enter the user mode.

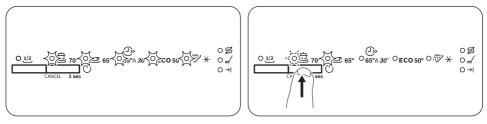
If the control panel does not show this condition, do the cancel function.

CANCEL FUNCTION



Press the programme button until all programme indicators are on (Programme selection mode). With this function you can cancel the running programme.

USER MODE

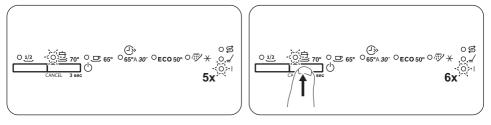


While the appliance is in programme selection mode:

- 1. Press and hold programme button until the indicator 🚊 starts to flash and the indicator 🖵 is on. In user mode can be changed:
- The level of the water softener according to the water hardness.
- The activation or the deactivation of the acoustic signal for end of programme.

These settings will be saved until you change them again.

ADJUSTING THE WATER SOFTENER



- 2. Press the programme button to change the setting. Each time you press the button, the level increases. After level 10 you will start again from level 1.
- 3. Press the on/off button to confirm the setting.

THE WATER HARDNESS TABLE

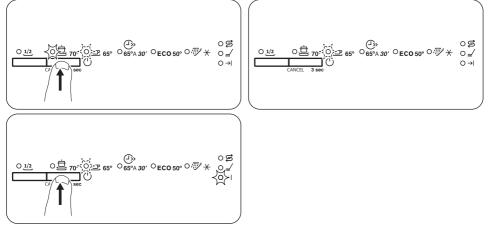
| German degrees (°dH) | French degrees (°fH) | mmol/l | Clarke degrees | Water softener level |
|-------------------------|-------------------------|-----------|----------------|-------------------------|
| 47 -50 | 84 - 90 | 8.4 - 9.0 | 58 - 63 | 10 |
| 43 - 46 | 76 - 83 | 7.6 - 8.3 | 53 - 57 | 9 |
| 37 - 42 | 65 - 75 | 6.5 - 7.5 | 46 - 52 | 8 |
| 29 - 36 | 51 - 64 | 5.1 - 6.4 | 36 - 45 | 7 |
| 23 - 28 | 40 - 50 | 4.0 - 5.0 | 28 - 35 | 6 |

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|-------------------------|-------------------------|-----------|----------------|-------------------------|
| 19 - 22 | 33 - 39 | 3.3 - 3.9 | 23 - 27 | 5 1) |
| 15 - 18 | 26 - 32 | 2.6 - 3.2 | 18 - 22 | 4 |
| 11 - 14 | 19 - 25 | 1.9 - 2.5 | 13 - 17 | 3 |
| 4 - 10 | 7 - 18 | 0.7 - 1.8 | 5 - 12 | 2 |
| <4 | <7 | <0.7 | < 5 | 1 2) |

1) Factory setting

2) Do not use salt at this level.

ACTIVATING THE ACOUSTIC SIGNAL FOR THE END OF PROGRAMME



By default this acoustic signal is deactivated but it is possible to activate it.

- While the appliance is in user mode, within about 5 seconds press programme button: the indicator
 is on and the indicator
 starts to flash.
- 2. Wait until the indicator 1 goes off. The indicator \rightarrow is off. The acoustic signal is off.
- 3. Press programme button to change the setting. The indicator \rightarrow is on. The acoustic signal is on.
- 4. Press on/off button to confirm the setting.

BEFORE FIRST USE

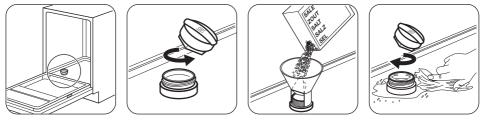
- 1. Make sure that the current level of the water softener agrees with the hardness of the water supply. If not, adjust the level of the water softener.
- 2. Fill the salt container.
- 3. Fill the rinse aid dispenser.
- 4. Open the water tap.

 Start a programme to remove any processing residuals that can still be inside the appliance. Do not use detergent and do not load the baskets.

When you start a programme, the appliance can take up to 5 minutes to recharge the resin in the water softener. It seems that the appliance is not

working. The washing phase starts only after this procedure is completed. The procedure will be repeated periodically.

ADDING SALT



Before first use put one litre of water in the salt container.

Water and salt can come out from the salt container when you fill it. Risk of corrosion. To prevent it, after you fill the salt container, start a programme.

ADDING RINSE AID









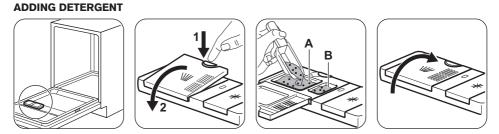
The rinse aid helps to dry the dishes without streaks and stains. It is automatically released during the hot rinse phase. Fill the rinse aid dispenser when the lens (\mathbf{A}) is clear.

DAILY USE

- 1. Open the water tap.
- **2.** Press the on/off button to activate the appliance.

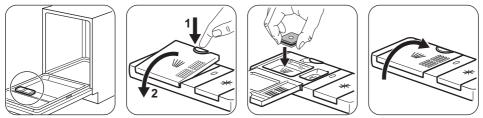
Make sure that the appliance is in programme selection mode.

- If the salt indicator is on, fill the salt container.
- 3. Load the baskets.
- 4. Add the detergent.
- 5. Set and start the correct programme for the type of load and the degree of soil.



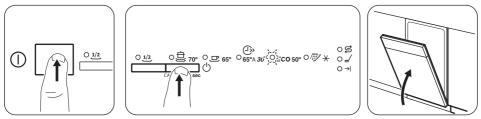
If the programme has a prewash phase, put a small quantity of detergent also in compartment B.

ADDING MULTI-TABLETS



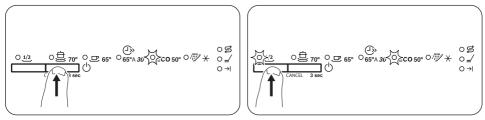
- Do not fill the salt container and the rinse aid dispenser.
- Adjust the water softener to the lowest level.
- Set the rinse aid dispenser to the lowest position.

STARTING A PROGRAMME



- 1. Keep the appliance door ajar.
- 2. Press the on/off button to activate the appliance. Make sure that the appliance is in programme selection mode.
- 3. Press the programme button until the indicator of the programme you want to set comes on.
- 4. Close the appliance door to start the programme.

OPTION HALF LOAD



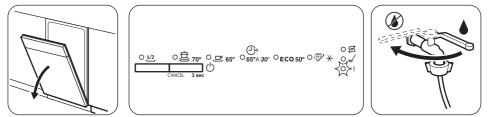
This option is available with **ECO**, 🚊 and 🖵 .

With this option you can wash a small load of tableware and cookware. The option decreases the programme duration and the consumption of water and energy. Load both baskets and use less quantity of detergent.

OPENING THE DOOR WHILE THE APPLIANCE OPERATES

If you open the door while a programme is running, the appliance stops. When you close the door, the appliance continues from the point of interruption.

END OF THE PROGRAMME



- Press the on/off button to deactivate the appliance.
- Close the water tap.



If you do not press the on/off button, after few minutes from the end of the programme all the indicators go off. This helps to decrease the energy consumption.

HINTS AND TIPS

GENERAL

The following hints will ensure optimal cleaning and drying results in daily use and also help to protect the environment.

- Remove larger residues of food from the dishes into the waste bin.
- Do not pre-rinse dishes by hand. When needed, use the prewash programme (if available) or select a programme with a prewash phase.
- Always use the whole space of the baskets.
- When loading the appliance, make sure that the dishes can be completely reached and washed by the water released from the spray arm nozzles. Make sure that items do not touch or cover each other.
- You can use dishwasher detergent, rinse aid and salt separately or you can use the multitablets (e.g. "3in1", "4in1", "All in 1"). Follow the instructions written on the packaging.
- Select the programme according to the type of load and degree of soil. With the ECO programme you have the most efficient use of water and energy consumption for crockery and cutlery with normal soil.

THE WATER SOFTENER

The water softener removes minerals from the water supply, which would have a detrimental effect on the washing results and on the appliance.

The higher the content of these minerals, the harder your water is. Water hardness is measured in equivalent scales.

The water softener should be adjusted according to the hardness of the water in your area. Your local water authority can advise you on the hardness of the water in your area. It is important to set the right level of the water softener to assure good washing results.

USING SALT, RINSE AID AND DETERGENT

- Only use salt, rinse aid and detergent for dishwasher. Other products can cause damage to the appliance.
- Multi-tablets are usually suitable in areas with a water hardness up to 21 °dH. In areas exceeding this limit, rinse aid and salt must be used in addition to the multi-tablets. However, in areas with hard and very hard water we recommend to use solo-detergent (powder, gel, tablets without additional functions), rinse aid and salt separately for optimal cleaning and drying results.
- Detergent tablets do not fully dissolve with short programmes. To prevent detergent residues on the tableware, we recommend that you use the tablets with long programmes.
- Do not use more than the correct quantity of detergent. Refer to the instructions on the detergent packaging.

WHAT TO DO IF YOU WANT TO STOP USING MULTI-TABLETS

Before you start to use separately detergent, salt and rinse aid do the following procedure.

- 1. Set the highest level of the water softener.
- 2. Make sure that the salt and rinse aid containers are full.
- **3.** Start the shortest programme with a rinsing phase. Do not add detergent and do not load the baskets.
- When the programme is completed, adjust the water softener according to the water hardness in your area.
- 5. Adjust the released quantity of rinse aid.
- 6. Activate the rinse aid dispenser.

LOADING THE BASKETS

- Only use the appliance to wash items that are dishwasher-safe.
- Do not put in the appliance items made of wood, horn, aluminium, pewter and copper.
- Do not put in the appliance items that can absorb water (sponges, household cloths).
- Remove larger residues of food from the dishes into the waste bin.
- Make soft the remaining burned food on the items.
- Put hollow items (cups, glasses and pans) with the opening down.
- Make sure that glasses do not touch other glasses.

CARE AND CLEANING



WARNING! Before maintenance, deactivate the appliance and disconnect the mains plug from the main socket.

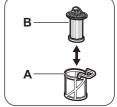
CLEANING THE FILTERS







clean them.



- Put cutlery and small items in the cutlery basket.
- Put light items in the upper basket. Make sure that the items do not move.
- Make sure that the spray arms can move freely before you start a programme.

BEFORE STARTING A PROGRAMME

Make sure that:

- The filters are clean and correctly installed.
- The cap of the salt container is tight.
- The spray arms are not clogged.
- There is dishwasher salt and rinse aid (unless you use multi- tablets).
- The position of the items in the baskets is correct.
- The programme is applicable for the type of load and for the degree of soil.
- The correct quantity of detergent is used.

UNLOADING THE BASKETS

- 1. Let the tableware cool down before you remove it from the appliance. Hot items can be easily damaged.
- 2. First remove items from the lower basket, then from the upper basket.



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At the end of the program water can still remain on the sides and on the door of the appliance.

Dirty filters and clogged spray arms

check regularly and, if necessary,

decrease the washing results. Make a









- Make sure that there are no residues of food or soil in or around the edge of the sump.
- Put back in place the flat filter (C). Make sure that it is correctly positioned under the 2 guides.
- Reassemble the filters (A) and (B).
- Put back the filter (A) in the flat filter (C). Turn it clockwise until it locks.

An incorrect position of the filters can cause bad washing results and damage to the appliance

CLEANING THE SPRAY ARMS

Do not remove the spray arms. If the holes in the spray arms are clogged, remove remaining parts of soil with a thin pointed object.

EXTERNAL CLEANING

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- Clean the appliance with a moist soft cloth.
- Only use neutral detergents.
- Do not use abrasive products, abrasive cleaning pads or solvents.

INTERNAL CLEANING

 Carefully clean the appliance, including the rubber gasket of the door, with a soft damp cloth.

TROUBLESHOOTING

If the appliance does not start or it stops during operation, before you contact an Authorised Service Centre, check if you can solve the problem by yourself with the help of the information in the table.



WARNING! Repairs not properly done may result in serious risk to the safety of the user. Any repairs must be performed by qualified personnel. If you regularly use short duration programmes, these can leave deposits of grease and limescale inside the appliance. To prevent this, we recommend to run long duration programmes at least 2 times per month.

 To maintain the performance of your appliance at its best, we recommend to use monthly a specific cleaning product for dishwashers.
 Follow carefully the instructions on the packaging of the product.

With some problems the end indicator flashes intermittently indicating a malfunction.

The majority of problems that can occur can be solved without the need to contact an Authorised Service Centre.

| Problem and alarm code | Possible cause and solution |
|--|---|
| You cannot activate the appliance. | Make sure that the mains plug is connected to the mains socket. Make sure that there is no damaged fuse in the fuse box. |
| The programme does not start. | Make sure that the appliance door is closed. The appliance has started the procedure to re- charge the resin inside the water softener. The dura tion of the procedure is approximately 5 minutes. |
| The appliance does not fill with water. The end indicator flashes 1 time intermittently. Acoustic signal sounds 1 time intermittently. | Make sure that the water tap is open. Make sure that the pressure of the water supply is not too low. For this information, contact your local water authority. Make sure that the water tap is not clogged. Make sure that the filter in the inlet hose is not clogged. Make sure that the inlet hose has no kinks or bends. |
| The appliance does not drain the water. The end indicator flashes 2 times intermittently. Acoustic signal sounds 2 times intermittently. | Make sure that the sink spigot is not clogged. Make sure that the drain hose has no kinks or bends. |
| The anti-flood device is on. The end indicator flashes 3 times intermittently. Acoustic signal sounds 3 times intermittently. | Close the water tap and contact an Authorised Service Centre. |
| The appliance stops and starts more times during operation. | It is normal. It provides optimal cleaning results and energy savings. |
| Small leak from the appliance door. | The appliance is not level. Loosen or tighten the adjustable feet (if applicable). The appliance door is not centred on the tub. Adjus the rear foot (if applicable). |
| The appliance door is difficult to close. | The appliance is not level. Loosen or tighten the adjustable feet (if applicable). Parts of the tableware are protruding from the baskets. |
| Rattling/knocking sounds from inside the appliance. | The tableware is not properly arranged in the baskets. Refer to basket loading leaflet. Make sure that the spray arms can rotate freely. |
| The appliance trips the circuit-beaker. | The amperage is insufficient to supply simultaneous ly all the appliances in use. Check the socket amperage and the capacity of the meter or turn off one of the appliances in use. Internal electrical fault of the appliance. Contact an Authorised Service Centre. |



Refer to "Before first use", "Daily use", or "Hints and tips" for other possible causes. For alarm codes not described in the table, contact an Authorised Service Centre.

Once you have checked the appliance, deactivate and activate the appliance. If the problem occurs again, contact an Authorised Service Centre.

THE WASHING AND DRYING RESULTS ARE NOT SATISFACTORY

| Problem | Possible cause and solution | | |
|--|---|--|--|
| Poor washing results. | Refer to "Daily use", "Hints and tips" and basket loading leaflet. Use more intensive washing programmes. | | |
| Poor drying results. | Tableware has been left for too long inside a closed appliance. There is no rinse aid or the dosage of rinse aid is not enough. Set the rinse aid dispenser to a higher level. Plastic items may need to be towel dried. We recommend to always use rinse aid, even in combination with multi-tablets. | | |
| There are whitish streaks or blu- ish layers on glasses and dishes. | The release quantity of rinse aid is too much. Adjust the rinse aid level to a lower level. The quantity of detergent is too much. | | |
| There are stains and dry water drops on glasses and dishes. | The released quantity of rinse aid is not sufficient. Adjust the rinse aid level to a higher level. The quality of the rinse aid can be the cause. | | |
| The dishes are wet. | The programme does not have a drying phase or has a drying phase with low temperature. The rinse aid dispenser is empty. The quality of the rinse aid can be the cause. The quality of the multi-tablets can be the cause. Try a different brand or activate the rinse aid dispenser and use rinse aid and multi-tablets together. | | |
| The interior of the appliance is wet. | This is not a defect of the appliance. it is caused by the hu- midity in the air that condenses on the walls. | | |
| Unusual foam during washing. | Use the detergent for dishwashers only. There is a leak in the rinse aid dispenser. Contact an Authorised Service Centre. | | |
| Traces of rust on cutlery. | There is too much salt in the water used for washing. Refer to "The water softener". Silver and stainless steel cutlery were placed together. Avoid to put silver and stainless steel items close together. | | |

| Problem | Possible cause and solution | | |
|--|--|--|--|
| There are residues of detergent in the dispenser at the end of the programme. | The detergent tablet got stuck in the dispenser and therefore was not completely washed away by water. Water cannot wash away the detergent from the dispenser. Make sure that the spray arm is not blocked or clogged. Make sure that items in the baskets do not impede the lid of the detergent dispenser from opening. | | |
| Odours inside the appliance. | Refer to "Internal cleaning". | | |
| Limescale deposits on the table- ware, on the tub and on the in- side of the door. | Refer to "The water softener". | | |
| Dull, discoloured or chipped ta- bleware. | Make sure that only dishwasher-safe items are washed in the appliance. Load and unload the basket carefully. Refer to basket loading leaflet. Place delicate items in the upper basket. | | |



Refer to "Before first use", "Daily use" or "Hints and tips" for other possible causes.

TECHNICAL INFORMATION

| Dimensions | Width / height / depth (mm) | 596 / 818 - 898 / 555 |
|--------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Electrical connection 1) | Voltage (V) | 220 - 240 |
| | Frequency (Hz) | 50 |
| Water supply pressure | Min. / max. bar (MPa) | 0.5 (0.05) / 8 (0.8) |
| Water supply | Cold water or hot water ²⁾ | max 60 °C |
| Capacity | Place settings | 13 |
| Power consumption | Left-on mode (W) | 5.0 |
| Power consumption | Off-mode (W) | 0.50 |
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1) Refer to the rating plate for other values.

2) If the hot water comes from alternative source of energy, (e.g. solar panels, aeolian energy), use the hot water supply to decrease energy consumption.

RATING PLATE



ENVIRONMENT CONCERNS

Recycle the materials with the symbol (Δ) . Put the packaging in applicable containers to recycle it. Help protect the environment and human health and to recycle waste of electrical and electronic appliances. Do not dispose appliances marked with

INFORMATION FOR TEST INSTITUTES

For all the necessary information for test performance, send an email to:

info.test@dishwasher-production.com

Write down the product number (PNC) that is on the rating plate.

the symbol with the household waste. Return the product to your local recycling facility or contact your municipal office.

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