

HELPFUL HINTS FOR THE PROPER USE AND CARE OF YOUR DISHWASHER

(Keep in your Owner's Manual)

At Installation.....

- Make sure the house water heater setting is adjusted for 120°F to 150°F.
- For new homes, the hot water line should be flushed by the installer to clean out any debris that can clog the water valve.

During Use.....

- This dishwasher might not operate the same as your old model. It is very important that you become familiar with all the instructions for the correct operation of each wash cycle and option in the Owner's Manual.
- The water entering the dishwasher must be at least 120°F for effective cleaning. To check, turn on the hot water faucet nearest the dishwasher into a glass, place a candy or meat thermometer in the glass, and let the water run continuously until the temperature stops rising.
- Using hand (sink) dish detergent in the dishwasher will not clean your dishware and will cause the dishwasher to fill with suds and possibly leak suds and water out the door and onto the floor. Review the detergent and rinse aid instructions in the Owner's Manual.
- Use a rinse agent for best drying performance. The rinse agents remove spots and prevent new film buildup on your dishware.
- It is normal for a small amount of water to remain in the tub bottom after a wash cycle. This helps keep the pump seal lubricated.
- For models with electronic controls, if the power to the dishwasher is controlled by a wall switch, allow 30 seconds after turning the wall switch on before using the dishwasher to allow the dishwasher control to reboot.
- Normal operating sounds:
 - Detergent cup opening
 - Water entering dishwasher
 - The motor stops and starts at various times during the cycle
 - Drain pump sounds during water pump out

Regular Maintenance.....

- For best wash results, the filter assembly in the tub bottom must be checked regularly. Objects (fruit pits, bones, remaining food, etc.) may collect in the filter, and should be removed to avoid clogging the drain system. See the Owner's Manual for filter cleaning instructions.
- The dishwasher must never be used without the filters. Damage to the pump can result. Improper replacement of the filter parts might reduce the wash performance and may damage dishes and utensils.



MODEL #: GSM1860V00SS

SERIAL #: GZ800158C

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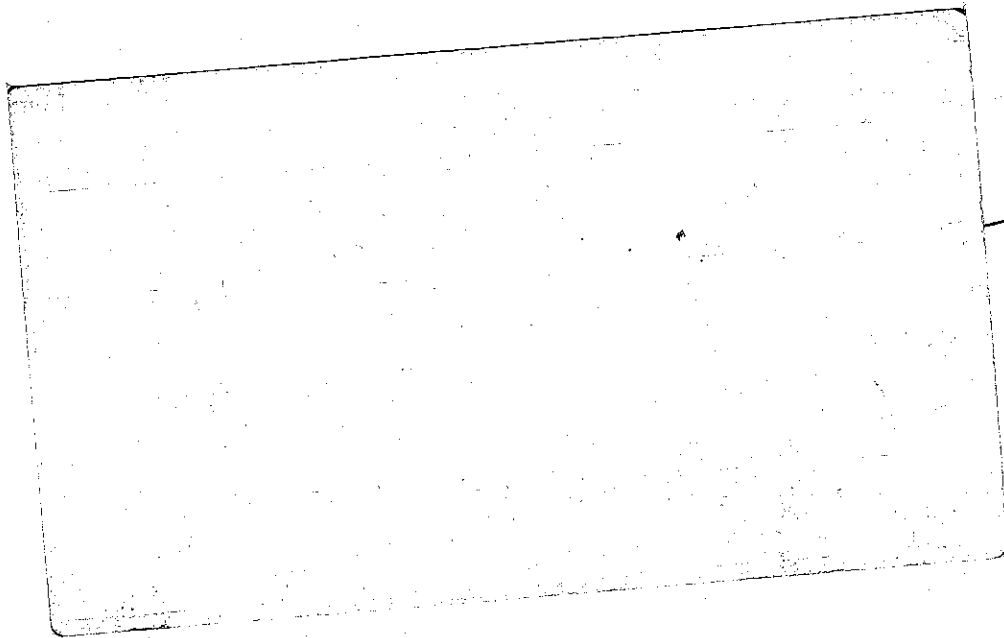
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18 inch wide
Stainless Steel Tub
Dishwashers



Write the model and serial
numbers here:

Model # _____

Serial # _____

You can find them on a label on the
tub wall just inside the door.

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION. READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE USING — SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

⚠ WARNING!

For your safety, the information in this manual must be followed to minimize the risk of fire, explosion, electric shock, and to prevent property damage, personal injury, or death.



⚠ WARNING! WATER HEATER SAFETY

Under certain conditions, hydrogen gas may be produced in a water heater that has not been used for two or more weeks. **HYDROGEN GAS IS EXPLOSIVE.**

If the hot water has not been used for two or more weeks, prevent the possibility of damage or injury by turning on all hot water faucets and allow them to run for several minutes. Do this before using any electrical appliance connected to the hot water system. This simple procedure will allow any built-up hydrogen gas to escape. Since the gas is flammable, do not smoke, use an open flame, or use the appliance during this process.



PROPER INSTALLATION AND MAINTENANCE



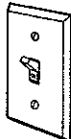
This dishwasher must be properly installed and located in accordance with the Installation Instructions before it is used. If you did not receive an Installation Instructions sheet with your dishwasher, you can receive one by visiting our website at **GEAppliances.com**. In Canada, **GEAppliances.ca**.

- Connect the dishwasher/appliance to a grounded metal, permanent wiring system; or run an equipment-grounding conductor with the circuit conductors and connect to the equipment-grounding terminal or lead of the appliance.
- Improper connection of the equipment-grounding conductor can result in a risk of electric shock. Check with a qualified electrician or service representative if you are in doubt whether the appliance is properly grounded.
- Dispose of discarded appliances and shipping or packing material properly.
- Do not attempt to repair or replace any part of your dishwasher unless it is specifically recommended in this manual. All other servicing should be referred to a qualified technician.
- To minimize the possibility of electric shock, disconnect this appliance from the power supply before attempting any maintenance.

NOTE: Turning the dishwasher off does not disconnect the appliance from the power supply. We recommend having a qualified technician service your appliance.



⚠ CAUTION: To prevent minor injury or property damage

- Contents washed in Anti-bacterial mode, if available, may be hot to the touch. Use care before handling.
- Using a detergent that is not specifically designed for dishwashers will cause the dishwasher to fill with suds.  = 
- If your dishwasher is connected to a wall switch, ensure that the switch is on prior to use. 
- On dishwashers with electronic controls, if you choose to turn the wall switch off between wash cycles, allow 5–10 seconds after turning the switch on before touching **ON/OFF** to allow the control to reboot.
- Non-Dishware Items: Do not wash items such as electronic air cleaner filters, furnace filters and paint brushes in your dishwasher. Damage to dishwasher and discoloration or staining of dishwasher may result.
- Close supervision is necessary if this appliance is used by or near children.
- Load light, plastic items so they will not become dislodged and drop to the bottom of the dishwasher—they might come into contact with the heating element and be damaged.

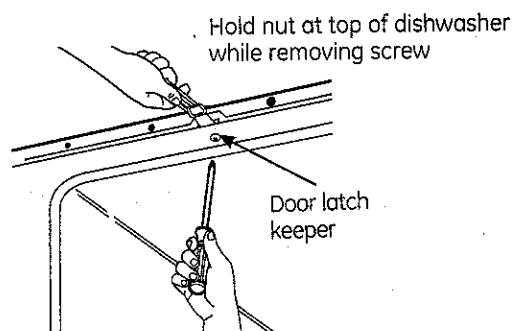
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⚠ WARNING! RISK OF CHILD ENTRAPMENT PROPER DISPOSAL OF THE DISHWASHER

Junked or abandoned dishwashers are dangerous... even if they will sit for "just a few days." If you are getting rid of your old dishwasher, please follow the instructions below to help prevent accidents.

Before You Throw Away Your Old Dishwasher:

- Take off the door of the washing compartment or remove the door latch keeper (as shown).



⚠ WARNING!

When using your dishwasher, follow basic precautions, including the following:

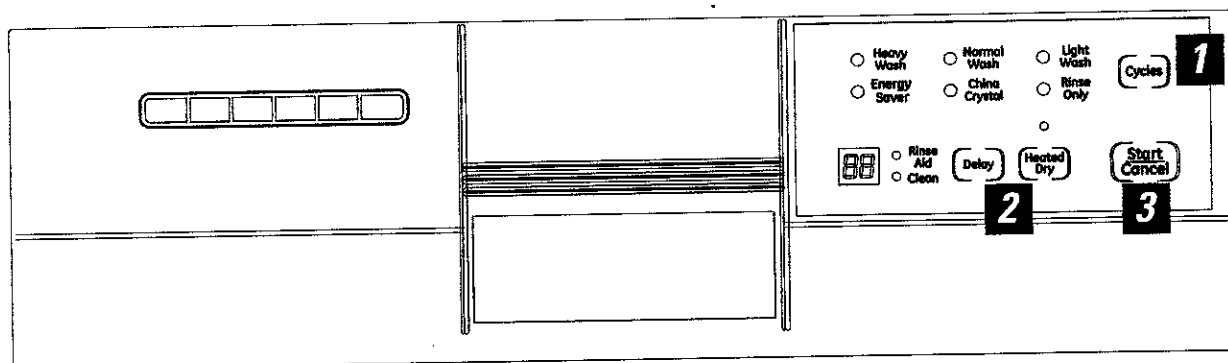
- Use this appliance only for its intended purpose as described in this Owner's Manual.
- Use only powder, tabs, liquid detergents or rinse agents recommended for use in a dishwasher and keep them out of the reach of children. **Cascade®**, **Cascade® Complete** Automatic Dishwashing Detergents, and **Cascade Crystal Clear®** rinse agents have been approved for use in all GE dishwashers.
- Locate sharp items so that they are not likely to damage the door seal.
- Load sharp knives with the handles up to reduce the risk of cut-type injuries.
- Do not wash plastic items unless marked "Dishwasher Safe" or the equivalent. For plastic items not so marked, check the manufacturer's recommendations.
- Do not touch the heating element during or immediately after use.
- Do not operate your dishwasher unless all enclosure panels are properly in place.
- Do not tamper with controls.
- Do not abuse, sit on or stand on the door or dish rack of the dishwasher.
- Do not allow children to play around dishwasher when opening or closing door due to the possibility of small fingers being pinched in door.
- Do not discard a dishwasher without first removing the door of the washing compartment or the door latch.
- Do not store or use combustible materials, gasoline or other flammable vapors and liquids in the vicinity of this or any other appliance.
- Do not allow children to play with, on or inside this appliance or any discarded appliance.



**READ AND FOLLOW THIS SAFETY INFORMATION CAREFULLY.
SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS**

About the dishwasher control panel

You can locate your model number on the tub wall just inside the door. Throughout this manual, features and appearance may vary from your model.



Control Settings

1 Wash Cycles

HEAVY WASH For heavily soiled dishes or cookware with dried-on or baked-on soils. Everyday dishes may be included. This cycle will not remove burned-on foods.

ENERGY SAVER For lightly soiled or pre-rinsed dishes and silverware.

NORMAL WASH For loads of everyday dishes, glasses and cookware with medium soils that have not been pre-rinsed.

NOTE: Many dishes have lighter soil than normal. Choosing a cycle other than "Normal Wash" will save energy and water.

LIGHT WASH For dishes with light soils.

CHINA CRYSTAL For lightly soiled glassware.

RINSE ONLY For rinsing partial loads that will be washed later. DO NOT use detergent.

2 Options

HEATED DRY Turns the heating element on for fast drying. This option will extend the time of your wash cycle. Not available with the "Rinse Only" cycle.

DELAY START To delay the start of a selected cycle, press **DELAY START** pad until the desired delay time shows in the LED indicator. It allows you to automatically start your dishwasher with up to a 24 hour delay. To cancel the **DELAY START** option and begin the cycle before the delay period is over press the **START CANCEL** pad.

3 Start Cancel

When the cycle and options have been selected, make sure the door is closed and press the **STAR/CANCEL** button. To stop or reset the wash cycle, press the **START/CANCEL** button. The dishwasher will start draining. There is a time delay between start-up and water fill so you will not hear any wash action right away.

Using the dishwasher.



Check the Water Temperature

The entering water should be at least 49°C (120°F) and not more than 65°F (150°F) for effective cleaning and to prevent dish damage. Check the water temperature with a candy or meat

thermometer. Turn on the hot water faucet nearest the dishwasher, place the thermometer in a glass and let the water run continuously into the glass until the temperature stops rising.



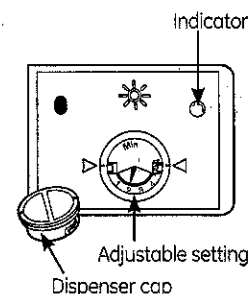
Use Cascade Crystal Clear® Rinse Agent

Cascade Crystal Clear® rinse agent removes spots and prevents new film buildup on your dishes, glasses, flatware, cookware and plastic.

Filling the Dispenser

The rinse agent dispenser holds 99.4 ml of rinse agent. Under normal conditions, this will last approximately one month. Try to keep it full, but do not overfill.

- 1 Make sure the dishwasher door is fully open.
- 2 Turn the dispenser cap to the left and lift it out.
- 3 Add rinse agent until the indicator window looks full.
- 4 Clean up any spilled rinse agent with a damp cloth.
- 5 Replace the dispenser cap.



Rinse Aid Setting

The amount of rinse agent released into the final wash can be adjusted. The factory setting is at the midpoint. If there are rings of calcium (hard water) spots on dishes, try a higher setting. If you observe foam in the final rinse, try a lower setting.

To adjust the setting

Remove the dispenser cap; then turn the adjuster counterclockwise to increase the amount of rinse agent or clockwise to reduce the amount of rinse agent dispensed.

Dish Preparation Prior to Loading

- No prerinsing of normal food soil is required if using Heavy, Normal or Speed wash cycles.
- Scrape off hard soils, bones, toothpicks, skins and seeds.
- Remove large quantities of any remaining food.
- Remove leafy vegetables, meat, trimmings and excessive amounts of grease or oil.
- Remove acidic food soils that can discolor stainless steel.

Portable Models

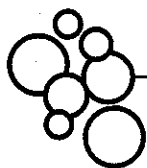
For instructions on how to use the uncouple, please refer to the Installation Instructions.

Cycle Sequence

| Cycle | Water (approx.) | Time (approx.) | Cycle Sequence | | | | |
|---------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-------|------|-------|-------|
| HEAVY WASH | 16.7 l. | 125 min. | Rinse | Rinse | Wash | Rinse | Rinse |
| NORMAL WASH | 13.2 l. | 95 min. | | Rinse | Wash | Rinse | Rinse |
| LIGHT WASH | 13.2 l. | 85 min. | | Rinse | Wash | Rinse | Rinse |
| ENERGY SAVER | 10.2 l. | 65 min. | | Rinse | Wash | Rinse | |
| CHINA CRYSTAL | 10.2 l. | 50 min. | | Rinse | Wash | Rinse | |
| RINSE ONLY | 6.8 l. | 25 min. | Rinse | Rinse | | | |

Drying Options

"Heated Dry" adds approximately 30 minutes to the cycle.
 (Not available on the "Rinse Only" cycle.)



Proper Use of Detergent

Use only detergent specifically made for use in dishwashers. **Cascade®** Automatic Dishwashing Detergent has been approved. Keep your detergent fresh and dry. Don't put detergent into the dispenser until you're ready to wash dishes.

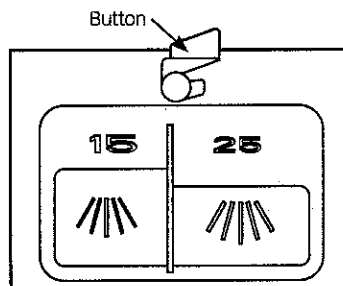
The amount of detergent to use depends on whether your water is hard or soft. With hard water, you need extra detergent. With soft water, you need less detergent.

Protect your dishes and dishwasher by contacting your water department and asking how hard your water is. Twelve or more grains is extremely hard water. A water softener is recommended. Without it, lime can build up in the water valve, which could stick while open and cause flooding. Too much detergent with soft water can cause a permanent cloudiness of glassware, called etching.

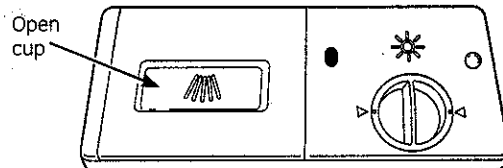
Use the information in the table below as a guideline to determine the amount of automatic dishwasher detergent to place in the dispenser.

When using automatic dishwasher detergent tablets, simply place one tablet in the dispenser and close the cover.

| Number of Grains | Detergent Cups to Fill |
|------------------|------------------------------|
| Less than 4 | 15 cup |
| 4 to 8 | 25 cup |
| 8 to 12 | 15 and 25 cups |
| Greater than 12 | 15, 25 cups and the open cup |

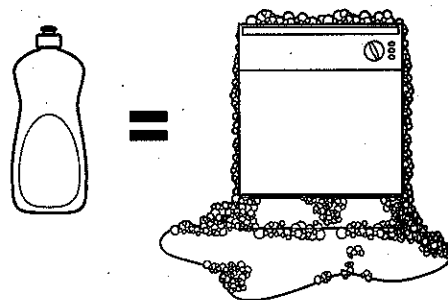


To open the wash cover, press the button and the cover will flip back.



For heavily-soiled loads, use the **HEAVY** wash cycle and add a little extra detergent.

DO NOT USE HAND DISH DETERGENT



NOTE: Using a detergent that is not specifically designed for dishwashers will cause the dishwasher to fill with suds. During operation, these suds will spill out of the dishwasher vents, covering the kitchen floor and making the floor wet.

Because so many detergent containers look alike, store the dishwasher detergent in a separate space from all other cleaners. Show anyone who may use the dishwasher the correct detergent and where it is stored.

While there will be no lasting damage to the dishwasher, your dishes will not get clean using a dishwashing detergent that is not formulated to work with dishwashers.



Forgot to Add a Dish?

A forgotten dish can be added any time before the main wash.

- 1 Pull the door handle to release the door and interrupt the cycle.
- 2 Do not open the door until the water spray action stops. Steam may rise out of the dishwasher.

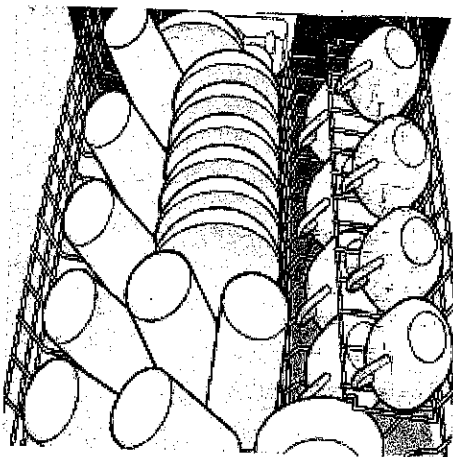
3 Add forgotten dishes.

4 Close the door and push it in to relatch.

NOTE: After the door has been closed again, the dishwasher will resume the wash cycle after approximately 8 seconds. **DO NOT PRESS START/CANCEL DURING THIS PERIOD AS THIS WILL CANCEL THE CURRENT CYCLE AND DRAIN THE DISHWASHER.**

Loading the dishwasher racks.

For best dishwashing results, follow these loading guidelines. Features and appearance of racks and silverware baskets may vary from your model.



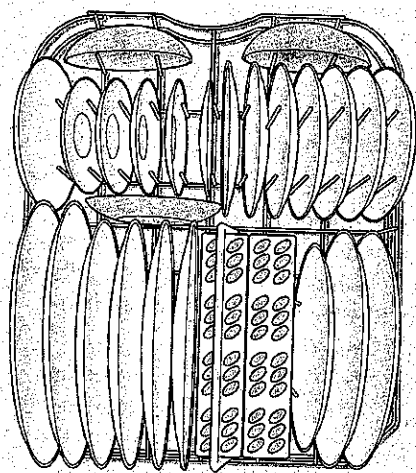
Upper Rack

The upper rack is for glasses, cups and saucers. This is also a secure place for dishwasher-safe plastics. A cup shelf may be placed in the up or down position to add flexibility. The upper rack is good for all kinds of odd-shaped utensils. Saucepans, mixing bowls and other items should be placed face down.

Secure larger dishwasher-safe plastics over two fingers when possible.

Make sure small plastic items are secure so they can't fall onto the heating element.

Be sure that items do not protrude through the bottom of the rack and block rotation of the middle spray arm. This could result in poor wash performance for items in the upper rack.

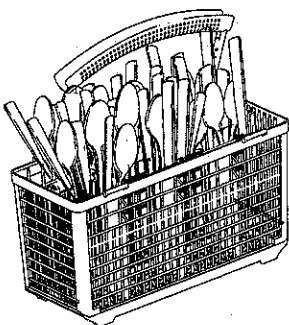


Lower Rack

When loading the lower rack, do not load large platters or trays in the front left corner. They may prevent detergent from circulating during the wash cycle.

The lower rack is best used for plates, saucers and cookware. Large items should go along the sides. Load platters, pots and bowls along the sides, in corners or the back. The soiled side of items should face the center of the rack.

Be careful not to let a portion of any item such as a pot or dish handle extend through the bottom rack. This could block the wash arm and cause poor washing results.

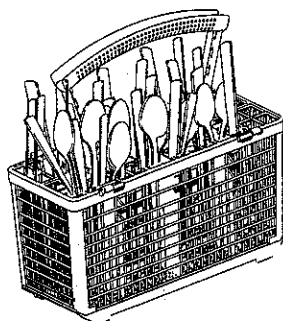


Silverware Basket

The silverware basket may be used without the topper for quick loading; with the topper, it may be beneficial for holding small items in place.

Without the topper

Put the flatware in the removable basket with fork and knife handles up to protect your hands. Place spoons in the basket with handles down. Mix knives, forks and spoons so they don't nest together. Distribute evenly. Small plastic items, such as measuring spoons and lids from small containers, should go in the bottom of the silverware basket with silverware on top.



With the topper

Place small plastic items, such as measuring spoons and lids from small containers, in the bottom of the basket and snap the topper in place. Insert spoons and forks, handles first, through the holes in the topper. Place knives, blades first, through the holes in the topper.

Caring for the dishwasher.

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To clean the control panel, use a lightly dampened cloth, then dry thoroughly. To clean the exterior, use a good appliance polish wax. Never use sharp objects, scouring pads or harsh cleaners on any part of the dishwasher.

Cleaning the Exterior

Cleaning the Door Panel

Before cleaning the front panel, make sure you know what type of panel you have. Refer to the last two letters of your model number. You can locate your model number on the left-hand tub wall just inside the door. If your model number ends with BB or WW, then you have a Painted Door panel. If your model number ends with SS, then you have a Stainless Steel Door panel.

Follow the instructions below for cleaning the door panel for your specific model.

Painted Door Panel (model numbers ending in BB-black or WW-white)

Use a clean, soft, lightly dampened cloth, then dry thoroughly. You may also use a good appliance wax or polish.

Stainless Steel Door Panel (model numbers ending in SS)

The stainless steel panels can be cleaned with Stainless Steel Magic or a similar product using a clean, soft cloth. Do not use appliance wax, polish, bleach or products containing chlorine on Stainless Steel doors.

You can order Stainless Steel Magic #WX10X15 through GE Parts by calling 800.661.1616.

Do not wipe the dishwasher with a soiled dish cloth or wet towel. These may leave a residue. Do not use scouring pads or powdered cleaners because these products can scratch the finish.

Cleaning the Control Panel

To clean the control panel, use a lightly dampened cloth; then dry thoroughly. Do

not use sharp objects, scouring pads or harsh cleaners on the control panel.

Stainless Steel Interior Tub and Inner Door

The stainless steel used to make the dishwasher tub and inner door provides the highest reliability available in a GE

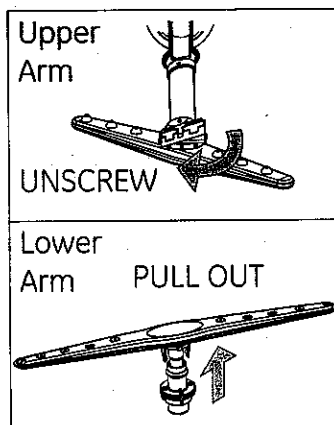
dishwasher. If the dishwasher tub or inner door is ever scratched or dented during normal use, they will not rust or corrode. These surface blemishes will not affect their function or durability.

Cleaning the Spray Arms and the Filters

The dishwasher will flush away all normal food soils. However, objects (fruit pits, bones, etc.) may collect in openings and should be removed occasionally to avoid clogging the drain system.

▲ CAUTION

Personal injury hazard. Before cleaning the interior, wait at least 20 minutes after a cycle for the heating element to cool down. Failure to do so could result in burn injuries.



Cleaning the Spray Arms

Because hard water chemicals will clog the spray arm jets and bearings, it is necessary to clean the spray arms regularly. Wash the arms in soapy, warm water and use a soft brush to clean the jets. Replace them after rinsing thoroughly.

To remove the **upper spray arm**, unscrew the nut clockwise.

To remove the **lower spray arm**, pull upward.

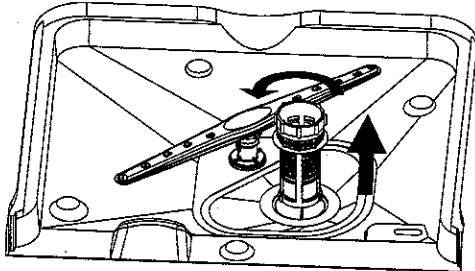
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Cleaning the Spray Arms and the Filters (Continued)

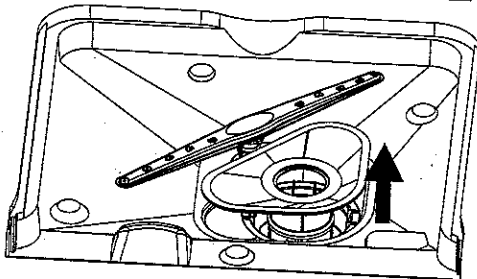
Cleaning the Filters

For best performance and results, the filter assembly must be cleaned **once a month**. The filter efficiently removes food particles from the wash water, allowing water to be recirculated during the cycle. For this reason, it is a good idea to remove the large food particles trapped in the filter frequently by rinsing the

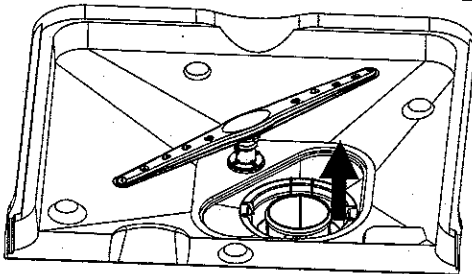
main filter and cup under running water. **To remove the filter assembly, follow the 3 steps shown below.** To clean the main filter and fine filter, use a cleaning brush. The dishwasher must never be used without the filters. Improper replacement of the filter may reduce the performance level of the appliance and may damage dishes and utensils.



STEP 1: Turn the filter counter-clockwise and lift up.



STEP 2: Lift the main filter up



STEP 3: Lift the fine filter up

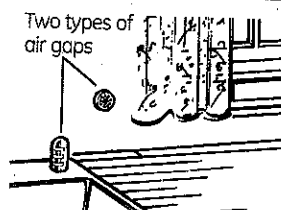
General Care Instructions

Protect Against Freezing

If your dishwasher is left in an unheated place during the winter, ask a service technician to:

- 1 Cut off electrical power to the dishwasher. Remove fuses or trip circuit breaker.
- 2 Turn off the water supply and disconnect the water inlet line from the water valve.

- 3 Drain water from the water inlet line and water valve. (Use a pan to catch the water.)
- 4 Reconnect the water inlet line to the water valve.



Check the air gap any time your dishwasher isn't draining well.

Does Your Dishwasher Have an Air Gap?

An air gap protects your dishwasher against water backing up into it if a drain clogs. The air gap is not a part of the dishwasher. It is not covered by your warranty. Not all plumbing codes require air gaps, so you may not have one.

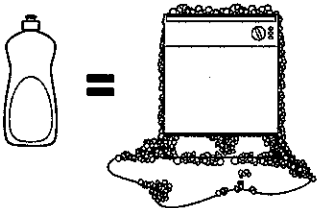
The air gap is easy to clean.

- 1 Turn off the dishwasher and lift off the chrome cover.
- 2 Remove the plastic cap and clean with a toothpick.

Before you call for service...



Troubleshooting Tips - Save time and money! Review the charts on the following pages, or visit GEAppliances.com. In Canada, visit GEAppliances.ca. You may not need to call for service.

| Problem | Possible Causes | What To Do |
|---|--|---|
| Noise | Some of the sounds you'll hear are normal | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Detergent cup opening. The motor starting during the drying period. Water draining out of the tub immediately after you start the dishwasher. |
| | Utensils are not secure in the rack or something small has dropped into the rack | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Make sure everything is secured in dishwasher. |
| | Motor hums | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dishwasher has not been used on a regular basis. If you do not use your dishwasher often, set it to fill and pump out once every week. This will help keep the seal moist. Dishwasher control was not advanced properly to the start of the desired cycle. Advance the control to the start of the desired cycle. |
| Detergent left in dispenser cups | Dishes are blocking the detergent cups | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reposition the dishes. |
| Water standing in the bottom of the tub | Drain is clogged | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> If you have an air gap, clean it. Check to see if your kitchen sink is draining well. If not, you may need a plumber. If the dishwasher drains into a disposer, run disposer clear. |
| | This is normal | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A small amount of clean water around the outlet of the tub bottom at the back of the tub keeps the water seal lubricated. |
| Suds in the tub | Correct detergent wasn't used |  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use only automatic dishwasher detergents to avoid sudsing. Cascade® Dishwashing Detergent has been approved for use in all GE dishwashers. To remove suds from the tub, open the dishwasher and let suds evaporate. Add 3.8 liters of cold water to the tub. Close and latch the dishwasher. Repeat if necessary. |
| | Rinse agent was spilled | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Always wipe up rinse agent spills immediately. |
| Stained dishwasher parts | Detergent with colorant was used | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Some detergents contain colorant (pigment or dyes) that will discolor the tub interior with extended use. Check the detergent cup for signs of any discoloration. If cup is discolored, change to detergent without any colorant. Cascade® Dishwashing Detergents has been approved for use in all GE dishwashers. |
| | Some tomato-based foods can stain | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use of the RINSE ONLY cycle after adding the dish to the load can decrease the level of staining. |
| Dishwasher won't run | Fuse is blown, or the circuit breaker tripped | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Replace fuse or reset circuit breaker. Remove any other appliances from the circuit. |
| | Power is turned off | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> In some installations, the power to the dishwasher is proved through a wall switch, often located next to the disposer switch. Make sure it is on. |
| | Reboot your control | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Turn off power to the dishwasher (at circuit breaker or wall switch) for 30 seconds, then turn back on. |
| Steam | This is normal | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Steam comes through the vent during washing, drying and when water is being pumped out. |
| Beeping at the end of the cycle | This is normal | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The dishwasher will beep 4 times (unless interrupted) and the CLEAN light will display at the end of the wash cycle. |

Before you call for service...

| Problem | Possible Causes | What To Do |
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| Dishes and flatware not clean | Low inlet water temperature | • Make sure inlet water temperature is correct (see page 6). |
| | Water pressure is temporarily low | • Turn on a faucet. Is water coming out more slowly than usual? If so, wait until pressure is normal before using your dishwasher. |
| | Air gap is clogged | • Clean the air gap. |
| | Improper rack loading | • Make sure large dishware does not block the detergent dispenser or the wash arms. |
| | No air gap or high drain loop | • Verify that you have an air gap or a high drain loop. Refer to the Installation Instructions. |
| | Filter needs cleaning | • The filter assembly must be cleaned regularly to allow the filter to efficiently remove food particles from the wash water. See Cleaning the Filter section on page 1. |
| Spots and filming on glasses and flatware | Extremely hard water | • Use Cascade Crystal Clear® rinse agent to remove spots and prevent new film buildup. |
| | Low inlet water temperature | • Make sure water temperature is at least 49°C (120°F). |
| | Overloading the dishwasher / Improper loading | • Load dishwasher as shown in the Loading the Dishwasher Rack section. |
| | Old or damp powder detergent | • Make sure detergent is fresh. |
| | Rinse agent dispenser empty Too little detergent | • If water is extremely hard, a water softener may be required. |
| Cloudiness on glassware | Combination of soft water and too much detergent | • This is called etching and is permanent. To prevent this from happening, use less detergent if you have soft water. Wash glassware in the short cycle that will get them clean. |
| | Water temperature entering the dishwasher exceeds 65°C (150°F) | • Lower the water heater temperature. |
| Black or gray marks on dishes | Aluminum utensils have rubbed against dishes | • Remove marks with a mild, abrasive cleaner. |
| Yellow or brown film on inside surfaces | Tea or coffee stains | • Remove the stain by hand, using a solution of 1/2 cup bleach and 3 cups warm water. |
| | An overall yellow or brown film can be caused by iron deposits in water | <p>⚠ WARNING Before cleaning interior wait at least 20 minutes after a cycle for the heating element to cool down. Failure to do so can result in burns.</p> <p>• A special filter in the water supply line is the only way to correct this problem. Contact a water softener company.</p> |
| White film on inside surfaces | Hard water minerals | • To clean the interior, apply dishwasher detergent to a damp sponge. Wear rubber gloves. Do not use any type of cleanser other than dishwasher detergent because it may cause foaming or sudsing. Cascade Automatic Dishwashing Detergent has been approved for use in all GE dishwashers. |
| Dishes don't dry | Low inlet water temperature | • Make sure inlet water temperature is correct (see page 6). |
| | Rinse agent dispenser is empty | • Check the rinse agent dispenser. |
| Control panel responded to input but dishwasher never filled with water | Door latch may not be properly seated | • Make sure the door is firmly closed. |
| | Water valve may be turned off | • Make sure water valve (usually located under the sink) is turned on. |
| Dishwasher beeps once every 15 seconds | This is normal | • Close the door after opening it mid-cycle. |
| | This is a reminder that the door has been left open during operation | • Press ON/OFF to turn OFF the dishwasher. |

GE Dishwasher Warranty.



All warranty service provided by our Factory Service Centers, or an authorized Customer Care® technician. To schedule service, on-line, visit us at **GEAppliances.com**, or call **800.GE.CARES** (800.432.2737) in the United States. **In Canada, call 1.800.561.3344.** Please have serial number and model number available when calling for service.

Staple your receipt here.
Proof of the original purchase date is needed to obtain service under the warranty.

For The Period Of: GE Will Replace:

One Year

From the date of the original purchase

Any part of the dishwasher which fails due to a defect in materials or workmanship. During this **limited one-year warranty**, GE will also provide, **free of charge**, all labor and in-home service to replace the defective part.

What GE Will Not Cover:

- Service trips to your home to teach you how to use the product.
- Improper installation, delivery or maintenance.
- Failure of the product if it is abused, misused, or used for other than the intended purpose or used commercially.
- Replacement of house fuses or resetting of circuit breakers.
- Damage to the product caused by accident, fire, floods or acts of God.
- Incidental or consequential damage caused by possible defects with this appliance.
- Cleaning or servicing of the air gap device in the drain line.
- Damage caused after delivery.
- Product not accessible to provide required service.

EXCLUSION OF IMPLIED WARRANTIES—Your sole and exclusive remedy is product repair as provided in this Limited Warranty. Any implied warranties, including the implied warranties of merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose, are limited to one year or the shortest period allowed by law.

This warranty is extended to the original purchaser and any succeeding owner for products purchased for home use within the USA. If the product is located in an area where service by a GE Authorized Servicer is not available, you may be responsible for a trip charge or you may be required to bring the product to an Authorized GE Service location for service. In Alaska, the warranty excludes the cost of shipping or service calls to your home.

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Warrantor: General Electric Company, Louisville, KY 40225

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- Service trips to your home to teach you how to use the product.
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- Failure of the product if it is abused, misused, or used for other than the intended purpose or used commercially.
- Replacement of house fuses or resetting of circuit breakers.
- Damage to the product caused by accident, fire, floods or acts of God.
- Damage caused after delivery.

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This warranty is extended to the original purchaser and any succeeding owner for products purchased in Canada for home use within Canada. In home warranty service will be provided in areas where it is available and deemed reasonable by MC Commercial to provide.

WARRANTOR IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES.

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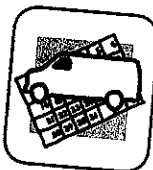
Consumer Support.



GE Appliances Website

Have a question or need assistance with your appliance? Try the GE Appliances Website 24 hours a day, any day of the year! For greater convenience and faster service, you can now download Owner's Manuals, order parts or even schedule service on-line. **In Canada: www.GEAppliances.ca**

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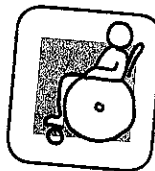


Schedule Service

Expert GE repair service is only one step away from your door. Get on-line and schedule your service at your convenience 24 hours any day of the year! Or call 800.GE.CARES (800.432.2737) during normal business hours.

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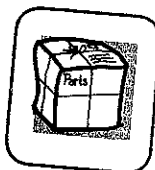
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Instructions contained in this manual cover procedures to be performed by any user. Other servicing generally should be referred to qualified service personnel. Caution must be exercised, since improper servicing may cause unsafe operation.

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