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Philips Domestic Appliances and Personal Care

Service Manual

PRODUCT INFORMATION

Features

- SteamGlide soleplate
- Ionic deep steam
- Easy reach steam tip
- Continuous steam up to 40 g/min
- Shot of steam up to 130 g/min
- Vertical shot of steam
- Drip stop
- Double active calc clean
- Water tank capacity 335 ml
- Power cord length 3.0 m
- Cord winder
- Cord binder (Velcro)
- Ergonomic soft grip
- Automatic safety shut off
- Heat protector

EMF & Safety Information

- This product meets the requirements regarding interference suppression on radio & TV.
- After the product has been repaired, it should function properly & has to meet the safety requirements as officially laid down at this moment.

TECHNICAL INFORMATION

Voltage : 220 - 240 V Frequency : 50 - 60 Hz Power : 2000 - 2400 W

Dimension (F-box) : 13.5 cm x 33.5 cm x 16.8 cm

Product weight : 1.83 kg

Water Advice

Suitable for tap water use. Advise to mix with equal portion of distilled water or use only distilled water if the tap water is very hard.

SteamGlide Soleplate

This specially treated soleplate is designed with 2 distinctly different types of steam vents:

- Large vents for maximum crease removal
- Fine vents for best glide

Ionic deep steam

Ionization process produces smaller steam particles. The finer steam leads to deeper & better penetration into fabrics.

Double active calc clean

Anti-calc cassette inside water tank & calc cleaning feature provide double protection against scale build-up.

Automatic safety shut off

The iron shuts off automatically if remain motionless for 30 sec in horizontal position or 8 min in vertical position.

Cord binder

Velcro strap attachment on the cord allows easy cord storage.

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DISASSEMBLY ADVICE GC4640

BACKPLATE COVER 16

BACKPLATE BUNG 24

BACKPLATE 14

INLAY ASSY 18

FILLING DOOR ASSY 17

TANK TOP SEAL 9

SOS KNOB 22

SPRAY KNOB 23

ASO IONIC 21

IONIZER ASSY 19

WATER TANK-HOUSING-COVER TRIM ASSY 6

CORDSET 25

BALL SWIVEL 15

Disassemble BACKPLATE COVER 16

(see Picture 1 below)

Disassemble BACKPLATE BUNG 24

Remove Screw A

Disassemble BACKPLATE 14

Disassemble Inlay cap
Remove Screw B

Disassemble INLAY ASSY 18
Remove Screw D1, D2, D3
Disassemble ASO IONIC 21

Remove Screws G1, G2, G3, H3

Disassemble WATER TANK-HOUSING-COVER

TRIM ASSY 6

Remove Screw E
Disassemble Ionizer cap

Disassemble IONIZER ASSY19

Disassemble CHAMBER TOP INSERT 20

Remove Screws C1, C2
Remove Cord clamp

Disengage Quick-connectors of CORDSET 25

Disassemble CORDSET 25
Disassemble BALL SWIVEL 15

HOUSING II

COVERTRIM 5

SPRAY PUMP ASSY 7

SOS PUMP ASSY 8

THERMOSTAT DIAL 27

THERMOSTAT BUSH 26

HEAT SHIELD 13

COVER BOTTOM 12

RYTON SPACER 3

DOSING SEAL 4

SOS SEAL 2

SOLEPLATE ASSY I

Remove Screws F1, F2, F3
Disassemble HOUSING 11

Disassemble SPRAY PUMP ASSY 7
Disassemble SOS PUMP ASSY 8
Disassemble THERMOSTAT DIAL 27

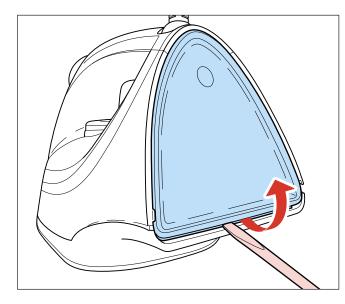
Remove Screws H1, H2
Disassemble COVER TRIM 5

Remove Screw J3

Disassemble HEAT SHIELD 13

Remove Screws J1, J2

Disassemble COVER BOTTOM 12
Disassemble DOSING SEAL 4
Disassemble SOS SEAL 2



Picture 1: Disassemble BACKPLATE COVER

REPAIR INSTRUCTIONS GC4640

- Due to the high wattage of the iron, only the specified cord set must be used.
- Should damage be observed on the CORDSET 25, it must be replaced.
 Continued usage is not allowed.
- If COVER 12 is provided without type plate information eg. type number, voltage etc. When replacing the cover, engrave the type number & voltage on the type plate with a sharp object.
- After the product has been repaired, it should function properly and has to meet the safety requirements & legal regulations as laid down & officially established at this moment.
- The following tests are common checks that are conducted on a repaired product before it is returned to the consumer.

1. Soleplate temperature

Check that soleplate temperature is within IEC requirement.

Measure the temperature of the soleplate after the iron has reached steady state i.e connected to the mains for at least 15 minutes. The table below shows the temperature requirement.

Marking		Soleplate temperature (Deg C)			Maril Caracil		\wedge
		Minimum	Maximum	Nominal + Tolerance	Material, for example		ZYMZ
•	(1 dot)	70	120	95 ± 25	Acetate, elastane, polyamide, polyproylene]/	x x-
••	(2 dots)	100	160	130 ± 30	Cupro, polyester, silk, triacetate, viscose, wool		**
•••	(3 dots)	140	210	175 ± 35	Cotton, linen		₹

2. Leakage current

Check that leakage current is within IEC requirement.

Measure leakage current between LIVE/NEUTRAL & EARTH.

IEC requirement is that at 230 V supply, the EARTH leakage current must be less than 0.75 mA.

3. Water leakage / Functionality

Check that there is no water leakage from any part of the product during operation.

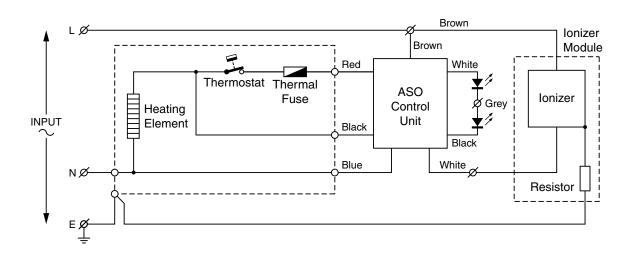
Check that the functionality of the product (product dependent) eg. steaming, variable steam, SOS, ASO etc is working properly.

4. Loose part

Check that there are no loose parts eg. extra screw in the product that can cause short-circuit or product malfunction.

Testpoint

Pos	Service code	Description
1	4239 021 43530	Soleplate assy - Ionic
2	4239 015 57670	SOS seal
3	4239 025 98250	Ryton spacer
4	4239 015 57350	Dosing seal
5	4239 021 44140	Cover trim
6	4239 021 45790	Water Tank-Housing-Cover Trim Assy
7	4239 021 43960	Spray pump assy
8	4239 021 33830	SOS Pump assy
9	4239 015 55800	Tank top seal
10	4239 026 28110	Plastic rattle spring
11	4239 021 45050	Housing ionic assy
12	4239 021 44190	Cover bottom
13	4239 010 10760	Heat shield - Ionic
14	4239 026 29740	Backplate
15	4239 026 29790	Ball swivel
16	4239 026 28510	Backplate cover
17	4239 021 43860	Filling door assy
18	4239 021 45110	Inlay assy
19	4239 021 45480	Ionizer assy
20	4239 021 45540	Chamber top insert
21	4239 021 44010	ASO Ionic
22	4239 026 29620	SOS knob
23	4239 026 29660	Spray knob
24	4239 026 28420	Backplate bung
25	4239 000 10030	Cordset EU
26	4239 026 28140	Thermostat bush
27	4239 021 44210	Thermostat dial
28	4239 026 05990	Filling cup
29	4239 021 44890	Heat protector assy



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