# **Boiler Steam Iron**

GC8351





## **Philips Consumer Lifestyle**

# ServiceManual

# **PRODUCT INFORMATION**

# Features

# Iron

- SteamGlide Soleplate
- Continuous steam in horizontal & vertical position
- Adjustable steam rate up to 120 g/min
- Shot Of Steam up to 230 g/min
- Steam activator lock
- Automatic drip stop
- Soft touch hand grip
- Steam tip for hard-to-reach places
- Steam hose length : 1.7 m

## Stand

- Anti-corrosion Inox boiler
- Boiler sensing : Electronic
- Boiler pressure : 5.0 bar
- Fast heat-up : steam ready in 2 mins.
- Cord length : 2.5 m
- Hose cord storage
- Easy to rinse
- Iron lock for safe storage
- Detachable tank : 1.4 L
- Anti-calc cartridge in water tank

# Safety Information

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

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# **TECHNICAL INFORMATION**

Voltage		: 220 - 240 V
Frequency		: 50 - 60 Hz
Power Iron		: 800 W
В	oiler	: 1370 W
Dimension (F-box)		: 350 x 350 x 250 mm (L x W x H)
Weight (with packing)		: 6.4 kg

## Water advice

If the tap water in your area is very hard, it is advisable to mix the tap water with an equal amount of demineralised water.

## SteamGlide Soleplate

Scratch resistant, non-stick, easy to clean & very durable.

## Fast ironing

Steam ready in 2 minutes & up to 5 bar of steam pressure penetrating deeper into the fabrics.

## Iron lock

Safely store the iron on the stand.

## Easy to rinse

The new design of the rinse cap makes it very easy to rinse the boiler regularly. Simply unscrew the cap and pour out the "dirty" water into the sink.

No hassle with coins, extra tubes or anything of this sort.

## Large detachable water tank

1.4 Liter water tank allows up to 3 hours freedom of ironing without refilling.

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# **DISASSEMBLY ADVICE - IRON**

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BA	BACKPLATE 18		
HOSE CORD ASSY 19			
Remove	Screw A		
Disassemble	BACKPLATE 18		
Remove	Screw B1, B2		
Remove	Clamping plate		
Remove	Power cord quick-connec		
Remove	Hose clip (a)		
Disassemble	Steam hose		
Disassemble	HOSE CORD ASSY 19		

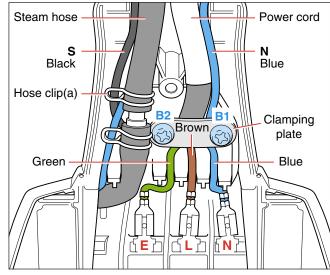


Fig 1. Wiring at rear HOUSING (Part 1)

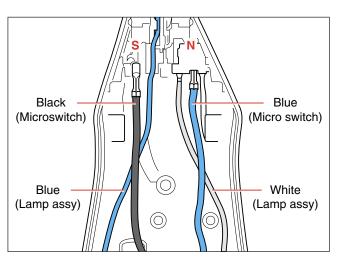


Fig 2. Wiring at rear HOUSING (Part 2)

INLAY 17			
STEAM LOCK 13			
LAMP MOUNTED ASSY 8			
MICROSWITCH ASSY II			
TRIGGER 12			
THERMOSTAT DIAL ASSY 15			
HOUSING PRINTED 10			
SOL FE	PLATE COVER 6		
	1OSTAT BUSH 9		
THERP			
RUBBER HOSE 3			
SOLEPLATE ASSY I			
Remove	Screw A		
Disassemble BACKPLATE 18			
Release Inlay rear catch			
Disassemble INLAY 17			
Disassemble STEAM LOCK 13			
Disassemble MICROSWITCH ASSY 11			

Disassemble TRIGGER 12 Disassemble THERMOSTAT DIAL 15

Screw C

Remove

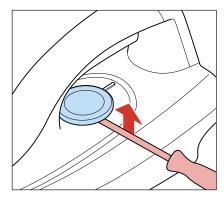


Fig 3.

Remove	Screws D1, D2, D3	
Disassemble	HOUSING PRINTED 10	
Remove	Screws E1, E2, E3	
Disassemble	SOLEPLATE COVER 6	
Remove	Hose clip (b)	
Disassemble	<b>RUBBER HOSE 3</b>	

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Pos	Service code	Description
1	4239 021 41330	Soleplate assy 230 V (Steamglide-SOS)
2	4239 015 56120	Rubber hose (SOS)
3	4239 015 56510	Rubber hose (Dosing)
4	4239 010 10110	Hose clip
5	4239 015 70150	Ryton ring
6	4239 021 32873	Soleplate cover
7	4239 021 31780	Steam deviator assy
8	4239 021 36861	Lamp mounted assy
9	4239 026 13220	Thermostat bush
10	4239 021 64631	Housing printed (Purple)
11	4239 021 31790	Microswitch assy
12	4239 026 42111	Trigger (Dark Purple)
13	4239 026 42121	Steam lock (Purple)
14	4239 010 09290	Trigger spring
15	4239 021 78671	Thermostat dial assy (Purple)
16	4239 026 43641	SOS knob (Purple)
17	4239 026 42131	Inlay SOS (Dark Purple)
18	4239 026 24161	Backplate (White)
19	4239 021 61351	Hose cord mounted assy

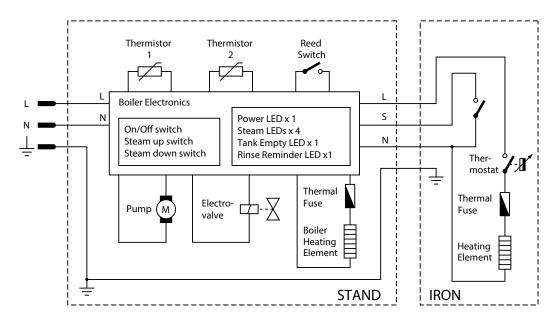
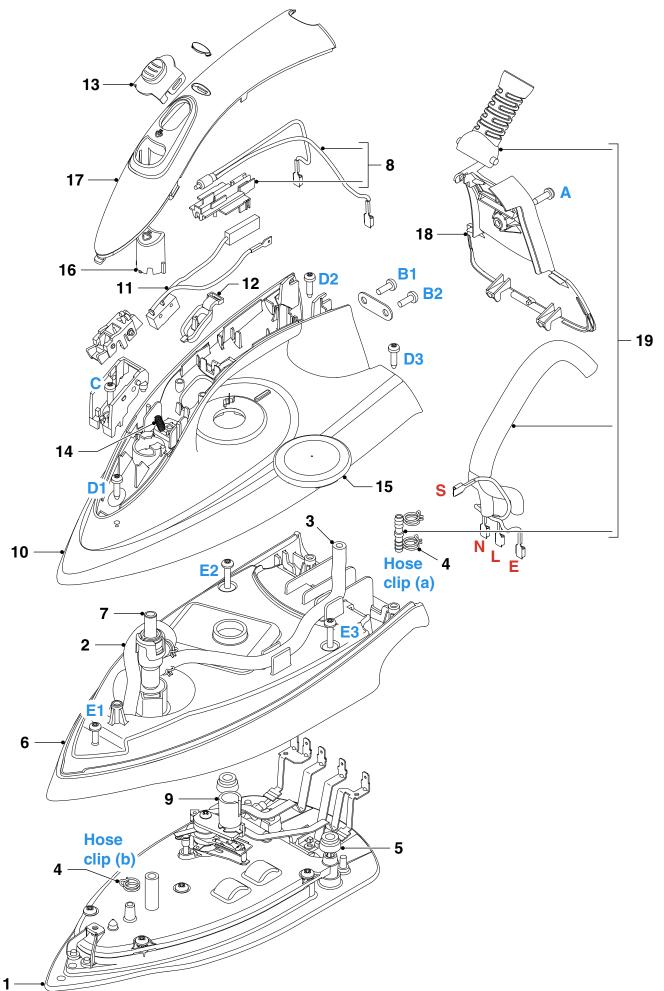


Fig 4. Electrical diagram



# **DISASSEMBLY ADVICE - STAND & DETACHABLE WATER TANK**

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TRAY	RUBBER CAP 37			
BMC TRAY 36				
ST	STAND TOP 24			
FRONT P	ANEL PRINTED 31			
BOIL	BOILER ASSY EE 20			
ELECTROVALVE 21				
POW	POWER BOARD 35			
CONT	ROL BOARD 41			
PU	PUMP ASSY 27			
<b>RINSE RUI</b>	BBER COUPLING 38			
RIN	ISE BUSH 39			
SAFETY CAP ASSY 29				
SAFET	TY CAP ASSY 29			
	TY CAP ASSY 29 WITCH ASSY 33			
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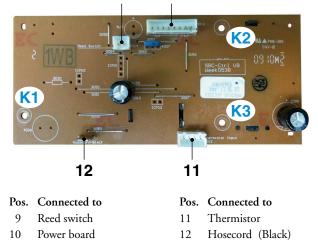


Fig 5. Connections on CONTROL BOARD 41

Remove	Connections 9, 10, 11, 12 (Fig 5)
Remove	Screws at K1, K2, K3 (Fig 5)
Disassemble	CONTROL BOARD 41

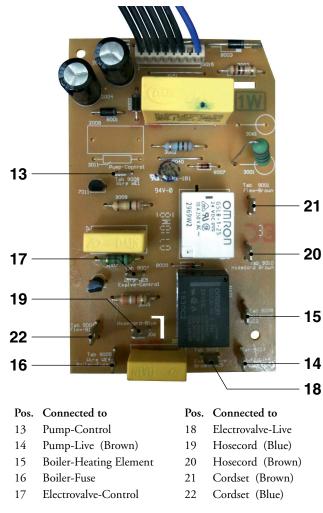


Fig 6. Connections on POWER BOARD 35

WATER TANK ASSY 42

# PARTS LIST - STAND & BOILER WIRING DIAGRAM

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Pos	Service code	Description
20	4239 021 61051	Boiler assy EE
21	4239 017 09892	Electrovalve
22	4239 010 11111	Electrovalve mesh
23	4239 021 62041	Stand bottom EE (Purple)
24	4239 021 62181	Stand top assy (White)
25	4239 026 26113	Spacer bottom
26	4239 026 26123	Spacer top
27	4239 021 62461	Pump assy
28	4239 010 10260	Inox clamp
29	4239 022 62500	Safety cap assy
30	4239 026 21930	Nipple plate
31	4239 021 61161	Front panel printed
32	4239 015 59101	Power button cap (Purple)

Pos	Service code	Description
33	4239 021 31820	Reed switch assy
34	4239 015 56160	Braided rubber hose
35	4239 021 31970	Power board
36	4239 026 42201	BMC tray (Dark purple)
37	4239 015 59111	Tray rubber cap front
38	4239 015 56050	Rinse rubber coupling
39	4239 026 22330	Rinse bush
40	4239 000 11351	Cordset EU
41	4239 021 56881	Control board
42	4239 021 61171	Water tank assy (Transp. purple)
43	4239 015 58201	O-ring
44	4239 026 42081	De air valve

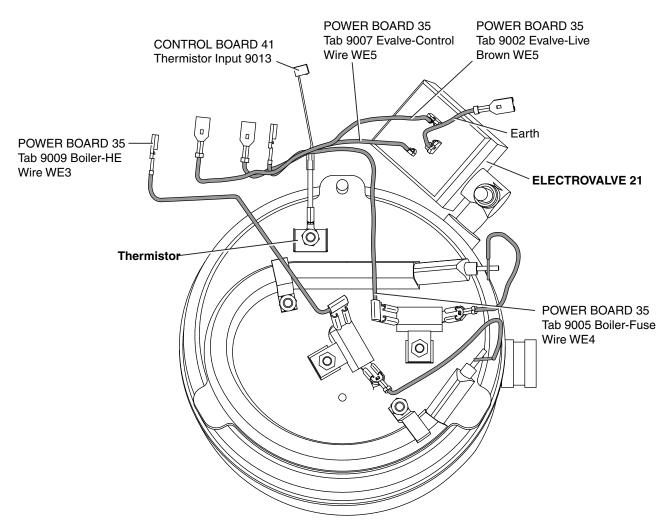
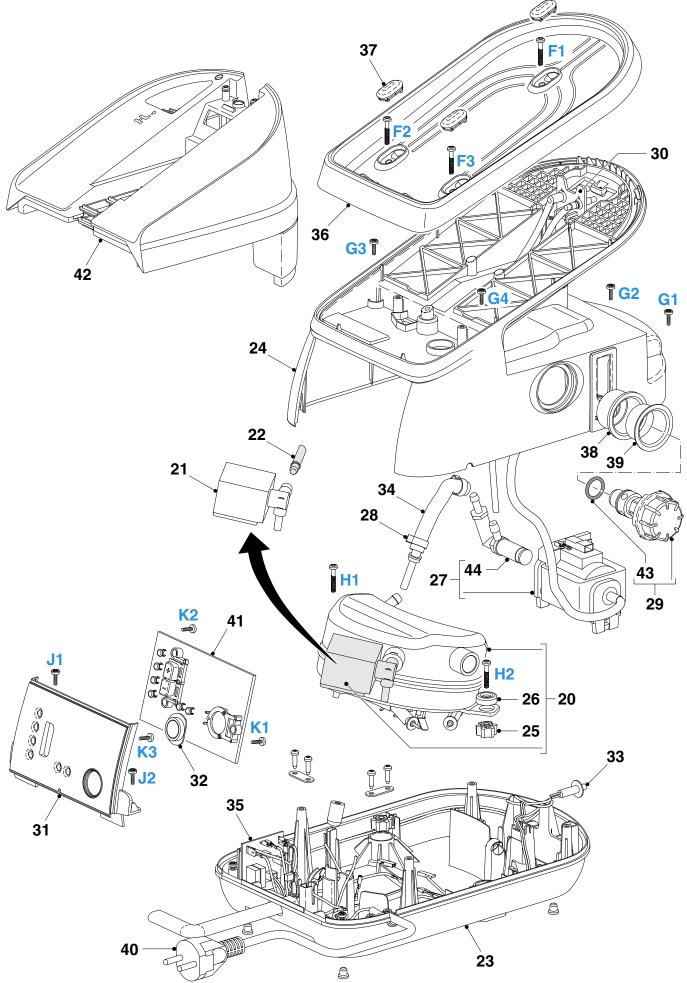


Fig 7. Boiler assy - Wiring Diagram

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## **REPAIR INSTRUCTIONS**

- Due to the high wattage of the iron, only the specified cord set must be used.
- Should damage be observed on the HOSE-CORD ASSY 19 or CORDSET 40, they must be replaced. Continued usage is not allowed.
- When replacing the MICROSWITCH ASSY 11, please dress the 2 attached wires such that they are free of tension. Pulling force on the wires may affect the steam triggering.
- To avoid damage to the sealing & components of the BOILER ASSY 20, NEVER clean the boiler assy with vinegar, descaling agent or other corrosive chemicals.
- When replacing ELECTROVALVE 21 or PUMP ASSY 27, please be reminded to apply loctite at the joints for good sealing.
- 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.

Maulaina	Sole	eplate tempe	rature (Deg C)	Marriel for marrie	
Marking	Minimum	Maximum	Nominal + Tolerance	Material, for example	"MANNA"
• (1 dot)	70	120	95 ± 25	Acetate, elastane, polyamide, polyproylene	x z Test- point
•• (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.