



**VACUUM TRIMMER
INSTRUCTIONS**

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Please read all instructions carefully to familiarise yourself with your new Vacuum Trimmer before using.

Save these instructions for further reference.

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GENERAL USER INFORMATION

Information about using the operation manual

- ▶ Before using the appliance for the first time, you must read and understand the operation manual completely.
- ▶ Consider the operation manual as part of the product and store it in a safe and accessible place.
- ▶ Include this operation manual if passing the appliance on to a third party.
- ▶ In the case of conflicts with national safety specifications or instructions, the national requirements must be followed.

Explanation of symbols and notes



DANGER

Danger of electric shock which may result in serious physical injury or death.



DANGER

Danger of explosion which may result in serious physical injury or death.



WARNING

Warning of possible physical injury or a health risk.



CAUTION

Information about danger of material damage.



Note with useful information and tips.

- ▶ Action to be taken by owner.
1. Carry out these actions in the sequence described.
- List

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Please retain this leaflet for future reference.

READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE USING.

IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

When using this electrical appliance, especially when children are present, basic safety precautions should always be observed including the following.

Requirements

- ▶ Read the instruction manual in full to familiarize yourself with the product before the first use.
- ▶ This appliance can be used by children from aged 14 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. Children shall not play with the appliance. Cleaning and user maintenance shall not be made by children without supervision.
- ▶ Use this appliance only for its intended purpose.

Hazards



Danger! Electric shock due to damage to appliance

- ▶ Do not operate the appliance with a broken cord, plug or charger, or if the appliance malfunctions, or is dropped or damaged in anyway.
- ▶ Any servicing or repair must be performed by an authorized service representative.
- ▶ The use of attachments that are not supplied by the manufacturer may cause fire, electric shock or injury and damage to the appliance.



Danger! Electric shock due to penetration of liquid.

- ▶ To protect against risk of electrical shock, never immerse the unit or let it come into contact with water or any other liquids. Do not use the unit with wet hands. If the appliance should become wet, damp or fall in water, remove plug from mains socket immediately. Do not put your hands in the water. Do not take into bathroom.



Danger of explosion

- ▶ Never use the appliance where aerosol (spray) products are being used or where oxygen is released.

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- ▶ Exhausted batteries/ rechargeable batteries should not be disposed of in the household waste. Dispose of them in a completely discharged state in accordance with local legal regulations. Do not throw into fire where heat could cause them to rupture.



Warning! Injuries due to incorrect handling

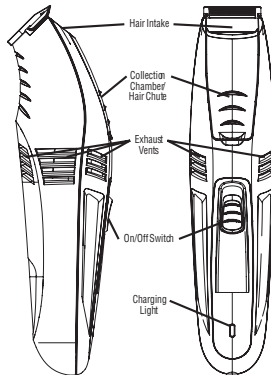
- ▶ Switch off the appliance and unplug from outlet when not in use, before putting on or taking off attachments and also before cleaning the appliance.
- ▶ Never use your appliance without paying attention! Except when charging always unplug this appliance from the electricity outlet immediately after using.



Caution! Danger of product damage

- ▶ Do not wrap the cord around the appliance / charger.
- ▶ Do not use outdoors or in damp areas.
- ▶ Never carry the unit by its power cord.
- ▶ Do not drop or insert any object into any opening.

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OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

RECHARGING

The trimmer cannot be overcharged, so you may charge it as often as desired. However, periodic recharging of the trimmer, rather than continuous recharging, will prolong battery life. Run time may vary depending on coarseness of beard and attachment head used. Charge when trimmer seems to lose power or run slower. The charging LED will pulse while charging. LED will remain lit after charging is complete. This trimmer can conveniently be used with or without the transformer.

1. This trimmer is conveniently designed for household use. It should be allowed to charge completely for 90 minutes before its first use.
2. Remove the trimmer, recharging transformer and accessories from the packing material.
3. Connect the transformer to the trimmer. **BE SURE TRIMMER IS IN THE "OFF - 0" POSITION WHEN CHARGING.**
4. Plug the recharging transformer into any convenient electrical outlet at the correct voltage. LED will remain lit after charging is complete.
5. When trimmer is low in power, it should be connected to the transformer and plugged into an outlet to assure maximum power

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is available when it is next used. This transformer is designed to completely charge the battery without overcharging.

6. The battery will take approximately 90 minutes to charge. The Lithium Ion Trimmer also has quick charge capability.
7. Insert only recharging transformer plug supplied by the manufacturer into charger receptacle.
8. This is a rechargeable cord/cordless trimmer, it can be used with the cord so you can trim even if the charge is low. The trimmer cannot be overcharged, so you may charge it as often as desired. We recommend that the battery be "worked" or discharged by trimming without the cord and by not recharging after every use.

SPECIAL FEATURES

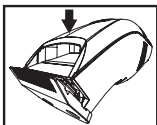
Your trimmer has been designed with several advanced features to help you get perfect results every time you trim. Your trimmer may be used to neatly trim goatees, beards, moustaches, neckline, sideburns around the ears and eyebrows, or anywhere you may need grooming.

A SELF-CONTAINED VACUUM SYSTEM

This captures virtually all the facial hair as it is cut.

The trimmings are vacuumed into an easy-to-empty collection chamber. Trimmings are filtered from the air as it passes through the trimmer. Any trimmings which may fall into your sink or onto your counter top can also be vacuumed up by the trimmer with the blade guard/vac attachment. Should you need a replacement hair chamber, you may purchase one from WAHL.

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Contact our customer services department and ask for part number #88252 (see last page for contact information):

A MULTI-POSITION HAIR-CHUTE

The multi-position hair-chute allows you to adjust the vacuum stream to get the best results for your beard. (SEE A)

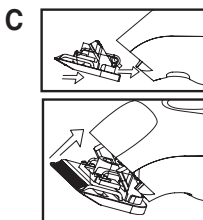
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A 6-POSITION TRIMMING GUIDE COMB

makes achieving a consistent trim easy every time. (SEE B)

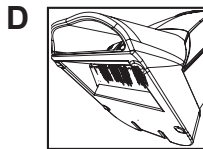
The guide comb can be removed (providing a seventh cutting position) and reattached without changing the preset cutting length, so once you have found the perfect length, there's no guesswork in achieving it with every trim. The guide comb is a two-piece assembly, consisting of a base and a comb. It should not be disassembled. To attach the guide comb, simply slide it on at a slight angle and press the release tab down to secure in position. To remove the guide comb, gently push up on the release tab and slide the assembly away from the trimmer. Adjust the trimming length by pressing on the thumb lever and moving the comb forward or backward to the desired setting.



DETACHABLE BLADE SYSTEM

To remove attachment, turn the trimmer "OFF-0" and pull top edge of blade away from body unit. To attach, align back tab of attachment head to cavity on the inner edge of trimmer unit and push down on top of blade. (SEE C)

Should blades become damaged or dull or if you want additional attachment heads for your trimmer, you may purchase them from WAHL.



BLADE GUARD/VAC ATTACHMENT

Protects blade when storing and can also be used to vacuum up stray hairs after trimming. This attachment works best on dry surfaces. (SEE D)

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PRO TIPS

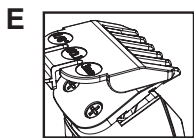
1. Hair cuts best with an electric trimmer/shaver when it is clean and dry. For best results, do not use with wet or damp hair.
2. It can take up to 30 days of regular use to train your hair to a new shaving system. Some irritation may occur during this time. Stick with it. Your hair and skin will adjust, and you will get a great shave.

USING GUIDE COMBS

To attach guide combs, hold comb with the teeth up. Snap guide comb attachment firmly to the bottom of the trimmer blade. (SEE E)

TRIMMING WITH GUIDE COMBS

These attachments are ideal for blending, tapering and defining beards, as well as for achieving a "close trim" stubble look around the face. To use the attachments, go with the hair direction. To achieve closer looks, go against the hair direction.



TRIMMING AND EDGING YOUR BEARD

The following are suggested trimming steps and trimmer positions. You may find different procedures work better for you.

1. Comb your beard in the direction that it grows to help reveal stray hairs that may be longer than the others.
2. Attach a guide to trim and taper your beard. Begin with a guide of a long trimming length. Trim toward your chin in smooth, overlapping strokes, following the lay of your beard. If you trim against the way your beard naturally lays, the trimmer will cut the hair much shorter. (SEE F) Change the trimming guides to progressively shorter lengths until you reach the desired length of beard. You may wish to trim closer near the ear and down



#1	Stubble Length	(2 mm)
#2	Short	(4 mm)
#3	Medium Short	(6 mm)
#4	Medium	(8 mm)
#5	Medium Long	(10 mm)
#6	Long	(12 mm)

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under the chin, changing to a longer guide toward the front of the face and point of your chin.

3. To cut the outline of your beard, remove the trimming guide. Starting under your chin and working back toward

your jawbone and ears, cut the outer perimeter of your beard underneath the jawbone. Continue the line all the way up to the ears and hairline. (SEE G)

4. Accentuate your beard line by using the trimmer in a downward motion. Start at the line you've created and, working from the chin back toward the ears, trim the area right under your beard line.
5. Define the upper part of your beard using the same technique.

TROUBLESHOOTING

- If the trimmer unexpectedly stopped operating, try resetting the device by plugging the trimmer into the charger.
- If your trimmer does not seem to take a charge, check the following before returning it for repair:
 1. Check outlet to make sure it is working by plugging in another appliance.
 2. Make sure the outlet simply is not connected to a light switch which turns the power at the outlet off when lights are turned off.
 3. Be sure the trimmer is properly connected to the recharging transformer, all connections are secure and the switch on the trimmer is turned "OFF - 0."
 4. If your electricity is connected to a master power switch, we suggest the trimmer be disconnected from the charger anytime the master switch is off. Leaving the unit plugged into a dead outlet or an unplugged charger will drain the battery.
 5. If trimmer does not run and it is completely charged, turn the unit "ON - I" and pinch or push the blades manually. (Oil may have dried out between the blades, so they may be temporarily stuck together.)

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LITHIUM-ION BATTERY REPLACEMENT

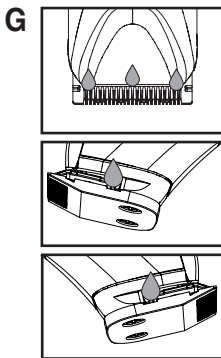
This product uses a lithium-ion battery. For proper disposal of this appliance, please refer to disposal section on page 14. For battery replacement send the entire, intact clipper unit to Wahl (UK) Limited. Do not attempt to remove the battery. Lithium-ion batteries can explode, catch fire, and/or cause burns if disassembled, damaged, or exposed to water or high temperatures.

If you choose not to replace the battery, the entire, intact clipper must be disposed. Do not attempt to remove the battery for disposal. Lithium-ion batteries may be subject to local disposal regulations.

CARE AND CLEANING

BLADE CARE

Trimmer blades have precision-hardened and ground cutting teeth. Blades should be handled carefully and never bumped or used to cut dirty or abrasive material. Clean with the included brush.



OILING BLADES

Properly oil your blade using the 5 Point Oiling Method (SEE G). Place 3 drops of oil along the top of the blade teeth at the left corner, right corner, and centre of the blade. Turn the trimmer to its side and place a drop of oil at the heel of the top blade. Repeat on the other side. Let the trimmer run for 30 seconds to allow the oil to work its way into the blade set.

Wipe away any excess oil. Only wipe the trimmer with a soft cloth, which may be dampened slightly.

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DO NOT USE SOLVENTS OR ABRASIVES!

For best results, put 5 drops of WAHL Clipper Oil on the blades only when necessary, or approximately once a month. Motor bearings are permanently lubricated—do not attempt to oil.

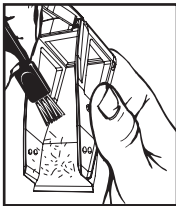
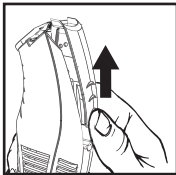
DO NOT OVER OIL!

Excessive oiling or application of liquids will cause damage if allowed to seep back into motor.

CLEANING/STORAGE

To Clean Hair Collection Chamber: Holding the unit upright, press thumb firmly on the bottom of the chamber and slide the collection chamber out. With the hair chamber lid open, tip the chamber down, and gently brush or rinse the trimmings from both the chamber and the screen. Should the filter become detached, it can be easily snapped back into place.

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Be sure components are completely dry before replacing in trimmer body. (SEE H)

Alternate Method to Empty Hair Collection Chamber: Pop open the collection chamber door, and dump trimmings into waste basket. Whisk away any remaining trimmings with cleaning brush.

Before storing your trimmer, use the cleaning brush to whisk any loose hairs from the unit and the blades. Store unit in such a manner so that blades are protected from damage.

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WIRING



WARNING: IF THE TRANSFORMER IS DAMAGED IT MUST BE REPLACED BY THE MANUFACTURERS SERVICE AGENT OR A SIMILARLY QUALIFIED PERSON IN ORDER TO AVOID A HAZARD.

THIS PRODUCT MUST ONLY BE USED WITH THE TRANSFORMER SUPPLIED. SHOULD A REPLACEMENT BE REQUIRED PLEASE CONTACT WAHL CUSTOMER SERVICES.

DISPOSAL



Handle with care! Environmental damage in the case of incorrect disposal.

Correct disposal will ensure environmental protection and prevent any potentially harmful impacts on people and the environment.

Adhere to the relevant legal requirements when disposing of the appliance.

Information on the disposal of electrical and electronic appliances in the European Community:



Within the European Community, national regulations are specified for the disposal of electrical appliances, based on EU Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment Directive 2002/96/EC (WEEE). In accordance with this, the appliance can no longer be disposed of with the local or domestic waste.

The appliance will be accepted free of charge by local collection points or recycling centres.

GUARANTEE

This product is guaranteed against defects in material and workmanship for a period of five years from the date of original purchase or receipt as a gift.

Should this product become defective during the guarantee period, return it to the store of purchase together with your proof of purchase for repair or replacement.

Alternatively within the guarantee period you can return the product to Wahl (UK) Ltd who will repair any such defect or elect to replace the product or any part of it, without charge, provided that there is proof of purchase. Should a replacement be offered this will not extend the original guarantee period.

The guarantee becomes invalid in the case of misuse, alteration or repair by unauthorised persons.

This guarantee does not include blades, cables, shaver heads, foils and cutters etc which are consumable parts.

This product is design for domestic use only and use within a professional environment will invalidate the guarantee.

This guarantee in no way affects your rights under statutory law in the United Kingdom.

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