



# PREMIUM GARMENT STEAMER & FABRIC SHAVER

Model Number IA3744



**INSTRUCTION MANUAL**

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## Premium Garment Steamer & Fabric Shaver Warranty Details

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The product is guaranteed to be free from defects in workmanship and parts for a period of 12 months from the date of purchase. Defects that occur within this warranty period, under normal use and care, will be repaired, replaced or refunded at our discretion. The benefits conferred by this warranty are in addition to all rights and remedies in respect of the product that the consumer has under the Competition and Consumer Act 2010 and similar state and territory laws.

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# General Information & Safety Instructions

Read this manual thoroughly before first use, even if you are familiar with this type of product. The safety precautions enclosed reduce the risk of fire, electric shock and injury when correctly adhered to. Please keep this user manual in a safe place along with your purchase receipt, warranty certificate and carton for future reference. If applicable, pass these instructions and packaging on to the next owner of the appliance. Always follow basic safety precautions and accident prevention measures when using an electrical product.

## Electrical Safety and Cord Handling

1. Before turning on the Stirling® Garment Steamer ensure the electrical voltage and frequency of the circuit corresponds to those indicated on the rating label of the product.
2. To protect against fire and electric shock, do not immerse these appliances, cord, plug or USB charging cable in water or any other liquid.
3. Do not use an extension cord unless completely necessary with the Garment Steamer. If an extension cord is used please ensure that it has a rating equal or exceeding the rating of this product.
4. Do not use the Garment Steamer with a power board or double adaptor as this may overheat and create a fire risk.
5. Do not pull or carry the Garment Steamer by the cord, use the cord as a handle, close a door on the cord or pull the cord around sharp edges or corners. Keep the cord away from heated surfaces.
6. Do not pull or carry the Fabric Shaver by the USB charging cable.
7. Do not bend or damage the power cord or the USB charging cable.
8. Never force the plug into an outlet.
9. Always unplug the Garment Steamer when not in use. To disconnect from the power supply, grip the plug and pull from the power outlet. Never pull by the cord. The plug must be removed from the power outlet before cleaning, servicing, maintenance or moving the Garment Steamer.
10. The Garment Steamer and Fabric Shaver are not intended to be operated by means of an external timer or separate remote control system.
11. Do not use the Garment Steamer if the plug, cord or the Garment Steamer itself is damaged. Do not use the Fabric Shaver if the USB charging cable or the Fabric Shaver itself is damaged. Please contact our After Sales Support line for further advice.

# General Information & Safety Instructions (cont.)

12. Unless your home is already fitted with a residual current device (safety switch), we recommend installing an RCD with a rated residual operating current not exceeding 30mA to provide additional safety protection when using electrical appliances. See your electrician for professional advice.

## Usage Conditions and Restrictions

1. The Garment Steamer and Fabric Shaver are intended for indoor household use only and not for commercial purposes.
2. Do not use the Garment Steamer or Fabric Shaver for reasons other than their intended use.
3. The Garment Steamer and Fabric Shaver are not toys. Supervise children to ensure they do not play with these appliances. Keep the Garment Steamer and Fabric Shaver out of reach of children.
4. The Garment Steamer and Fabric Shaver are not intended for use by persons (including children) with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities or lack of experience or knowledge unless they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the product by a person responsible for their safety.
5. Do not leave the Garment Steamer unattended when plugged in. Always switch off and unplug when you are not using the Garment Steamer.
6. Do not leave the Fabric Shaver unattended when charging. Always unplug the USB charging cable from the USB charging port when finished charging.
7. Do not cover the Garment Steamer or Fabric Shaver whilst in use. If covered there may be a risk of fire.
8. These units have no user-serviceable parts contained within. Do not attempt to repair, disassemble or modify the Garment Steamer or Fabric Shaver. This will void the warranty.
9. Improper installation may result in the risk of fire, electric shock or injury to person.
10. The manufacturer is not responsible for any eventual damage caused by improper or faulty use.
11. The use of attachments not sold or recommended by the manufacturer may cause fire or electric shock or injury.
12. To reduce the risk of electrocution, never operate these appliances with wet hands, submerge underwater or spill liquids into the Garment Steamer or Fabric Shaver.
13. Do not use the Garment Steamer or Fabric Shaver outdoors or near any source of water including in the immediate surroundings of a bath, shower or swimming pool.

# General Information & Safety Instructions (cont.)

14. Do not use the Garment Steamer or Fabric Shaver directly under an open window as rain may cause electric shock.
15. The Garment Steamer and Fabric Shaver are not intended to be operated by means of an external timer or any type of separate remote control system.

## Handling and Usage

### Garment Steamer:

1. Always operate the Garment Steamer on a dry, flat, heat resistant surface, such as an ironing board. Operating on sinks or uneven surfaces should be avoided.
2. It is recommended to use de-ionised, demineralised or distilled water (available from most large supermarkets) in the Garment Steamer as tap water contains minerals which can be left behind (in the form of lime scale) and over time can affect the performance of the Garment Steamer.
3. Do not touch hot surfaces and always allow the Garment Steamer to cool down before refilling the water tank, cleaning, descaling or storing the Garment Steamer.
4. Do not use the Garment Steamer on an inclined or unstable surface.
5. Do not use the Garment Steamer if the unit has been dropped, there are visible signs of damage or the Garment Steamer is leaking.
6. Never add cleaning detergents to the Garment Steamer water tank. This will make the operation unsafe and damage the unit.
7. Do not operate the Garment Steamer when the water tank is empty as this may damage the appliance.
8. Never block the steam openings of the Garment Steamer or leave it on a soft surface, where the steam openings may be blocked. Keep the steam openings free of lint, hair and the like. Do not use the Garment Steamer if any openings are blocked.

### Fabric Shaver:

1. Always operate the Fabric Shaver on a dry, flat, stable surface. Operating on sinks or uneven surfaces should be avoided.
2. Only charge the Fabric Shaver with the 5V USB charging cable that has been supplied with the unit.
3. Always unplug the USB charging cable from the Fabric Shaver once finished and before cleaning or assembling.

# General Information & Safety Instructions (cont.)

4. Always unplug the USB charging cable from the charging port before using the Fabric Shaver.
5. Do not use the Fabric Shaver on an inclined or unstable surface.
6. Do not use the Fabric Shaver if the unit has been dropped or there are visible signs of damage.
7. Keep your hands away from blade attachment of the Fabric Shaver to reduce the risk of injury. The end of the cleaning brush or other suitable tool should be used when removing the blade attachment.
8. Be careful when handling the blade attachment, especially when cleaning, as the razor blades are very sharp.
9. Do not come into contact with the moving parts of the Fabric Shaver.
10. Do not operate the Fabric Shaver without the mesh blade protector and lint catcher correctly and securely attached. This is extremely dangerous.
11. Do not wash or rinse the blade attachment, mesh blade cover or lint catcher. Only use the cleaning brush (included) to clean these parts. You may use a soft, dry cloth to remove any remaining lint particles on the mesh blade cover and lint catcher.
12. Do not use the blade attachment, mesh blade protector or lint catcher if they are cracked or broken.
13. Only use the Fabric Shaver on a dry, flat, stable surface. Do not use the Fabric Shaver on a garment while you are wearing it.
14. Never use the Fabric Shaver on anything other than fabric.
15. Never use the Fabric Shaver on skin, or to remove body hair. This is extremely painful and dangerous.
16. To prevent damage to the fabric:
  - a. Always test the Fabric Shaver on a small, inconspicuous area before using on the whole garment, furniture, rug etc.
  - b. Avoid using the Fabric Shaver on delicate areas such as buttons, zips and decorations.
  - c. Take care when using on delicate and fine fabrics. Do not use the Fabric Shaver on soft materials such as mohair, cashmere or silk.



# General Information & Safety Instructions (cont.)

17. It is recommended to clean the Fabric Shaver and blade attachment immediately after each use to maintain the blade attachment and motor performance.

**WARNING:** The Garment Steamer operates with steam. Be extremely careful when using to avoid scalding and burns.

**WARNING:** Steam can scald. Take care to avoid contact with any steam emitted from the Garment Steamer when in use. Keep all body parts, including hands and feet away from escaping steam. Never turn the Garment Steamer upside down when it is in use.

**WARNING:** Never direct steam towards people, animals, plants or equipment containing electrical components.

**WARNING:** Do not leave your Garment Steamer stationary whilst in use at any time to avoid any possible damage to your garments or fabrics.

**WARNING:** Never use the Garment Steamer without water in the water tank. Do not remove the water tank when the Garment Steamer is in operation.

**WARNING:** Do not attempt to steam any garments whilst being worn by a person. Steam will penetrate the garment and can scald.

**WARNING:** Always unplug the Garment Steamer from the power outlet before removing the water tank.

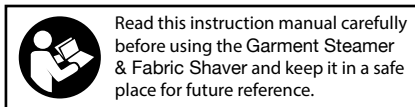
**WARNING:** Do not attempt to use the Fabric Shaver on any garments whilst being worn by a person.

**NOTE:** This Fabric Shaver has a safety mechanism which deactivates the unit when the mesh blade cover is removed or not correctly attached. This is a safety feature, so that the Fabric Shaver does not accidentally power on, while you are disassembling the unit for cleaning or reassembling the unit.

**NOTE:** The Fabric Shaver contains batteries that are non-replaceable.

**NOTE:** The Fabric Shaver will not operate unless the mesh blade cover is attached. This is a safety feature and not a product fault.

**WARNING:** Keep the appliance dry.



The Regulatory Compliance Mark (RCM) shows that a product is safe to supply to the Australia market.

# Product Overview



## Garment Steamer

1. Steam Plate
2. Ready Indicator Light (green)
3. Heating Indicator Light (orange)
4. Steam Button
5. Main Body
6. Water Tank Side Grips
7. Water Tank
8. Hanging Loop
9. Measuring Cup
10. Protective Pouch

**Included (not pictured):** Instruction Manual, Quick Start Guide, Warranty Certificate.

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# Product Overview (cont.)



## Fabric Shaver

1. Power Button
2. Main Body
3. Contour Grip
4. USB Charging Port
5. Blade Attachment
6. Mesh Blade Cover
7. Lint Catcher
8. Magnetic Cover
9. Power (green) / Charge (red) Indicator Light
10. Cleaning Brush
11. Micro USB Charging Cable
12. Protective Pouch

# Getting Started

Prior to using your Garment Steamer and Fabric Shaver, please read all the safety and operating instructions thoroughly. Please ensure you follow the steps below before using these appliances. We recommend storing the Garment Steamer and Fabric Shaver in their protective pouches and keep the combined units in the original packaging when not in use.

1. Unpack the appliances but keep all packaging material until you have made sure your new Garment Steamer and Fabric Shaver are undamaged and in good working order. Plastic wrapping can be a suffocation hazard for babies and children, so ensure all packaging materials are out of their reach.
2. Ensure you have all items and accessories listed in the Product Overview section of this instruction manual.
3. Remove the cable ties, uncoil the power cord and USB charging cable and straighten them to remove any kinks. Do not use the Garment Steamer or Fabric Shaver if these parts are damaged. In case of damage, phone the After Sales Support line on 1300 777 137 for advice.
4. Inspect the power cord, USB charging cable, Garment Steamer and Fabric Shaver for damage or wear before each use.

**NOTE:** You may notice a slight odour being emitted from the Garment Steamer and Fabric Shaver during the initial use. This is normal and will cease with continued use.

# Instructions

## Filling the Water Tank

Before operating the Garment Steamer, the water tank must first be filled before use. Please follow the instructions below on how to fill the water tank of the Garment Steamer.

**TIP:** It is recommended to only use purified or distilled water in the Garment Steamer.

1. Ensure that the Garment Steamer is completely cool, and the power cord is disconnected from the power outlet.
2. To detach the water tank, hold the Garment Steamer upright in one hand. With the other hand, grasp the side grips and slide the water tank downwards and away from the main body (Fig. 1).
3. Fill the measuring cup (included), up to the 85ml mark.

**NOTE:** The maximum water capacity of the Garment Steamer is 85ml. Do not overfill the water tank as this can damage the Garment Steamer.

4. Lift the water tank plug and carefully pour the water into the tank slowly, to allow the air inside the water tank to escape (Fig. 2).
5. Close the water tank plug. Ensure it is pressed into place and secure.
6. To reattach the water tank, hold the Garment Steamer upright in one hand. With the other hand, position the water tank so that the tabs on the water tank align with the grooves on the main body. Then slide the water tank upwards until it is securely attached to the main body (Fig. 3).

**NOTE:** Do not overfill the water tank as this will affect the operation of the Garment Steamer.

**CAUTION:** Ensure the outside of the water tank is dry before reattaching to the Garment Steamer.

**WARNING:** Never use the Garment Steamer without water in the water tank. Do not remove the water tank when the Garment Steamer is in operation.

**WARNING:** Do not attempt to fill the water tank while the Garment Steamer is still hot or connected to a power outlet. Always switch off and unplug from the power outlet and allow the Garment Steamer to cool completely before filling the water tank.



**Fig. 1**



**Fig. 2**



**Fig. 3**

# Instructions (cont.)

**NOTE:** When the water tank requires refilling, the sound of the water pump will increase in volume and there will be less steam being emitted from the Garment Steamer. When this occurs, turn off the Garment Steamer immediately, disconnect the power cord from the power outlet, allow time for the Garment Steamer to cool and then follow the instructions on page 13 for how to fill the water tank.

## Using the Garment Steamer

Steaming is an easy, innovative, and effective alternative to ironing. The hot steam helps keep clothes fresh, smooth, and crinkle-free. The Garment Steamer can be used on most fabrics, including garments and household fabrics such as rugs and upholstery. Please follow the instructions below to achieve the best results when using the Garment Steamer.

1. Before using the Garment Steamer, ensure the water tank is filled with water and securely attached to the Garment Steamer. Please see page 13 for instructions on how to fill the water tank.

**WARNING:** Never plug the Garment Steamer into a power outlet and switch on, unless the water tank is filled with water and securely attached to the Garment Steamer.

2. Place the Garment Steamer horizontally on a flat, stable, heat resistant surface with the steam plate pointing away from you.
3. Plug the cord into a power outlet and switch on the outlet. The heating indicator light will illuminate, indicating the Garment Steamer is on and is in the process of heating up (Fig. 4).
4. Once the heating indicator light turns off and the ready indicator light illuminates, the Garment Steamer is ready to use (Fig. 5).

**NOTE:** The Garment Steamer will take approximately 25-30 seconds to heat up once it is plugged into a power outlet and switched on at the outlet.

**NOTE:** During steaming the heating indicator and ready indicator lights will cycle on and off as the thermostat regulates the steam temperature. It is recommended to stop steaming while the heating indicator light is on. You can continue to use the Garment Steamer while the heating light is illuminated, however a small amount of water may emit from the Garment Steamer. This is normal and not a product fault.

5. Place the steam plate against the garment and press and hold the steam button (⊕ button). Move the Garment Steamer in an upward and downward motion or side to side motion, to remove the creases (Fig. 6).



Fig. 4



Fig. 5



Fig. 6

# Instructions (cont.)

**NOTE:** When using the Garment Steamer, a small amount of water may emit from the steam plate. This is normal and not a product fault.

**NOTE:** A full water tank will supply approximately 8-9 minutes of continuous steam. Steam will run continuously until the water tank is empty or the steam button (⊕ button) is released.

**NOTE:** If the water tank needs to be refilled during a steaming job, turn off the Garment Steamer immediately, disconnect the power cord from the power outlet, allow time for the Garment Steamer to cool and then follow the instructions on page 13 for how to fill the water tank.

**NOTE:** It is recommended to use the Garment Steamer for a maximum of 8 minutes in one steaming session. Allow the Garment Steamer to rest and cool down completely before resuming steaming.

**WARNING:** We recommend conducting a patch test on an inconspicuous area prior to using the Garment Steamer on the whole garment or fabric.

6. To remove creases on t-shirts, blouses, shirts, and other similar garments, steam the garment from the inside (Fig. 7).



**Fig. 7**

**WARNING:** When steaming the garment from the inside, always ensure you are pointing the steam plate away from you. Never use the Garment Steamer with the steam plate pointing towards you.

7. To use the Garment Steamer horizontally like an iron, place the garment on a dry, flat, heat resistant surface such as an ironing board. Holding the garment in place with one hand, move the Garment Steamer horizontally in a forward and backward motion (Fig. 8).



**Fig. 8**

**NOTE:** When using the Garment Steamer horizontally, a small amount of water may emit from the steam plate. This is normal and not a product fault.

8. Once you have finished steaming, release the steam button (⊕ button). Place the Garment Steamer on a flat, dry, heat resistant surface, with the steam plate pointing away from you. Switch off and unplug from the power outlet. Allow the Garment Steamer to cool down completely before cleaning and storing in the protective pouch.

**TIP:** You can use the Garment Steamer to refresh household fabrics such as rugs or upholstery. Before using the Garment Steamer on these items, it is recommended to vacuum first to remove any dust, hair, animal fur and any other debris.

**WARNING:** Do not attempt to steam any garments whilst being worn by a person. Steam will penetrate the garment and can scald.

# Instructions (cont.)

**WARNING:** Do not operate the Garment Steamer for longer than 8 consecutive minutes as this may cause damage to the unit.

**WARNING:** Steam can scald. Take care to avoid contact with any steam emitted from the Garment Steamer when in use. Keep all body parts, including hands and feet away from escaping steam. Never turn the Garment Steamer upside down when it is in use.

**WARNING:** Never direct steam towards people, animals, plants or equipment containing electrical components.

**WARNING:** Never press the steam button (⊕ button) before the ready indicator light (green light) illuminates.

**WARNING:** Do not hold the Garment Steamer stationary while steaming to avoid any possible damage to the fabric.

**WARNING:** Do not leave the Garment Steamer unattended while it is connected to a power outlet.

**WARNING:** Water from the steam plate may be hot after a steaming session. Let the appliance cool down for at least 60 minutes before cleaning or handling.

**WARNING:** Never tilt the Garment Steamer backwards while steaming, doing so may result in hot water discharge.

**WARNING:** Do not allow the Garment Steamer to boil dry as this may damage the unit. Carefully monitor the water level as you are using the Garment Steamer. When the water tank requires refilling, the sound of the water pump will increase in volume and there will be less steam being emitted from the Garment Steamer. When this occurs, turn off the Garment Steamer immediately, disconnect the power cord from the power outlet, allow time for the Garment Steamer to cool and then follow the instructions on page 13 for how to fill the water tank.

**WARNING:** Steam will continue to flow out of the steam plate after the Garment Steamer has been switched off. Always ensure that the Garment Steamer is not left unattended while it is still hot.

**WARNING:** Do not leave the Garment Steamer unsupervised once switched off. The residual steam inside the Garment Steamer can scald after the unit has been switched off.

## Thermostat Function

The thermostat regulates the steam temperature of the Garment Steamer. Please note that this will cause the heating indicator light to cycle on and off; this is not a product fault and is part of the operation of the Garment Steamer. When the water is heating up, the heating indicator light will illuminate. Once the water has reached working temperature, the heating indicator light will turn off and the ready indicator light will illuminate. Both the heating and ready indicator lights will cycle on and off during use, as the thermostat regulates the steam temperature.



# Instructions (cont.)



**NOTE:** It is recommended to stop steaming while the heating indicator light (orange light) is on. You can continue to use the Garment Steamer while the heating light is illuminated, however a small amount of water may emit from the Garment Steamer. This is normal and not a product fault.

## Using the Fabric Shaver

The Fabric Shaver gently removes pills from fabric to repair and smooth the damaged fabric surface. The Fabric Shaver can be used on most fabrics, including garments and household fabrics such as rugs and upholstery. Please follow the instructions below to achieve the best results when using the Fabric Shaver.

1. Charge the Fabric Shaver fully before use with the USB charging cable (included). The power indicator light will illuminate red while the Fabric Shaver is charging. Once the Fabric Shaver is fully charged, the power indicator light will illuminate green and the Fabric Shaver is ready for use.

**NOTE:** The Fabric Shaver will take approximately 3-4 hours to charge. It will arrive partially charged, but for maximum power, ensure it is fully charged before first use.

2. Place the garment on a dry, flat, stable surface. Remove the magnetic cover (Fig. 9). Press the  button to turn the Fabric Shaver on. The power indicator light will illuminate green, the Fabric Shaver will make a buzzing sound and the blades inside will rotate. Using light pressure, carefully start circling the area intended for maintenance. (Fig. 10). Gradually increase the pressure.
3. Once you are finished using the Fabric Shaver, press the  button to turn the Fabric Shaver off. Replace the magnetic cover.

**TIP:** Before using the Fabric Shaver on household fabrics such as rugs and upholstery, it is recommended to vacuum first, to remove any dust, hair, animal fur and any other debris.

**NOTE:** The Fabric Shaver can be operated for up to 30 minutes when fully charged.

**NOTE:** Do not leave the Fabric Shaver unattended when charging. Always switch off and unplug when you are not charging the Fabric Shaver.

**NOTE:** When the Fabric Shaver requires cleaning, the motor will slow down, or sound laboured. If you are working with a heavily pillied fabric, you may need to clean the Fabric Shaver more regularly. Please see page 19 for instructions on how to clean the Fabric Shaver.



**Fig. 9**



**Fig. 10**

# Cleaning and Maintenance

## Cleaning the Garment Steamer

1. Always switch off, unplug from the power outlet, and allow the Garment Steamer to cool completely before removing the water tank or cleaning the unit.
2. Wipe the exterior of the Garment Steamer with a soft, slightly damp cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners or detergents as this can damage the unit. Dry the exterior thoroughly with a soft dry cloth.
3. Before packing the Garment Steamer away for storage, ensure it has completely cooled down and is clean and dry.

**WARNING:** Allow the Garment Steamer to cool completely before cleaning or storing the unit.

**WARNING:** Do not immerse the Garment Steamer in water or any other liquids.

**WARNING:** Do not use harsh or abrasive cleaners, solvents, or metal scourers on the Garment Steamer as these will damage the product.

**WARNING:** Do not attempt to remove excess unused water from the Garment Steamer until it has cooled completely.

## Descaling the Garment Steamer

In the event tap water is being used, we recommend you descale the Garment Steamer regularly. How often you descale the Garment Steamer depends on the usage and performance of the unit. Generally, if there is less steam being generated it may indicate the below steps should be undertaken.

1. Before descaling, check the Garment Steamer has completely cooled down, is switched off and unplugged from the power outlet.
2. Prepare a solution consisting of 40ml of water and 40ml of vinegar.
3. Remove the water tank from the Garment Steamer and open the water tank plug. Please see page 13 for instructions on how to remove the water tank. Empty any remaining water in the tank into a sink.
4. Add the solution to the water tank. Replace the water tank plug and reattach the water tank to the Garment Steamer. Please see page 13 for instructions on how to attach the water tank.
5. Plug the Garment Steamer into a power outlet and switch on at the outlet. Press and hold the steam button (ⓘ button) for 3-4 minutes or until approximately half of the solution has been used up.

# Cleaning and Maintenance (cont.)

6. Release the steam button (⊕ button). Switch off and unplug from the power outlet. Allow the Garment Steamer to cool down completely. Remove the water tank, open the plug and empty the remaining solution into a sink.
7. Fill the water tank with 85ml of clean water, then empty the water into a sink. This will help to remove any leftover solution remaining in the water tank.
8. Fill the water tank again with 85ml of clean water, close the plug and reattach the water tank to the Garment Steamer.
9. Plug the Garment Steamer into a power outlet and switch on at the outlet. With the Garment Steamer facing downwards, press and hold the steam button (⊕ button) for approximately 4 minutes. This will help to remove any leftover solution remaining inside the main unit.
10. Release the steam button (⊕ button). Switch off and unplug from the power outlet. Allow the Garment Steamer to cool down completely. Remove the water tank, open the plug and empty the remaining water into a sink.
11. Replace the water tank plug and reattach the water tank to the Garment Steamer.

**WARNING:** Never leave the Garment Steamer unattended during the descaling process.

## Cleaning the Fabric Shaver

It is recommended to clean the Fabric Shaver after each use to ensure the motor and blade performance are maintained.

**WARNING:** Never use the Fabric Shaver when the motor power becomes very weak. When this happens, turn off the Fabric Shaver and check whether the lint catcher is full. Do not use the Fabric Shaver until the lint has been removed and it operates normally again. If you cannot solve the problem, please contact our After Sales Support line on 1300 777 137 for further advice.

1. Always turn the Fabric Shaver off and unplug the USB cable from the charging port on the Fabric Shaver before cleaning.
2. First, remove the magnetic cover, then detach the lint catcher by turning in an anticlockwise direction and set aside (Fig. 11).
3. Using the cleaning brush, remove the lint from the Fabric Shaver. Wipe the inside of the Fabric Shaver with a soft dry cloth to remove any remaining lint particles (Fig. 12).



**Fig. 11**



**Fig. 12**

# Cleaning and Maintenance (cont.)

4. Detach the mesh blade cover by turning in an anticlockwise direction, and set aside (Fig. 13).

**WARNING:** Take care when removing the mesh blade cover as the razor blades on the blade attachment are extremely sharp!

**NOTE:** Only clean the lint catcher, mesh blade cover and blade attachment with the cleaning brush provided. Never immerse these parts in water or any other liquid.

**NOTE:** This Fabric Shaver has a safety mechanism which deactivates the unit when the mesh blade cover is removed, or not correctly attached. This is a safety feature, so that the Fabric Shaver does not accidentally turn on, while you are disassembling the unit for cleaning or reassembling the unit.

**NOTE:** The blade attachment can also be removed for cleaning. We recommend that this is done sparingly, as the blades are extremely sharp. The blade attachment should only be removed in those instances where the Fabric Shaver is extremely dirty inside and the lint cannot be removed successfully with the brush. If the decision has been made to remove the blade attachment please exercise extreme care.

**WARNING:** The blade attachment should only be removed by a capable adult; one with the necessary skills needed to remove it (steady hand, strong eyesight etc.). Persons (including children) with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities or lack of experience or knowledge should NEVER attempt to remove it themselves and should always be supervised while using the Fabric Shaver.

5. Holding the Fabric Shaver steady in one hand, use the end of the cleaning brush to carefully pry the blade attachment away from the main body and set aside (Fig. 14). Please do this over a benchtop or table as the blade attachment will pop out of the Fabric Shaver.
6. Holding the blade attachment carefully by the sides, use the cleaning brush to remove the lint from the blade attachment (Fig. 15).

**CAUTION:** Always unplug the USB cable from the Fabric Shaver when cleaning or assembling.

**WARNING:** Exercise extreme caution when handling the blade attachment for cleaning. Hold the blade attachment carefully by the plastic sides avoiding contact with the extremely sharp razor blades.



**Fig. 13**



**Fig. 14**



**Fig. 15**

# Cleaning and Maintenance (cont.)

**TIP:** Use tweezers to remove hairs or threads caught on the cog of the blade attachment and the spindle of the Fabric Shaver.

**TIP:** A pen or similar plastic object can also be used to remove the blade attachment from the main body of the Fabric Shaver.

7. To reattach the blade to the main body, first place a towel on a hard, scratch resistant surface. Then place the blade attachment on the towel razor blade side down with the cog facing upwards. Align the flat sides of the spindle on the main body with the flat sides inside the cog of the blade attachment. Press the Fabric Shaver downwards until it clicks into position (Fig. 16).



**Fig. 16**

**WARNING:** Never hold the blade attachment with your hands when reattaching the blades to the main body of the Fabric Shaver. This is extremely dangerous.

**NOTE:** Ensure that the minimum force necessary to reattach the blade attachment is used when pressing downwards on the Fabric Shaver. If unnecessary pressure is used when reattaching the blade attachment, the blades could become damaged or inverted.

**NOTE:** If the razor blades do in fact become inverted or damaged when reattaching the blade attachment to the main body, use tweezers and gently pry each razor blade out and back to its original position.

8. Reattach the mesh blade cover, turning it clockwise until it is securely attached. Then reattach the lint catcher, turning it clockwise until it is securely attached.
9. Wipe the exterior of the Fabric Shaver with a soft, slightly damp cloth to remove any lint. Dry the exterior thoroughly with a soft dry cloth. The Fabric Shaver is now ready to use again.

**WARNING:** Do not attempt to operate the Fabric Shaver without the blade attachment, mesh blade cover and lint catcher correctly and securely attached.

**NOTE:** The Fabric Shaver will not operate when the mesh blade cover is not correctly or securely attached. This is a safety feature and not a product fault.

**NOTE:** The Fabric Shaver will still operate when the lint catcher is not attached. It is not recommended to operate the Fabric Shaver without the lint catcher attached as the lint (fabric shavings) will fall out onto the garment or surrounding surfaces.

**WARNING:** It must only be supplied at safety extra low voltage 5V d.c.

**NOTE:** If you require a replacement blade attachment, please contact our Service Centre on 1300 777 137.

# Cleaning and Maintenance (cont.)

## Storage

1. Before packing away the Garment Steamer and Fabric Shaver for storage, ensure they are completely cool, clean, and dry.
2. We recommend storing the Garment Steamer and Fabric Shaver in their protective pouches (included), inside the original carton to protect them from dust, with all the parts and accessories.
3. Store the Garment Steamer and Fabric Shaver in a clean and dry place, out of children's reach.
4. Do not place heavy objects on top during storage.

# Frequently Asked Questions

Problem	Solution
The Garment Steamer is not turning on?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Check that the power cord is connected to a power outlet and the power outlet is switched on.</li><li>• Check the power outlet is working by plugging in another appliance into the same power outlet and switching on.</li></ul>
The Garment Steamer is not heating up?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Check you have plugged the cord into the power outlet correctly and that it is switched on.</li><li>• Check the power outlet is working by plugging in another appliance into the same power outlet and switching on.</li></ul>
No steam is being generated when the steam button (⊕ button) is pressed and held?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Check the ready indicator is illuminated. If the ready light is not illuminated, the Garment Steamer is not ready for use. Wait approximately 25-30 seconds for the Garment Steamer to heat up.</li><li>• Check that there is water in the water tank. If there is no water in the tank, no steam will be generated. Please see page 13 for instructions on how to fill the water tank.</li></ul>
There is less steam being emitted from the Garment Steamer?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Check there is water in the water tank of the Garment Steamer.</li><li>• You may need descale the Garment Steamer. A build-up of scale may impede the steam performance. Please see page 18 for instructions on how to descale the Garment Steamer.</li></ul>
Can the Garment Steamer be used on manchester and household fabrics?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Yes, steaming is a convenient and efficient way to refresh your manchester and household fabrics and make them smoother at the same time.</li></ul> <p><b>NOTE:</b> Before using the Garment Steamer on household fabrics, is recommended to vacuum first to remove any dust, hair, animal fur and any other debris.</p>

# Frequently Asked Questions (cont.)

Problem	Solution
Are there any fabrics that should not be steamed?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• You can steam almost all fabrics. However, we recommend that you do not use the Garment Steamer on leather, suede, plastic, or faux leather. Always check the care label of the garment and test the Garment Steamer on a small inconspicuous area before steaming the whole garment.</li></ul>
Can I wash the Garment Steamer and Fabric Shaver protective pouches?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• No, the protective pouches included with the Garment Steamer and Fabric Shaver cannot be washed.</li></ul>
The Fabric Shaver does not power on?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The Fabric Shaver may require charging. Charge the Fabric Shaver using the USB charging cable (included).</li><li>• Check the blade attachment and mesh blade cover are attached correctly.</li></ul> <p><b>NOTE:</b> The Fabric Shaver will not operate unless the mesh blade cover is attached. This is a safety feature and not a product fault.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• If the Fabric Shaver still does not power on, contact the After Sales Support on 1300 777 137 for further advice.</li></ul>
What fabrics can the Fabric Shaver be used on?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The Fabric Shaver can be used on most fabrics; however, we do not recommend using on delicate fabrics such as mohair, cashmere or silk. Always test the Fabric Shaver on a small, inconspicuous area before using on the whole garment. Ensure the fabric is located on a dry, flat, stable surface and only use gentle pressure.</li></ul>
How often should the blades be replaced?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Cleaning the lint catcher and blade attachment after each use will help keep the blades sharp and maintain performance. However, should you require a replacement blade attachment, please contact the After Sales Support on 1300 777 137.</li></ul>



# Frequently Asked Questions (cont.)

Problem	Solution
<p>The Fabric Shaver is not shaving the fabric pills?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Check if the Fabric Shaver needs cleaning. It is recommended to clean the lint catcher and blade attachment after each use to keep the blades sharp and maintain performance. Please see page 19 for instructions on how to clean the Fabric Shaver.</li> <li>• After cleaning, if the Fabric Shaver still does not shave the fabric pills, the blades may need replacing. Please contact the After Sales Support on 1300 777 137.</li> </ul>
<p>The Fabric Shaver makes a high-pitched sound?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Check the blade attachment is correctly attached to the Fabric Shaver.</li> <li>• Check the mesh blade cover is correctly attached to the Fabric Shaver.</li> <li>• If the Fabric Shaver continues to make a high-pitched sound, please contact the After Sales Support on 1300 777 137 for further advice.</li> </ul>

# Other Useful Information

## Responsible Disposal

At the end of its working life, do not throw this appliance out with your household rubbish.

Electrical and electronic products contain substances that can have a detrimental effect on the environment and human health if disposed of inappropriately. Observe any local regulations regarding the disposal of electrical consumer goods and dispose of it appropriately for recycling.

Contact your local authorities for advice on recycling facilities in your area.

Please keep the original packaging carton and materials in a safe place. It will help to prevent any damage if the product needs to be transported in the future. In the event it is to be disposed of, please recycle all packaging material where possible.

If you require an alternative format of this instruction manual such as website, DVD or by email, please contact [service@unclebills.com.au](mailto:service@unclebills.com.au) to obtain a copy.

The Stirling® Garment Steamer and Fabric Shaver has been fully tested and meets all requirements as set out by the below testing standards:

AS/NZS 60335.1 (Garment Steamer and Fabric Shaver)

AS/NZS 60335.2.8 (Fabric Shaver)


AS/NZS 60335.2.85 (Garment Steamer)

## Specification Table

### Garment Steamer:

MODEL:	IA3744
COLOUR:	Northern Droplet, Niagara Mist
POWER:	1500W
VOLTAGE:	220-240V ~ 50-60Hz
DIMENSIONS:	33 x 15 x 10cm
WATER TANK CAPACITY:	85ml
NET WEIGHT:	690g (excluding accessories)
WARRANTY:	12 months

### Fabric Shaver:

MODEL:	IA3744
COLOUR:	Northern Droplet, Niagara Mist
INPUT VOLTAGE:	Charge through USB Input 5V  1A
DIMENSIONS:	8 x 8 x 9.1cm
NET WEIGHT:	160g (excluding accessories)
WARRANTY:	12 months

Version No: v1.6

Date: 19th January 2023



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Premium Garment Steamer & Fabric Shaver

## Repair and Refurbished Goods or Parts Notice

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Unfortunately, from time to time, faulty products are manufactured which need to be returned to the Supplier for repair.

Please be aware that if your product is capable of retaining user-generated data (such as files stored on a computer hard drive, telephone numbers stored on a mobile telephone, songs stored on a portable media player, games saved on a games console or files stored on a USB memory stick) during the process of repair, some or all of your stored data may be lost.

**We recommend you save this data elsewhere prior to sending the product for repair.**

You should also be aware that rather than repairing goods, we may replace them with refurbished goods of the same type or use refurbished parts in the repair process.

**Please be assured though, refurbished parts or replacements are only used where they meet ALDI's stringent quality specifications.**

If at any time you feel your repair is being handled unsatisfactorily, you may escalate your complaint. Please telephone us on 1300 777 137 or write to us at:

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