



0801 Safety Guidance



Using the Vacuum Cleaner

- Do not use the cleaner to vacuum dry waste
- Dry hands, switch off and unplug before emptying the waste container.
- Empty the waste container before it is full.
- If you think the cable may be cut or damaged in any way, switch off and unplug at the mains before inspecting it, if the cable attached to the vacuum cleaner is damaged, stop using the equipment. Contact the hire company. If an extension cable has been damaged, do not use it again.

Keep this leaflet safe as it may be required for reference at a future date

Vacuum Cleaner - WET

The rules and procedures in force where people are at work may require the person responsible for this equipment to carry out a specific risk assessment.

It is important to read all of this leaflet **BEFORE** you use the Vacuum Cleaner

- 1. Electricity is dangerous and must always be used with great care.
- Water and electricity make a dangerous combination. Keep water away from the electrical parts.
- This vacuum cleaner is designed for vacuum collection of water and wet waste material.
- The action of this vacuum cleaner can cause injury or damage if the equipment is not used in a careful and controlled way.
- Familiarise yourself with how the equipment works before starting work.
- Plan and think ahead to make sure you will always be working safely.
- You should have at least the following items of protective equipment: rcd if using a 230 volt (mains) supply.
- This equipment must not be used by minors, or by anyone under the influence of drugs or alcohol.
- This vacuum cleaner is designed for operation by an able bodied adult. Anyone with either temporary or permanent disability must seek expert advice before using it.

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110v equipment will nave a yellow

Your equipment will only operate on one

vacuum cleaner on, you must know

oberates. Before you switch the

9. Check on how the on/off switch

passage causing the machine to

full, the ball valve will shut off the air

It the waste container becomes too

Empty the waste container before it

sludge, it will clog up the machine

Do not try to clean up waste oil or

flammable, corrosive or toxic wastes

Do not use it for vacuuming

This machine is not suitable for work

have either a normal square pin plug

such as petrol, or weed killer.

voltage; it will be 110v or 230v.

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now to stop it.

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Unroll it fully or it will overheat and where vehicles might run over it. where it might be trapped, and places sparp edges, doorways or windows 4. Lay it out carefully avoiding liquids,

(160 feet). Put it directly into the rcd. duty one, not longer than 50 metres suitable rated heavy



3. If you need extension cable, follow instructions supplied with it.

it. Reset the rcd according to the the rcd is working each time you use 2. Use the "TEST" button to check that

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your equipment into the rcd. This will 230volt socket. Plug auı ojui qırectiy device ("rcd") plugged 1. Use a residual current

(SQUARE PIN OR BLUE PLUG) 230 ΛΟΓΙ ΕΦΠΙΡΜΕΝΤ

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not use any 230v extension cables. directly into the 230 volt socket. Do transformer, plug the transformer 1. If you are using a portable

extension able, tollow

2. If you need to use an

110 VOLT EQUIPMENT (YELLOW PLUG)

:uewdinbe Read the instructions below for your industrial plug. square pin plug fitted, or a blue



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to run directly from 230v mains will than you think. Equipment designed moving it about - it may be heavier care not to injure yourself when transformer has been supplied, take mains 230v supply. If a portable power the equipment from a normal bortable transformer if you need to hire company will have provided a run off a special 110v supply. The of bengiseb si bettii pulq fitted to Equipment with a cylindrical yellow

improvise them. not try to force connections or ednibment matches your supply. Do 2. Check that the plug on your

company. vacuum cleaner- contact the hire is found damaged, do not use the plugs and all equipment. If anything 1. Check your equipment, cables,

NACUUM CLEANER

where the electrical parts might get Do not use this cleaner in the rain or

and animals well clear. or could distract you. Keep children safe and that no-one is near to you 2. Make sure that the area is clear and

cylinders. It will ignite fumes from petrol, or gas where there is a danger of explosion.

Do not use this vacuum cleaner **WORK AREA**



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