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T513005/T513005BLG

XEC20 PLUS

Corded

3 in 1 Vacuum Cleaner



SAFETY AND INSTRUCTION MANUAL **PLEASE READ CAREFULLY**

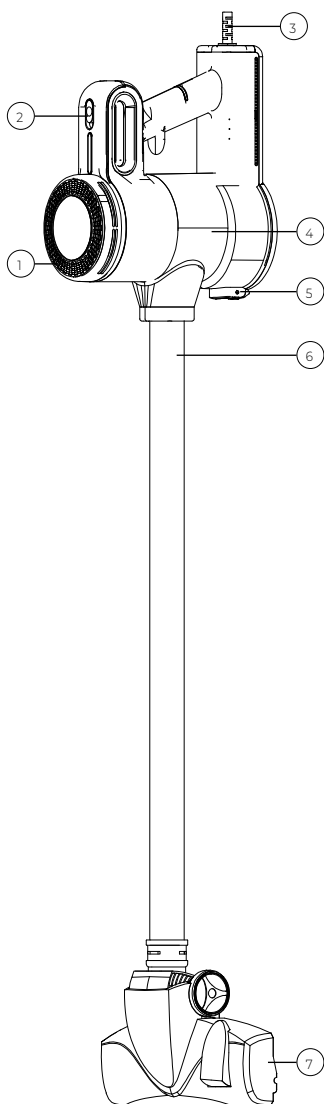
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Specifications:

This box contains:

Instruction Manual
Vacuum Cleaner
Crevice and Brush Tool
2-in-1 Floorhead
Wall Mount

1. Outlet HEPA filter
2. ON/OFF switch
3. Electrical cable
4. Inlet HEPA filter
5. Dust tank release button
6. Connecting tube
7. 2-in-1 floorhead

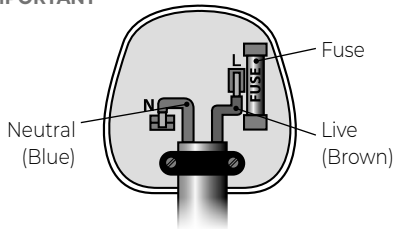


Technical Data:

Model:	T513005/ T513005BLG
Input:	220-240V~
Frequency:	50-60Hz
Product Power:	600W

Wiring Safety for UK Use Only

IMPORTANT



As the colours in the mains lead of this appliance may not correspond with the coloured markings identifying the terminals in your plug, please proceed as follows:

The wires in the mains lead are coloured in accordance with the following code:
Blue neutral [N] Brown live [L]

Plug Fitting Details (Where Applicable).

The wire coloured blue is the neutral and must be connected to the terminal marked [N] or coloured black.

The wire coloured brown is the live wire and must be connected to the terminal marked [L] or coloured red.

On no account must either the brown or the blue wire be connected to the [EARTH] terminal



Always ensure that the cord grip is fastened correctly.

The plug must be fitted with a fuse of the same rating already fitted and conforming to BS 1362 and be ASTA approved.

If in doubt consult a qualified electrician who will be pleased to do this for you.

Non-Rewireable Mains Plug.

If your appliance is supplied with a non-rewireable plug fitted to the mains lead and should the fuse need replacing, you must use an ASTA approved one (conforming to BS 1362 of the same rating).

If in doubt, consult a qualified electrician who will be pleased to do this for you.

If you need to remove the plug – disconnect it from the mains – and then cut it off of the mains lead and immediately dispose of it in a safe manner. Never attempt to reuse the plug or insert it into a socket outlet as there is a danger of an electric shock.

WARNING:

This appliance is double insulated.
Do not connect any wire to the earth terminal.

DISPOSAL OF THE UNIT

Appliances bearing the symbol shown here may not be disposed of in domestic rubbish. You are required to dispose of old electrical and electronic appliances like this separately.

Please visit www.recycle-more.co.uk or www.recyclenow.co.uk for access to information about the recycling of electrical items.

Please visit www.weeeireland.ie for access to information about the recycling of electrical items purchased in Ireland.

The WEEE directive, introduced in August 2006, states that all electrical items must be recycled, rather than taken to landfill.

Please arrange to take this appliance to your local Civic Amenity site for recycling, once it has reached the end of its life.



Important Safety Information:

Please read these notes carefully BEFORE using your Tower appliance

- Check that the voltage of the main circuit corresponds with the rating of the appliance before operating.
- If the supply cord or appliance is damaged, stop using the appliance immediately and seek advice from the manufacturer, its service agent or a similarly qualified person.
- DO NOT let the cord hang over the edge of a table or counter or let it come into contact with any hot surfaces.
- DO NOT place the appliance near a heat source.
- The use of accessory attachments is not recommended by the appliance manufacturer apart from those supplied with this product.
- DO NOT pull the plug out by the cord as this may damage the plug and/or the cable.
- Switch off and unplug before fitting or removing tools/ attachments, once charged and before cleaning.
- Close supervision is necessary when any appliance is used by or near children.
- Children should not play with the appliance.
- This appliance can be used by children aged from 8 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.
- Cleaning and user maintenance should not be undertaken by children without supervision.
- Take care when any appliance is used near pets.
- Not suitable for carpets with long fibres as the bristles will damage the fibres.

- Keep the vacuum cleaner moving over the carpet surface at all times to avoid damaging the carpet fibres.
- DO NOT use this product for anything other than its intended use.
- DO NOT immerse cords, plugs or any part of the appliance in water or any other liquid.
- This appliance is for household use only.
- DO NOT use the appliance outdoors.
- DO NOT handle the appliance or plug with wet hands.
- Keep hair, loose clothing, fingers and all body parts away from moving parts.
- DO NOT use to pick up hazardous or abrasive liquids (solvents, corrosive products, detergents, etc), flammable liquids such as alcohol, gasoline or use in an area where they might be present.
- DO NOT use the appliance without the dust container filter in place.
- DO NOT pick up anything that is burning or smoking such as cigarettes, matches or hot ashes.
- DO NOT vacuum any large, sharp, or broken objects, such as pieces of glass.
- DO NOT vacuum water or any other liquid.
- Use extra care when cleaning on stairs.
- Use only manufacturer's recommended accessories.
- This product is fitted with a thermal cut-out, which will activate if the motor overheats due to blocked air inlets. If the appliance cuts out, allow it to cool for 1 hour, then empty the dust container and clean all of the filters.
- In the unlikely event the appliance develops a fault, stop using it immediately and seek advice from the Customer Support Team:
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Before First Use:

Read all instructions and safety information carefully before first use. Please retain this information for future reference.

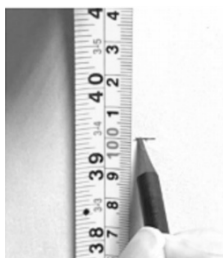
1. Remove the product from the box.
2. Remove any packaging from the product. Check for any visible signs of damage to the appliance or adaptor.
3. Please retain all packaging until you have checked and counted all the parts and the contents against the parts list.
4. Dispose of the packaging in a responsible manner.

Wall-Mounting the Appliance:

This unit can be wall-mounted when not in use.

CAUTION! When drilling holes in the wall, take extreme care not to damage any concealed cables or pipes on the wall, as this could cause a hazard. If in doubt, seek out a qualified handyman to carry out the procedure.

1. To wall-mount the appliance, begin by affixing the included wall mount to the wall. To do this, begin by choosing an adequate position and height, roughly one metre above the ground, and mark it on the wall with a pencil, as shown in Figure 1.



2. Hold the wall bracket level to the marking and mark the position of the two screw holes through the bracket, as shown in Figure 2.

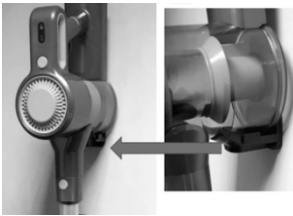


3. Remove the wall bracket from the wall and drill two holes over the pencil markings with a 6mm masonry drill (not included).
4. Once the two holes have been appropriately drilled, insert one of the included wall plugs into each hole. Ensure each wall plug is firmly secured into place before proceeding.

- When both wall plugs have been securely fitted, place the wall bracket over them and use the included screws to affix it to the wall, as shown on Figure 3. Ensure the wall bracket is firmly secured into place before proceeding.



- Your appliance can now be wall-mounted, as shown in Figure 4.



Turning the Appliance ON/OFF:

- To use the appliance, begin by plugging it into a suitable mains outlet.
- Once the appliance is plugged into the mains, press the ON/OFF button located on the handle to turn the unit on.
- Press this button again while the unit is in operation to turn it off.

Using the Floorhead:

This unit comes complete with a 2-in-1 floorhead, suitable for a wide variety of floors and surfaces.

- To connect the floorhead to the vacuum cleaner, push it into the corresponding slot on the main body of the unit until it locks into place. Ensure the floorhead is securely attached to the unit before attempting to use the vacuum cleaner.

Once the floorhead is securely attached to the unit, select the correct brush bar for the floor type, as detailed below:

- Soft brush for smooth, hard surfaces such as wood, ceramic, tiles and marble;
- Hard brush for soft surfaces such as carpets and rugs.

To Change The Brush Bar:

- Slide the brush selector switch on the floorhead to change the brush bar at any time.

Note: Use only on short-haired carpet. It should NOT be used on long-haired carpets as the fibres will damage the system.

To remove the floorhead and use the vacuum cleaner as a handheld cleaner, simply pull it out of its slot and away from the main body of the unit. Ensure the unit is turned off before attempting to detach the extension pole.

Using the Accessories:

This vacuum cleaner comes complete with a Crevice and Brush tool, for vacuuming corners and cleaning delicate surfaces.

To use this accessory, simply attach it to the slot at the front of the main body of the unit until it clicks into place. To remove the accessory, simply pull it out of its slot and away from the main body of the unit.

Note: Keep the brush free of fibres, hairs, and other objects that could impede proper functioning. Always remove these types of objects when the brush picks them up.

Troubleshooting

Problem	Possible Solution
The vacuum will not work	Ensure the vacuum cleaner is plugged into a mains outlet. Check that there are no blockages to the dust tank or filter and remove as necessary. This appliance is equipped with a motor protective thermostat. If for some reason it overheats, the thermostat will automatically turn the suction motor off. Should this occur, allow it to cool for 1 hour, then empty the dust container and clean all of the filters.
Vacuum will not pick-up or suction power is weak	The dust container may be full, or the filter may require cleaning. Empty the dust container and clean the filter. There may be blockages in the filter or dust tank. Check for blockages and clean the filter and dust tank. An attachment may have been installed which does not belong to the vacuum cleaner. Make sure that all the attachments belong to the model of vacuum cleaner that you are using. The use of accessory attachments other than those supplied by the manufacturer is not recommended.
Dust is escaping from the vacuum	The filter may be installed incorrectly, or the dust container may be full. Empty the dust container and reassemble the filter system.
There is a strange noise coming from the vacuum.	The airflow may be restricted or blocked. Check for blockages and clean the filter and pole. If the problem persists, contact the Customer Support team.

Cleaning & Care

Note: Ensure the appliance is turned off and unplugged from the mains before emptying the dust tank.

Emptying the Dust Tank:

Hold the unit over a bin and press the dust tank release button. Empty the contents of the dust tank. Once empty, push the cover back into place until there is an audible click.

Cleaning the Filter:

1. Press the filter release button to open the filter housing.
2. Remove the filter from the dust tank.
3. Tap it lightly against a dustbin or sink to remove particles.
4. Wash the filter regularly to ensure maximum suction performance. Allow to dry thoroughly before replacing it into the unit.

Cleaning the Unit Body:

1. Before cleaning the unit body, ensure the unit is disconnected from the mains supply and not in operation.
2. Use a damp cloth to clean the unit body. Never use any abrasive cleaning materials or solvents, as these could cause damage to the surface of the unit.

WARNING! DO NOT allow any liquids into the unit, as this could cause damage to the electrical components and cause it to malfunction.

Cleaning the Interchangeable floor head brush bar:

Remove the brush bar.

Remove fluff, hairs and other dirt from the brush.

Refit the brush bar.

Clearing Blockages:

If the dust tank is overfilled, the filter is clogged up, or the vacuum picks up a larger piece of debris, the vacuum may become clogged.

Should this occur, carry out the following steps to unclog the vacuum:

1. Check the dust tank and empty it if necessary.
2. Check the filter for any debris and rinse it under running water if necessary, as detailed in the sections above.
3. Detach any attachments from the unit and check for blockages.

Storing the Appliance:

1. Store the appliance in a cool, dry place, preferably inside its original packaging, and out of the reach of children.

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We hope you enjoy your appliance for many years

This product is guaranteed for 12 months from the date of original purchase. If any defect arises due to faulty materials of workmanship, the faulty products must be returned to the place of purchase.

Refund or replacement is at the discretion of the retailer.

The Following Conditions Apply:

The product must be returned to the retailer with proof of purchase or a receipt. The product must be installed and used in accordance with the instructions contained in this instruction guide.

It must be used only for domestic purposes.

It does not cover wear and tear, damage, misuse or consumable parts.

Tower has limited liability for incidental or consequential loss or damage.

This guarantee is valid in the UK and Eire only.

The standard one year guarantee is only extended to the maximum available for each particular product upon registration of the product within 28 days of purchase. If you do not register the product with us within the 28 day period, your product is guaranteed for 1 year only.

To validate your extended warranty, please visit www.towerhousewares.co.uk and register with us online.

Please note that length of extended warranty offered is dependent on product type and that each qualifying product needs to be registered individually in order to extend its warranty past the standard 1 year.

Extended warranty is only valid with proof of purchase or receipt.

Your warranty becomes void should you decide to use non Tower spare parts.

Spare parts can be purchased from

www.towerhousewares.co.uk

Should you have a problem with your appliance, or need any spare parts, please call our Customer Support Team on:

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