

# Beldray<sup>®</sup>

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steam station



**MEGA  
STEAM**  
INSTRUCTION MANUAL



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Please retain instructions for future reference.

## **Safety Instructions**

When using electrical appliances, basic safety precautions should always be followed.

Check that the voltage indicated on the rating plate corresponds with that of the local network before connecting the appliance to the mains power supply.

Children aged from 8 years and people with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities or lack of experience and knowledge can use this appliance, only if they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance in a safe way and understand the hazards involved.

Children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the appliance.

Unless they are older than 8 and supervised, children should not perform cleaning or user maintenance.

This appliance contains no user serviceable parts. If the power supply cord, plug or any part of the appliance is malfunctioning or if it has been dropped or damaged, do not use. Only a qualified electrician should carry out repairs. Improper repairs may place the user at risk of harm.

Keep the appliance out of the reach of children when it is switched on or cooling down.

Do not leave the appliance unattended whilst connected to the mains power supply.

Do not remove the appliance from the mains power supply by pulling the cord; switch it off and remove the plug by hand.

Do not use the appliance for anything other than its intended use.

Do not touch any sections of the appliance that may become hot during use, as this could cause injury.

Do not direct steam at people or animals or towards equipment containing electrical components, such as the interior of ovens.

Always unplug the appliance after use and allow to cool fully before any cleaning or maintenance or storing away.

This appliance must only be used and rested on a stable surface

Use of an extension cord with the appliance is not recommended.

This appliance should not be operated by means of an external timer or separate remote control system.

This appliance is intended for domestic use only. It should not be used for commercial purposes.



**CAUTION:** The appliance emits very hot steam; always exercise extreme caution during use.



**HOT SURFACE** – do not touch the hot section or heating components of the appliance.



**WARNING:** Danger of scalding.

Keep the appliance away from flammable materials.

## Care and Maintenance

Before attempting any cleaning or maintenance, always unplug the iron from the mains power supply and allow it to cool sufficiently.

**STEP 1:** Drain the remaining water from the water tank to prevent it from leaking during cleaning.

**STEP 2:** Wipe the ceramic soleplate with a soft, damp cloth and dry thoroughly.

**STEP 3:** If polyester has burnt onto the ceramic soleplate, wipe it with a soft cloth dipped in methylated spirits. Clean off the methylated spirits with a soft, damp cloth and dry thoroughly.

**STEP 4:** To remove any build-up around the steam holes, use a cotton wool tip dampened with methylated spirits. Wipe off the methylated spirits with a soft, damp cloth and dry thoroughly.

## Description of Parts



- |                                |                      |
|--------------------------------|----------------------|
| 1. Mega Steam                  | 7. Locking switch    |
| 2. Control dial                | 8. Water tank        |
| 3. Temperature indicator light | 9. Water tank handle |
| 4. Steam control trigger       | 10. Anti-calc filter |
| 5. Ceramic soleplate           | 11. Steam holes      |
| 6. Base unit                   | 12. Steam cord       |

## Instructions for Use

### Before First Use

Before connecting to the mains power supply, wipe the exterior surface of the iron with a soft, damp cloth and dry thoroughly.

To remove any impurities that may have occurred during the manufacturing process, it is best to use the iron on an old piece of cloth, making sure that it is on the highest temperature setting suitable for the material.

**STEP 1:** Plug in and switch on the iron at the mains power supply and allow to heat up. Place the iron onto the cloth and then hold down the steam control trigger for approx. 15-20 seconds.

**STEP 2:** Repeat this 2-3 times, waiting approx. 5 seconds in-between; this will remove any impurities from the ceramic soleplate.

Do not immerse the iron in water or any other liquid.

**NOTE:** When using the iron for the first time, a slight odour and a small amount of smoke may be emitted. This is normal and will soon subside. Allow for sufficient ventilation around the iron when it is in use.

## Filling the Water Tank

**STEP 1:** Check that the iron is switched off and unplugged from the mains power supply, with the control dial set to the 'MIN' position.

**STEP 2:** Place the iron onto the base unit and remove the water tank by pulling it up and away from the base unit.

**STEP 3:** Fill a suitable measuring vessel with water and then carefully pour the contents into the water tank.

**STEP 4:** Replace the water tank back onto the base unit, ensuring it clicks into place.

**CAUTION:** Do not overfill the water tank.

**WARNING:** Do not fill the water tank with hot water.

Never add aromatic, alcoholic or detergent products to the water tank, as this could cause damage to the iron or injury to the user.

## Using the Mega Steam

### Ironing with Steam

The steam settings are ideal for removing creases from fabrics such as cotton and linen with ease.

**STEP 1:** Fill the water tank following the instructions in the section entitled 'Filling the Water Tank'.

**STEP 2:** Plug in and switch on the iron at the mains power supply.

**STEP 3:** To increase the temperature of the iron, rotate the control dial in a clockwise direction until the desired heat setting is reached. Reduce the temperature by rotating the control dial in an anticlockwise direction. The temperature indicator light will illuminate to signal that the iron is heating up; this will switch off once the iron is ready to use. The iron will only produce steam when the control dial is set to the 2-dot setting or higher.



**STEP 4:** Remove the iron from the base unit by turning the locking switch to the 'unlocked' position and lifting the iron up and away.

**STEP 5:** To iron with steam, press and hold the steam control trigger. It may take up to 1 minute for water to be drawn from the water tank and for the iron to produce steam.

**STEP 6:** After use, rotate the control dial to the 'MIN' position and replace the iron onto the base unit; turn the locking switch to the 'locked' position. Switch off and unplug the iron from the mains power supply and allow to cool thoroughly.

**NOTE:** Allow the iron to fully heat up before pressing the steam control trigger; not doing so may cause water to leak from the ceramic soleplate.

Rest the iron on the base unit when not in use.

The temperature indicator light will illuminate whilst the iron is heating up but not when it is cooling down; it should not be misinterpreted as a ready-to-use indicator light.

The temperature indicator light will cycle on and off during use to regulate the temperature.

**CAUTION:** The cord will become very hot during use; do not touch it.

**WARNING:** Do not use the iron on any area of fabric for long periods of time, as this will damage the fabric.

## Removing an airlock from the Deluxe Steam Pro

**STEP 1:** Make sure the iron is on a flat, stable surface at a comfortable height for the user.

**STEP 2:** Fill the water tank to the "max" fill mark.

**STEP 3:** Plug in and switch on the iron at the mains power supply and rotate the control dial to the max. heat setting.

**STEP 4:** When the iron is fully heated, remove the iron from the base unit. Hold down the steam control trigger and point the iron vertically down. Make sure the iron is lower than the base unit and the surface it is resting on.

**STEP 5:** Keep the iron in this position for approx. 2 minutes, holding down the steam control trigger. After 2 minutes, steam should be released from the soleplate as usual.

**STEP 6:** An audible noise may come from the iron – this is normal and should stop once the iron begins to release steam.

**STEP 7:** If necessary, repeat this process until the iron steams normally. Allow the iron to rest for approx. 2 minutes before repeating the process.

## Ironing without Steam

For removing creases from more sensitive fabrics, try ironing without steam.

**STEP 1:** Plug in and switch on the iron at the mains power supply.

**STEP 2:** To increase the temperature of the iron, rotate the control dial in a clockwise direction until the desired heat setting is reached. Reduce the temperature by rotating the control dial in an anticlockwise direction. The indicator light will illuminate to signal that the iron is heating up; this will switch off once the iron is ready to use.

**STEP 3:** Test the iron on a small area of the fabric to check that the selected temperature is suitable; adjust if necessary. Make sure to avoid pressing the steam control trigger.

**STEP 4:** After use, rotate the control dial to the 'MIN' position and replace the iron onto the base unit. Switch off and unplug the iron from the mains power supply and allow to cool thoroughly.

## Vertical Steam Ironing

**STEP 1:** Hang up the item to be vertically steamed.

**STEP 2:** Fill the water tank following the instructions in the section entitled 'Filling the Water Tank'.

**STEP 3:** Plug in and switch on the iron at the mains power supply.

**STEP 4:** Rotate the control dial to the 3-dot heat setting.

**STEP 5:** Hold the iron approx. 20 cm away from the item and press the steam control trigger.

## Anti-calc Filter

The water tank has a built-in anti-calc filter to prevent calcium and limescale build-up. Calcium build-up, which is prominent in areas with hard water, can hinder performance and lower the lifespan of the iron. This is an automatic feature which is permanently activated.

**NOTE:** The anti-calc filter is built in and does not need replacing.

## Ironing Guide

| Fabric Type                                                                     | Temperature Control Dial Setting | Is Steam Ironing Possible? |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Nylon, Synthetic (e.g. acetate, acrylic, viscose, polyamide, polyester...) Silk | ●                                | NO                         |
| Wool                                                                            | ● ●                              | YES                        |
| Cotton Linen                                                                    | ● ● ●                            | YES                        |

## Hints and Tips

1. Always start ironing on a low heat setting and work up to a higher one, if necessary; it takes less time for the iron to heat up than it does to cool down.
2. The temperature of the iron is hottest when it has initially heated up and will therefore need time to stabilise. Once the iron has heated up, allow the temperature indicator light to cycle off and on again before using the iron.
3. Before each use, check the care labels on the fabrics to be ironed so that the correct temperature is selected.

## Storage

Check that the iron is cool and dry and that the water tank is empty before storing in a cool, dry place.

Wrap the cord loosely around the iron; never wrap it tightly as this could cause damage. Position the iron on the rubber support on the base unit; this will help to prevent the ceramic soleplate from getting scratched.

Lock the iron into place using the safety switch when storing.

## Troubleshooting

**WARNING:** To reduce the risk of fire, electric shock or injury, switch off and unplug the iron from the mains power supply before troubleshooting.

| Problem                                              | Possible Cause                                       | Possible Solution                                                                                                                    |
|------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| The iron will not heat up.                           | The iron is not connected to the mains power supply  | Plug in and switch on the iron at the mains power supply.                                                                            |
|                                                      | The temperature is set too low.                      | Increase the temperature using the temperature control dial. Always follow the fabric's care instructions.                           |
|                                                      | The fuse has blown.                                  | Replace the fuse on the plug with one of the same rating.                                                                            |
| No steam is being emitted from the iron.             | There is insufficient water in the water tank.       | Fill the water tank following the instructions in the section entitled 'Filling the Water Tank'.                                     |
|                                                      | The pump is still drawing water from the water tank. | Press and hold the steam control trigger a while longer to allow the water to pump into the iron; this should take approx. 1 minute. |
| Excess water is dripping from the ceramic soleplate. | There is condensation inside the ceramic soleplate.  | Allow the iron to heat up to the selected temperature before using any steam.                                                        |
| The cord makes a buzzing noise.                      | The cord is tangled.                                 | Untangle the cord.                                                                                                                   |
| The temperature indicator light does not illuminate. | The fuse has blown.                                  | Replace the fuse with one of the same rating.                                                                                        |
|                                                      | The iron is not connected to the mains power supply. | Plug in and switch on the iron at the mains power supply.                                                                            |

## Specifications

Product code: BEL01483-150

Input: 220-240 V ~ 50-60 Hz

Output: 2600 W

## Connection to the mains

Please check that the voltage indicated on the product corresponds with your supply voltage.

### 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:

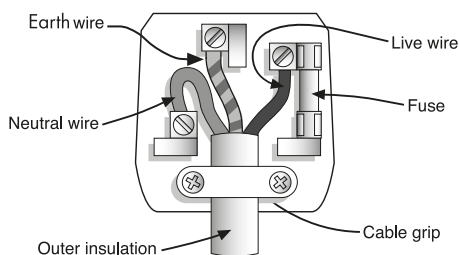
The wires in the mains lead are coloured in accordance with the following code:

Blue Neutral (N)

Brown Live (L)

Green/Yellow Earth ( $\perp$ )

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(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.

The wire coloured GREEN/YELLOW must be connected to the terminal marked with the letter E or marked  $\perp$ .

On no account must either the BROWN or the BLUE wire be connected to the EARTH terminal ( $\perp$ ).

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 the mains lead and immediately dispose of it safely. Never attempt to reuse the plug or insert it into a socket outlet as there is a danger of an electric shock.

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If this product does not reach you in an acceptable condition please contact our Customer Services Department at **[www.beldray.com](http://www.beldray.com)**

Please have your delivery note to hand as details from it will be required.

If you wish to return this product please return it to the retailer from where it was purchased with your receipt (subject to their terms and conditions).

## **Guarantee**

All products purchased as new carry a manufacturer's guarantee; the time period of the guarantee will vary dependent upon the product. Where reasonable proof of purchase can be provided, Beldray will provide a standard 12 month guarantee with the retailer from the date of purchase. This is only applicable when products have been used as instructed for their intended, domestic use. Any misuse or dismantling of products will invalidate any guarantee.

Under the guarantee, we undertake to repair or replace free of any charge any parts found to be defective. In the event that we cannot provide an exact replacement, a similar product will be offered or the cost refunded. Any damages from daily wear and tear are not covered by this guarantee, nor are consumables such as plugs, fuses etc.

Please note that the above terms and conditions may be updated from time to time and we therefore recommend that you check these each time you revisit the website.

Nothing in this guarantee or in the instructions relating to this product excludes, restricts or otherwise affects your statutory rights.

## **Disposal of Waste Batteries and Electrical and Electronic Equipment**



This symbol on the product, its batteries or its packaging means that this product and any batteries it contains must not be disposed of with household waste. Instead, it is the user's responsibility to hand this over to an applicable collection point for the recycling of batteries and electrical and electronic equipment. This separate collection and recycling will help to conserve natural resources and prevent potential negative consequences for human health and the environment due to the possible presence of hazardous substances in batteries and electrical and electronic equipment, which could be caused by inappropriate disposal. Some retailers provide take-back services which allow the user to return exhausted equipment for appropriate disposal.

**It is the user's responsibility to delete any data on electrical and electronic equipment prior to disposal.** For more information about where to drop batteries, electrical and electronic waste off, please contact the local city/municipality office, household waste disposal service, or the retailer.



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