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## DynamoCordless

**POWERFUL 2-IN-1 CORDLESS  
VACUUM WITH HANDHELD**

LET'S GET STARTED.

**H85-D-B14  
H85-D-B18**



## Let's talk safety



### Basic safety precautions

**This vacuum cleaner is intended for household use only and NOT for commercial or industrial use.**

- Only use the vacuum cleaner indoors and keep the area you're cleaning well lit.
- Keep fingers, hair and loose clothing from moving parts and openings whilst using the vacuum cleaner.
- This vacuum cleaner can be used by children aged from 8 years and above and persons with reduced physical, sensory



### Don'ts

- Don't charge the Cordless upright outdoors or leave the charger connected to the mains when not in use.
- Don't use this vacuum cleaner if it has been dropped, damaged, immersed in water or left outdoors.
- Don't handle the charger plug or use the vacuum cleaner with wet hands.
- Don't run over the charger cord or use the vacuum cleaner if the charger cord or plug is damaged. Please contact our Customer Care Line on: 0330 026 8455 (Mon-Fri 8:30am to 6:30pm, Sat 9:00am to 5:00pm).



### Do's

- Always make sure the filter and dirt container are fitted correctly before using your vacuum cleaner.
- Always turn off and unplug the vacuum cleaner from the charger before carrying out any maintenance.
- Turn off all controls on the vacuum cleaner before disconnecting or connecting the charger.
- Take extra care when cleaning on the stairs.
- Always protect the charger cord from heated surfaces or near open flames.
- If charging the vacuum cleaner through an extension cord use only CE approved 13amp extension cords, non-approved extension cords may overheat. Care should be taken to arrange the extension cord as it can be a trip hazard.

or mental capabilities or lack of experience and knowledge if they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the vacuum cleaner in a safe way and understand the hazards involved. Children should not play with the vacuum cleaner. Cleaning and user maintenance should not be made by children without supervision.

- Only Vax recommended charger, tools and accessories should be used with this vacuum cleaner.

- Don't use the charger cord as a handle, pull the charger cord around corners or sharp edges or close a door over the charger cord. Don't unplug charger by pulling on the charger cord.
- Don't attempt to remove blockages with sharp objects as this may cause damage to your vacuum cleaner.
- Don't use the charger with incorrect voltage as this may result in damage or injury to the user. The correct voltage is listed on the ratings label.
- Don't vacuum up hot coals, cigarette butts, matches or smoking hot burning items or use in an area where there may be harmful fluids (chlorine, bleach, and ammonia drain cleaner).

- Always carry the vacuum cleaner/handheld by the correct carry handle.
- Store your vacuum cleaner in a cool, dry area.
- Before any user maintenance is undertaken, refer to the appropriate section in the user guide to understand necessary precautions required.
- Always use the charger supplied with the vacuum cleaner.
- Always remove the plug from the vacuum cleaner before cleaning or maintaining the vacuum cleaner.

**PLEASE KEEP INSTRUCTIONS FOR FURTHER USE AND USE ONLY AS INSTRUCTED IN THIS GUIDE.**

# Thank you for buying this Dynamo Cordless

## Taking care of your carpets and hard floors

The Dynamo Cordless is designed to make vacuuming carpets and hard floors regularly, as effective and efficient as possible and this user guide will help you get the most out of your machine.

Maintaining your carpets and hard floors will ensure they keep their appearance for longer. You've chosen the carpets and hard floors for your home for a reason and Vax will help you take good care of them.

## Taking care of your Dynamo Cordless

Also inside this guide are instructions on maintaining your new machine, so that it's always ready when you are to tackle your carpets and hard floors.

## Taking care of you

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## Dynamo Cordless

### Included with your machine

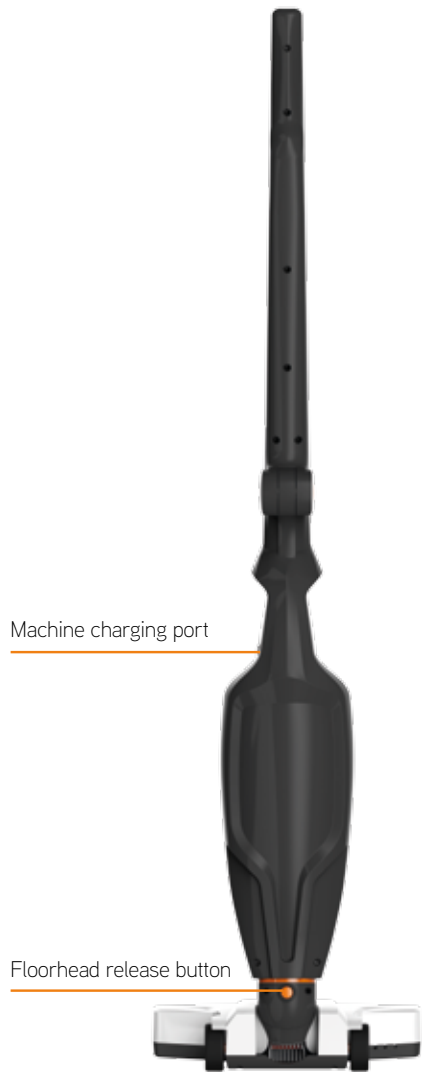
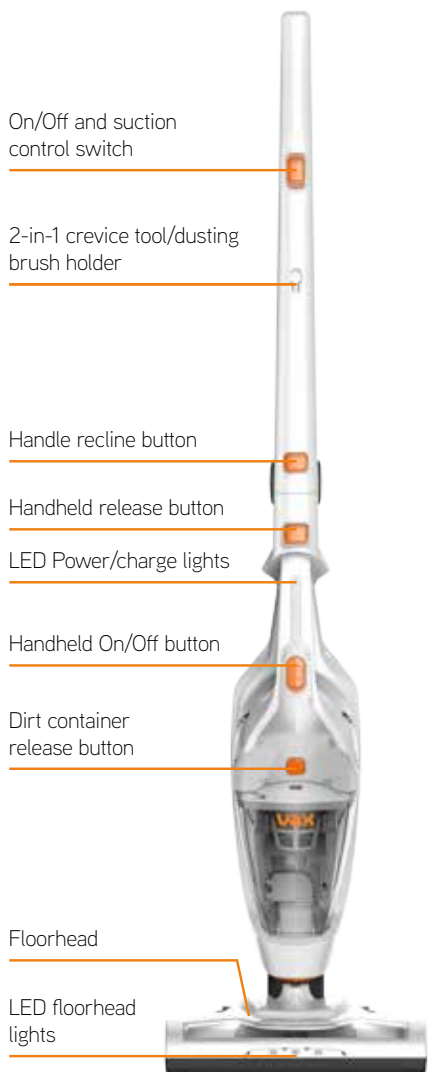


Charger



2-in-1 Crevice Tool  
/Dusting Brush

# Getting to know your machine



## Technical Specification

Name **Dynamo Cordless 14.4V**  
Model No **H85-D-B14**  
Voltage **Please refer to product rating label**  
Wattage **Please refer to product rating label**  
Charge Time **5 hours** Run Time **25mins**  
Weight **3kg**  
Bin Capacity **0.4l**

Subject to technical change without notice.

Name **Dynamo Cordless 18V**  
Model No **H85-D-B18**  
Voltage **Please refer to product rating label**  
Wattage **Please refer to product rating label**  
Charge Time **5 hours** Run Time **35mins**  
Weight **3kg**  
Bin Capacity **0.4l**

\*To purchase consumables and accessories, please visit [vax.co.uk](http://vax.co.uk)

## PLEASE READ 'LET'S TALK SAFETY' BEFORE USE

### Before you begin

**CAUTION:** Always switch off the vacuum cleaner before connecting or disconnecting the handheld/attachments or removing and emptying the dirt container.

**IMPORTANT:** The vacuum cleaner is equipped with a thermal cut-out. If for any reason the vacuum cleaner does overheat the thermostat will automatically turn the vacuum cleaner off. If this happens, switch the vacuum cleaner off. Remove and empty the dirt container also check the vacuum cleaner for blockages. Allow the vacuum cleaner to cool for approximately 1 hour (if you have cleaned the filter please wait 24 hours for the filter to fully dry before putting back into the machine). For best cleaning results, filters require cleaning at least every 3 to 6 months. If the vacuum cleaner is blocked, switch off before removing the blockage.

**CAUTION:** This vacuum cleaner has a constantly rotating brushbar. Never leave the vacuum cleaner in one spot for an extended period of time as this may damage the floor surface.

## Assembling your 2-in-1 vacuum cleaner



Line up the floorhead with the main body and push firmly into place.



Lift the handle in a hinge like manner and secure onto the main body.



Store the 2-in-1 tool on board the vacuum cleaner by pushing the tool firmly into the tool holder located on the handle.

# Getting started

## Carrying your 2-in-1 vacuum cleaner



Make sure the handle is secured onto the main body and use the handle to carry as an upright vacuum cleaner.



Use the handle to carry as a handheld vacuum cleaner.

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## Charging your 2-in-1 vacuum cleaner

**NOTE:** Initial charge is 5 hours, charging will be required before first use. The vacuum can be charged with the handheld either attached to or detached from the main body.



Plug the charger into the side of the handheld and plug into mains.



Once fully charged the LED indicator lights on the handheld will illuminate green.



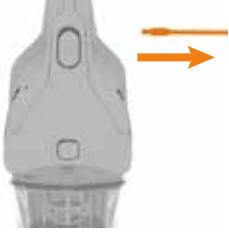
When the vacuum needs recharging the LED lights on the handheld will illuminate red and the machine will cut out.



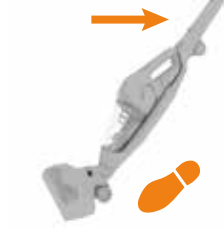
# Using your machine

**CAUTION:** The brushbar will constantly rotate. Never leave the vacuum cleaner in one spot for an extended period of time as this may damage the floor surface. Vax cannot be held responsible for damage to the floor surface if the customer fails to take notice of this recommendation

## As an upright vacuum cleaner



Unplug the charger from the mains and from the side of the handheld.



Place foot on the floorhead and pull the handle backwards to recline.



Slide the On/Off suction control switch forward once for low suction. The LED lights on the floorhead will illuminate. The LED lights on the handheld will illuminate green, indicating the power is on and the brushbar will spin.



Slide the On/Off suction control switch forward again for high suction.



Slide the On/Off suction control switch all the way back to switch the power and LED lights 'Off'.

## As a handheld vacuum cleaner



Press the handheld release button.



Lift to remove the handheld from the main body.



Slide the On/Off suction control forward to switch the handheld on. The LED lights will illuminate green indicating the power is on

# Using your machine

## Using the 2-in-1 tool

**CAUTION:** Always turn off the vacuum cleaner if anything becomes trapped whilst using the tool.



**1** Crevice tool

**2** Dusting brush



For a more detailed clean, line up the 2-in-1 tool with the nozzle on the handheld and push firmly into place.



Before returning the handheld to the main body, slide the On/Off suction control backwards, to switch the handheld off. Pull to remove 2-in-1 tool from the handheld nozzle.

# Taking care of your machine

**CAUTION:** Always switch off the vacuum cleaner before carrying out any maintenance or troubleshooting.

## Emptying the dirt container



Press the handheld release button.



Lift to remove the handheld from the main body.



Press the dirt container release button.



Pull to separate the dirt container from the handheld.



Lift the filter by the filter frame out from the dirt container.



Hold the dirt container over a bin allowing dirt/debris to fall out.

# Taking care of your machine

## Cleaning the filter

**CAUTION:** For best cleaning results filters require cleaning every 4-6 uses or as needed depending upon use. Do not use your vacuum cleaner without the filter in place.



Press the dirt container release button.



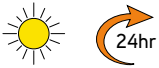
Pull to separate the dirt container from the handheld.



Lift the filter by the filter frame out from the dirt container.



Tap the filter over a bin to remove any dirt/debris. Wash the filter under running water (40 degrees max).



Leave for 24hrs or until fully dry before replacing.



Refit the filter making sure the filter frame is correctly lined up in the dirt container.

## Cleaning the terminals

**CAUTION:** For best performance all terminals must be free from dust and dirt.



Using a dry cloth or soft dusting brush remove any dust/debris from terminals on main body and handheld.

# Taking care of your machine

## Clearing blockages

**CAUTION:** Use a blunt instrument such as a broom handle or something similar when removing a blockage from the main body or floorhead.



Press the handheld release button.



Lift to remove the handheld from the main body.



Press the floorhead release button.



Pull to remove the floorhead from the main body.



Remove any blockage from the main body or floorhead.

# Taking care of your machine

## Clearing a blockage from the brushbar

**CAUTION:** If the brushbar has been obstructed, the Motor Protection Sensor may have been activated. Remove the handheld and floorhead and clear any obstruction from the brushbar. Wait 30 minutes for the vacuum cleaner to reset itself. Replace the handheld and floorhead and retry.



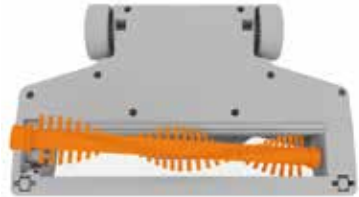
Using a pair of scissors remove any threads or hair caught around the brushbar.



To release the brushbar pull and lift the release lock located underneath the floorhead.



Remove the brushbar lifting the side of the brushbar nearest the release lock first.



Replace the brushbar. Fit the inverted round end of the brushbar first, then line up and push the other side of brushbar into the floorhead. Refit the release lock.

## Don't forget your accessories!

Order at: [www.vax.co.uk/spares-and-solutions](http://www.vax.co.uk/spares-and-solutions)

**Pre-motor filter (Type 132)**  
1-7-137521



**2-in-1 tool (Type 3)**  
1-9-137520

A replacement 2-in-1 tool for your Dynamo Power cordless vacuum.



# What to do if it goes wrong

## Problem

## Solution

### Why does my vacuum cleaner have no power?

- Check the vacuum cleaner is fully charged. Go to 'Getting started'.
- Check the charger is plugged into the mains and correctly connected to the vacuum cleaner. Go to 'Getting started'.
- Check the handheld has been correctly fitted into the main body.
- Check the terminals on the main body and handheld are clean. Go to 'Taking care of your machine – Cleaning the terminals'.
- If the brushbar has been obstructed, the Motor Protection Sensor may have been activated. Remove the handheld and floorhead and clear any obstruction from the brushbar. Wait 30 minutes for the vacuum cleaner to reset itself. Replace the handheld and floorhead and retry.

### Why isn't my vacuum cleaner charging?

- Check the charger is plugged into the mains and correctly connected to the vacuum cleaner. Go to 'Getting started'.
- Check the terminals on the main body and handheld are clean. Go to 'Taking care of your machine – Cleaning the terminals'.
- Check the charger cable for damage. If damaged please contact our Customer Service Line on: 0330 026 8455 (Mon-Fri 8:30am to 6:30pm, Sat 9:00am to 5:00pm).

### Why won't the vacuum cleaner pick up?

- Empty the dirt container and clean filter. Go to 'Taking care of your machine'.
- There may be a blockage in the vacuum cleaner. Go to 'Taking care of your machine – Clearing blockages'.
- The brushbar may not be turning. Go to 'My brushbar isn't turning?' below.
- The vacuum cleaner may need recharging. Go to 'Getting started'.
- Low suction has been selected, increase to high suction. Go to 'Using your machine'.

### My brushbar isn't turning

- If the brushbar has been obstructed, the Motor Protection Sensor may have been activated. Remove the handheld and floorhead and clear any obstruction from the brushbar. Wait 30 minutes for the vacuum cleaner to reset itself.
- Replace the handheld and floorhead and retry the brushbar may be blocked. Go to 'Taking care of your machine – Clearing a blockage from the brushbar'.

### Why has the LED light turned Red ?

- The LED lights on the handheld will turn Red when the vacuum cleaner needs recharging. Go to 'Getting started'.

**Caution:** Always unplug the steam cleaner before performing maintenance/troubleshooting checks.

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