

# **Owner's Manual**

Operating and Servicing Instructions

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# Hoover Elite Cyclonic Canister



Please review this manual before operating your Hoover® appliance.

# Thank you for choosing a HOOVER<sup>®</sup> product.

Please enter the complete model and serial numbers in the spaces provided.

Model \_\_\_\_\_

Mfg. Date Code \_\_\_\_\_

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Please do not return this product to the store.

This carpet cleaner is intended for household use only. Not intended for commercial use in any household or for any other commercial purpose.

Operate carpet cleaner only at voltage specified on data plate on back of cleaner. Plug carpet cleaner into a properly grounded outlet.



# Important Safety Instructions

When using an electrical appliance, always follow basic precautions, including the following:

# READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE USING THIS APPLIANCE VARNING: To reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, or injury:

- Only use the vacuum cleaner indoors on dry surfaces.
- Do not use outdoors or on wet surfaces.
- Close supervision is necessary when any appliance is used by or near children. Do not allow vacuum cleaner to be used as a toy.
- Do not run unattended at any time.
- Keep hair, loose clothing, fingers, feet and all parts of body away from openings, rotating agitator and other moving parts. Do not operate cleaner in bare feet or when wearing open toe shoes or sandals.
- Do not pick up anything that is burning or smoking, such as cigarettes, matches, or hot ashes.
- Do not use to pick up flammable or combustible liquids such as gasoline or fine wood sandings or use in areas where they may be present.
- The hose contains electrical wires. Do not use if damaged, cut or punctured.
- Avoid picking up hard, sharp objects with the cleaner. They may damage the cleaner.
- Always turn off this appliance before connecting or disconnecting hose, motorized nozzle or powered hand tool.
- Do not use without filters in place. Clean filters frequently when picking up very fine materials such as powder.
- Use extra care when cleaning on stairs.
- Do not put any object into openings. Do not use with any opening blocked; keep free of dust. lint, hair, or anything that may reduce air flow.
- Do not pull or carry by cord, use cord as a handle, close door on cord or pull cord around sharp edges or corners. Do not run appliance over cord. Keep cord away from heated surfaces.
- Always disconnect cord from electrical outlet before servicing the cleaner.
- Always unplug cleaner when not in use. Turn off all controls before unplugging.
- Do not unplug by pulling on cord. To unplug, grasp the plug, not the cord. Never handle plug or appliance with wet hands.
- If cleaner has a cord reel, hold on to the plug while cord is being rewound to prevent cord from whipping.
- The use of an extension cord is not recommended.
- Do not use with damaged cord or plug. If appliance is not working as it should, has been dropped, damaged, left outdoors, or dropped into water, take it to a Hoover Factory Service Center or Authorized Hoover Warranty Service Dealer (Depot).
- Use vacuum cleaner only for its intended use as described in the instructions. Use only attachments recommended by The Hoover Company; others may cause hazards.
- This product contains chemicals known to the state of California to cause cancer and reproductive toxicity. Wash hands after handling.

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# **Quick Assembly Guide**

## Guía de ensamblado rápido Guide d'assemblage rapide

#### FOLLOW ASSEMBLY STEPS IN ORDER!

SIGA LOS PASOS DE ENSAMBLADO EN ORDEN! SUIVEZ LES ÉTAPES D'ASSEMBLAGE DANS L'ORDRE INDIQUÉ !

#### COMPLETE ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS are in the Owner's Manual

LAS INSTRUCCIONES COMPLETAS están en el manual del propietario. LES INSTRUCTIONS D'ASSEMBLAGE COMPLÈTES sont contenues dans le manuel du propriétaire.

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## 1. Carton Contents

Contenido de la caja Contenu de l'emballage



1.a) Remove all parts from carton and identify each item shown. Make sure all parts are located before disposing of packing.

- A. Canister
- B. Hose
- C. Telescopic Wand
- D. Powered Nozzle
- E. Crevice tool
- F. Hard Floor Brush
- G. Dusting Brush

1.a) Retire todas las piezas de la caja e identifique cada artículo que se muestra. Asegúrese de ubicar todas las piezas antes de eliminar el embalaje. A. Receptáculo B. Manguera C. Tubo telescópico D. Boguilla turboaccionada E. Accesorio para hendiduras F. Cepillo para suelos duros G. Cepillo para polvo

1.a) Retirer toutes les pièces de l'emballage. Avant d'éliminer les matériaux d'emballage, s'assurer qu'aucune des pièces illustrées ne manque. A. Réservoir B. Tuyau C. Lance télescopique D. Buse motorisée E. Suceur plat F. Brosse pour plancher dur G. Brosse d'époussetage

## **2. Connect hose** Conecte la manguera Raccordement du tuyau

Push hose connector end (A) into opening (B) on front of cleaner. To disconnect hose from cleaner, press release button (C) on hose connector and pull out.

NOTE: The flexible hose contains electrical wires for connection to the power nozzle and should not be used if damaged, cut or punctured.

Empuje el extremo de la manguera con el conector (A) dentro de la abertura (B) en la parte frontal de la aspiradora. Para desconectar la manguera de la aspiradora, presione el botón de liberación (C) del conector de la manguera y tire hacia afuera.

NOTA: La manguera flexible contiene hilos eléctricos para la conexión a la boquilla



turboaccionada y no se deberá usar si está da ada.

Insérez l'extrémité du connecteur de tuyau (A) dans l'ouverture (B) à l'avant de l'aspirateur. Pour enlever le tuyau de l'aspirateur, appuyer sur le bouton de dégagement (C) sur le raccord du tuyau et tirer le tuyau.

REMARQUE : Le tuyau flexible comprend des fils électriques pour assurer la connexion avec le suceur motorisé, ne l'utilisez jamais s'il est endommagé, coupé ou percé.



## **3. Connect wand** *Conecte el tubo Raccordement de la lance*

Push end of wand with pronged plug (I) firmly into end of the hose until the latch (J) clicks. To remove wand from hose, press on thumb latch (J), located on end of wand. Empuje el extremo del tubo con el enchufe de patillas (I) firmemente dentro del extremo de la manguera hasta que la traba (J) haga un chasquido. Para sacar el tubo de la manguera, oprima la traba (J) ubicada en el extremo del tubo. Insérez fermement l'extrémité de la rallonge dotée de la prise à fiche (1) dans le tuyau jusqu'à ce que le loquet s'enclenche (J). Pour enlever la rallonge du tuyau, appuyez sur le loquet (J) situé à l'extrémité de la rallonge.

# **4. Connect nozzle** Conecte el tubo

Raccordement de la lance

Push the opposite end of wand into power nozzle until button projection (K) on end of wand clicks.

# To release, step on wand release foot pedal (L) and remove nozzle.

Empuje el extremo opuesto del tubo dentro de la boquilla turboaccionada hasta que la proyección (K) en el extremo del tubo haga un chasquido.

Para soltar, pise el pedal de desconexión rápida (L) y saque la boquilla.



Insérez l'extrémité opposée de la rallonge dans le suceur motorisé jusqu'à que le bouton en saillie (K) s'enclenche.

Pour dégager la rallonge, appuyez sur la pédale de dégagement rapide (L) et retirez le suceur.

## See Owner's Manual for proper operation of the cleaner.

Vea el manual del propietario para obener las instrucciones para el funcionamiento correcto de la limpiadora. Reportez-vous au manuel du propriétaire pour assurer un bon f

onctionnement de l'aspirateur.

# **Helpful Reminders**

Recordatorios útiles Conseils utiles

If you notice a decrease in the cleaner's ability to pick up...

Si observa una disminución de la capacidad de aspiración... Si vous remarquez une baisse de puissance d'aspiration de l'appareil ...

# Unplug the cleaner before doing any of the following.

Desenchufe la aspiradora antes de hacer lo siguiente.

Débranchez l'aspirateur avant d'effectuer les tâches suivantes.

#### • Check the dirt container and pre motor filter; it may fill up and become dirty quicker than you think!

Verifique el contenedor para polvo y el filtro previo al motor; ¡puede llenarse y ensuciarse más rápido de lo que piensa!

Vérifier le vide-poussière et le filtre situé avant le moteur, car ils peuvent se remplir plus rapidement que vous ne le pensez!

#### • Check the power nozzle belt; it may be broken or stretched. Replace with HOOVER belt number AH20000.

Verifique la correa para boquilla motorizada; podría estar rota o estirada. Pida el número de correa de HOOVER AH20000.

Vérifiez l'état de la courroie du suceur motorisé. Elle peut être cassée ou détendue. Remplacez la courroie avec une courroie HOOVER numéro AH20000.

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# See owner's manual for complete instructions.

Vea el manual del propietario para obtener las instrucciones completas.

Reportez-vous au manuel du propriétaire pour obtenir des instructions complètes.

# 1. How to use

This cleaner was inspected and packaged carefully before being shipped from the factory. If you should happen to need assistance during assembly or operation, call

1-800-944-9200 for an automated referral of authorized service outlet locations (U.S. only)  $\mathsf{OR}$ 

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Visit us online at www.hoover.com to find the service outlet nearest you (click on the "Service" button).

## **Cleaner Description**



Operate cleaner only at voltage specified on data plate on bottom of cleaner.

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- 1. Hose inlet (Front of canister)
- 2. Dirt container
- 3. Cyclone separator
- 4. Dirt container handle
- 5. Dirt cup release button
- 6. Carry handle
- 7. Auto cord rewind pedal
- 8. On/off pedal
- 9. Plug
- 10. Exhaust filter cover
- 11.Wheel

#### Accessories

- 12. Hose
- 13. Telescopic wand
- 14. Powered Nozzle
- 15. Crevice tool
- 16. Hard floor brush
- 17. Dusting brush

## **IMPORTANT:**

#### **Thermal Protector**

An internal thermal protector is installed in your cleaner to prevent overheating if a large item or clog gets caught in the nozzle or if the pre-motor filter becomes extremely dirty. When the blockage is not removed, the thermal protector will trip and cleaner will stop running.

If this happens, turn cleaner OFF and disconnect cleaner from electrical outlet.

Then disconnect nozzle and remove obstruction. Within 30 minutes the thermal protector will cool and automatically reset and cleaning may resume.

If cleaner does not operate, allow additional time for thermal protector to reset. **Note:** The canister must remain unplugged during the 30 minute cooling period.

### **Polarized Plug**

To reduce the risk of electric shock, this appliance has a polarized plug (one blade is wider than the other). This plug will fit in a polarized outlet only one way. If the plug does not fit fully in the outlet, reverse the plug. If it still does not fit, contact a qualified electrician to install the proper outlet. Do not change the plug in any way.

## **Cord Release**

Fully unwind the power cord. A yellow mark on the power cord indicates the recommended cord length. Do not exceed the cord length beyond the red mark.



# **On/off** Pedal

 Insert the plug into the electrical outlet.
Press the on/

off pedal located on the top of the vacuum cleaner, to turn on the vacuum cleaner and press the pedal again to turn the vacuum cleaner off.



# **Carpet Cleaning**

Attach the Power Nozzle to the end of the telescopic wand tube. For large carpeted areas.



## Hard Floor Cleaning

For hard floor cleaning use the hard floor tool for vacuuming hardwood, laminate coverings, and ceramic floors.

NOTE: When using the Power Nozzle to clean hard floors, turn the agitator "OFF" by pushing the brushroll "ON/ OFF" button on the hand grip as shown in Fig. 1.6.



## Suction Control Valve

To clean delicate fabrics, slide valve over to lower the suction and protect fabrics and surfaces.



# Edge Cleaning

Guide side of nozzle parallel to edge of carpet or furniture as shown.



# Cord Rewind

To rewind the power cord, press the cord rewind pedal, located on the top of the vacuum cleaner, and guide the power cord with one hand. This will prevent the cord from whipping which could cause damage or injury.



# Carry Handle

Use the carry handle located at the rear end of the vacuum cleaner to move from room to room.



# **Cleaning Tools**



The cleaning tools are conveniently stored underneath the hand grip.

The cleaning tools have many uses. Select the tool best suited for the cleaning task from the following descriptions.



### Select the proper tool

H. Crevice tool may be used in tight spaces, corners, and along edges in such places as dresser drawers, upholstered furniture, stairs and baseboards.

**I.** Dusting Brush with swivel neck may be used for carved furniture, table tops, books, lamps, lighting fixtures, venetian blinds, baseboards, shutters and registers. May also be used for upholstered furniture, draperies, tapestries, mattresses and clothing.

J. Hard floor tool may be used for walls and very irregular hard surface floors such as brick and slate.

## Attaching Tools

Tools may be attached directly to the hand grip or to the wand. Firmly push tool into the hand grip or wand. Twist tool slightly to tighten or loosen connection.



# How to Clean Stairs

Clean stairs from bottom to top.

NOTE: Take extra care when vacuuming stairs. Do not store canister in vertical position.



# Storage

IMPORTANT: Always unplug the vacuum cleaner from the electrical outlet and rewind the power cord as directed before storing.

NOTE: Always store the vacuum cleaner base down.

# 2. Maintenance

Familiarize yourself with these home maintenance tasks as proper use and care of your cleaner will ensure continued cleaning effectiveness.

To assure that your HOOVER cleaner operates at peak performance, it is imperative that you use only genuine HOOVER parts.



## Dirt Container & Filters: Removal & Replacement

IMPORTANT: It is recommend that you clean the filters everytime the dirt container is emptied for consistent cleaning performance of your machine.

**IMPORTANT:** Always unplug the vacuum cleaner from the electrical outlet before removing the dirt container.

**IMPORTANT:** Do NOT use the vacuum cleaner without ALL of the filters in place.

# **Emptying the Dirt Container**

#### Step I

Press button on the handle located on the dirt container lid and pull dirt container out.



#### Step II

Hold the dirt container over trash can and press the quick release button as directed to empty the container. When all the dirt has fallen, close the dirt container flap, a click will be heard when closed. Then replace the dirt container.



## **Cleaning the Cyclone Separator**



Step I

Twist lid to the unlock position and pull the dirt container bin off the cyclonic separator.



Step II

The separator should be cleaned with a soft brush and wiped with a damp cloth. The dirt container bin may be wiped to clean.

### Step III

Leave the separator to dry completely before replacing.

IMPORTANT: The cyclonic separator should not be submerged in water

## Step IV

Replace the dirt container as directed, by twisting lid to the locked postion.

# Cleaning the Pre-Motor Filter

NOTE: This is located underneath the dirt container bin.



#### Step I

Release the premotor filter cover by lifting up the tab. Lift off the filter cover to gain access to the filter. Remove the filter by pulling the tab towards you.



### Step II

Separate the foam filter from the fabric cassette. Each filter can be tapped against the side of a trash can to remove the excess dirt and dust.



Step III

The pre-motor filter may be rinsed in warm water. Allow to air dry for 24 hours before replacing. NOTE: Do not use any detergents or boiling water to wash the filters. For best performance, the foam filter should be cleaned each time the dirt container is emptied.

## Step IV

Once completely dry, return the pre-motor filter and cassette to the vacuum cleaner. Replace the premotor filter cover before restarting the vacuum cleaner.

# **Cleaning the Exhaust Filter**

NOTE: This is located on the rear of the vacuum cleaner.



#### Step I

Release the exhaust filter cover and remove the cover as shown. Remove the filter by pulling the tab towards you.

#### Step II

Tap the pleated filter on the inside of a trash can to remove excess dust and dirt. WARNING: Do not apply water to pleated filter. NOTE: Replace filter if any sign of damage.

### Step III

Once cleaned return the exhaust filter to the vacuum cleaner. Replace the exhaust filter cover before restarting the vacuum cleaner.

#### What to buy

When purchasing a new HEPA Exhaust Filter, ask for HOOVER part no. AH40010.

## Power Nozzle belt replacement

The belt in your power nozzle drives the agitator. It has been designed specifically for use in this cleaner and is important for effective operation.

### What to buy

There are other belts manufactured that are similar in shape and size, but are not designed for the HOOVER power nozzle. Such belts do not operate the agitator correctly and may create stress which could damage your power nozzle. Use only a genuine HOOVER Belt part no. **AH20000** when a belt replacement is necessary.

#### When to replace

The belt should be checked from time to time to be sure it is in good condition. To check, remove the hood (see following section). Replace the belt if it is stretched, cut, or broken.

### How to replace

#### Step I

Disconnect cleaner from electrical outlet and disconnect power nozzle from extension wand.

To remove hood, turn nozzle over and unscrew the 7 recessed Phillips head screws.



#### Step II

Return nozzle to original position. Lower Quick Disconnect by depressing down the handle release pedal and lift off the hood.



### Step III

If belt is not broken but is stretched or cut, pull it off the motor pulley (D). Lift up end of agitator brush roll. Remove old belt from agitator pulley (E) and replace

### Step IV

Hold opposite end of agitator brush roll in place. Push belt end forward, rotating end plate (F) until it slides into place. Turn agitator, making sure it rotates freely. with new belt. Lettering on belt must be visible. Stretch belt back and attach to motor pulley.





#### Step V

Position hood on top of nozzle base. Turn nozzle over. Replace the 7 Philips head screws.



## Agitator brush roll replacement

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### When to replace

Disconnect cleaner from electrical outlet.

When agitator brush roll brushes are worn, the brush roll should be replaced.

To check condition of brushes, move edge of a card across bottom

plate while turning brush roll. To maintain cleaning effectiveness, replace brush roll if brushes do not touch card.

#### What to buy

When purchasing a new agitator brush roll, ask for HOOVER part no. **59135316.** 

### How to replace

**Disconnect cleaner from electrical outlet.** 1. Remove hood, belt and brush roll as shown in Figs. 2.9 to 2.11.

- 2. Discard old brush roll.
- 3. Replace new brush roll and belt as shown in Figs. 2.12 and 2.13.

## Headlight replacement

The headlight, located on top of the power nozzle, operates when the cleaner is turned on. Use only HOOVER part no. **59135317**, when replacing the headlight.

#### How to replace

Disconnect cleaner from electrical outlet and disconnect power nozzle from extension wand.

- 1. Remove the hood as shown in Fig. 2.10.
- 2. Pull old bulb from socket. Push new bulb into socket.
- 3. Replace hood.



# 3. Troubleshooting

If a minor problem occurs, it usually can be solved quite easily when the cause is found by using the check list below.

PROBLEM	POSSIBLE CAUSE	POSSIBLE SOLUTION
Cleaner	Not "ON" at cleaner.	Turn "ON" at cleaner.
won't run.	Not firmly plugged in.	Plug unit in firmly.
	No voltage in wall plug.	Check fuse or breaker.
	Blown fuse or tripped breaker.	Replace fuse or reset breaker.
	Motor Thermal Protector has tripped.	Switch off and unplug the vacuum cleaner. Leave for 30 minutes before switching the vacuum cleaner back on.
Low suction.	Dirt container full or blocked.	Empty dirt container.
	Dirt container not installed properly.	Review dirt container replacement.
	Blockage in nozzle connector, hose or wands.	Remove blockage.
	Filters dirty or clogged.	Clean or replace filters.
	Suction control valve open.	Close suction control valve on hand grip/
Power nozzle	Hose power cord not firmly plugged in.	Plug firmly into receptacle on cleaner base.
agitator	Broken or worn belt.	Replace belt.
brushroll	Brushroll switch set to "OFF".	Set Brushroll switch to "ON".
won't run	Thermo Protector Activated.	Switch OFF and unplug the vacuum cleaner. Leave for 30 minutes before switching the vacuum back on.
Nozzle won't pick up	Low cleaner suction.	See section "Cleaner suction low".
	Blockage in nozzle connector.	Remove blockage.
	Agitator brushroll not running.	See section "Agitator brushroll won't run"
	Agitator brushroll brushes worn.	Replace brushes.

# **Cleaning Blockages**

Low suction or pick up may be due to a blockage in the system. Refer to the following steps to check for blockages, continuing with each step until the blockage is found:

#### Step I

Turn the vacuum cleaner off and unplug from the electrical outlet.

#### Step II

The flexible hose can be disconnected from the vacuum cleaner by pressing the release button on hose connector and pull out as shown. Remove any blockages found then reconnect the hose securely.



## Cleaning Blockages (continued)



Step III

Plug cleaner in, turn on, and check hose end for suction. Remove any obstructions.





Remove power nozzle from wand and attach wand to hose. Check for suction and remove any blockages.





Make sure power nozzle is disconnected from wand. Then check for blockage in nozzle connector (A).



## Step IV

Make sure power nozzle is disconnected from wand. Turn nozzle over and check for blockages.

# Service

To obtain approved HOOVER service and genuine HOOVER parts, locate the nearest Hoover Sales and Service Center or Authorized Hoover Warranty Service Dealer (Depot) by:

- Checking the Service Section of Hoover on-line at hoover.com OR
- Checking the Yellow Pages under "Vacuum Cleaners Household" OR
- Calling 1-800-944-9200 for an automated referral of authorized service outlet locations (U.S. only)

Do not send your cleaner to Hoover in Glenwillow, Ohio for service; this will only result in delay.

If further assistance is needed, contact the Hoover Consumer Response Center, Phone: 1-800-263-6376 Mon-Fri 8am-7pm EST.

In Canada, contact Hoover Canada, Carson Building, 100 Carson St., Etobicoke, Ontario M8W 3R9, Phone: 1-800-263-6376 Mon-Fri 8am-7pm EST.

Always identify your cleaner by the complete model number when requesting information or ordering parts. (The model number appears on the bottom of the cleaner.)

# Limited Two Year Warranty

(Domestic Use)

#### WHAT THIS WARRANTY COVERS

When used and maintained in normal household use and in accordance with the Owner's Manual, your HOOVER® product is warranted against original defects in material and work-manship for a full two years from date of purchase (the "Warranty Period"). During the Warranty Period, Hoover will provide labor and parts, at no cost to you, to correct any such defect in products purchased in the United States, U.S. Military Exchanges and Canada.

#### HOW TO MAKE A WARRANTY CLAIM

If this product is not as warranted, take or send the product to either a Hoover Sales and Service Center or Hoover Authorized Warranty Service Dealer along with proof of purchase. For an automated referral to authorized service outlets in the U.S.A., phone: 1-800-944-9200 OR visit Hoover online at www.hoover.com. For additional assistance or information concerning this Warranty or the availability of warranty service outlets, phone the Hoover Consumer Response Center, Phone 1-800-263-6376, Mon-Fri 8am-7pm EST. In Canada, contact Hoover Canada, Carson Building, 100 Carson St., Etobicoke, Ontario M8W 3R9, Phone: 1-800-263-6376, Mon-Fri 8am-7pm EST.

#### WHAT THIS WARRANTY DOES NOT COVER

This Warranty does not cover: use of the product in a commercial operation (such as maid, janitorial and equipment rental services), improper maintenance of the product, damage due to misuse, acts of God, nature, vandalism or other acts beyond the control of Hoover, owner's acts or omissions, use outside the country in which the product was initially purchased and resales of the product by the original owner. This warranty does not cover pick up, delivery, transportation or house calls. However, if you mail your product to a Hoover Sales and Service Center for warranty service, cost of shipping will be paid one way.

This warranty does not apply to products purchased outside the: United States (including its territories and possessions), U.S. Military Exchange and Canada.

#### OTHER IMPORTANT TERMS

This Warranty is not transferable and may not be assigned. This Warranty shall be governed and construed under the laws of the state of Ohio. The Warranty Period will not be extended by any replacement or repair performed under this Warranty.

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