

HOME
Electric



INSTRUCTION LEAFLET

MODEL NO. HIT-35T

USER INSTRUCTIONS

Please keep these instructions

Please read these instructions carefully and familiarise yourself with your new SUNBEAM STEAM IRON before using it for the first time.

1. POWER

230V ~ 50Hz 1000W

Ensure that the voltage indicated on the identification plate corresponds with the mains voltage.

2. FITTING OF 3 PIN PLUG


WARNING

THIS APPLIANCE MUST BE EARTHED

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

Green and Yellow	- Earth
Blue	- Neutral
Brown	- Live

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

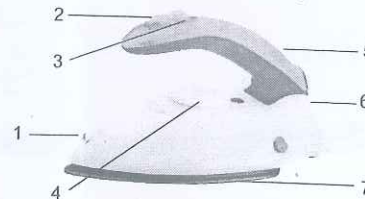
The wire which is coloured green & yellow must be connected to the terminal in the plug which is marked with the letter 'E' or the earth symbol  or coloured green or green & Yellow.

The wire which is coloured blue must be connected to the terminal which is marked with the letter 'N' or coloured black.

The wire which is coloured brown must be connected to the terminal which is marked with the letter 'L' or coloured red.

3. FEATURES OF YOUR IRON

1. Spray nozzle
2. Surge of steam
3. Water filling
4. Temperature Control knob
5. Swivel cord
7. Water tank
8. Soleplate



4. IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

When using electrical appliances, basic safety precautions should always be followed, including the following:

- **READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS**
- Do not touch hot surfaces. Use handles or knobs.
- Disconnect plug from power source before filling iron with water.
- To protect against electrical shock, do not immerse cord, plugs, or appliances in water or other liquid.
- Close supervision is necessary when any appliance is used by or near children.
- Unplug from outlet when not in use and before cleaning. Allow to cool before storing.

- Do not operate any appliance with a damaged cord or plug or after the appliance malfunctions or has been damaged in any manner. Return appliance to the factory for examination, repair or adjustment.
- The use of accessory attachments not recommended by the appliance manufacturer may cause injuries.
- Do not use outdoors.
- Do not let cord hang over the edge of the table or counter, or touch hot surfaces.
- Do not place on or near a hot gas or electric burner, or in a heated oven.
- To disconnect, remove plug from outlet. Let iron cool completely before putting away.
- Loop cord loosely around iron when storing.
- Burns can occur from touching hot metal parts, hot water, or steam. Use caution when turning the iron upside down, there may be hot water in the water tank (7).
- If an extension cord is absolutely necessary, a 10 ampere cord should be used.
- Do not use this appliance for anything else other than its intended use. This appliance is for household use only.





SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

5. HINTS BEFORE FIRST USE

- Some parts of the iron have been slightly greased and as a result the iron might smoke slightly when switched 'ON' for the first time. After a short while, this will cease. - The Iron is NOT faulty.
- Before using for the first time remove any sticker or protective foil from the soleplate with a soft cloth.
- Keep the soleplate smooth: do not scratch against metal objects (e.g. rack of ironing board, buttons, zippers)
- Pure woollen fabrics (100% wool) may be pressed with the iron set to a steam position. Preferably select steam selector position and use a dry pressing cloth.

6. SETTING THE TEMPERATURE

- Always check first to see whether ironing instructions are attached to the article to be ironed. (They can be found on a label showing a drawing of an iron. The number of dots indicate the correct temperature. Refer to the indications on the temperature dial and in the table below.) Follow these ironing instructions in all cases.
- If ironing instructions are missing but you do know the kind of fabric, then see the table below. The table is valid for the actual materials and do not concern any applied finish, gloss etc.
- Textile to which some kind of finish has been applied (gloss, wrinkle relief etc.) can best be ironed on somewhat lower temperatures.
- If the fabric consists of various kinds of fibres, you must always select the lowest ironing temperature of the composition. (e.g. an article consisting of 60% polyester and 40% should be ironed at the temperature indicated for polyester and without steam.)
- Sort the fabrics out according to ironing temperature first: wool with wool, cotton with cotton, etc. The iron heats up quicker than it cool downs. Therefore, start ironing the articles requiring the lowest temperature such as those made of synthetic fibres. Then progress to higher ones.
- Turn the temperature control knob round until it is opposite the setting pointer.

LABEL	TYPE OF TEXTILE
	Do not iron this article
	Synthetics, Nylon, Acrylics, Polyester, Rayon
	Wool, Silk
	Cotton, Linen

7. HOW TO FILL WITH WATER

- Set the Variable steam knob (3) to the '0' position before filling the iron with water.
- Remove the plug from the socket.
- Fill the water through the filling mouth into the water tank (7).

- If the water is very hard, it is advised to use distilled water or demineralized water only.
- Do not use chemically descaled water.
- The harder the water, the more the iron should be self cleaned (see maintenance.)
- Pour out the remaining water after use.

8. STEAM IRONING

- Fill the iron with water as described in 'How to fill with water'.
- Plug iron into electrical outlet.
- As indicated on the temperature control knob, steam ironing is only possible at higher temperature settings indicated with 'MAX' mark, otherwise the water will leak from the soleplate.
- Turn the temperature control knob(6) to the position according to the fabric being ironed as described in point 6 of 'Setting the temperature'.
- The indicator light will turn 'OFF' when the indicated setting reaches the correct temperature.
- Turn the variable steam knob to the required setting for different types of fabric.

9. SURGE FEATURE

- The surge-of-steam(4) feature provides additional steam for removing stubborn wrinkles. It may be used for steam or dry ironing.
- Press the 'Burst button' to release the surge-of-steam. Pressing the button several times may be necessary to prime the surge system.
- Wait a few seconds for the steam to penetrate the fabric before pressing the button again for more steam.
- NOTE: For optimum steam quality, do not apply more than three successive 'SHOTS' after the indicator light goes off.

10. MAINTENANCE

SELF CLEANING

- IMPORTANT: Your iron will give the best ironing results and last longest if you apply the 'self cleaning' once a month to remove any scale, fluff etc.
- Fill the water tank up to half with water.
- Place the iron on its rear heel.
- Slide the temperature dial to 'MAX'.
- Insert the plug into the wall socket.
- Allow the iron to heat up until the indicator light first goes out.
- Remove the plug from the wall socket.
- Keep the iron horizontally over the sink.
- Set the 'Variable steam knob' at maximum position.
- Boiling water and steam will now emit from the holes in the soleplate. Impurities and scale (if any) are washed away with it.
- Move the iron forwards and backwards while this happens. Go on letting steam and water escape until the water tank is virtually empty.
- Turn the Variable steam knob to '0' position.
- Insert the plug into the wall socket.
- Set the temperature dial to position 'MAX'. Let the iron heat up again. The remainder of the water inside the steam chamber will now vaporize and leave the iron through the soleplate.
- During this process of dry steaming it is advisable to move the iron over an old piece of cloth.

11. CLEANING

- To remove or clean starch or other materials from the ironing surface, apply a small amount of mild cleaner to a damp cloth forming a paste on the cloth. Gently rub ironing surface of iron, then wipe with moist cloth. Never use metallic pads.
- CAUTION: Never use scouring pads, abrasive or harsh cleaners as this may scratch the surface.

DO NOT IMMERSE IN WATER OR ANY LIQUID.

- **PLEASE RETAIN YOUR PURCHASE DOCKET AND GIFT BOX WHICH MUST BE PRESENTED AS PROOF OF DATE OF PURCHASE, IF YOU WISH TO CLAIM UNDER THE TERMS OF THE GUARANTEE.**

- **If the product is 'ABUSED', the terms of the guarantee are invalidated. If the product is OPENED AND TAMPED WITH' the terms of the guarantee are invalidated.**