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## Owner's handbook

JS604-60

2 in 1 Stick/Handheld Vacuum



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Please keep your sales docket, including cash register receipt, in a safe place as the docket will prove the commencement of the period of this warranty. If you wish to make a claim specifically under this manufacturer's warranty, you will be required to provide proof of purchase, preferably your sales docket.

#### **IMPORTANT SAFETY CAUTIONS**

Please read these instructions carefully before using the appliance for the first time.

WARNING- to reduce the risk of fire, electric shock or injury to persons or property:

- Use the appliance from a power outlet of the same voltage (A.C. only) as marked on the rating label of the appliance.
- Always turn the power off at the power outlet before you insert or remove the plug. Remove by grasping the plug, do not pull on the cord.
- Do not use with a damaged cord or plug. Never use the appliance if it has dropped, been damaged, left outside, or has fallen into water.
- If the supply cord is damaged, it must be replaced by the manufacturer, its service agent or a similarly qualified person in order to avoid a hazard.
- Do not use the appliance with an extension cord.
- Do not pull or carry the appliance by the cord, do not use the cord as a handle, avoid catching the cord under doors, and do not slide it along edges or sharp edges.
- Do not run the vacuum cleaner over the cord.
   Keep the cord away from heated surfaces.
- Before you insert the plug into the wall socket, make sure your hand is dry.
- Do not handle the plug or vacuum cleaner with wet hands.
- This vacuum cleaner is equipped with a plug and a cable which rolls up by hand. If either get damaged, both the plug and the cable must be repaired by a qualified repairman or electrician.
- To reduce the risk of electric shock, do not use outdoors or on wet surfaces. Use only on dry, indoor surfaces.
- Store the vacuum cleaner indoors. Put the vacuum cleaner away after use to prevent tripping accidents.

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#### **IMPORTANT SAFETY CAUTIONS**

- Do not immerse the appliance in water or any other liquid.
- Never leave the vacuum cleaner unattended when plugged in. Unplug from the outlet when not in use.
- Turn off all controls before connecting or unplugging the cleaner.
- Check the dust container each time you start vacuuming. Empty it if necessary.
- Do not put any object into openings. Do not use with any opening blocked. Keep free of dust, lint, hair and anything that may reduce air flow.
- Keep hair, loose clothing, jewellery, fingers and all parts of the body away from openings and moving parts.
- Before you start using the vacuum cleaner, remove large or sharp objects from the floor in order to prevent damage to the paper filter.
- Do not use the cleaner to pick up hard or metal objects, nails pins, etc.
- Do not pick up toxic material (chlorine bleach, ammonia, drain cleaner etc).
- Do not use in an enclosed space filled with vapours given off by oil based paints, paint thinner, moth proofing, flammable dust, or other explosive or toxic vapours.
- Do not use the cleaner to pick up flammable or combustible liquids, such as petrol, solvents, paints, or gas, or use in areas where they may be present.
- Do not pick up anything that is burning or smoking, such as cigarettes, matches, or hot ashes.
- Do not operate the vacuum cleaner when it is too close to heaters, radiators, cigarette butts etc.
- Use extra care when cleaning on stairs.
- Keep the end of the hose, wand and other openings away from your face and body.
- Do not use without the dust container and/or filter in place.

- Always unplug this appliance before connecting or disconnecting attachments.
- If the opening that sucks in the air or attachments are blocked, switch off the vacuum cleaner at once. First clear the blocked substance before you attempt to start the vacuum cleaner again.
- The vacuum cleaner is a powerful unit. Make sure that you hold it firmly, otherwise it may slip out of your hand and cause injury.
- Use only as described in this user's guide.
   Use only the manufacturer's recommended attachments.
- Do not allow the cleaner to be used as a toy. Close attention is necessary when used nearby children.
- This appliance is not intended for use by persons (including children) with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge, unless they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance by a person responsible for their safety.
- Children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the appliance.











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### INTRODUCTION

### **Vacuum cleaner features**

- Compact, high power design.
- Hand-held or upright operation.

### Taking care of your cleaner



### **CAUTION**

For ease of maintenance, your cleaner has a bagless dust container. For this system to work efficiently, the container must be emptied on a regular basis. The filter should also be cleaned regularly.

If the container is over-full or if the filter becomes blocked, suction will reduce significantly and the cleaner may overheat. Permanent damage could result from overheating.

#### UNPACKING

Unpack the vacuum cleaner from the carton.

Retain the carton and packing for future use. If you have to dispose of the carton and packing, please do so responsibly.

The carton should contain -

1 x JS604-60 vacuum cleaner.

1 x Extension handle for upright operation.

1 x Floor cleaner attachment.

1 x Nozzle attachment.

1 x Spare filter.

1 x Owner's handbook.

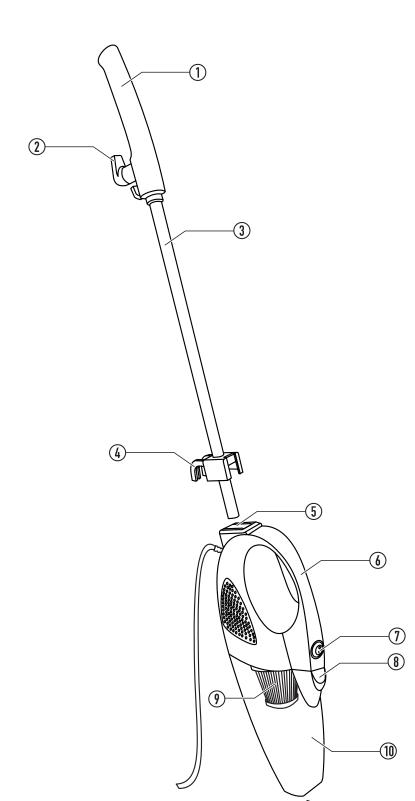




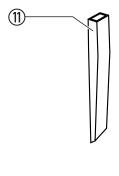




### **CONTROLS AND FEATURES**



- 1. Handle for upright use
- 2. Upper cable storage hook (upright use) with quick release feature
- 3. Extension handle for upright use
- 4. Lower cable storage hook (upright use)
- 5. Cover/Latch for extension handle
- 6. Handle for hand-held use
- 7. On/Off switch
- 8. Dust container release button
- 9. Main filter (inside dust container)
- 10. Dust container
- 11. Nozzle attachment
- 12. Floor cleaner attachment



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### **ASSEMBLY OPTIONS**

### **Hand-held options**

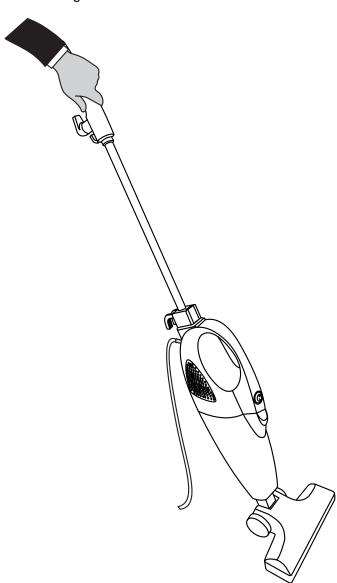
The cleaner can be used hand-held with either the floor-cleaner attachment or the nozzle attachment fitted.

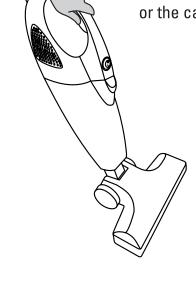
### Floor cleaner

When hand-held, the floor cleaner can be used to clean inaccessible areas or the carpets in a car.

### Upright option

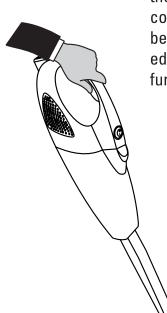
The extension handle can be fitted together with the floor-cleaner attachment for upright vacuuming.





### Nozzle

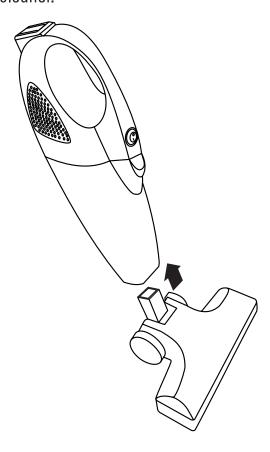
With the nozzle fitted, the suction is more concentrated and can be used around floor edges and for vacuuming furniture etc.



### **ASSEMBLING THE CLEANER**

### Fitting an attachment

 Choose an attachment and push the stem of the attachment into the air inlet of the cleaner.



The cleaner is now ready to use hand-held.

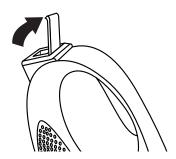
### **Removing the attachments**

The attachments are a push fit in the air inlet, there is no catch to retain them.

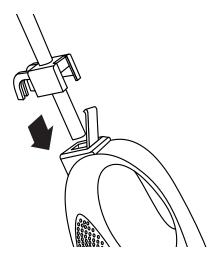
 Holding the cleaner by the dust container, pull the attachment out of the air inlet.

### Fitting the extension handle

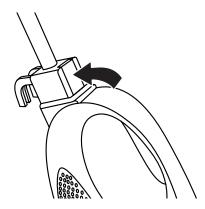
Open the cover at the top of the cleaner.



 Push the extension handle gently into the hole under the cover.



- The cover secures the handle in place. Clip the cover into place to secure the handle.
- Check that the handle is securely fixed to the cleaner.



### Removing the extension handle

Removing the handle is the reverse of fitting it.

- Unclip the cover from the handle.
- Remove the handle from the cleaner.
- Clip the cover back in place.





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#### **OPERATION**

### **Preparation for use**

- Check that the power cable is disconnected.
- Check that the power switch is set to the '0' (off) position.
- Empty the dust container if necessary.
- Fit the attachment you want to use and the extension handle (if required).
- Connect the power to a mains outlet in reach of the whole area you want to clean. Check that the cable will cover the area without snagging, pulling or causing a trip hazard.

### Quick release cable hook

The cleaner includes a quick-release feature for cable storage.

If the cleaner is fully assembled with the extension handle fitted and the power cable has been stored on the cable hooks provided -

 Rotate the upper cable hook to the left or right to quick release the stored cable.

With the hook rotated the cable can be lifted off the cleaner.

### Using the cleaner

 Holding the handle firmly, set the power switch to the 'I' (on) position.

The cleaner will switch on.

- If you are using the floor-cleaner, move the cleaner back and forth over the area you want to clean.
- If you are using the nozzle, carefully apply the tip of the nozzle to the areas you want to clean.

The suction will be high at the tip of the nozzle. If the cleaner inadvertently sucks in curtains or soft furnishing material, switch it off immediately and remove it carefully from the nozzle.

### **Cautions when cleaning**

- Take extra care when using the cleaner on stairs.
- Never operate the cleaner with the filters removed.

### **Blockages**

- If you suspect there is a blockage, switch off the cleaner immediately to avoid damage.
- If one of the attachments is blocked, disconnect the power cord and remove the attachment.
- Use a screwdriver or similar tool to clear the blockage.





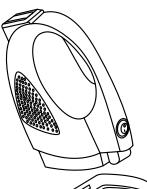
#### **CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE**

Always disconnect the cleaner from mains power before any cleaning operation.

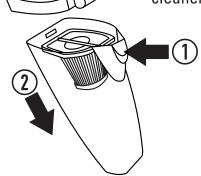
Never clean any of the cleaner components with scourers, abrasive pads or chemicals.

### **Emptying the dust container**

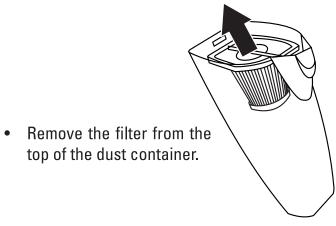
NOTE: For best cleaning performance, empty the dust container and clean the filter regularly. Never wait until it the container is full.



- 1. Press and hold the dust container release button.
- While holding the release button, ease the dust container off the body of the cleaner.



NOTE: when the dust container is removed, the black foam motor filter is exposed under the cleaner body. Take care to keep this in place until the dust container is replaced.



- Empty the container into a bin or bag.
- The dust container can be washed if required in a mild detergent solution.
- Allow the container to dry thoroughly.

### Cleaning the filter

- Brush the outside of the filter with a soft paintbrush or similar to remove dust from the folds in the filter.
- Rinse the filter in running water.
- Leave the filter in a warm place for 24 hours to dry thoroughly before reassembly.

CAUTION: Never wash the filter in a washing machine or use a hairdryer to dry it.

NOTE: A spare filter is provided. Ensure that all packaging is removed before using it.

### Reassembling the dust container

- Fit the filter into the top of the dust container.
- Hook the cleaner into the slot at the back of the dust container (arrowed).

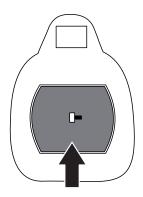


Rotate the cleaner body into position on the dust container.

The dust container release button will click shut.

### Cleaning the motor filter

 With the dust container removed, locate the motor filter under the cleaner body.



- Gently lift the filter from the cleaner body.
- Brush the filter clean.
- Re-fit the filter in its original position.

### Cleaning the exterior

- The exterior of the cleaner can be wiped clean with a barely damp cloth.
- Dry thoroughly before use.





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### **AFTER USE**

- Set the power switch to the '0' (off) position.
- Disconnect the power cable.
- Follow the instructions in the Care and Cleaning section to check if the dust container should be emptied and clean the filters if necessary.
- If the extension handle is fitted, wind the power cable around the cable hooks and store the cleaner fully assembled.
- If the extension handle is not fitted, coil the cable loosely and store the cleaner and attachments.

Always store the cleaner and all attachments in a dry, cool place out of reach of children and pets.

### **TROUBLESHOOTING**

No power	Check that mains power is connected and the cleaner is switched on.
Reduced suction	Switch off the cleaner. Check if the dust container is fitted correctly and is empty of dust. Check if the filter is clean.
	If the problem persists, check if there is a blockage in the attachments.
Dust clouds from the cleaner	Switch off the cleaner. Check if the dust container is fitted correctly and is empty of dust.
Cleaner cuts out in use	The motor may have overheated. Switch off and unplug the cleaner and leave it to stand for 1 hour before using it again. If the cleaner overheats, it is most likely to be due to blocked filters. Always check all the filters if the cleaner has cut out in use.

### **SPECIFICATIONS**

Power supply......240V~, 50-60Hz
Power consumption......600 W max.
Class II double insulated.





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#### **WARRANTY**

- 1. Our goods come with guarantees that cannot be excluded under the Australian Consumer Law. You are entitled to a replacement or refund for a major failure and for compensation for any other reasonably foreseeable loss or damage. You are also entitled to have the goods repaired or replaced if the goods fail to be of acceptable quality and the failure does not amount to a major failure. Where a failure does not amount to a major failure, BIG W is entitled to choose between providing you with a repair, replacement or refund. To obtain compensation, you would need to provide documentary evidence of the loss or damage suffered, and documentary evidence that such loss or damage was a reasonably foreseeable consequence of a failure by BIG W to comply with a consumer guarantee under the Australian Consumer Law. Such evidence may include photographs, statutory declarations, receipts or reports (eg from your doctor), depending on the loss or damage.
- 2. In addition to all rights and remedies to which you may be entitled under the Competition and Consumer Act 2010 (Commonwealth) and any other relevant legislation, the manufacturer warrants this product to be free from defects in materials or workmanship for a period of 24 months from the date of purchase.
- 3. In order to claim under this warranty you will need to bring the product to any BIG W store, along with proof of purchase (typically this will be a receipt). Any cost incurred by you in bringing the product to the service desk will be borne by you. We will then, at our option, either repair or replace the product, or refund your money and take back the product in accordance with our Returns Policy, a copy of which is available at our return desk

- 4. Our liability under this manufacturer's warranty is subject to us being satisfied that a defect was caused by defective workmanship or materials, and was not caused by or substantially contributed to by other factors, or circumstances beyond our control, including (but not limited to) defective installation, maintenance or repair, alteration or modification of the product in a manner not recommended by the manufacturers or any neglect, misuse or excessive use.
- 5. The benefits conferred by this manufacturer's warranty are in addition to all rights and remedies conveyed by the Competition and Consumer Act 2010 (Commonwealth), and any other statutory rights to which you may already be entitled, and this warranty does not exclude, restrict or modify any such rights or remedies that are implied by law.
- 6. This warranty is provided by BIG W of 1 Woolworths Way, Bella Vista NSW 2153, Phone: 1300 244 999.







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