Steam & Wet/Dry Vacuum Cleaner 2200W



Model: DH493

Important Information

Please read these instructions carefully. Note the safe operational requirements, warnings & cautions. Use the product correctly and with care for the purpose for which it is intended. Failure to do so may cause damage and/or personal injury and will invalidate the warranty. Keep these instructions safe for future use.

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1. Introduction

Thank you for purchasing a Baridi product. Manufactured to a high standard, this product will, if used according to these instructions, and properly maintained, give you years of trouble free performance.

1.1 Intended Use

Wet and dry vacuum cleaners are designed to handle a wide range of domestic cleaning tasks.

They are particularly useful for: Cleaning spills, picking up dirt and debris, car interiors and upholstery cleaning.

1.2 Description

A versatile cleaning solution for homes and other everyday cleaning tasks, this model combines steam cleaning, wet and dry vacuuming and water spray functions in one portable machine. The range of cleaning modes makes it suitable for tackling different types of dirt across carpets, upholstery and other surfaces. With a selection of dedicated brushes, nozzles and extension tubes supplied, it provides a practical all-in-one approach to routine cleaning.

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Country of origin: China.

2. Safety Symbols



Refer to instruction manual



Indoor use only

3. Safety

3.1 Electrical Safety

! **WARNING!** It is the user's responsibility to check the following:
Check all electrical equipment and appliances to ensure that they are safe before using.
Inspect power supply leads, plugs and all electrical connections for wear and damage.

- Electrical safety information: It is important that the following information is read and understood.
- Ensure that the insulation on all cables and on the appliance is safe before connecting it to the power supply.
- Regularly inspect power supply cables and plugs for wear or damage and check all connections to ensure that they are secure.
- If the supply cord is damaged, it must be replaced by the manufacturer, its service agent or similarly qualified persons in order to avoid a hazard.

! **WARNING!** Important: Ensure that the voltage rating on the appliance suits the power supply to be used and that the plug is fitted with the correct fuse (see Specification table).

✕ **DO NOT** pull the plug from the socket by the cable.

✕ **DO NOT** use worn or damaged cables, plugs or connectors. Ensure that any faulty item is repaired or replaced immediately by a qualified electrician.

- This product is fitted with a BS1363/A 3 pin plug.
- If the cable or plug is damaged during use, switch off the electricity supply, unplug the appliance if it is safe to do so, and remove the appliance from use.
- Ensure that repairs are carried out by a qualified electrician.

3.2 General Safety

- This appliance can be used by persons with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities or lack of experience and knowledge if they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance in a safe way and understand the hazards involved.

✕ The liquid or steam **MUST NOT** be directed towards equipment containing electrical components, such as the interior of ovens.

! Children shall **NOT** play with the appliance.

- Cleaning and user maintenance on the appliance shall not be made by children without supervision.
- This piece of equipment is solely designed for use by a responsible adult/professional user who has received adequate training on its operation & safety risks.
- The appliance must be unplugged after use and before carrying out user maintenance.
- The appliance is not to be used if it has been dropped, if there are visible signs of damage or if it is leaking.
- Keep the appliance out of reach of children when it is energised, in operation or cooling down.

3.3 Operational Safety

✕ **DO NOT** use cleaning agents or detergents that contain solvents.

✕ **DO NOT** store the appliance in areas that may be subject to high temperatures.

- Turn off the appliance and unplug the appliance when cleaning or servicing the appliance.

✕ If you notice any form of leaking liquid, switch off and unplug the appliance immediately. **DO NOT** resume operation until the appliance has been fully inspected and the issue resolved. Any repairs must only be undertaken by qualified technicians. Contact Baridi for further advice.

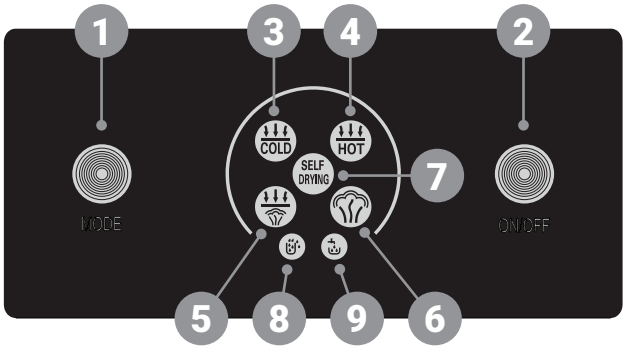
- Take care not to excessively bend, twist or pull the hose too harshly as this could damage and deform it.
- If any water or detergent is spilt on the appliance, wipe the area with a soft, slightly damp cloth.

4. Specification

Model	DH493
Suction Power	17kPa
Capacity	Clean Water Tank: 1.8L
	Waste Water Tank: 3L
Colour of Product	White
Filter Type	HEPA/Sponge
Power	800W (Total 2200W)
Electrical Class	Class I
IP Rating	IPX4
Supply	230V~50Hz
Cable Length and Plug	4m / 3-pin 13A
Noise Level	81dB
Product Dimensions	415 x 238 x 280mm
Nett Weight	7.1kg

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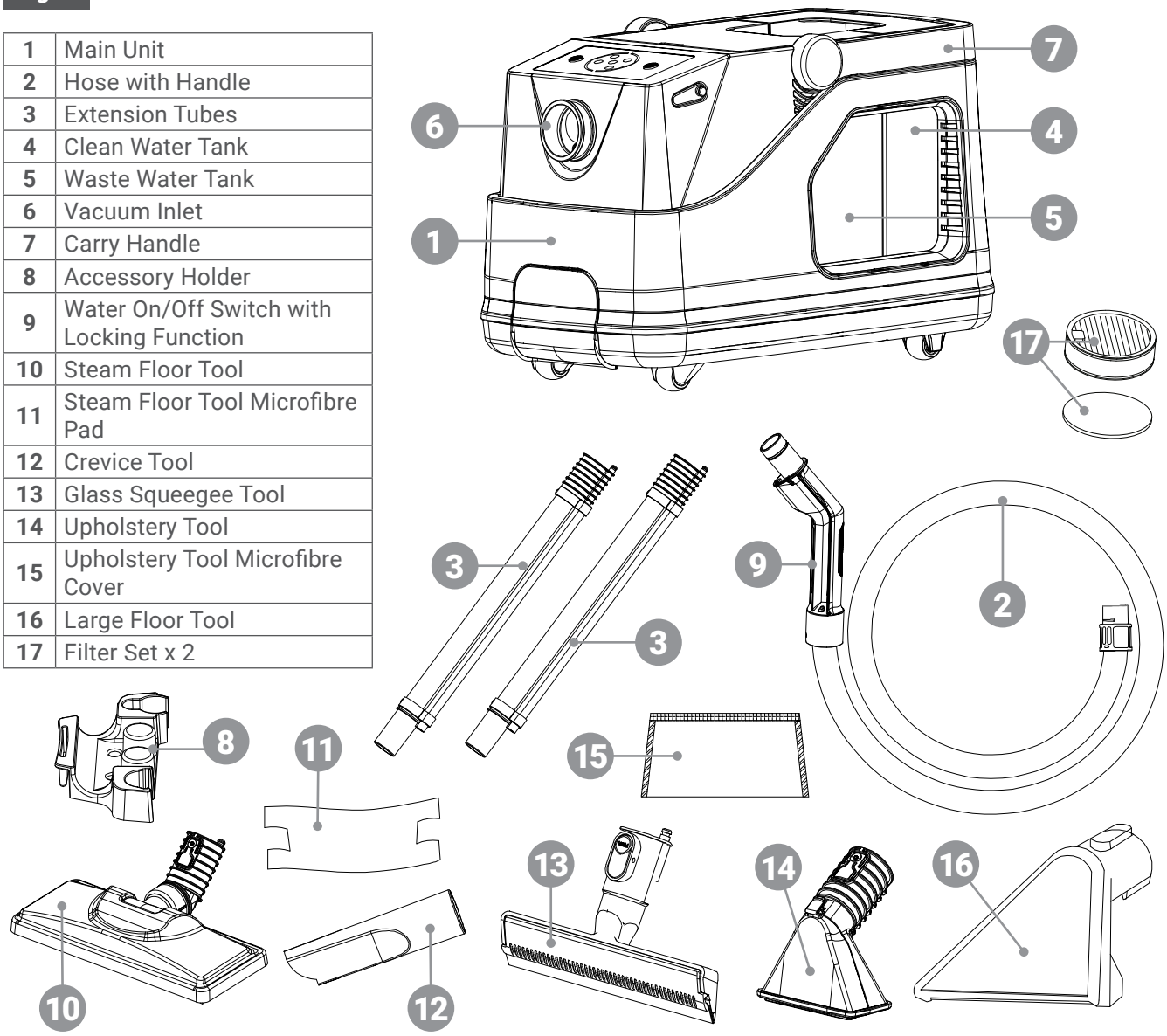
1	Mode Button	**6**	Steam Only Mode
2	On/Off Button	**7**	Self-Drying Mode
3	Cold Water & Vacuum Mode	**8**	Waste Tank Full Indicator
4	Hot Water & Vacuum Mode	**9**	Water Tank Empty Indicator
5	Steam & Vacuum Mode		



5. Contents And Features

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1	Main Unit
2	Hose with Handle
3	Extension Tubes
4	Clean Water Tank
5	Waste Water Tank
6	Vacuum Inlet
7	Carry Handle
8	Accessory Holder
9	Water On/Off Switch with Locking Function
10	Steam Floor Tool
11	Steam Floor Tool Microfibre Pad
12	Crevice Tool
13	Glass Squeegee Tool
14	Upholstery Tool
15	Upholstery Tool Microfibre Cover
16	Large Floor Tool
17	Filter Set x 2



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6. Preparation

WARNING! Ensure that the appliance is unplugged before any assembly and preparation.

- Before use, check that the filters are properly installed. See Cleaning and Maintenance section for details of filter access.

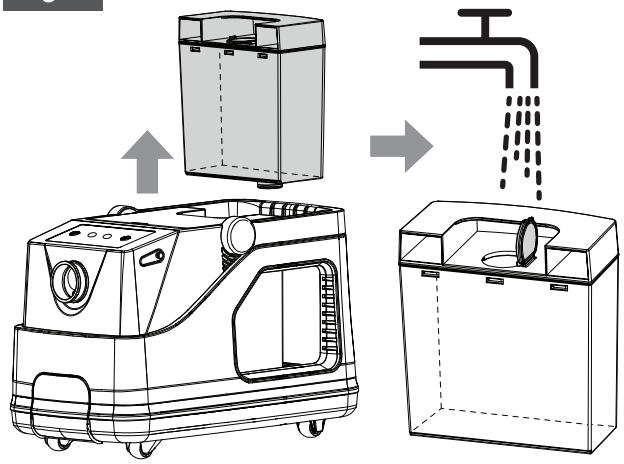
6.1 Fill Clean Water Tank

- If required, detergent should be added to the clean water tank at a ratio of 1:300. Example: add 6ml of detergent when filling up the clean water tank to capacity (1.8L).

Note: Only use a low-foaming detergent

6.1.1 The tank is removed by simply pulling it up using the integral handle built into the lid **(fig.3)**.

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6.1.2 Flip open the tank filler plug and fill with clean water.

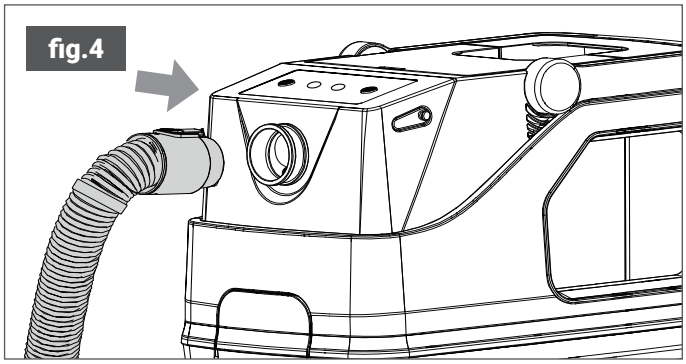
6.1.3 Add detergent or cleaning solution as required and refit the plug.

6.1.4 Refit the clean water tank into the cleaner body.

6.2 Attaching Tools

6.2.1 Connect the hose onto the vacuum inlet by pressing down the button and pushing onto the inlet until it locks into place. The button should be facing upwards **(fig.4)**.

fig.4



6.2.2 Select the attachment required for the task.

6.2.3 The extension tubes and all tools that incorporate a water connector attach in the same way as the hose.

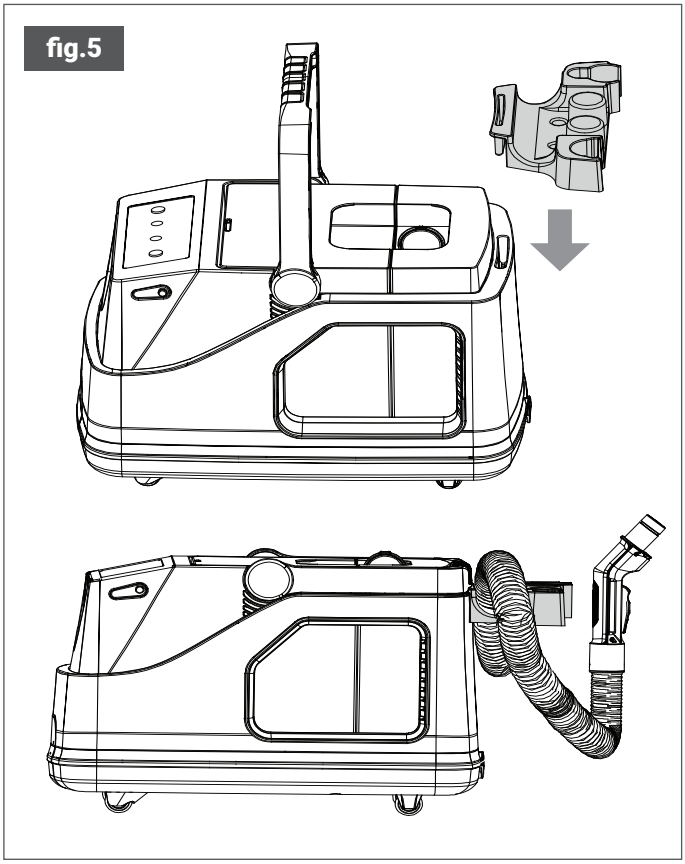
6.2.4 The hard floor/carpet tool and the crevice tool are a simple push fit as these are for vacuum use only.

6.3 Accessory Storage

- The appliance is supplied with an accessory holder that fits onto the back of the unit.

6.3.1 To install it, raise the carry handle and fit the holder into the recess **(fig.5)**.

fig.5



- The power supply cable can be wound round the holder.
- The hose can also be looped around the holder and the hose handle can be clipped into place.
- The other side of the holder can accommodate an extension tube.
- Two tools can be stored in the middle section of the holder.

7. Operation

7.1 Operating Modes

- The cleaner can be operated in five different modes of cleaning as follows:

7.2 Dry Vacuum Mode

7.2.1 Press the On/Off button **(fig.1.2)** and the appliance will start the vacuum motor.

7.2.2 The floor tool **(fig.2.10)** and crevice tool **(fig.2.12)** function effectively for dry vacuuming.

Note: If there is water in the clean water tank do not press the handle trigger otherwise water will be sprayed. The appliance can be used for dry vacuuming if there is no water in the tank.

7.3 Cold Water & Vacuum Mode

7.3.1 Select and attach your chosen tool.

7.3.2 Press the On/Off button **(fig.1.2)**.

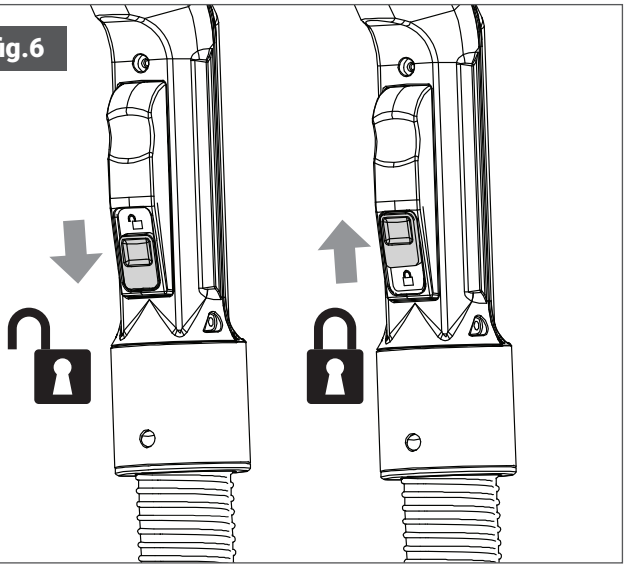
7.3.3 By default, the appliance will enter cold water cleaning mode and the indicator will turn on **(fig.1.3)**.

7.3.4 The vacuum motor will start.

Note: If you want to use for dry vacuuming only, you do not need to change any further settings.

7.3.5 Press the trigger on the handle **(fig.2.9/fig.6)** to start the water spray function.

fig.6



Note: The trigger incorporates a locking function. Press the trigger and, at the same time, slide the locking button forwards and then release the trigger. The water will spray continously until you unlock the trigger by sliding the switch towards you **(fig.6)**.

7.4 Hot Water & Vacuum Mode

7.4.1 Select and attach your chosen tool.

7.4.2 Press the On/Off button **(fig.1.2)** and then keep pressing the Mode button **(fig.1.1)** until the Hot Water Cleaning Mode indicator turns on **(fig.1.4)**.

7.4.3 The vacuum motor will start.

7.4.4 Press the trigger on the handle **(fig.2.9/fig.6)** and the appliance will begin to preheat for approximately 5 seconds.

7.4.5 Once it has pre-heated, continue pressing, or lock the trigger for easier continuous use, and it will spray hot water at a temperature of approximately 50°C.

7.5 Steam Mode

7.5.1 Select and attach your chosen tool.

7.5.2 Press the On/Off button **(fig.1.2)** and then keep pressing the Mode button **(fig.1.1)** until the Steam Sterilisation Mode indicator turns on **(fig.1.5)**.

7.5.3 The vacuum function will not activate in Steam Mode.

7.5.4 Press the trigger on the handle **(fig.2.9/fig.6)** and the appliance will begin to preheat.

7.5.5 The indicator light **(fig.1.5)** will flash for approximately 15 seconds.

7.5.6 When the light stops flashing, steam will start to be released.

Note: The appliance will automatically shut-off if it has been running continuously in steam mode for 60 minutes.

Note: Always attach the microfibre pad onto the underside of the steam floor tool when using it in steam mode. The pad can also be used when using hot or cold water mode.

Note: Always fit the microfibre cover over the upholstery tool when using it in steam mode and when using it on more delicate fabrics.

✕ **Always** test the cleaner on upholstery/fabric in a small, inconspicuous area to check there is no colour bleeding, shrinkage or other damage.

! **CAUTION!** The steam outlet temperature can reach 70-80°C.

7.6 After Using Steam Mode

7.6.1 Release the handle trigger.

7.6.2 To cool the appliance more quickly, select Cold Water & Vacuum Mode and operate the machine for approximately one minute.

7.6.3 Switch off and unplug the appliance.

7.6.4 Wait at least 20 seconds and ensure that no steam is being released before disconnecting or changing an accessory.

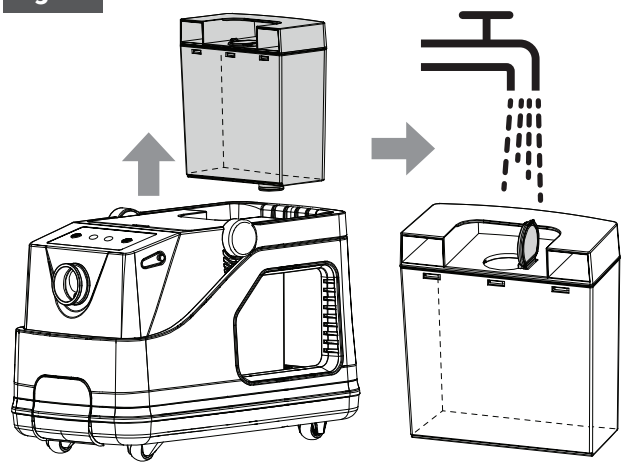
7.6.5 Take care when handling the hose, nozzle and accessories, as they may remain hot after use.

7.7 Self-Cleaning Mode

7.7.1 The hose and internal pipe system can be cleaned using Self-Cleaning Mode.

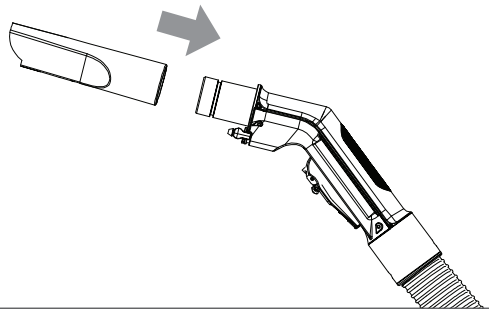
7.7.2 Fill up the clean water tank with clean water **(fig.11)**.

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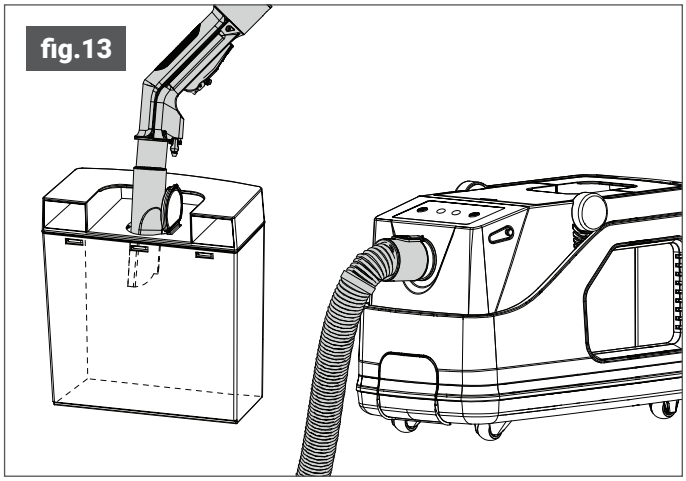
7.7.3 Attach the crevice tool to the end of the hose **(fig.12)**.

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7.7.4 Open the clean water tank filler cap and insert the crevice tool into the tank as far as it will go **(fig.13)**.

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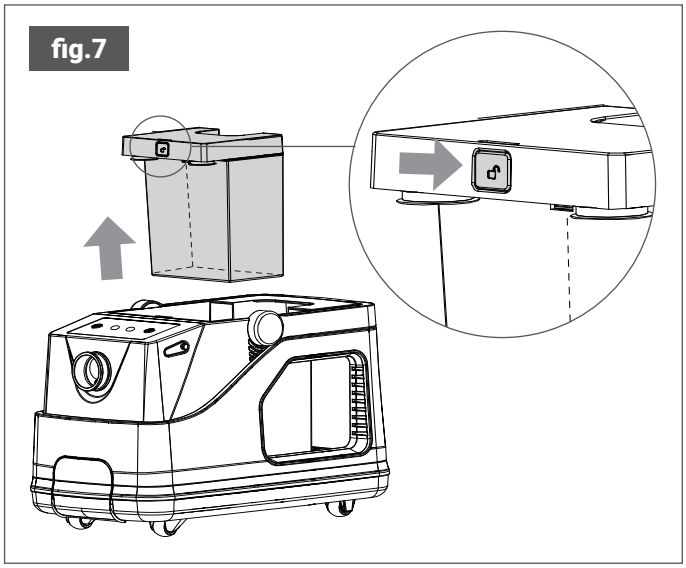
7.7.5 Press the On/Off button **(fig.1.2)** and then keep pressing the Mode button **(fig.1.1)** until the Self-Cleaning Mode indicator turns on **(fig.1.7)**.

7.7.6 The appliance will begin to suck clean water through the hose and internal pipes and flush everything through into the waste water tank.

7.7.7 The appliance will automatically shut-off after 30 minutes when it has finished the cleaning cycle.

7.7.8 Pull out the waste water tank **(fig.7)**.

fig.7



7.7.9 Remove and clean the filters as described in the Cleaning and Maintenance section.

7.8 Service Indicator Lights

7.8.1 The waste tank indicator light **(fig.1.8)** will turn on when the waste tank is full and needs emptying.

7.8.2 The water tank empty indicator light **(fig.1.9)** will turn on when the clean water tank is empty and needs refilling.

8. Cleaning And Maintenance

Note: If you need to switch from dry vacuuming to wet cleaning or vice-versa during the same cleaning session, the filters should be swapped out with a clean, dry set. Using the cleaner with either wet or dusty filters can reduce performance.

8.1 Cleaning The Waste Water Tank

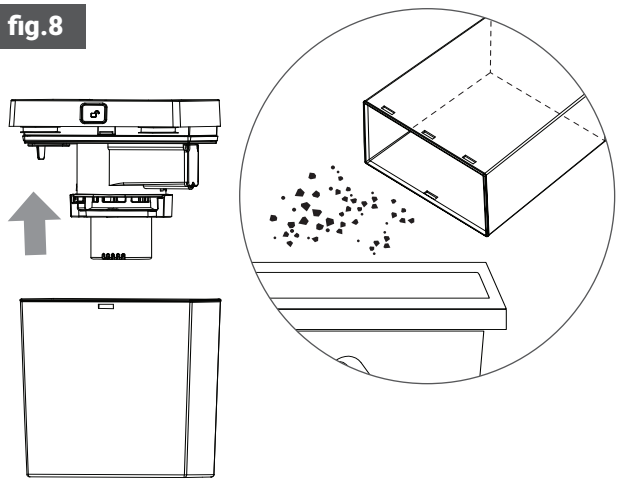
8.1.1 Pull out the waste water tank **(fig.7)**.

8.1.2 Press the unlock button on the side of the waste water tank lid and lift off the tank **(fig.7)**.

8.1.3 Remove the lid and filter holder assembly from the tank **(fig.8)**.

8.1.4 Empty the tank of waste water or the dust/ debris from dry vacuuming **(fig.8)**.

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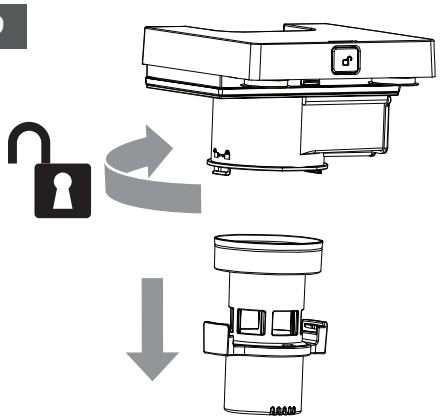


8.1.5 If necessary, rinse out the waste water tank and dry thoroughly.

8.2 Cleaning The Filters

8.2.1 Unlock the filter holder by turning it 90° anti-clockwise **(fig.9)**.

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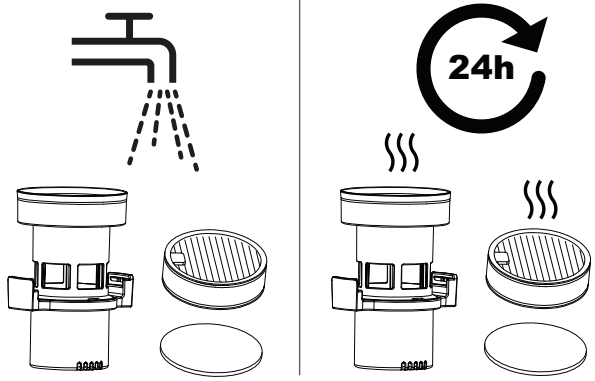


8.2.2 Remove the filters.

Note: The black foam filter is fitted on the underside of the HEPA filter.

8.2.3 Rinse the filter holder and both filters using clean running water **(fig.10)**.

fig.10



Note: Clean each filter gently. Rigorous brushing and scrubbing can damage and shorten the life of each filter.

8.2.4 Allow to air dry for 24 hours **(fig.10)**.

9. Product Care And Storage

9.2.1 After each session of use the appliance should be thoroughly cleaned as described in the Cleaning and Maintenance section.

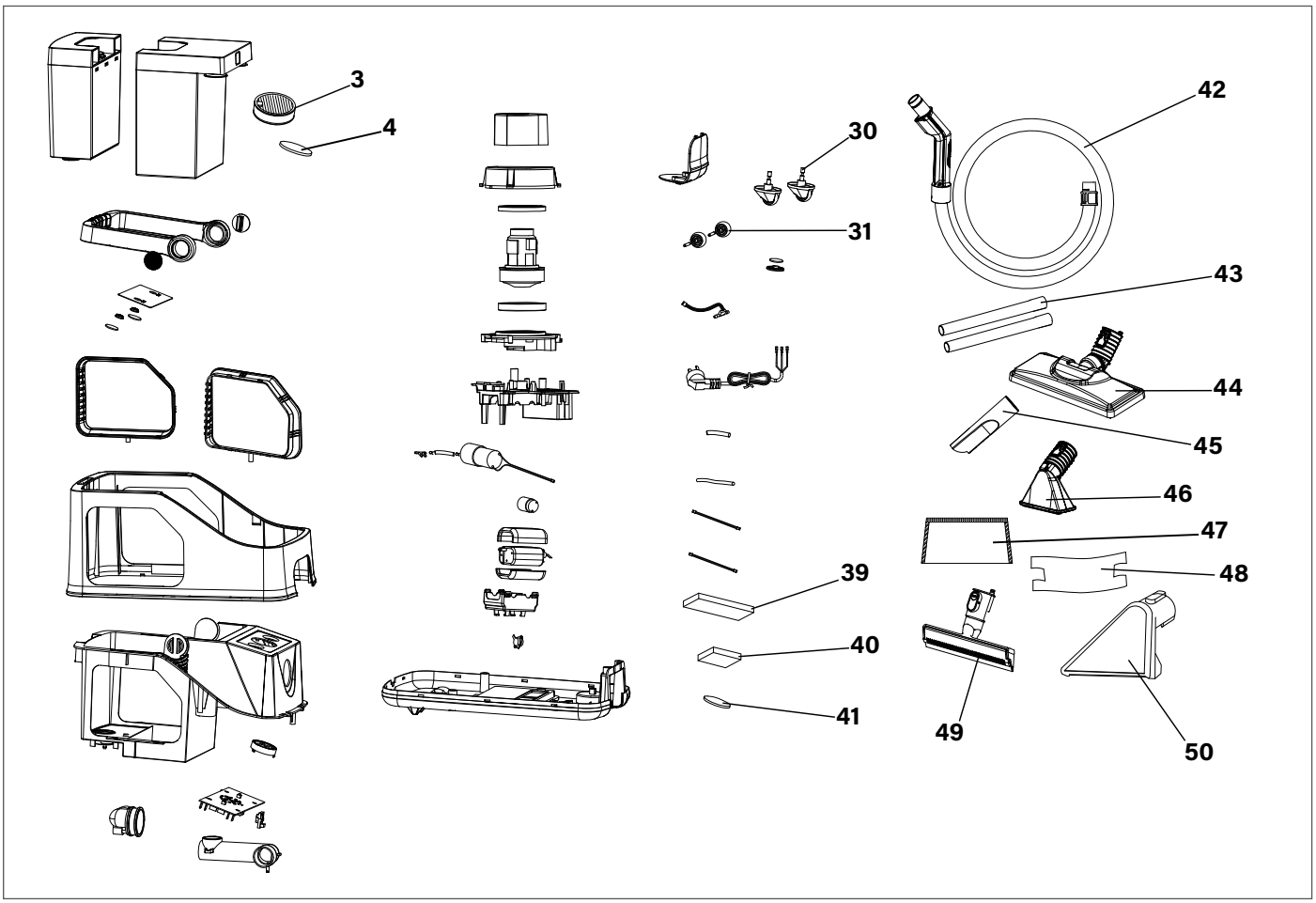
9.2.2 Wipe the main unit and all attachments and tools with a soft damp cloth and dry.

✕ **DO NOT** use harsh chemicals or abrasives.

9.2.3 Store the appliance and all accessories in a dry, secure location out of reach of children.

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10. Parts Information



Item	Part No.	Description
3	DH11725	HEPA Filter
4	DH11726	Sponge Filter
30	DH11727	Swivel Base Assembly
31	DH11728	Wheel Assembly (Small)
39	DH11729	Dust-Proof Sponge
40	DH11730	Sound-Absorbing Sponge
41	DH11731	Air Inlet Sponge
42	DH11732	Flexible Hose Assembly
43	DH11733	Extension Tube

Item	Part No.	Description
44	DH11734	Steam Carpet Brush
45	DH11735	Crevice Nozzle
46	DH11736	Steam Sofa Brush
47	DH11737	Steam Sofa Mop
48	DH11738	Steam Carpet Brush Mop
49	DH11739	Window Spray Brush
50	DH11740	Big Spray Brush
--	DH11741	Accessory Holder (Not Shown)

11. Troubleshooting

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Vacuum will not operate.	No power.	Check plug is fully inserted into socket and that socket is functioning.
		Check the plug's fuse.
	Faulty power cord.	Unplug and check the power cord. If damaged in any way DO NOT use it until it is repaired by Baridi or authorised repair agent.
	Waste water tank is full.	Empty waste water tank.
	Waste water tank is not installed correctly.	Pull out the waste water tank and reinsert into position, making sure it is fully inserted.
Dust/vacuum debris is being emitted from the main unit vents.	No filter is installed.	Install the filter.
	Filter is not installed correctly.	Check that the filter(s) is installed correctly and that the 'UP' label on the filter is facing up.
	Filter is damaged.	If the filter(s) is damaged, this must be replaced before further use. Contact Baridi.
Reduced efficiency and/ or motor/speed vibration.	There may be a blockage in the hose, in one of the tools or the vacuum inlet.	Check nozzle of tool, hose, vacuum inlet and all connections between attachments for a blockage.
	Filter(s) clogged with fine dust.	Remove the filters and clean them. See Cleaning and Maintenance section for details.
No output of water spray.	Water cleaning mode not selected.	Press the Mode button and select Cold Water Mode or Hot Water Mode.
	Clean water tank empty.	Refill the clean water tank.
	The tool and other attachments are not properly connected.	Check all connections of tools and attachments are fully inserted into each other.
	The water mode trigger on the handle was not operated.	Press the water mode trigger on the handle.
Foam coming out of the end of the tool.	High-foaming detergent was used or incorrect ratio of detergent used.	Remove and empty the clean water tank. Rinse the tank clean to remove any remaining residue and refill with the correct detergent/ratio.
No hot water or steam output.	The appliance is still pre-heating.	Wait at least 5 seconds for hot water output.
		Wait approximately 15 seconds for steam output (Steam mode/Sterilisation mode indicator will stop flashing when up to temperature).
Waste Tank Full Indicator is on.	Waste tank is full and needs emptying.	Empty waste tank.
Water Tank Empty Indicator is on.	Water tank is empty and needs refilling.	Refill water tank.

12. Warranty

- Our Warranty is that on delivery and for the relevant Warranty Periods (set out below) the Goods shall be free from material defects in design, material and workmanship.
- If you notify us during the relevant Warranty Periods within a reasonable time of discovery that some or all of the Goods do not comply with Our Warranties, we shall, at our option, repair or replace the individual faulty component of the Goods or refund the price of the faulty Goods in full. In order to be validated, a proof of purchase (invoice or receipt) must be supplied to us with any returned item where it is claimed that some or all of the Goods do not comply with Our Warranty.
- All Baridi products are covered by a minimum 1-year warranty (“the Warranty”) (unless otherwise specified). This warranty covers against manufacturing defects and excludes general wear and tear and any serviceable/ consumable items.

13. Aftersales Support

We are committed to supporting our products throughout their lifetime.

- If your product is outside of the warranty period, we offer an extensive range of spare parts along with expert technical advice to help keep your item in working order.
- Our technical team is on hand to assist 09:00 - 17:00 Mon-Fri with fault finding, repairs and general product queries.

  Telephone: 01284 757575

  Email: support@baridi.com

If required, products can be returned to us for inspection, servicing or a repair at a reasonable cost.

14. End Of Life

At the end of its service life, this product must be disposed of in an environmentally responsible manner. Components such as metal parts should be recycled wherever possible.

DO NOT discard the appliance with general household or construction waste. Please follow all local environmental regulations to ensure safe and sustainable disposal.

WEEE Regulations

Dispose of this product at the end of its working life in compliance with the EU Directive on Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment (WEEE). When the product is no longer required, it must be disposed of in an environmentally protective way. Contact your local solid waste authority for recycling information.

Environment Protection

Recycle unwanted materials instead of disposing of them as waste. All tools, accessories and packaging should be sorted, taken to a recycling centre and disposed of in a manner which is compatible with the environment. When the product becomes completely unserviceable and requires disposal, drain any fluids (if applicable) into approved containers and dispose of the product and fluids according to local regulations.

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