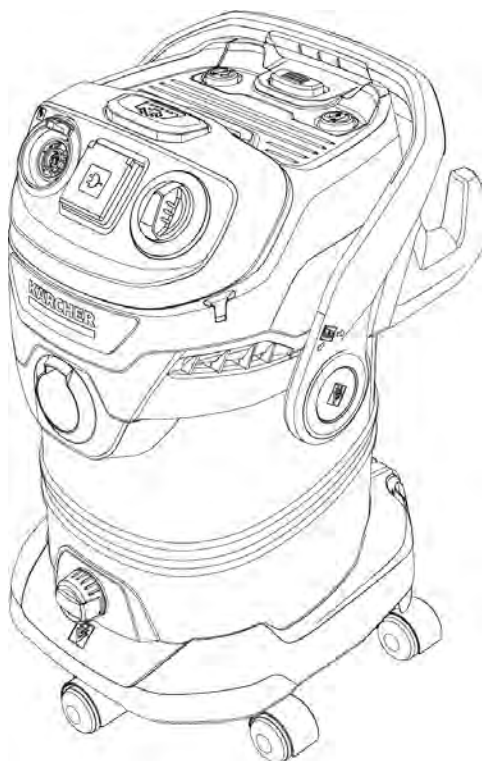


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IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

When using this product basic precau-
tions should always be followed, in-
cluding the following:

READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE USING THIS MACHINE

This device is exclusively intended for
private household use.

WARNING

Read all safety warnings and all
instructions. Failure to follow the
warnings and instructions may result
in electric shock, fire and/or serious
injury.

To reduce the risk of fire, electric
shock, or injury:

- Never leave the device unsuper-
vised while it is plugged in. Pull the
plug out of the power socket when
not using the device and before all
maintenance work.
- Turn off all controls before unplug-
ging
- Unplug before connecting accesso-
ries.
- Check that the outlet voltage match-
es the information on the type plate.
- Use only accessories recommend-
ed by the manufacturer.
- Use and store the device only in dry
indoor spaces at ambient tempera-
tures above 32 °F (0 °C). Protect the
device from moisture.
- Store the device in closed rooms.
- Store the device in a suitable loca-
tion after use to avoid tripping acci-
dents.
- Do not use the device outdoors or
on wet surfaces.
- Do not expose to rain.
- Repairs are only to be carried out by
qualified personnel. Ensure that on-
ly identical original spare parts are
installed.
- Immediately replace a damaged
power cable with an original part.
- If the power cable is damaged, or
the device has fallen down, has
been left outside or has been im-
mersed in water, please contact our
Customer Service department be-
fore using it.
- Never touch the device, plug or out-
let with wet hands.
- Do not carry the device by the power
cable.
- Protect the power cable from heat,
sharp edges, oil and moving parts.

- Always pull the plug and never the cable in order to disconnect the device from the electrical outlet.
- Never use the device with an extension cord.
- Never use the device without a dust container and / or filter.
- Do not vacuum any flammable or ignitable liquids, e.g. gasoline. Do not use the device in an environment containing flammable or ignitable liquids.
- Do not vacuum burning or glowing objects, e.g. cigarettes, matches or hot ash
- Only use the device for the intended use.
- The device is not a toy. Exercise special care when using the device in the presence of children.
- Avoid vacuuming up hard and/or sharp objects with the device. These can damage the device and the filter.
- The device must be placed horizontally on the floor during use.
- Unintentional starting of the device: Ensure that the device is switched off before lifting or transporting it.
- Exercise caution when using the device on stairs.
- Never insert objects into the device openings. Do not use the device if the device openings are blocked.
- Keep the device free of all materials that can reduce the air flow, e.g. dust, fluff or hair.
- Danger of being pulled in: Keep hair, loose clothing, fingers and body parts away from openings and moving parts in the device.
- Do not vacuum poisonous substances, e.g. chlorine bleach, ammonia, drain cleaner.

- Connect to a properly grounded outlet only. See grounding instructions.

SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

GROUNDING INSTRUCTIONS

- This device must be grounded. If it should malfunction or break down, grounding provides a path of least resistance for electric current to reduce the risk of electric shock.
- This device is equipped with a cord having an equipment grounding conductor and ground plug.
- The plug must be inserted into an appropriate outlet that is properly installed and grounded in accordance with all local codes and ordinances.

WARNING:

- Improper connection of the equipment grounding conductor can result in a risk of electric shock.
- Check with a qualified electrician or service person if you are in doubt as to whether the outlet is properly grounded.
- Do not modify the plug provided with the appliance.
- If it will not fit the outlet, have a proper outlet installed by a qualified electrician.
- This appliance is for use on a nominal 120-volt circuit, and has a grounded plug that looks like the plug illustrated in Fig.A.
- Make sure that the appliance is connected to an outlet having the same configuration as the plug. No adaptor should be used with this appliance.

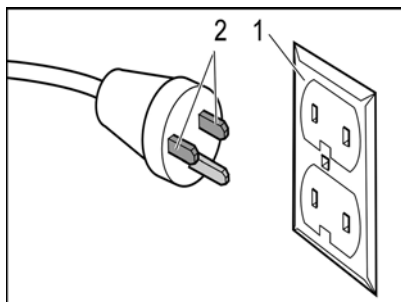
- **DO NOT ATTEMPT TO REPAIR POWER CORD.**

IN ALL CASES, MAKE SURE THE RECEPTACLE IN QUESTION IS PROPERLY GROUNDED.

NEVER REMOVE GROUNDING PRONG FROM POWER PLUG. EXTENSION CORDS

If an extension cord is absolutely necessary, an extension cord rated a minimum of 15 ampere 14 gauge cord should be used. Cords rated for less amperage may overheat. Care should be taken to arrange the cord so it cannot be pulled or tripped over.

Figure A



- 1 Grounded outlet box
 - 2 Current carrying prongs
- Grounding prong is longest of the 3 prongs.

Hazard levels

⚠ DANGER

- Indication of an imminent threat of danger that will lead to severe injuries or even death.

⚠ WARNING

- Indication of a potentially dangerous situation that may lead to severe injuries or even death.

⚠ CAUTION

- Indication of a potentially dangerous situation that may lead to minor injuries.

ATTENTION

- Indication of a potentially dangerous situation that may lead to damage to property.

Intended use

Only use the device in private households.

The device is intended for use as a wet and dry vacuum cleaner in accordance with the descriptions and the safety instructions given in these operating instructions.

Cold ashes may only be vacuumed with suitable accessories.

Protect the device from rain and do not store it outdoors.

Note

The manufacturer is not liable for any damage caused by improper use or incorrect operation.

Owner/User Responsibility

The owner and/or user must have an understanding of the manufacturer's operating instructions and warnings before using this device.

Warning information should be emphasized and understood.

If the operator is not fluent in English, the manufacturer's instructions and warnings shall be read to and discussed with the operator in the operator's native language by the purchaser/owner, making sure that the operator comprehends its contents. Owner and/or user must study and maintain for future reference the manufacturer's instructions.

Customer Service

Registration

Your device must be registered in order to help with any questions or issues that you have. You can register your device at **www.karcher-register.com** if located in the U.S.A., **www.karcher/ca** if located in Canada, or **www.karcher.com/mx** if located in Mexico.

Warranty

In the case of a warranty claim, you can contact customer support. Please see the contact information listed below for either the USA, Canada, or Mexico. You MUST provide your proof of purchase in order to file a warranty claim either via email, phone, or fax.

USA Customer Service

You can contact our Customer Service department by phone at **1-800-537-4129** or via the website at **www.karcher-help.com**

Mexico Customer Service

You can contact our Customer Service department by phone at **01-800-024-13-13** or via the website at **www.karcher.com/mx**.

Canada Customer Service

You can contact our Customer Service department by phone at **1-800-465-4980** or via the website at **www.karcher.com/ca**.

Scope of delivery

The scope of delivery for the device is shown on the packaging. During unpacking, check the contents for completeness. If any accessories are missing or in the event of any shipping damage, please notify our Customer Service department as stated above either by phone or via the website.

Technical data

Electrical connection

Voltage	V	120
Frequency	Hz	60
Power consumption	A	11
Max. connection output of socket	A	6
Power cable type	3xAWG14SJTW	

Device performance data

Tank content	gal (l)	7.9 (30)
Water absorption with handle	gal (l)	5.0 (19)
Water absorption with floor nozzle	gal (l)	4.7 (18)
Sound pressure level (EN 60704-2-1)	dB(A)	74

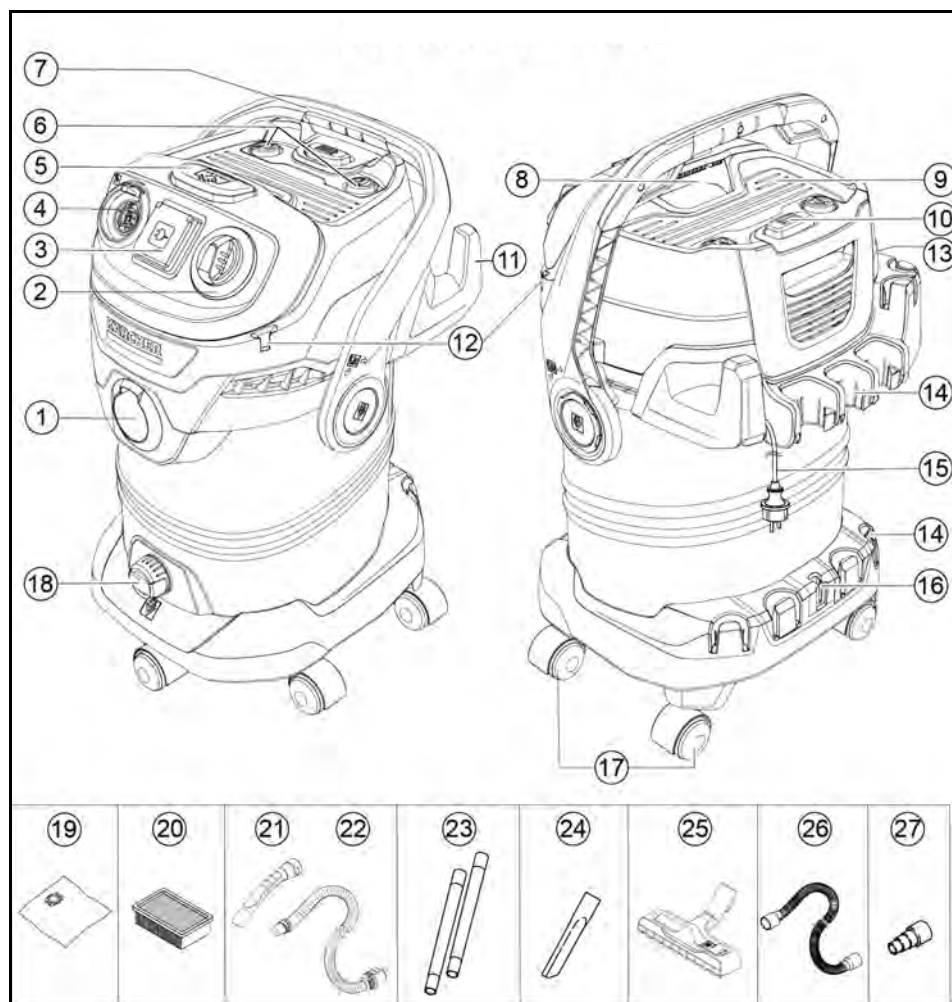
Weight

Weight (without accessories)	lbs (kg)	21.8 (9.9)
Part number	1.628-375.0	

Subject to technical changes without notice.

Description of the unit

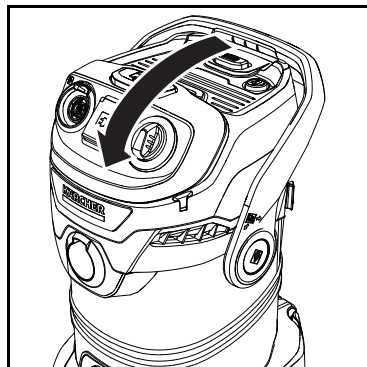
Depending on the model selected, there are differences in the equipment.
The specific equipment is described on the device packaging.



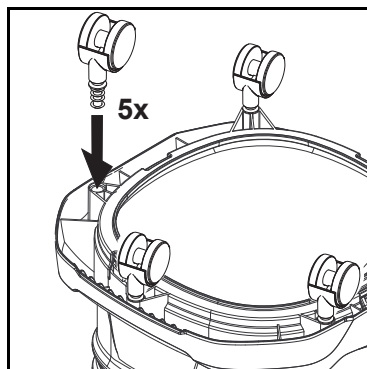
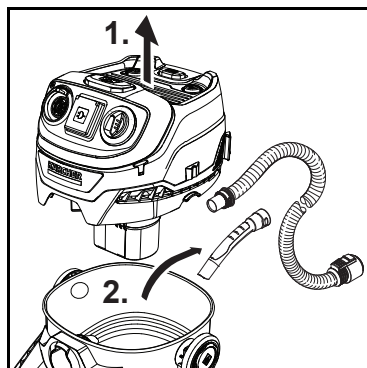
- ① Suction hose connection
- ② Rotary switch (with power regulation for devices with a power socket)
- ③ Power socket
- ④ Blower function
- ⑤ Filter cleaning button
- ⑥ Handle parking position
- ⑦ Carrying handle
- ⑧ Recessed grip
- ⑨ Storage area
- ⑩ Filter box and unlocking button
- ⑪ Cable hook
- ⑫ Suction hose storage (both sides)
- ⑬ Rating plate with technical data (e.g. container size)
- ⑭ Accessory storage
- ⑮ Mains connection cable with mains plug
- ⑯ Floor nozzle parking position
- ⑰ Steering roller
- ⑱ Drain screw
- ⑲ Filter bag
- ⑳ Flat pleated filter
- ㉑ Removable handle with electrostatic protection
- ㉒ Suction hose with connection piece
- ㉓ Suction tubes 2 x 0.5 m
- ㉔ Crevice nozzle
- ㉕ Floor nozzle
- ㉖ Flexible tool hose
- ㉗ Adapter for connecting power tools

Mount the steering rollers and accessory storage holder

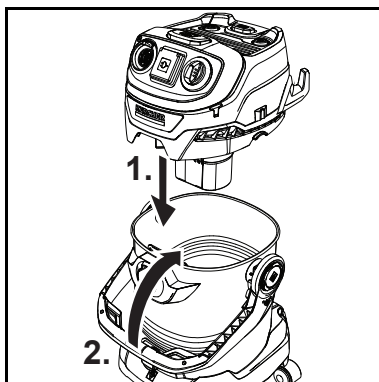
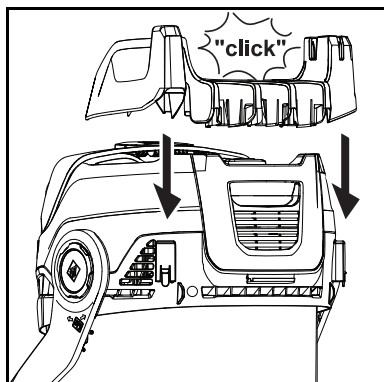
1. The carrying handle also locks the device head and container. To unlock, swivel the bracket all the way forward until the lock is free.



2. Before using for the first time, remove the contents from the container and mount the steering rollers.

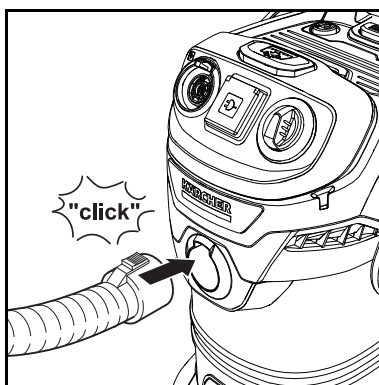


3. Clip the accessory storage holder on the back of the device head.

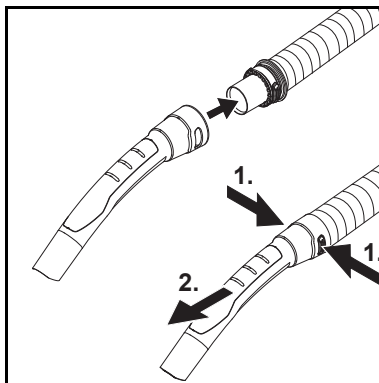


Using accessories

1. Connect the suction hose.



2. Connect the suction hose to the handle.



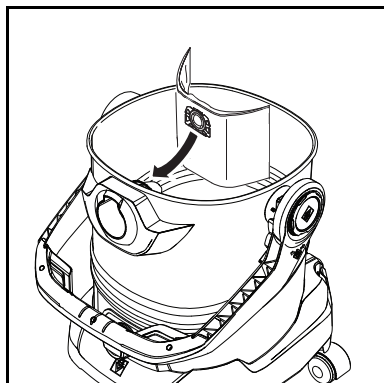
Note

For versions with stainless steel tubes, remove the protective cover before using for the first time.

Initial startup

Fitting the filter bag

1. Unfold the filter bag completely.
2. Attach the filter bag to the device connection and press it on firmly.



3. Fit and lock the device head.

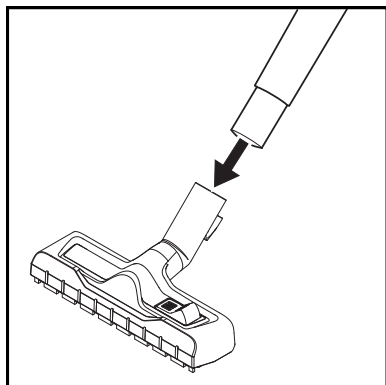
Note

For convenient vacuuming in confined spaces, the handle can be removed and the accessory attached directly to the suction hose.

To release the handle, press the gray areas on both sides of the handle and pull the handle off the hose.

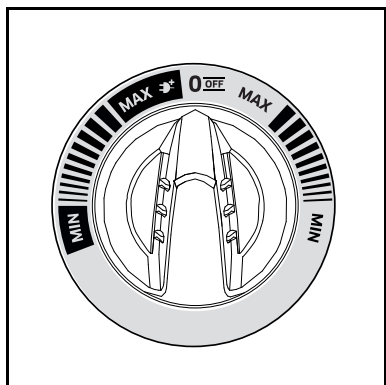
3. Connect the floor nozzle to the suction tubes.

- Use the position with the brush strips extended to vacuum dry dirt.
- Use the position with squeegees extended to suck up damp dirt / water.



Starting up the device

1. Plug the power plug into a electrical outlet.
2. Set the power switch to the desired position.



- "MAX" position: The suction / blower function is activated.
- MAX position +: The suction is activated automatically when a power tool is connected.
- Position "0 OFF": The device is switched off.

Note

As long as the device is supplied with power, the device socket can be used as a power source.

Operation

ATTENTION

Missing flat pleated filter

Device damage

Always work with the flat pleated filter inserted.

Note

When purchasing and installing filter bags and flat pleated filters, pay attention to the current part numbers. Information on accessories and spare parts can be found at www.kaercher.com.

Dry vacuuming

ATTENTION

Sucking cold ashes

Device damage

Only vacuum cold ash with an ash pre-separator.

ATTENTION

Defective or wet flat pleated filter

Device damage

Before using, check the flat pleated filter for damage and replace it if necessary.

Only vacuum with a dry flat pleated filter.

Note

Regularly replace the filter bag when full as a filter bag that is too full could be damaged. The filling level of the filter bag depends on the dirt being vacuumed. The filter bag should be replaced more often in the case of fine dust, sand, etc.

Wet vacuuming

ATTENTION

Wet vacuuming with a filter bag

Device damage

Do not use a filter bag when vacuuming wet debris.

ATTENTION

Operation with full container

When the container is full, the float switch closes the suction opening and the device runs at a higher speed.

Switch off the device immediately and empty the container.

Note

If the device falls over, the float can also close. To make sure the device works absorbent again, set up the device, switch it off, wait 5 seconds and then switch it on again.

Working with power tools (only for devices with a built-in socket)

CAUTION

Unintentional starting of the power tool

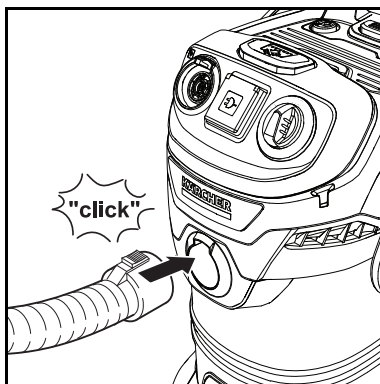
Injuries or material damage

Make sure that the power tool is ready for operation as soon as it is connected to the device socket.

Note

Depending on the model selected, an adapter or an adapter and a thin tool hose are included in the scope of delivery.

1. Connect the suction hose.

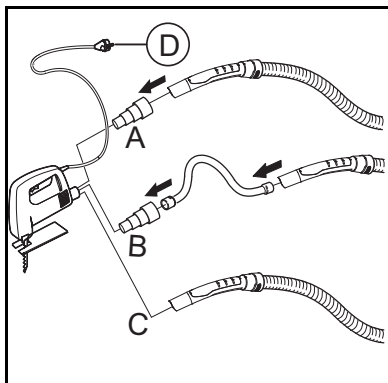


2. If necessary, the adapter can be adjusted to the connection diameter of the power tool with a suitable tool.

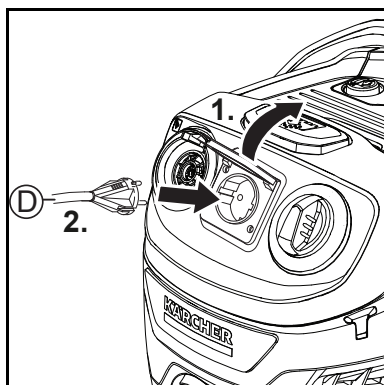
3. Option A) Fit the adapter on the handle of the suction hose. Connect the suction hose to the power tool using the adapter.

Option B) For more flexibility when working, connect the adapter to the thin tool hose and the handle of the suction hose and connect it to the power tool.

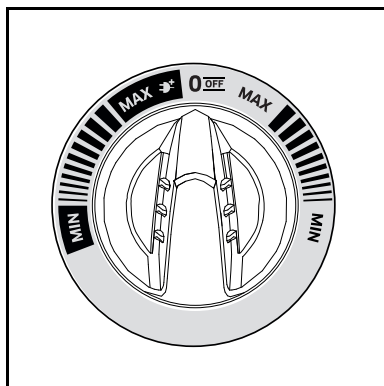
Option C) With some power tools, the handle of the suction hose can be connected directly to the power tool.



4. Plug the power plug of the power tool into the device socket.



5. Set the power switch to MAX + .
The power can be regulated using the rotary switch.
The suction is activated automatically.



Note

Note the maximum connected load (see information on the device socket).

Note

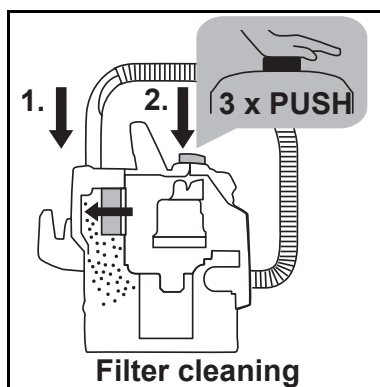
The suction turbine starts up with a 0.5 second delay when the power tool is switched on. When the power tool is switched off, the suction turbine continues to run for approx. 5 seconds in order to suck in the residual dirt in the suction hose.

Integrated filter cleaning system

Note

The filter cleaning system is designed for vacuuming large quantities of fine dust without a filter bag inserted. The filter cleaning system allows the soiled flat pleated filter to be cleaned at the push of a button and the suction performance to be increased again.

- Place the handle of the suction hose in the designated parking position on the device head. Press the filter cleaning button three times with the device switched on, waiting 4 seconds between the individual actuations.



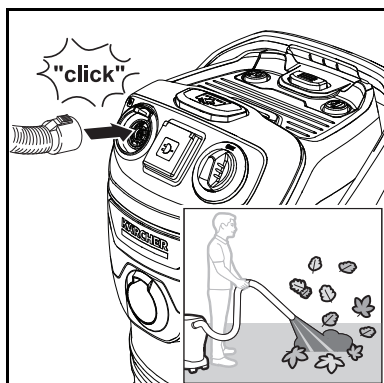
Note

After pressing the filter cleaning button several times, check the container for its filling volume. Otherwise dirt can escape when the container is opened

Blower function

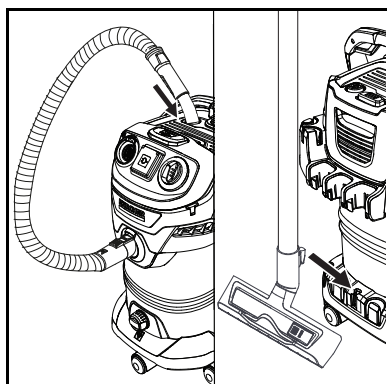
The blower function can be used to clean areas that are difficult to reach or where vacuuming is not possible, e.g. leaves in a gravel bed.

- Insert the suction hose into the blower connection. The blower function is now activated.



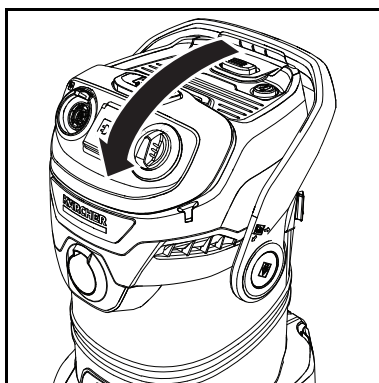
Interrupting operation

1. Set the power switch to "0 OFF".
The device is switched off.
2. Option 1: Place the handle of the suction hose in the intermediate parking position.
Option 2: Attach the floor nozzle in the parking position.

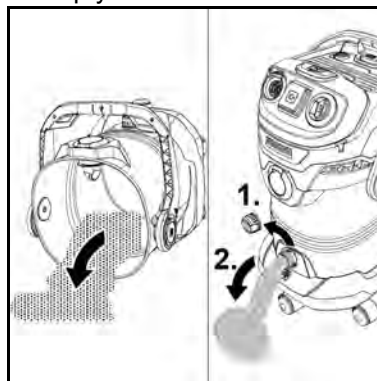


Finishing operation

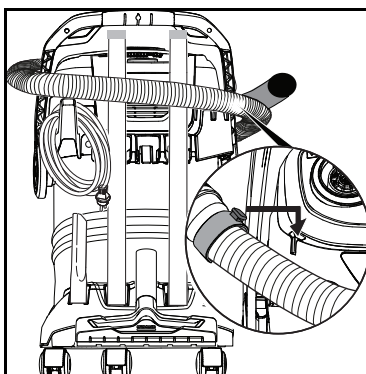
1. Set the power switch to "0 OFF".
The device is switched off.
2. Pull out the power plug.
3. Remove the device head.



4. Empty the container.



5. Storage possibility:



Note

The suction hose can be wrapped around the device head and attached to the device head with the help of the hose collar.

6. Store the device in a dry and frost-proof room.

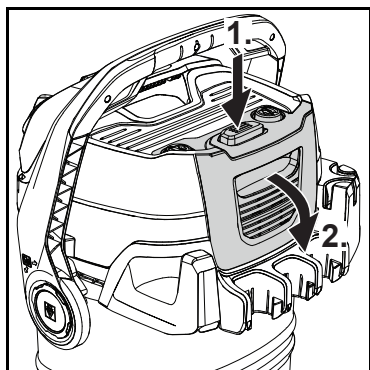
Care and service

General care instructions

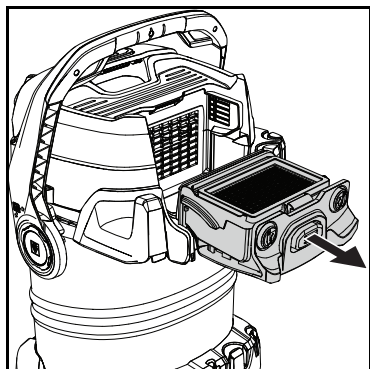
- Maintain the device and the plastic accessories with a commercially available plastic cleaner.
- If necessary, rinse the container and accessories with water and dry them before reuse.

Clean the filter cartridge / flat pleated filter

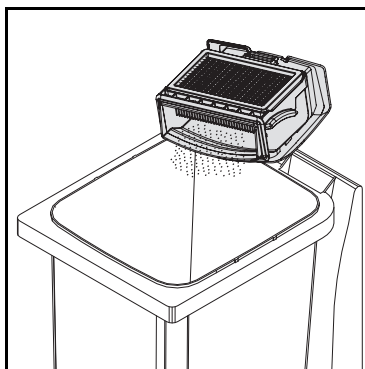
1. Unlock the filter cartridge and fold it out.



2. Remove the filter cartridge.

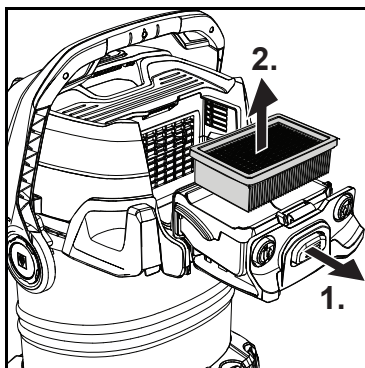


3. Empty the filter cartridge into a waste container. In the case of heavy soiling, tap the filter cartridge against the edge of the waste container. The flat pleated filter does not have to be removed from the filter cartridge.

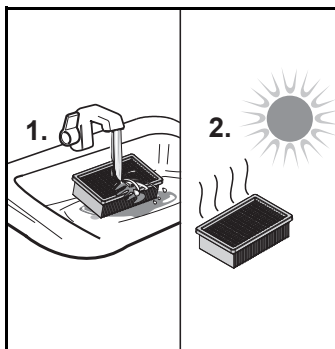


If necessary, clean the flat pleated filter separately.

4. To do this, remove the flat pleated filter from the filter cartridge.



5. Clean the flat pleated filter under running water. Do not rub or brush off. Allow the flat pleated filter to dry completely before reusing.



We recommend cleaning the flat fold filter after each use.

Troubleshooting guide

Malfunctions often have simple causes that you can remedy yourself using the following overview. When in doubt, or in the case of malfunctions not mentioned here, please contact your authorized Customer Service.

Decreasing suction power

The accessories, suction hose or suction pipes are clogged.

- Remove the blockage with a suitable tool.

The filter bag is full

- Replace the filter bag.

The flat pleated filter is dirty.

- Clean the flat pleated filter (see chapter *Clean the filter cartridge / flat pleated filter*).

The flat pleated filter is damaged.

- Replace the flat pleated filter. For replacement flat pleated filters, please order at Karcher.com/US or give us a call at 800-537-4129 and we can place an order for you.



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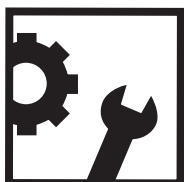
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