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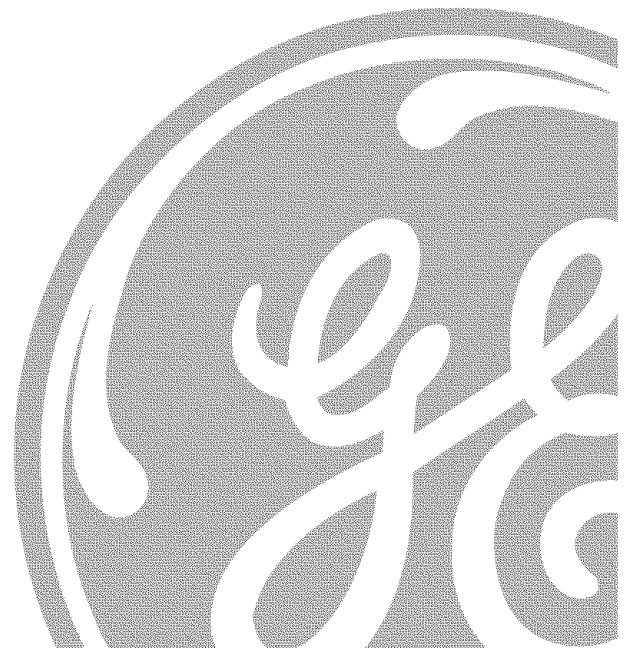
GSC3500

Write the model and serial numbers here:

Model # _____

Serial # _____

You can find them on a label on the tub wall just inside the door.



IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE USING —

SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

⚠ WARNING!

For your safety, the information in this manual must be followed to minimize the risk of fire, explosion, electric shock, and to prevent property damage, personal injury, or death.



⚠ WARNING! WATER HEATER SAFETY

Under certain conditions, hydrogen gas may be produced in a water heater that has not been used for two or more weeks. **HYDROGEN GAS IS EXPLOSIVE.**

If the hot water has not been used for two or more weeks, prevent the possibility of damage or injury by turning on all hot water faucets and allow them to run for several minutes. Do this before using any electrical appliance connected to the hot water system. This simple procedure will allow any built-up hydrogen gas to escape. Since the gas is flammable, do not smoke, use an open flame, or use the appliance during this process.





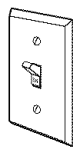
PROPER INSTALLATION AND MAINTENANCE

This dishwasher must be properly installed and located in accordance with the Installation Instructions before it is used. If you did not receive an Installation Instructions sheet with your dishwasher, you can receive one by visiting our website at ge.com.

- Connect the dishwasher/appliance to a grounded metal, permanent wiring system; or run an equipment-grounding conductor with the circuit conductors and connect to the equipment-grounding terminal or lead of the appliance.
 - Improper connection of the equipment-grounding conductor can result in a risk of electric shock. Check with a qualified electrician or service representative if you are in doubt whether the appliance is properly grounded.
 - Dispose of discarded appliances and shipping or packing material properly.
 - Do not attempt to repair or replace any part of your dishwasher unless it is specifically recommended in this manual. All other servicing should be referred to a qualified technician.
 - To minimize the possibility of electric shock, disconnect this appliance from the power supply before attempting any maintenance.
- NOTE:** Turning the dishwasher off does not disconnect the appliance from the power supply. We recommend having a qualified technician service your appliance.



⚠ CAUTION: To prevent minor injury and property damage

- Using a detergent that is not specifically designed for dishwashers will cause the dishwasher to fill with suds.  = 
- If your dishwasher is connected to a wall switch, ensure that the switch is on prior to use. 
- Non-Dishware Items: Do not wash items such as electronic air cleaner filters, furnace filters and paint brushes in your dishwasher. Damage to the dishwasher and discoloration or staining of the dishwasher may result.
- Close supervision is necessary if this appliance is used by or near children.
- Load light, plastic items so they do not become dislodged and drop to the bottom of the dishwasher—they might come into contact with the heating element and be damaged.

⚠ CAUTION:

For personal safety:

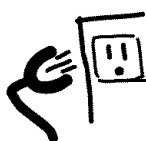
DO NOT USE AN EXTENSION CORD OR AN ADAPTER PLUG WITH THIS APPLIANCE.

DO NOT, UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES, CUT OR REMOVE THE THIRD GROUNDING PRONG FROM THE POWER CORD.

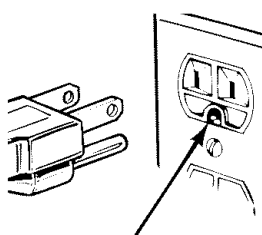
GROUNDING INSTRUCTIONS—This appliance must be grounded. In the event of a malfunction or breakdown, grounding will reduce the risk of electric shock by providing a path of least resistance for electric current. This dishwasher is equipped with a cord having a grounding conductor and a grounding plug. The plug must be plugged into an appropriate outlet that is installed and grounded in accordance with the NATIONAL ELECTRICAL CODE, ANSI/NPFA NO. 70.

⚠ WARNING!

Improper connection of the equipment/grounding conductor can result in a risk of electric shock. Check with a qualified electrician or serviceman if you are in doubt as to whether the dishwasher 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.

**ELECTRICAL REQUIREMENTS**

- This appliance must be supplied with 120V, 60 Hz, and connected to an individual, properly grounded branch circuit, protected by a 15 or 20 amp circuit breaker or time-delay fuse.



Ensure proper ground exists before use.

- If the electric supply provided does not meet the above specifications, it is recommended that a licensed electrician install an approved outlet.

- Your dishwasher circuit should not be used for any other appliance while the dishwasher is in operation as the dishwasher requires the full capacity of the circuit.
- If the wall receptacle you plug the dishwasher's power cord into is controlled by a switch, turn on the switch.

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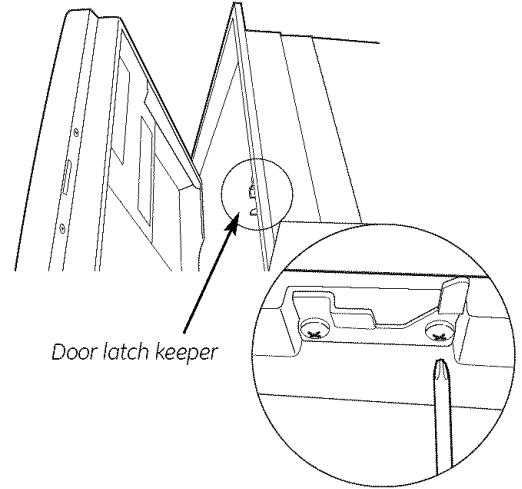
⚠ WARNING! RISK OF CHILD ENTRAPMENT

PROPER DISPOSAL OF THE DISHWASHER

Junked or abandoned dishwashers are dangerous...even if they will sit for "just a few days." If you are getting rid of your old dishwasher, please follow the instructions below to help prevent accidents.

Before You Throw Away Your Old Dishwasher:

- Take off the door of the washing compartment or remove the door latch keeper (as shown).



⚠ WARNING!

When using your dishwasher, follow basic precautions, including the following:

- Use this appliance only for its intended purpose as described in this Owner's Manual.
- Use only powder, tabs, liquid detergents or rinse agents recommended for use in a dishwasher and keep them out of the reach of children. **Cascade®**, **Cascade® Complete** and **Electrasol®** Automatic Dishwashing Detergents, and **Jet-Dry®** and **Cascade Crystal Clear®** rinse agents have been approved for use in all GE dishwashers.
- Locate sharp items so that they are not likely to damage the door seal.
- Load sharp knives with the handles up to reduce the risk of cut-type injuries.
- Do not wash plastic items unless marked dishwasher safe or the equivalent. For plastic items not so marked, check the manufacturer's recommendations.
- Do not touch the heating element during or immediately after use.
- Do not operate your dishwasher unless all enclosure panels are properly in place.
- Do not tamper with controls.
- Do not abuse, sit on or stand on the door or dish rack of the dishwasher.
- Do not allow children to play around the dishwasher when opening or closing the door due to the possibility of small fingers being pinched in the door.
- Do not discard a dishwasher without first removing the door of the washing compartment or the latch keeper.
- Do not store or use combustible materials, gasoline or other flammable vapors and liquids in the vicinity of this or any other appliance.
- Do not allow children to play with, on or inside this or any discarded appliance.

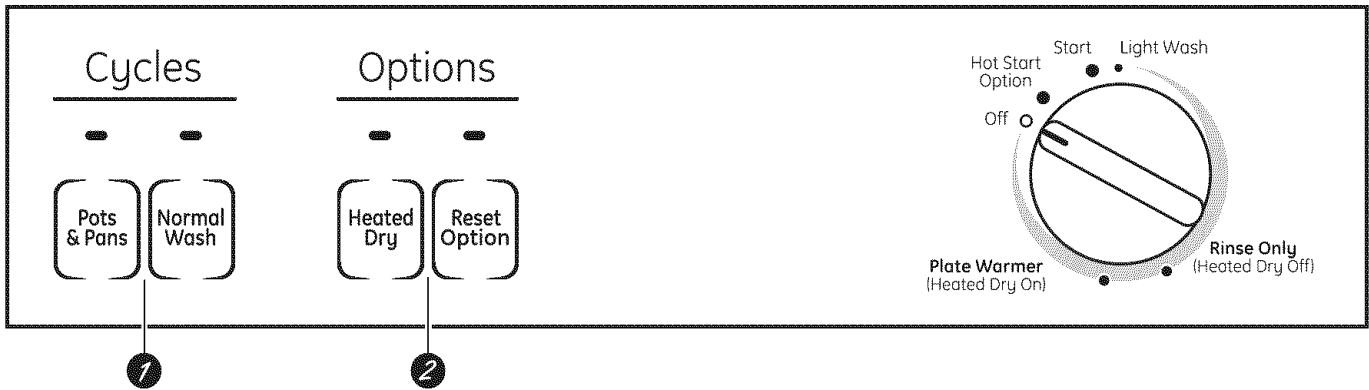


READ AND FOLLOW THIS SAFETY INFORMATION CAREFULLY.

SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

About the dishwasher control panel

You can locate your model number on the left tub wall just inside the door. Throughout this manual, features and appearance may vary from your model.



Control Settings

1 Cycles

CYCLES are selected using a combination of timer dial setting and pad selection. An indicator above the selected pad will be ON to indicate which pad has been selected.

POTS & PANS	For heavily soiled dishes or cookware with dried-on or baked-on soils. Everyday dishes may be included. This cycle will not remove burned-on foods.
NORMAL/ NORMAL WASH	For loads of everyday dishes, glasses and cookware with medium soils. NOTE: Many dishes have lighter soil than normal.
LIGHT WASH	For dishes with light soils. NOTE: Pad must be set to NORMAL WASH .
RINSE ONLY	For rinsing partial loads that will be washed later. <i>Do not use detergent.</i>
DRYING PLATE WARMER	For warming clean dishes and serving plates. This cycle will take approximately 30 minutes.
HOT START	Preheats wash water to improve wash performance.

2 Options

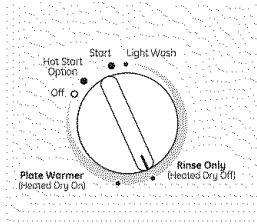
An indicator above the selected pad will be ON to indicate which pad has been selected.

RESET OPTION	Shuts off the drying heat option. Dishes air dry naturally and energy is saved. Open the dishwasher door to speed drying.
HEATED DRY ON	Turns the heater on for fast drying. This cycle will extend the time to your wash cycle by 30 minutes. DO NOT use with RINSE ONLY cycle.

Cycle Chart

Cycle	Water Usage (gal.)	Cycle Time (min.)
Hot Start Option	2.5	12
Pots & Pans	7.0	118
Normal Wash	5.7	118
Light Wash	4.5	114
Rinse Only	2.2	53
Plate Warmer	0.0	40

Operation of models with cycle dial



Rinse Only

For rinsing partial loads that will be washed later. *Do not use detergent.*

- 1 Make sure **HEATED DRY** is not selected.
- 2 Be sure the door is unlatched.
- 3 Slowly turn the Dial to **RINSE ONLY**.
- 4 Latch the door to start the cycle.

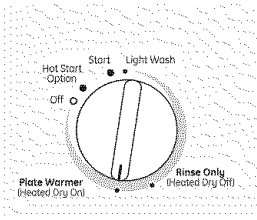
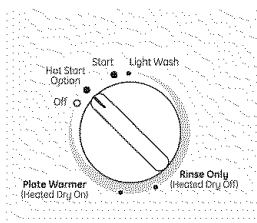


Plate Warmer

For warming clean dishes and serving plates. This cycle will take approximately 39 minutes.

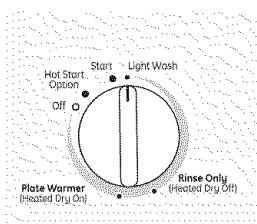
- 1 Load clean dishware to be warmed.
- 2 Select **HEATED DRY ON**.
- 3 Be sure the door is unlatched.
- 4 Slowly turn the Dial to **PLATE WARMER**.
- 5 Latch the door to start the cycle.



Hot Start

Preheats wash water prior to the **NORMAL** or **POTS & PANS** cycle.

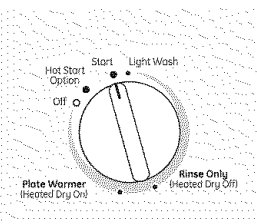
- 1 Be sure the door is unlatched.
- 2 Press the **NORMAL** pad or the **POTS & PANS** pad.
- 3 Slowly turn the Dial to **HOT START**.
- 4 Latch the door to start the cycle.



Light Wash

For quickly washing loads of everyday dishes with light to medium soils that have not dried on.

- 1 Be sure the door is unlatched.
- 2 Slowly turn the Dial to **LIGHT WASH**.
- 3 Press the **NORMAL** pad.
- 4 Latch the door to start the cycle.

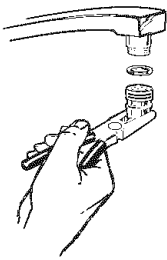


Start

For **NORMAL** or **POTS & PANS** cycles selected by push button.

- 1 Be sure the door is unlatched.
- 2 Press the **NORMAL** pad or the **POTS & PANS** pad.
- 3 Slowly turn the Dial to **START**.
- 4 Latch the door to start the cycle.

There is a time delay between start-up and water fill so you will not hear any wash action right away.



Before Operating the Dishwasher the First Time

Attach the faucet adapter. The special faucet adapter supplied with your dishwasher must be assembled to the sink faucet before you can use your dishwasher.

The faucet adapter is designed to fit standard spouts having internal or external threads. You will find the adapter and two washers in the faucet adapter packet in your dishwasher.

To install faucet adapter, first remove the old aerator or trim ring on your faucet spout.

If faucet has external threads: Insert the thinner of the two washers into the faucet adapter and attach it to the faucet spout.

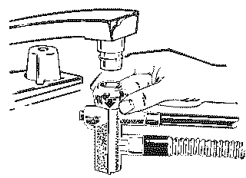
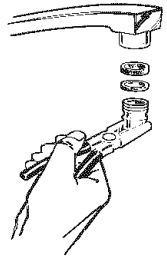
Tighten with pliers.

If faucet has internal threads: Insert both of the washers into the faucet adapter and attach it to the faucet spout.

Tighten with pliers.

If the faucet adapter threads do not match your faucet spout, your local hardware or plumbing supply store normally has additional fittings to adapt your faucet spout to the special faucet adapter.

NOTE: A sink spray attachment hose can burst if it is installed on the same sink with your dishwasher. We suggest that you disconnect the sink spray attachment if your sink has one and plug the hole.



How to Connect the Unicouple

1 Run the hot water faucet to purge cold water from the hot water line. The hot water must be between 120°F and 150°F for best wash performance.

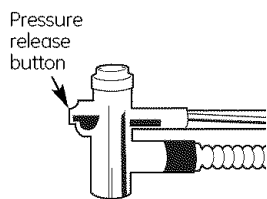
2 Pull Unicouple and its hoses completely out from storage compartment located at rear of dishwasher.

3 Attach the Unicouple connector to the faucet adapter by depressing the collar at the top of the connector. When Unicouple is all the way up onto the adapter, release the collar. It will then snap into position to lock the Unicouple in place.

The Unicouple's small hose carries water from the faucet to the dishwasher. Its large hose carries drain water to the sink. Be sure Unicouple is pointing toward the sink bowl drain opening and the sink drain is open for water that will drain from your dishwasher. If your dishwasher drains into a disposer, operate the disposer until it is completely empty before starting the dishwasher.

4 Turn hot water fully on before starting the dishwasher.

5 Plug the dishwasher power cord into the outlet.



How to Disconnect the Dishwasher

1 Unplug the dishwasher.

2 Push the cord back into its storage location.

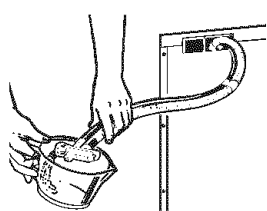
3 Turn off the hot water.

4 Release the water pressure by depressing the pressure release button.

5 Release the Unicouple from the faucet by depressing the collar at the top of the Unicouple connector.

6 Drain excess water from the unicouple hoses (see below). Push the hoses back into their storage location.

CAUTION: To protect yourself and the room from severe splashing, relieve water pressure prior to disconnecting the unicouple.



How to Drain Excess Water From Unicouple Hoses

If the sink is 34" or higher from the floor, the excess water in Unicouple hoses cannot be drained directly into the sink. It will be necessary to drain excess water from hoses into a bowl or suitable container that is held outside and lower than the sink.

Using the dishwasher



Check the Water Temperature

The entering water must be at least 120°F and not more than 150°F, for effective cleaning and to prevent dish damage. Check the water temperature with a candy or meat thermometer. Turn on the hot water faucet nearest the dishwasher, place the thermometer in a glass and let the water

run continuously into the glass until the temperature stops rising.

Adjust the maximum/minimum temperature of the water heater if necessary to deliver water at the proper temperature.



Use Jet-Dry® Rinse Agent

Jet-Dry® or **Cascade Crystal Clear®** rinse agents remove spots and prevent new film buildup on dishes, glasses, flatware, cookware and plastic.

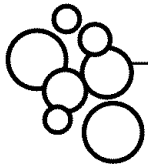
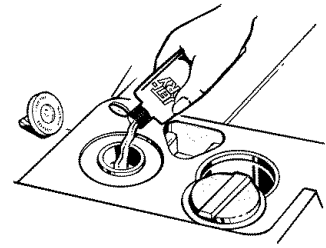
Filling the Dispenser

Fill the rinse agent dispenser until it reaches the bottom of lip inside the opening. Replace cap.

To check if rinse agent is needed, remove the cap and look into the dispenser.

A full dispenser should last about one month.

If the rinse agent spills, wipe up the excess.



Proper Use of Detergent

Use only detergent specifically made for use in dishwashers. **Cascade®** and **Electrasol®** Automatic Dishwashing Detergents have been approved for use in all GE dishwashers. Keep your detergent fresh and dry. Don't put powder detergent into the dispenser until you're ready to wash dishes.

The amount of detergent to use depends on whether your water is *hard* or *soft*. With hard water, you need extra detergent. With soft water, you need less detergent.

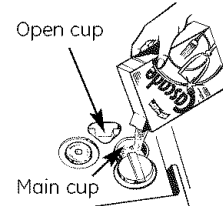
Protect your dishes and dishwasher by contacting your water department and asking how hard your water is. Twelve or more grains is extremely hard water. A water softener is recommended. Without it, lime can build up in the water valve, which could stick while open and cause flooding. Too much detergent with soft water can cause a permanent cloudiness of glassware, called *etching*.

Use the information in the table below as a guideline to determine the amount of automatic dishwasher detergent to place in the dispenser.

Number of Grains	Detergent Cups to Fill
Less than 4	Fill to 1/3 of main cup
4 to 8	Fill to 2/3 of main cup
8 to 12	Fill main cup
Greater than 12	Fill main cup and open cup

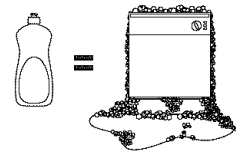
You'll find two detergent dispensers on the inside door of your dishwasher. All wash cycles require detergent in the main cup. When using automatic dishwashing detergent tabs, simply place one tab in the main cup and close.

Be sure the Dial is **OFF** before adding detergent. Otherwise, the detergent cup will not close and latch properly. Add detergent then close the main cup.



NOTE: To open detergent cup after it has been closed, simply turn the detergent cup handle counterclockwise until it releases. A snapping sound may be heard.

DO NOT USE HAND DISH DETERGENT



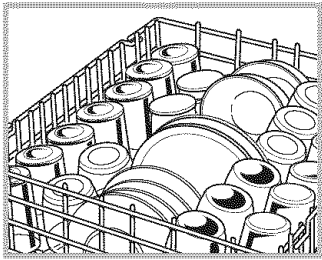
NOTE: Using a detergent that is not specifically designed for dishwashers will cause the dishwasher to fill with suds. During operation, these suds will spill out of the dishwasher vents, covering the kitchen floor and making the floor wet.

Because so many detergent containers look alike, store the dishwasher detergent in a separate space from all other cleaners. Show anyone who may use the dishwasher the correct detergent and where it is stored.

While there will be no lasting damage to the dishwasher, your dishes will not get clean using a dishwashing detergent that is not formulated to work with dishwashers.

Loading the dishwasher racks

For best dishwashing results, follow these loading guidelines. Features and appearance of racks and silverware baskets may vary from your model.

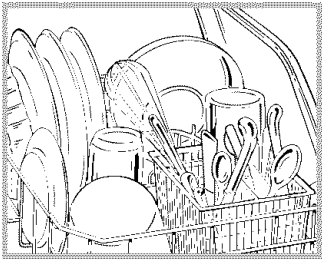


Upper Rack

The upper rack is for glasses, cups and saucers. Cups and glasses fit best along the sides. This is also a secure place for dishwasher-safe plastics. The upper rack is good for all kinds of odd-shaped utensils. Saucepans, mixing bowls and other items should be placed face down.

Secure larger dishwasher-safe plastics over two fingers when possible.

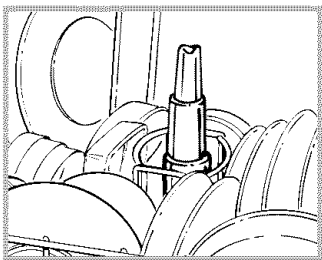
Make sure small plastic items are secure so they can't fall onto the heating element.



Lower Rack

When loading the lower rack, do not load large platters or trays in the front right corner. They may prevent detergent from circulating during the wash cycle.

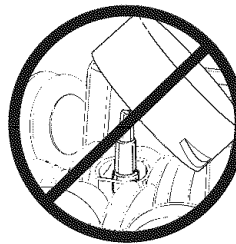
The lower rack is best used for plates, saucers and cookware. Large items such as broiler pans and racks should go along the sides. Load platters, pots and bowls along the sides, in corners or in the back. The soiled side of items should face the center of the rack.



Wash Tower

Keep the center area clear in the lower rack.

The wash tower rises through the center of the lower rack during the wash and rinse portions of the cycle.



Don't block the wash tower or load tall things next to it.

Be sure items don't fall through rack and block rotation of the spray arm.

Also, be careful not to let a portion of an item such as a pot or dish handle extend through the bottom rack. This could block the wash arm and cause poor washing results.



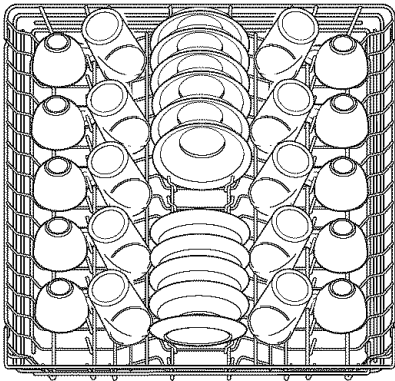
Silverware Basket

Put flatware in the removable basket with fork and knife handles up to protect your hands. Place spoons in the basket with handles down. Mix knives, forks and spoons so they don't nest together. Distribute evenly. Small plastic items, such as measuring spoons and lids from small containers, should go in the bottom of the silverware basket with silverware on top.

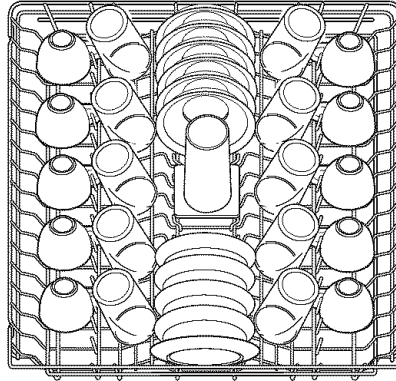
DON'T LET ANY ITEM EXTEND THROUGH BOTTOM OF SILVERWARE BASKET AND RACK, TO ENSURE PROPER FUNCTION OF SPRAY ARM.

Loading place settings...

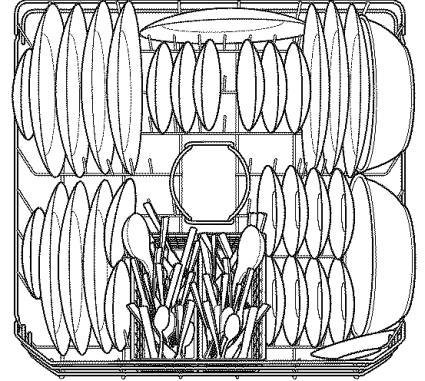
Follow these guidelines for loading 10 place settings. Features and appearance of racks and silverware baskets may vary from your model.



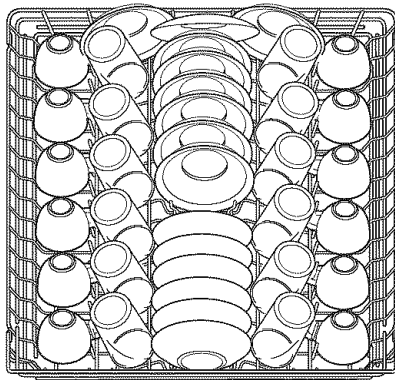
Upper Rack—10 place settings



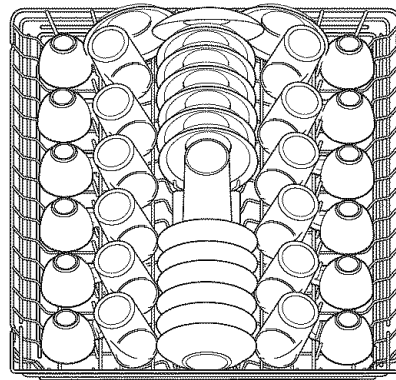
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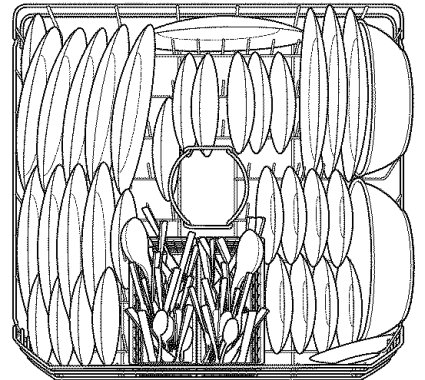
Lower Rack—10 place settings



Upper Rack—12 place settings



Upper Rack—12 place settings



Lower Rack—12 place settings

Forget to Add a Dish?

A forgotten dish can be added any time before the main wash.

- 1 Push the door latch to the left.
- 2 Once the water calms, open the door. Steam may rise out of the dishwasher.
- 3 Add forgotten dish.
- 4 Close the door and push the latch to the far right.

Tips for Loading and Good Wash Performance

- Don't block the lower rack wash tower.

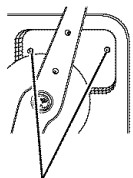


- Don't let items fall through rack and block spray arms.



To clean the control panel, use a lightly dampened cloth, then dry thoroughly. To clean the exterior, use a good appliance polish. Never use sharp objects, scouring pads or harsh cleaners on any part of the dishwasher.

Protect Against Freezing



Sump cover screws

If your dishwasher is left in an unheated place during the winter, ask a service technician to:

- 1 Unplug the dishwasher from the wall outlet.
- 2 Remove the Unicouple from the faucet.
Disconnect the hose from the water valve.
- 3 Drain water from the inlet line and water valve. (Use a pan to catch the water.)
- 4 Reconnect the water inlet line to the water valve.
- 5 Remove the plastic sump cover in the tub bottom and use a sponge to soak up water in the rubber boot.

Before you call for service...



Troubleshooting Tips
Save time and money! Review the charts on the following pages, or visit ge.com. You may not need to call for service.

Problem	Possible Causes	What To Do
Dishwasher won't run	Fuse is blown, or the circuit breaker tripped	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Replace fuse or reset circuit breaker. Remove any other appliances from the circuit. Try pressing the START/RESET pad (Electronic models) two times.
	Power is turned off	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> In some installations, power to the dishwasher is provided through a wall switch, often located next to the disposer switch. Make sure it is on.
Noise	Some of the sounds you'll hear are normal	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Soft food disposal shredding action. Drain valve opening to pump water out. Timer control as cycle progresses. Detergent cup opening. The motor starting and stopping during the cycle.
	Utensils are not secure in rack or something small has dropped into rack	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Make sure everything is secured in dishwasher.
	Rattling dishes when the spray arm rotates	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Make sure dishes are properly loaded. See the <i>Loading the dishwasher racks</i> section.
	Motor hums	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dishwasher has not been used on a regular basis. If you do not use your dishwasher often, set it to fill and pump out once every week. This will help keep the seal moist.
Water standing in the bottom of the tub	This is normal	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A small amount of clean water around the outlet on the tub bottom at the back of the tub keeps the water seal lubricated.
Suds in the tub	Wrong detergent was used	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use only automatic dishwasher detergents to avoid sudsing. Cascade®, Cascade® Complete and Electrasol® Automatic Dishwashing Detergents have been approved for use in all GE dishwashers. To remove suds from the tub, open the dishwasher and let suds dissipate. Add 1 gallon of cold water to the tub. Close and latch the dishwasher. Pump out water by slowly turning the Dial until a drain period is reached. Repeat if necessary.
	Rinse agent was spilled	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Always wipe up rinse agent spills immediately.
Stained tub interior	Some tomato-based foods can cause reddish stains	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use of the RINSE ONLY cycle after adding the dish to the load can decrease the level of staining. GE recommends Cascade® Plastic Booster to help remove these types of stains.
	Tea or coffee stains	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Remove the stain by hand, using a solution of 1/2 cup bleach and 3 cups warm water.
<p>⚠ WARNING Before cleaning the interior, wait at least 20 minutes after a cycle for the heating elements to cool down. Failure to do so can result in burns.</p>		
	An overall yellow or brown film can be caused by iron deposits in water	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A special filter in the water supply line is the only way to correct this problem. Contact a water softener company.
	White film on inside surface—hard water minerals	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> GE recommends Jet-Dry® or Cascade Crystal Clear® to help prevent hard water mineral deposits from forming. Run dishwasher with citric acid to remove mineral deposits. Citric acid (Part number: WD35X151) can be ordered through GE Parts. See back cover for ordering information.

Problem	Possible Causes	What To Do
Dishes don't dry	Low inlet water temperature	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Make sure inlet water temperature is at least 120°F. • Select HEATED DRY. • Use HOT START option. • Select a higher cycle, such as POTS & PANS.
	Rinse agent dispenser is empty	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Check the rinse agent dispenser and fill as required.
Dishes and flatware not clean	Inlet water temperature is below 120°F.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Run hot water faucet prior to connecting the Unicouple to purge cold water from the hot water line. • Use HOT START and POTS & PANS. • Raise the water heater temperature to 120°F.
	Too little detergent	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See <i>Using the dishwasher</i> section, refer to <i>Proper Use of Detergent</i> for detergent recommendations.
	Old or damp powdered detergent	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See <i>Using the dishwasher</i> section, refer to <i>Proper Use of Detergent</i> for detergent recommendations.
	Water pressure is temporarily low	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Turn on a faucet. Is water coming out more slowly than usual? If so, wait until pressure is normal before using your dishwasher.
	Improper rack loading	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Make sure large dishware does not block detergent dispenser or wash arm.
Spots and filming on glasses and flatware	Extremely hard water	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use Jet-Dry® or Cascade Crystal Clear® rinse agents to remove spots and prevent new film buildup.
	Low inlet water temperature	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To remove stubborn spots and pre-existing film from glassware:
	Overloading the dishwasher	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Remove all metal utensils from the dishwasher.
	Improper loading	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2 Do not add detergent. 3 Select the longest cycle.
	Old or damp powder detergent	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4 Start the dishwasher and allow to run until the detergent cup opens. Dishwasher will now be in the main wash.
	Rinse agent dispenser empty	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 5 Open the door and pour 2 cups (500 ml) of white vinegar into the bottom of the dishwasher.
Cloudiness on glassware	Combination of soft water and too much detergent	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This is called <i>etching</i> and is permanent. To prevent this from happening, use less detergent if you have soft water. Wash glassware in the shortest cycle that will get it clean.
	Water temperature entering the dishwasher exceeds 150°F.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lower the water heater temperature.
Detergent cup lid won't latch	Timer dial is not in the OFF position	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Turn the timer dial to OFF.
Detergent left in dispenser cups	Dishes are blocking the detergent cups	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reposition the dishes.
Steam	This is normal	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Steam comes through the vent by the door latch during drying and when water is being pumped out.
Black or gray marks on dishes	Aluminum utensils have rubbed against dishes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Remove marks with a mild, abrasive cleaner.

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GE Dishwasher Warranty



All warranty service provided by our Factory Service Centers, or an authorized Customer Care® technician. To schedule service, on-line, 24 hours a day, visit us at ge.com, or call 800.GE.CARES (800.432.2737). Please have serial number and model number available when calling for service.

Staple your receipt here.
Proof of the original purchase date is needed to obtain service under the warranty.

For The Period Of: GE Will Replace:

One Year

From the date of the original purchase

Any part of the dishwasher which fails due to a defect in materials or workmanship. During this **limited one-year warranty**, GE will also provide, **free of charge**, all labor and in-home service to replace the defective part.

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- Improper installation, delivery or maintenance.
- Failure of the product if it is abused, misused, or used for other than the intended purpose or used commercially.
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- Damage to the product caused by accident, fire, floods or acts of God.
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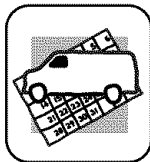
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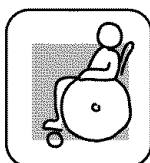
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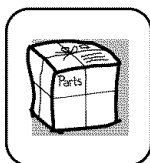
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