

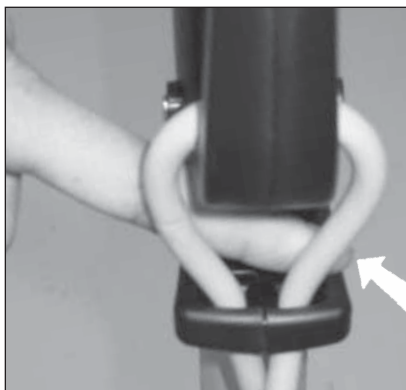
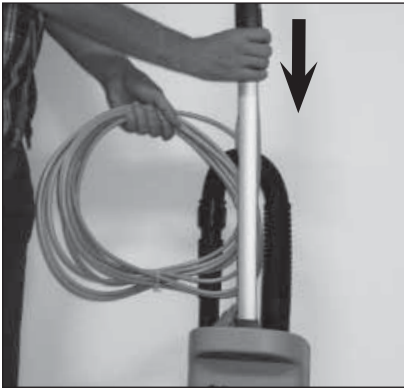
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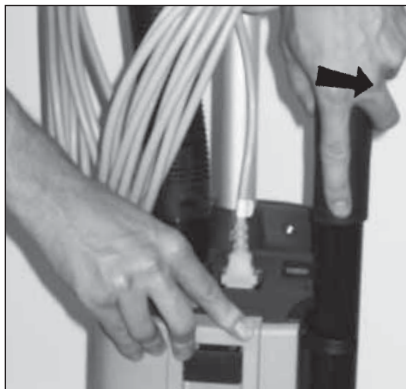
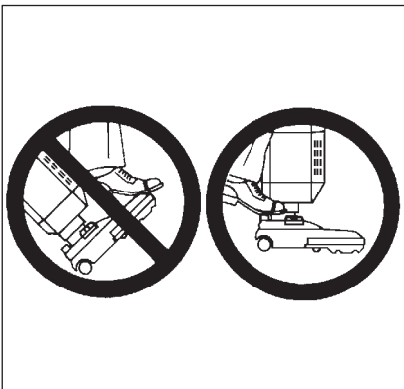


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Setup and operation



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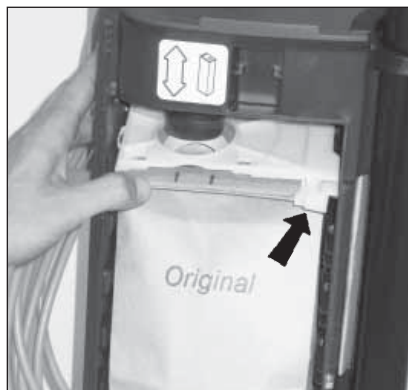
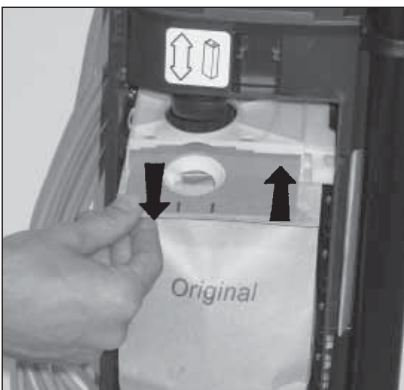
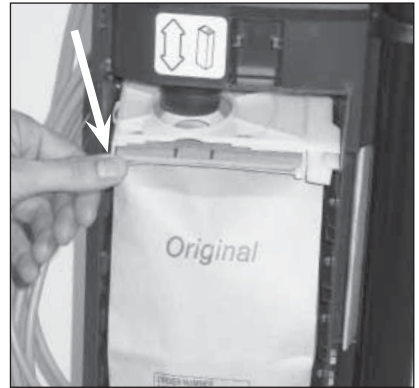
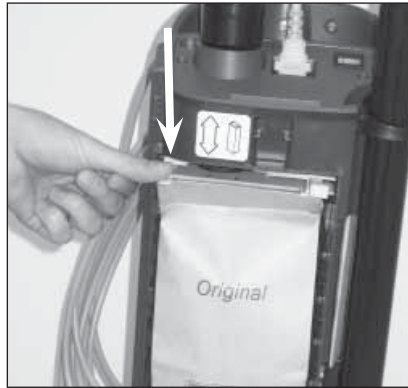


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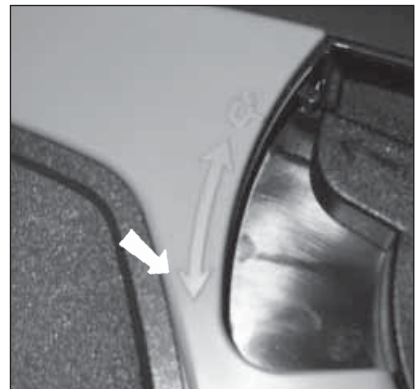
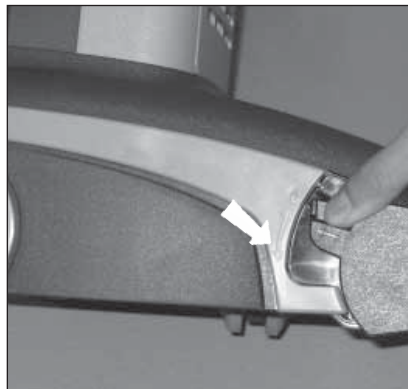


Changing the paper dust bag

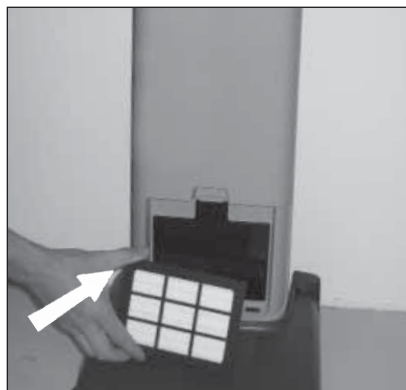
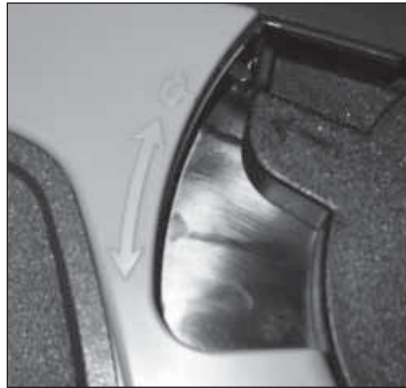
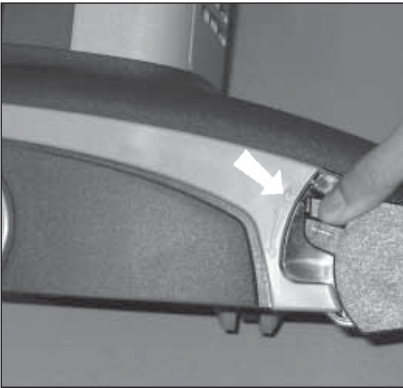




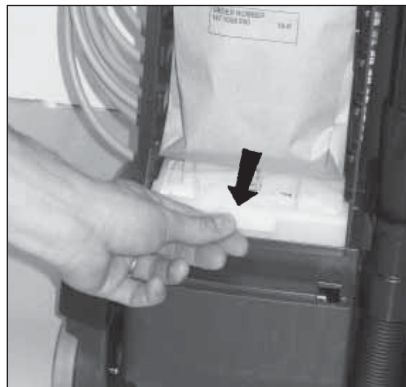
Changing or cleaning of the brush



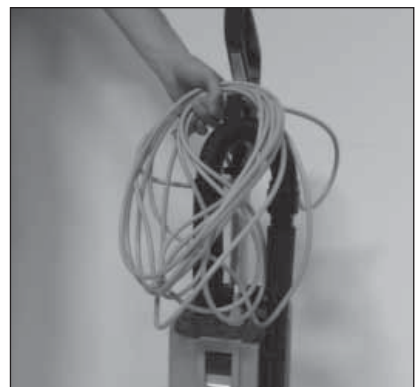
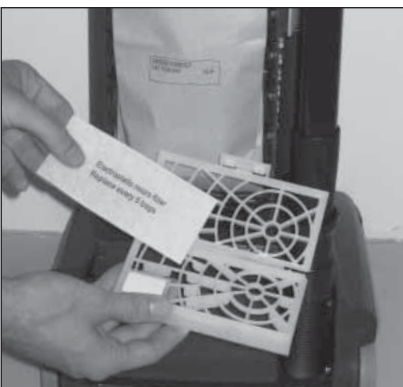
Changing the HEPA filter



Changing or cleaning the pre filter



After using the machine



1 Important safety instructions

1.1 Symbols used to mark instructions

DANGER



Danger that leads directly to serious or irreversible injuries, or even death.

WARNING



Danger that can lead to serious injuries or even death.

CAUTION



Danger that can lead to minor injuries and damage.



Before starting up your vacuum cleaner for the first time, this instruction manual must be read through carefully. Save the instructions for later use.

1.2 Instructions for use

Besides the operating instructions and the binding accident prevention regulations valid in the country of use, observe recognised regulations for safety and proper use.

1.3 Purpose and intended use

This machine is for commercial use, for example in hotels, schools, hospitals, factories, shops and offices other than normal residential housekeeping purposes. Accidents due to misuse can only be prevented by those using the machine.

READ AND FOLLOW ALL SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS.

This machine is suitable for picking up dry, non-flammable dust.

Any other use is considered as improper use. The manufacturer accepts no liability for any damage resulting from such use. The risk for such use is borne solely by the user. Proper use also includes proper operation, servicing and repairs as specified by the manufacturer.

1.4 Important warnings

WARNING

- To reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, or injury, please read and follow all safety instructions and caution markings before use. This vacuum cleaner is designed to be safe when used for cleaning functions as specified. Should damage occur to electrical or mechanical parts, the cleaner and / or accessory should be repaired by a competent service station or the manufacturer before use in order to avoid further damage to the machine or physical injury to the user.
- To reduce the risk of electric shock – Do not use outdoor or on wet surfaces.
- This machine is for indoor use only.
- This machine shall only be stored indoors.
- Only use outlet socket for its intended use.
- Do not leave the machine when it is plugged in. Unplug

- from the socket when not in use and before maintenance.
- Do not use with damaged cord or plug. To unplug grasp the plug, not the cord. Do not handle plug or cleaner with wet hands. Turn off all controls before unplugging.
 - Do not pull or carry by cord, use cord as a handle, close a door on cord, or pull cord around sharp edges or corners. Do not run cleaner over cord. Keep cord away from heated surfaces.
 - Keep hair, loose clothing, fingers and all parts of the body away from openings and moving parts. Do not put any objects into openings or use with opening blocked. Keep openings free of dust, lint, hair, and anything else that could reduce the flow of air.
 - This machine is not suitable for picking up hazardous dust.
 - Do not use to pick up flammable or combustible liquids such as gasoline, 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.
 - This appliance is not intended for use by persons (including children) with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge.
 - Children shall be supervised to make sure that they do not play with the appliance.
 - Cleaning and user maintenance shall not be made by children without supervision.
 - Use extra care when cleaning on stairs.
 - Do not use unless filters are fitted.
 - If the cleaner is not working properly or has been dropped, damaged, left outdoors, or dropped into water, return it to a service center or dealer.
 - If foam or liquid escapes from the machine, switch off immediately.
 - Operators shall be adequately instructed on the use of these machines.
 - This machine is for dry use only.

1.5 Double-insulated appliances

CAUTION

- Use only as described in this manual and only with the manufacturer's recommended attachments.
- BEFORE YOU PLUG IN YOUR CLEANER, check the rating plate at the cleaner to see if the rated voltage agrees within 10% of the voltage available.
- This appliance is provided with double insulation. Use only identical replacement parts. See instructions for servicing double insulated appliances.

In a double-insulated appliance, two systems of insulation are provided instead of grounding. No grounding means is provided on a double-insulated appliance, nor should a mean for grounding be added to the appliance. Servicing a double-insulated appliance requires extreme care and knowledge of the system, and should be done only by qualified service personnel. Replacement parts for a double-insulated appliance must be identical to the parts they replace. A double insulated appliance is marked with the words "DOUBLE INSULATION" or "DOUBLE INSULATED." The symbol (square within a square) may also be used on the product.

The machine is equipped with a specially designed cord which if damaged, must be replaced by a cord of the same type. This is available at authorised service centres and dealers and must be installed by trained personnel.

1.6 Electrical connection

WARNING

- The vacuum cleaner must not be used if the electrical cable or plug show any sign of damage. Regularly inspect the cable and the plug for damage. If this becomes damaged, it should be repaired only by Nilfisk or an authorised Nilfisk Service Dealer, in order to avoid a hazard.
- Do not handle the electrical cable or plug with wet hands.
- Do not unplug by pulling on cable. To unplug, grasp the plug, not the cable. The plug must always be removed from the socket outlet before starting any service or repair work of the machine or the cable.

1.7 Hazardous materials

WARNING

Vacuuming up hazardous materials can lead to serious or even fatal injuries.

The following materials must not be picked up by the vacuum cleaner:

- Hazardous dust

- Hot materials (burning cigarettes, hot ash, etc.)
- Flammable, explosive, aggressive liquids (e.g. petrol, solvents, acids, alkalis, etc.)
- Flammable, explosive dust (e.g. magnesium or aluminum dust, etc.)

1.8 Maintenance

Always keep the cleaner in a dry place. The cleaner is designed for continuous heavy work. Depending on the number of running hours – the dust filters should be renewed. Keep the container clean with a dry cloth, and a small amount of spray polish.

For details of after sales service contact Nilfisk directly.

1.9 Warranty

Our general conditions of business are applicable with regard to the guarantee.

Unauthorised modifications to the appliance, the use of incorrect brushes in addition to using the appliance in a way other than for the intended purpose exempt the manufacturer from any liability for the resulting damage.



As specified in European Directive 2012/19/EU on old electrical and electronic appliances, used electrical goods must be collected separately and recycled ecologically. Contact your local authorities or your nearest dealer for further information.

WARNING



Do not allow the supply cord to come into contact with the rotating brushes.

Emptying the cloth/paper filter bag

1. Disconnect the power cord from the electrical outlet. Pull the Dust lid button and drag the Dust lid outwards to remove it from the cleaner.
2. Push downwards at the edge to the left of the plastic holder, so that the bag inlet loosens from the vacuum inlet of the machine.
3. Grasp at the plastic flange of the bag and gently pull the bag outwards - away from cleaner.
4. Remove bag clip and shake out bag contents.
5. Put the bag clip back on the bag.
6. Insert the cleaned/new cloth/paper bag into the slot of the bag holder and push the bag in place so that bag is secured.
7. Push the bag holder with the new bag upwards, so that the bag inlet fasten to the inlet of the machine. Make sure that the bag is unfold and will fit in place at the bag housing. Also check that the "no bag" clip is placed to the left so that the lid will be able to close.
8. Fit the two notches of the back cover to the two slots at the lower part of the bag housing, and push the back cover back in place at the housing.

Cleaning the pre filter

The pre filter may be washed in warm water. Let the filter dry completely before putting it back into the filter holder.

Deodorizer pad

This machine is equipped with a deodorizer pad. It's located in the pre filter holder. Replace it when the function begins to fade.

Specifications

		VU500 12 EU	VU500 15 EU
Rated power	W	810	810
Protection grade (moist., dust)	V	IP 20	IP 20
Protection class (electrical)	W	II □	II □
Airflow with hose and tube	litres/sec	26	26
Suction power with hose and tube	W	135	135
Sound power level L_{WA} (IEC 60335-2-69)	dB(A)	80 ± 2	80 ± 2
Vibration ISO 5349 a_h	m/s^2	≤ 2,5	≤ 2,5
HEPA filter, surface area	cm^2	2400	2400
Dust bag capacity	litres	3,5	3,5
Weight	kg	8	8,5

Specifications and details are subject to change without prior notice.

EU Declaration of conformity

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Hereby solely declare, that the product:
Product: VAC - Commercial - Dry
Description: 220-240V, 50/60Hz, IPX0
Type: VU500 12 EU, VU500 15 EU

Are in compliance with the following standards:

EN 60335-1:2012+A11:2014
EN 60335-2-69:2012
EN 55014-1:2006+A1:2009+A2:2011
EN 55014-2:2015
EN 61000-3-2:2014
EN 61000-3-3:2013
EN 60312-1:2013

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