

# 500W HEDGE TRIMMER



**RATED  
POWER**  
500W

**VOLTAGE**  
230-240V

**CUTTING  
CAPACITY**  
16mm

**NO-LOAD  
SPEED**  
1750/min

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# SAFETY & WARNINGS

## INTENDED USE

This product has been designed to trim hedges, shrubs, and grass in residential gardens. It is not for use in public parks, sports grounds, agriculture, or forestry. Failure to use this product as intended will void the warranty.

## REGULAR CHECKUPS

- Check cables every time before plugging into a socket, make sure power cables are not burst or snapped and that the power-plug has no damage.
- Check all the knobs are functioning correctly.

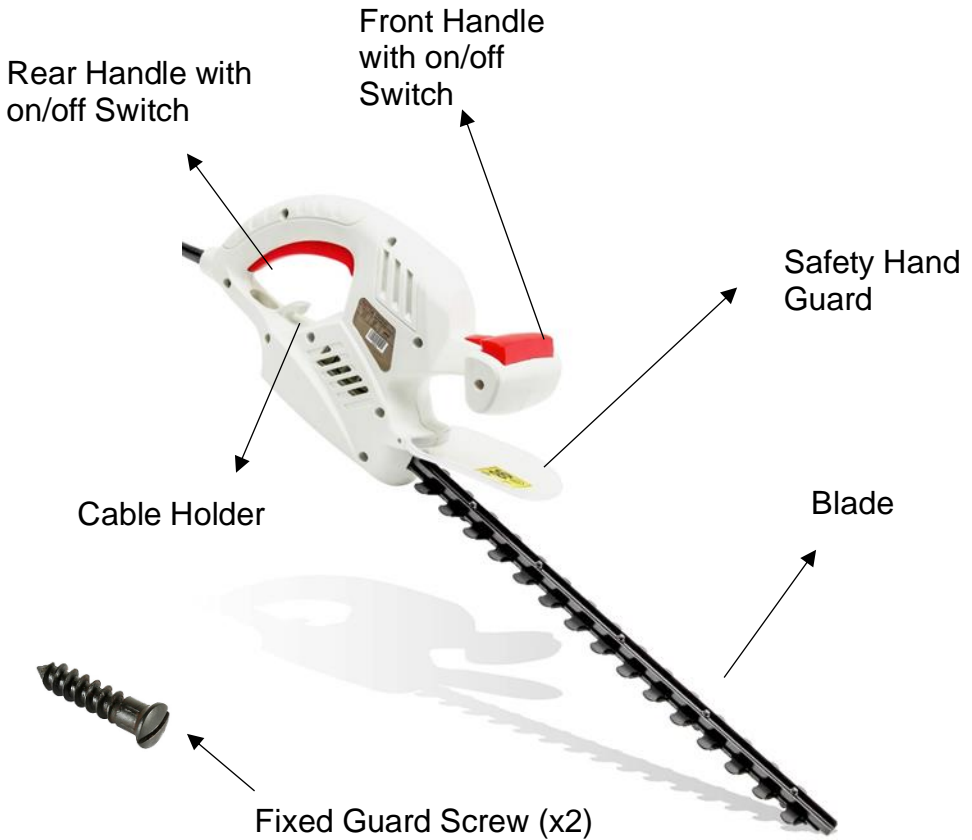
## GENERAL CAUTIONS

- Always follow this instruction manual and go through all the safety checks.
- This is not toy - do not let children play with it.
- **DO NOT** modify this product in any way.
- Keep work areas clean and well lit.
- Do not operate tools in explosive atmospheres.
- Before using an electric powered appliance, check the rating label and voltage information on this manual, or the rating label on back of the machine.
- Always connect the device to a socket with Residual Current Device (RCD) fitted with your home circuits.
- If you are unsure, please seek a certified electrician for advice.
- The appliance must not be immersed in liquid.
- Do not use power tools in wet or damp conditions.
- Do not overload your power tools. Match each tool to the task.
- Do not use any power tool if the on/off switch is damaged.
- Check that the moving parts of your tool operate smoothly and are not cracked or damaged.

## RISK OF PERSONAL INJURY

- DO NOT use the appliance other than for the intended use.
- Use personal protective equipment. Always use eye protection.
- Use ear protection.
- Do not wrap the device in a cloth or other material to suppress noise. This will hinder the proper ventilation of the device. This could ignite a fire and cause burns.
- Wear soft gloves when using this tool to prevent discomfort.
- Hold the power tool firmly to reduce the vibration levels.
- Ensure the switch is in the off position before connecting to a power source, picking up or carrying the tool.
- Remove any adjusting keys or wrenches before turning the tool on.
- Do not overreach. Keep proper balance at all times.
- Do not wear loose clothing or jewellery.
- Take a break if you feel vibration-related discomfort.
- DO NOT operate any appliance with a damaged cord or plug or after the appliance malfunctions or is dropped or damaged in any manner. Return appliance to the nearest authorized service facility for examination, repair or electrical or mechanical adjustment.
- If the supply cord is damaged it must be replaced by the manufacturer or an authorized service agent or a qualified technician in order to avoid a hazard.
- The use of accessories is not recommended by the manufacturer as they may cause injuries to persons.
- Do not let the cord hang over the edge of a table or counter or touch a hot surface.
- Do not place on or near a hot gas or electric burner or in a heated oven.
- Unplug from outlet when not in use and before cleaning.

## OVERVIEW



**You will need a Phillips screwdriver to assemble this hedge trimmer.**

## OPERATING THE PRODUCT

- Fit the **Safety Hand Guard** into position and fix securely with the **two screws** on both sides of the housing as shown in the image.

Screw Holes

Safety  
Hand  
Guard



- Remove the Safety Blade Cover and check to make sure there are no visible defects.
- To switch the device on, press the on/off switch of both the front handle and rear handle with both hands at the same time.
- To switch the device off, release either one of the switches.



## Working with the Hedge Trimmer

- Before using the hedge trimmer, select branches of less than 16mm in diameter and cut them using pruning shears.
- Hold the hedge trimmer with both hands and keep it a safe distance away from your body.
- Ensure that you always maintain a stable position.
- Pass the extension cable over your shoulder and pay attention that it always stays behind you while you are working.
- Never pass the cable over the hedge as it is likely to be caught by the blades.
- It is possible to cut up branches up to a maximum thickness of 16mm.
- In order to approach branches with the blades, move the hedge trimmer forwards straight along the line of the cut.
- Cut the sides of the hedge first and then the top.
- In order to maintain a perfect shape, we recommend you cut upwards in the direction of growth. If you cut from top to bottom, the thinner branches will move outwards leaving holes or less bushy places.
- In order to cut the top in a straight line, stretch a wire along the entire length of the hedge at the desired height.
- Take care not to cut foreign objects such as metal wires, latticework, etc which would be likely to damage the blades or the drive.
- If the blades are jammed or blocked by any obstacle, switch off the appliance immediately and unplug it, and only then can you intervene to free the appliance.

## Season for Cutting Hedges

- It is recommended to cut leafy hedges in June and October.
- Coniferous hedges in April and August.
- Cut conifers and other hedges that grow quickly every 6 weeks starting in May.

## CLEANING & STORAGE

- In order to ensure long and reliable use of the product, carry out the following maintenance work at regular intervals.
- Check the hedge trimmer at regular intervals to detect visible defects such as a detached, loose, or damaged blade support bar, loose connections or worn or damaged parts.
- When handling or cleaning the blades, wear protective gloves.
- Clean the blades after each use and treat them with a maintenance spray.
- When working for long durations, we recommend lubricating the blades at regular intervals using a maintenance spray. Carry out a visual inspection to determine the condition of the blades.
- Clean the external parts of the hedge trimmer using a soft brush and cloth.
- Do not use water, solvents, or an abrasive detergent.
- Remove all dirt that sticks to the hedge trimmer, paying close attention to the motor ventilation vents.
- Store the hedge trimmer in a dry and safe place – out of the reach of children.
- Do not place other objects on top of the appliance.

PROBLEM	POSSIBLE CAUSE	REMEDY
The blades heat up excessively.	There is no power supply. Defective outlet socket. Defective Fuse	Check power supply. Try another source. Replace the fuse.
The hedge trimmer does not operate.	Damaged electrical cable. Bad internal contact. The on/off switches are defective.	Check the cable for damage.  Contact your retailer.
The hedge trimmer works intermittently.	Internal defect.	Contact your retailer.
The motor runs, the blades do not move.	Blunt blades.  The blade is notched.  Excessive friction due to insufficient lubrication.	Sharpen the blade support bar. Check the blade support bar. Treat with maintenance spray.



## SPARE PARTS/REPAIR

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We hope our products will last as long as possible to reduce the build-up of electrical waste in the world.

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You will need PDC information from your product, user manual or carton box. Alternatively, go to our website and use search bar to find the parts available. You can also find this code on the back of this User Manual.

For our Repair Service, please contact our customer support with email on [support@nettadirect.com](mailto:support@nettadirect.com) they will provide with more details of repair service with NETTA.

## DISPOSAL OF PRODUCT

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**IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR CORRECT DISPOSAL OF THE PRODUCT IN ACCORDANCE WITH EC DIRECTIVE 2002/96/EC.**

### **DISPOSAL:**

Please dispose of this product responsibly. This item cannot be disposed of with general waste. Please contact your local council authority for more information on how to dispose this product. If this product is disposed of with general waste, it will end up in a landfill and will leak hazardous substances into the groundwater – effecting our food chain.



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