



# INSTRUCTIONS MANUAL

TYL-HS05

## Portable **Garment Steamer**

Compact, lightweight and suitable for travel or home use.



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## **IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS**

**WARNING:** To reduce risk of fire, electrical shock or injury, the following basic safety precautions should always be followed when using an electrical appliance.

### **READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE USE**

#### **DANGER!!**

Any appliance is electrically live even when switched off. To reduce risk of electrical shock:

1. Always unplug power cord immediately after using.
2. Do not place or store unit where it can fall or be pulled into a sink or tub.
3. Do not place in, or drop into water or other liquid.
4. If unit falls into water, immediately unplug power cord. Do not reach into the water.

#### **WARNING**

To reduce risk of burns, electrocution, fire or injury to persons:

1. Do not tamper with or modify this product in any way.
2. Use Tylr Handheld Garment Steamer only for its intended purpose as indicated in this manual.
3. If an extension cord is necessary, use a properly rated cord (15 ampere, 14 gauge). Use care to position extension cord where it is least likely to be damaged or tripped over during use.
4. Before plugging power cord into electrical outlet, be sure that all electrical information on rating label agrees with your power supply.
5. To reduce likelihood of circuit overload, DO NOT operate another high wattage appliance on the same circuit as this unit.

6. To protect against risk of electrical shock, do not immerse unit in water or other liquids. Do not use power cord as handle, let it hang over edges of counters, or be crimped or closed in doors.
7. Never yank power cord to disconnect from outlet; instead, grasp plug and pull to disconnect.
8. Do not operate unit with a damaged power cord or if the unit has been dropped or damaged. To avoid risk of electrical shock, do not disassemble unit. Incorrect reassembly can cause a risk of electrical shock when unit is used.
9. Close supervision is required for any appliance being used near children, pets and plants. Do not leave unit unattended while plugged in.
10. This unit is not intended for use by persons (including children) with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge, unless they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the unit by a person responsible for their safety.
11. Do not use unit where aerosol-based products are being used, or where oxygen is being administered.
12. Unit is only meant to be used with recommended accessories. Using other types of attachments may cause damage to unit or injury.
13. If Power Indicator Light does not illuminate when the Power Switch is pushed On, unit is not operating normally. Immediately turn unit off and disconnect from power supply.
14. When filling Water Tank, only water should be used in unit – other cleaning agents could damage unit or cause injury. Distilled or de-mineralized water is highly recommended, in order to minimize potential buildup of mineral deposits. Do not overfill unit.
15. Do not attempt to use unit without properly filling Water Tank.

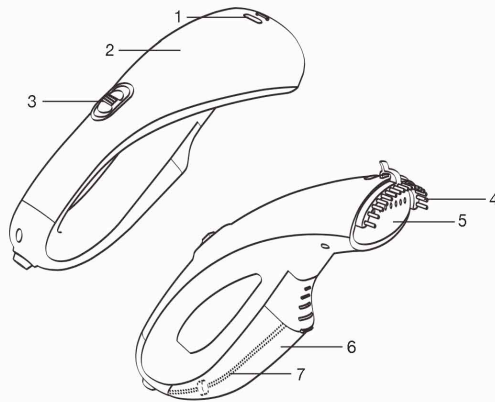
16. To reduce risk of contact with hot water emitting from Steam Nozzle, check appliance before each use by positioning it away from body and turning it on. Do not operate unit if Steam Nozzle is blocked.
17. Burns can occur from touching hot plastic parts, hot water or steam. Do not touch Steam Nozzle.
18. When steaming any material for the first time, it is recommended that you consult the manufacturer's guidelines for the fabric being steamed. For items in question, test on an inconspicuous area before proceeding.
19. Synthetic materials (such as 100% nylon or polyester) are sensitive to heat, and may be damaged by exposure to hot steam. Steam is recommended for use only on natural fibers such as cotton, linen or wool, as well as nylon or polyester blends.
20. Do not allow power cord to touch hot surfaces during use. Loosely bundle cord when storing.
21. Always allow Handheld Garment Steamer to cool (15 minutes for complete cooling) and empty Boiler before storing.
22. Only plug power cord directly into 220V outlet.

**SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS. FOR HOUSEHOLD USE ONLY.**

## PRODUCT INFORMATION

The following features are included with your Handheld Garment Steamer. Carefully inspect the packing material for all parts listed below.

1. Power Light Indicator
2. Main Body
3. Steam Control Switch
4. Fabric Brush
5. Steam Nozzle
6. Water Tank
7. Filter Hose



- The Steam Nozzle (5) emits the flow of hot, penetrating steam produced by the Water Tank.
- The Water Tank (6) is the reservoir where water is held before being transferred to the heat exchange and converted to steam. The Water Tank holds 5 oz. (150 ml) of water.
- The Handle is designed to stay cool while providing maximum grip and comfort.
- The Power Light Indicator (1) illuminates when the On/Off Switch is set to a steam selection.
- The On/Off Steam Control Switch (5) powers the unit On and Off and allows selection between low and high steam.

## USING YOUR HANDHELD GARMENT STEAMER

### Filling Tank with Water

1. Place Handheld Garment Steamer on a flat, level surface.
2. Make sure power cord is unplugged from electrical outlet.
3. Remove Water Tank by pushing down on the top of tank and take tank from main body. (Fig 1)
4. Remove Water Tank cover and carefully fill Water Tank with water from a faucet, bottle or cup. (Fig 2, 3, 4)

**NOTE:** In order to minimize potential mineral build-up and prolong the life of your Handheld Garment Steamer, distilled or de-mineralized water is recommended when filling Boiler.

5. Replace Water Tank by pushing firmly up into the unit. (Fig 5)

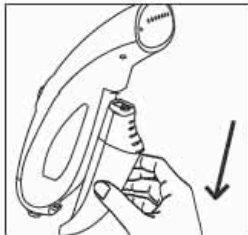


Fig 1

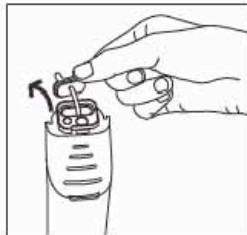


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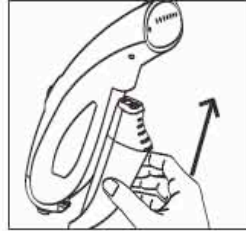


Fig 5

### **Garment Steaming**

**CAUTION:** *When steaming any material for the first time, it is recommended that you test on a small inconspicuous area before proceeding. Do not use on synthetic fabrics such as 100% nylon or polyester, or other steam-sensitive materials.*

**NOTE:** *Be sure that Tank has already been filled before following these steps:*

1. Plug power cord into an electrical outlet.
2. After approximately 30 seconds, steam will begin emitting from Steam Nozzle.
3. The Steam Control has 3 settings:



**Off**



**Low:** This setting is suitable for thinner and more delicate fabrics such as silk





**High:** This setting is suitable for thicker fabrics such as cotton, linen, denim, etc.

4. Direct Steam Nozzle towards fabric material you wish to steam.  
See below for additional tips and procedures.

**CAUTION:** Always be sure that Steam Nozzle is pointed in a safe direction (away from yourself, other people, pets and plants) when steaming.

#### **Steaming garments:**

- Hang garment from a clean, rust-free hanger.
- Direct Steam Nozzle towards bottom of garment. Steam will rise along inside and outside of material, removing wrinkles. Slowly slide Steam Nozzle upward from bottom to top of garment.
- Direct Steam Nozzle away from garment and smooth material with your free hand.
- Repeat as necessary until garment is fresh and wrinkle-free.
- Do not use position the steamer horizontally, or use in an upside-down position. (Fig 6)



Fig 6

- **Removing wrinkles from collars**  
Hold the collar with one hand, and hold the steamer with the other hand, to steam. (Fig 7)
- **Removing wrinkles from the back of collars**  
Hold the back of the collar with one hand, and hold the steamer with the other hand, to steam. (Fig 8)
- **Removing wrinkles from the shirt front**  
Move the steamer vertically. (Fig 9)
- **Removing wrinkles from pockets**  
Hold the shirt with one hand and move the steamer vertically over the pocket, to steam. (Fig 10)
- **Removing wrinkles from the back of the shirt**  
Move the steamer vertically. (Fig 11)
- **Removing wrinkles from the shirt sleeves**  
Hold the sleeve with one hand, and hold the steamer over the sleeves from side to side, to steam. (Fig 12)

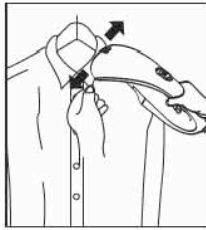


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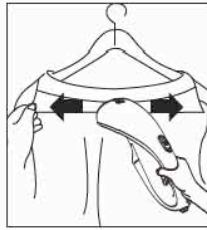


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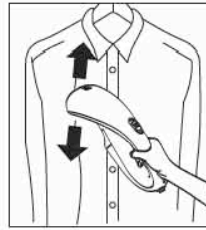


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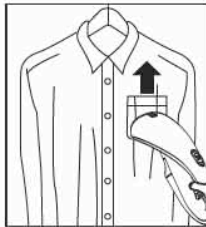


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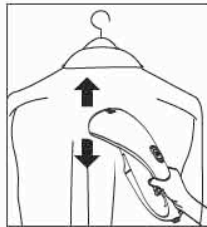


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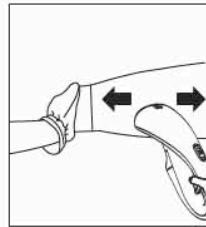


Fig 12

**General steaming tips:**

- For most effective results, hold Steam Nozzle within 1/2" of fabrics, or press it directly against surfaces.
- Curtains and draperies can be steamed while still hanging.
- To remove wrinkles from towels, handkerchiefs and napkins, drape them over a rod or towel rack and gently steam them.
- Heavier fabrics may require repeated steaming to achieve desired results.
- To remove exceptionally stubborn wrinkles, steam both sides of fabric.
- Be especially careful when steaming any delicate fabrics that may be damaged by heat or water spotting.

- To sanitize a fabric, hold Steam Nozzle within 1/2 inch of a single area for at least 5 seconds. Use caution when doing this on more delicate fabrics.

When you are finished using your Handheld Garment Steamer, immediately unplug power cord from electrical outlet. Refer to Storage & Care guidelines for proper storage and maintenance procedures.

### **To use the Fabric Brush**

Press the fabric brush to the steam nozzle to lock in place. After use, unplug the garment steamer and let it cool down. Hold two sides of the fabric brush and pull out gently.

## **STORAGE AND CARE**

### **Proper Storage**

Preparing your Handheld Garment Steamer for storage is quick and simple. When you have completed your tasks, follow the steps listed below.

1. Slide Power Switch to Off (the Power Indicator Light will turn off) and unplug power cord.
2. Allow unit time to cool (at least 5 minutes).
3. Remove Water Tank and drain any remaining water into a sink or tub to minimize potential mineral buildup. Replace Water Tank when done.
4. Store Handheld Garment Steamer in a cool, dry location.

### **Mineral Build-up**

A common maintenance need for steam appliances is the removal of build-up caused by high mineral content in many municipal water supplies. This mineral build-up may limit the effectiveness and reduce the life of your

Handheld Garment Steamer.

The best way to minimize mineral build-up is to use distilled or de-mineralized water when using your Handheld Garment Steamer. In addition, it is recommended that the cleaning procedure below be followed at least once a month in order to remove any deposits that form. This will help to extend the life of your Handheld Garment Steamer and keep it functioning at its maximum potential.

To remove mineral build-up:

1. Follow STEPS 1-4 under Proper Storage section above. However, do not replace Water Tank at the end of STEP 4. Fill Measuring Cup (not included) with 1 oz. (29.6 ml.) distilled water and 1 oz. (29.6 ml.) vinegar.
2. Slowly pour water-vinegar solution into Water Tank through Fill Hole, then replace Water Tank Cap.
3. Plug in power cord and slide Power Switch to "ON" and increase steam setting to Level "HIGH". Allow unit to steam for 1 minute, then slide Power Switch to "OFF".
4. Allow unit to sit for approximately 30 minutes, then slide Power Switch to "ON" and increase steam setting to Level "HIGH" and

allow the remainder of the Water Tank's contents to be steamed out.

5. Once Water Tank is drained, turn unit off and refill Tank with 5 oz. (150 ml.) of fresh distilled water. Slide Power Switch to "ON" and increase steam setting to Level "HIGH," and allow unit to steam until Water Tank is empty. Repeat as necessary until vinegar odor dissipates.
6. Slide Power Switch to "OFF", unplug power cord and store Handheld Garment Steamer as usual.

**IMPORTANT:** *On average, it is recommended that you follow the mineral build-up removal procedure once per month (if unit is used once every week). More frequent use may require following the procedure more often in order to keep your Handheld Garment Steamer operating at full potential. Do not exceed 1 hour of use without cleaning out mineral build-up.*

## TROUBLESHOOTING

<b>PROBLEM</b>	<b>POSSIBLE CAUSE</b>	<b>SOLUTION</b>
Unit fails to heat up. Power Indicator Light DOES NOT illuminate.	Unit is not plugged in.	Plug power cord into electrical outlet.
	The Power Switch is pressed Off.	Make sure the Power Switch is pressed to turn the unit On and Power Indicator Light is illuminated.
	Household circuit breaker / ground fault interrupter has tripped or blown a fuse.	Reset circuit breaker / ground fault interrupter or replace fuse. If you need assistance, contact a licensed electrician.
	Unit is damaged or otherwise in need of repair.	Immediately cease usage and unplug. Contact Consumer Service for further assistance (see Page 9 for details).
Unit heats up, but fails to steam. Power Indicator Light does illuminate.	Water Tank is empty	Refer to Filling Water Tank procedure.
	Mineral build-up in unit.	Refer to Mineral Build-up section for

(NOTE: Always allow proper time for unit to heat up and begin producing steam.)		cleaning procedure.
Steam output is weak or intermittent.	The Power Switch is set to "LOW".	Increasing the steam setting will result in a stronger (and wetter) flow of steam.
	Mineral build-up in unit.	Refer to Mineral Build-up section on Page 8 for cleaning procedure.

**PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS**

MODEL: TYL-HS05

VOLTAGE: 220V

WATTAGE: 1000W

AMPERAGE: 9.0A

WATER CAPACITY: 5.0 OZ.(150 ml)

HEATING TIME: 30 SECS. (APPROXIMATE)

CONTINUOUS STEAM TIME: 10 MINS. (APPROXIMATE)

UNIT WEIGHT: 1.6 LBS. (0.70KG.)

UNIT DIMENSIONS:

11.81"(30.0CM.)~4.53"(11.5CM.)~3.23"(8.2CM.)

POWER CORD LENGTH: 8.0' (243.8 CM.)





**You can help protect the environment!**

Please remember to respect the local regulations: hand in the non-working electrical equipment to an appropriate waste disposal center.