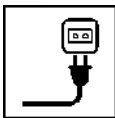


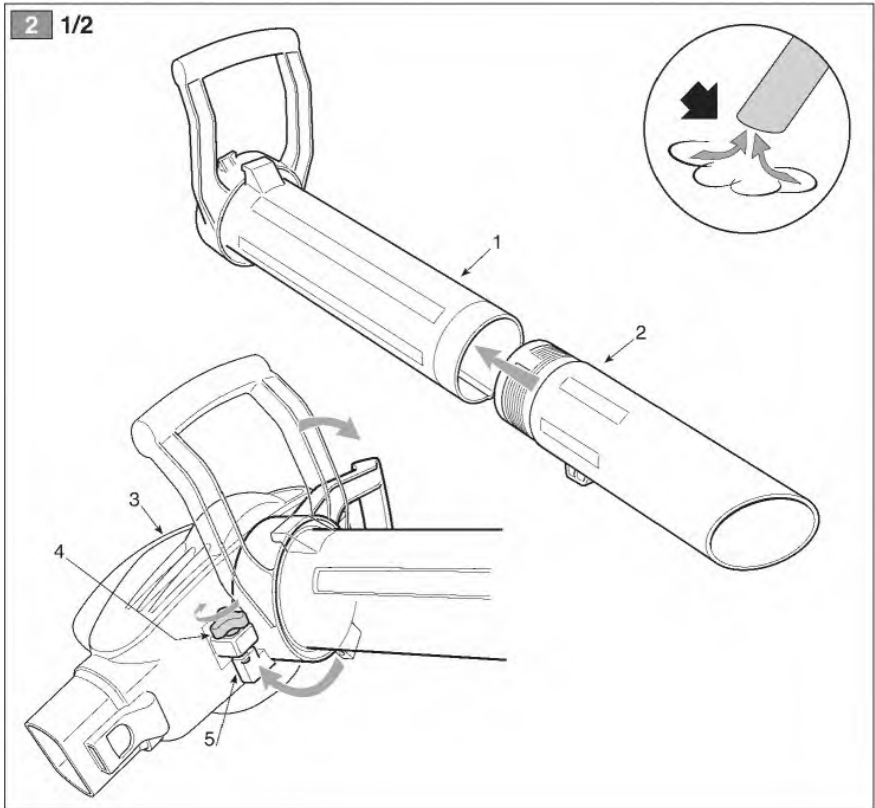
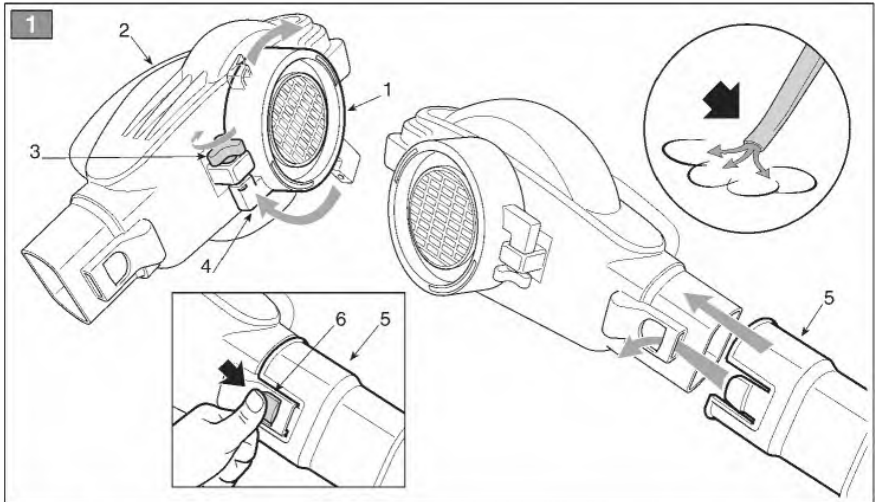
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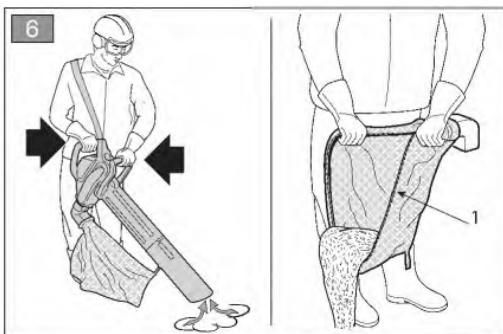
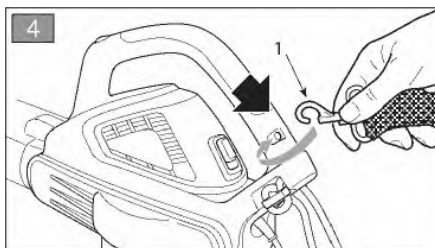
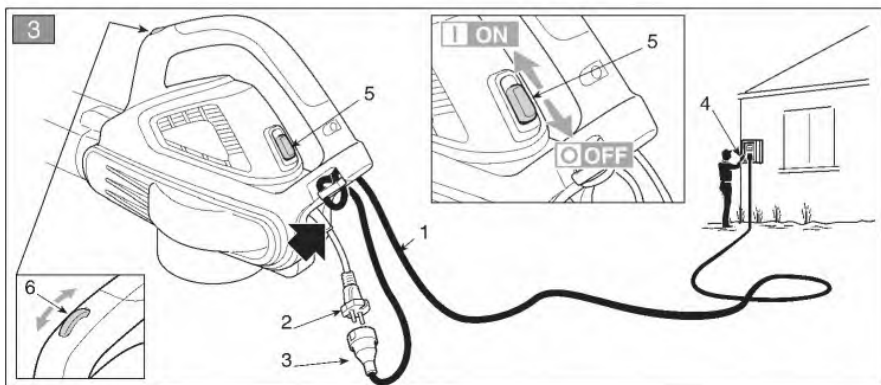
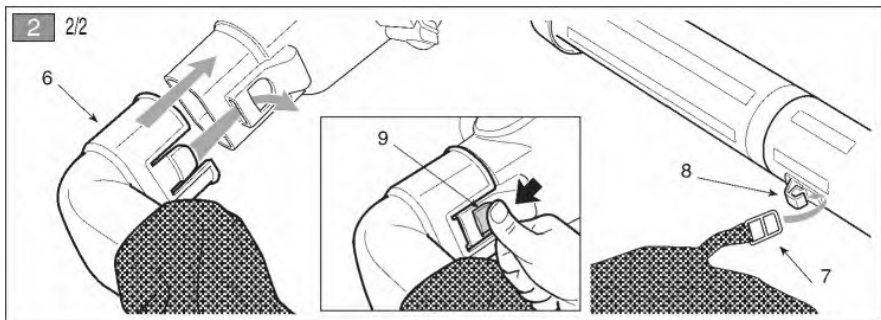
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Dear Customer,

thank you for choosing one of our products. We hope that you will be completely satisfied with this machine and that it fully meets your expectations. This manual has been compiled in order to provide you with all the information you need to get acquainted with the machine and use it safely and efficiently. Don't forget that it is an integral part of the machine; keep it handy so that it can be consulted when necessary, and pass it on to a further user if you resell or loan the machine.

Your new machine has been designed and manufactured in pursuance with current regulations, and is safe and reliable if used in full compliance with the instructions provided in this manual (proper use). Using the machine in any other way, or non-compliance with the safety specifications relative to use, maintenance and repair is considered "improper use" which will invalidate the warranty, relieve the manufacturer from all liabilities, and the user will consequently be liable for all and any damage or injury to himself or others.

Since we regularly improve our products, you may find slight differences between your machine and the descriptions contained in this manual. Modifications can be made to the machine without notice and without the obligation to update the manual, although the essential safety and function characteristics will remain unaltered. In case of any doubts, please contact your dealer. And now enjoy your work!

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WARNING!!!
HEARING DAMAGE RISK
IN NORMAL WORKING CONDITIONS THIS MACHINE
CAN INVOLVE EXPOSURE TO NOISE LEVELS OF 85 DB (A)
OR HIGHER TO ANYONE OPERATING THE MACHINE

1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE COMPONENTS

PACKAGING CONTENTS AND IDENTIFICATION OF THE COMPONENTS

- 1. Power unit
- 2. Identification plate

To use as a blower:

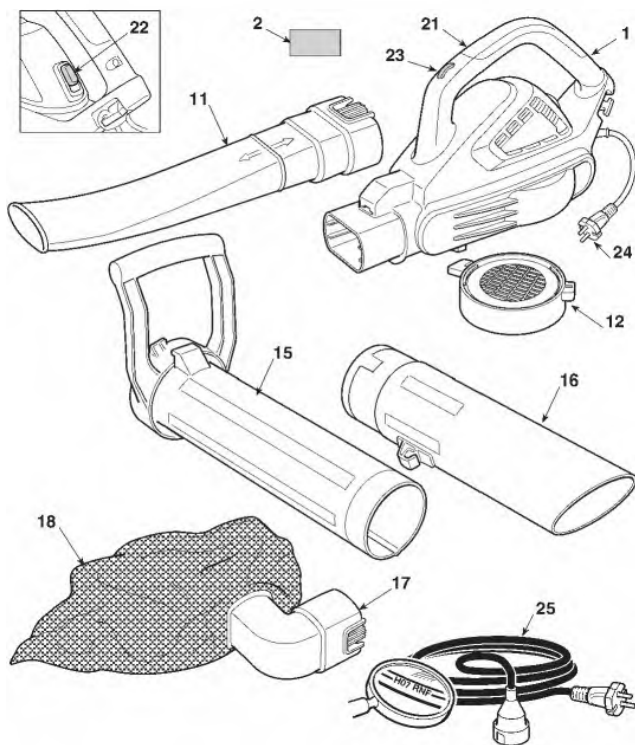
- 11. Blower tube
- 12. Safety grid

To use as vacuum collector:

- 15. First vacuum tube (with front handgrip)
- 16. Second vacuum tube
- 17. Tube fittings bag
- 18. Bag

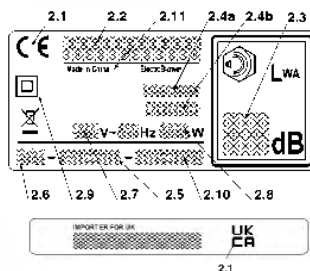
CONTROLS AND FUNCTIONAL PARTS


- 21. Rear handgrip
- 22. On / off switch
- 23. Speed regulator
- 24. Power cable
- 25. Extension lead (not supplied)



IDENTIFICATION PLATE

- 2.1) Conformity marking
- 2.2) Name and address of the manufacturer
- 2.3) Acoustic output level
- 2.4a) Machine Type
- 2.4b) Machine model
- 2.5) Serial number
- 2.6) Year of manufacture
- 2.7) Power supply frequency and voltage
- 2.8) Motor power
- 2.9) Dual insulation
- 2.10) Article Code
- 2.11) Manufacturing country



 Do not dispose of electric equipment together with household waste material! In observance of European Directive 2012/19/ EU on electrical and electronic equipment waste and its implementation, in observance of UK Regulation "The waste electrical and electronic equipment regulations 2013 (as amended)" and in accordance with national regulations, electrical equipment that has reached the end of its product life must be collected separately and recycled in an ecologically compatible way. If electrical equipment is disposed of in dumps or in landfills, hazardous substances can leak into the groundwater and contaminate the food chain, damaging your health and well-being. For further information on the disposal of this product, contact your dealer or a domestic waste collection service.

Maximum noise and vibration levels [1]

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Sound pressure level	dB(A)	75
- Measurement uncertainty	dB(A)	3
Measured acoustic power level	dB(A)	95
- Measurement uncertainty	dB(A)	3
Guaranteed acoustic power level	dB(A)	98
Vibration level	m/s ²	1.7
- Measurement uncertainty	m/s ²	1.5

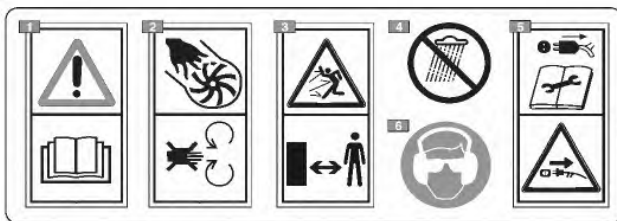
[1] Notice: The vibration value indicated was determined with a standardized tool and can be used to make comparisons with other electric equipment as well as temporary estimates of the load through the vibrations.

WARNING! The vibration value may vary according to the usage of the machine and its fitted equipment, and be higher than the one indicated. Try to limit as much as possible the amount of vibration. To reduce the amount of vibration it is recommended, for example, to wear gloves during use of the machine and to limit the hours of operation. In this regard, all the operational cycle phases must be taken into consideration (such as when the power tool is switched off or when it is switched on, but it operates without load).

TECHNICAL DATA

Power supply voltage	V~	230
Power supply frequency	Hz	50
Power	W	2600
Motor speed	min ⁻¹	15000 - 18000
Protection class	=	II
Mass	kg	4.7

2. SYMBOLS



IMPORTANT Any damaged or illegible decals must be replaced. Order replacement decals from an authorised assistance centre.

- 1) Warning! Danger. The failure to use this machine correctly can be hazardous for oneself and others. Read the instruction manual before using the machine.
- 2) Danger of dismemberment! Never use the machine with the grille open.
- 3) Keep all persons away from the work area whilst mowing.
- 4) Do not leave the machine in the rain (or in damp conditions).
- 5) Disconnect the plug from the mains before commencing maintenance work or if the power cord is damaged.
- 6) If you are using the machine every day in normal conditions, you can be exposed to a noise level of 85 dB (A) or higher. Wear safetyglasses and hearing protection.

3. SAFETY WARNINGS

HOW TO READ THE MANUAL

Certain paragraphs in the manual contain particularly significant information and are marked with various levels of highlighting with the following meaning:

NOTE

or

IMPORTANT

These give details or further

information on what has already been said, with the aim of preventing damage to the machine.

WARNING! Non-observance will result in the risk of injury to oneself or others.

DANGER! Non-observance will result in the risk of serious injury or death to oneself or others.

GENERAL POWER TOOL SAFETY WARNINGS

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

Save all warnings and instructions for future reference. The term "power tool" in the warnings refers to your mains-operated (corded) power tool.

1) Work area safety

- a) **Keep work area clean and well lit.** Cluttered or dark areas invite accidents.
- b) **Do not operate power tools in explosive atmospheres, such as in the presence of flammable liquids, gases or dust.** Power tools create sparks which may ignite the dust or fumes.
- c) **Keep children and bystanders away while operating a power tool.** Distractions can cause you to lose control.

2) Electrical safety

- a) **Power tool plugs must match the outlet. Never modify the plug in any way. Do not use any adapter plugs with earthed (grounded) power tools.**
Unmodified plugs and matching outlets will reduce risk of electric shock.
- b) **Avoid body contact with earthed or grounded sur-**

faces, such as pipes, radiators, ranges and refrigerators. There is an increased risk of electric shock if your body is earthed or grounded.

- c) **Do not expose power tools to rain or wet conditions.** Water entering a power tool will increase the risk of electric shock.
- d) **Do not use the cord improperly. Never use the cord for carrying, pulling or unplugging the power tool. Keep cord away from heat, oil, sharp edges or moving parts.** Damaged or entangled cords increase the risk of electric shock.
- e) **When operating a power tool outdoors, use an extension cord suitable for outdoor use.** Using a cord suitable for outdoor use reduces the risk of electric shock.
- f) **If operating a power tool in a damp location is unavoidable, use a residual current device (RCD) protected supply.** Using an RCD reduces the risk of electric shock.

3) Personal safety

- a) **Stay alert, watch what you are doing and use common sense when operating a power tool. Do not use a power tool while you are tired or under the influence of drugs, alcohol or medication.** A moment of inattention while operating power tools may result in serious personal injury.
- b) **Use personal protective equipment. Always wear eye protection.** Protective

equipment such as dust mask, non-skid safety shoes, hard hat, or hearing protection used for appropriate conditions will reduce personal injuries.

- c) **Prevent unintentional starting. Ensure the switch is in the off-position before connecting to power source, picking up or carrying the tool.** Carrying power tools with your finger on the switch or energising power tools that have the switch on invites accidents.
- d) **Remove any adjusting key or wrench before turning the power tool on.** A wrench or a key left attached to a rotating part of the power tool may result in personal injury.
- e) **Do not overreach. Keep proper footing and balance at all times.** This enables better control of the power tool in unexpected situations.
- f) **Dress properly. Do not wear loose clothing or jewellery. Keep your hair, clothing and gloves away from moving parts.** Loose clothes, jewellery or long hair can be caught in moving parts.

4) Power tool use and care

- a) **Do not force the power tool. Use the correct power tool for your application.** The correct power tool will do the job better and safer at the rate for which it was designed.
- b) **Do not use the power tool if the switch does not turn it on and off.** Any power tool that cannot be controlled with the switch is dangerous and must be repaired.

- c) **Disconnect the plug from the power source before making any adjustments, changing accessories, or storing power tools.** Such preventive safety measures reduce the risk of starting the power tool accidentally.
- d) **Store idle power tools out of the reach of children and do not allow persons unfamiliar with the power tool or these instructions to operate the power tool.** Power tools are dangerous in the hands of untrained users.
- e) **Maintain power tools. Check for misalignment or obstruction of moving parts, breakage of parts and any other condition that may affect the power tool's operation. If damaged, have the power tool repaired before use.** Many accidents are caused by poorly maintained power tools.
- f) **Keep cutting tools sharp and clean.** Properly maintained cutting tools with sharp cutting edges are less likely to become jammed and are easier to control.
- g) **Use the power tool, accessories and tool bits etc. in accordance with these instructions, taking into account the working conditions and the work to be performed.** Using the power tool for operations other than those intended could result in a hazardous situation.

5) Service

- a) **Have your power tool serviced by a qualified repair person using only identical**

replacement parts. This will ensure that the safety of the power tool is maintained.

ELECTRIC BLOWER / VACUUM SAFETY WARNINGS

A) TRAINING

1) Read the instructions carefully.

Become acquainted with the controls and the proper use of the machine. Learn how to stop the motor quickly.

2) Only use the machine for the purpose for which it was designed, namely

- the movement and accumulation, by blowing, of leaves, grass, debris of various limited weight and modest dimensions.
- Vacuum collection of leaves, grass, various debris of limited weight and modest dimensions, excluding liquids of any kind.

The machine must not be used for accumulation and collection of inflammable or explosive products, hot embers or combustion material without a flame, lit cigarettes, pieces of glass, sharp objects, metal objects, stones and any other object that could be dangerous to the operator and others.

Any other use may be dangerous and damage the machine.

3) Never allow children or persons unfamiliar with these instructions to use the machine. Local regulations can restrict the minimum age of the operator.

4) These machines can be used by children from 8 years old on up, and by people with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities or with a lack of experience and/or awareness, if they are controlled by someone or after being educated about how to use the machine safely and having understood the potential dangers. Children are forbidden to play with the machine. User cleaning and maintenance duties cannot be performed by children.

5) Never use the machine:

- if the user is tired or unwell, or has taken medicine, drugs, alcohol or any substances which may slow his reflexes and compromise his judgement.

6) If the machine is sold or lent to others, make sure that the operator looks over the user instructions contained in this manual.

7) Bear in mind that the operator or user is responsible for accidents or hazards occurring to other people or their property.

B) PRELIMINARY OPERATIONS

1) Always wear adequate clothing which does not hamper movements when using the machine.

- Always wear slim-fitting protective clothes, anti-vibration gloves, protective goggles, half-mask respirator, protective earplugs, anti-shear safety boots with non-slip soles. Do not operate the machine when barefoot or wearing open sandals.
- Never wear scarves, shirts, necklaces, bracelets, clothing

with flowing parts, laces or ties or any hanging or flapping accessory that could catch in the machine or in any objects or materials in the work area.

- Tie your hair back if it is long.

2) Before using the machine, carry out an accurate inspection of the machine's efficiency and in particular:

- the motor stop switch must easily move from one position to the other;

- the machine handgrips and protection devices must be clean and dry and well fastened to the machine;

- the guards must never be damaged;

- the rotor must never be damaged;

- the bag must never be damaged.

3) Thoroughly inspect the whole work area and remove anything that could be projected by the machine (when used as a blower) or block the vacuum tube (when used as vacuum collector) or be a hazardous source (stones, branches, iron wire, bones etc.).

C) OPERATION

1) Do not mount equipment or accessories on the machine not foreseen or approved by the manufacturer.

2) Mow only in daylight or good artificial light.

3) NEVER use the machine in bad weather conditions, especially in case of lightning danger.

4) Never use the machine:

- without mounting all the accessories foreseen for each use (as blower or vacuum collector);

- when people, especially children or pets are nearby;

- in confined spaces, in the presence of fumes, in an explosive environment or close to inflammable materials or electrical equipment.

5) Take on a firm and well-balanced position:

- where possible, avoid working on wet, slippery ground or in any case on uneven or steep ground that does not guarantee stability for the operator;

- never run, but walk carefully paying attention to the lay of the ground and any eventual obstacles;

- assess the potential risks of the ground to be mown and take all necessary precautions to ensure your own safety, especially on slopes or on bumpy, slippery or unstable ground.

6) Make sure the machine is securely locked when you start the motor:

- check that there is nobody within at least 15 metres of the machine's range of action;

7) Do not strain the machine too much and do not use a small machine for heavy-duty works. If you use the right machine, you will reduce the risk of hazards and improve the quality of your work.

8) Ensure the machine does not come into contact with foreign bodies and possible flying debris and dust being thrown up by the air; do not direct the air jet in the direction of people or animals.

9) Never insert objects into the vacuum inlet (when being used as vacuum collector) and avoid the intake of large objects that could damage the rotor.

10) During use keep your hands well away from the intake grille

and from the air outlet and do not obstruct the air vents.

11) Stop the motor:

- when mounting or removing accessories for blowing or collecting;
- whenever you leave the machine unattended;
- during movements between work areas.

12) Stop the motor and unplug the power cable (making sure that all moving parts are stationary):

- when transporting the machine;
- whenever you leave the machine unattended;
- before cleaning, checking or working on the machine;
- after the intake of a foreign body. Inspect the machine for any damage and make repairs before restarting it again;
- if the machine starts to vibrate abnormally;
- when the machine is not in use.

13) To avoid the risk of fire, do not leave the machine with the motor hot on leaves, dry grass or other inflammable material.

14) - Keep the cable behind and away from the machine.

- If a cable is damaged during use, immediately disconnect it from the network. **DO NOT TOUCH THE CABLE UNTIL IT IS DISCONNECTED FROM THE NETWORK.**
- Never blow dirt in other people's direction.

D) MAINTENANCE AND STORAGE

1) Keep all nuts, bolts and screws tight to be sure the equipment is in safe working condition. Routine maintenance is essential for safety and for maintaining a high

performance level.

2) Do not perform any work on the machine that is not described in this manual unless adequately skilled with appropriate tools.

3) Allow the motor to cool down before storing in any enclosure.

4) To reduce fire risks, do not leave containers with debris inside a room.

5) Wear work gloves when performing all maintenance.

6) For safety reasons, never use the machine with worn or damaged parts. Damaged parts are to be replaced and never repaired. Only use original spare parts. Parts that are not of the same quality can seriously damage the equipment and compromise safety.

7) Before putting the machine away, check you have removed wrenches or tools used for maintenance.

8) Store the machine out of the reach of children.

9) Often inspect the bag to avoid wear and a decrease in quality.

10) Never attempt to bypass the locking function of the protective device.

E) ADDITIONAL WARNINGS

1) Before each use, check the machine for damage. Any repairs must be done at a specialised centre. Turn off the machine and disconnect the plug from the socket if the machine begins to vibrate abnormally, then contact a specialised centre for inspection.

2) Parts subject to wear must only be replaced at a specialised centre.

3) Never use the machine if the power cable or extension cable

are damaged or worn.

4) Never connect a damaged cable to a mains socket and never touch a damaged cable that is connected to the mains socket. Damaged or deteriorated cables may cause contact with energized parts.

5) If the machine's power cable is damaged, it can only be replaced with an original spare part by your dealer or an authorised service centre.

6) Power up the machine using a differential switch (RCD - Residual Current Device) with a tripping current of max. 30 mA.

7) The permanent connection of any electrical equipment to the mains of a building must be installed by a qualified electrician in conformity with the regulations in force. Incorrect wiring can cause serious injury and even death.

8) **WARNING: DANGER!** Moisture and electricity are not compatible:

- always handle and connect electric cables in dry conditions;
- never allow electric sockets or cables to contact wet areas (puddles or wet grass);
- connections between cables and sockets must always be watertight. Only use extension leads with intact, watertight and approved sockets sold on the market.

9) The quality of the extension leads must be no less than H07RN-F or H07VV-F, with a minimum section of 1.5 mm² and a recommended maximum length of 25 m.

10) Attach the extension lead to the cable fastener before starting the machine.

11) Never pass the vacuum

tube over an electric cable. Use the cable fastener to prevent the cable from disconnecting accidentally as indicated in this manual. Make sure it is connected to the socket without being forced.

12) Never pull the machine by its power cable or use the cable to pull the plug. Do not expose the cable to sources of heat, or let it come into contact with oil, solvents and sharp objects.

13) Do not touch any moving parts before the machine has been disconnected from the power supply and the movable dangerous parts have come to a standstill.

F) TRANSPORTATION AND HANDLING

1) Whenever the machine is to be handled or transported you must:

- turn off the motor;
- only hold the machine using the handgrips and position the tubes so that they do not obstruct.

2) When moving the machine by motor vehicle, remove the pipes and position so it is not a hazard for anyone and secure it firmly to prevent it from turning over.

G) ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

1) Dispose of the packaging and waste materials in accordance with the local laws in force.

2) At the time of decommissioning, do not pollute the environment with the machine, hand it over to a disposal centre, in accordance with the local laws in force.

4. PREPARE THE MACHINE

The machine can be used as both a blower and a vacuum collector; for both of these uses it is necessary to correctly arrange the appropriate accessories included with the equipment.

⚠ WARNING *Unpacking and completing the assembly should be done on a flat and stable surface, with enough space for moving the machine and its packaging, always making use of suitable equipment.*

Disposal of the packaging should be done in accordance with the local regulations in force.

1. TO USE AS A BLOWER (Fig. 1)

- Apply the safety grid (1) to the power unit (2), in the position indicated, then turn it clockwise towards the fastener screw and continue tightening until firmly fastened to the system and the safety switch is enabled.
- Align the blower tube (5) to the opening of the power unit and push it to the end until it firmly locks into place.

NOTE *Assembly is correct when the flat part of the blower chute is pointed towards the ground.*

- To remove the blower tube (5) press the tab (6) on the bottom part.

2. TO USE AS A VACUUM COLLECTOR (Fig. 2)

- Remove the safety grid (if assembled) following the assembly instructions in the reverse order.

Then:

- Align the compartment of the first vacuum tube (1) with the protrusion (2) of the second tube and push it to the end so that the two tubes are firmly united.
- Apply the upper part (with the handle) of the first tube (1) to the power unit (3), in the position indicated, then turn it clockwise towards the fastener screw and continue tightening until firmly fastened to the system.
- Align the bag fitting tube (6) to the opening of the power unit and push it to the end until it firmly locks into place.
- Fasten the clasp (7) of the bag to the specific fitting (8) found on the second tube.

- To remove the bag, press the tab (9) on the bottom part of the fitting tube and unfasten the clasp (7).

5. PREPARING TO WORK

1. CHECKING THE MACHINE

⚠ WARNING *Make sure the machine is not plugged into the mains socket.*

Before starting work please:

- check that the mains frequency and voltage is the same as the rating data on the "Identification Plate" (see chap. 1 - 2.7).
- check that the switch lever moves freely without being forced, and when released, it returns automatically and quickly to the neutral position;
- check that the cooling air vents are not obstructed;
- check that the power cable and extension lead are not damaged;
- check that handgrips and protection devices are clean and dry, correctly mounted and well fastened to the machine;
- check that the machine is not showing signs of wear or damage due to knocks or other causes,

and carry out the necessary repairs.

- when used as a vacuum collector, make sure the bag is integral, well-closed and that the zipper works correctly;
- prepare accessories according to the type of work (as blower or vacuum collector) and make sure they are correctly mounted;

2. ELECTRICAL CONNECTIONS

⚠ DANGER! *Electricity and moisture are not compatible.*

- *Always handle and connect electric cables in dry conditions.*
- *Keep electric sockets or cables away from wet and damp areas (e.g. puddles or wet ground).*
- *Power the machine using a residual current device (RCD Residual Current Device) with max. 30 mA tripping current.*

The quality of the extension leads must be no less than H07RN-F or H07VV-F, with a minimum section of 1.5 mm and a recommended maximum length of 30 m.

To avoid overheating, do not keep the extension lead rolled up during use.

⚠ DANGER! *The permanent connection of any electrical equipment to the mains of a building must be installed by a qualified electrician in conformity with the regulations in force. Incorrect wiring can cause serious injury and even death.*

6. HOW TO START - USE - STOP THE MOTOR

STARTING THE MOTOR (Fig. 3)

Before starting the motor::

- Fasten the extension lead (1) to the cable clamp on the rear handgrip.
- FIRST connect the power cable plug (2) to the extension lead (3) and THEN plug the extension lead into the mains socket (4).
- Make sure there is enough free space around the machine.

To start up the motor:

1. Grasp the machine securely.
2. Operate the switch (5 - ON).

USING THE MOTOR (Fig. 3)

Rotor rpm must be proportionate to the type of work and regulated with a roller (6) located on the handgrip.

STOPPING THE MOTOR (Fig. 3)

To stop the motor:

- Release the switch (5 - OFF).
- FIRST unplug the extension lead (3) from the mains socket (4) and THEN disconnect the power cable (2) of the machine from the extension lead (3).

7. USING THE MACHINE

To respect people and the environment:

- Try not to cause any disturbance.
- Scrupulously comply with local regulations and provisions for the disposal of waste materials after work.
- Scrupulously comply with local regulations and provisions for the disposal of oils, petrol, damaged parts or any elements which have a strong impact on the environment.

generates an average sized electromagnetic field, but it is not possible to exclude the possibility of interference with any active or passive medical devices that operators may be using, with possible ensuing serious risks for health. All those using medical devices should always consult their GP, or the device manufacturer, before using this machine.

⚠ WARNING! *For your safety and that of others:*

⚠ WARNING! *Prolonged exposure to vibrations can cause injuries and neurovascular disorders (also called "Raynaud's syndrome" or "white hand"), especially to people suffering from circulation disorders. The symptoms can regard the hands, wrists and fingers and are shown through loss of sensitivity, torpor, itching, pain and discolouring of or structural changes to the skin. These effects can be worsened by low ambient temperatures and/or by gripping the handgrips excessively tightly. If the symptoms occur, the length of time the machine is used must be reduced and a doctor consulted*

⚠ DANGER! *This machine's motor ge-*

- 1) *Do not use the machine without having read the instructions carefully. Become acquainted with the controls and the proper use of the machine. Learn how to stop the motor quickly.*
- 2) *Residual risks: even all the safety rule are obeyed, there still can be a certain residual risk, which cannot be excluded. From the kind and construction of the tool the foreseeable potential endangerments can be:*
 - *Hurled materials that may injure the eyes;*
 - *Damage of the hearing, if no protection of the ears is carried.*

3) *Keep in mind that the operator or user is responsible for accidents or hazards occurring to other people or their property.*

4) *Always wear suitable clothing when using*

the machine. Your dealer can provide you with all the information on the most suitable accident-prevention devices to guarantee your safety.

5) *Mow only in daylight or good artificial light.*

6) *Do not let the vacuum tube suck up the electric cord. Use the cable clamp to prevent the extension lead from disconnecting accidentally. Make sure it is connected to the socket without being forced. Never touch a live electric cable if it is poorly insulated. If the extension lead gets damaged during use, do not touch the cable and unplug the extension lead immediately.*

7) *Stop the motor and unplug the machine from the mains:*

- *whenever you leave the machine unattended;*
- *before cleaning, checking or working on the machine;*
- *if the machine starts to vibrate abnormally: find the cause of the vibration immediately and have it inspected at a Specialised Centre;*
- *when the machine is not in use.*

• *Fasten the snap hook on the support strap (1) to the power unit and adjust the length (Fig. 4).*

1. USE AS A BLOWER (Fig. 5)

⚠ WARNING *The machine must always be firmly gripped with your right hand on the upper handgrip during work. Use the shoulder harness.*

Motor speed should be adjusted to the type of material to be removed:

- use the motor at low speed for lightweight material and small bushes on the lawn;
- use the motor at average speed to move grass and lightweight leaves on pavement or solid ground;
- use the motor at high speed for heavier materials like fresh snow or voluminous dirt.

⚠ WARNING *Always pay the utmost attention to prevent removed material or dust from injuring people or animals or damaging property. Always assess wind direction and never work against the wind.*

2. USE AS A VACUUM COLLECTOR (Fig. 6)

⚠ WARNING *When working, the machine must always be firmly held in both hands, with the left hand on the upper handgrip and the right hand on the handgrip incorporated in the vacuum tube, so that the bag is on the operator's right. Use the shoulder harness.*

When used as a vacuum collector, it is best to use the motor at average/high speed.

During collection, keep the rounded end of the tube a few centimetres off the ground.

The bag also works as a filter similar to a common home vacuum. For this reason it is best that:

- it is always free to expand and the support strap not tangled;
- it is not fully filled;
- collected objects that could jeopardise integrity are promptly removed.

To empty the bag:

- switch the motor off;
- unfasten the bag from the tube and power unit;
- open the zipper (1) and empty the bag.

⚠ IMPORTANT *When used as a vacuum collector not collect damp grass or leaves to avoid clogging the rotor and coil.*

⚠ IMPORTANT *A too full bag reduces machine efficiency and could cause the motor to over-heat.*

3. END OF OPERATIONS

When you have finished your work:

- Switch off the motor as indicated above (Chap. 6).
- Empty the bag if used as a vacuum collector.

8. MAINTENANCE AND STORAGE

⚠ WARNING For your safety and that of others:

- After each use, disconnect the machine from the mains and check for damage.
- Correct maintenance is essential to maintain the original efficiency and safety of the machine over time.
- Keep all nuts, bolts and screws tight to be sure the equipment is in safe working condition.
- Never use the machine with worn or damaged parts. Damaged parts are to be replaced and never repaired.
- Only use original spare parts. Parts that are not of the same quality can seriously damage the equipment and compromise safety.

⚠ WARNING During maintenance operations unplug the machine from the mains.

1. MOTOR COOLING

To avoid overheating and damage to the motor, always keep the cooling air vents clean and free of sawdust and debris.

2. ELECTRIC CABLES

⚠ WARNING Check the condition of the electric cables regularly and replace them if they are worn or their insulation looks damaged.

If the electric cable is damaged, have it replaced with a genuine spare part by a qualified technician.

3. EXTRAORDINARY MAINTENANCE

All maintenance operations not foreseen in this manual must be performed exclusively by your dealer.

All and any operations performed in unauthorised centres or by unqualified persons will totally invalidate the warranty.

4. STORAGE

After every work stint, clean the machine thoroughly to remove all dust and debris, and repair or replace any faulty parts.

The machine must be stored in a dry place away from the elements and out of the reach of children.

9. TROUBLESHOOTING

PROBLEM	LIKELY CAUSE	SOLUTION
1) The motor will not start or will not keep running	- No electric power	- Check the power connections
	- Intake grille missing or improperly assembled	- Assemble and fasten the intake grille properly (chap. 4.1)
	- Vacuum tube missing or improperly assembled	- Assemble and fasten the vacuum tube properly (chap. 4.2)
2) The motor runs irregularly and lacks in power when revved	- Bag full or clogged	- Empty the bag (see chap. 7)

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(Direttiva Macchine 2006/42/CE, Allegato II, parte A)

1. La Società: ST. S.p.A. – Via del Lavoro, 6 – 31033 Castelfranco Veneto (TV) – Italy

2. Dichiaro sotto la propria responsabilità, che la macchina:

Soffiatore-Aspiratore portatile da giardino/soffiatura-aspirazione

a) Tipo / Modello Base:	BL 2.6 E
c) Numero di Serie:	23A**BLO000001 ÷ 99L**BLO999999
d) Motore:	elettrico

3. E' conforme alle specifiche delle direttive:

- MD: 2006/42/EC
- OND: 2000/14/EC, ANNEX V - 2005/88/EC
- EMCD: 2014/30/EU
- RoHS II : 2011/65/EU - 2015/863/EU

4 Riferimento alle Norme armonizzate:

EN 60335-1:2012+A13:2017
EN 50636-2-100:2014
EN 62233:2008
EN 55014-1:2017
EN 55014-2:2015
EN 61000-3-2:2014
EN 61000-3-3:2013
EN IEC 63000:2018

g) Livello di potenza sonora misurato:	95 dB(A)
h) Livello di potenza sonora garantito:	98 dB(A)
k) Flusso d'aria:	0.117 m³/s

n) Persona autorizzata a costituire il Fascicolo Tecnico:	ST. S.p.A. Via del Lavoro, 6 31033 Castelfranco Veneto (TV) - Italia
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UK DECLARATION OF CONFORMITY

(Supply of Machinery (Safety) Regulations 2008, S.I. 2008 No. 1597, Annex II, part A)

1 The company: ST. S.p.A – Via del Lavoro, 6 – 31033 Castelfranco Veneto (TV) – Italy

2 Hereby declares under its own responsibility that the machine (function):

: Hand-held garden Blower-Vacuum / blowing / suction

a) Homologation type:	BL 2.6 E
c) Serial number:	23A**BLO000001 + 99L**BLO999999
d) Engine:	electric-operated

3. Conforms to UK Regulations:

- S.I. 2008/1597 - Supply of Machinery (Safety) Regulations 2008
- S.I. 2001/1701 - Schedule 8 - Noise Emission in the Environment by Equipment for use Outdoors Regulations 2001
- S.I. 2016/1091 - Electromagnetic Compatibility Regulations 2016
- S.I. 2012/3032 - The Restriction of the Use of Certain Hazardous Substances in Electrical and Electronic Equipment Regulations 2012

4 Reference to harmonised standards:

EN 60335-1:2012+A13:2017
EN 50636-2-1:00:2014
EN 62233:2008
EN 55014-1:2017
EN 55014-2:2015
EN 61000-3-2:2014
EN 61000-3-3:2013
EN IEC 63000:2018

g) Measured sound power level:	95 dB(A)
h) Guaranteed sound power level:	98 dB(A)
k) Flow of air:	0.117 m ³ /s

n) Person authorised to compile the technical file:	ST. S.p.A Via del Lavoro, 6 31033 Castelfranco Veneto (TV) - Italia
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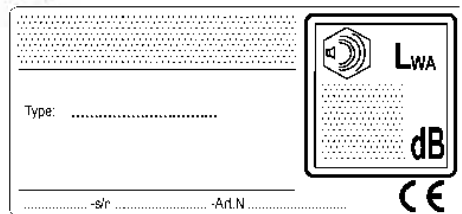
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