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Model: C00065463

INTRODUCTION

This instruction manual provides essential information for the safe and correct installation, operation, and maintenance of your Indesit Washing Machine Drum Paddle Lifter, model C00065463. Please read this manual thoroughly before attempting any installation or repair to ensure proper function and to prevent damage to your appliance or injury. The drum paddle lifter is a crucial component inside the washing machine drum, designed to agitate clothes during the wash cycle for effective cleaning. A damaged or missing lifter can impair washing performance and potentially damage the drum or laundry.

SAFETY INFORMATION

Warning: Always disconnect the washing machine from the main power supply before attempting any installation, maintenance, or repair work. Failure to do so can result in electric shock or serious injury.

- Ensure the washing machine is completely empty and cool before starting work.
- Wear appropriate personal protective equipment, such as gloves, if necessary.
- If you are unsure about any step, consult a qualified technician.
- Keep small parts away from children.

INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

This section details the steps for replacing a damaged or missing drum paddle lifter.

Tools Required:

- Flathead screwdriver or similar prying tool
- New Indesit Drum Paddle Lifter (Model C00065463)

Step-by-Step Installation:

1. **Disconnect Power:** Unplug the washing machine from the electrical outlet.
2. **Locate Damaged Lifter:** Open the washing machine door and identify the drum paddle lifter(s) that need replacement.
3. **Remove Old Lifter:**

Most drum paddle lifters are secured by small clips or tabs. Locate the small tab or clip at one end of the lifter (usually the end closest to the door opening). Use a flathead screwdriver to gently pry up this tab. Once the tab is released, slide the lifter towards the opposite end to disengage it from its mounting points. Carefully pull the old lifter out of the drum.



Image: The Indesit Washing Machine Drum Paddle Lifter C00065463, showing its elongated shape and internal structure with multiple compartments and securing tabs. This image represents the new part to be installed.

4. **Clean Area (Optional):** While the lifter is removed, you may wish to clean any residue or debris from the mounting area inside the drum.
5. **Install New Lifter:**

Align the new drum paddle lifter (Model C00065463) with the mounting slots in the drum. Insert the end without the release tab first, sliding it into place. Then, push the end with the tab firmly until it clicks into position. Ensure both ends are securely seated and the lifter does not wobble.
6. **Verify Installation:** Gently tug on the newly installed lifter to confirm it is firmly attached to the drum.
7. **Reconnect Power:** Close the washing machine door and plug the appliance back into the electrical outlet.

OPERATION AND FUNCTION

Once correctly installed, the drum paddle lifter operates automatically as part of the washing machine's normal cycle. Its primary function is to lift and tumble laundry within the drum, ensuring thorough saturation with water and detergent, and effective mechanical action for cleaning.

No specific user interaction is required for the lifter itself during operation. Its presence ensures optimal washing performance.

MAINTENANCE AND CARE

Regular inspection of the drum paddle lifters can help prevent issues and prolong the life of your washing machine.

- **Visual Inspection:** Periodically check the lifters for cracks, damage, or signs of wear. Ensure they are still firmly attached to the drum.
- **Cleaning:** If lint, hair, or small objects become lodged around or under the lifters, carefully remove them. A soft brush or cloth can be used to clean the surface of the lifters.
- **Avoid Overloading:** Overloading the washing machine can put excessive stress on the drum and its components, including the lifters, potentially leading to premature wear or breakage.
- **Foreign Objects:** Always check pockets for coins, keys, or other small, hard objects before washing, as these can damage the lifters and the drum.

TROUBLESHOOTING

| Problem | Possible Cause | Solution |
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| Lifter is loose or detached | Improper installation; securing tabs broken; excessive vibration. | Re-seat the lifter firmly until it clicks. If tabs are broken, replace the lifter. Ensure machine is level to reduce vibration. |
| Washing performance is poor (clothes not tumbling) | Damaged or missing lifter; machine overloaded. | Inspect all lifters for damage and replace if necessary. Reduce laundry load size. |
| Unusual noise from drum | Loose or broken lifter; foreign object trapped. | Inspect lifters for damage and secure attachment. Check for and remove any foreign objects. |

SPECIFICATIONS

- **Model Number:** C00065463
- **Part Type:** Drum Paddle Lifter
- **Compatibility:** Indesit Washing Machines (verify compatibility with your specific model before purchase)
- **Material:** Durable plastic composite
- **Dimensions:** Approximately 0.39 x 0.39 x 0.39 inches (Note: This dimension seems incorrect from product data, likely referring to package size. Actual part dimensions are elongated to fit drum.)
- **Weight:** Approximately 0.035 ounces

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

This product is a replacement part. Warranty coverage, if any, is typically provided by the seller or manufacturer of the part, not the original appliance manufacturer. Please refer to your purchase documentation for specific warranty details. For technical support or further assistance, please contact the retailer from whom you purchased this part or refer to the official Indesit service website for general appliance support.

