

Hoover F5912900

Hoover F5912-900 TurboPower 5200 SteamVac Carpet Cleaner User Manual

INTRODUCTION

Welcome to the user manual for your Hoover F5912-900 TurboPower 5200 SteamVac Carpet Cleaner with Clean Surge. This manual provides essential information for the safe and efficient operation, maintenance, and troubleshooting of your appliance. Please read all instructions carefully before use to ensure optimal performance and longevity of your carpet cleaner.

IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

When using an electrical appliance, basic precautions should always be followed to reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, and injury.

- Read all instructions before using this appliance.
- Use only as described in this manual. Use only Hoover cleaning solutions recommended for this machine.
- Do not leave appliance when plugged in. Unplug from outlet when not in use and before cleaning or servicing.
- Do not allow to be used as a toy. Close attention is necessary when used by or near children.
- Do not use with damaged cord or plug. If appliance is not working as it should, has been dropped, damaged, left outdoors, or dropped into water, return it to a service center.
- 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 appliance over cord. Keep cord away from heated surfaces.
- Do not unplug by pulling on cord. To unplug, grasp the plug, not the cord.
- Do not handle plug or appliance with wet hands.
- Do not put any object into openings. Do not use with any opening blocked; keep free of dust, lint, hair, and anything that may reduce air flow.
- Keep hair, loose clothing, fingers, and all parts of body away from openings and moving parts.
- Turn off all controls before unplugging.
- Use extra care when cleaning on stairs.
- Do not use to pick up flammable or combustible liquids, such as gasoline, or use in areas where they may be present.
- Connect to a properly grounded outlet only. See grounding instructions.

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

This section identifies the main components of your Hoover F5912-900 TurboPower 5200 SteamVac.



Image: The Hoover F5912-900 TurboPower 5200 SteamVac Carpet Cleaner, showing its upright design with the clean water tank visible at the front and the dirty water tank at the rear. The handle and main body are dark gray with blue accents. This image illustrates the overall appearance and primary components of the unit.

Key Components:

- **Clean Water Tank:** Holds clean water and cleaning solution.
- **Dirty Water Recovery Tank:** Collects extracted dirty water.
- **Nozzle Assembly:** Sprays solution and extracts dirty water from the carpet.
- **Handle Release Pedal:** Allows the handle to recline for operation.
- **Power Cord Hook:** For convenient cord storage.
- **Clean Surge™ Button:** Provides an extra burst of cleaning solution for heavily soiled areas.
- **Accessory Hose Port:** For connecting the hose and upholstery tool.

SETUP

Unpacking and Assembly

1. Carefully remove the carpet cleaner and all packing materials from the box.
2. Insert the handle assembly into the main unit until it clicks securely into place. Ensure all connections are firm.

Filling the Clean Water Tank

1. Remove the clean water tank from the front of the unit.
2. Unscrew the cap and fill the tank with hot tap water (do not use boiling water).
3. Add the recommended amount of Hoover cleaning solution to the tank, following the solution bottle's instructions.
4. Securely replace the cap and reinsert the clean water tank into the unit until it locks into position.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Preparing the Area

1. Thoroughly vacuum the carpet to remove loose dirt and debris.
2. Move furniture out of the area to be cleaned.
3. Test the cleaning solution on an inconspicuous area of the carpet for colorfastness before full application.

Carpet Cleaning

1. Plug the power cord into a grounded electrical outlet.
2. Press the power switch to turn on the machine.
3. Press the handle release pedal to recline the handle.
4. Make slow, overlapping forward and backward passes over the carpet while pressing the trigger to apply cleaning solution.
5. For heavily soiled areas, press the **Clean Surge™** button for an extra burst of cleaning solution.
6. Release the trigger and make additional slow, overlapping passes to extract the dirty water and aid in drying.
7. Continue cleaning until the dirty water tank is full or the clean water tank is empty.

Using Attachments (Hose and Upholstery Tool)

1. Ensure the machine is off and unplugged before attaching the hose.
2. Open the accessory hose port cover and firmly insert the hose until it clicks.
3. Attach the desired cleaning tool (e.g., upholstery tool) to the end of the hose.
4. Plug in and turn on the machine. Press the trigger on the tool to spray solution and scrub the surface.
5. Release the trigger and apply downward pressure to extract liquid.
6. When finished, turn off and unplug the machine, then remove the hose and tool.

MAINTENANCE

Emptying and Cleaning the Dirty Water Tank

1. Turn off and unplug the machine.
2. Remove the dirty water recovery tank from the unit.
3. Unlatch the lid and carefully pour out the dirty water into a sink or drain.
4. Rinse the tank and lid thoroughly with clean water to remove any residue. Allow to air dry before reassembling.

Cleaning the Nozzle and Brushes

1. After each use, check the nozzle for any debris or clogs. If removable, rinse under running water.
2. Inspect the rotating brushes for tangled hair or fibers. Use scissors to carefully cut and remove any obstructions.

Storage

1. Ensure both the clean and dirty water tanks are empty and clean.
2. Wrap the power cord neatly around the cord hooks.
3. Store the carpet cleaner upright in a dry, clean area, away from extreme temperatures.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
No Spray	Clean water tank empty or not seated correctly. Nozzle clogged.	Refill clean water tank. Ensure tank is firmly in place. Clean nozzle for obstructions.
Poor Suction	Dirty water tank full or lid not sealed. Clog in hose or nozzle.	Empty dirty water tank. Ensure lid is securely latched. Check and clear any clogs.
Machine Not Turning On	Power cord not connected. No power at outlet.	Check power cord connection to outlet. Test outlet with another appliance. Check circuit breaker.

SPECIFICATIONS

- **Model:** F5912900
- **Brand:** Hoover
- **Item Weight:** 47 pounds
- **Power:** 120V, 60Hz (Standard for US appliances)
- **Clean Water Tank Capacity:** Approximately 1 gallon
- **Dirty Water Tank Capacity:** Approximately 1 gallon

WARRANTY INFORMATION

Your Hoover F5912-900 TurboPower 5200 SteamVac Carpet Cleaner is covered by a limited warranty. For specific details regarding warranty coverage, duration, and terms, please refer to the warranty card included with your product or visit the official Hoover website. Keep your purchase receipt as proof of purchase for warranty claims.

CUSTOMER SUPPORT

For technical assistance, replacement parts, or service inquiries, please contact Hoover Customer Service. You can find contact information on the Hoover website or in the documentation included with your product.

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