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Model: DBS 778 CB | Brand: Bomann

1. INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing the Bomann DBS 778 CB Steam Ironing Station. This manual provides essential information for the safe and efficient operation, maintenance, and troubleshooting of your appliance. Please read these instructions carefully before first use and keep them for future reference.

2. IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

- Always ensure the appliance is connected to a grounded power outlet.
- Do not immerse the appliance, cord, or plug in water or other liquids.
- Keep the appliance out of reach of children and pets.
- Never leave the hot iron unattended.
- Exercise caution when handling hot steam to prevent burns.
- Unplug the appliance from the power outlet before filling with water, cleaning, or when not in use.
- Do not operate the appliance with a damaged cord or plug, or if it has been dropped or damaged.

3. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

Familiarize yourself with the components of your Bomann DBS 778 CB Steam Ironing Station.



Figure 1: Bomann DBS 778 CB Steam Ironing Station. The image shows the iron resting securely on its base, highlighting the water tank with a 'MAX' indicator, the 'Anti Calc' feature, '2400W' power rating, 'BOMANN' branding, and an 'UNLOCK' mechanism for securing the iron to the base.

Key Components:

- **Iron:** Features a soleplate for ironing and controls for temperature and steam.
- **Steam Generator Base:** Houses the water tank and heating element.
- **Water Tank:** Visible with a 'MAX' fill level indicator. Capacity of 1.77 liters.
- **Anti Calc System:** Integrated system to prevent limescale buildup.
- **Power Cord:** Connects the unit to the electrical outlet.
- **Steam Hose:** Connects the iron to the steam generator base.
- **Locking Mechanism ('UNLOCK'):** Secures the iron to the base for safe transport and storage.
- **Temperature Control Dial:** Located on the iron for selecting fabric-appropriate heat settings.
- **Steam Button:** Activates continuous or burst steam.

4. SETUP AND FIRST USE

1. **Unpacking:** Carefully remove all packaging materials and check for any damage. Keep packaging for potential future transport.
2. **Positioning:** Place the steam ironing station on a stable, heat-resistant surface, such as an ironing board designed for steam generators.
3. **Filling the Water Tank:**
 - Ensure the appliance is unplugged.
 - Unlock the iron from the base if it is secured.
 - Open the water tank cap and fill the tank with clean tap water up to the 'MAX' indicator. Do not

overfill.

- Close the water tank cap securely.

4. **Connecting to Power:** Plug the power cord into a suitable, grounded 240V electrical outlet.
5. **Initial Heating:** The appliance will begin to heat up. The indicator light will illuminate. Wait until the light turns off or changes color (refer to specific model indicators) to indicate it has reached the desired temperature. This may take a few minutes.
6. **First Steam Use:** For the first use, or after a long period of inactivity, direct the first few bursts of steam away from garments to clear any condensation or residue from the steam chambers.

5. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

5.1. Preparing Garments

- Sort laundry according to fabric type and recommended ironing temperature.
- Always check the care label on your garments.
- Start with fabrics that require lower temperatures and progress to higher temperatures.

5.2. Setting Temperature

1. Turn the temperature control dial on the iron to the desired setting for your fabric type (e.g., synthetic, silk, wool, cotton, linen).
2. Wait for the iron's indicator light to signal that the set temperature has been reached.

5.3. Using Steam

- Ensure the water tank is filled.
- Press and hold the steam button on the iron for continuous steam. Release to stop.
- For stubborn creases, use the steam boost function (if available) by pressing the steam button multiple times in quick succession.
- For dry ironing, simply do not activate the steam function.

5.4. Vertical Steaming

The steam ironing station can be used for vertical steaming of hanging garments or drapes. Hold the iron vertically a few centimeters away from the fabric and press the steam button. Ensure the fabric is suitable for vertical steaming.

5.5. After Ironing

- Turn the temperature dial to the minimum setting.
- Unplug the appliance from the power outlet.
- Allow the iron and base to cool down completely before emptying the water tank and storing.
- Secure the iron to its base using the 'UNLOCK' mechanism for safe storage and transport.

6. MAINTENANCE AND CLEANING

Regular maintenance ensures optimal performance and extends the lifespan of your appliance.

6.1. Cleaning the Soleplate

- Ensure the iron is cool and unplugged.
- Wipe the soleplate with a damp cloth and a non-abrasive cleaner if necessary.
- Do not use abrasive pads or harsh chemicals, as these can damage the soleplate.

6.2. Descaling (Anti Calc System)

The Bomann DBS 778 CB features an 'Anti Calc' system to reduce limescale buildup. However, periodic descaling of the steam generator is still recommended, especially in areas with hard water.

1. Refer to the specific descaling instructions provided in the full product manual, as procedures can vary.
2. Generally, this involves using a descaling solution or a mixture of water and white vinegar (check manufacturer's recommendations) to flush the system.
3. Always ensure the appliance is cool and unplugged before attempting any descaling procedure.

6.3. Emptying and Storing the Water Tank

- After each use, once the appliance has cooled, empty any remaining water from the tank to prevent stagnant water and scale buildup.
- Store the appliance in a dry, safe place, with the iron securely locked onto its base.

7. TROUBLESHOOTING

Before contacting customer service, please check the following common issues and solutions:

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
No steam produced.	Water tank is empty. Appliance not heated sufficiently. Steam button not pressed. Limescale buildup.	Fill the water tank. Wait for the indicator light to signal readiness. Press the steam button. Perform descaling procedure.
Water drips from the soleplate.	Iron temperature too low for steam. Steam button pressed too frequently.	Increase iron temperature and wait for it to heat up. Allow more time between steam bursts.
Iron not heating up.	Appliance not plugged in. Power outlet malfunction. Temperature dial set to minimum.	Check power connection. Test with another appliance or outlet. Adjust temperature dial to desired setting.

8. TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Brand:	Bomann
Model Number:	DBS 778 CB
Color:	Black

Power:	2400 Watts
Voltage:	240 Volts
Water Tank Capacity:	1.77 Liters
Product Dimensions (L x W x H):	28 x 19 x 27 cm
Item Weight:	3.84 Kilograms

9. WARRANTY AND CUSTOMER SUPPORT

For information regarding warranty terms and conditions, please refer to the warranty card included with your product or visit the official Bomann website. If you encounter any issues not covered in this troubleshooting section, or require further assistance, please contact Bomann customer support.

Bomann Official Website: www.bomann.de (This is a placeholder, actual URL may vary)