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Model: 1940A

INTRODUCTION

The Bissell Power Fresh Steam Mop, Model 1940A, is designed to provide superior steam cleaning for sealed hard floors. It effectively eliminates 99.9% of germs and bacteria using the natural power of steam, without the need for harsh chemicals. This manual provides comprehensive instructions for the setup, operation, maintenance, and troubleshooting of your steam mop.



The Bissell Power Fresh Steam Mop, ready for use.

IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

Please read all instructions before using your BISSELL Power Fresh Steam Mop. Failure to follow these instructions may result in electric shock, fire, or serious injury.

- Always connect to a properly grounded outlet.
- Unplug from outlet when not in use and before conducting maintenance or troubleshooting.
- Do not leave the steam mop unattended when plugged in.
- Do not direct steam at people, animals, or electrical outlets.
- Do not immerse in water or liquid.
- Use only as described in this manual.
- Use only manufacturer's recommended attachments.
- Do not use with damaged cord or plug.
- 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.

- Keep cord away from heated surfaces.
- Do not use on unsealed hardwood floors.
- Do not use for space heating purposes.
- Do not use in areas where flammable or combustible liquids may be present.
- Do not use without mop pads in place.
- Do not allow to be used as a toy. Close attention is necessary when used by or near children.

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Bissell Power Fresh Steam Mop comes with several components designed for effective cleaning:

- Bissell Power Fresh Steam Mop Unit
- (1) Microfiber Soft Pad: Ideal for everyday cleaning on delicate surfaces.
- (1) Microfiber Scrubby Pad: Designed for tackling tougher, dried-on messes.
- (2) Spring Breeze Fragrance Discs: For a fresh, clean scent during steaming.
- Carpet Glider: Allows for refreshing carpets (not for cleaning).

Includes:



1 SOFT PAD



1 SCRUBBY PAD



2 SCENT DISCS



1 CARPET GLIDER

All components included with your Power Fresh Steam Mop.

SETUP

1. Assembling the Steam Mop

Your Power Fresh Steam Mop requires minimal assembly. Simply connect the handle to the main body until it clicks securely into place.

2. Filling the Water Tank

The water tank is located on the front of the unit. To fill:

1. Remove the water tank from the unit by lifting it straight up.
2. Unscrew the cap at the bottom of the water tank.
3. Fill the tank with distilled or demineralized water. Do not use cleaning solutions or essential oils in the water tank.
4. Replace the cap securely and place the water tank back into the unit, ensuring it clicks into place.

3. Attaching Mop Pads and Fragrance Discs

To attach a mop pad:

1. Select either the soft pad or the scrubby pad based on your cleaning needs.
2. Align the mop pad with the bottom of the mop head and press firmly to attach it using the hook and loop fasteners.
3. (Optional) For a fresh scent, insert a Spring Breeze Fragrance Disc into the small pocket on the mop pad before attaching it.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

1. Powering On and Steam Control

Once the water tank is filled and the mop pad is attached:

1. Plug the power cord into a grounded electrical outlet. The SmartSet Digital Steam Control will illuminate.
2. Wait approximately 30 seconds for the unit to heat up. The indicator light will stop blinking and become solid when ready.
3. Press the "Steam Level" button to cycle through the three steam settings: Low, Medium, or High, depending on your cleaning task.

SmartSet Digital Steam Control

Three levels of steam cleaning



The SmartSet Digital Steam Control allows you to select your desired steam intensity.

2. Cleaning Floors

The Bissell Power Fresh Steam Mop is safe to use on sealed hard surfaces including hardwood, ceramic, granite & marble, and linoleum.

Safe to use on sealed surfaces:



The steam mop is suitable for various sealed hard floor types.

To clean:

1. Slowly move the steam mop back and forth over the floor surface. The steam will be released automatically.
2. For sanitization, slowly pass the mop over an area using the highest steam setting for at least 15 seconds. This helps eliminate 99.9% of germs and bacteria.
3. The swivel steering allows for easy maneuverability around furniture and obstacles.



Kills 99.9% of germs, bacteria & viruses¹

Tested & proven to kill 99.9% of
Coronavirus & Influenza viruses¹

The steam mop effectively kills 99.9% of germs, bacteria, and viruses on sealed hard floors.

3. Using the Flip-Down Easy Scrubber

For tough, dried-on messes or grout lines, utilize the integrated Easy Scrubber:

1. Step on the flip-down scrubber lever located on the back of the mop head to deploy the scrubber bristles.
2. Scrub the stubborn area with the bristles while applying steam.
3. Once the mess is loosened, step on the lever again to retract the scrubber and continue mopping with the pad.

Flip-down Easy Scrubber

powers through tough messes



The flip-down Easy Scrubber helps power through tough messes.

4. Refreshing Carpets (with Carpet Glider)

To refresh low-pile carpets or rugs:

1. Attach a clean mop pad to the mop head.
2. Place the mop head into the carpet glider.
3. Slowly glide the mop over the carpet surface. This is for refreshing only, not deep cleaning.

MAINTENANCE

1. Cleaning Mop Pads

The microfiber mop pads are reusable and machine washable.

- Remove the mop pad from the mop head after each use.
- Machine wash the pads in warm water with mild detergent. Do not use bleach or fabric softeners.
- Tumble dry on low or air dry.

2. Storing Your Steam Mop

After use, unplug the unit and allow it to cool completely. Empty any remaining water from the tank. The

mop can be stored upright in a closet or utility area.

TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your Bissell Power Fresh Steam Mop, refer to the table below for common problems and solutions.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
No Steam	Water tank is empty.	Refill water tank.
No Steam	Unit not plugged in or not powered on.	Ensure unit is properly plugged into a working outlet and power button is pressed. Wait 30 seconds for heating.
Reduced Steam	Mineral buildup in the unit.	Use distilled or demineralized water to prevent mineral buildup. Refer to the full troubleshooting guide for descaling instructions.
Mop not sanitizing effectively	Not enough contact time on surface.	Slowly pass the mop over the area using the highest steam setting for at least 15 seconds.

For more detailed troubleshooting, please refer to the official [Troubleshooting Guide \(PDF\)](#).

SPECIFICATIONS

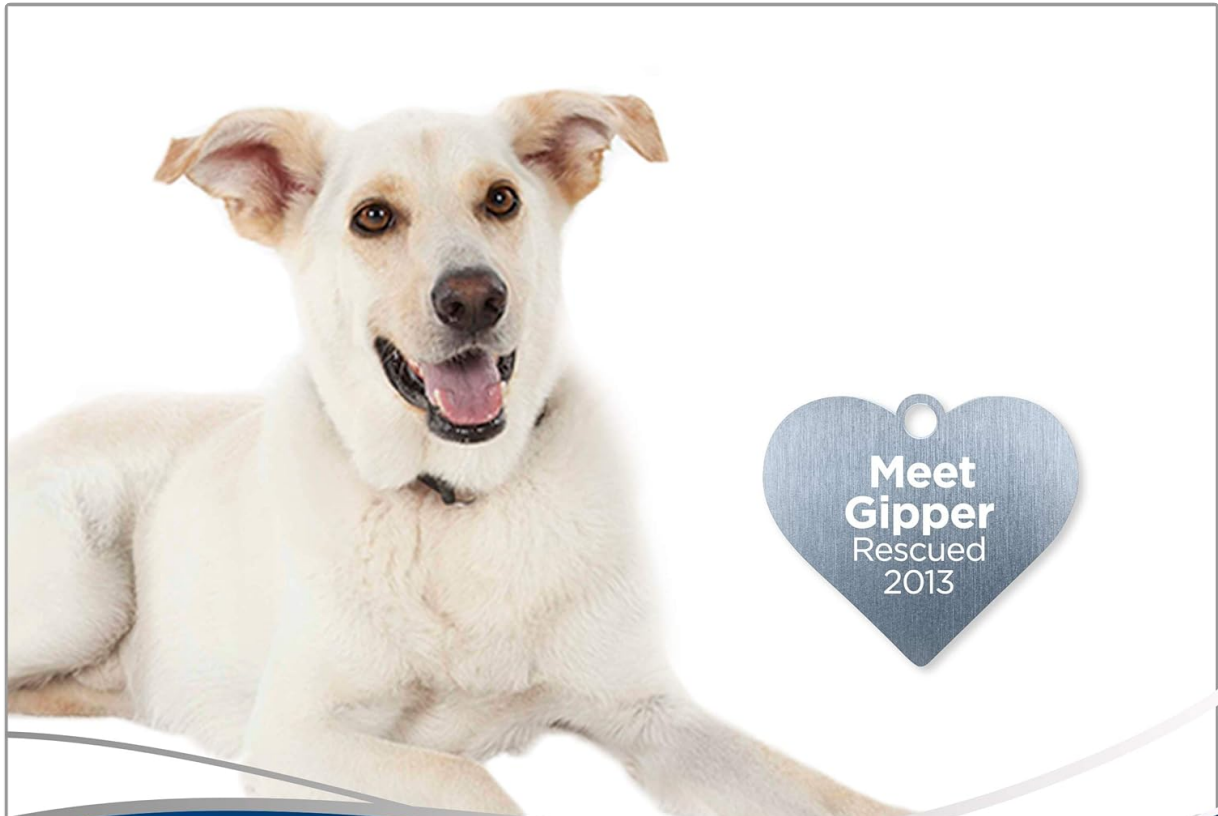
Feature	Detail
Brand	Bissell
Model Name	PowerFresh® Scrubbing & Sanitizing Steam Mop
Model Number	1940A
Special Feature	Steam Control
Surface Recommendation	Floor (Sealed Hard Floors)
Wattage	1500 watts
Item Weight	6.2 Pounds
Tank Volume	16 Fluid Ounces
Product Dimensions	11.6"D x 7.1"W x 28.6"H
Heat Time	30 seconds
Power Source	Corded Electric
Voltage	100-240 Volts
Included Components	Steam Head Attachment, 1 Microfiber Soft Pad, 1 Microfiber Scrubby Pad, 2 Spring Breeze Fragrance Discs, Carpet Glider

WARRANTY & SUPPORT

The Bissell Power Fresh Steam Mop, Model 1940A, comes with a Two-Year Limited Warranty. For warranty claims or technical support, please contact Bissell customer service.

Additional resources:

- Official User Manual (PDF): [Download Here](#)
- Troubleshooting Guide (PDF): [Download Here](#)
- For more information or to purchase accessories, visit the [Bissell Store on Amazon](#).



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