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Model: DW9280 | Brand: Rowenta

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Rowenta DW9280 SteamForce steam iron is designed for powerful steam and professional-quality results on all types of fabrics. It features an integrated electronic steam pump for a substantial burst of vertical steam (up to 210g), pushing up to 30% more steam into material compared to irons without a pump. The iron includes an LED digital display that illuminates for linen, cotton, wool, silk, or nylon to indicate when the soleplate has reached the appropriate temperature for the selected fabric.

Its Microsteam stainless-steel soleplate has 400 steam holes for even steam distribution and an ultra-thin silicate coating for scratch resistance and nonstick gliding. A smart steam motion sensor conserves water and electricity by turning off variable steam when the iron stops moving. The precision tip allows for easy maneuvering around collars, seams, and buttons, with a precision-shot function for concentrated steam. For safety, the iron automatically shuts off after 8 minutes in the upright position and after 30 seconds if tipped over or left horizontally. Additional features include one-touch controls, a cool spray mist, an integrated anti-calcium system, and a self-clean system.



Image: The Rowenta Steam Force DW9280 iron, showcasing its sleek design and blue finish.

IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

When using your iron, basic safety precautions should always be followed:

- Read all instructions before using the iron.
- Use the iron only for its intended use.
- To avoid the risk of electric shock, do not immerse the iron in water or other liquids.
- Always turn the iron OFF before plugging or unplugging from the electrical outlet. Never pull on the cord to disconnect from the outlet; instead, grasp the plug and pull to disconnect.
- Do not allow the cord to touch hot surfaces. Let the iron cool completely before putting away. Loop cord loosely around the iron when storing.
- Always disconnect the iron from the electrical outlet when filling with water or emptying, and when not in use.
- Do not operate the iron with a damaged cord or if the iron has been dropped or damaged. To avoid the risk of electric shock, do not disassemble the iron; take it to a qualified serviceman for examination and repair. Incorrect reassembly can cause a risk of electric shock when the iron is used.
- Close supervision is necessary for any appliance being used by or near children. Do not leave the iron unattended while connected or on an ironing board.
- Burns can occur from touching hot metal parts, hot water, or steam. Use caution when you turn a

steam iron upside down – there may be hot water in the reservoir.

SETUP AND FIRST USE

Before First Use

Remove any labels or protective covers from the soleplate. It is normal for a small amount of smoke or odor to be produced during the first few minutes of use as manufacturing residues burn off. This is harmless and will quickly disappear.

Filling the Water Tank

1. Ensure the iron is unplugged from the electrical outlet.
2. Open the water tank inlet cover.
3. Fill the water tank with tap water up to the 'MAX' level indicator. The water tank capacity is 10.8 oz (350 ml).
4. Close the water tank inlet cover securely.



Image: Diagram of the Rowenta Steam Force DW9280 iron highlighting key features like the water tank, steam controls, and soleplate.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Temperature and Steam Selection

1. Plug the iron into a suitable electrical outlet (120-125V~ 50-60Hz, 1800-1850W).

2. Select the desired fabric setting using the temperature dial. The LED digital display will illuminate to indicate the selected fabric (Linen, Cotton, Wool, Silk, Nylon) and will flash until the soleplate reaches the appropriate temperature.
3. For dry ironing, ensure the steam control is set to the 'no steam' position.
4. For steam ironing, select the appropriate temperature setting for your fabric. The iron will automatically adjust steam output based on the selected temperature and motion sensor.

Steam Functions

- **Variable Steam:** The iron automatically adjusts steam output based on movement, conserving water and electricity.
- **Steam Shot (Burst of Steam):** Press the steam shot button for an extra burst of steam (up to 210g) to remove stubborn wrinkles. This function is also useful for vertical steaming.
- **Vertical Steaming:** Hold the iron vertically and press the steam shot button to steam hanging garments, curtains, or drapes.
- **Spray Mist:** Press the spray button to lightly dampen fabric for easier ironing, especially for stubborn creases.

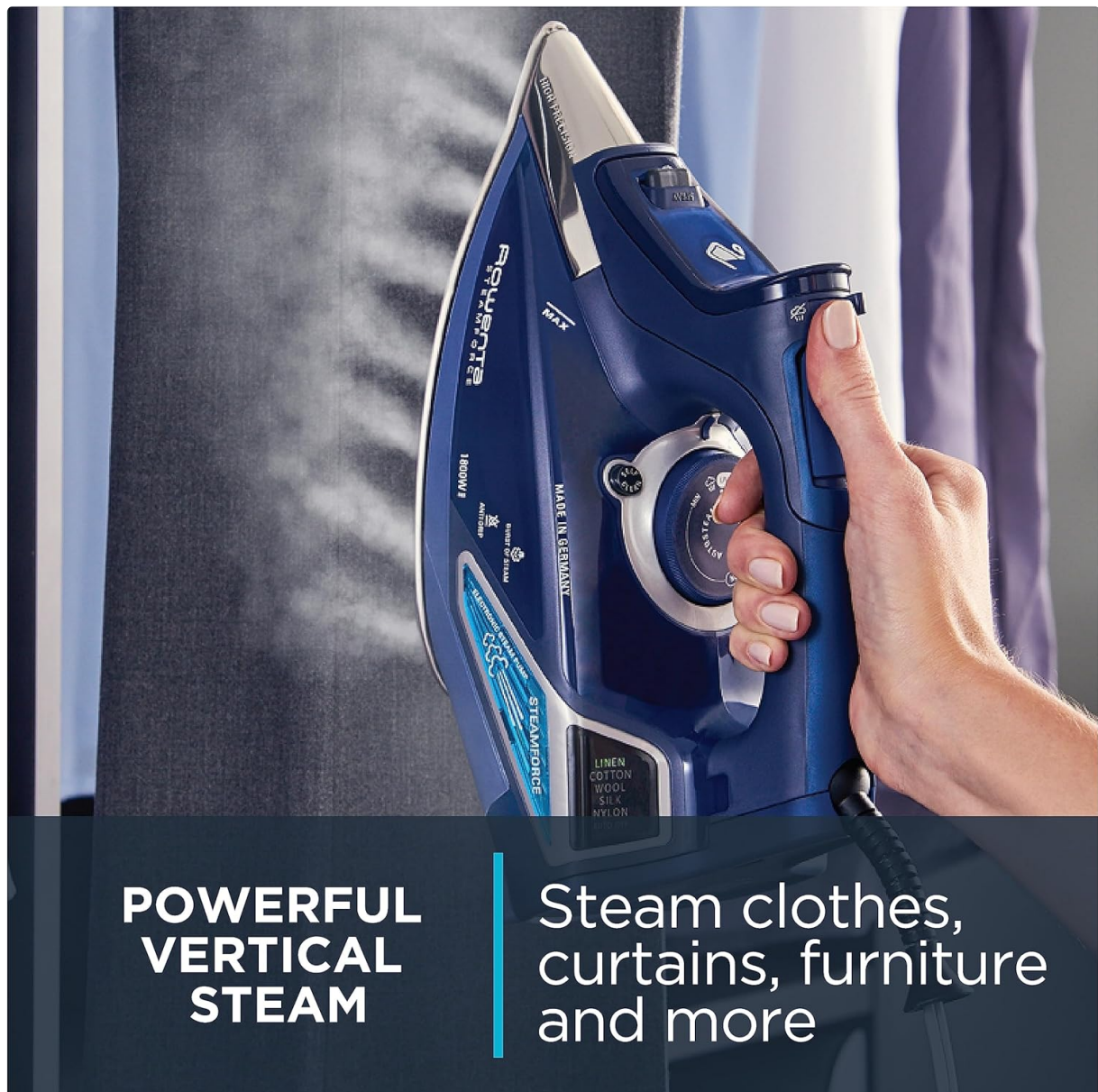


Image: A person demonstrating the powerful vertical steam function of the Rowenta Steam Force DW9280 iron on hanging clothes.

MAINTENANCE AND CARE

Cleaning the Soleplate

To clean the soleplate, use a damp cloth and a non-abrasive cleaner. Do not use metallic pads or abrasive cleaning agents as they can damage the soleplate's coating.

Anti-Calcium System

The integrated anti-calcium system helps to prevent limescale build-up, ensuring long-lasting steam performance. Regular use of the self-clean function is recommended.

Self-Clean System

To activate the self-clean function:

1. Fill the water tank to the 'MAX' level.
2. Set the temperature dial to the maximum setting.
3. Plug in the iron and wait for the LED indicator to stop flashing, indicating it has reached maximum temperature.
4. Unplug the iron.
5. Hold the iron horizontally over a sink.
6. Press and hold the self-clean button (usually located near the temperature dial) while gently shaking the iron back and forth. Hot water and steam will be expelled from the soleplate, carrying away impurities.
7. Continue until the water tank is empty.
8. Allow the iron to cool down completely before storing.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Iron is not heating up.	Not plugged in, power outlet issue, or auto shut-off activated.	Check power connection. Ensure the iron is not in auto shut-off mode (move the iron to reactivate).
Water leaking from the soleplate.	Temperature too low for steam, overfilling, or anti-drip system issue.	Ensure the temperature setting is high enough for steam. Do not overfill the water tank. If persistent, perform a self-clean cycle.
No steam or insufficient steam.	Water tank empty, steam control off, or mineral build-up.	Refill water tank. Ensure steam control is on. Perform a self-clean cycle to remove mineral deposits.
Brown or discolored water/residue.	Mineral build-up or impurities in water.	Perform a self-clean cycle. Use distilled or demineralized water if tap water is very hard.

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SPECIFICATIONS

- **Brand:** Rowenta
- **Model Name:** DW9280
- **Power:** 1800-watt
- **Soleplate Material:** Stainless Steel with Microsteam 400 holes
- **Water Tank Capacity:** 10.8 oz (350 ml)
- **Steam Output:** Continuous steam output: 35 g/min; Steam burst: up to 210g
- **Special Features:** Auto Shutoff (8 min upright, 30 sec horizontal), Anti-Calcium System, Self-Clean System, Precision Tip, Smart Steam Motion Sensor, LED Ready Indicator
- **Product Dimensions:** 12.6"L x 7.08"W
- **Item Weight:** 3.85 pounds
- **Origin:** Made in Germany

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For detailed warranty information and customer support, please refer to the official Rowenta website or the documentation included with your product. A user guide is also available online:

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