

GE WH01X10462

GE WH01X10462 Burner Knob Instruction Manual

1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential information for the proper installation, operation, and maintenance of the GE WH01X10462 Burner Knob. This genuine OEM replacement part is designed for specific GE appliances, primarily dryers and some ranges. Please read all instructions carefully before proceeding with installation or use.

2. SAFETY INFORMATION

WARNING: To prevent electric shock or injury, always disconnect the appliance from all utilities (power, gas, water) before attempting any installation, repair, or maintenance. Failure to do so can result in serious injury or death. Always confirm the part number with your appliance manufacturer or existing part to ensure compatibility before installation. Using an incorrect part may lead to improper function or damage to the appliance.



Image 2.1: Always confirm the part number with your appliance manufacturer for compatibility.

3. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The GE WH01X10462 Burner Knob is a genuine OEM (Original Equipment Manufacturer) control knob assembly. It is designed to replace worn or broken control knobs on compatible GE appliances.

- **Part Number:** WH01X10462
- **Color:** Gray
- **Material:** Alloy Steel (internal components), Plastic (exterior finish)
- **Included Components:** Knob and Clip

4. SPECIFICATIONS

Specification	Value
Model Number	WH01X10462

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Brand	GE
Color	Gray
Material	Alloy Steel (internal), Plastic (exterior)
Product Dimensions (L x W)	2.5"L x 1.5"W
Item Weight	9.07 g
Projection Distance	2 Inches
Handle Attachment Mechanism	Clip
Specific Uses For Product	Washing Machines (also compatible with some dryers/ranges)



Image 4.1: Front view with approximate dimensions.



Image 4.2: Side view with approximate dimensions.

5. INSTALLATION

Follow these steps to install the GE WH01X10462 Burner Knob:

- Disconnect Power:** Ensure the appliance is completely disconnected from its power source (unplugged or circuit breaker off) before beginning.
- Remove Old Knob:** Gently pull the old knob straight off the control shaft. If it is stuck, try wiggling it slightly while pulling. Do not force it, as this may damage the control shaft.
- Inspect Shaft:** Check the control shaft for any damage or debris. Clean if necessary.
- Install New Knob:** Align the new WH01X10462 burner knob with the control shaft. The knob has a clip mechanism designed to fit securely onto the shaft. Push the new knob firmly onto the shaft until it clicks into place or feels secure. Do not use excessive force.
- Test Fit:** Gently pull on the knob to ensure it is securely attached. Turn the knob to verify it rotates smoothly and engages with the appliance's settings.
- Reconnect Power:** Once the knob is securely installed, reconnect the appliance to its power source.

6. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

To operate your appliance with the new GE WH01X10462 Burner Knob:

- Ensure the appliance is powered on.
- Turn the knob to select the desired setting (e.g., temperature, cycle, burner level). The knob should turn smoothly and indicate the selected setting clearly.
- Refer to your appliance's main user manual for specific operating procedures and functions related to each setting.

7. MAINTENANCE

To ensure the longevity and proper function of your burner knob:

- **Cleaning:** Wipe the knob with a soft, damp cloth and mild soap. Avoid abrasive cleaners or harsh chemicals, as these can damage the finish or material.
- **Regular Inspection:** Periodically check the knob for any signs of wear, cracks, or looseness. If the knob becomes loose or damaged, consider replacing it to maintain safe and effective appliance operation.

8. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your GE WH01X10462 Burner Knob, consider the following:

- **Knob is Loose:** Ensure the knob is pushed firmly onto the control shaft until it engages with the internal clip. If it continues to be loose, the internal clip may be worn or damaged, requiring a replacement knob.
- **Knob Does Not Turn:** Verify that no debris is obstructing the knob's movement or the control shaft. If the knob still does not turn, the issue may lie with the appliance's internal control mechanism, not the knob itself.
- **Knob Cracked:** Over time, plastic knobs can develop cracks, especially around the shaft connection point. This is a common wear item and indicates the knob needs replacement.
- **Incorrect Fit:** Double-check that the WH01X10462 is the correct part number for your specific appliance model. Refer to your appliance's original manual or manufacturer's website for part compatibility.

9. WARRANTY INFORMATION

The GE WH01X10462 Burner Knob comes with a one-year warranty from the date of purchase. This warranty covers defects in material and workmanship under normal use. For warranty claims or further details, please contact GE Appliances customer support.

10. CUSTOMER SUPPORT

For additional assistance, technical support, or to inquire about other GE appliance parts, please visit the official GE Appliances website or contact their customer service department. Have your appliance model number and the part number (WH01X10462) ready when contacting support.

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