

INDESIT DFG 15B1 S IT

Indesit DFG 15B1 S IT Dishwasher User Manual

Model: DFG 15B1 S IT

1. INTRODUCTION AND SAFETY INFORMATION

This manual provides essential instructions for the safe and efficient operation, installation, and maintenance of your Indesit DFG 15B1 S IT freestanding dishwasher. Please read these instructions carefully before using the appliance for the first time and keep them for future reference.

1.1 General Safety Warnings

- Ensure the dishwasher is properly earthed.
- Do not allow children to operate or play near the dishwasher.
- Never touch the heating element during or immediately after a wash cycle.
- Use only detergents and rinse aids specifically designed for automatic dishwashers.
- Sharp items should be loaded with points down to prevent injury.
- Do not open the door during operation, as hot water may spray out.

2. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Indesit DFG 15B1 S IT is a freestanding dishwasher designed for household use. It features a stainless steel finish and a user-friendly control panel.

2.1 External View and Controls



Image: Front view of the Indesit DFG 15B1 S IT dishwasher, showing the control panel with power button, program selector knob, and indicator lights.

The control panel is located on the top edge of the door. It includes a power button, a rotary knob for program selection, and indicator lights for salt, rinse aid, and program status. The door handle is integrated into the top edge.

2.2 Internal Components

- **Upper Basket:** For delicate items, glasses, and smaller plates.
- **Lower Basket:** For larger plates, pots, and pans. Features a foldable basket section for flexible loading.
- **Cutlery Basket:** Located in the lower basket for forks, knives, and spoons. Includes a knife holder.
- **Detergent Dispenser:** For powder, gel, or tablet detergents.

- **Rinse Aid Dispenser:** For liquid rinse aid, with a polish dispenser feature.
- **Salt Container:** For dishwasher salt to soften water. Features a salt level indicator.
- **Filters:** Self-cleaning and removable filter system at the bottom of the wash tub.
- **Spray Arms:** Upper and lower spray arms for water distribution.

3. SETUP AND INSTALLATION

This section provides guidance for the initial setup and installation of your dishwasher.

3.1 Positioning the Appliance

The Indesit DFG 15B1 S IT is a freestanding model. Position it on a level, stable floor. Ensure there is adequate space for opening the door and for water and electrical connections.



Image: Side view of the Indesit DFG 15B1 S IT dishwasher, illustrating its dimensions: 85cm height, 60cm width, and 60cm depth.

3.2 Water and Electrical Connections

- Connect the water inlet hose to a cold water tap with a 3/4" thread.
- Connect the drain hose to a suitable drain pipe or sink trap, ensuring it is not kinked.
- Plug the power cord into a properly earthed electrical outlet (230 Volt).

3.3 First Use Preparations

- **Filling the Salt Container:** Unscrew the cap of the salt container (located at the bottom of the wash tub) and fill it with dishwasher salt using the provided funnel. Fill with water first if it's the first time. Replace the cap tightly.
- **Filling the Rinse Aid Dispenser:** Open the rinse aid dispenser cover and fill with rinse aid until the indicator shows full. Close the cover securely.
- **Adjusting Water Hardness:** Refer to the detailed instructions in the full manual for adjusting the water softener settings based on your local water hardness. This is crucial for optimal washing results and preventing limescale.

4. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Follow these steps for daily operation of your dishwasher.

4.1 Loading the Dishwasher

- Scrape off large food particles from dishes before loading.
- Place glasses, cups, and small items in the upper basket.
- Arrange plates, bowls, pots, and pans in the lower basket. Utilize the foldable basket sections for larger items.
- Place cutlery in the cutlery basket with handles down, except for knives which should be placed with points down for safety.
- Ensure spray arms can rotate freely and are not blocked by dishes.

4.2 Adding Detergent

Open the detergent dispenser cover. Add the appropriate amount of dishwasher detergent (powder, gel, or tablet) according to the program selected and the soil level of the dishes. Close the dispenser cover firmly.

4.3 Program Selection

Your dishwasher offers 6 cycle options, including:

- **Eco:** Energy-efficient program for normally soiled dishes.
- **Intensive 65°:** For heavily soiled dishes and pots.
- **Quick:** For lightly soiled dishes that do not require drying.
- **Pre-wash:** A short rinse cycle for dishes that will be washed later.

Turn the program selector knob to choose the desired wash cycle.

4.4 Starting a Wash Cycle

- Close the dishwasher door firmly.
- Press the 'On/Off' button to power on the appliance.
- Select your desired program using the rotary knob.

- Press the 'Start/Pause' button to begin the cycle. The program indicator light will illuminate.

4.5 Interrupting or Changing a Program

To interrupt a program, press the 'Start/Pause' button. To change a program, press and hold the 'Start/Pause' button for a few seconds until the program resets, then select a new program and press 'Start/Pause' again. Be cautious when opening the door during a cycle due to hot water.

5. MAINTENANCE AND CLEANING

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

5.1 Cleaning the Exterior

Wipe the exterior surfaces with a soft, damp cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners or solvents.

5.2 Cleaning the Interior

Periodically run an empty cycle with a dishwasher cleaner to remove grease and limescale buildup.

5.3 Cleaning the Filters

Your dishwasher features a self-cleaning filter system, but it is recommended to periodically check and clean the removable filter. To do this:

1. Twist and remove the cylindrical filter assembly at the bottom of the wash tub.
2. Separate the fine filter from the coarse filter.
3. Rinse all filter components under running water to remove food particles.
4. Reassemble the filters and place them back into the dishwasher, ensuring they are securely locked in place.

5.4 Checking Spray Arms

Ensure the holes in the spray arms are not blocked by food particles. If necessary, remove the spray arms and clean them under running water.

5.5 Refilling Salt and Rinse Aid

Monitor the salt level indicator and rinse aid indicator on the control panel. Refill as necessary following the instructions in section 3.3.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

This section addresses common issues you might encounter with your dishwasher. For more complex problems, contact customer support.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Dishwasher does not start	Power cord not plugged in; door not closed properly; fuse blown; program not selected.	Check power connection; ensure door is latched; check household fuse; select a program and press start.

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Dishes are not clean	Improper loading; spray arm blocked; insufficient detergent; clogged filters; incorrect program.	Reload dishes correctly; check and clean spray arms; add more detergent; clean filters; select a more intensive program.
Water not draining	Drain hose kinked or blocked; clogged filters; drain pump malfunction.	Check drain hose for kinks/blockages; clean filters; if problem persists, contact service.
White streaks on dishes	Too much salt; insufficient rinse aid; water hardness setting incorrect.	Reduce salt dosage; refill rinse aid; adjust water hardness setting.

7. SPECIFICATIONS

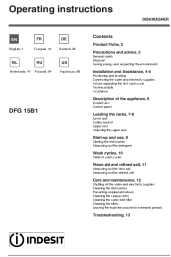
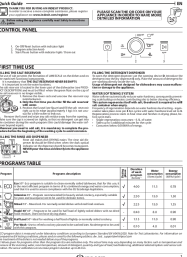
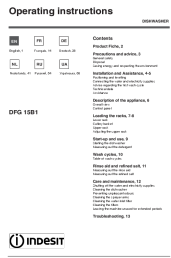
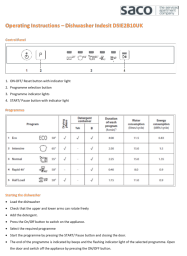


Technical details for the Indesit DFG 15B1 S IT dishwasher.

Feature	Specification
Model Number	DFG 15B1 S IT
Brand	INDESIT
Installation Type	Freestanding
Dimensions (H x W x D)	85 cm x 60 cm x 60 cm
Weight	50 kg (approx. 110.23 lbs)
Voltage	230 Volt
Noise Level	49 Decibels
Capacity	15 Place Settings (implied by model number)
Cycle Options	6 (Eco, Intensive 65°, Quick, Pre-wash, etc.)
Material	Stainless Steel
Special Features	Foldable basket, self-cleaning filter, salt level indicator, digital display, rinse aid dispenser, removable filter

8. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information, please refer to the warranty card included with your appliance or contact your retailer. For technical support or service, please contact Indesit customer service. Ensure you have your model number (DFG 15B1 S IT) and serial number ready when contacting support.

Related Documents - DFG 15B1 S IT

	<p>Indesit DFG 15B1 Dishwasher Operating Instructions</p> <p>Comprehensive operating instructions for the Indesit DFG 15B1 dishwasher, covering installation, usage, maintenance, and troubleshooting. Learn how to load racks, select wash cycles, use detergent and rinse aid, and care for your appliance.</p>
	<p>Indesit Dishwasher Quick Guide</p> <p>A quick guide for Indesit dishwashers, covering control panel functions, first-time use instructions for salt and rinse aid, detergent dispensing, and a program table with details on duration, water, and energy consumption. Includes troubleshooting tips and maintenance advice.</p>
	<p>Indesit DFG 15B1 Dishwasher Operating Instructions</p> <p>User manual for the Indesit DFG 15B1 dishwasher, covering installation, operation, maintenance, safety precautions, and troubleshooting.</p>
	<p>Indesit DSIE2B10UK Dishwasher Operating Instructions</p> <p>Get detailed operating instructions for the Indesit DSIE2B10UK dishwasher. Learn about the control panel, wash programs (Eco, Intensive, Normal, Rapid 40, Half Load), how to start, and unload the appliance safely.</p>
	<p>Indesit Dishwasher Quick Start Guide</p> <p>A concise guide for Indesit dishwashers, covering control panel functions, first-time use instructions for salt, rinse aid, and detergent, water softening system, program details, options, rack loading, and cleaning/maintenance. Includes links for further support.</p>
	<p>Indesit Dishwasher Quick Guide: Setup, Programs, Maintenance & Troubleshooting</p> <p>Comprehensive guide for Indesit dishwashers, covering setup, operation, maintenance, troubleshooting, and program details. Learn about salt and rinse aid filling, detergent dispensing, program selection, rack loading, cleaning procedures, and problem-solving.</p>

