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Model: WRIC3C26P

1. INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing a Whirlpool appliance. This user manual provides essential information for the safe and efficient operation, installation, and maintenance of your new Whirlpool WRIC3C26P fully integrated dishwasher. Please read these instructions carefully before using the appliance and keep them for future reference.

The Whirlpool WRIC3C26P is a 60cm fully integrated dishwasher designed for optimal cleaning performance with a capacity of 14 place settings. It features advanced technologies such as 6th Sense for optimized resource consumption and Flexi Space for flexible loading.

2. SAFETY INFORMATION

Always follow basic safety precautions when using electrical appliances to reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, and injury to persons.

- Read all instructions before using the dishwasher.
- This appliance is intended for household use only.
- Do not allow children to play with, on, or inside the dishwasher.
- Keep detergents and rinse aid out of the reach of children.
- Ensure the appliance is properly grounded.
- Do not operate the dishwasher if it is damaged or malfunctioning. Contact qualified service personnel.
- Always disconnect the appliance from the power supply before cleaning or performing maintenance.

3. INSTALLATION AND SETUP

The Whirlpool WRIC3C26P is a fully integrated dishwasher designed to be installed within your kitchen cabinetry. Professional installation is recommended to ensure proper fitting and connection to water and power supplies.

3.1 Unpacking

Carefully remove all packaging materials. Inspect the dishwasher for any damage that may have occurred during transit. Report any damage immediately to your retailer.

3.2 Water and Electrical Connections

Ensure that the water inlet and outlet hoses, as well as the electrical cable, are correctly connected according to local regulations and the installation guide provided with the appliance. The dishwasher requires a dedicated electrical circuit.



Image: Rear view of the dishwasher, illustrating the water inlet, drain hose, and power cable connections. Ensure these are securely attached before operation.

3.3 Leveling

Adjust the dishwasher's feet to ensure it is perfectly level. This prevents vibrations and ensures proper door closure and water drainage.

4. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

This section guides you through the daily operation of your Whirlpool dishwasher.

4.1 Control Panel Overview



Image: The dishwasher's control panel, located on the top edge of the door, features a digital display and various program selection buttons.

The control panel is located on the top edge of the dishwasher door. It includes a digital display, program selection buttons, and indicators for salt and rinse aid levels.

4.2 Adding Detergent and Rinse Aid

- **Detergent:** Fill the detergent dispenser with the appropriate amount of dishwasher detergent. Refer to the detergent manufacturer's instructions.
- **Rinse Aid:** Check the rinse aid indicator. If low, refill the rinse aid dispenser to ensure streak-free drying.
- **Salt:** If your water is hard, the salt indicator will illuminate. Refill the salt reservoir with dishwasher salt to prevent limescale buildup.

4.3 Program Selection

Your dishwasher offers several wash programs to suit different needs:

- **Intensive:** For heavily soiled dishes and pans.

- **Normal:** For normally soiled dishes.
- **Eco:** An energy-efficient program for normally soiled dishes.
- **6th Sense Technology:** This intelligent sensor system detects the level of dirt and automatically adjusts wash parameters, optimizing water and energy consumption.

4.4 Special Features

- **Multizone:** Allows washing of a single basket (upper or lower) to save water and energy when the dishwasher is not fully loaded. Select this option when programming the cycle.
- **Half-load:** For smaller loads, reducing water and energy consumption.
- **Delayed Start:** Allows you to postpone the start of a wash cycle by a few hours.

5. LOADING THE DISHWASHER

Proper loading ensures optimal cleaning results and prevents damage to your dishes. The Flexi Space system provides modular, flexible, and removable baskets for maximum adaptability.



Image: The dishwasher interior with both baskets extended, showcasing the Flexi Space design for easy loading and unloading.

5.1 Lower Basket

The lower basket is ideal for plates, serving dishes, bowls, and pots. Place larger items towards the back and sides to avoid blocking the spray arms.



Image: Example of a properly loaded lower basket, demonstrating how to arrange plates and larger items for effective cleaning.

5.2 Upper Basket

The upper basket is suitable for glasses, cups, smaller plates, and delicate items. The upper basket is height-adjustable, allowing you to accommodate taller items in either the upper or lower basket.



Image: Example of a loaded upper basket, showing the arrangement of glasses, cups, and small items.

5.3 Cutlery Basket

Place cutlery in the designated cutlery basket, ensuring that handles are facing down for forks and spoons, and knife

blades are facing down for safety.

6. MAINTENANCE AND CLEANING

Regular maintenance ensures the longevity and optimal performance of your dishwasher.

6.1 Cleaning the Filters

The filter system at the bottom of the dishwasher should be cleaned regularly to prevent blockages and ensure efficient washing. Refer to the detailed instructions in the full manual for filter removal and cleaning.

6.2 Cleaning the Spray Arms

Check the spray arm nozzles for any blockages. If necessary, remove the spray arms and clean the nozzles under running water.

6.3 Exterior and Interior Cleaning

Wipe the exterior of the dishwasher with a soft, damp cloth. For the interior, periodically run a dishwasher cleaning cycle with a specialized cleaner to remove grease and limescale buildup.

7. TROUBLESHOOTING

Before contacting customer service, refer to this section for solutions to common issues.


Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Dishwasher does not start	Power supply issue, door not closed properly, program not selected.	Check power connection, ensure door is latched, select a program and press start.
Dishes are not clean	Incorrect loading, clogged spray arms, insufficient detergent, dirty filters.	Reload dishes correctly, clean spray arms and filters, use appropriate detergent.
Water remains in the dishwasher	Clogged drain hose or filter, pump malfunction.	Clean filters, check drain hose for kinks or blockages.
White streaks on dishes	Low rinse aid, hard water, too much detergent.	Refill rinse aid, check salt level, adjust detergent amount.


If the problem persists after attempting these solutions, please contact Whirlpool customer service or a qualified technician.


8. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Specification
Brand	Whirlpool
Model Name	WRIC 3C26 P
Installation Type	Fully Integrated
Place Settings	14
Sound Level	46 Decibels
Energy Class	E
Product Dimensions (L x W x H)	59.5 x 57 x 82 cm
Item Weight	35.5 kg
Power	1900 Watts
Interior Material	Stainless Steel
Control Type	Integrated Digital Display
Cycle Options	Intensive, Normal, Eco
Special Features	Half-load, Delayed start, Salt indicator, Adjustable feet, Upper basket adjustment, Rinse aid indicator, Integrated display, 6th Sense Technology, Multizone
Included Components	Cutlery basket

8.1 Energy Label




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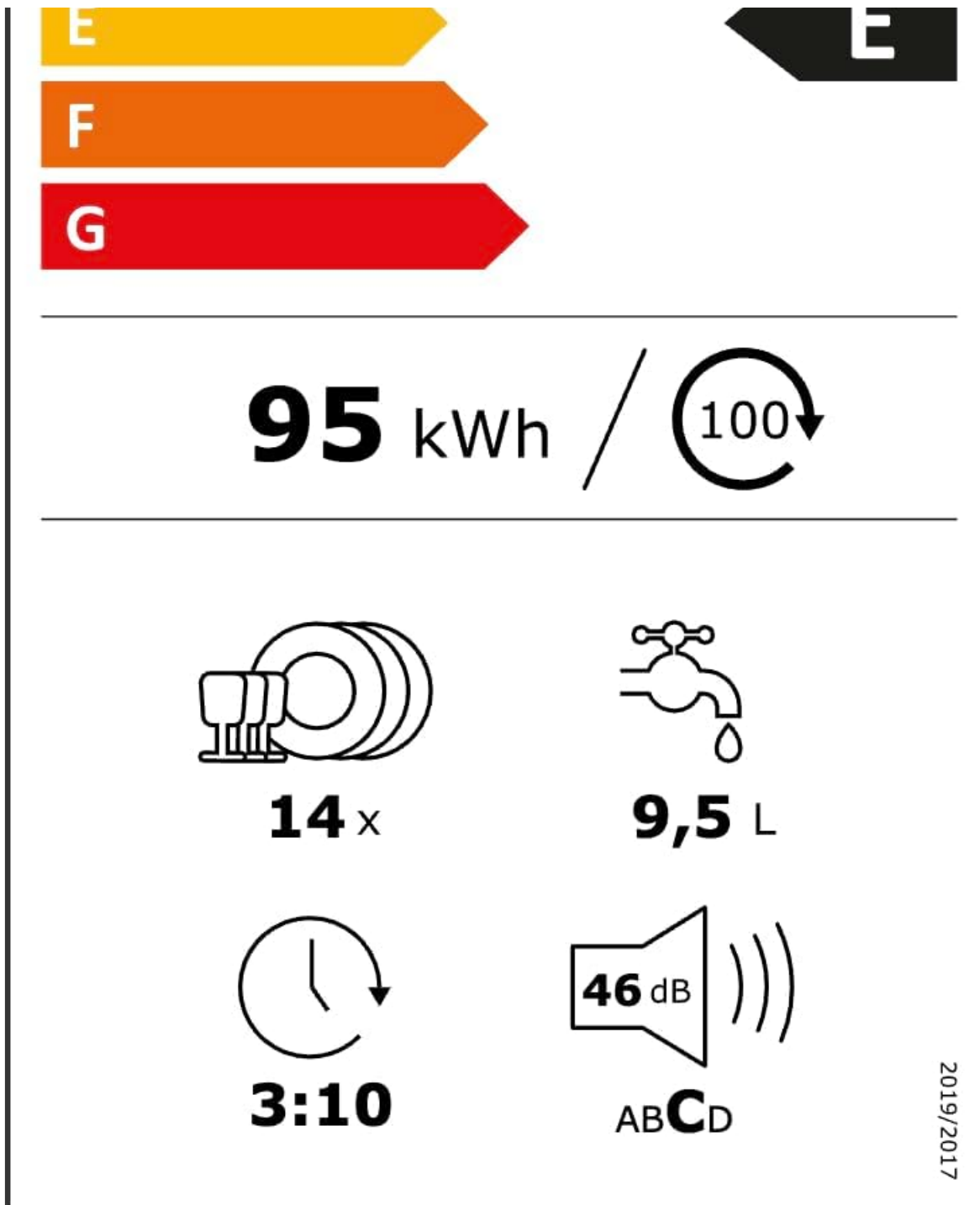


Image: The energy efficiency label for the Whirlpool WRIC3C26P dishwasher. Click the image to view the official EU EPREL database entry for detailed energy information.

9. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Your Whirlpool WRIC3C26P dishwasher comes with a manufacturer's warranty. Please refer to the warranty card included with your appliance for specific terms and conditions.

For technical assistance, spare parts, or to schedule a service appointment, please contact Whirlpool customer service. Contact details can typically be found on the Whirlpool official website or in the documentation provided with your appliance.

When contacting support, please have your model number (WRIC3C26P) and serial number ready. This information is usually located on a label inside the dishwasher door.

