**DCI International B01M07C4U**

# DCI International 8 ft Washing Machine Drain Discharge Hose Instruction Manual

## 1. Introduction

This manual provides instructions for the installation, operation, and maintenance of the DCI International 8 ft Long Washing Machine Drain Discharge Hose. This hose is designed to connect your automatic washing machine to a drain, accommodating various outlet sizes.

## 2. Safety Information

- Ensure all connections are secure to prevent water leaks, which can cause property damage.
- Do not overtighten the hose clamp, as this may damage the hose or the washing machine outlet.
- Regularly inspect the hose for any signs of wear, cracks, or damage. Replace immediately if damage is found.
- Keep the hose clear of sharp objects or heat sources that could compromise its integrity.
- Ensure the drain end of the hose is properly secured to prevent it from dislodging during the wash cycle.

## 3. Package Contents

- 1 x DCI International 8 ft Washing Machine Drain Discharge Hose
- 1 x Stainless Steel Hose Clamp

## 4. Setup and Installation

Follow these steps to properly install your washing machine drain hose:



Image: The DCI International 8 ft Washing Machine Drain Discharge Hose, showing its flexible design and included stainless steel clamp.

1. **Measure Washing Machine Outlet:** Verify that your washing machine's drain outlet (stub out) is 1-inch, 1-1/8-inch, or 1-1/4-inch in diameter. The hose is designed to fit these common sizes.
2. **Prepare the Hose:** The formed outlet end of the hose has indents for different sizes. If necessary, carefully cut the hose at the appropriate indent to match your washing machine's outlet diameter. The hook at the end of the hose can be removed if not needed, and the hose can be cut to any desired length for optimal routing.
3. **Attach to Washing Machine:** Slide the stainless steel hose clamp over the prepared end of the drain hose. Push the hose firmly onto the washing machine's drain outlet until it is fully seated.
4. **Secure with Clamp:** Position the hose clamp over the connection point and tighten it securely with a screwdriver until the hose is firmly attached to the washing machine outlet. Do not overtighten.
5. **Position Drain End:** Route the other end of the hose to your designated drain (e.g., utility sink, standpipe). Ensure the hose is positioned to prevent kinks and allows for proper drainage. If using the saddle hook, ensure it is securely placed over the edge of the sink or standpipe.
6. **Test for Leaks:** Run a short wash cycle and carefully inspect all connections for any signs of leaks. Address any leaks immediately by re-tightening the clamp or re-seating the hose.

## 5. Operation

The DCI International Washing Machine Drain Discharge Hose operates passively by directing wastewater from your washing machine to the drain. Once properly installed, no further user interaction is required during the wash cycle.

## 6. Maintenance

- **Regular Inspection:** Periodically check the entire length of the hose for any signs of wear, cracks, bulges, or kinks. Pay close attention to the connection points.
- **Cleanliness:** Ensure the drain end of the hose and the drain itself are free from lint, debris, or blockages that could

impede water flow.

- **Connection Check:** Verify that the hose clamp remains tight and the hose is securely attached to both the washing machine and the drain.

## 7. Troubleshooting

- **Leaks at Connection Points:**
  *Solution:* Ensure the hose is fully seated on the washing machine outlet and the hose clamp is tightened securely. Check if the hose was cut cleanly and evenly if adjusted for size.
- **Hose Dislodges from Drain:**
  *Solution:* Ensure the drain end of the hose is securely placed in the standpipe or sink. Use the provided saddle hook or other means to firmly anchor the hose to prevent movement during discharge.
- **Slow Drainage or Backflow:**
  *Solution:* Check the hose for kinks or blockages. Ensure the drain itself is not clogged. The hose should have a continuous downward slope to the drain.

## 8. Specifications

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| **Brand** | DCI International |
| **Model Number (ASIN)** | B01M07C4U |
| **Hose Material** | Flexible Plastic |
| **Clamp Material** | Stainless Steel |
| **Color** | Gray |
| **Length** | 8 feet (96 inches) |
| **Outside Diameter** | 1 inch |
| **Nominal Wall Thickness** | 0.4 inches |
| **Compatible Outlet Sizes** | 1-inch, 1-1/8-inch, 1-1/4-inch |
| **UPC** | 020111278105 |

## 9. Warranty and Support

For information regarding product warranty or technical support, please refer to the manufacturer's official website or contact DCI International customer service directly. Keep your purchase receipt for warranty claims.


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