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Model: BPWM09W

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The BLACK+DECKER 0.9 Cu. Ft. Portable Washer (Model BPWM09W) is designed for efficient and convenient laundry in homes and apartments. This compact washing machine features a durable stainless steel tub, multiple wash cycles, and essential safety features, making it an ideal solution for small living spaces.





Image: Front view of the BLACK+DECKER 0.9 Cu. Ft. Portable Washer, white in color with a black top panel and transparent lid.

SETUP AND INSTALLATION

Unpacking

Carefully remove the portable washer from its packaging. Inspect the unit for any signs of damage during transit. Ensure all components, including the drain hose and quick connect sink adapter, are present.

Placement

Position the washer on a flat, stable surface. The unit measures approximately 17.7 inches deep, 17.3 inches wide, and 31.1 inches high (41.5 inches with the lid open). It weighs 48.4 pounds. The integrated rollers and side handles facilitate easy movement between locations such as a kitchen, bathroom, or storage closet.



Image: Diagram illustrating the dimensions of the portable washer, showing height with lid closed (31.1") and open (41.5"), width (17.3"), and depth (17.7").

Water Connection

Connect the provided quick connect sink adapter to your faucet. Attach the water inlet hose to the adapter and the designated inlet on the washer. Ensure all connections are secure to prevent leaks. This model is designed for cold water use only.

EASY CONNECT

HOSE FOR QUICK INSTALLATION



Image: A hand connecting the water inlet hose to the top of the portable washer, demonstrating the easy connect feature.

Position the drain hose securely into a sink, tub, or toilet. Ensure the drain hose is elevated above the water level in the washer to allow for proper drainage during operation.

Power Connection

Plug the three-prong power cord into a standard 120 Volt electrical outlet. The washer operates at 300 watts.

Leveling

Adjust the front leveling leg to ensure the washer is perfectly level. This helps to minimize vibration and noise during operation and ensures proper water distribution.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Control Panel

The washer features an intuitive LED display and control buttons for selecting wash cycles, water levels, and other functions.

LED DISPLAY

EASY-TO-USE



Image: Close-up view of the washer's control panel with an LED display showing time and various program buttons.

Loading Laundry

Open the transparent quiet-close lid and load your laundry into the stainless steel tub. This impeller washer is gentle on fabrics and ideal for delicates, lingerie, and baby clothing, as it lacks a central agitator that can cause entanglement.

Adding Detergent

Use high-efficiency (HE) laundry detergent. It is recommended to use half the amount specified on standard detergent packaging due to the washer's compact size and water efficiency.

Selecting Wash Cycles

Choose from 5 available wash cycles:

- **Heavy:** For heavily soiled items.
- **Gentle:** For delicate fabrics.
- **Normal:** Standard cycle for everyday laundry.

- **Rapid:** A quick wash cycle for lightly soiled items.
- **Soak:** For pre-soaking heavily stained garments.

5 CYCLE PROGRAMS

HEAVY, GENTLE, NORMAL, RAPID & SOAK



Image: An illustration highlighting the program dial with options for Heavy, Gentle, Normal, Rapid, and Soak cycles.

Water Level Selection

Select one of three water levels (small, medium, large) based on your load size. The maximum capacity is 6.6 lbs.

Starting a Wash Cycle

Press the Start/Pause button to begin the selected wash cycle. The machine will automatically detect unbalance and adjust for optimal performance. It also features auto shutoff for safety.

AUTOMATIC UNBALANCE DETECTION



Image: The portable washer in a laundry setting, emphasizing its automatic unbalance detection feature for stable operation.

Child Lock Protection

The washer includes a Child Lock feature to prevent accidental operation or changes to settings during a cycle. Refer to the specific instructions in the user guide for activating and deactivating this feature.

MAINTENANCE

Cleaning the Washer

Regularly wipe down the exterior of the washer with a soft, damp cloth. For the interior stainless steel tub, occasional cleaning with a non-abrasive cleaner designed for washing machines is recommended to prevent residue buildup.

Lint Trap Maintenance

The washer is equipped with a lint trap to collect lint and debris during the wash cycle. Periodically remove and clean the lint trap to ensure optimal performance and prevent clogging.

Storage

When not in use, especially for extended periods, leave the lid open for a day or so to allow the interior to dry completely. This helps prevent mold and mildew. Once dry, the unit can be rolled into a storage closet using its wheels and side handles.

TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your portable washer, refer to the following common troubleshooting tips:

- **Washer not starting:** Ensure the power cord is securely plugged in and the outlet is functional. Check if the lid is fully closed, as a safety mechanism prevents operation with an open lid.
- **Water not filling:** Verify that the water supply is turned on and the inlet hose is properly connected and not kinked. Ensure the drain hose is positioned correctly and not on the floor, as it needs to be above the water level in the washer for proper filling.
- **Excessive vibration or noise:** Check that the washer is placed on a level surface and adjust the leveling leg if necessary. Ensure the laundry load is balanced inside the tub; redistribute items if needed. The automatic unbalance detection system will attempt to correct this, but manual adjustment may be required for very unbalanced loads.
- **Poor washing performance:** Ensure you are using the correct amount of high-efficiency detergent. Avoid overloading the washer beyond its 6.6 lbs capacity. Select the appropriate wash cycle for the type and soil level of your laundry.
- **Drainage issues:** Check the drain hose for kinks or blockages. Ensure the drain hose is positioned correctly in the sink, tub, or toilet and that the drain itself is not clogged.

For more detailed troubleshooting or persistent issues, please consult the full user guide available online or contact customer support.

SPECIFICATIONS

Model Number	BPWM09W
Capacity	0.9 Cu. Ft. (6.6 lbs)
Dimensions (D x W x H)	17.7" x 17.3" x 31.1" (41.5" H with lid open)
Item Weight	48.4 pounds
Voltage	120 Volts
Wattage	300 watts
Sound Level	72 dB
Material	Aluminum 2%, Steel 47%, Copper 1%, Plastic (ABS, PS) 34%, Foaming materials 3%, Glass 3%, Other 10%
Wash Cycles	Heavy, Gentle, Normal, Rapid, Soak
Water Temperature	Cold Water Only
Special Features	Child Lock, Auto Unbalance Detection, Auto Shutoff
Included Components	Portable Clothes Washer, Drain Hose, Quick Connect Sink Adapter



Image: U.S. Government EnergyGuide label for the BLACK+DECKER BPWM09W Portable Washer, indicating an estimated yearly energy cost of \$4.

WARRANTY INFORMATION

The BLACK+DECKER 0.9 Cu. Ft. Portable Washer comes with a **1-year warranty** covering parts and labor. Please retain your proof of purchase for warranty claims. For detailed terms and conditions, refer to the official user guide or contact BLACK+DECKER customer service.

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES AND SUPPORT

For further assistance, detailed diagrams, or specific operational queries, please refer to the official user guide:

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No official product videos from the seller are available for this model. For visual demonstrations, please refer to the user manual or search for community-created content.