DEWALT DXV09P

DEWALT DXV09P 9-Gallon Wet/Dry Vacuum Instruction Manual

1. Introduction

This manual provides essential information for the safe and effective operation, assembly, and maintenance of your DEWALT DXV09P 9-Gallon Wet/Dry Vacuum. Please read all instructions carefully before using the product to ensure proper function and to prevent injury.



Image 1.1: The DEWALT DXV09P 9-Gallon Wet/Dry Vacuum, featuring its distinctive yellow and black design with casters and a top handle.

2. Important Safety Information

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

- **Read all instructions:** Familiarize yourself with the vacuum's functions and operating procedures.
- **Do not leave appliance unattended:** Unplug from outlet when not in use and before servicing.

- **Do not use outdoors or on wet surfaces:** Unless specifically designed for such use.
- **Do not allow to be used as a toy:** Close attention is necessary when used by or near children.
- **Use only as described in this manual:** Use only manufacturer's recommended attachments.
- **Do not pull or carry by cord:** Do not use cord as a handle, close a door on cord, or pull cord around sharp edges or corners. Keep cord away from heated surfaces.
- **Do not unplug by pulling on cord:** Grasp the plug, not the cord.
- **Do not handle plug or appliance with wet hands:** Ensure hands are dry before operating.
- **Do not put any object into openings:** Do not use with any opening blocked; keep free of dust, lint, hair, and anything that may reduce air flow.
- **Keep hair, loose clothing, fingers, and all parts of body away from openings and moving parts:** Avoid contact with rotating components.
- **Do not pick up anything that is burning or smoking:** Such as cigarettes, matches, or hot ashes.
- **Use extra care when cleaning on stairs:** Maintain balance and secure footing.
- **Do not use to pick up flammable or combustible liquids:** Such as gasoline, or use in areas where they may be present.
- **Do not use without filters in place:** Ensure all filters are correctly installed for both wet and dry operation.
- **Turn off all controls before unplugging:** Always power down the unit before disconnecting from the power source.

3. Included Components

Your DEWALT DXV09P Wet/Dry Vacuum comes with the following components:

- DEWALT DXV09P Wet/Dry Vacuum Unit
- 1-7/8" x 7' Hose
- Two Extension Wands
- Cartridge Filter (for dry pickup)
- Dust Bag (for dry pickup)
- Floor Nozzle
- Utility Nozzle
- Crevice Nozzle
- Accessory Bag



Image 3.1: All included accessories for the DEWALT DXV09P, including the hose, extension wands, various nozzles, filters, and the accessory bag.

4. Assembly Instructions

Follow these steps to assemble your DEWALT DXV09P Wet/Dry Vacuum:

1. **Unpack Components:** Carefully remove all parts from the packaging. Verify that all components listed in Section 3 are present.
2. **Attach Casters:** Invert the vacuum tank. Insert the four rubberized casters into the designated slots on the base of the vacuum. Ensure they click securely into place.
3. **Install Filter:** For dry vacuuming, install the cartridge filter over the filter cage and secure it with the filter nut. For wet vacuuming, remove the cartridge filter and ensure the foam filter (if included or purchased separately) is properly installed.
4. **Attach Hose:** Connect the larger end of the 1-7/8" x 7' hose to the vacuum's intake port by twisting it clockwise until

it locks securely.

5. **Connect Accessories:** Attach the desired extension wands and nozzle (floor, utility, or crevice) to the free end of the hose.
6. **Attach Accessory Bag:** Secure the accessory bag to the designated hooks or slots on the rear of the vacuum unit for convenient storage of nozzles and other small items.



Image 4.1: A labeled diagram highlighting key components of the DEWALT DXV09P, including the heavy-duty handle, on/off switch, hose strap, lid latches, poly tub, accessory bag, rubberized casters, drain port, and quick-connect vacuum port.

5. Operating Instructions

5.1 Dry Vacuuming

For dry debris pickup, ensure the cartridge filter is properly installed. An optional dust bag can be used in conjunction with the cartridge filter for improved filtration and easier debris disposal. Connect the hose and desired nozzle, then plug the

power cord into a suitable electrical outlet. Turn the vacuum on using the large, water-resistant on/off switch.



Image 5.1: A person operating the DEWALT DXV09P with an extension wand and floor nozzle to clean dry debris from a concrete floor.

5.2 Wet Vacuuming

Before wet vacuuming, **remove the cartridge filter and dust bag**. If available, install a foam filter (sold separately) for wet applications. Connect the hose and a suitable nozzle, such as the utility nozzle, for liquid pickup. Plug in the vacuum and turn it on. When the tank is full, the float mechanism will automatically shut off suction. Turn off the vacuum, unplug it, and drain the tank using the built-in tank drain at the bottom of the unit.

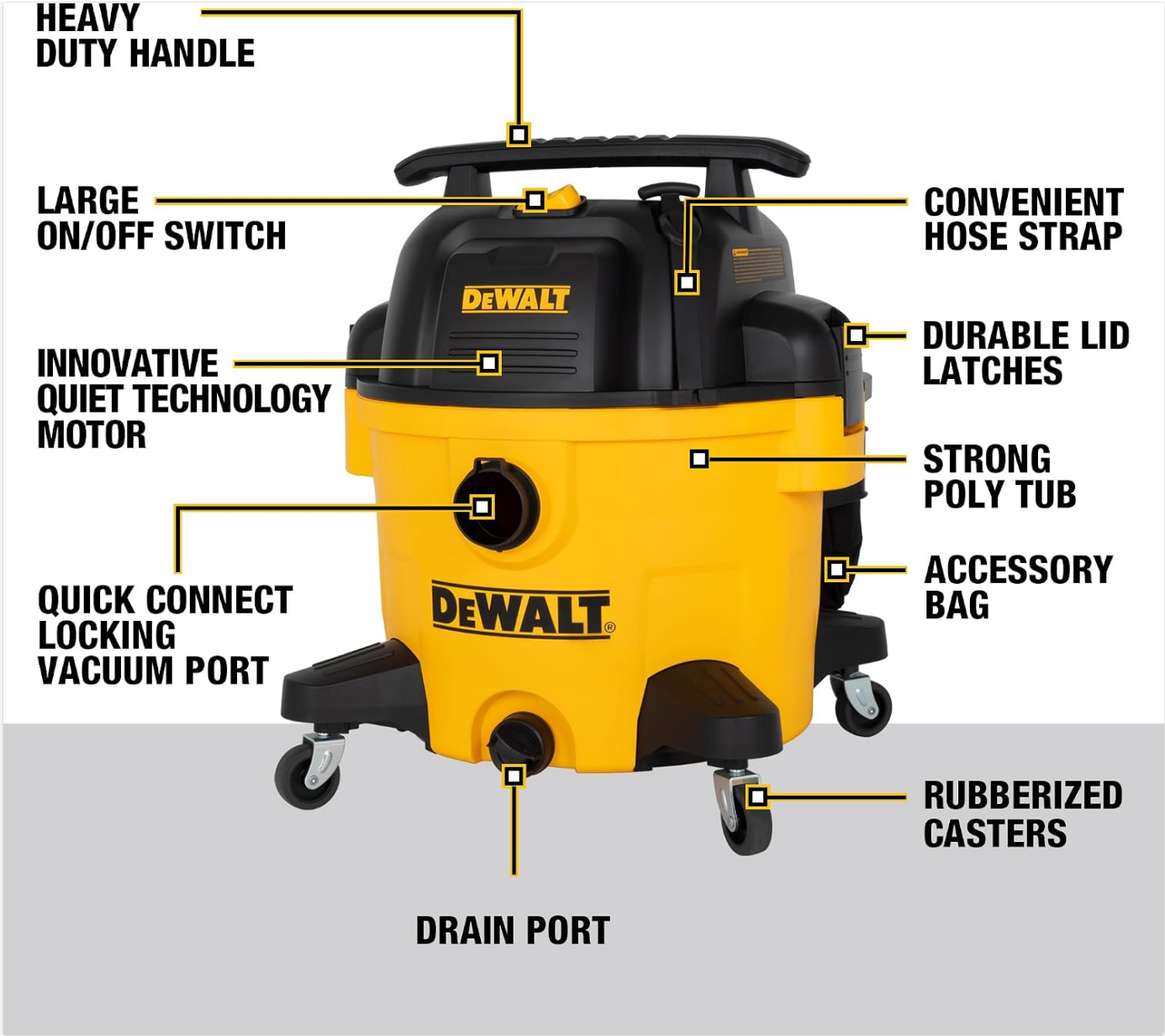


Image 5.2: The utility nozzle of the DEWALT DXV09P effectively collecting standing water from a surface.

5.3 Blower Function

The DEWALT DXV09P features a built-in blower port. To use this function, detach the hose from the vacuum intake port and connect it to the blower port located on the motor head. The vacuum will now function as a powerful blower, suitable for clearing sawdust, leaves, or other light debris from work areas.

6. Maintenance

Regular maintenance ensures optimal performance and extends the life of your vacuum.

- **Filter Cleaning/Replacement:** For dry use, regularly clean the cartridge filter by tapping it gently to dislodge dust. Replace the filter when suction noticeably decreases or if the filter is damaged. For wet use, clean the foam filter by rinsing it with water and allowing it to air dry completely before reinstallation.
- **Tank Cleaning:** After wet vacuuming, drain the tank completely and rinse it with water to remove any residue. Allow the tank to air dry to prevent mold or mildew.
- **Hose and Accessory Care:** Inspect the hose and accessories for blockages or damage before and after each use. Clear any obstructions and clean as needed.
- **Cord Storage:** Wrap the 20-foot power cord neatly around the integrated cord wrap on the handle when not in use.

- **General Storage:** Store the vacuum in a dry, clean area, away from extreme temperatures.

7. Troubleshooting

If you encounter issues with your DEWALT DXV09P, refer to the following common problems and solutions:

- **Loss of Suction:**
  - Check for blockages in the hose, nozzles, or vacuum intake.
  - Ensure the filter is clean and properly installed. A clogged filter will reduce suction.
  - Verify the tank lid is securely latched, creating a proper seal.
  - For wet vacuuming, check if the tank is full and the float mechanism has activated.
- **Vacuum Does Not Start:**
  - Ensure the power cord is securely plugged into a functioning electrical outlet.
  - Check the on/off switch to ensure it is in the 'ON' position.
  - Verify that the circuit breaker has not tripped.
- **Water Leaking from Tank:**
  - Ensure the drain cap is securely closed.
  - Check for cracks or damage to the tank.

8. Specifications

Feature	Specification
Model Number	DXV09P
Capacity	9 Gallons
Motor Horsepower	5 Peak HP
Wattage	135 Watts
Amperage	10 Amps
Hose Length	7 Feet (1-7/8" diameter)
Power Cord Length	20 Feet
Noise Level	80 dB
Product Dimensions (L x W x H)	22" x 18" x 17.5"
Item Weight	22.5 pounds
Filter Type	Cartridge (for dry), Foam (for wet, optional)
Special Features	Wet/Dry Function, Blower Port, Cord Wrap, Accessory Bag, Swiveling Casters, Tank Drain

9. Warranty Information

The DEWALT DXV09P Wet/Dry Vacuum is covered by a **3-year limited warranty** from the date of purchase. This warranty covers defects in materials and workmanship. For specific terms, conditions, and limitations, please refer to the warranty card included with your product or contact DEWALT customer support.

10. Customer Support

For technical assistance, replacement parts, or warranty claims, please contact DEWALT customer support through their official website or the contact information provided in your product packaging. When contacting support, please have your model number (DXV09P) and serial number readily available.

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