

Whirlpool WSIC 3M17 C

Whirlpool WSIC 3M17 C Dishwasher User Manual

Model: WSIC 3M17 C

INTRODUCTION AND SAFETY INFORMATION

This manual provides essential information for the safe and efficient use of your Whirlpool WSIC 3M17 C dishwasher. Please read it thoroughly before installation and operation, and keep it for future reference.

General Safety Warnings

- Ensure the dishwasher is installed by a qualified technician according to local regulations.
- Do not allow children to operate or play with the dishwasher.
- Always disconnect the appliance from the power supply before performing any maintenance or cleaning.
- Do not touch the heating element during or immediately after the wash cycle.
- Use only detergents and rinse aids specifically designed for automatic dishwashers.
- Sharp items should be loaded with points down to prevent injury.

SETUP AND INSTALLATION

Proper installation is crucial for the performance and safety of your dishwasher. It is recommended that installation be performed by a professional.

Unpacking and Positioning

Remove all packaging materials. Position the dishwasher in the desired location, ensuring it is level. The appliance is designed for full integration into kitchen cabinetry.



Image: The Whirlpool WSIC 3M17 C dishwasher seamlessly integrated into a modern kitchen cabinet, showing its compact 45 cm design when closed.

Water and Electrical Connections

- Connect the water inlet hose to a cold water supply with a 3/4" threaded connector.
- Ensure the drain hose is properly connected to the household drainage system.
- Connect the appliance to a grounded electrical outlet. Refer to the rating plate for voltage and frequency requirements.

Loading the Dishwasher

Load dishes carefully to ensure optimal washing and drying performance. Scrape off large food particles before loading.



Image: The lower rack of the dishwasher, fully loaded with dinner plates and a cutlery basket, demonstrating efficient space utilization.



Image: A close-up of the upper rack, showing cups and glasses, with red adjustable elements for flexible loading.

- Place larger items and pots in the lower rack.
- Place glasses, cups, and smaller plates in the upper rack.
- Ensure spray arms can rotate freely.
- Load cutlery in the dedicated basket, handles down for forks and spoons, points down for knives.

Adding Detergent and Rinse Aid

Use only automatic dishwasher detergent. Fill the detergent dispenser according to the program selected and the soil level of the dishes. Fill the rinse aid dispenser when the indicator light illuminates.



Image: The interior of the dishwasher with the door fully open, highlighting the detergent dispenser on the inner door panel and the general layout of the racks.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Control Panel Overview

The control panel is located on the top edge of the dishwasher door. It typically includes a power button, program selection buttons, and indicator lights for rinse aid and salt.

Starting a Wash Cycle

1. Ensure the dishwasher is loaded correctly and detergent/rinse aid are added.
2. Close the dishwasher door firmly.
3. Press the Power button to turn on the appliance.
4. Select the desired wash program using the program selection button.
5. The program will start automatically after a short delay, or immediately depending on the model.

Interrupting or Canceling a Program

- To interrupt: Open the door slightly to pause the cycle. Close the door to resume.
- To cancel: Press and hold the program selection button for a few seconds until the program indicator lights reset.
- **Caution:** Hot steam may escape when opening the door during a cycle.

End of Cycle

At the end of the wash cycle, an audible signal may sound, and the program indicator light will turn off. Wait a few minutes before opening the door to allow dishes to cool and dry properly.

MAINTENANCE AND CLEANING

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

Cleaning the Filters

The filter system prevents larger food particles from reaching the pump. Clean the filters regularly to avoid blockages and ensure efficient washing.



Image: A detailed view of the dishwasher's bottom, showing the removable filter assembly and the lower spray arm.

1. Turn off and unplug the dishwasher.
2. Rotate the cylindrical filter counter-clockwise and lift it out.

- 3. Remove the fine filter and the coarse filter.
- 4. Rinse all filters under running water, removing any food debris.
- 5. Reassemble the filters in reverse order, ensuring they are securely in place.

Cleaning the Spray Arms

Check the spray arm nozzles periodically for blockages. If necessary, remove the spray arms and clean the holes with a fine brush or toothpick.

Exterior and Interior Cleaning

- Wipe the exterior with a damp cloth and mild detergent.
- Clean the door seal regularly to remove food residues.
- Run a dishwasher cleaning cycle periodically using a specialized dishwasher cleaner.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Before contacting customer service, refer to the following table for common issues and their solutions.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Dishwasher does not start	No power supply; Door not closed properly; Program not selected.	Check power connection; Ensure door is latched; Select a wash program.
Dishes not clean	Improper loading; Clogged spray arms/filters; Insufficient detergent; Incorrect program.	Reload dishes correctly; Clean filters and spray arms; Add more detergent; Select a more intensive program.
Water not draining	Clogged filter; Kinked drain hose; Blocked drain pump.	Clean filters; Straighten drain hose; Contact service if pump is blocked.
White streaks on dishes	Too much rinse aid; Soft water setting too high.	Reduce rinse aid dosage; Adjust water softener setting.

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Specification
Model Number	WSIC 3M17 C
Type	Fully Integrated Slim Dishwasher
Capacity	10 Place Settings
Width	45 cm
Depth	55.5 cm
Height	82 cm
Weight	35 kg
Energy Efficiency Class	A+ (Old Rating System)
Annual Energy Consumption	1900 Watts

Feature	Specification
Noise Level	46 Decibels
Material	Stainless Steel (Interior)
Voltage	230 V

WARRANTY AND CUSTOMER SUPPORT

Your Whirlpool dishwasher is covered by 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 your warranty documentation.

When contacting support, please have your appliance's model number (WSIC 3M17 C) and serial number ready. The serial number is usually located on a sticker inside the dishwasher door.