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Model: F4J5VY3W

1. IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

Read all instructions before using the appliance. Keep this manual for future reference. Follow all warnings and instructions provided in this manual and on the appliance.

- Do not allow children to play on or in the appliance. Close supervision is necessary when the appliance is used near children.
- Do not install or store this appliance where it will be exposed to the weather or freezing temperatures.
- Do not tamper with controls.
- Do not repair or replace any part of the appliance or attempt any servicing unless specifically recommended in the user-maintenance instructions or in published user-repair instructions that you understand and have the skills to carry out.
- Always disconnect the appliance from the power supply before cleaning or performing any maintenance.

2. SETUP AND INSTALLATION

2.1 Unpacking

Remove all packaging materials, including the shipping bolts. Failure to remove shipping bolts can cause severe vibration and damage to the appliance during operation.

2.2 Location Requirements

Ensure the appliance is placed on a solid, level floor. Avoid direct sunlight or areas where freezing may occur. Maintain adequate clearance around the appliance for ventilation and servicing.

2.3 Water Supply Connection

Connect the hot and cold water inlet hoses to the corresponding valves on the back of the washing machine. Ensure connections are tight to prevent leaks. Use new hoses provided with the appliance.

2.4 Drain Hose Installation

Route the drain hose into a standpipe or laundry tub. Ensure the drain hose is securely fastened to prevent it from dislodging during the drain cycle. The end of the drain hose should be positioned between 60 cm and 100 cm from the floor.

2.5 Leveling the Appliance

Use a spirit level to check if the appliance is perfectly level. Adjust the leveling feet at the bottom of the washing machine by turning them clockwise or counter-clockwise until the appliance is stable and level.

2.6 Power Connection

Plug the power cord into a grounded electrical outlet. Do not use an extension cord or adapter.

3. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

3.1 Control Panel Overview

The control panel features a program selector dial, a digital display, and various option buttons. Refer to the image below for a visual guide.



Figure 1: Front view of the LG F4J5VY3W washing machine, showing the control panel at the top, the main door for loading laundry, and the drain pump filter access panel at the bottom right.

3.2 Loading Laundry

Open the door and load items loosely into the drum. Do not overload the washing machine, as this can affect washing performance and cause excessive vibration. Close the door firmly.

3.3 Adding Detergent and Softener

Pull out the detergent dispenser drawer. Add the appropriate amount of detergent to the main wash compartment and fabric softener to the softener compartment. Do not exceed the maximum fill line.

3.4 Selecting a Wash Cycle

Turn the program selector dial to choose the desired wash cycle. Common cycles include:

- **Cotton:** For cotton fabrics, bed linen, table linen, underwear, towels, shirts.
- **Synthetics:** For blouses, shirts, etc., made of polyester, polyamide, or similar.
- **Delicates:** For delicate items such as lingerie and silk.
- **Steam:** Utilizes steam for enhanced cleaning and wrinkle reduction.
- **Quick Wash:** For lightly soiled items that need a fast wash.

Additional options such as temperature, spin speed, and extra rinse can be selected using the corresponding buttons on the control panel.

3.5 Starting a Wash Cycle

Press the Start/Pause button to begin the selected wash cycle. The door will lock, and the washing machine will start filling with water.

3.6 Adding Items During Wash

If you need to add items after the cycle has started, press the Start/Pause button. Wait for the door to unlock (this may take a few minutes depending on the water level and temperature). Add items, close the door, and press Start/Pause again to resume.

3.7 End of Cycle

Once the cycle is complete, an audible signal will sound, and "End" will appear on the display. The door will unlock. Remove laundry promptly to prevent wrinkles.

4. MAINTENANCE

Regular maintenance helps ensure optimal performance and extends the lifespan of your washing machine.

4.1 Cleaning the Detergent Dispenser

Periodically remove the detergent dispenser drawer and rinse it under running water to remove any detergent residue or mold buildup. Use a small brush if necessary.

4.2 Cleaning the Drain Pump Filter

The drain pump filter should be cleaned regularly (e.g., every few months) to prevent blockages. Open the access panel at the bottom right of the appliance. Place a shallow container beneath the filter to catch any residual water. Unscrew the filter slowly to drain water, then remove and clean it of lint and debris. Reinsert and tighten securely.

4.3 Cleaning the Drum

Run a "Tub Clean" or "Drum Clean" cycle (if available) periodically to remove detergent residue and bacteria from the drum. Alternatively, run an empty hot wash cycle with a cup of white vinegar or a washing machine cleaner.

4.4 Cleaning the Exterior

Wipe the exterior surfaces of the washing machine with a soft, damp cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners or solvents.

4.5 Door Seal Care

After each wash, wipe the door seal (gasket) to remove any moisture or debris. Leave the door slightly ajar when not in use to allow the drum to air out and prevent odors.

5. TROUBLESHOOTING

Before contacting service, review the following common issues and their solutions.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Appliance does not start	Power cord unplugged; Door not closed properly; Start/Pause button not pressed.	Check power connection; Ensure door is firmly closed; Press Start/Pause button.
Water leakage	Loose hose connections; Clogged drain hose/filter.	Tighten water inlet/drain hose connections; Clean drain pump filter.
Excessive vibration	Shipping bolts not removed; Appliance not level; Uneven load.	Remove shipping bolts; Level the appliance; Redistribute laundry inside the drum.
No water fill	Water tap closed; Water inlet hose kinked; Water pressure too low.	Open water tap; Straighten hose; Check household water pressure.
Error codes on display	Specific issue indicated by code (e.g., water supply, drain, door lock).	Refer to the full user manual for a list of error codes and their specific solutions. Often, turning off and on the appliance can reset minor errors.

6. SPECIFICATIONS

Brand	LG
Model	F4J5VY3W
Type	Front Load Washing Machine
Washing Capacity	9 kg
Maximum Spin Speed	1400 RPM
Energy Efficiency Class	A+++ -30%
Key Features	Steam Function, WiFi Connectivity (SmartThinQ/SmartDiagnosis)
Control Interface	Touch Screen, Dial Selector
Dimensions (W x H x D)	<i>(Specific dimensions not provided in source data, refer to product packaging or full manual)</i>

Power Supply

(Specific power requirements not provided in source data, refer to product label)

7. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information and technical support, please refer to the warranty card included with your product or visit the official LG website. Keep your proof of purchase for warranty claims.

For further assistance, you may contact LG customer service. Contact details can typically be found on the LG official website for your region.