Whirlpool FT M11 8X3B IT

Whirlpool FFT M11 8X3B IT Heat Pump Freestanding Dryer

Model: **FT M11 8X3B IT** | Brand: **Whirlpool**

Product Overview

The Whirlpool FFT M11 8X3B IT is a freestanding heat pump dryer designed for efficient and gentle drying of your laundry. Featuring an 8.0 kg capacity, this appliance incorporates Whirlpool's exclusive 6th Sense technology, which intelligently monitors humidity levels within the drum. This ensures optimal drying performance while protecting your garments from over-drying. The advanced heat pump system significantly reduces energy consumption, making it an environmentally friendly and cost-effective choice for your home.



Figure 1: Angled view of the Whirlpool FFT M11 8X3B IT Heat Pump Dryer. This image showcases the sleek white design and the large black porthole door.

- **8.0 kg Capacity:** Spacious drum suitable for family-sized loads.
- **6th Sense Technology:** Automatically adjusts drying settings based on humidity for perfect results.
- **Heat Pump Technology:** Energy-efficient drying that reuses hot air, reducing electricity consumption.
- **FreshCare+ Function:** Keeps clothes fresh and soft for up to 6 hours after the cycle ends.
- **SENSEINVERTER Motor:** Ensures quiet operation, energy savings, and long-lasting performance, backed by a 10-year guarantee.

Setup and Installation

Before operating your new Whirlpool dryer, ensure it is properly installed according to the instructions provided in the full installation manual. This section provides a general overview of key setup considerations.

Unpacking and Placement

1. Carefully remove all packaging materials from the dryer. Inspect the appliance for any transit damage.
2. Place the dryer on a firm, level floor. Ensure there is adequate ventilation around the appliance.
3. The dryer's dimensions are approximately 84.9 cm (H) x 59.5 cm (W) x 64.9 cm (D). Allow extra space for door opening and air circulation.



Figure 2: Front view of the dryer, illustrating its compact design suitable for various placements.

Electrical Connection

Connect the dryer to a grounded electrical outlet as specified in the full installation guide. Do not use extension cords or adapters.

Condensate Drainage

This heat pump dryer collects water in a condensate tank. Ensure the tank is correctly seated. For continuous drainage, you may connect a drain hose (not included) to a suitable drain point, following the instructions in the full manual.

Operating Instructions

This section guides you through the basic operation of your Whirlpool heat pump dryer.

Loading Laundry

1. Open the dryer door.
2. Load laundry into the drum, ensuring not to overload. The maximum capacity is 8 kg.
3. Close the door firmly until it clicks.



Figure 3: The dryer with its large porthole door open, revealing the spacious drum for loading laundry.

Selecting a Program

Turn the program selector knob to choose the desired drying program. The dryer offers a variety of programs tailored for different fabric types and drying needs:

- **Bed Linen:** For sheets and duvet covers.
- **Duvets:** Specific program for duvets and large items.
- **Coloureds:** Protects the vibrancy of colored garments.
- **Delicates:** Gentle drying for sensitive fabrics.
- **Eco Cotton:** Energy-efficient program for cotton items.
- **Jeans:** Optimized for denim.
- **Mixed:** For mixed loads of cotton and synthetics.
- **Refresh:** Airing program to refresh clothes without washing.
- **Rapid:** Quick drying cycle.
- **Shirts:** Reduces creasing for shirts.
- **Silk:** Extremely gentle for silk items.
- **Sports:** For sportswear.
- **Synthetics:** For synthetic fabrics.
- **Wool:** Gentle drying for woolens.



Figure 4: Detailed view of the control panel, showing the program selector knob and various option buttons.

Adjusting Options

After selecting a program, you can customize it using the option buttons:

- **Adjustable Drying Level:** Fine-tune the dryness level.
- **FreshCare+:** Activates the anti-crease and freshness cycle after drying.
- **Key Lock:** Locks the control panel to prevent accidental changes.
- **Rapid:** Reduces drying time for selected programs.
- **Delayed Start:** Set a time for the drying cycle to begin.

Starting the Cycle

Press the Start/Pause button to begin the drying cycle. The display will show the remaining time.

Maintenance

Regular maintenance ensures optimal performance and longevity of your dryer.

Cleaning the Lint Filter

The lint filter should be cleaned after every drying cycle to maintain efficiency and prevent fire hazards. The filter is located inside the door opening.

1. Open the dryer door.
2. Pull out the lint filter.
3. Remove any accumulated lint by hand or with a soft brush.
4. Reinsert the filter firmly into its position.



Figure 5: Interior view of the dryer drum, showing the lint filter location at the bottom of the door opening.

Emptying the Condensate Tank

If you are not using continuous drainage, the condensate tank must be emptied after each cycle. The tank is typically located at the top left of the control panel.

1. Pull out the condensate tank.
2. Pour out the collected water.
3. Push the tank back into its compartment until it clicks into place.

Cleaning the Heat Exchanger

Periodically, the heat exchanger (condenser) may need cleaning. Refer to your full user manual for detailed instructions on how to access and clean this component, typically every few months depending on usage.

Exterior Cleaning

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

Troubleshooting

This section provides solutions to common issues you might encounter with your dryer. For more complex problems, please contact customer support.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Dryer does not start.	Power cord unplugged; door not closed properly; program not selected; Start/Pause button not pressed.	Check power connection; ensure door is fully closed; select a program; press Start/Pause.
Clothes are not drying properly.	Lint filter clogged; condensate tank full; overloaded drum; incorrect program selected.	Clean lint filter; empty condensate tank; reduce load size; select appropriate program.

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Dryer is noisy.	Items caught in drum; dryer not level; foreign objects in drum.	Check drum for small items; ensure dryer is level; remove any foreign objects.
Display shows an error code.	Specific malfunction.	Refer to the full user manual for error code definitions or contact customer support.

Specifications

Detailed technical specifications for the Whirlpool FFT M11 8X3B IT Heat Pump Dryer.

Brand: Whirlpool

Model Number: FT M11 8X3B IT

Type: Freestanding Heat Pump Dryer

Loading Type: Front Load

Capacity: 8 Kilograms

Energy Efficiency Class: A+++

Motor Type: SENSEINVERTER Motor

Dimensions (H x W x D): 84.9 cm x 59.5 cm x 64.9 cm

Item Weight: 44 Kilograms

Noise Level: (Not explicitly stated, but SENSEINVERTER implies quiet operation)

Components Included: Dryer unit

Warranty and Support

Your Whirlpool FFT M11 8X3B IT Heat Pump Dryer comes with a manufacturer's warranty to ensure peace of mind.

- **SENSEINVERTER Motor Guarantee:** The advanced SENSEINVERTER motor is guaranteed for 10 years, reflecting its durability and reliability.
- **General Product Warranty:** For specific warranty terms and conditions applicable to the entire appliance, please refer to the warranty card included with your product or visit the official Whirlpool website for your region.

Customer Support

Should you require assistance with installation, operation, maintenance, or troubleshooting beyond the scope of this manual, please contact Whirlpool customer support. Have your model number (FT M11 8X3B IT) and serial number ready when contacting support.

For the most up-to-date contact information and service options, please visit the official Whirlpool website:www.whirlpool.com

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