

Reliable 240IR

Reliable Velocity 240IR Steam Iron User Manual

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides detailed instructions for the safe and efficient use of your Reliable Velocity 240IR Steam Iron. Designed for sewing, quilting, and general clothes ironing, this 1800W compact vapor generator features leak-free continuous steam, touch-activated control, and a scratch-resistant, easy-to-clean soleplate. Please read all instructions carefully before using the appliance.

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

- Always unplug the iron when filling with water or emptying, and when not in use.
- Do not use anything other than water in the tank. Avoid vinegar, perfumes, scents, or chemicals, as this will void the warranty.
- Do not exceed the maximum 350ml water capacity.
- Do not use an extension cord, power bar, or surge protector. If absolutely necessary, use a 16 gauge cord with a minimum of 1800 Watts. A cord rated for less amperage can result in a risk of fire or electric shock due to overheating and will void your warranty.
- Keep the iron out of reach of children and pets.
- Do not touch hot surfaces. Allow the iron to cool completely before handling or storing.

SETUP

Filling the Water Tank

Before first use, or if the iron has been stored for a long time, flush the water tank to remove any potential mineral buildup.

1. Ensure the iron is unplugged and cool.
2. Open the water inlet cover.
3. Fill the water tank with distilled water up to the MAX line (do not exceed 350ml).
4. Close the water inlet cover securely.
5. To flush, fill the iron, then dump out the water. Repeat this process two times.



Image: The Reliable Velocity 240IR Steam Iron, showing the water tank and overall design. Ensure the water tank is filled with distilled water up to the maximum line.

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Video: This segment demonstrates the cleaning and care process for the iron, including draining the water tank after use and flushing it before use. It also highlights the recommendation to use distilled water and avoid hard water or chemicals to prevent mineral buildup.

OPERATING THE IRON

Powering On and Temperature Settings

The Velocity 240IR does not have a dedicated on/off switch. To power off, you must unplug the unit from the electrical outlet.

The iron features two primary settings: **Auto** and **Turbo**.

- **Auto Setting:** This setting is safe for all fabric types, from delicate linens to more robust materials, providing effective wrinkle removal without risk of damage.
- **Turbo Setting:** For heavier fabrics or stubborn wrinkles that require additional heat and steam, switch to the Turbo setting for maximum power.



YOU'RE IN CONTROL

Image: Top view of the iron, highlighting the 'Auto' and 'Turbo' buttons for temperature and steam control.

Activating Steam

The Velocity 240IR features Sensor Touch Technology for steam activation:

1. Press the steam button.
2. Simply grip the steam sensor handle. The iron will automatically release a steady stream of steam.

When using the iron for the first time, you may hear a "chugging" noise. This is normal and indicates the pump is initializing for first-time use.

Auto Shut-off Bypass

The iron is equipped with an 8-minute auto shut-off feature for safety. To enable or disable this feature:

1. Hold the steam button for 5 seconds.
2. The LED light will flash to indicate the change in setting.

This bypass option is particularly useful for tasks like quilting and sewing that require continuous ironing.



Image: The iron with text indicating the 'Auto Off Bypass' feature, useful for continuous ironing tasks.

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Video: This segment demonstrates how to set the temperature using the Auto and Turbo features, activate steam via the sensor handle, and enable/disable the auto-off function for continuous ironing.

MAINTENANCE

Soleplate Care

The anodized aluminum soleplate is scratch-resistant and easy to clean. To maintain its condition:

- Ensure the unit is off and the soleplate is cool.
- Simply wipe the soleplate with a damp cloth.
- Do not use any abrasives or chemical cleaners on the soleplate, as this can damage the surface.



ANODIZED ALUMINUM SOLEPLATE

Image: Underside of the iron, showcasing the anodized aluminum soleplate with steam vents.

Water Tank Care

- Always drain the water tank after each use to prevent mineral buildup.
- Use only distilled water to prolong the life of your iron and prevent scale formation.
- Never use hard water, tap water, or any additives like vinegar, perfumes, or chemicals in the water tank. This will void the product warranty.

TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your Reliable Velocity 240IR Steam Iron, please refer to the following common solutions:

- **No Steam/Low Steam:** Ensure the water tank is filled with distilled water. Check that the iron is properly heated to the desired temperature setting (Auto or Turbo). If using for the first time, allow the pump to initialize.
- **Water Leaking/Spitting:** This iron features a dual-chamber system designed to prevent leaks. Ensure you are using distilled water and not overfilling the tank (max 350ml). If the issue persists, ensure the iron has reached its operating temperature before activating steam.
- **Iron Not Heating:** Verify the iron is securely plugged into a functional electrical outlet. Remember, the iron does not have an on/off switch and is powered on when plugged in.

- **Auto Shut-off Issues:** If the iron is turning off unexpectedly during continuous use, ensure the auto shut-off bypass feature is enabled (hold steam button for 5 seconds).

SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand	Reliable
Model Name	Velocity 240IR
Model Number	240IR
Wattage	1800 watts
Special Features	No drip, no leaks, aluminum soleplate, auto shut-off safety system, continuous steam, swivel cord, temperature control, scratch resistant soleplate, sensor touch technology
Color	Grey Blue
Base Material	Anodized Aluminum
Recommended Uses	Ironing various fabric types, from delicate fabrics to heavier materials
Unit Count	1.0 Count
Country of Origin	China
UPC	885885005841



SENSOR TOUCH TECHNOLOGY

Image: Close-up of the iron's handle and control panel, highlighting the Sensor Touch Technology.



Image: The iron with its dimensions labeled: 12.5 inches (length), 5 inches (width), and 6.5 inches (height).

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For further assistance or support on using your Velocity 240IR Steam Iron, please visit the official Reliable Corporation website or contact customer service.

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Please note that using anything other than water in the tank, or using an unsuitable extension cord/power bar, may void the product warranty.