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MODEL: BBT-DC40A

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## 1. Overview

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The SnapFresh 20V 4.0Ah Lithium-Ion Battery (Model BBT-DC40A) is designed to provide reliable power for your SnapFresh 20V cordless tools. This high-capacity battery offers extended runtime and features an integrated LED fuel gauge for convenient monitoring of the charge level. It is engineered for durability and includes multiple protection features to ensure safe operation and longevity.



Figure 1: SnapFresh 20V 4.0Ah Lithium-Ion Battery (Model BBT-DC40A)

## 2. Safety Information

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Read and understand all safety warnings and instructions before using this battery. Failure to follow the warnings and instructions may result in electric shock, fire, and/or serious injury.

- **Compatibility:** This battery is **ONLY compatible with SnapFresh 20V cordless tools and chargers**. Do not attempt to use it with tools or chargers from other brands, as this may cause damage or injury.
- **Charging:** Use only the specified SnapFresh 20V charger (e.g., BBT-XH20V, BBT-YFT20V) for this battery. Charging with an incompatible charger may create a risk of fire.
- **Storage:** Store the battery away from metal objects like paper clips, coins, keys, nails, screws, or other small metal objects that can make a connection from one terminal to another. Shorting the battery terminals together may cause burns or a fire.
- **Temperature:** Do not expose the battery to extreme temperatures (above 50°C / 122°F or below -10°C / 14°F) or direct sunlight.
- **Damage:** Do not use a battery pack or appliance that is damaged or modified. Damaged or modified batteries may exhibit unpredictable behavior resulting in fire, explosion, or risk of injury.

- **Disposal:** Do not dispose of batteries in fire or water. Always follow local regulations for battery recycling and disposal.
- **Handling:** Do not open, crush, heat above 100°C (212°F), or incinerate the battery.



Figure 2: SnapFresh 20V 4.0Ah Battery, compatible only with SnapFresh 20V tools and chargers.

### 3. Key Features

- **High Capacity:** 4.0Ah capacity provides extended runtime for various tasks, effectively doubling the capacity of two 2.0Ah batteries.
- **LED Fuel Gauge:** A 3-LED indicator system provides immediate feedback on the battery's state of charge, allowing you to monitor remaining power.



Figure 3: Battery with visible LED indicator for charge status.

- **Fast Charging:** Achieves full capacity in approximately 110 minutes when used with a compatible SnapFresh fast charger.
- **Enhanced Protection:** Built-in intelligent management system provides comprehensive protection against:
  - Overheat Protection
  - Over Current Protection
  - Over Voltage Protection
  - Short Circuit Protection
  - Over Discharge Protection
  - Over Charge Protection
- **Durable Construction:** Features premium 18650 cells and enhanced impact protection for increased durability and heat dissipation.

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Video 1: Overview of the SnapFresh 20V Lithium-ion Battery features and compatibility with various tools.

## 4. Setup & Installation

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### 4.1 Charging the Battery

Before first use, fully charge the battery. Use only a compatible SnapFresh 20V charger.

1. Connect the SnapFresh 20V charger to a standard power outlet.
2. Align the battery with the charger's slot and slide it in until it clicks securely into place.
3. The charger's indicator light will show the charging status. Refer to your charger's manual for specific light patterns.
4. A full charge typically takes approximately 110 minutes.
5. Once fully charged, remove the battery from the charger.



Figure 4: SnapFresh 20V 4.0Ah Battery on a compatible SnapFresh charger (BBT-XH20V and BBT-YFT20V models shown).

## 4.2 Installing the Battery into a Tool

Ensure the tool is turned off before installing or removing the battery.

1. Align the battery with the battery port on your SnapFresh 20V tool.
2. Slide the battery into the tool until it clicks firmly into place. Ensure it is fully seated to prevent accidental dislodgement during operation.
3. To remove the battery, press the release button (if present on your tool/battery) and slide the battery out.



Figure 5: Quick release mechanism for inserting and removing the battery from a SnapFresh tool.

## 5. Operating Instructions

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Once the battery is securely installed in a compatible SnapFresh 20V tool, operate the tool according to its specific instruction manual. Always monitor the battery's charge level using the LED indicator to avoid unexpected power loss during tasks.

- **Checking Charge Level:** Press the button on the battery to illuminate the LED indicators.
  - 3 LEDs: 90-100% charge
  - 2 LEDs: 60-70% charge
  - 1 LED: 30% charge (recharge soon)
- **Optimal Performance:** For best results, allow the battery to cool down after heavy use before recharging.

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Video 2: Demonstrates the SnapFresh 20V 4.0Ah Lithium-ion Battery in use with various SnapFresh tools, including a lawnmower, string trimmer, hedge trimmer, and leaf blower.

## 6. Maintenance

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- **Cleaning:** Keep the battery terminals clean and free of debris. Use a dry cloth to wipe any dust or dirt.
- **Storage:** When not in use for extended periods, store the battery in a cool, dry place, away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures. It is recommended to store the battery with a partial charge (around 50%) to prolong its lifespan.
- **Avoid Deep Discharge:** Do not allow the battery to completely discharge. Recharge it when the LED indicator shows a low charge.

## 7. Troubleshooting

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Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
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Battery not charging	Charger not plugged in. Battery not properly seated in charger. Charger or battery is faulty. Battery temperature is too high/low.	Ensure charger is securely plugged into a working outlet. Re-seat the battery firmly into the charger. Allow battery to reach room temperature before charging. If problem persists, contact customer support.
Short runtime / Rapid discharge	Battery not fully charged. Battery is old or damaged. Tool is being used for heavy-duty tasks.	Ensure battery is fully charged before use. Consider replacing the battery if it's old and performance has significantly degraded. For demanding tasks, ensure the battery is fully charged and consider having a spare.
Battery LED indicator not working	Battery is completely discharged. Faulty LED or internal issue.	Attempt to charge the battery. If charging does not restore LED function, contact customer support.

## 8. Specifications

Attribute	Value
Brand	SnapFresh
Model Number	BBT-DC40A
Voltage	20 Volts
Battery Capacity	4.0 Amp Hours (4.0Ah)
Battery Cell Composition	Lithium Ion
Reusability	Rechargeable
Approx. Full Charge Time	110 minutes (with compatible fast charger)
Weight	450 Grams
Compatibility	SnapFresh 20V cordless tools and chargers ONLY

## 9. Warranty & Support

The SnapFresh 20V 4.0Ah Lithium-Ion Battery comes with a **1-year warranty** from the date of purchase. This warranty covers defects in materials and workmanship under normal use.

For warranty claims, technical support, or any questions regarding your SnapFresh product, please contact SnapFresh customer service. You can find contact information on the official SnapFresh website or through your retailer.

Please have your model number (BBT-DC40A) and purchase date available when contacting support.



