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Model: DW-13F8AF(SS)-EG

## 1. INTRODUCTION

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This manual provides essential information for the safe and efficient operation of your new TOSHIBA DW-13F8AF(SS)-EG Dishwasher. Please read these instructions carefully before using the appliance and retain them for future reference. This dishwasher is designed for household use to clean dishes, cutlery, and other kitchenware.



Figure 1: Front view of the TOSHIBA DW-13F8AF(SS)-EG Dishwasher.

## 2. SAFETY INFORMATION

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Always adhere to the following safety precautions to prevent personal injury or damage to the appliance.

- **Electrical Safety:** Ensure the dishwasher is connected to a properly grounded outlet. Do not use extension cords. Disconnect power before any maintenance or cleaning.
- **Water Safety:** Ensure water connections are secure to prevent leaks. Do not operate the dishwasher if there is a visible water leak.
- **Child Safety:** Keep children away from the dishwasher, especially when it is operating. Detergents are corrosive; keep them out of reach of children.
- **Appliance Use:** Only use detergents and rinse aids specifically designed for automatic dishwashers. Do not open the door during operation, especially during the hot wash or drying cycle, as hot water or steam may escape.
- **Loading:** Load sharp items (knives, forks) with handles up to prevent injury. Do not overload the dishwasher.

### 3. PRODUCT FEATURES

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Your TOSHIBA dishwasher incorporates several advanced features for optimal cleaning and convenience:

#### 3.1 Active Open Dry Technology

After the washing cycle concludes, the dishwasher door automatically opens slightly. This allows hot, moist air to escape and cooler, fresh air to enter, facilitating an efficient and natural drying process. This feature helps to improve drying performance and reduce unpleasant odors.

### 6 CUSTOMIZED PROGRAMMES

Reliable cleaning is on your demand.



Figure 2: Active Open Dry mechanism for enhanced drying.

#### 3.2 Antibacterial Filter

The dishwasher is equipped with an antibacterial filter, designed to inhibit the growth of bacteria by 99.99% continuously inside the appliance. This ensures a high level of hygiene and cleanliness for your dishes.

# EFFORTLESS AND EFFECTIVE ECO-DISHWASHING

Dishes are beautifully cleaned with less effort and water consumption.



**Dishwasher**



**Hand Washing**



**Saving 85% +  
Water Consumption**



\*2: The data mentioned here refers to the water consumption of ECO mode.  
\*3: According to "Washing-up behaviour and techniques in Europe" published by Staminger et al. in 2007, the estimated average water consumption of hands wash is 103L.

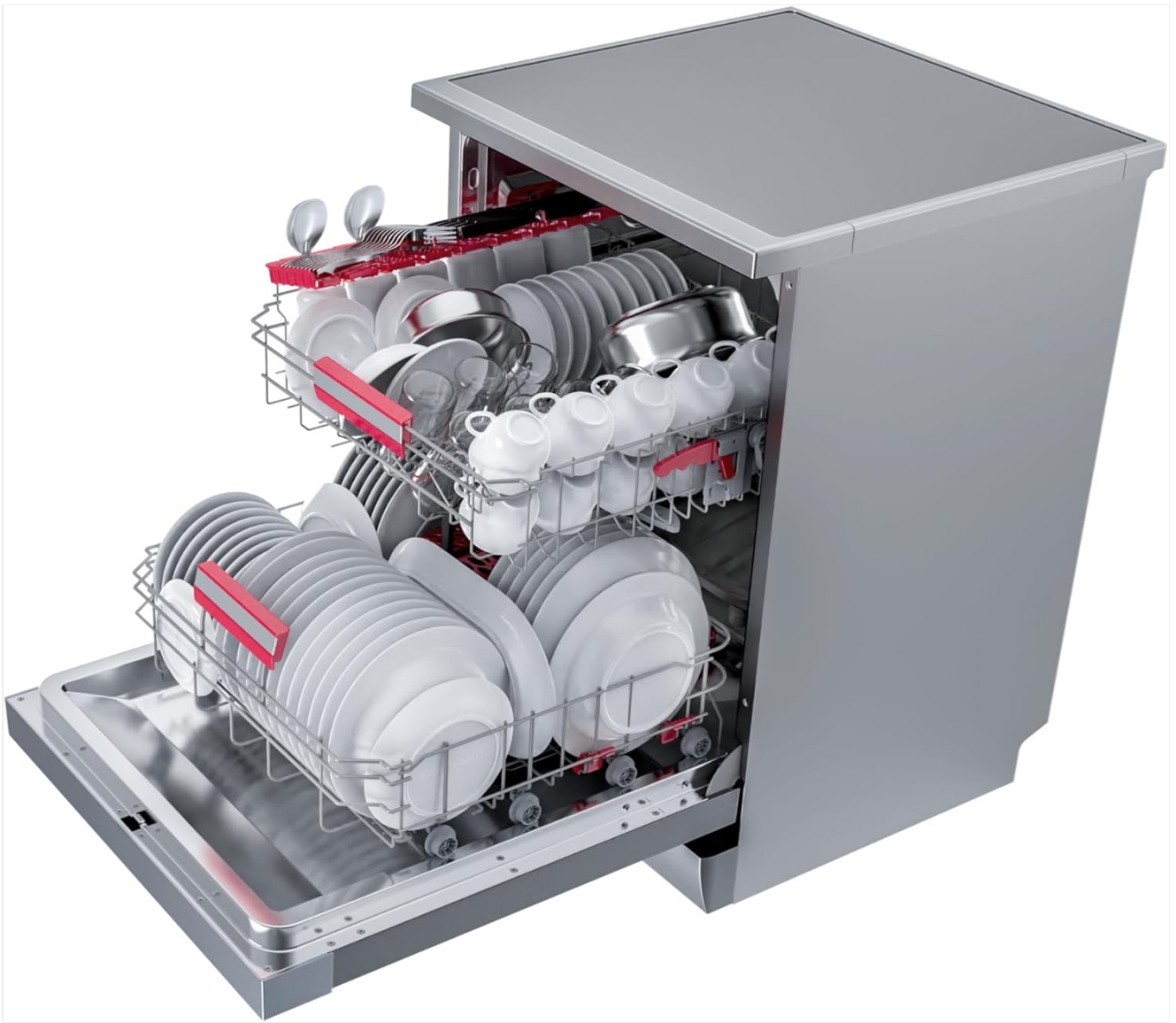
*Figure 3: Hygiene Guardian Protection with antibacterial filter.*

## 3.3 Half Load Function

The half-load feature allows you to wash a smaller quantity of dishes while optimizing water, time, and energy consumption. This makes the dishwasher more convenient and efficient for partial loads.

## 3.4 Adjustable Rack Height

The dishwasher features racks with adjustable height, providing greater flexibility and convenience when loading various sizes of dishes and cookware.



*Figure 4: Dishwasher interior with adjustable racks.*

### **3.5 Indicator Lights**

The control panel includes indicator lights that illuminate to alert you when rinse aid or salt levels are low, or if there is an issue with the water supply. This simplifies identifying and addressing operational needs.




Figure 5: Control panel with LED display and indicators.

### 3.6 Eco-Dishwashing Efficiency

The dishwasher is designed for efficient cleaning with reduced water consumption, particularly in Eco mode, contributing to environmental sustainability.

## HYGIENE GUARDIAN PROTECTION ON EVERY CYCLE

Anti-bacteria materials are employed to safeguard hygiene throughout the wash cycle, inhibiting the growth of microorganisms inside the dishwasher. Your dishes are ensured to be 99.99%\* bacteria-free



**Hygiene  
Guard Filter**

\*Testing Institute: Guangdong Detection Center of Microbiology  
Test Organism: Escherichia coli, Staphylococcus aureus  
Test Method: GB/T 31402-2015

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Figure 6: Water consumption comparison for eco-dishwashing.

### 3.7 Self-Regulated Water Leak Protection System

This system detects and automatically cuts off water supply in case of a leak, helping to prevent water damage and maintain a clean kitchen environment.

# SELF-REGULATED WATER LEAK PROTECTION SYSTEM

The water leak protection system detects and cuts off all water leakage, sustaining your kitchen clean.



**Overflow  
Float Switch**



*Figure 7: Water Leak Protection System.*

## 4. SETUP AND INSTALLATION

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The TOSHIBA DW-13F8AF(SS)-EG is a freestanding dishwasher. For proper installation, ensure the following:

- **Placement:** Position the dishwasher on a level, stable surface. Ensure adequate space for door opening and proper ventilation.
- **Dimensions:** The product dimensions are approximately 60D x 59.8W x 84.5H centimeters. Allow for necessary clearances around the unit.
- **Water Connection:** Connect the water inlet hose to a cold water supply and the drain hose to a suitable drain. Refer to the detailed installation guide provided with the appliance for specific plumbing instructions.
- **Electrical Connection:** Connect the power cord to a grounded electrical outlet. Ensure the voltage and frequency match the appliance's requirements.

It is recommended to have the installation performed by a qualified technician to ensure proper setup and compliance with local regulations.

## 5. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

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Your dishwasher offers 6 customized programs and various options for effective cleaning.

### 5.1 Control Panel Overview

The dishwasher features a touch control panel with an LED display for easy program selection and monitoring.



Figure 8: Detailed view of the control panel.

## 5.2 Available Programs

The dishwasher offers 6 main wash programs to suit different cleaning needs:

**AUTO OPEN DRYING**

The dishwasher door opens automatically, leaving a small gap to remind you of the final stage of drying. This function maintains efficient fresh air circulation, which helps moisture escape and reduces unpleasant odor, improving drying performance in an eco-friendly way.

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Figure 9: Overview of the 6 customized programs.

- **Intensive:** For heavily soiled dishes and pots.

- **Normal:** Standard program for daily soiled dishes.
- **Eco:** Energy and water-efficient program for normally soiled dishes.
- **Glass:** Gentle program for delicate glassware.
- **90 Min:** A quick program for moderately soiled dishes.
- **Rapid:** The shortest program for lightly soiled dishes that do not require drying.
- **Self Clean:** A program designed to clean the interior of the dishwasher itself.

### 5.3 Starting a Wash Cycle

1. Load the dishwasher, ensuring dishes are arranged to allow water circulation.
2. Add appropriate dishwasher detergent to the dispenser.
3. Close the dishwasher door securely.
4. Press the Power button to turn on the appliance.
5. Select your desired wash program using the program selection buttons.
6. Press the Start/Pause button to begin the cycle.

## 6. MAINTENANCE

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Regular maintenance ensures the longevity and optimal performance of your dishwasher.

- **Cleaning the Filters:** Regularly check and clean the main filter, coarse filter, and microfilter to prevent blockages and ensure efficient cleaning. The antibacterial filter helps maintain hygiene.
- **Cleaning the Spray Arms:** Ensure the spray arm nozzles are not clogged. Remove and clean them if necessary.
- **Exterior Cleaning:** Wipe the exterior surfaces with a soft, damp cloth. For stainless steel surfaces, use a specialized stainless steel cleaner.
- **Interior Cleaning:** Periodically run the 'Self Clean' program or use a dishwasher cleaner to remove grease and limescale buildup.
- **Salt and Rinse Aid:** Monitor the indicator lights for salt and rinse aid levels and refill as needed.

## 7. TROUBLESHOOTING

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Before contacting customer service, refer to the following common issues and their solutions:

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Dishwasher does not start	Power cord not plugged in; Door not closed properly; Fuse blown/circuit breaker tripped.	Ensure power cord is secure; Close door firmly; Check household fuse/circuit breaker.
Dishes not clean	Improper loading; Clogged spray arms; Insufficient detergent; Incorrect program selected.	Reload dishes correctly; Clean spray arm nozzles; Use adequate detergent; Select appropriate program.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Water remaining in dishwasher	Clogged filter; Kinked drain hose; Drain pump malfunction.	Clean filters; Straighten drain hose; Contact service if pump is faulty.
Rinse aid/Salt indicator light on	Low rinse aid/salt level.	Refill rinse aid dispenser/salt reservoir.
Unusual noise during operation	Dishes rattling; Foreign object in pump; Improper installation.	Rearrange dishes; Check for foreign objects; Verify proper installation.

## 8. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Specification
Model Name	DW-13F8Af(SS)-EG
Finish Type	Brushed
Form Factor	Freestanding
Capacity	13 Place Settings
Number of Programs	6
Cycle Options	Delicate, Economy, Heated Dry, Intensive, Normal, Rinse
Display Type	LED
Controls Type	Touch
Noise Level	47 dB(A)
Material	Stainless Steel
Color	Silver
Product Dimensions (D x W x H)	60 x 59.8 x 84.5 cm
Item Weight	249 g
Special Features	Digital Display, Active Open Dry, Half Load, LED Interior Light

## 9. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Your TOSHIBA DW-13F8AF(SS)-EG Dishwasher comes with a **5-Year Full Warranty**. Please retain your proof of purchase for warranty claims.

For technical assistance, service requests, or further inquiries, please contact TOSHIBA customer service. Refer to the warranty card or TOSHIBA's official website for contact details specific to your region.

**Online Resources:** For additional support, FAQs, and product registration, visit the official TOSHIBA website.



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