

T-Fal IT8480

Tefal Pro Style Care Garment Steamer

MODEL: IT8480

INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing the Tefal Pro Style Care Garment Steamer IT8480. This appliance is designed to provide professional-grade garment care, offering efficient wrinkle removal and fabric refreshing. Please read this manual carefully before first use and keep it for future reference. Proper use and maintenance will ensure optimal performance and extend the life of your steamer.

IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

- Always ensure the appliance is unplugged from the power outlet before filling with water, cleaning, or when not in use.
- Do not immerse the appliance, power cord, or plug in water or other liquids.
- Keep the steamer out of reach of children and pets.
- Use the appliance only for its intended purpose as described in this manual.
- Never direct steam at people, animals, or electrical appliances. Steam is hot and can cause burns.
- Do not operate the steamer with a damaged cord or plug, or if the appliance malfunctions or has been dropped or damaged.
- Place the steamer on a stable, flat surface during use.
- Only use tap water in the water tank. Do not add perfumes, vinegar, starch, descaling agents, or other chemicals, as these can damage the appliance.
- Allow the appliance to cool completely before storing.

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

Familiarize yourself with the components of your Tefal Pro Style Care Garment Steamer.



Effortless Steaming



Extra Large Head



Powerful Steam Flow



Fast Heat Up



Long Lasting Performance



Removable Water Tank

Image: The complete Tefal Pro Style Care Garment Steamer IT8480, featuring the main unit, telescopic pole, Steam & Press vertical support, and steam head with hose, shown steaming a jacket.

Main Components:

- **Steam Head:** Delivers steam to garments. Features an XL Delta Steam Head for optimal diffusion.
- **Steam Hose:** Connects the steam head to the main unit.
- **Handle with Steam Settings:** Ergonomic handle with controls for adjusting steam output.
- **Telescopic Pole:** Adjustable height for comfortable steaming.
- **Steam & Press Vertical Support:** Exclusive patented system for effortless, one-handed steaming

against a flat surface.

- **Main Unit:** Houses the water tank and heating element.
- **Removable Water Tank:** 1.3-liter capacity for extended steaming sessions.
- **Power Cord:** For connecting to an electrical outlet.

SETUP AND FIRST USE

1. Unpacking

1. Carefully remove all components from the packaging.
2. Remove any protective films or stickers from the appliance.
3. Retain the packaging for future storage or transport.

2. Assembly

1. Insert the telescopic pole into the main unit base and secure it according to the instructions provided in the quick start guide.
2. Attach the Steam & Press vertical support to the top of the telescopic pole.
3. Connect the steam hose to the designated port on the main unit. Ensure it clicks securely into place.
4. Place the steam head into its holder on the vertical support.

3. Filling the Water Tank



Image: A hand demonstrating the removal of the water tank from the side of the steamer's main unit.

1. Ensure the steamer is unplugged.
2. Remove the removable water tank from the main unit.
3. Open the water tank cap and fill the tank with clean tap water up to the 'MAX' fill line. Do not overfill.
4. Close the cap securely and reinsert the water tank into the main unit until it clicks into place.

4. First Use Preparation

Before steaming garments, it is recommended to run the steamer for a few minutes to clear any manufacturing residues.

1. Plug the power cord into a grounded electrical outlet.

2. Press the power button. The indicator light will illuminate.
3. Wait approximately 45 seconds for the steamer to heat up. The indicator light will stop flashing or change color when ready.
4. Direct the steam head away from any garments and press the steam trigger for a few minutes to allow steam to flow continuously.
5. Release the steam trigger and unplug the appliance. The steamer is now ready for use.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

1. Powering On

1. Ensure the water tank is filled and correctly installed.
2. Plug the steamer into a suitable electrical outlet.
3. Press the power button on the main unit. The steamer will begin to heat up.
4. Wait for the indicator light to signal that the steamer is ready (approximately 45 seconds).

2. Adjusting Steam Settings

Exclusive and patented Press & Steam
Professional Results



Putting double-action wrinkle removal within reach, the **exclusive patented Steam & Press** vertical support system allows for **one-handed steaming**.

Dependable and Efficient
Wrinkle Removable





A rapid **45 sec** heat-up time means your device is ready when you need it.



2000W high power with up to **42g/min** continuous steaming output for high efficiency steaming.



Image: A close-up view of the steamer's handle, highlighting the five steam setting buttons for different fabric types.

The steamer features 5 steam settings accessible on the handle, allowing you to adapt the steam output to different fabric types.

1. Press the '+' or '-' buttons on the handle to cycle through the steam settings.
2. Select the appropriate setting for your garment. Lower settings are suitable for delicate fabrics like silk, while higher settings are for thicker materials like denim or linen.

3. Steaming Garments



Image: A person using the Tefal Pro Style Care Garment Steamer IT8480 to steam wrinkles out of a black jacket, demonstrating the steam output from the head.

1. Hang your garment on the integrated hanger or use the Steam & Press vertical support.
2. Hold the steam head a few centimeters away from the fabric.
3. Press the steam trigger on the handle to release steam.
4. Move the steam head slowly over the fabric, from top to bottom, allowing the steam to penetrate and relax the fibers.
5. For stubborn wrinkles, gently press the steam head against the fabric while steaming.
6. Release the steam trigger when finished or to pause steaming.

4. Using the Steam & Press System

The exclusive Steam & Press vertical support provides a flat surface for pressing garments, offering a double-action steaming experience.

1. Place the garment flat against the vertical support.
2. Use the steam head to apply steam while gently pressing the fabric against the support. This helps to smooth out wrinkles more effectively, similar to ironing.
3. This system is particularly useful for collars, cuffs, and hems.

MAINTENANCE AND CARE

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

1. Emptying the Water Tank

1. Always unplug the steamer and allow it to cool completely before emptying.
2. Remove the water tank and empty any remaining water.
3. Rinse the tank with clean water and allow it to air dry before reinserting or storing.

2. Cleaning the Steam Head

1. Ensure the steamer is unplugged and cool.
2. Wipe the steam head with a soft, damp cloth to remove any lint or residue.
3. Do not use abrasive cleaners or scouring pads.

3. Descaling

Over time, mineral deposits (limescale) can build up inside the steamer, affecting performance. Descale your steamer regularly, especially if you live in an area with hard water.

1. Consult the specific descaling instructions provided in the full product manual or on the manufacturer's website, as procedures can vary.
2. Generally, descaling involves using a mixture of water and white vinegar or a commercial descaling solution.
3. Never use harsh chemicals or strong acids for descaling.

4. Storage

1. Ensure the steamer is unplugged, empty of water, and completely cool.
2. Collapse the telescopic pole and store the steam head in its designated holder.
3. Store the appliance in a dry, safe place, away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures.

TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your steamer, refer to the table below for common problems and solutions.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
No steam or very little steam.	Water tank is empty or not properly inserted. Steamer not heated up. Limescale buildup.	Fill water tank and ensure it's correctly seated. Wait for the 'ready' indicator light. Descale the appliance.
Water leaking from steam head.	Steamer not fully heated. Condensation in hose.	Allow steamer to fully heat before use. Hold steam head upright to allow condensation to drain back into the unit.
Steamer not turning on.	Not plugged in. Power outlet issue.	Ensure power cord is securely plugged into a working outlet. Check circuit breaker.
Steam is inconsistent.	Low water level. Limescale buildup.	Refill water tank. Descale the appliance.

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TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

- **Model:** IT8480
- **Power:** 2000 Watts
- **Continuous Steam Output:** Up to 35 g/min
- **Heat-up Time:** Approximately 45 seconds
- **Water Tank Capacity:** 1.3 Liters
- **Weight:** 5.5 Kilograms
- **Features:** 5 Steam Settings, XL Delta Steam Head, Steam & Press Vertical Support

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

This product is covered by a manufacturer's warranty. For detailed warranty information, including terms and conditions, please refer to the warranty card included with your purchase or visit the official Tefal website. For technical support, spare parts, or service inquiries, please contact Tefal customer service in your region. Contact details can typically be found on the product packaging or the official website.