

Hotpoint NDD86448WDAUK

Hotpoint NDD86448WDAUK 8Kg/6Kg Washer Dryer User Manual

Model: NDD86448WDAUK

1. INTRODUCTION

This user manual provides essential information for the safe and efficient operation of your Hotpoint NDD86448WDAUK 8Kg/6Kg Washer Dryer. Please read this manual thoroughly before using the appliance for the first time and keep it for future reference. This appliance combines the functionality of a washing machine with a tumble dryer, offering convenience and efficiency for your laundry needs.

2. SAFETY INFORMATION

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

- Ensure the appliance is properly earthed and connected to a suitable power supply.
- Do not allow children to play with or operate the appliance. Keep packaging materials away from children.
- Never force the door open during operation. Wait until the cycle is complete and the door lock has disengaged.
- Do not wash or dry articles that have been cleaned in, washed in, soaked in, or spotted with combustible or explosive substances such as petrol, dry-cleaning solvents, or other flammable or explosive substances.
- Regularly check the power cord for damage. If damaged, it must be replaced by a qualified service technician.
- Before cleaning or maintenance, always unplug the appliance from the power outlet.
- Ensure adequate ventilation in the room where the appliance is installed to prevent the backflow of gases from appliances burning other fuels.

3. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Hotpoint NDD86448WDAUK is a front-loading washer dryer designed for efficient laundry care. It features an 8 kg washing capacity and a 6 kg drying capacity, making it suitable for medium to large households. Key features include Steam Hygiene, Steam Refresh, and Sensor Drying for optimal fabric care.



Figure 3.1: Front view of the Hotpoint NDD86448WDAUK Washer Dryer, showing the control panel, detergent drawer, and main drum door.

3.1. Control Panel

The control panel allows you to select wash and dry programs, adjust settings, and monitor the appliance's status.



Figure 3.2: Detailed view of the control panel, featuring the program selection dial, digital display, and various function buttons for temperature, spin speed, and special options.

3.2. Detergent Dispenser

The detergent dispenser is located on the top left of the appliance and is designed for single-compartment use for both detergent and fabric softener.



Figure 3.3: View of the detergent dispenser drawer, indicating where to add detergent and fabric softener for washing cycles.

4. SETUP AND INSTALLATION

Proper installation is crucial for the performance and longevity of your washer dryer. It is recommended to have the appliance installed by a qualified technician.

4.1. Unpacking

- Carefully remove all packaging materials.

- Remove all transit bolts from the rear of the appliance. Keep these bolts for future transport if needed.
- Inspect the appliance for any visible damage. Report any damage to your retailer immediately.

4.2. Positioning

- Place the appliance on a firm, level floor.
- Ensure there is sufficient space around the appliance for ventilation and access. The dimensions are 54 x 59.5 x 84.99 cm (Depth x Width x Height).
- Adjust the feet of the appliance to ensure it is perfectly level and stable.

4.3. Water and Drain Connections

- Connect the water inlet hose to a cold water tap with a 3/4" thread. Ensure the connection is tight to prevent leaks.
- Position the drain hose into a standpipe or over the edge of a sink, ensuring it is securely fixed to prevent displacement during operation. The drain hose should not be kinked or submerged in water.

4.4. Electrical Connection

- Connect the power plug to a properly earthed electrical outlet. The appliance operates on 2.3E+2 Volts (AC).
- Do not use extension cords or multi-plugs.

5. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

5.1. Before First Use

Before washing clothes, run an empty wash cycle with a small amount of detergent to clean the drum and remove any manufacturing residues.

5.2. Loading Laundry

- Sort laundry by fabric type, color, and degree of soiling.
- Open the appliance door and load laundry loosely into the drum. Do not overload. The maximum washing capacity is 8 kg, and drying capacity is 6 kg.
- Close the door firmly until it clicks shut.

5.3. Adding Detergent and Additives

- Pull out the detergent dispenser drawer.
- Add the recommended amount of detergent and fabric softener to the single compartment. Refer to the detergent packaging for dosage instructions.
- Push the dispenser drawer back in completely.

5.4. Selecting a Program

Turn the program selection dial to choose the desired wash or wash & dry program. The appliance offers various cycles, including:

- **Wash & Dry Programs:** For combined washing and drying.
- **Wash Programs:** Such as Cotton, Synthetics, Delicates, Anti Allergy, Anti Stain, Steam Refresh.
- **Drying Programs:** Sensor Dry, Timed Dry.

5.5. Adjusting Settings

After selecting a program, you can adjust settings using the control panel buttons:

- **Temperature:** Adjust the wash temperature.
- **Spin Speed:** Select the desired spin speed.
- **Special Options:** Activate features like Steam Hygiene or Steam Refresh.

5.6. Starting and Stopping a Cycle

- Press the Start/Pause button to begin the selected cycle.
- To pause a cycle, press the Start/Pause button again. Press it once more to resume.
- To cancel a cycle, press and hold the Start/Pause button for a few seconds until the appliance resets.

6. MAINTENANCE AND CLEANING

Regular maintenance ensures optimal performance and extends the lifespan of your appliance.

6.1. Cleaning the Detergent Dispenser

- Pull out the dispenser drawer completely.
- Rinse it under running water to remove any detergent residue.
- Clean the housing of the dispenser drawer with a damp cloth.
- Reinsert the drawer.

6.2. Cleaning the Door Seal

- Regularly wipe the rubber door seal with a damp cloth to remove lint and residue.
- Ensure no foreign objects are trapped in the seal.

6.3. Cleaning the Filter

The appliance has a filter that should be cleaned periodically to prevent blockages.

- Locate the filter access panel at the bottom front of the appliance.
- Place a shallow container beneath the filter to catch any residual water.
- Slowly unscrew the filter counter-clockwise and remove it.
- Clean the filter under running water, removing any lint or debris.
- Screw the filter back in clockwise until tight.



Figure 6.1: Location of the filter access panel at the bottom front of the appliance.

6.4. Descaling

In areas with hard water, descaling may be necessary. Use a descaling product suitable for washing machines and follow the manufacturer's instructions.

7. TROUBLESHOOTING

Before contacting service, refer to the following table for common issues and their solutions.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Appliance does not start.	No power supply; Door not closed properly; Program not selected.	Check power plug and fuse; Ensure door is firmly closed; Select a program and press Start.
Water not filling.	Water tap closed; Inlet hose kinked; Water pressure too low.	Open water tap; Straighten hose; Check household water pressure.
Water not draining.	Drain hose kinked or blocked; Filter blocked.	Straighten or clear drain hose; Clean the filter (refer to Section 6.3).
Excessive vibration/noise.	Transit bolts not removed; Appliance not level; Uneven load.	Remove transit bolts; Adjust feet to level appliance; Redistribute laundry evenly.
Clothes not drying properly.	Overloaded dryer; Lint filter blocked; Incorrect drying program.	Reduce load size (max 6kg); Clean lint filter; Select appropriate drying program (e.g., Sensor Dry).

8. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Model Number	NDD86448WDAUK
Brand	Hotpoint
Type	Washer Dryer
Washing Capacity	8 kg
Drying Capacity	6 kg
Colour	White
Dimensions (H x W x D)	84.99 cm x 59.5 cm x 54 cm
Item Weight	66 kg
Drum Material	Stainless Steel
Voltage	230V AC
Special Features	Steam Hygiene, Steam Refresh, Sensor Drying, High Efficiency
Wash Cycles	3 (e.g., Cotton, Synthetics, Delicates, Anti Allergy, Anti Stain, Steam Refresh)
Dry Cycles	3 (e.g., Sensor Dry, Timed Dry)
Dispenser Options	Detergent and Fabric Softener (Single-compartment)

9. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Your Hotpoint NDD86448WDAUK Washer Dryer comes with a manufacturer's warranty. Please refer to the warranty card provided with your appliance for specific terms and conditions, including warranty period and coverage details. For technical assistance, spare parts, or to schedule a service appointment, please contact Hotpoint customer support or visit their official website. Ensure you have your model number and purchase date available when contacting support. For further information or to register your product, please visit the official Hotpoint website: www.hotpoint.co.uk

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