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Model: BD0028 - Instruction Manual

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides comprehensive instructions for the installation, operation, and maintenance of your BLACK+DECKER 5-Function Handheld Shower Head with Diverter. Please read this manual thoroughly before installation and use to ensure proper function and longevity of the product. Keep this manual for future reference.



Image: The BLACK+DECKER 5-Function Handheld Shower Head with Diverter in Matte Black, showing both the fixed and handheld components.

SAFETY INFORMATION

Observe the following safety precautions during installation and use:

- Ensure the main water supply is turned off before beginning installation to prevent water damage.
- Do not overtighten connections, as this may damage the product or plumbing. Hand-tighten plus a quarter turn with a wrench is typically sufficient.
- Use plumber's tape on threaded connections to ensure a watertight seal.
- Avoid using abrasive cleaners or harsh chemicals on the shower head finish, as this can cause discoloration or damage.
- Periodically check for leaks and address them promptly to prevent water damage.

PACKAGE CONTENTS

Verify that all components are present before beginning installation:

- Fixed Shower Head with Diverter
- Detachable Handheld Shower Head
- 60-inch Stainless Steel Hose
- Shower Mount (for handheld unit)
- Plumber's Tape
- Washers

SETUP AND INSTALLATION

Installation of the BLACK+DECKER 5-Function Handheld Shower Head is designed to be tool-free and straightforward. Follow these steps:

1. **Prepare the Shower Arm:** Turn off the main water supply to your shower. Remove your existing shower head by unscrewing it counter-clockwise from the shower arm. Clean any old plumber's tape or debris from the shower arm threads.
2. **Apply Plumber's Tape:** Wrap plumber's tape clockwise around the threads of the shower arm 3-4 times.
3. **Install the Fixed Shower Head with Diverter:** Screw the fixed shower head assembly onto the shower arm threads clockwise. Hand-tighten firmly, then use a wrench for an additional quarter turn if necessary, ensuring not to overtighten.
4. **Connect the Hose:** Attach one end of the 60-inch stainless steel hose to the outlet on the diverter (usually located on the side or bottom of the fixed shower head). Ensure a washer is inside the hose connection. Hand-tighten firmly.
5. **Attach Handheld Shower Head:** Connect the other end of the hose to the handheld shower head. Ensure a washer is inside this connection. Hand-tighten firmly.
6. **Mount the Handheld Unit:** Place the handheld shower head into its designated shower mount.
7. **Test for Leaks:** Turn on the main water supply and check all connections for leaks. If leaks occur, tighten the connections slightly until they stop.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Switching Between Shower Heads

The diverter allows you to easily switch water flow between the fixed shower head and the detachable handheld shower head, or use both simultaneously.

Comfort Design

Easy to hold and adjust for comfortable use



Image: Close-up view of the shower head components, highlighting the valve switch for diverting water flow and the handheld water switch.

- **Fixed Shower Head Only:** Rotate the diverter valve to direct water flow solely to the fixed shower head.
- **Handheld Shower Head Only:** Rotate the diverter valve to direct water flow solely to the handheld shower head.
- **Both Shower Heads:** Position the diverter valve to allow water flow to both the fixed and handheld shower heads simultaneously.

Selecting Spray Modes

Both the fixed and handheld shower heads feature 5 distinct spray modes. To change the spray mode, rotate the dial on the face of the shower head.



Image: Visual representation of the various spray patterns, including Aerate, Spray, Massage, Spray + Massage, Spray + Aerate, and Shower Head Spray.

Available spray modes include:

- **Spray:** A standard, invigorating spray.
- **Aerate + Spray:** A combination of aerated and standard spray for a softer, yet thorough rinse.
- **Aerate:** A gentle, air-infused stream.
- **Power Massage:** A focused, strong stream for muscle relaxation.
- **Rain + Massage:** A blend of wide rain coverage and targeted massage streams.

MAINTENANCE

Cleaning Anti-Clog Nozzles

The shower head is equipped with anti-clog nozzles designed to prevent mineral buildup and maintain consistent water flow. To clean these nozzles:



Image: Close-up of the shower head face, illustrating the flexible anti-clog nozzles made from ABS plastic.

- Periodically rub the rubber nozzles with your finger or a soft brush to dislodge any mineral deposits.
- For stubborn buildup, a solution of equal parts white vinegar and water can be applied to the nozzles. Allow it to sit for 15-30 minutes before scrubbing and rinsing.

General Cleaning

To maintain the finish of your shower head:

- Clean the exterior surfaces with a soft cloth and mild soap and water.
- Rinse thoroughly and dry with a soft cloth to prevent water spots.
- Do not use abrasive cleaners, scouring pads, or chemical solvents, as these can damage the matte black finish.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Water leaks from connections	Loose connections; insufficient plumber's tape; missing or damaged washers.	Ensure all connections are hand-tightened. Apply additional plumber's tape. Check that washers are properly seated and not damaged.
Low water pressure	Clogged nozzles; water restrictor; low household water pressure.	Clean anti-clog nozzles as described in the Maintenance section. Consult a plumber if household water pressure is consistently low.
Diverter not switching properly	Mineral buildup in diverter mechanism.	Flush the system by running hot water through both shower heads. If issue persists, contact customer support.

SPECIFICATIONS

- **Brand:** BLACK+DECKER
- **Model Number:** BD0028
- **Style:** 5-Mode Detachable
- **Shape:** Round
- **Material:** Acrylonitrile Butadiene Styrene (ABS Plastic)
- **Finish Type:** Matte Black
- **Installation Type:** Wall Mounted
- **Number of Settings:** 5
- **Hose Length:** 60 Inches
- **Product Dimensions (approx.):** 9.8"L x 6"W (overall shower head assembly)
- **Item Weight (approx.):** 2.01 pounds
- **UPC:** 840147846532



Image: Diagram showing key dimensions including the 6.5-inch shower arm connection, 60-inch stainless steel hose, 4-inch handheld shower head diameter, and 9-inch handheld length.

WARRANTY AND CUSTOMER SUPPORT

Warranty Information

For specific warranty details, please refer to the warranty card included with your product or visit the official BLACK+DECKER website. Keep your proof of purchase for warranty claims.

Customer Support

If you have any questions, require assistance with installation, or need to troubleshoot an issue not covered in this manual, please

contact BLACK+DECKER customer support. Contact information can typically be found on the product packaging or the official brand website.

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