

131359600

Generic Replacement Dryer Lint Trap Instruction Manual

Model: 131359600

Compatible with Kenmore Dryer Models: 41798702891, 41799680210, 41797912704, 41792702200

1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides detailed instructions for the proper installation, operation, and maintenance of your new Generic Replacement Dryer Lint Trap. Please read this manual thoroughly before attempting any installation or use to ensure safe and efficient operation. This replacement part is designed to fit specific Kenmore dryer models, ensuring optimal performance and safety for your appliance.

2. SAFETY INFORMATION

- **Disconnect Power:** Always unplug the dryer from the power outlet before attempting any installation, maintenance, or cleaning. Failure to do so can result in electric shock or injury.
- **Sharp Edges:** Be cautious of potential sharp edges on the dryer or the lint trap during handling and installation.
- **Proper Fit:** Ensure the replacement lint trap fits securely and completely into the dryer's designated slot. An improper fit can lead to lint bypass and potential fire hazards.
- **Regular Cleaning:** Clean the lint trap before or after every load to prevent lint buildup, which can restrict airflow, reduce drying efficiency, and pose a fire risk.

3. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Generic Replacement Dryer Lint Trap (Model 131359600) is a crucial component designed to capture lint and debris from your dryer's exhaust air. It features a durable frame and a fine mesh screen to effectively filter lint, protecting your dryer and ensuring safe operation.



Image 3.1: The Generic Replacement Dryer Lint Trap, featuring a sturdy frame and fine mesh screen.

The lint trap is constructed with a high-quality plastic shell and a stainless steel mesh, designed for longevity and effective lint collection.

4. INSTALLATION

Follow these steps to install the replacement dryer lint trap:

1. **Power Disconnection:** Ensure the dryer is unplugged from the electrical outlet.
2. **Remove Old Lint Trap:** Locate the existing lint trap, typically found inside the dryer door opening or on the top panel. Grasp the handle and pull it straight out to remove it.
3. **Inspect the Slot:** Clean any accumulated lint or debris from the lint trap housing slot in the dryer. Use a vacuum cleaner attachment if necessary.
4. **Insert New Lint Trap:** Take the new Generic Replacement Dryer Lint Trap. Align the trap with the slot and slide it in completely until it is seated firmly. Ensure there are no gaps around the edges.



Image 4.1: The lint trap with 'FRONT' indicators, ready for insertion into the dryer slot.

The lint trap is designed for easy installation, ensuring a snug fit to prevent lint from bypassing the filter.

5. OPERATION

The lint trap operates automatically as the dryer runs, collecting lint from the air. For optimal performance and safety, it is essential to clean the lint trap before or after every load of laundry. This ensures proper airflow, efficient drying, and reduces the risk of fire.

6. MAINTENANCE

Regular cleaning and maintenance of your lint trap are vital for the longevity of your dryer and for fire prevention.

Daily Cleaning:

- Remove the lint trap from its housing.
- Peel off any accumulated lint from the screen. Dispose of the lint properly.
- Reinsert the clean lint trap firmly into its slot.



Image 6.1: Close-up view of the lint trap's mesh screen, highlighting the area to be cleaned.

Periodic Deep Cleaning (Monthly or as needed):

Over time, fabric softener residue or detergent buildup can clog the mesh screen, even if it appears clean. This can restrict airflow.

- Remove the lint trap and clean off any visible lint.
- Wash the lint trap with warm, soapy water and a soft brush.
- Rinse thoroughly under running water to remove all soap residue.
- Allow the lint trap to air dry completely before reinserting it into the dryer. Ensure it is fully dry to prevent moisture issues.

7. TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Dryer takes too long to dry clothes.	Clogged lint trap or dryer vent.	Clean the lint trap thoroughly. Check and clean the dryer vent system.
Lint trap does not fit properly.	Incorrect model or obstruction.	Verify the lint trap model number against your dryer's compatible models. Check for any debris in the lint trap housing.
Excessive lint on clothes after drying.	Lint trap not installed correctly or damaged.	Ensure the lint trap is fully seated. Inspect the screen for tears or holes; replace if damaged.

8. SPECIFICATIONS

- **Part Number:** 131359600
- **Material:** High-quality plastic frame, stainless steel mesh
- **Compatibility:** Kenmore Dryer Models 41798702891, 41799680210, 41797912704, 41792702200
- **Package Includes:** 1 x Replacement Dryer Lint Trap

9. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

This Generic Replacement Dryer Lint Trap is covered by a standard manufacturer's warranty against defects in materials and workmanship. For specific warranty details, including duration and terms, please refer to the product packaging or contact your retailer.

For technical support, troubleshooting assistance, or to inquire about replacement parts, please contact the seller or refer to the product listing on the platform where it was purchased. When contacting support, please have your product model number (131359600) and your dryer's model number readily available.