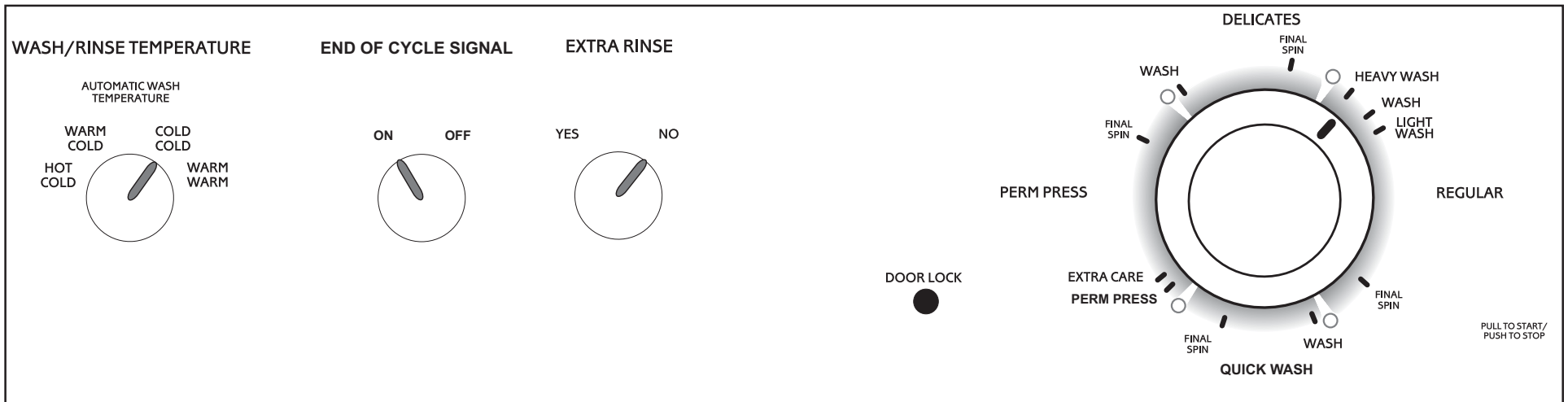


# OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS



## Before Operating Your Washer

Read your washer **Use and Care Guide**. It has important safety and warranty information. It also has many suggestions for best washing results.

**WARNING** To reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, or injury to persons, read the IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS in your washer Use and Care Guide before operating this appliance.

## Operating Steps

Read and follow **Washing Procedures** in your Use and Care Guide. It provides detailed information for preparing the wash load and choosing control settings to ensure best washing results.

1. **Sort laundry into loads that can be washed together.**
2. **Prepare items for washing.**

3. **Pretreat stains and heavy soil.**

4. **Add laundry load to the wash drum.**

5. **Open the dispenser drawer and add the measured amount of detergent to the detergent compartment.** If desired, add liquid bleach and fabric softener to the appropriate compartments. Slowly close dispenser drawer. The washer will not operate with the drawer open.

6. **Set Wash/Rinse Temperature control according to fabric type and soil level of each load.**

7. **If desired, select Extra Rinse in the Regular, Perm Press, or Delicates cycle.**

8. **Push in the cycle selector knob and turn it clockwise to the desired wash cycle and setting.**

9. **Start the washer by closing the door and pulling out the cycle selector knob.** The washer will **not** operate with the door open. As a safety measure, the door will automatically lock during the entire wash cycle. When the door is closed, the **Door Lock** indicator lights up when the washer starts, and turns off at the end of the cycle.

- To stop the washer, push in the cycle selector knob.
- To change a cycle, push in the cycle selector knob and turn it clockwise to the desired setting.
- Pull out the knob to restart the washer.

10. **Remove items when cycle ends.** A signal will sound at the end of the cycle when the cycle signal is selected.

**Note:** From time to time you may see water in the bleach and fabric softener compartments. This is a result of the siphoning action and is part of the normal operation of the washer.

## Cycle Selection

For best results, follow the fabric care label directions on items to be washed.

### Regular Cycle

Up to 18 minutes of reversing tumble action for most fabrics. Three rinses, three spins, a pause and a brief tumble complete the cycle.

- **Heavy Wash** provides up to 18 minutes of reversing tumble action for heavily soiled fabrics.
- **Wash** provides up to 13 minutes of reversing tumble action for normally soiled fabrics.
- **Light Wash** provides up to 6 minutes of reversing tumble action for lightly soiled fabrics.

### Quick Wash Cycle

Saves time and water. Up to 6 minutes of reversing tumble action for very lightly soiled fabrics. Two rinses, two spins, a pause and a brief tumble complete the cycle. Extra Rinse is not an option with this water conserving cycle.

### Perm Press Cycle

Up to 13 minutes of reversing tumble action for cottons and blends with a no-iron finish. Three rinses, three spins, a pause and a brief tumble complete the cycle.

- **Perm Press** provides up to 13 minutes of reversing tumble action for heavily soiled fabrics.
- **Extra Care** provides up to 6 minutes of reversing tumble action for lightly soiled fabrics.

**EXTRA RINSE** - Use Extra Rinse when additional rinsing is desired to remove excess dirt and detergent from heavily soiled loads.

### Delicates Cycle

Up to 10 minutes of gentle tumble action for the care of knit, delicate and hand washable items. Two rinses and two spins complete the cycle.

## Controls

Always follow instructions on fabric care labels.

**Note:** There is no need to select a water level because the washer automatically adjusts the water level to the type and size of wash load.

**WASH/RINSE TEMPERATURE** - This determines water temperatures for washing and rinsing. For example, the Warm/Cold setting provides a warm water wash and a cold water final rinse.

**Note:** Detergents are not as effective at wash water temperatures below 65°F (18.3°C).

The following chart suggests wash/rinse temperatures for basic fabric types.

<u>Fabric Type</u>	<u>Wash/Rinse Temperature</u>
Heavily soiled white/colorfast cotton, perm press	Hot/Cold
Normally soiled white/colorfast cotton, perm press	Warm/Cold*
Lightly soiled/noncolorfast fabrics, knits, delicates, hand washables	Cold/Cold*
Washable woolens	Warm/Warm*

\* Automatic Wash Temperature

### Automatic Wash Temperature

The normal temperature of warm and cold wash water can be affected by the hot water heater setting and seasonally low ground water temperatures in some geographic areas. Since detergents work best in wash water at a minimum of 65° F, select an **Automatic Wash Temperature** to regulate the temperature of the warm and cold wash water in any cycle.

Wash water in the **Automatic Warm/Cold** and **Automatic Warm/Warm** settings is regulated to approximately 100° F. and the wash water in the **Automatic Cold/Cold** setting is regulated to approximately 70° F. Rinse water temperatures are not

- Select **Extra Rinse YES** to automatically include an extra rinse in the Regular, Perm Press, or Delicates cycle.
- Select **Extra Rinse NO** to conserve water when an extra rinse is not desired.
- **Extra Rinse** is not available in the Quick Wash cycle.

When the door is closed, the **Door Lock** indicator lights up when the cycle selector knob is pulled out, and turns off at the end of the cycle.