

Shark® Navigator®

Swivel Pro Complete Upright Vacuum

OWNER’S GUIDE

IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

FOR HOUSEHOLD USE ONLY

⚠ WARNING

To reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, injury, or property damage, when using an electrical appliance, basic precautions should always be followed, including the following:

READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE USING THIS VACUUM

1. Inspect power cord and plug for any damage before use. **DO NOT** use vacuum cleaner with a damaged cord or plug. Turn off all controls before plugging in or unplugging the vacuum cleaner. Store your vacuum cleaner with the power cord secured around the two cord hooks. To minimize the risk of power cord damage, do not allow the motorized brush roll to ingest the cord. If this occurs, immediately shut off power to the vacuum and remove the cord.
2. This appliance has a polarized plug, if the plug does not fit fully into the outlet, reverse the plug (one blade is wider than the other). If it still does not fit, contact a qualified electrician. **DO NOT** force into outlet or try to modify to fit.
3. Your vacuum cleaner may consist of a motorized nozzle, wand, hose, and/or vacuum pod. This device contains electrical connections, electrical wiring, and moving parts that potentially present risk to the user.
4. Use only identical replacement parts.
5. Carefully observe and follow the instructions provided below to avoid improper use of the appliance. **DO NOT** use the vacuum for any purpose other than those described in this manual.
6. Before use, carefully inspect all parts for any damage. **DO NOT** use if any parts are damaged.
7. The use of an extension cord is **NOT** recommended.
8. This vacuum cleaner contains no serviceable parts.
9. This appliance can be used by persons with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities or lack of experience and knowledge if they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance in a safe way and understand the hazards involved. Cleaning and user maintenance shall not be made by children. Keep the appliance and its cord out of reach of children. **DO NOT** allow the appliance to be used by children. **DO NOT** allow to be used as a toy. Close supervision is necessary when used near children.
10. Always turn off the vacuum cleaner before connecting or disconnecting any motorized nozzles or other accessories.
11. **DO NOT** handle plug or vacuum cleaner with wet hands.
12. **DO NOT** use without filters in place.
13. Only use Shark® branded filters and accessories.
14. **DO NOT** damage the power cord:
 - a) **DO NOT** pull or carry vacuum cleaner by the cord or use the cord as a handle.
 - b) **DO NOT** unplug by pulling on cord. Grasp the plug, not the cord.
 - c) **DO NOT** run the vacuum cleaner over the power cord, close a door on the cord, pull the cord around sharp corners, or leave the cord near heated surfaces.
15. **DO NOT** put any objects into nozzle or accessory openings. **DO NOT** use with any opening blocked; keep free of dust, lint, hair, and anything that may reduce airflow.
16. **DO NOT** use if nozzle or accessory airflow is restricted. If the air paths or the motorized floor nozzle become blocked, turn the vacuum cleaner

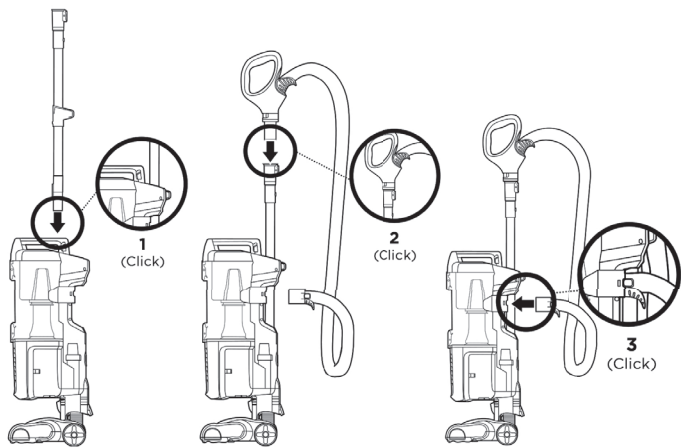
- off and unplug from electrical outlet. Remove all obstructions before you plug in and turn on the unit again.
17. Keep nozzle and all vacuum openings away from hair, face, fingers, uncovered feet, or loose clothing.
 18. **DO NOT** use if vacuum cleaner is not working as it should, or has been dropped, damaged, left outdoors, or dropped into water.
 19. Use extra care when cleaning on stairs.
 20. **DO NOT** leave the vacuum cleaner unattended while plugged in.
 21. When powered on, keep the vacuum cleaner moving over the carpet surface at all times to avoid damaging the carpet fibers.
 22. **DO NOT** place vacuum cleaner on unstable surfaces such as chairs or tables.
 23. Your Shark® vacuum may not be designed to stand up on its own. When taking a break from cleaning, you may need to lean it against furniture or a wall, or lay it flat on the floor. Using the vacuum for an application where the unit lacks stability may result in personal injury.
 24. **DO NOT** use to pick up:
 - a) Liquids
 - b) Large objects
 - c) Hard or sharp objects (glass, nails, screws, or coins)
 - d) Large quantities of dust (drywall dust, fireplace ash, or embers). **DO NOT** use as an attachment to power tools for dust collection.
 - e) Smoking or burning objects (hot coals, cigarette butts, or matches)
 - f) Flammable or combustible materials (lighter fluid, gasoline, or kerosene)
 - g) Toxic materials (chlorine bleach, ammonia, or drain cleaner)
 25. **DO NOT** use in the following areas:
 - a) Poorly lit areas
 - b) Wet or damp surfaces
 - c) Outdoor areas
 - d) Spaces that are enclosed and may contain explosive or toxic fumes or vapors (lighter fluid, gasoline, kerosene, paint, paint thinners, mothproofing substances, or flammable dust)
 26. Turn off all controls before plugging in or unplugging the vacuum.
 27. Unplug from electrical outlet when not in use and before any maintenance or cleaning.
 28. Hand wash with water only. Washing with cleaning chemicals could damage the unit.
 29. During cleaning or routine maintenance, **DO NOT** cut anything other than hair, fibers, or string wrapped around the brushroll.
 30. Allow all filters to air-dry completely before replacing in the vacuum to prevent liquid from being drawn into electric parts.
 31. Make sure the dust cup and all filters are in place after routine maintenance.
 32. If provided, secure the power cord around the two cord hooks during storage.

SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Voltage: 120V,~ 60Hz

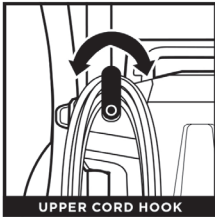
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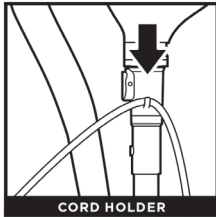
1. Insert the **Wand** into the **Pod**.
2. Insert the **Handle** into the top of the wand.
3. Connect the **Hose** to the back of the pod.

For proper operation, ensure all parts are firmly clicked into place.

POWER CORD



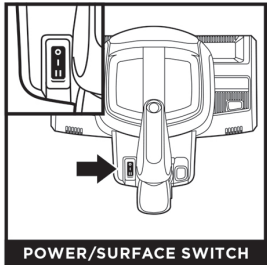
For cord access, rotate upper hook down and remove cord.



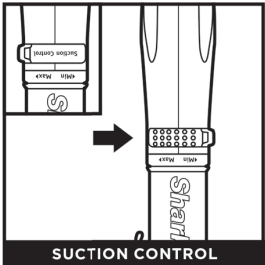
Use cord holder on the side of wand to hold cord in place while vacuuming.

WHOLE-HOME CLEANING

SETTINGS



POWER/SURFACE SWITCH



SUCTION CONTROL

Select surface setting:

○ Off

I Hard Floor

For bare floors and area rugs. The brushrolls will spin slowly in this mode.

II Carpet

For carpets. The brushrolls spin quickly in this mode.

The **Suction Control Slider** located on the handle allows you to adjust the suction depending on the floor type.

MIN: to reduce suction and increase maneuverability on carpets.

MAX: to increase suction on bare floors.

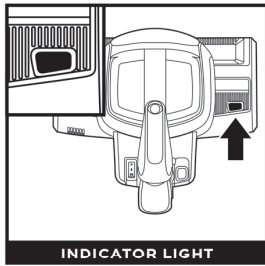
BRUSHROLL INDICATOR LIGHT

WHAT DOES THE BRUSHROLL INDICATOR LIGHT MEAN?

Solid Green: The brushroll is spinning and working as intended.

Solid Red: There is a jam in the brushroll area. Turn off and unplug the vacuum and remove any blockages in the nozzle.

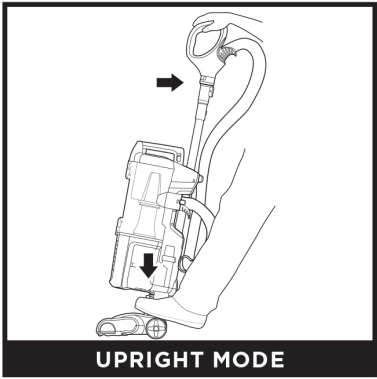
Flashing Red: The motorized floor nozzle is overheating. Turn the vacuum off and wait a minimum of 60 minutes for the unit to cool down. See Troubleshooting section for more information.



INDICATOR LIGHT

NOTE: For deep carpet cleaning per ASTM F608 (embedded dirt in carpets), set to **MAX** suction and use setting **II, Carpet**.

CLEANING MODES



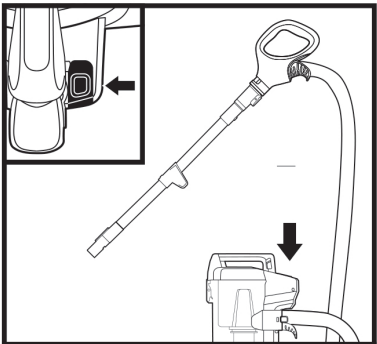
UPRIGHT MODE

To engage **Brushroll**, turn on the power, step on the floor nozzle, and tilt handle back.



ABOVE-FLOOR—HANDLE

Press the **Handle Release** button and pull up on the handle to detach it from the wand. Attach an accessory to the handle.



ABOVE-FLOOR—WAND

Press the **Wand Release** button and pull up on the wand to detach it from the pod. Attach an accessory to the wand.

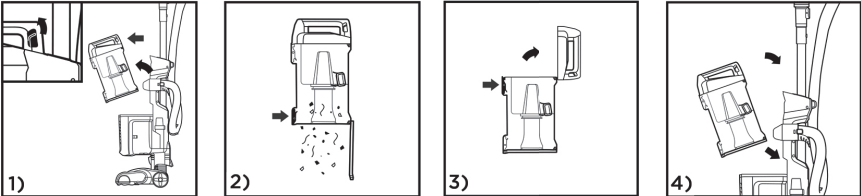
NOTE: All accessories are compatible with both the wand and the handle.

• Accessory type and quantity may vary depending on the model.

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EMPTYING THE DUST CUP

IMPORTANT: Unplug the power cord before performing any maintenance. Empty the dust cup each time you vacuum and periodically during cleaning, when debris in the dust cup reaches the MAX fill line.



- 1) To remove **Dust Cup**, slide up the release button on the dust cup handle. Tilt dust cup forward, then lift to remove.
- 2) Press the release button to open bottom of dust cup.
- 3) To remove collected debris from **Lint Screen**, press the top release button and lift the handle to open the dust cup. Gently brush lint screen to clean.
- 4) To reinstall, place the bottom of dust cup onto the pod and then tilt until it clicks into place.

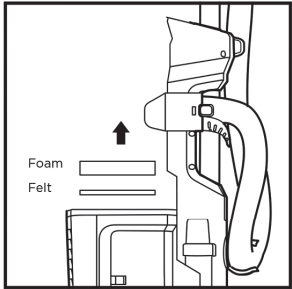
CLEANING AND REPLACING THE FILTERS

CLEANING FILTERS

Regularly rinse and replace the filters to maintain your vacuum's suction power.

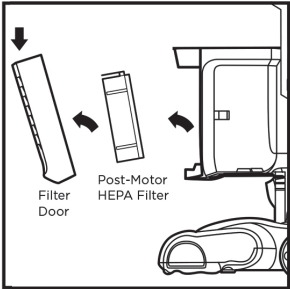
To prevent damage from cleaning chemicals, rinse filters with cold water only. Allow all filters to air-dry for at least 24 hours before reinstalling them to prevent liquid from being drawn into electronic parts.

IMPORTANT: DO NOT use soap when cleaning the filters.



RINSE PRE-MOTOR FILTERS EVERY MONTH

Remove **Dust Cup**, then lift out **Filters**.

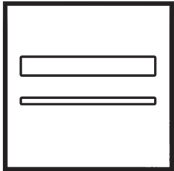


RINSE HEPA FILTER EVERY YEAR

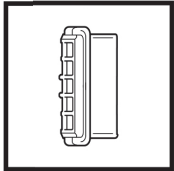
Remove dust cup, tilt **Filter Door** and firmly pull it off. Press tab at top of **HEPA Filter** and pull out filter. To reinstall, insert HEPA filter into unit and replace the filter door.

REPLACING FILTERS

Follow the previous instructions for removing filters. The **Pre-Motor Filter** should be replaced every month. The **HEPA Filter** should be replaced every year.



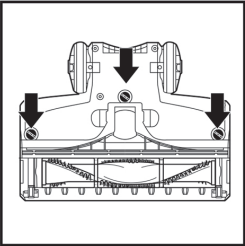
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Felt Filter Kit
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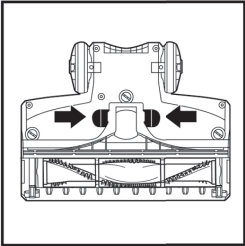
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MAINTENANCE

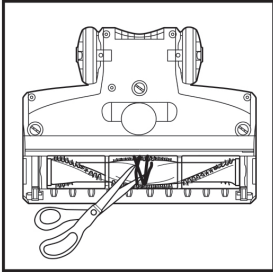
CLEANING THE BRUSHROLL



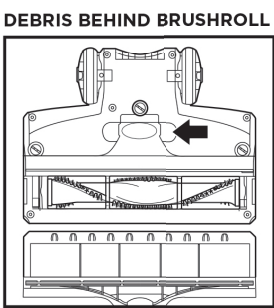
Using a coin, turn locks counterclockwise, then lift the cover to access brushroll.



DEBRIS WRAPPED AROUND BRUSHROLL



Clean off any debris on the bristles.



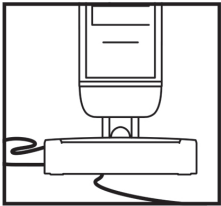
DEBRIS BEHIND BRUSHROLL

To close the cover, push down until it clicks into place. Close the locks by using a coin to turn them clockwise.

If you run over a hard or sharp object or notice a noise change while vacuuming, check for blockages or objects caught behind the brushroll. Clear away any dust, dirt,

or blockages in **Debris Intake**.

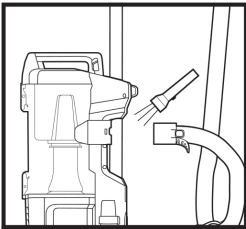
CORD MAINTENANCE



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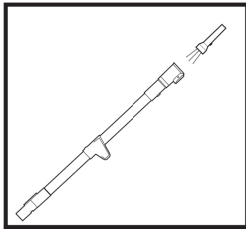
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CHECKING FOR BLOCKAGES



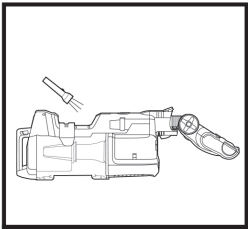
HOSE BLOCKAGES

Detach hose from vacuum pod, and check hose and opening on back of pod for blockages.



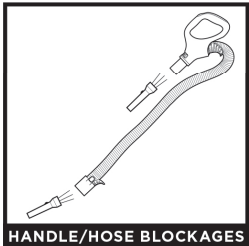
WAND BLOCKAGES

Detach wand from pod and handle, and check both ends for blockages.



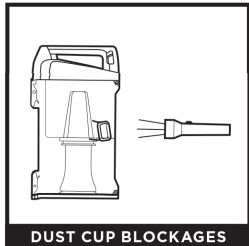
POD BLOCKAGES

Detach wand from pod, and check opening for blockages.



HANDLE/HOSE BLOCKAGES

Detach handle from wand and hose from the vacuum pod, and check openings for blockages.



DUST CUP BLOCKAGES

Detach dust cup from vacuum pod. Empty dust cup, remove debris from lint screen, and check for blockages.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Power cord caught in brushroll or floor nozzle.

- To minimize the risk of power cord damage, **DO NOT** run the vacuum over the power cord. If this occurs, immediately shut off power to the vacuum and remove the cord from the brushroll or nozzle.
- Inspect power cord and plug for any damage before use. **DO NOT** use vacuum cleaner with a damaged cord or plug. Turn off all controls before plugging in or unplugging the vacuum cleaner. Store your vacuum cleaner with the power cord secured around the two cord hooks.

Vacuum is not picking up debris. No suction or light suction.

- Check filters to see if they need cleaning. Follow instructions for rinsing and air-drying the filters before reinstalling.
- Dust cup may be full; empty dust cup.
- Clear any blockages in the hose, hose connections, nozzle, wand, pod, or accessories. See Checking for Blockages section for more information.

Vacuum lifts area rugs.

- Make sure Power/Surface switch is set to Hard Floor (setting I).
- Suction is powerful. Take care when vacuuming area rugs or rugs with delicately sewn edges.
- To minimize suction, set the suction control slider to MIN. See the Suction Control section for more information.

Brushroll does not spin.

- If the brushroll indicator light turns red, immediately turn off and unplug the vacuum. Remove pod from floor nozzle and clear any blockages. Reconnect nozzle, plug in vacuum, and turn on power.
- With the power on, recline the handle, which will automatically turn on the brushroll.
- Check hose, hose connections, nozzle, wand, pod, and accessories for blockages. Clear any blockages found.
(Refer to Checking for Blockages section for more information.)

Vacuum turns off on its own or indicator light flashes red.

If your vacuum overheats, the thermostat will automatically turn off the motor. Follow these steps to restart:

1. Turn vacuum off and unplug it.
2. Empty dust cup and clean filters (see Emptying the Dust Cup and Cleaning the Filters).
3. Check for blockages in hose, wand, nozzle, accessories, and inlet openings.
4. Allow unit to cool for a minimum of 60 minutes.
5. Plug in vacuum and turn it on.

For all other issues, please contact a service center



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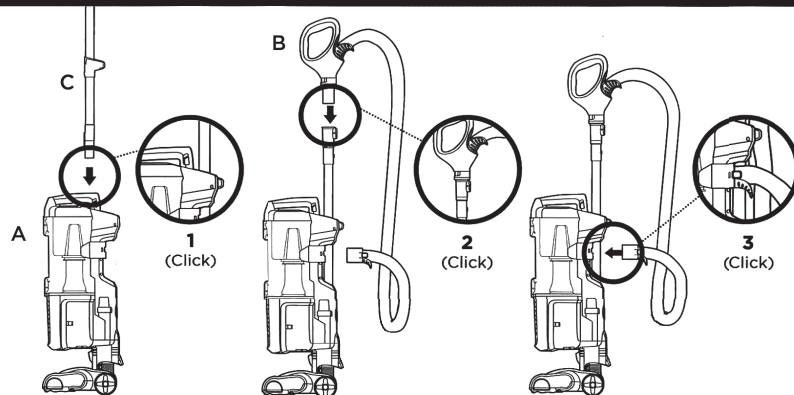
QUICK START GUIDE

WHAT'S INSIDE

- A** Vacuum Pod
- B** Handle & Hose
- C** Wand
- D** Crevice Tool
- E** Upholstery Tool



ASSEMBLY



ASSEMBLY

1. Connect the **Wand** to the **Pod**.
2. Insert **Handle** into top of wand.
3. Connect the **Hose** to the back of the pod.

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