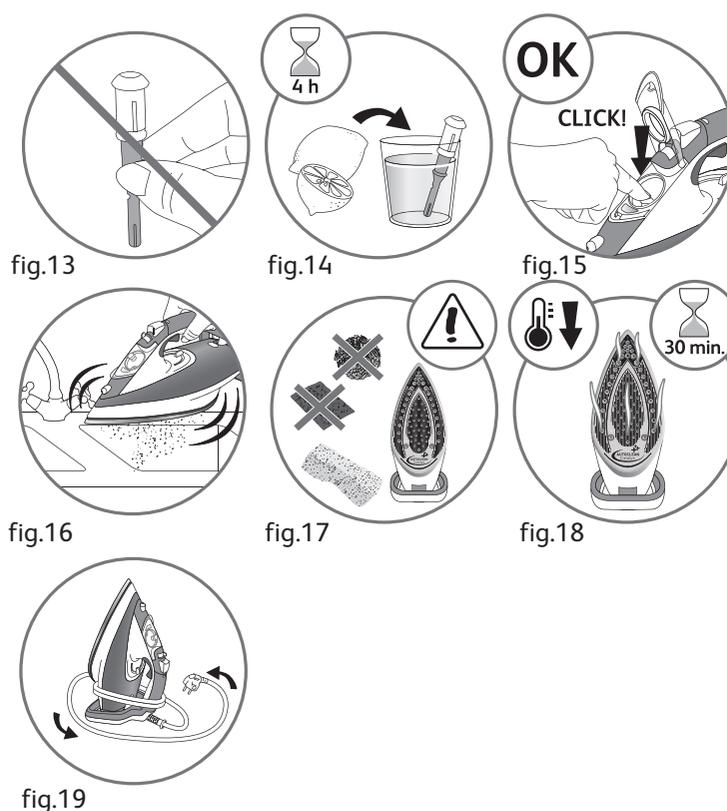
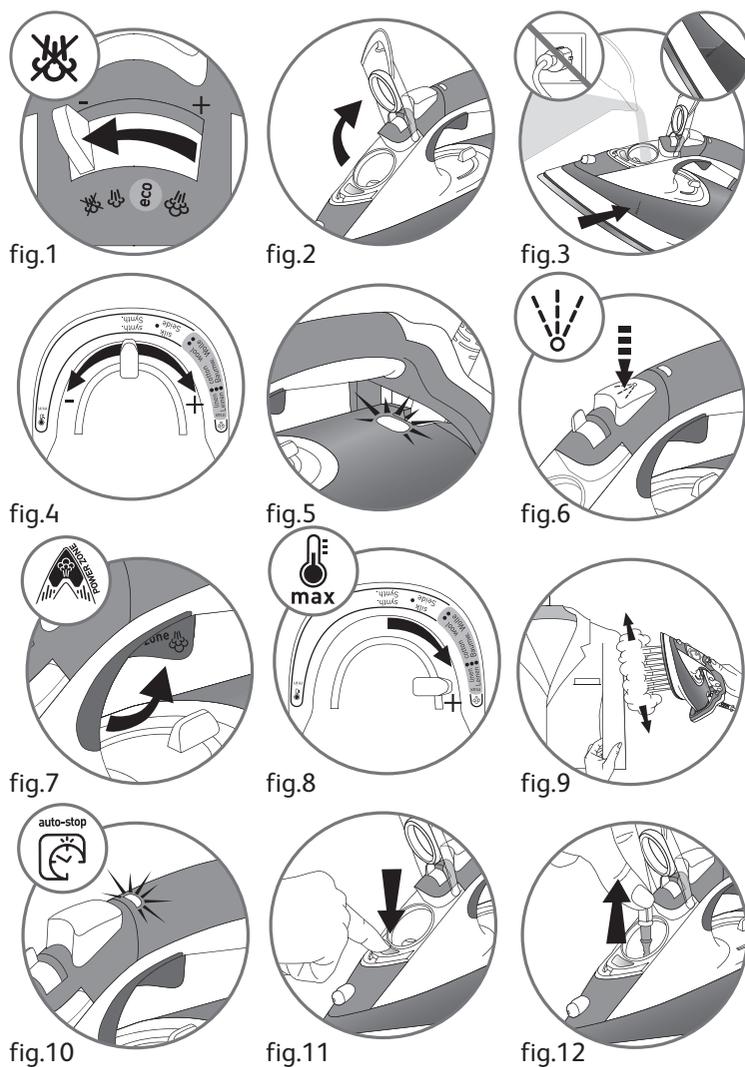


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## Important safety recommendations

- Please read these instructions carefully before first use. This product has been designed for domestic and indoor use only. Any commercial use, inappropriate use or failure to comply with the instructions, the manufacturer accepts no responsibility and the guarantee will not apply.
- Never unplug the appliance by pulling the power cord. Always unplug your appliance: before filling the water tank or rinsing the water tank, before cleaning the appliance, after each use.
- The appliance must be used and placed on a flat, stable, heat-resistant surface. When you place the iron on the iron rest, make sure that the surface on which you place it is stable.
- This appliance is not intended to be used by persons (including children) with reduced or impaired physical, sensory or mental capabilities or persons lacking appropriate knowledge or experience, unless a person responsible for their safety provides either supervision or appropriate instructions concerning use of the appliance prior to its use.
- Children should be supervised to ensure they do not play with the appliance.
- This appliance may be used by children aged 8 or over and persons lacking appropriate knowledge or experience or persons with reduced or impaired physical, sensory or mental capabilities provided that they have

been thoroughly instructed regarding use of the appliance, are supervised, and understand the risks involved. Children shall not play with the appliance. Cleaning and user maintenance shall not be made by children without supervision. Keep the iron and its cord out of reach of children less than 8 years of age when it is energized or cooling down.

-  The surfaces of your appliance can reach very high temperatures when functioning, which may cause burns. Do not touch the hot surfaces of the appliance (accessible metal parts and plastic parts adjacent to the metallic parts).

- Never leave the appliance unattended when it is connected to the mains. Before storing the appliance, once it is unplugged, please wait until it has cooled down (around 1 hour).
- The appliance must not be used if it has been dropped, if it has any visible damage, if it leaks, or if it functions abnormally in any way. Do not attempt to dismantle your appliance: have it examined at an Approved Service Centre to avoid any danger.
- The iron should only be used with the base provided (for cordless irons).
- Check the electrical power cord for sign of wear or damage prior to use. If the electrical power cord is damaged, it must be replaced at an Approved Service Centre to avoid any danger.

- The iron must always be placed on its base and never on its heel (for cordless irons) .
- Your iron and its base must be used and placed on a stable surface. When you place the iron on its base, ensure that the surface on which the base is placed is stable.
- For your safety, this appliance conforms to all applicable regulations (Low Voltage Directive, Electromagnetic Compatibility, Environment, etc).

### Dry ironing

- Set the temperature for the fabric to be ironed.
- Set the steam control to  – fig.1.
- You may start ironing when the thermostat light goes out.

## Extra Functions

### Autoclean Catalys® Soleplate (depending on model)

- Your iron is equipped with a self-cleaning soleplate which works by catalysis.
- Its exclusive coating helps continuously eliminate all the impurities generated by normal use.
- It is recommended that you always stand your iron on his heel to preserve its self-cleaning coating.

### Integral anti-scale system

Your iron is equipped with an integral anti-scale system. This system will help to provide:

- a better ironing quality with a constant flow of steam,
- lasting performance from your appliance.

### Auto-Stop safety feature (depending on model)

**The auto-stop light will be lit during normal use!**

- The electronic system cuts off the electric power and the Auto-Stop warning light flashes if the iron is left vertically on its heel for more than 8 minutes, or in a horizontal position for more than 30 seconds – fig.10.

- To restart the iron, just move it gently until the warning light stops flashing.

### Anti-drip function (depending on model)

- When the iron is no longer hot enough to produce steam, the water feed will stop automatically to avoid dripping.

## Maintenance and cleaning

### Cleaning the anti-scale valve (once a month)

- Unplug your iron and empty the water tank.
- Adjust the steam setting to “Eco”.
- To remove the anti-scale valve, open the water tank lid and press the release button – fig.11 and then pull the valve upwards – fig.12.
- Soak the valve in a cup of commercially available white vinegar or plain lemon juice for 4 hours – fig.14.
- Rinse the valve under running water.
- Replace the anti-scale valve; press until it clicks in to place – fig.15.

**Be careful!**  
- **Never touch the end of the valve – fig.13.**  
- **The iron will not function without the anti-scale valve.**  
**Do not put any descaling products (vinegar, industrial descaling agents...) to rinse out your iron: they could damage it.**

### Self-cleaning

**The self-cleaning function helps to slow down scaling in your iron. In order to extend the life of your iron, use the Self-Cleaning function once a month.**

- Fill the tank of your iron with untreated tap water. Stand the iron on it’s heel with the thermostat set to “Max” and heat it up.
- When the thermostat light goes out, unplug the iron and hold it in a horizontal position, over a sink. Remove the anti-scale valve – fig.11-12 (see previous chapter).
- Shake the iron gently, over the sink, until some of the water in the water tank (with the impurities) has flowed out through the soleplate – fig.16.

- At the end of the operation, replace the anti-scale valve; press it in until it clicks – fig.15.

- Your steam iron is an electrical appliance: it must be used under normal conditions of use. It is designed for domestic use only.
- Always plug your steam iron:
  - into a mains circuit with voltage between 220 V and 240 V,
  - into an earthed electrical socket.
Connecting to the wrong voltage may cause irreparable damage to the appliance and will invalidate your guarantee. If you are using a mains extension lead, ensure that it is correctly rated (16A) with an earth, and is fully extended.
- Completely unwind the power cord before plugging into an earthed socket.
- The soleplate of your iron can reach extremely high temperatures, and can cause burns: do not touch them. Never touch the electrical power cords with the soleplate of the iron.
- Your appliance emits steam, which can cause burns. Always handle the iron with care, especially when ironing vertically. Never direct the steam towards people or animals.
- Never immerse your steam iron in water or any other liquid. Never place it under a running tap.
- The plug must be removed from the socket-outlet before the water reservoir is filled with water.

#### PLEASE RETAIN THIS INSTRUCTION BOOKLET FOR FUTURE REFERENCE

#### Environment protection first !

-  Your appliance contains valuable materials which can be recovered or recycled.
-  Leave it at a local civic waste collection point.

### Description

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| 1. Spray nozzle                                | 8. Electric power cord   |
| 2. Anti-scale valve release button             | 9. Easycord system   |
| 3. Anti-scale valve                            | 10. Thermostat indicator light   |
| 4. Steam control                               | 11. Extra Stable heel  |
| 5. Water tank filler flap                      | 12. Power zone  trigger |
| 6. Spray Button                                | 13. Thermostat control   |
| 7. Auto-Stop safety light (depending on model) | 14. Autoclean Catalys® Soleplate (depending on model)  |

#### Before first use

**Please read these instructions carefully. Remove any labels from the soleplate before heating up the iron.**

- Before using your iron with the steam function for the first time, we recommend that you operate it in a horizontal position for a few moments, away from your linen. Operate the Power zone  trigger several times under the same conditions.
- There may be a release of smoke, a harmless odour and a light spray of particles when you use your appliance for the first time. This has no effect on the use of the iron and will disappear quickly.

## Preparation

### What water to use?

- Your appliance has been designed to operate using untreated tap water. However, it is necessary to operate the Self-Clean function regularly in order to eliminate hard water deposits from the steam chamber.
- Never use water containing additives (starch, scents, softeners, etc.), or water produced by condensation (e.g. water from tumble-driers, refrigerators, air conditioners, rain water), nor boiled, filtered or bottled water. The types of water contain organic waste or mineral elements that can cause spitting, brown staining, or premature wear of the appliance.

**If your water is very hard, it is possible to mix tap water with store-bought distilled or demineralised water in the following proportions :**  
- **50% tap water,**  
- **50% distilled or deminerali-sed water.**

- Plug the iron back in and leave it resting on its heel for two minutes to dry the soleplate.
- Clean the soleplate with a damp, non-metallic cloth while it is still warm.

### Cleaning the soleplate

**Your steam iron is fitted with a self-cleaning soleplate (depending on model):**

- The exclusive active coating helps continuously eliminate all the impurities generated by the normal day-to-day use of the iron.

- However, if you iron using an unsuitable setting, some traces may be left which require manual cleaning. In this case, it is recommended that you use a soft damp cloth on the warm soleplate, in order not to damage the surface.

**Your steam iron is fitted with an Ultraglide soleplate (depending on model):**

- Clean the soleplate with a damp, non-metallic cloth while it is still warm.

### Storing your iron

- Unplug the iron and wait for the soleplate to cool down – fig.18.
- Empty the water tank and set the steam control to . A little water may remain in the tank.
- Wind the cord around the heel at the back of the iron. Store the iron on its heel – fig.19.

### Filling the water tank

**Fill the tank up to the “MAX”.**

- Never fill the appliance by holding it directly under the tap. Do not remove the anti-scale valve to fill the water tank.
- Unplug your iron before filling it.
- Set the steam control to  – fig.1.
- Take the iron in one hand and tilt it slightly, with the point uppermost.
- Open the water tank lid – fig.2.
- Fill the tank up to the “MAX” line – fig.3.
- Close the flap of the water tank.

## Use

### Adjust the temperature and the steam

- Set the thermostat control – fig.4, referring to the table below.
- The thermostat light comes on. It will go out when the soleplate is hot enough – fig.5.

FABRIC	POSITION OF THERMOSTAT CURSOR	STEAM SETTING POSITION
LINEN COTTON WOOL	<b>MAX</b> 	 <b>eco</b>
SILK / SYNTHETIC (Polyester, Acetate, Acrylic, Nylon)		

**RECOMMENDATIONS**

- Select  setting and save 20 % energy compared to the maximum position with the maximum position.
- Your iron heats up quickly: so begin by ironing fabrics that are ironed at low temperatures first, then go on to those requiring a higher temperature,
- If you turn down the thermostat, wait until the thermostat light comes back on before beginning to iron again,
- When ironing fabrics with mixed fibres, set the ironing temperature for the most delicate fibre. For delicate fabrics we recommend testing the fabric first on an inconspicuous place eg (inside the hem).

### Spray Function (spray)

**Make sure that there is water in the tank before using this button.**

- Whether steam or dry ironing, you are able to use the spray button to dampen laundry to remove stubborn creases – fig.6.

### Obtain more steam

- Turn the thermostat to “**MAX**” or “**•••**”.
- Operate the Power zone  trigger from time to time – fig.7.
- To avoid drips, leave an interval of a few seconds between operations.

### Vertical steam ironing

**Hold the iron a few centimetres from the fabric to avoid burning delicate fabrics.**

**Every five pulses return the iron to a horizontal position.**

- Hang the garment on a hanger and hold the fabric slightly taut with one hand. The steam is very hot, so you should always do this with the garment on a hanger – never iron clothes which someone is wearing.

- Set the thermostat control to “MAX” – fig.8.
- Operate the Power zone  trigger by pulsing – fig.7 moving the iron from top to bottom – fig.9.

## If there is a problem

PROBLEM	POSSIBLE CAUSES	SOLUTIONS	
Water drips from the holes in the soleplate.	The chosen temperature is too low and does not allow for the formation of steam.	Position the thermostat in the steam range (from <b>••</b> to MAX).	
	You are using steam while the iron is not hot enough.	Wait until the thermostat light goes out.	
	You are using the Power zone  trigger too often.	Wait a few seconds between each use of the Power zone button.	
	There is too much steam.	Reduce the steam.	
	You have stored the iron horizontally, without emptying it and without setting it to  .	See the section “Storing your iron”.	
The anti-scale valve is not fully inserted.		Replace the anti-scale valve: press down until it clicks into place.	
	Brown streaks come through the holes in the soleplate and stain the linen.	You are using chemical descaling agents.	Do not add any descaling agents to the water in the water tank.
		You are not using the right type of water.	Perform a self-cleaning operation and consult the section “What water to use?”
Fabric fibres have accumulated in the holes of the soleplate and are burning.		Perform the self-cleaning operation and clean the soleplate with a damp sponge. Vacuum the holes of the soleplate from time to time.	
	The soleplate is dirty or brown and can stain the linen.	Your linen is not rinsed sufficiently or you have ironed a new garment before washing it.	Ensure linen is rinsed thoroughly to remove any soap deposits or chemicals on new garments which may be sucked up by the iron.
There is little or no steam.		You are using starch.	Always spray starch onto the reverse side of the fabric to be ironed.
	The water tank is empty.	Fill the water tank.	
	The anti-scale valve is dirty.	Clean the anti-scale valve.	
	Your iron has a build-up of scale.	Clean the anti-scale valve and carry out a selfclean.	
Your iron has been used dry for too long.		Carry out a self-clean.	
	The soleplate is scratched or damaged.	You have placed your iron flat on a metallic rest-plate or ironed over a zip. You have cleaned your soleplate with an abrasive or metal pad.	Always set your iron on its heel. Try to avoid ironing over zips. Refer to the chapter “Clean the soleplate”.
	Your soleplate is releasing particles.	Scale is building up on the soleplate.	Carry out a self-clean operation.
Water is running out of the water tank flap.	You have not closed the water tank flap properly.	Check that the water tank flap is locked properly.	
Steam or water leak from the iron as you finish filling the tank.	The steam control is not set to the  .	Check that the steam control is set to the  position.	
The spray does not spray.	There is not enough water in the water tank.	Fill up the water tank.	

**If you have any problem or queries, please contact our Helpline: 0345 602 1454 - UK / (01) 677 4003 - ROI or consult our website - www.tefal.co.uk**