



# USER MANUAL

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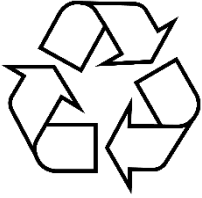
## Professional Steam & Vacuum Cleaning Machine

Original Instructions for Model:

**SV8**



**Warning** Do not operate this appliance before reading and understanding these instructions. Always keep the instructions attached to the appliance or readily available at the appliance storage site.



Please recycle all packaging material. Do not throw away into household waste

# Safety Instructions



Please read and comply with these safety instructions prior to using the machine. Retain this document for future reference. These instructions are also available on our website [www.matrixcleaningsystems.co.uk](http://www.matrixcleaningsystems.co.uk)

Warnings and information plates on the machine provide directions for safe operation.

Apart from the instructions provided please observe any legislation for prevention of accidents in the country/place of use.

## Symbols used throughout the safety instructions and on the machine



**Danger** - Immediate danger that can lead to severe injuries or death



**Warning** - Possibly dangerous situation that could lead to severe injuries or death



**Caution** - Danger that can lead to minor injuries or damage



- **Do not touch surface may be hot**



- **Do not point or spray toward people, animals or any electrical appliances**

## Operation Warnings:

- Only to be used by persons trained in its correct operation and in a safe manner and should never be left unattended. Children should be supervised to ensure they do not play with the machine.
- The machine should not be used by children or persons with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities or lack of experience or knowledge.
- This machine is intended for use in a commercial cleaning environment. If you do not follow the instructions contained in this manual, situations may arise which may be dangerous or harmful to the machine or the person operating the machine. Read this manual carefully so that you know when such situations can arise.
- Report any problems or damage to the machine immediately to the supplier or a Matrix approved supplier for this product. **Do not** operate the machine until the problem or damage has been resolved.

# Safety Instructions



## Intended Use

- The machine is manufactured and designed to generate steam and vacuuming any spilled liquids and solids which may be experienced whilst using the machine.
- Wear safety shoes and gloves and any other PPE as specified by local regulations.
- It is not intended to pick up any hazardous/flammable dust or liquid.
- The appliance is suitable for commercial use e.g. in hotels, schools, hospitals, factories, shops, offices and hire shops.
- Any other use is considered as improper use. Matrix Cleaning Systems Ltd accepts no liability for any damage resulting from such use. The risk is solely borne by the user.
- Proper use also includes correct operation, service and repair specified by Matrix.

## Transport and Storage



### **Danger**

- Before transporting make sure all the lids are on and fully tightened or locked in place.
- Only transport and use in an upright position, do not tilt or lie on its side.
- Protect the unit from rain and frost. Do not store outside or use in the rain.



### **Danger**

- The voltage specified on the type plate must correspond to the voltage of the electrical source.
- It is recommended that the machine is connected via a residual current circuit breaker with overprotection switch (max 30mA for 30ms).
- Please use the mains cable provided by the manufacturer and check for damage regularly. If the cord becomes damaged please contact your Matrix distributor for replacement (using part code: 11RM00061 for UK plug and 11RM00062 for EU Plug) prior to using the machine again.
- Inadequate extension cords can be dangerous. If an extension cord is used, it should be suitable for outdoor use and the connection has to be kept dry and off the ground by at least 60mm.
- Turn off and remove the plug from the power source when replacing parts or cleaning the machine.

## Appliance Socket



### **Caution**

- The appliance socket is only designed for the purposes defined in the operating instructions. The connection of different appliances can result in damage.
- Prior to plugging in the hose, switch off the machine and only use the hoses as specified by the manufacturer.
- The machine has a pressure release valve built into the unit which will open if the machine pressure ever gets too high. This will release from the bottom of the machine, if this happens please contact your supplier or Matrix for repair or information
- If liquid or foam escapes from the machine, switch off immediately and contact the distributor or Matrix direct.

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# Operating Procedures

1. Fill the cold water tank with **clean cold** water only.  
**Anything other than clean cold water used in the water tank will void the manufacturer's warranty.**
2. Connect the Vacuum Hose to the front of the machine ensuring it locks into position. To release the vacuum hose from the socket slide the red button upwards at the same time as pulling the hose out.  
**If the Hose becomes damaged the complete hose must be replaced. Do not attempt this task yourself, contact a Matrix approved supplier for replacement.**
3. Connect the Steam Hose to the front of the machine ensuring it is pushed in all the way and the pin on the flap locks into the hole on the hose.  
**Grease "O" rings on steam pin before connecting.**  
**To release the steam hose, lift the flap and pull.**
4. Plug the power cable into a 240 Volt supply.  
**Inspect the electric cable before every use. If the cable becomes damaged at any time the complete cable must be replaced by a Matrix approved distributor.**  
**Never touch the power cable or plug with wet hands**  
**Always unplug the machine when**
  - **The machine is not in use**
  - **Cleaning the machine**
  - **Any maintenance work is being carried out**
5. Switch the On/Off switch to the ON position. The Heater On light LED will illuminate.
6. Allow approximately 10 minutes for the boiler to heat the water
7. When the Steam Ready LED illuminates the machine is ready to be used.
8. The handle controls are now active.
  - The red trigger on the hose handle will release steam when pressed.
  - The red button on the side of the handle will lock the steam trigger in the off position.  
**Whenever the machine is not in use this must be locked in the off position**
  - Pressing the left hand switch on top of the handle will activate the vacuum.
  - The right hand momentary switch located on the top of the handle is inactive on this machine model.
9. Choose and fit the required accessory to the hose handle. Lock the accessory in place by turning the accessory locking clip. For more information on various cleaning tasks and tools to use please visit our website [www.matrixcleaningsystems.co.uk](http://www.matrixcleaningsystems.co.uk).  
**When changing accessories during use please note these will be hot!!**

# During Use

## Cold Water Tank Empty

1. Refill the cold water tank when the refill cold water LED is illuminated. A buzzer will sound and the steam will no longer come out of the nozzle when the steam switch on the handle is pressed.
2. **Always empty the collection tank each time the cold-water tank is refilled.**
3. The pumps will not work when the cold-water tank is empty.
4. Once the cold water refill LED is illuminated the boiler heater will remain on for 30 minutes. If the cold-water tank is not refilled within 30 minutes and the machine is left powered on the boiler heater will switch off.

## Collection Tank Full

1. **Always empty the collection tank each time the cold-water tank is refilled**
2. The pitch of the motor noise changes and there is no suction at the nozzle
3. **Switch off the machine**, empty the collection tank and rinse clean

## Storing the Hose after Use

1. On completion remove the hose from the front of the machine and store in basket/bag provided, once cooled.

# Safety Precautions



**Warning**

**This machine is to be used by trained operatives only**

## **DO**

- Check the cable and plug are safe and intact before plugging the machine in.
- Place cleaning in progress signs where necessary
- Point the steam nozzle away from your body during use
- Empty and clean machine after each use

## **DON'T**

- Use the machine near people, children or animals
- Point steam at electrical apparatus
- Use the machine to clean the machine down
- Do not use on Velvet, satin or leather
- Leave the machine unattended

# Maintenance



**Warning - Disconnect the machine from the mains before cleaning or carrying out any maintenance work.**

## Daily Maintenance

**To be carried out every day or every 8 hours of operation.**

1. Grease "O" rings on the steam pin in the steam hose.
2. Wash the hose by sucking one or two litres of water from a basin into the collection tank.
3. Empty the collection tank, rinse and wipe down.
4. Remove the foam filter, wash in water and re fit.
  - Take care not to damage the filter mesh. If it becomes torn do not use the machine and replace damaged parts immediately.
5. Wipe down the body of the machine with a clean damp cloth
6. Always wash the accessories in hot soapy water  
**DO NOT IMMERSE THE MACHINE OR HOSE IN WATER**
7. Wrap the power cable around the handle before storage.

## Weekly Maintenance

**To be carried out every week or every 50 hours of operation.**

As for daily maintenance plus the following:

1. Inspect the power cable for any signs of damage. If damaged do not repair, contact the supplier of this product. Do not use until repaired.
2. Inspect the hose assembly for any signs of damage. If damaged do not repair, contact the supplier of this product. Do not use until repaired.
3. Inspect castors to ensure all securing bolts are fully tightened.

# Service & Guarantee

## Service

If you require a service or advice on using or maintaining your machine please contact your Matrix approved distributor. If in doubt, please contact Matrix Cleaning Systems direct on +44 (0) 1772 431906.

## Guarantee

Matrix Cleaning Systems guarantees that if within 24 months from the date of purchase this appliance, or any parts thereof, is proved to be defective by reason of faulty workmanship or materials. Please contact the supplier you purchased from, and at their option repair or replace the same free of charge for labour and materials, provided that:

- The appliance has been installed and used in accordance with our operating and servicing instructions.
- If the appliance has been serviced, maintained, repaired, modified taken apart or tampered with by any person not authorised by us, then we will not be liable under this guarantee for any fault arising from their defective workmanship.
- We shall not be liable under this guarantee for any fault in the appliance arising from the use of spare parts not supplied and recommended by us.
- Excluded from this guarantee are parts that need replacement due to normal wear and tear such as hoses, nozzles and accessories.

# Technical Information

## Boiler

Wattage	3000W – (2000+1000)
Type	Stainless Steel
Capacity	3.3 Litres
Continuous Fill	Yes
Steam Pressure	8 Bar
Steam at source	185°C >

## Vacuum

Type	Integral
Motor	850 watts
Noise Level	67 dB(A)

## Electrical

Voltage	240V ~ single phase
Low Voltage Controls	5V
Cord length	10m
Nominal input power	3000 watts
Hand-arm Vibration Level	<2.5m/s

## Capacities

Boiler	3.3 Litres
Cold Water Tank	5 Litres (easy fill)
Collection Tank	12 Litres

## Dimensions

Height	58cm
Height with handle & basket	82cm
Depth	57cm
Depth with handle & basket	80cm
Width	40cm
Net Weight	30kg

Package height	88cm
Package depth	70cm
Package width	52cm
Package gross weight	37 kg

# Trouble Shooting

Symptom	Possible Cause	Action Required
<b>No Power</b>	Faulty wall socket or not connected	Check connection to wall socket and socket switch. Try other wall socket
	On/Off switch not illuminated	Press to the On position
	Fuse Blown	Replace fuse with approved 13A fuse (UK machines only)
	Unknown	Call for service
<b>No Steam</b>	Steamer not ready	Wait for the “Steam Ready” light on the front of the machine to illuminate
	Clean water tank is low (Beeping Sound & “Refill Clean Water” light is illuminated)	Pour CLEAN COLD WATER into the clean water tank. The beeping will stop. Await for the “Steam Ready” light to illuminate.
	Unknown	Call for service
<b>No Steam, Just Water</b>	Steamer not ready	Wait for the “Steam Ready” light to illuminate
	Boiler at pressure and not heating (temperature less than 110 °C)	Hold the steam switch on for approximately one minute, even if just water is coming out. This will result in the heater coming back on
	Unknown	Call for service
<b>Steam Leaking from front socket</b>	“O” Rings split	Change and re grease “O” Rings. To avoid this happening ensure “O” rings are grease before every use
	“O” rings worn	Change and re grease “O” Rings. To avoid this happening ensure “O” rings are grease before every use

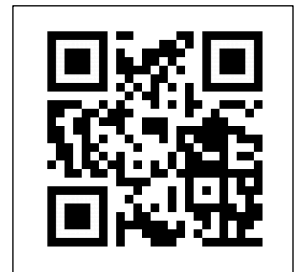


Symptom	Possible Cause	Action Required
Vacuum power low	High pitch motor noise	Switch the machine off and empty the collection tank. Refill the collection tank with clean water to the mark and recommence work
	Unknown	Call for service
CLD on display	Machine frozen or ambient temperature is below 3 °C	Place machine in a warmer environment for an hour and then turn on the machine again. If the problem persist call for service
Pft on display	Boiler/pump fault	Call for service

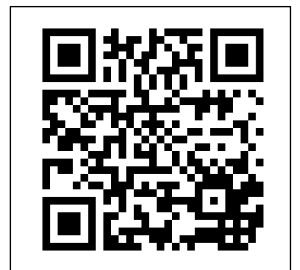
# References and Useful Links

## EOS Setting Up Videos

- YouTube: <https://youtu.be/CYf7lggs87U>



- Matrix Website: <http://www.matrixcleaningsystems.co.uk/sv8/> (Click SET UP VIDEO tab)



## Data Sheets

### Machine

- <http://www.matrixcleaningsystems.co.uk/sv8/> (Click DATA SHEET tab)



### Grease

- <http://www.matrixcleaningsystems.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2017/03/GREASE-DATA-SHEET.pdf>



## Chewing Gum Removal Detergent

- Concentrate: <http://www.matrixcleaningsystems.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2017/03/CHEWING-GUM-REMOVER-CONCENTRATE-Rev-1-080515-00000003.pdf>
- Ready to Use: <http://www.matrixcleaningsystems.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2017/03/CHEWING-GUM-REMOVER-RTU.pdf>



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