

Personal Trimmer Instructions

#### Personal trimmer

# Please read all instructions carefully to familiarise yourself with your new Wahl Trimmer before using.

Save these instructions for further reference.

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### GENERAL USER INFORMATION

Information about using the operation manual

- ▶ Before using the appliance for the first time, you must read and understand the operation manual completely.
- ➤ Consider the operation manual as part of the product and store it in a safe and accessible place.
- ▶ Include this operation manual if passing the appliance on to a third party.
- ► In the case of conflicts with national safety specifications or instructions, the national requirements must be followed.

## Explanation of symbols and notes



#### DANGER

Danger of electric shock which may result in serious physical injury or death.



#### DANGER

Danger of explosion which may result in serious physical injury or death.



#### WARNING

Warning of possible physical injury or a health risk.



#### CAUTION

Information about danger of material damage.



Note with useful information and tips.

- Action to be taken by owner.
- Carry out these actions in the sequence described.
- List

#### Personal trimmer

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READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE USING.

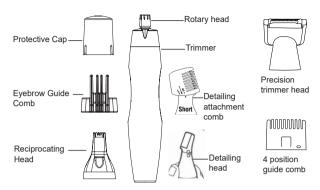
### **IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS**

When using this electrical appliance, especially when children are present, basic safety precautions should always be observed including the following.

## Requirements

- ▶ This appliance can be used by children from aged 14 years and above and 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. Children shall not play with the appliance. Cleaning and user maintenance shall not be made by children without supervision.
- ▶ Use this appliance only for its intended purpose.
- Do not use this trimmer with a damaged or broken blade, as injury may occur.
- When discarding an old battery, do not throw into fire or where heat could cause it to rupture or explode. Also, do not attempt to recharge alkaline heavy duty or regular batteries in battery charging devices.

### DESCRIPTION



Some attachments may not be included in all kits

# OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS BATTERY INSTALLATION/REPLACEMENT

- Remove battery cover from trimmer by pushing in the direction of the arrow.
- Insert the battery/batteries following the directions printed on the inside of the trimmer.
- 3. Replace the battery cover to its original position.
- 4. Replace batteries as soon as you notice the trimmer running slower than normal, to avoid pulling hairs.
- To maximize battery life, trimmer should be shut off immediately after using.

### ATTACHING GUIDE COMBS

Align comb onto the blade then press tab until it clicks into position.

#### INSTALLATION OF TRIMMING HEADS

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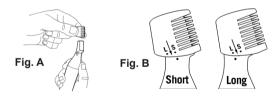
- 1. Ensure that the trimmer is turned OFF.
- Holding the top half of the body, turn the trimmer head counter clockwise and lift off.
- 3. Holding the top half of the body, place trimmer head on trimmer and turn trimmer head clockwise to lock on.

#### LIGHTED TRIMMING

(5546 model only)

The light automatically comes on when the unit is turned on. Use the light to see the hair better.

## USING THE DETAILING HEAD & ATTACHMENT COMB (if included)



#### TRIMMING FYFBROWS

Place the detailing attachment comb over the detailing head (See Fig. A) The attachment comb allows you to trim and shape eyebrows. Trim by following in the direction of the hair growth.

Only use on eyebrows. Be cautious around eye area.

The detailing attachment comb has two settings; approximately 2mm (S) and 4mm (L). (See Fig. B)

The settings will create very short lengths to create a thin brow.

 Choose the desired length. The shortest is nearest to the comb and the longest is the furthest.

Note: Be advised that you must align the dots for the settings with the dot on the detailing trimmer head. The first time using the detailing attachment comb, it is better to start with the longest setting to see what length works best.

- Slide the track of the blade into the chosen slot on the detailing attachment comb by following the direction of the arrow. The detailing attachment should slide in easily, otherwise it may be misaligned.
- Slide the detailing attachment comb until you feel it fasten.
   The entire length of the blade should be covered.

## **USING THE RECIPROCATING HEAD & EYEBROW COMB** (if included)

Place the eyebrow guide comb over the reciprocating head. Trim by following in the direction of the hair growth.

### TRIMMING SIDEBURNS & MOUSTACHE

For detailing sideburns and moustache, slowly move reciprocating head across desired areas to neatly trim and shape.

## USING THE ROTARY ATTACHMENT (if included) TRIMMING HAIR FROM NOSE

Ensure that the nasal passages are clean. Slowly move the trimmer in and out of each nostril, no more than a 6mm. Keep the side of the cutting head firmly against the skin to reduce tickling sensation. (The detailing head may also be used).

#### TRIMMING HAIR FROM EARS

Ensure the outer areas of the ears do not contain any wax. Hold the ear flat with one hand and carefully insert the rotary or detailing head no more than 6mm into the outer ear.



Do not insert the cutting head or any other foreign object into the inner ear. For hair growing outside the ear, simply move the detailing head slowly along the edges of the ear.

## **USING THE PRECISION TRIMMER HEAD & 4** POSITION GUIDE COMB (if included)

### TRIMMING AND EDGING YOUR BEARD

The following are suggested trimming steps and trimmer positions. You may find different procedures work better for you.

- 1 Comb your beard in the direction that it grows to help reveal stray hairs that may be longer than the others.
- 2. Attach the guide comb to trim and taper your beard. With the blades pointing toward you, begin with the 4-position guide set at a long trimming length. For best results, start at each sideburn and stroke downward toward your neck. Trim toward your chin in smooth, overlapping strokes, following the lay of your beard. If you trim against the way your beard naturally lays, the trimmer will cut the hair much shorter and the result may be patchy. Adjust the guide comb to progressively shorter settings until you reach the desired length of beard. You may wish to set the guide comb to cut closer near the ear and down under the chin. changing to a longer setting toward the front of the face and point of your chin. Always be sure the guide is snapped solidly

- into the desired position before you start to trim.
- Remove the 4-position guide and cut the outline of your beard.
   Starting under your chin and working back toward your jawbone and ears, cut the outer perimeter of your beard underneath the jawbone. Continue the line all the way up to the ears and hairline.
- Accentuate your beard line by using the trimmer in a downward motion. Start at the line you've created and, working from the chin back toward the ears, trim the area right under your beard line
- 5. Define the upper part of your beard using the same technique.

#### CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE

Periodically, turn the trimmer OFF and rinse the cutting head under warm, running water. For more thorough cleaning, remove the cutting head assembly by turning it slightly counter clockwise. Then rinse the entire assembly under running water. After cleaning, replace the cutting head assembly and wipe the entire trimmer dry with a soft cloth. Always replace protective cap before storing.

Do not submerge the trimmer body in water, only the trimmer head should be rinsed clean.

## BATTERY REPLACEMENT, REMOVAL AND DISPOSAL

Battery removal and disposal
Do not dispose of this product or the battery in the normal household waste.

At the end of your products life the battery must be removed and recycled/disposed of correctly and not disposed of with the product.

Batteries should be disposed of at an official collection point in an environmentally safe way or taken to a local collection facility where they will be dealt with safely and sent for the appropriate recycling.

#### **TROUBLESHOOTING**

If your product fails to operate when switched 'ON' check your batteries to see if they are properly installed. Positive end should be located as shown in battery housing. Make sure switch is in the 'ON' position and check to be sure blades are free to move. If blades become clogged, manually pushing the blades back and fourth a few times while unit is turned 'OFF' may help free the blades and allow the trimmer to operate. If it still does not operate, your batteries have probably exceeded their useful life.

# WASTE ELECTRICAL & ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT DIRECTIVE 2002/96/EC (WEEE)



At the end of this products life it should not be disposed of with general household waste. Care should be taken to dispose of in a suitable manner in accordance with your Local Authority regulation.

#### **GUARANTEE**

This product is guaranteed against defects in material and workmanship for a period of 3 years (Lithium models have 5 years) from the date of original purchase or receipt as a gift.

Should this product become defective during the guarantee period, return it to the store of purchase together with your proof of purchase for repair or replacement

Alternatively within the guarantee period you can return the product to Wahl (UK) Ltd who will repair any such defect or elect to replace the product or any part of it, without charge, provided that there is proof of purchase. Should a replacement be offered this will not extend the original guarantee period.

The guarantee becomes invalid in the case of misuse, alteration or repair by unauthorised persons.

This guarantee does not include blades, cables, shaver heads, foils and cutters etc., which are consumable parts.

This product is designed for domestic use only and use within a professional environment will invalidate the guarantee.

This guarantee in no way affects your rights under statutory law in the United Kingdom.

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