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Steam Cleaner Model MC1275 Owner's Manual



Steam Clean and Mop Hard-Surface Floors
 Melt Away Grease, Grime, and So Much More!

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Welcome to the World of Steam!

Dear Valued Customer:

Thank you for purchasing your MC1275 McCULLOCH® Steam Cleaner. Our firm takes pride in providing you with quality, value, and excellent service.

The MC1275 McCULLOCH® Steam Cleaner solves a variety of cleaning tasks, including the elimination of unpleasant odors in all areas of your home. Removal of soap scum, mold, mildew, grease, grime, and calcium deposits in kitchens and bathrooms is quick and easy. Blinds, windows, and vents can be cleaned with a burst of steam from the steam jet nozzle. Easily clean appliances, counter tops, floors, and children's toys. Your McCULLOCH® Steam Cleaner can also be used to address a variety of cleaning problems outside the home. Tackle tough jobs such as messy barbecue grills, cars, motorcycles, trashcans, and patio furniture. We are sure that you will discover a multitude of ways in which you can utilize steam to make your life easier.

Top Innovations, Inc. would like to invite you to take advantage of our customer support web site at www.topinnovations.com. Here you will find additional information about the many other exciting Steam Fast and McCULLOCH® products that are available, helpful tips on ways in which you can utilize your MC1275 McCULLOCH® Steam Cleaner and other useful information to assist you in maximizing the power of steam!

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Chairman and CEO, Top Innovations, Inc.

▲ IMPORTANT SAFETY GUIDELINES

Basic safety precautions should be used when using any electrical appliance.

In order to reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, or other injuries, please read all of the following instructions <u>before</u> using your MC1275 Steam Cleaner.

- 1. Do not leave your MC1275 Steam Cleaner unattended when plugged in or not in use.
- 2. <u>A This unit is not a toy</u>. Close supervision is required when using the unit near children, pets, and plants. The steam produced by the unit is hot and pressurized. Care must be taken to avoid burns or other injuries. Never point the nozzle at pets or people.
- 3. Always unplug the electrical cord when the unit is not in use. Do not use this unit if the electrical cord or outlet is damaged. Do not use the unit if it is not working properly or has been dropped, damaged, or left outdoors. If such damage occurs, return the unit to an approved service technician for repair.
- 4. This unit is an electrical appliance. Do not submerge it in water. Do not use the steam hose or electrical cord as a handle. Do not allow the cord to be crimped in doors or by allowing the unit to roll over it. Do not pull or stretch the cord around sharp corners or edges. Be sure to keep the electrical cord away from all heated surfaces.
- 5. Do not use this unit with electrical cords or outlets that have inadequate current capacity. A threeprong outlet or a properly grounded adapter is necessary when using the MC1275 Steam Cleaner.
- 6. In order to unplug the MC1275 Steam Cleaner, grasp the plug and pull smoothly and firmly from the outlet. Do not attempt to unplug the unit by pulling or tugging on the cord.

SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS!

- 7. A Do not handle or use this unit while hands are wet or when not wearing shoes. To avoid falls and other injuries, be sure to dry any wet areas on floors and to stand away from damp surfaces while using the Steam Cleaner.
- 8. The MC1275 Steam Cleaner is only meant to be used with recommended MC1275 accessories. Other types of attachments such as those used with vacuum cleaners are not to be used with the Steam Cleaner. Doing so may cause injuries or damage to the unit.
- 9. Nozzles and attachments become hot during use. To avoid injuries, do not touch nozzles while using this appliance. Do not attempt to change attachments while the steam control button is depressed.
- 10. Δ <u>Do not</u> turn the unit on its side when in use.
- 11. Always use the provided measuring cup when filling your Steam Cleaner. Do not overfill the water reservoir.
- 12. A Before filling the unit, take the following steps: (1) Turn appliance off.
 (2) Unplug electrical cord. (3) If the unit has been in use, relieve pressure by pressing the steam-control button. (4) Untwist cap slowly while continuing to press down on steam control button. (5) Caution: Allow unit to cool down for 5 minutes before refilling the unit.
- 13. Only water should be used in the unit. Other cleaning agents will damage the unit and can cause injuries.
- 14. Do not operate the unit if the steam opening is blocked. Should this occur, shut the unit off and unplug.
- 15. Store your MC1275 Steam Cleaner in a cool, dry place. Allow the unit to cool completely and empty before storage.

SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS!

Use Caution When Cleaning Certain Types of Surface Areas

- 1. Use the cloth-cover attachment on sealed floor surfaces to create a shine. Do not use on unsealed wood products and surfaces.
- 2. Do not use hot steam on cold glass surfaces; this will cause glass to break.
- 3. Do not use the MC1275 Steam Cleaner to clean soft plastics.
- 4. Always test a small area when using the unit to clean carpets, draperies, upholstery, or other fabric surfaces.
- 5. Your steam cleaner will remove wallpaper and selfadhesive vinyl. Do not use the unit on these types of surfaces unless you wish to achieve this result.

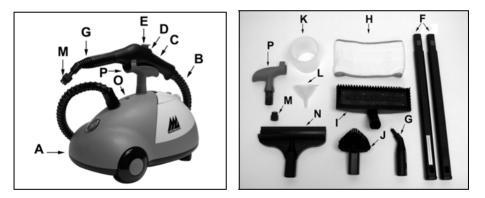
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50 oz.					
120 volts					
60 hertz					
1500 watts					
12.5 amps					

Model MC1275 Steam Cleaner: Product Information

Your MC1275 Steam Cleaner package includes the following features and accessories:

- Steam Cleaner (A)
- Hose (B) with Attached Handle (C)
- Lift Handle (P)
- Steam Lock Button (D)
- Steam Control Switch (E)
- 2 Extension Wands (F)
- Steam Jet Nozzle (G)
- Triangle Brush (J)
- Upholstery/Floor Brush (I)
- 1 Utility Brush (M)
- Terry Cloth Towel for Large Brush (H)
- Squeegee (N)
- Measuring Cup (K); Funnel (L)
- Steam Ready Light (O)



Using Your MC1275 Steam Cleaner

Important: To insure proper use and to avoid potential bodily injury or damage to the unit, read all instructions carefully prior to using your MC1275 Steam Cleaner.

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Your MC1275 Steam Cleaner comes with a number of convenient attachments:

Extension Wands	Access hard-to-reach areas such as ceiling fixtures, draperies, and vents. Use wands and the floor brush to clean floors.
Steam-Jet Nozzle	Provides concentrated jet of steam for tough cleaning tasks.
Utility Brush	Attaches to the steam jet nozzle. Use when cleaning ceramic, metal, plastic, and fiberglass surfaces. Use to remove stains from carpets. This will be your most useful attachment.
Squeegee	Clean patio doors, mirrors, windows, and other glass surfaces.
Large Brush	Cleans and removes odors from carpets, draperies, upholstery, and floor surfaces.
Terry Cloth Towel	Safely cleans sealed hardwood and tile floors.
Triangle Brush	Easily cleans hard-to-reach places.
Optional Attachments:	
Scrub Pad	Newly designed to assist you in cleaning kitchen counters, sinks, and more.
BBQ Grill Brush	Use to remove grease and grime from outdoor grills.

Assembling Attachments

▲ Attachments will become hot while unit is in use. Allow nozzle to cool completely before attempting to change attachments.



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Screw hose onto threaded valve on unit by turning clockwise until hose is firmly tightened.

2. Prior to filling and using your MC1275 Steam Cleaner, select and install the appropriate attachment. To install a cleaning attachment, depress the lock/release button located on the handle and slide the attachment into position so that the rectangular hole in the tool slides over the lock/release button. When the attachment is properly installed, the lock/release button will click into position.



To disconnect an attachment, depress the lock-release button on the handle, and slide the attachment over the button.

4. When attaching the utility brush, align the groove on the steam jet nozzle with the raised nub of the utility brush attachment.

Filling the Water Reservoir

▲ Warning: In order to avoid bodily injury or damage to the unit when using the MC1275 Steam Cleaner, allow the unit to cool for a minimum of (5) minutes before refilling with cold water. Before refilling the unit, unplug the power cord. Do not overfill the water reservoir. Before refilling the unit, drain any water that may be left over from previous use to avoid overfilling of the reservoir. Do not add detergents or any other type of chemicals or cleaning compounds to the water reservoir.





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Turn switch off. Push

steam control switch on the handle to release steam before unscrewing the cap. Remove the reservoir cap by rotating it counter-clockwise until the cap can be removed.

2. Fill the provided MC1275 Steam Cleaner measuring cup with water. Use distilled or de-mineralized water in areas where tap water contains high mineral concentrations.



Using the provided MC1275 Steam Cleaner funnel,

pour the contents of the measuring cup into the water reservoir fill hole. Do not overfill the reservoir. Do not use any type of detergent, chemical, or other cleaning agent in your MC1275 Steam Cleaner. The unit can hold a maximum of 3 measuring cups full of water.

4. Replace the reservoir cap. Tighten the reservoir cap by placing the threaded portion of the cap into the reservoir fill hole, and turning the cap clockwise until snug. Do not over-tighten. This will ensure that the reservoir and cap are sealed securely.

Warning: Failure to properly close the cap can allow hot, pressurized steam to escape from the reservoir, causing bodily injury.

5. The On/Off Switch is located on the top of the unit. After properly filling the water reservoir, plug the unit into a three-pronged outlet. Turn switch to "On" position; switch will be lighted any time the unit is plugged in and set on the "On" position.

6. Your Steam Cleaner will be ready to use in 2-8 minutes, depending on how much water is in the reservoir tank. The steam ready light will be on while the unit is heating. When the steam ready light is no longer lit, you are ready to utilize the power of steam. The unit is designed to self-regulate the temperature and pressure of the steam in the water reservoir. If you do not use your McCULLOCH unit for a period of time (approximately 4-7 minutes), the unit will discontinue heating in order to regulate steam pressure, and the steam ready light will appear again. After reheating, the steam ready light will once again disappear when the unit has reached the desired temperature and pressure.



7.



Push down on the

steam control button on the top of the handle for a burst of steam. For constant steam, slide steam control forward while the steam button is depressed.

- 8. To clean, simply direct the hose at the dirt and grime you wish to remove. Using a slight back-and-forth motion will enhance the cleaning process when dealing with tough dirt, grease, and grime.
- 9. Wipe the steamed area with a clean cloth to remove loosened dirt and grime. Wiping the area while it is still wet is recommended, but take great care when wiping surfaces such as metal that may still be hot.





Care and Storage Guidelines

- Preparing your Steam Cleaner for storage is quick and simple. When you have finished your cleaning tasks, turn the power switch to the "Off" position. Unplug the power cord and allow the unit to cool completely. After the unit has cooled, dump any remaining water in the water reservoir into a sink or tub to prevent overfilling during your next use and to minimize potential mineral buildup in the water reservoir.
- 2. Store small accessories neatly into the accessory compartment.



3. Store the unit indoors in a cool, dry area.

Removing Mineral Build-Up

One common problem with steam appliances is mineral build-up caused by the high mineral content in many municipal water supplies.

The best way to avoid this is to use de-mineralized or distilled water in the unit.

If you are unable to use de-mineralized or distilled water, we recommend you use this procedure monthly to help avoid mineral build-up.

- 1. Turn unit off and unplug the power cord.
- 2. Drain the water reservoir.
- 3. Remove the hose from the unit.
- 4. Using the measuring cup, make a mixture of one cup (8oz.) of vinegar and one cup (8oz.) of water.
- 5. Using funnel, slowly pour the water-vinegar solution into the water reservoir.
- 6. Allow to stand for 40 minutes.
- 7. Drain the water-vinegar solution from the water reservoir.
- 8. Rinse the water reservoir with fresh water and drain until the vinegar odor dissipates.
- 9. Replace cap.



Problem Solving

The following tips are provided for your assistance with common, easilysolved problems.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Unit fails to heat	Check to ensure unit is plugged in.	Push plug securely into outlet. Try another outlet.
	Be sure power switch is in the "On" position.	Check circuit breaker. Check with qualified electrician.
Excess water shoots from steam jet nozzle	Water has condensed in the wand and/or hose.	This is normal if the unit sits unused for a period of time, as condensation may develop in the hose. Point trigger at a tub, sink, or towel. Continue to push the trigger down until excess water is released.
	Water reservoir has been overfilled.	Press steam delivery button to discharge any water that has condensed in wand or hose into a bucket, tub, or sink.
	Unit has not reached operating temperature.	Wait for Steam Ready Light to turn on.
Water spits out from fill spout when adding additional water	The water reservoir is too hot to be refilled.	Allow more cooling time before refilling.
		Fill water reservoir more slowly. Be sure to use the provided funnel and measuring cup to refill unit.



Accessories do not stay firmly attached to handle.	Attachments are not installed properly.	Review steps for proper installation of attachments. Check to ensure that attachments are installed correctly. Align the groove with the section of
Unit heats up, but there is no steam output.	The water tank is empty.	attachment. Turn the unit off, and allow to cool. Refill the water tank as
	The nozzle or hose is blocked.	instructed. Discontinue using the unit, and place a service call for further instructions.

Customer Support

Contact our Customer Support Team at Top Innovations, Inc. at 1-800-711-6617 or 816-584-9700. E-mail us at <u>customerservice@topinnovations.com</u> or visit our web site at www.topinnovations.com

To enable us to better assist you, please have Model and Serial numbers on hand when contacting our Customer Support Team.



Helpful Cleaning Tips

NOTE: THIS UNIT IS NOT FOR DISINFECTING!

Always use your steam cleaner as a first approach to cleaning any stain. In most instances, this approach is all that will be needed to remove stains and soiling. The tips below have been compiled from a variety of sources in order to assist you in the removal of stains and soiling that may remain after your first approach to removal. However, they are not a guarantee that all stains can be effectively treated by using any of the suggested approaches. When attempting to treat any stained or soiled area, be sure to test the selected method of cleaning on a small, inconspicuous area to ensure colorfastness, etc. Top Innovations, Inc. is not responsible for any damages to any surface, fabric, or fiber as a result of attempted stain removal. Do not use more than one type of chemical or detergent cleaning agent to remove a stain. To remove stains treated with baking soda, only use water or steam.

- When possible, treat spills as soon as possible after they occur. Using a clean, white absorbent towel, blot as much of the spilled liquid up as possible. In order to avoid imbedding the stain into the affected area, do not rub. Extract as much liquid as possible before treating the area with your Steam Cleaner.
- After blotting most of the spilled liquid from the affected area, begin the steam cleaning process.
- Always treat the affected area with the Steam Cleaner before attempting to use any other type of cleaning agent. The goal is to eliminate the stain while reducing the need to use detergent or chemical solutions that can damage surfaces, fabrics, and fibers. Whenever possible, avoid using cleaning solutions or agents to remove stains.
- Acidic or caustic spills should be quickly flushed with water. Next, sprinkle a neutralizing agent such as baking soda or an ammonia solution onto the affected area. Do not vacuum any area that has been stained or soiled by an acidic liquid or allow it to dry before it has been neutralized.



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Stain Type	Best Approach	Cleaning Agents
Foods	Do not allow to dry.	Enzyme Detergent
Egg	Do not use hot water or s	team. Enzyme Detergent
Syrups	Do not allow to set.	Laundry Pre-Treating Agent
Mustard	Do not allow to set.	Diluted Vinegar Solution
Chocolate	Do not allow to dry.	Diluted Ammonia Solution
Alcoholic Beverages	Do not allow to dry.	Diluted Vinegar Solution
Carbonated Beverag	ges Do not allow to dry.	Diluted Ammonia Solution
Fruit Juices	Avoid oil-based detergen	ts. Diluted Vinegar Solution
Coffee or Tea	Do not allow to set.	Laundry Pre-Treating Agent
Milk/Dairy Products	Do not allow to set.	Diluted Vinegar Solution
Grease and Oil	Do not rub stain.	Enzyme Detergent
Mud and Dirt	Allow to dry then vacuum	. Steam Clean

LIMITED WARRANTY

Top Innovations, Inc. will repair or replace, at its option, without charge to the consumer any McCULLOCH® product that fails due to a defect in material or workmanship within 3 months following the initial consumer purchase. This warranty does not cover damage caused by commercial use, misuse, alteration, or modification.

Performance of any obligation under this warranty may be obtained by returning the warranted product, freight prepaid, with dated proof of the purchase to:

> TOP INNOVATIONS, INC. Warranty Service Department 400 NW Platte Valley Drive Riverside, MO 64150

If you have any questions about coverage under this warranty you may contact the Warranty Service Department by telephone at 800-711-6617 or email: customerservice@topinnovations.com.

This warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may also have other rights which vary from state to state.



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Model MC1275

Part	Genuine Parts for the McCULLOCH STEAM CLEANER		2 for or 4 for			Total	
A275-001	Triangle Brush (Medium Size Brush)	J	\$	7.49	\$	11.99	
A275-002	Short Nylon Utility Brush for Most Cleaning Needs (1cm)		\$	5.49	\$	7.99	
A275-003	Long Nylon Utility Brush for Hard-to-Reach Places (1.5cm)		\$	5.49	\$	7.99	
A275-004	Short Brass Brush for BBQ Cleaning (1cm)		\$	7.49	\$	11.99	
A275-010	Scrub Pad	d	\$	5.49	\$	7.99	
A275-006	Cloth Cover to Clean and Sanitize Hard Surface Floors		\$	5.49	\$	7.99	
A275-C1	Special Value Pack #1 - A \$31.21 Value for Only \$19.99						
	Includes:						
	5 Short Nylon Utility Brushes 4 Long Nylon Utility Brushes						
	1 Brass BBQ Brush 1 Scrub Pad						
A275-C2	Special Value Pack # 2 - Value of \$32.94 for \$19.99						
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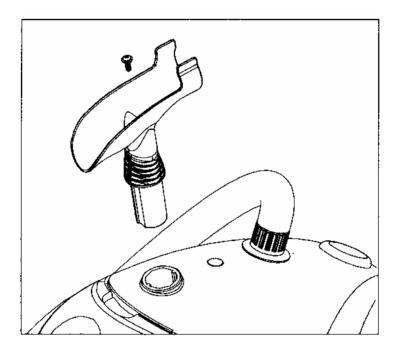


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Assembling Attachments

- 1. Insert the Lift Handle into the Intake Hole on top of the unit. Please follow the instruction according to the illustration.
- 2. Use the enclosed magnetic Screw Driver and Screw to securely fasten the Lift Handle to the unit. (See illustration)





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