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Straightener

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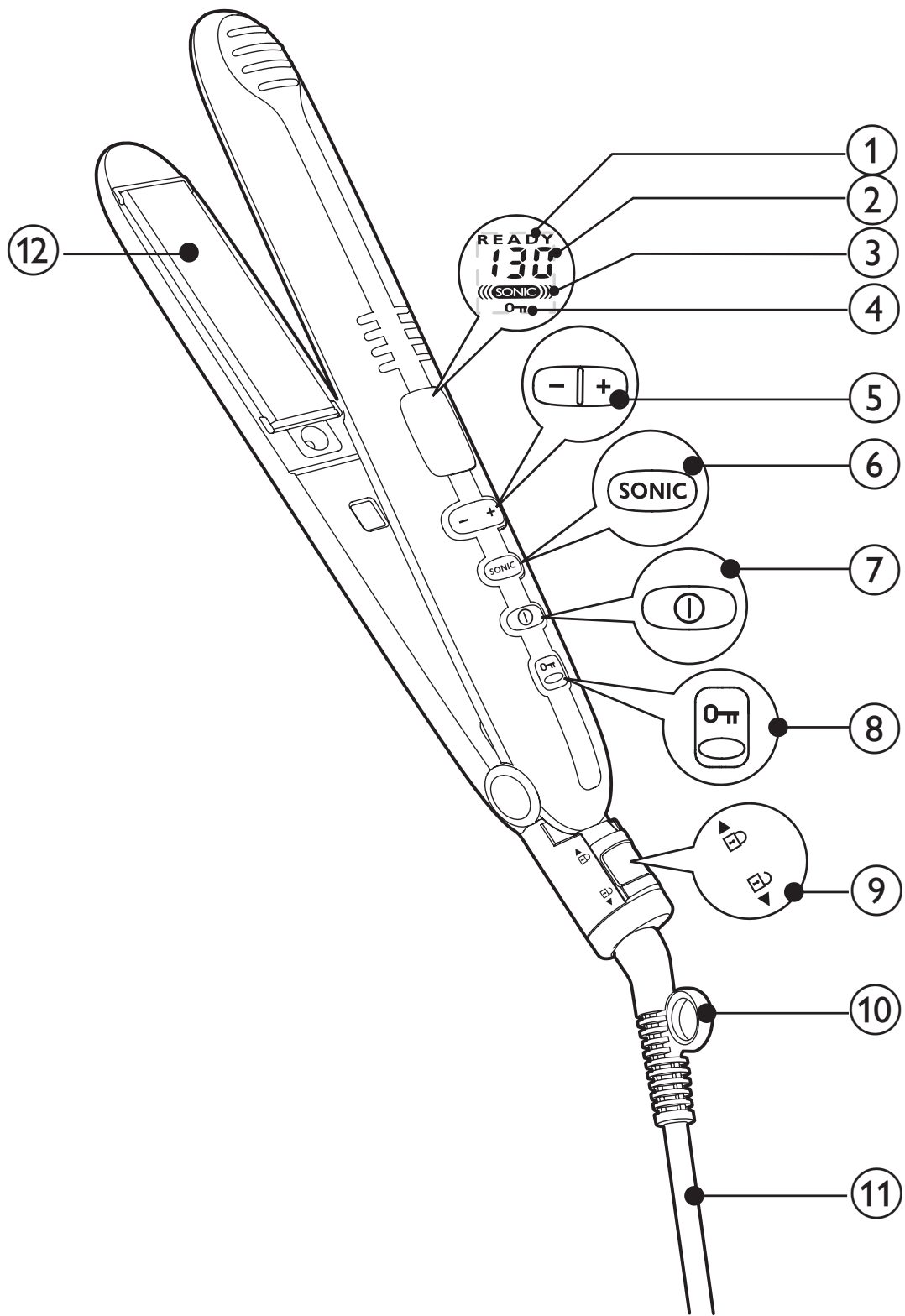


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## 1 Introduction

Congratulations on your purchase, and welcome to Philips! To fully benefit from the support that Philips offers, register your product at [www.philips.com/welcome](http://www.philips.com/welcome).

The Philips ActiveCare Straightener has newly developed Triple-Care™ plates that ensure every hair is protected from too high heat and give you the reassurance of the best results. The Triple-Care™ plates are equipped with 3 hair caring technologies working together:

- TempPrecision Technology - Thanks to its high-performance heater, the straightener keeps a more constant temperature which allows you to straighten your hair at a stabilized and therefore more caring temperature, just below 200°C, while getting the style you want!
- Philips EHD+ Technology™ – The entire plates always distribute the heat evenly which prevents damaging hot spots.
- Sonic Vibration Technology™ – Gentle and pleasant vibrations evenly distribute the hairs over the plates so that each hair benefits from the care effects.

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## Overview of the Straightener

- ① Indication of ready to work.
- ② Temperature indication.
- ③ Indication of sonic function.
- ④ Indication of key-lock function.
- ⑤ Temperature buttons.

- ⑥ **SONIC button.**
  - Press to switch on/off the sonic function, which provides faster straightening results and perfect gliding.
- ⑦ **Power button.**
- ⑧ **Key-lock button.**
  - Slide and hold to lock all the buttons on the appliance.
- ⑨ **Straightening plates lock.**
  - Slide to lock and release the plates arms of the appliance.
- ⑩ **Hanging loop.**
- ⑪ **Power cord.**
- ⑫ **Straightening plates.**

## 2 Important

Read this user manual carefully before you use the appliance and keep it for future reference.

### **DANGER**

- When the appliance is used in a bathroom, unplug it after use since the proximity of water presents a risk, even when the appliance is switched off.

### **WARNING**

- **WARNING:** As straighteners reach high temperatures, keep them out of the reach of children during heat-up, use and cool-down to avoid burnings.
- **WARNING:** Do not use this appliance near water.
- **WARNING:** Do not use this appliance near bathtubs, showers, basins or other vessels containing water.
- Before you connect the appliance, ensure that the voltage indicated on the appliance corresponds to the local power voltage.
- Do not use the appliance for any other purpose than described in this manual.



## CAUTION

- Always use the appliance on dry human hair.
- Keep the hot surfaces of the appliance away from your skin.
- When the appliance is connected to the power, never leave it unattended.
- Always unplug the appliance after use.
- When the appliance is hot, keep it on a heat-resistant surface and never cover the appliance with anything, such as a towel or clothing.
- Never use any accessories or parts from other manufacturers or that Philips does not specifically recommend. If you use such accessories or parts, your guarantee becomes invalid.
- Do not wind the mains cord round the appliance.
- If you use the appliance on color-treated hair, the straightening plates may stain.
- If the mains cord is damaged, you must have it replaced by Philips, a service centre authorised by Philips or similarly qualified persons in order to avoid a hazard.
- This appliance is not intended for use by persons (including children) with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge, unless they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance by a person responsible for their safety.
- Children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the appliance.
- For additional protection, we advise you to install a residual current device (RCD) in the electrical circuit that supplies the bathroom. This RCD must have a rated residual operating current not higher than 30mA. Ask your installer for advice.

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## Electromagnetic fields (EMF)

This appliance complies with all standards regarding electromagnetic fields (EMF). If handled properly and according to the instructions in this user manual, the appliance is safe to use based on scientific evidence available today.

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## Environment

Do not throw away the appliance with the normal household waste at the end of its life, but hand it in an official collection point for recycling. By doing this, you help to preserve the environment.



## 3 Straighten your hair


Ensure that you select a temperature setting that is suitable for your hair. Always select a low setting when you use the straightener for the first time.

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Hair Type	Temperature Setting
Coarse, curly, hard-to-straighten	Mid to High (170°C - 199°C)
Fine, medium-textured or softly waved	Low to Mid (160°C and below)
Pale, blonde, bleached or color-treated	Low (Below 160°C)


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- 1 Connect the plug to a power supply socket.
- 2 Press and hold the **ⓘ** button (**⑦**) until the LCD screen lights up.  
↳ The default temperature setting is displayed on the LCD screen (**②**).

- 3 Press the temperature buttons (⑤) to select a suitable temperature setting for your hair.
  - ↳ When the straightening plates have heated up to the selected temperature, the indication 'READY' (①) is displayed.
  - ↳ **Note:** If no button is pressed over 4 seconds, the key-lock function will activate automatically, with all the buttons on the appliance deactivated. When the key-lock function is activated, the key-lock indication (④) is displayed on the LCD screen. To deactivate the key-lock function, slide and hold the key-lock button (⑧) for 1.5 seconds.
  - ↳ **Tip:** To avoid unintentional switching of buttons during process, you can also activate the key-lock function manually by sliding and holding the key-lock button (⑧).
  - ↳ **Note:** The appliance is equipped with an auto-shut off function. After 60 minutes, the appliance switches off automatically. You can re-start the appliance by pressing and holding the ① button until the LCD screen lights up.
- 4 Slide the straightening plates lock (⑨) to  to unlock the plate arms.
- 5 Comb your hair and take a section that is not wider than 5cm for straightening.
- 6 Place it between the straightening plates (⑫) and press the plate arms together:
  - Sonic function is on by default with the SONIC indication displayed (③) on the LED screen.
  - The sonic vibration only starts when the straightening plates are pressed together. The straightening plates make a rattling sound when they are slightly in contact, which does not affect the performance of the appliance.
  - To switch off or on the sonic function, press the SONIC button (⑥).

- 7 Slide the straightener down the length of the hair in a single motion (max. 5 seconds) from root to end, without stopping to prevent overheating.
  - To create flicks, turn the straightener half-circle inwards (or outwards) when it reaches the hair ends. Hold the straightener in that position for 2 to 3 seconds, and then release it.
- 8 After 20 seconds, repeat step 6 and 7 until you achieve the desired look.
- 9 To straighten the rest of your hair, repeat steps 6 to 8.

#### **After use:**

- 1 Deactivate the key-lock function by sliding and holding the key-lock button (Ⓢ) for 1.5 seconds.
- 2 Switch off the appliance and unplug it.
- 3 Place it on a heat-resistant surface until it cools down.
- 4 Clean the appliance and straightening plates with damp cloth.
- 5 Lock the straightening plates by closing the plate arms and sliding the plates lock to .
- 6 Keep it in a safe and dry place, free of dust. You can also hang it with the hanging loop (Ⓣ).

## **4 Guarantee and service**

If you need information e.g. about replacement of an attachment or if you have a problem, please visit the Philips website at [www.philips.com/support](http://www.philips.com/support) or contact the Philips Customer Care Centre in your country. The phone number is in the worldwide guarantee leaflet. If there is no Consumer Care Centre in your country, go to your local Philips dealer.



# 5 Troubleshooting

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Problem	Cause	Solution
The appliance does not work at all.	The power socket to which the appliance has been connected may not live.	Ensure the socket is live.
	Key-lock function is activated	Deactivate the key-lock function by sliding and holding the key-lock button for 1.5 seconds.
	The mains cord of the appliance may be damaged.	If the mains cord is damaged, you must have it replaced by Philips, a service centre authorised by Philips or similarly qualified persons in order to avoid a hazard.

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