

## Pro Glide® 8300 Steam Generator

Instruction Booklet SR8300

Please read these instructions carefully and retain for future reference.



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# Important instructions – retain for future use.

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### Sunbeam's Safety Precautions

#### SAFETY PRECAUTIONS FOR YOUR IRON

- Do not leave a hot iron within reach of children. If they come into contact with a hot iron it could lead to serious burns.
- Iron only on an ironing board. Do not place the steam generator on carpet during use.
- The iron must not be stored whilst it is connected to the supply. The electronic switch provided is for functional use only during operation, and is not intended to provide disconnection from the supply. Before storing the iron after use, it must be unplugged from the supply.
- A Steam Generator takes approximately 2 hours to completely cool down. Allow the iron to cool completely before storing.
- · Do not wind the cord around the soleplate
  - Sunbeam is very safety conscious when designing and manufacturing consumer products, but it is essential that the product user also exercise care when using an electrical appliance. Listed below are precautions which are essential for the safe use of an electrical appliance:
- Read carefully and save all the instructions provided with an appliance.
- Always turn the power off at the power outlet before you insert or remove a plug. Remove by grasping the plug - do not pull on the cord.
- Turn the power off and remove the plug when the appliance is not in use and before cleaning.
- Do not use your appliance with an extension cord unless this cord has been checked and tested by a qualified technician or service person.
- Always use your appliance from a power outlet of the voltage (A.C. only) marked on the appliance.
- 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.
- The temperature of accessible surfaces may be high when the appliance is operating.
- Never leave an appliance unattended while in use.

- while the iron is still hot.
- Do not leave the iron unattended while it is plugged into the power outlet.
- Always unplug the iron from the power outlet before filling or emptying the water tank.
- The iron must be used and rested on a stable surface. When placing the iron on a stand, ensure that the surface on which the stand is placed is stable.
- The iron is not to be used if it has been dropped, if there are visible signs of damage or if it is leaking.
- This iron features an "auto-off" function, which is an additional safety feature designed to disconnect power to the heating element if the iron has not been used for a certain period of time.
- Do not use an appliance for any purpose other than its intended use.
- Do not place an appliance on or near a hot gas flame, electric element or on a heated oven.
- Do not place on top of any other appliance.
- Do not let the power cord of an appliance hang over the edge of a table or bench top or touch any hot surface.
- Do not operate any electrical appliance with a damaged cord or after the appliance has been damaged in any manner. If damage is suspected, return the appliance to the nearest Sunbeam Appointed Service Centre for examination, repair or adjustment.
- For additional protection, Sunbeam recommend the use of a residual current device (RCD) with a tripping current not exceeding 30mA in the electrical circuit supplying power to your appliances.
- Do not immerse the appliance in water or any other liquid unless recommended.
- Appliances are not intended to be operated by means of an external timer or separate remote control system.
- This appliance is intended to be used in household and similar applications such as: staff kitchen areas in shops, offices and other working environments; farm houses; by clients in hotels, motels and other residential type environments; bed and breakfast type environments.

If you have any concerns regarding the performance and use of your appliance, please visit www.sunbeam.com.au or contact the Sunbeam Consumer Service Line. **Ensure the above safety precautions are understood.** 

### Features of your Pro Glide® 8300 Steam Generator

#### Steam release button

Press and hold the steam release button to produce a constant stream of high-powered steam to reduce your ironing time and effort. Steam will not be emitted from the iron when the steam release button is not depressed.

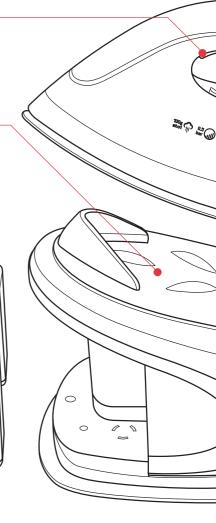
#### Iron rest

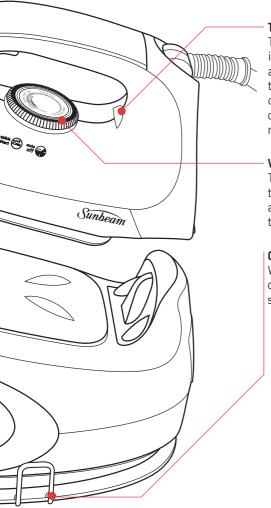
Place the iron on the heat resistant iron rest between garments.

#### Refillable water tank cover

The removable 1400ml capacity tank has a large filling hold to make it easy to refill. The tank can be removed and refilled during







#### Thermostat light

The thermostat light illuminates to indicate that the iron sole plate is heating, and goes out when it has reached the temperature selected on the temperature dial. The thermostat light cycles on and off during ironing as the iron sole plate maintains the selected temperature.

#### Variable temperature dial

The variable temperature dial adjusts the temperature of the iron sole plate, allowing you to select the desired temperature for each garment.

#### **Cord Clamp**

When not in use, the hose and power cord can be wrapped around the unit and secured in place using the cord clamp.

#### Features of your Pro Glide® 8300 Steam Generator continued

#### Power On Button

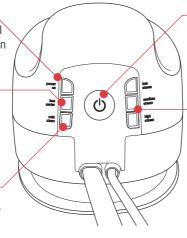
The power on button will be illuminated RED when the unit is turned on.

#### Low water indicator

The low water indicator illuminates to alert you when it is time to refill the water tank.

#### Calc Clean Indicator

The Calc Clean indicator illuminates to alert you when its is time to flush the boiler.



#### On/Off Switch

This switch controls the internal boiler and the element in the iron soleplate.

#### Steam rate Buttons

The steam rate can be selected by pressing the low, medium or high steam buttons. When they have been selected, they will flash until the steam rate has been reached at which point they will remain illuminated

### Using your Pro Glide® 8300 Steam Generator

#### Before first use

Remove any adhesive stickers, plastic covers or cardboard sleeves from the soleplate. Ensure that all adhesive is removed by rubbing the soleplate with a cloth dampened with methylated spirits. Fill the water tank and empty the water. This will rinse out any foreign particles remaining in the water tank from the manufacturing process.

**NOTE:** When turned on for the first time, your new iron may give off vapours for up to 10 minutes. This is due to the initial heating of the materials used. It is safe, not detrimental to the performance of the iron, and will not reoccur.

**NOTE:** Ensure the steam generator is always used and rested on a stable surface.

#### Filling the steam generator tank with water

Slide the water tank out and lift the cover. Using a jug slowly pour water into the water inlet until the maximum water level is reached. Do not exceed the maximum water level indicator. Push the water inlet cover firmly to close and slide the tank back into position.

**NOTE:** The non-corrosive stainless steel boiler has been designed to allow you to use tap water in your professional ironing system. However in very hard water areas, Sunbeam recommends the use of distilled water, or water which has been demineralised.

For best performance, we recommend the use of Sunbeam Water Demineraliser, available from selected retailers.

Do not fill the iron with fabric conditioner, starches or any other solution as these will damage the steam mechanism. Do not use contaminated water.

#### Using your iron

- 1. Insert the plug into a 230/240 volt power outlet and turn the power on.
- 2. Select the power button to turn the unit on. The Power On light illuminates RED as shown in Fig 1. The boiler and soleplate will begin heating and the low steam selection light flashes BLUE.

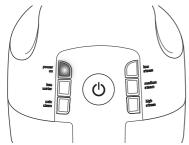
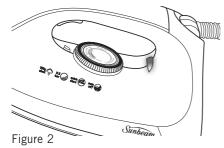


Figure 1

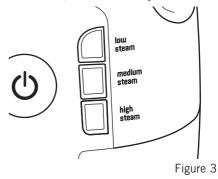
**NOTE:** The default steam rate setting is Low Steam which will flash BLUE when the unit is first turned on.

3. Turn the temperature dial on the iron to the desired setting. The thermostat light (as shown in Fig 2) will illuminate RED to indicate that the iron is heating. It will go out once the iron has reached the selected temperature.



**NOTE:** When changing the temperature of the soleplate from a higher to lower setting, ensure the iron temperature is stable at the new setting by allowing the thermostat to cycle once (the thermostat light will turn on/off once).

4. Select the desired steam level by pressing the low, medium or high steam rate button (as shown in Fig 3). The steam selection indicator will flash BLUE whilst the boiler is heating. When the steam selection remains illuminated BLUE and does not flash, the unit is ready to use.



Before using the steam generator on a garment, direct a shot of steam into the air to release any remaining condensation.

5. Press and hold the steam release trigger to iron with steam. To dry iron, do not press the steam release trigger.

**NOTE:** Both the steam selection indicator and the thermostat light will cycle on and off during ironing as the ironing system maintains the selected steam pressure and temperature levels.

**NOTE:** To prevent water dripping from the soleplate, only use the steam function on higher temperature settings (•• / silk setting and above).

Once you have finished ironing, switch the iron and boiler off by pressing the power button. Switch the power off at the power outlet and remove the plug. Wait for the iron to cool completely and empty water tank before storing.

**Warning:** Never touch the soleplate at any time when it is hot.

**NOTE:** Ensure the steam generator is used and rested on a stable surface. Do not place the steam generator on carpet during use.

#### Refilling the tank during ironing

When the water in the tank falls below the minimum level, the low water indicator will illuminate RED, as shown in fig 4, the steam generator beeps once and the iron will stop generating steam.

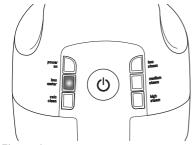


Figure 4

The water tank can be refilled at any time during ironing but the boiler may take a few minutes to return to the correct temperature.

- 1. Slide the water tank out and lift the cover.
- Using a jug slowly pour water into the water inlet until the maximum water level is reached. Do not exceed the maximum water level indicator.
- 3. Push the water inlet cover firmly to close and slide the tank back into position
- 4. The steam selection light will flash BLUF
- Recommence ironing when the steam selection light illuminates BLUE without flashing

#### Safety Auto-Off

The safety auto-off mechanism automatically turns the ironing system off if you forget. The iron and boiler will automatically shut off if the steam release trigger is not used for 10 minutes or more.

Should you leave the ironing system unattended a warning beep will sound to let you know that the auto-off function has been activated. Power to the iron's heating element and boiler will be cut and the iron will start to cool and the power light will go off. In order to start using the iron again, the power button needs to be pressed to power back up the boiler and the iron. Allow the iron to heat up until the thermostat light on the iron goes out and the steam selection light is illuminated BLUE and no longer flashing

#### Calc Clean Reminder

The Calc Clean light illuminates BLUE to remind you when it is time to flush the boiler. The Calc Clean light illuminates after approximately 8 hours of use.

Mineral deposits in tap water solidify when the water is heated and can build up in the steam holes and boiler system which can affect steam performance. It is important to regularly flush out the boiler to maintain the performance of the ironing system.

SEE CARE & CLEANING SECTION ON PAGE 1.

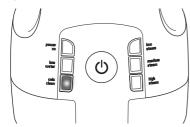


Figure 5

### Care and Cleaning

#### After each use

- 1. Turn the power off and remove the plug from the power outlet.
- 2. Allow the iron to cool before winding the cord around the built-in cord wrap.

#### Storage

Empty the tank before storage.

Always store the iron on the base of the steam generator.

#### Cleaning

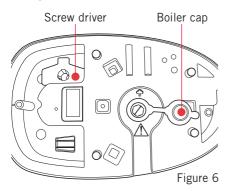
To clean the exterior of your iron, wipe over with a damp soft cloth and wipe dry. **Caution:** Do not use harsh abrasives, chemical cleaners or solvents to clean the exterior of your iron as these will damage the surface.

#### Cleaning the steam holes

To remove build up from the steam holes which may affect steam performance, use a cotton wool tip moistened in methylated spirits.

#### Cleaning the soleplate

Wipe with a soft damp cloth and wipe dry. **Caution:** Do not use scouring pads, abrasives or harsh cleaners to clean your soleplate, as these will scratch and damage the surface.



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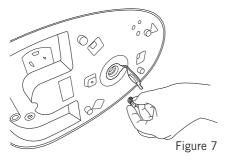
### Calc Clean instructions – using Sunbeam Ironing System Descaling Tablets

- To flush the boiler, turn the unit off and wait for it to cool completely (approx 2 hours).
- 2. Place the unit on a waterproof surface, or on the edge of the sink.
- 3. Tilt the steam generator onto its side so that the bottom surface is visible.

**Caution:** if the unit has been used prior to cleaning the boiler cap will be very hot. Ensure that the unit has cooled completely before commencing the Calc cleaning process.

4. Use the screw driver provided to slowly release the boiler cap. See fig 6.

**Note:** The boiler cap needs to be turned slowly to release any remaining steam.



- 5. Remove the boiler cap completely. See fig 7
- Place the unit on its side and carefully pour the descaling solution into the boiler. Replace the cap.
- 7. Return the unit to the upright position and leave for 2 minutes.
- Shake the unit back and forth to dislodge any scale build up on the base of the boiler. Leave for 10 minutes.
- 9. Shake the unit again to swirl the solution around inside the boiler.
- Place the unit on a sink or vessel so that water can be expelled from the boiler flush cap.
- 11. Carefully remove the boiler cap and allow the descaling solution to empty.
- 12. Rinse with 1 cup (250ml) clean water, shake and empty. Repeat.
- 13. Once you have completed the descaling process, and refilled the tank, the Calc Clean reminder will no longer be illuminated. The power light will illuminate and the unit will begin heating as normal.

**Note:** Sunbeam Steam Ironing System descaling tablets are available from selected department stores and electrical retailers.

Calc Clean instructions – using lemon juice Alternatively, if you do not have Sunbeam Ironing System Descaling Tablets, you can use lemon juice to remove the scale build up from inside the unit's boiler.

- To flush the boiler, turn the unit off and wait for it to cool completely (approx 2 hours).
- 2. Place the unit on a waterproof surface, or on the edge of the sink.
- Slowly release the boiler cap to release any remaining steam. Remove the boiler cap completely

**CAUTION:** if the unit has been used prior to cleaning the boiler cap will be very hot. Ensure that the unit has cooled completely before commencing the Calc cleaning process.

- 4. Empty any remaining water from the boiler.
- 5. In a small jug, add 1tbs lemon juice to 1 cup (250ml) of water and stir to mix.
- Place the unit on its side and carefully pour the lemon solution into the boiler. Replace the cap.
- 7. Return the unit to the upright position and leave for 2 minutes.
- Shake the unit back and forth to dislodge any scale build up on the base of the boiler. Leave for 10 minutes.
- 9. Shake the unit again to swirl the solution around inside the boiler.
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- 11. Carefully remove the boiler cap and allow the solution to empty.
- 12. Rinse with 1 cup (250ml) clean water, shake and empty. Repeat.
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### Ironing Tips and Tricks

#### Tip # 1 - Iron shirts like a pro

Start with the collar, working from the outer edges into the middle. Iron the shoulder next, followed by the cuffs and sleeves. Place the collar at the narrow end of the board so that one front panel of the shirt is extended flat. Iron the front panel from shoulder to shirt tail. Rotate to iron the back of the shirt. Rotate and complete the remaining front panel.

#### Tip # 2 - Tips for T-shirts

Straighten seams on t-shirts before hanging out to dry. To avoid damage to printed graphics and logos turn the t-shirt inside out and iron the reverse side of the print. Never iron areas of your t-shirt where perspiration marks are visible as the heat of the iron will permanently fix the stain.

#### Tip # 3 - Hung out to dry

When washing is complete, remove shirts from the machine immediately, shake them out and hang them on coat hangers to air dry – this will keep wrinkles to a minimum.

#### Tip # 4 - Selecting the right temperature

If you are unsure of the correct setting for a particular garment, test a small area such as a seam or inside hem before ironing a visible area. Start with a low temperature and slowly increase the heat to find the best setting.

#### Tip # 5 - Don't be afraid to iron silk

Don't be afraid to iron silk. Although delicate in appearance, silk is the strongest and most resilient of all natural fibres. To achieve the best results, set to a low cotton setting and use regular shots of steam. Always use a pressing cloth to avoid shine marks.

#### Tip # 6 - Ironing the seam

Always press seams in the same direction they were made. When a garment is produced, the fibres will naturally settle in the direction they were initially pressed, so it's best not to iron against the grain.

#### Tip # 7 - Sort types of fabric

Sort articles to be ironed according to the type of fabric. This will reduce the need to adjust the temperature constantly. Start with articles requiring lower temperatures and work your way through to items requiring higher settings.

#### Tip #8 - Summer frocks and frills

Steam is the key when ironing delicate summer fabrics such as muslin, cotton and linen. Don't press down with the iron, simply hover above the garment and steam it using a vertical shot of steam. Ruffling, netting, tulle or intricate hand detailing is also best ironed using this method.

#### Tip # 9 - Pressing your winter woollies

Steam is crucial when pressing your winter woollies. Woollen garments can be hung and steamed using the vertical shot of steam feature. After steaming, brush the garment with your hand to plump up woollen fibres. If ironing the garment flat it is best to use a pressing cloth. Don't be afraid to apply pressure – steam and hold.

#### Tip # 10 - Table settings to impress

To avoid unwanted creases always iron your table cloth after taking it out of the cupboard. A dinner party is a special occasion, so treat the table cloth as you would your own outfit. For best results, lay towels across your table and iron the table cloth over the towels. This will save you time and ensure a beautifully presented table setting.

# Ironing Chart

Fabric	Temperature Setting	Ironing recommendation
Acrylic	•	Dry iron on wrong side
Acetate	•	Dry iron on wrong side while still damp or use spray to dampen
Silk	••	Iron on wrong side. Use an ironing cloth to prevent shine marks
Nylon	••	Iron on wrong side while still damp or use spray to dampen
Polyester	• •	Iron on wrong side while still damp or use spray to dampen
Rayon	••	Iron on wrong side of fabric
Viscose	••	Mainly dry iron. Steam can be used under manufacturer's instructions
Wool	••	Steam iron on wrong side or use an ironing cloth
Wool Blends	••	Steam iron on wrong side or use an ironing cloth
Cotton Blends	••	Check label and follow manufacturer's instructions. Use setting for the fibre requiring the lowest setting
Corduroy	•••	Steam iron on wrong side or use an ironing cloth and brush to raise the pile
Cotton	•••	Dry iron while still damp or use spray to dampen. Use steam medium to high
Linen	• • • to Max	Iron on wrong side or use an ironing cloth to prevent shine marks, especially with dark colours. Dry iron while still damp or use spray to dampen. Use steam medium to high
Denim	• • • to Max	Use maximum steam



### 2 Year Replacement Guarantee

In the unlikely event that this appliance develops any malfunction within 2 years of purchase (3 months commercial use) due to faulty materials or manufacture, we will replace it for you free of charge.

Should you experience any difficulties with your appliance, please phone our customer service line for advice on 1300 881 861 in Australia, or 0800 786 232 in New Zealand. Alternatively, you can send a written claim to Sunbeam at the address listed below. On receipt of your claim, Sunbeam will seek to resolve your difficulties or, if the appliance is defective, advise you on how to obtain a replacement or refund.

Your Sunbeam 2 Year Replacement Guarantee naturally does not cover misuse or negligent handling and normal wear and tear

Similarly your 2 Year Replacement Guarantee does not cover freight or any other costs incurred in making a claim. Please retain your receipt as proof of purchase.

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