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Operating Instructions

(Household) Massage Lounger

Model No.

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IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

Basic precautions should always be followed when using an electrical unit, including the following. Please ensure that you read all instructions before using the Household Massage Lounger.

To reduce the risk of electric shock:

1. Always unplug this appliance from the electrical outlet immediately after using and before cleaning.

To reduce the risk of burns, fire, electric shock, or injury to persons:

- 1. The unit should never be left unattended when plugged in. Always unplug the unit when not in use.
- 2. Close supervision is necessary when this appliance is used by, on, or near children, invalids, or disabled persons. Keep children away from the legrest.
- 3. Only use the unit for the purpose described in these instructions.
- 4. Do not use any accessories other than those recommended by the manufacturer.
- 5. Always return the seat to the upright position and make sure the legrest is completely retracted. Be careful that nothing is obstructing the legrest while retracting.
- 6. Never operate the unit if it has a damaged power cord or plug. Return the unit to the nearest authorized service center if it is not working properly, if it has been dropped or damaged, or if it has been immersed in water.
- 7. Keep power cords away from heated surfaces. Do not carry the unit by the power cord.
- Never block the air openings during operation and make sure that all air openings are kept free of lint and hair, etc. Do not drop or insert anything into any of the openings of the unit.
- Do not use the unit on top of heating appliances, such as electric carpets, etc. Do not operate the unit under blanket or pillow. Excessive heating can occur and cause fire, electric shock, or injury to persons.
- 10.Do not use the unit outdoors.
- 11. Do not use or operate where aerosol spray products are being used or where oxygen is being administered.
- 12. Connect this unit to a properly grounded outlet only. See Grounding Instructions.
- 13. Use heated surfaces carefully. May cause serious burns. Do not use over insensitive skin areas or in the presence of poor circulation. The unattended use of heat by children or incapacitated persons may be dangerous.
- 14. Do not use the unit in close proximity to loose clothing or jewelry.
- 15.Keep long hair away from the unit while in use.
- 16.After each massage, slide the power switch on the backside of unit body to the "off" position, turn the lock switch to the "lock" position and then remove the lock switch key and power plug.
 - (To prevent breakage or injury from misuse by children.)

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GROUNDING INSTRUCTIONS

This unit must be grounded. If it should malfunction or breakdown, grounding provides a path of least resistance for electric current to reduce the risk of electric shock. This unit is equipped with a cord having an equipment-grounding conductor and a grounding plug. The plug must be plugged into an appropriate outlet that is properly installed and grounded in accordance with all local codes and ordinances.



Improper connection of the equipment-grounding conductor can result in a risk of electric shock. Check with a qualified electrician or serviceman if you are in doubt as to whether the product is properly grounded. Do not modify the plug provided with the product – if it will not fit the outlet, have a proper outlet installed by a qualified electrician. This product is for use on a nominal 120-volt circuit and has a grounding plug that looks like the plug illustrated in Figure A. Make sure that the product is connected to an outlet having the same configuration as the plug. No adapter should be used with this product.



- This unit 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 unit by a person responsible for their safety.
- Children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the unit.

IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS (continued)

■ Instructions that you must follow are indicated using the following symbols. (The following symbols are examples.)



Denotes a specific operating procedure that must not be performed.



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)	• The following persons should not use this unit:
,	 Persons who are prohibited from receiving massages by a physician (e.g.: due to thrombosis, deep vein thrombosis of the lower limbs, pulmonary embolism, severe aneurism, acute varicose veins, phlebitis, any type of dermatitis or skin infection [including inflammation of the hypodermis], etc.) Persons suffering from osteoporosis, spine fracture, sprain or acute pain such as a pulled or torn muscle (3) Persons who have a pacemaker, defibrillator, or other personal medical devices prone to electronic interference Pregnant women and women who have just given birth Persons with symptoms of acute low back pain, herniated disk, spondylolisthesis, spinal stenosis, degenerative lumbar spondylosis Persons who have abnormalities or curvature of the spine
	• The following persons should not use the leg massage, lower back/hip massage or pelvis stretch.
	 (1) Those with symptoms of acute inflammation around the hip area, acute hip pain, piriformis muscle syndrome or sciatic neuralgia (2) Those suffering from osteoarthritis of the hip and bad hip joint (3) Those who feel pain, numbness, lethargy in the hip and legs during use (Otherwise it may worsen symptoms.)
	 This unit 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 unit by a person responsible for their safety. Children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the unit.
	(Otherwise it may lead to accident or injury.)
	 Persons with any of the conditions listed below or who are undergoing medical treatment should consult with their physicians before using the unit.
	 Persons who have a malignant tumor Persons suffering from heart disease Persons who have a loss of heat sensation Persons who have sensory abnormalities due to a severe peripheral circulatory disturbance such as diabetes mellitus Persons undergoing anticoagulation therapy Persons who have a wound where the massager operates Persons whose body temperature is over 38 °C (100.4 °F) (who have a fever) (E.g.: When a person has acute inflammation symptoms (fatigued, chills, blood pressure fluctuations, etc.) or when debilitated) Persons who require bed rest or who are in poor physical shape Persons other than those listed above who feel unwell
	 If you begin to feel unwell during use or if you do not feel effects of the massage lounger, stop use immediately and consult a physician.
	• The unit has a heated surface. Persons insensitive to heat must be careful when using the unit.
	(Otherwise it may lead to accident, injury or become unwell.)

Take note of the following points as well

• Absolutely do not modify. Furthermore, do not attempt to disassemble or repair the unit yourself. (Otherwise it may lead to fire, or may cause the unit to function abnormally resulting in injury.)

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When in use

- When massaging the neck area, be careful of the movement of the massage rollers and avoid massaging the throat area and excessively strong massage action.
 - Do not sit on the legrest, backrest or armrests.
 - This unit should not be used by children. Also, do not allow children to play on the unit, or to climb on the legrest, seat, backrest or armrests.
 - Do not use the massage lounger while holding children.
 - Do not push your hands, elbows, arms or feet against the fabric covering the moving parts of the backrest during use.
 - (Otherwise it may lead to accident or injury.)
 - When "HEAT" are used, do not let the massage rollers touch the same place for a long time. (Low temperature burns* may occur.)
 - * Burns may occur at relatively low temperatures (40 °C (104 °F) to 60 °C (140 °F)) when in contact with the same area of skin for long periods of time, even if you do not feel heat or pain.

 Always check the fabric covering the backrest or legrest movable parts has not been ripped before using the unit. Please also check other areas to ensure the fabric has not been ripped. No matter how small the rip, if you find one then immediately the using the unit upplu

then immediately stop using the unit, unplug the power plug and have the unit repaired at an authorized service center. (Otherwise it may lead to injury or electric shock.)

- Start using a gentle Swedish massage.
- Do not massage for more than 30 minutes a day.
 Do not massage any one part of your body
- for more than 5 minutes at a time. (Otherwise it may lead to adverse effect or injury.)
- Use the massage lounger correctly by following instructions for use provided in the Operating Instructions.
- Use buttons to adjust the position of shoulder hight, if it is not properly aligned when body scanning (EN22).



- Make sure there are no persons or pets around the unit (front, back, underneath or sides of the unit) before using it for massaging or moving the backrest or legrest.
 (Otherwise it may lead to accident or injury.)
- After each massage, slide the power switch on the unit backside to the "off" position, turn the lock switch to the "lock" position and then remove the lock switch key and power plug. (To prevent breakage or injury from misuse by children.)

IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS (continued)



- Burning smells or abnormal sounds occurring during operation. The unit becomes deformed or unusually hot.
- →Contact an authorized service center immediately for inspection/repairs.

Symptoms



- · Persons who are otherwise healthy but have any of the conditions listed below should consult with their physicians before using the unit.
 - (1) Persons whose muscles have deteriorated due to age or weight loss
 - (2) Persons with symptoms of lower back and hip pain caused by the bones and muscles, organs and nerves
 - (3) Persons who suffer bruises or sprains easily
 - (4) Persons who suffer from severe motion sickness
 - (5) Persons who have undergone heart or internal surgery in the past
- (Otherwise it may lead to adversely affected health.)
- If symptoms such as rashes, reddening, itching, etc. occur as a result of using this unit, stop using the unit and consult a physician. (Otherwise it may lead to accident or adversely affected health.)

Installation and movement



 The unit should not be used on top of heating appliances, such as electric carpets, etc. (Otherwise it may lead to fire.)

Do not drag or push the unit in an installed state.

• Do not move the unit using the castors on the flooring. (Otherwise it may damage flooring.)

- Do not move with a person on it. (Otherwise it may lead to falls, causing an accident or injury.)
- Do not hold the sole massage section when moving the unit. (It may slide in movement, causing injury.)
- Do not use in damp or humid places such as a bathroom. (Otherwise it may lead to electric shock.)



 Use only on a horizontal surface. (Otherwise it may lead to a falling accident.)

- Place a mat or other such covering on the floor when moving the unit using the castors. (Otherwise it may damage the flooring.)
- When moving the unit on its castors, remove any obstacles in the surroundings of the unit, lift up the backrest to the fully upright position, lift the legrest to a position below the waist (less than 80 cm (31.5 in.) from the floor), and move the unit slowly.
 - Place the controller and the power supply cord on the seat.
 - Since holding the toe part causes the sole massage section to slide, always hold the sides of the legrest.
- Take care with your feet when lowering the body of the unit, and support the legrest with your hand until finished

(Otherwise the unit may fall and cause injury.)

Power supply



- To ensure safety, connect the unit to a properly grounded outlet.
 Otherwise it may lead to accident or discharge.
 - (Otherwise it may lead to electric shock.)
- Always unplug the power plug from the wall socket when cleaning the unit or removing the cover. (Otherwise it may lead to electric shock or
 - injury.)
- Always unplug the power plug from the wall socket when not using. (Since dust and humidity deteriorates insulation, which may result in fire due to electrical fault.)

Take note of the following points as well



- Do not spill water on the unit or controller. (Otherwise it may lead to electric shock, ignition, or fire due to a short circuit.)
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- Store the lock switch key out of the reach of children.
 (Otherwise it may lead to accident such as the child swallowing the key.)
- In the event of a power outage, unplug the power plug immediately. (Otherwise it may lead to accident or injury when the power supply returns.)
- If you have not used the unit for a while, carefully read the operating instructions again and check that the unit is operating normally before use. (Otherwise it may lead to breakage or injury.)

Before and during use



- Do not use the massage rollers on your head, stomach or bare skin. Also, do not place your hands or feet between the massage rollers.
 Do not only place tips of fingers between the hand & arm massage section.
- hand & arm massage section.
 Do not use the sole massage section with
- only tips of toes inserted.
 Do not place your knees between the leg & sole massage section.
- Do not fall asleep while using the unit. Do not use the unit after drinking alcohol.
- Do not stand, jump on, or place objects on the seat until the air is completely extracted after the air action. (Otherwise it may lead to accident or injury.)
- Do not insert your hands, fingers, feet or head into the following spaces:
 - (1) Between the backrest and seat or armrest
 - (2) Between the legrest and seat or armrest
 - (3) Between the seat and armrest
 (4) Between the back cover and leg cover
 - (5) Back of the legrest
- Do not unplug the power plug or turn the power switch "off" during massage.
- Do not use the sole massage in a standing position.
- (Otherwise it may lead to injury.)
- Do not sit on, stand on, or place objects on the legrest when the legrest is not completely lowered. (Otherwise it may lead to rotation of the legrest or the unit tipping over, resulting in accident or injury.)
- Do not use at the same time as another medical device. (Otherwise it may lead to accident or deteriorated health.)
- Check that the massage rollers are in the retracted position.
- Be sure that all operations have stopped before getting off the unit during a massage. (Otherwise it may lead to accident or injury.)
- Check that there is no foreign matter between the parts of the unit before sitting down.
 - Check that there are no foreign objects stuck in the backrest, legrest or hand & arm massage section.

(Hands, feet or small objects may become trapped, resulting in an accident or injury.)

- Avoid wearing anything hard on your head like a hair accessory, etc. when using the unit.
- Do not massage with any hard objects in your trouser pockets.
- Remove hard objects such as false fingernails, wristwatches or rings when massaging hands or arms.
- (Otherwise it may lead to injury.)
- Do not drop anything from your pockets, etc. into the gaps of the device. (Otherwise it will lose.)

Part names and functions of main unit



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Setting up the massage lounger

1) Checking the accessories

Armrests (Left/Right)		Pillow	Comfort cushion
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		Power cord	
Left/Right indication (armrest back)			

2) Where to use the unit

Ensure there is adequate space to recline.

Unit body dimensions Height approx. 120 cm (47.2 in.) × Width* approx. 85 cm (33.5 in.) × Depth* approx. 200 cm (78.7 in.) (See EN51 for detailed unit dimensions.)

*When installing near a wall, etc.

In the reclining state, make sure that the backrest and the legrest are away from walls, etc., by 10 cm (3.9 in.) or more, and the armrest is away from walls, etc., by 5 cm (2.0 in.) or more.

Do not expose the massage lounger to direct sunlight or high temperatures, such as in front of heating sources. This can cause discoloration or hardening of the synthetic leather.

3) Installing 1) The unit must be carried by two or more persons. Since the unit is heavy, be careful to avoid back injuries. Approx. 87 kg Unit weight (191.8 lbs) Place your fingers in the groove (2) Watch your step carefully and put down the unit slowly. Lay out a mat, etc. Since the unit may damage the flooring, it is recommended to place the unit on a mat. When placing a mat under the unit, the size of the mat should be sufficient (at least 120 cm × 70 cm (47.2 in. × 27.6 in.)) to cover the areas where the unit touches and where the legrest could touch the floor. Do not hold the foot part! Hold the sides of the legrest. The sole massage section might slide, and injuries may occur. Hold the legrest with your hands until it has been set on the floor completely. If you release the legrest too soon, it will spring back to the initial position.



Assembly

Fasten the armrest

<Attaching the right armrest>

- (1) Insert the armrest into the unit.
 - "Right" and "Left" are indicated at the back of the armrest.
 - Insert the armrest from the top aligning the ▲ marks on the side of the armrest.
 - Be careful to avoid pinching your fingers and controller cord.
- (2) Slide the armrest toward the back while pushing it downward.



- (3) Fasten the armrest with the attachment screws (one for each side)
 - Use this screw: Attachment screws (M6 x 29) x 2 pcs. (silver)



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(4) Fasten the armrest on the left side in the similar manner.



Assembly

Before starting massage

Check the surrounding area

Make sure there are no objects, persons, or pets in the vicinity of the unit.

The massage lounger may not work when pets such as dogs and cats chew on or trip over the controller cord. (This may result in a breakdown.)



Watch for people and walls in the surrounding area to prevent hitting them when moving the controller stand to the outer side of the unit body.







Insert the power supply plug, turn the lock key switch to "open", and power switch to "on".

(EN13)

Adjust the pillow position

Remove the pillow and adjust the height of the pillow so that the bottom edge is at ear level.

The strength with which the massage roller presses the neck differs depending on the pillow position. When the reclining angle changes, the position of the pillow may shift. In that case, adjust the position again.



Flip up the comfort cushion to check the main unit

- Check the following points:
- Is the fabric torn?
- Are there foreign objects sandwiched in the main unit?

Are the massage rollers in their stowed positions? When the massage rollers are not in the retracted position

Press 🕛 twice to return the massage rollers to the retracted position.

Do not massage with the comfort cushion still on the backrest.

- · The fabric may wear faster.
- may be displayed when the body is not detected. (EN42)

WARNING

• Always check the fabric covering the backrest or legrest movable parts has not been ripped before using the unit. Please also check other areas to ensure the fabric has not been ripped. No matter how small the rip, if you find one then immediately stop using the unit, unplug the power plug and have the unit repaired at an authorized service center. (Otherwise it may lead to injury or electric shock.)

Check your sitting position In order to deliver an effective massage, there is a

bulging area in the center of the seat to make sure you sit all the way back. Sit down all the way to the back with your bottom in contact with the backrest.

Refer to EN31 for details on correct placement of hands, arms, legs and soles.

Part names and functions of the controller

Controller



Screen displays during massaging operations

Press the displayed buttons to operate.

The power is turned OFF automatically if massage is not started and no operation is performed for about 3 minutes.

<Viewing screens>

The "Full body auto massage" course is used as an example for the screen displays shown below. Buttons and status displays vary, depending on the selected course.

User display _

Displays the course (EN25 to EN27)





 The screen on the right is displayed when the air course or operations for body parts that only activates air is selected. (See EN28 for regarding air massage.)



Arm/Leg/Sole actions Turning operations OFF/ ON, Intensity of actions display (EN34 to EN35)

Part names and functions of the controller

Simple use





Sensing is not performed when any of the followings is selected.

<When air course is selected> <When operations for body parts that only activates air is selected>



Body parts for which only air is activated: Upper Arm/Arm/Pelvis/Leg/Sole



Example: Screen displays during massage operations

Scanning of shoulder roller position

Scanning of shoulder roller position is the operation of estimating the shoulder position in order to ensure that massaging is done matching with the body shape. (Height range of scanning of shoulder roller position is about 140 cm to 185 cm (55.1 in. to 72.8 in.).)

Scanning of shoulder roller position flow

Select a course Otherwise, select a body part and press "OK".



No scanning is made if the air course, or operation with only air is selected. (See EN28 for regarding air massage.)

The unit body moves automatically and becomes reclined to an angle suitable for scanning.

The movement is not made when the unit body is deeply reclined.

Sit back and lean gently back so that your head touches the pillow.

For adjustment of the position of the pillow. (EN17)



Reclined approx. 20°

Raised approx. 60°





If the shoulder position is greatly shifted, one press of Rest your shoulders back against the backrest firmly and press the button to start again.

About user selection / user registration

When you would like to store the settings made to suit your liking in memory

- Perform user registration before using the lounge for massaging. If user registration is made, the adjustments and settings to massaging are automatically stored and updated in memory.
 - There is no need to carry out any special operation for storing the settings.
 - The contents of "Skip" and "Stretch" are not stored.
 - · Since the shoulder position differs depending on how the user sits, the "Scanning of shoulder roller position" is carried out every time, even if user registration has been made.
- Even when terminated in the middle of massaging, the settings made until then are stored in memory.
- However, the settings will not be stored in memory if there is a power failure, or the power supply switch at the back panel of the unit body is switched "OFF", or if the power supply cord is pulled out from its power socket.
 Select "Guest" if you do not wish to register and wish to start massaging immediately.

Register as a user and store the massage adjustments and settings made in memory.



Start massaging immediately



Press the button for user registration

Select the icon and color to be registered and press "Register"



Once registration has been completed, the registered icon is displayed.

The settings made to suit your desire are stored in memory, thereby avoiding the tediousness of having to make the same settings every time!

Once a user is registered, the user only needs to select the registered user for subsequent sessions and the massage lounger performs massage according to details recorded in memory from the previous session.

Edit user (Changing and deleting user buttons)

User selection / registration method

It is possible to change the icon of a registered user, and to delete the registration itself.



Press "Back"

Select a new icon, then press "Register".

When you want a complete massage

The power is turned OFF automatically if massage is not started and no operation is performed for about 3 minutes.



About user selection / user registratior When you want a complete massage

When you want a massage of a particular body part with your favorite action

The power is turned OFF automatically if massage is not started and no operation is performed for about 3 minutes.
 In "Select favorite area", it is possible to select the desired part and select the desired massaging operation. (See EN27 for details)
 Massage is performed for about 19 minutes after starting. If only a small number of body parts are selected, the massage is repeated on respective body parts.

Up to three patterns of setting details, such as body parts selected from personal preference, edited massage action and the like.



Would like to massage with operations to your liking

- It is possible to switch OFF or ON the massaging operation for each body part, and to carry out only the desired massaging operation. (Edit program)

The operation is made after starting to massage.
 If user registration has been made, the contents selected in program editing will be stored in memory.

Method of editing a program



Screen displays and actions are described, using the example of the "Neck shiatsu" course.

Body part selections: Neck and back.

1 Press "Edit program"





(2) Select the operation for editing.



The edited operation is started.

- The program editing screen for the currently selected body part is displayed.
- The operations within the frame (yellow) is performed while the program is being edited.
 - (Example: Neck squeeze-knead)

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(3) Press







The selected action expires and

When you want a massage of a particular body part with your favorite action

the next action is performed. If the massaging operations on the same location continue for 5 minutes, the massage rollers move upward by about 3 cm (1.2 in.). (Massage rollers may move downward, depending on their position)

<When editing operations of other body parts>

then select the operation for editing, then perform Steps (3) and (4) described above. Press Next location



Each time selected body part is pressed, the program editing screen for the selected body part is displayed.

The contents of the action

· Shoulder ultra knead

· Squeeze ultra knead

Shoulder shiatsu

· Compress roll upwards

• Hip roll

Knead roll

Massage operation by massage rollers

When "Full body auto massage" is selected, massaging operations that are suitable for the course are performed automatically. When "Select favorite area" is selected, operations that can be displayed or turned on/off vary depending on the selected body parts.

Ultra knead

· 3D Ultra knead

· Hip ultra knead

Shiatsu

Squeezing shiatsu
 Triple shiatsu

Ultra knead

Action compressing muscle knots vertically.

Neck shiatsu

Hip shiatsu

· Roll upward

· Compress roll

· Waist compress

Full back roll

Action stretching the body along the backbone.

Swedish roll

Action to stretch an area.

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· Spiral vertical shiatsu

Roll

Small kneading action at points.

Spiral ultra knead

Kneading action while moving up and down.



- · Spiral vertical knead 3D spiral knead Spiral lateral knead

- · Spiral hip knead

Knead

Deep kneading action.



- Neck squeeze-knead Compress upwards · Squeeze-knead Deep tissue
- Shoulder knead
- · Compress downwards
- Hip knead
- Triple compress

Swedish

Action of rubbing gently across a wide area.



- Neck swedish Shoulder swedish · Upper shoulder swedish
 - · Swedish downwards
 - · Pat swedish
- · Vertical swedish · Vertical spreading swedish
- · Hip swedish
- The respective actions are suitable for specific body parts. (Actions of Shiatsu for the "Neck" are different from of the actions for the "Shoulder".)

About air massage operation

Roll

Air massage is that of softly relaxing the body with air bags only air. (The massage rollers of the upper half of the body do not move)



Stretching



A stretching operation is that of stretching or twisting the body using the movements of air or massage rollers.

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The contents of the action

The contents of the action (continued)

Hip massage

During a hip massage, the seat air bag will lift up your hip and the massage rollers will go round your hip to massage. In addition, by supporting your lower back with the lower back air bag to raise your hip, the massage rollers will be able to reach the muscles of your hip more effectively.

Flow of hip massage

- Legrest rises to the highest level.
- 2 Seat airbags are inflated to raise the body.
- (positions of legs and hands may shift when this occurs)
- ③ Rollers move to the buttocks to start massaging.
- Massaging on other body parts stop when hips are massaged. The air operation starts after massaging the hips when hip massage and air massage are selected in "Select favorite area". (See EN34 to EN35 for hip massage and EN28 for air massage)

How to use hip massage

- Sit back with your hip in contact with the backrest. (The massage rollers will not reach the hip adequately if you do not sit back.)
- The intensity of rollers contacting is raised when you bend your knees.



"Heat"

The warm section in the "Heat" massage rollers will warm up the fabric of the massage areas.

- Temperature adjustment cannot be made.
- Sense of warmth differs depending on the room temperature, clothing, body shape, action, position, and course.



"Heat" massage rollers rubber section

"Heat" massage rollers warm section

"Heat" massage rollers warm section

About course and operating time

Automatically stops at maximum 19 minutes from the start of the massage.

Timer function time setting differs depending on the course.



"Swedish", "Deep", "Shiatsu": about 19 minutes

"Stretch", "Air": about 16 minutes "Quick": about 10 minutes



About 19 minutes

<When courses are changed>

- When the time setting for the course after change is shorter (example: A change from a 19-minute course to a 10-minute course), the remaining time is updated according to time setting after change.
- The remaining time never increases, even when courses are changed while one is ongoing.
- (Example: The operation that starts with a 10-minute course and changed to a 19-minute course does not result in the remaining time of 19 minutes.)

	Start	5	minutes 1	10 minutes Finished	
10-minute course		5-minute operation			
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		19-minute course	5-minute operation	Not operating	
			 The remaining time starts w 	vith 5 minutes remaining, while the 19-minute course	

starts with body parts and operations according to the sequence set for the course.

Proper placement of hands, arms, legs and soles

Hand & arm massage



Adjusting the intensity

It is possible to adjust to your liking the adjustments and settings, etc., during massaging.

- The overall operation time does not change even when adjustments are made with "Repeat", "Skip" or "Stretch" and the like during a massage operation.
 - When "Repeat" or "Stretch" is pressed: Time is taken for adjustment and the course may not be completed.
 - When "Skip" is pressed: The operation may be completed and then resumed from the beginning, depending on the remaining time.
- The content that can be adjusted can differ depending on the selected course. See EN36 for details.

Function name	Description		
Repeat	The currently operating roller massage is repeated about twice the number of operations.	Press "Repeat".	Repeat The roller massage mark by ongoing operation is displayed.
Skip	Suspend ongoing roller massage and move onto the next operation.	Press "Skip".	
Back intensity	Back intensity can be adjusted in 5 stages.	Press "-" or "+".	Intensity Lowest Low Back intensity display
Stretch	One stretching operation is added to the ongoing course.	Press "Stretch".	Select one.
Roller positions adjustment	Roller positions in vertical and horizontal directions can be adjusted.	Press "Roller position".	Press

Settings & adjusting method

- This may not be accepted if selected when an operation is switching to another operation.
- Details can be checked on the touch panel while the motion is repeated.
- The number of repetitions is the same whether pressed once or pressed twice or more times.

Medium	High	Highest
		- 18

- Refer to descriptions provided on EN44 for instructions when the highest intensity setting is not strong enough or when the lowest intensity setting is too strong.
- The adjustment may not be accepted if selected when an operation is switching to another operation.
- The intensity display section flashes while adjusting. Adjustments are not accepted when flashing.



Press "OK"

After it is completed, the operation returns to the original course.



Press "Close".

- to perform adjustments when adjusting positions of rollers for an ongoing motion. Press
- Adjustments can be made up to three times in each direction.

The selected stretch operation is made once.

See EN29 for details of stretch actions.

Adjustment may not be possible depending on the place where the massaging is being made.

Adjusting	the	intensity	(continued)
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Function name	Description			
Arm/Leg/Sole	Turns OFF/ON operations for upper arm/arm, as well as thigh/leg and soles. The operating intensity can be adjusted in 3 stages.	Press "Arm/Leg/Sole". Select a body part • When "Select favorite area" is selected, it is possible to add or cancel a body part from this screen. <turning off="" on="" operations=""></turning>		
actions		Motions are turned OFF/ON by pressing the body parts.		
uotionio		Turned on: ON		
		Turned off: OFF		
		 Since movement of the leg part is necessary for sole massaging, if the sole part is set to "ON", the leg part will also turn "ON". The rear knee operation is included in the operation of the leg part. It is possible to switch the rear knee part ON 		
		or OFF by making the leg part "ON".		
	Heat is turned OFF/ON.	Settings for full body auto massage		
Heat		Image: Settings". Image: Settings and the set of the		
	Tapping operation is turned	Settings for full body auto massage		
Tap action	OFF/ON.	Press "Settings". Press "Tap".		
	Hip massage is turned	Settings for full body auto massage		
Hip massage	OFF/ON.	Press "Settings".		

Settings & adjusting method



Press "-" or "+".



Press "Close".

<Intensity of actions>

Intensity of motions can be adjusted in 3 stages by pressing "-" or "+" for desired body parts.



Intensity	Low	Medium	High
Upper arm/arm and thigh/leg and sole intensity display	H	+	- 24 8

See EN28 for air action.



Adjusting the intensity
Adjusting the intensity (continued)

Details on available adjustments

Details on available adjustments vary depending on the selected course.

O: Adjustments available -: Adjustments not available Full body auto massage Adjustment Select **Recommended course Optional course** function favorite area Stretch Air Quick Swedish/Deep/Shiatsu \bigcirc ()Repeat () () \bigcirc) Skip) **Back intensity**)) ()) Stretch ()**Roller** position)) ()) adjustment Arm/Leg/Sole \bigcirc ()() () actions \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc Heat Individual Tap action operations can be turned OFF/ON. \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc Hip massage

About the settings and screen panel

Settings screen



Select any one and press "OK"

Help screen



The help screen is displayed, and it will be possible to view the explanations according to the screen that was being displayed.



Press 🔘



Select the help menu that you look for

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Select the item you look for



After completing the massage

Once the time is up

After the timer has finished,

The legrest will lower so you can stand up safely.

If you have extended the sole massage section slide, it may hit the floor and not stow completely. Raise your legs to retract all the way.

Backrest does not rise automatically.
 Press Return the backrest and the backrest will rise.

The massage rollers move to their retracted positions.

In the middle of the massage, when it ends with the emergency stop button

Fully return the sole massage section to the

original position and then press \bigcirc twice.

The legrest is lowered automatically, the backrest is returned to the upright position and massage rollers as well as sole rollers are stored at original positions.

Lift your soles slightly and the sole massage section returns.

Return the massage lounger to normal status

Place a comfort cushion on the backrest.



Turn the power off

- Slide the power switch to the "off " position.
- **7** Turn the lock switch key to the "lock"

position and remove it.

Barrow Content Barrow The plug from the electrical outlet.



The lock switch key must be stored out of the reach of children.





• After each massage, slide the power switch on the unit backside to the "off" position, turn the lock switch to the "lock" position and then remove the lock switch key and power plug.

(To prevent breakage or injury from misuse by children.)

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Moving the unit

Lift and move the main unit

Lift and move with one person holding the sides of the legrest and one person holding the backrest cover groove. (EN12)

Always carry the lounge with at least two people!!

Moving the unit on its casters

Remove the obstacles in the vicinity

Move with the backrest fully upright.

The backrest rises up if 🕐 is pressed twice.

Since the unit is heavy, be careful to avoid back injuries.

Lifting weight when moving on casters	Approx.
	35 kg
	(77.2 lbs)

Hold the legrest at the sides and

move the unit on its casters.



When you lower the unit

- Put the unit down slowly and watch your step carefully.
- Hold the legrest with your hands until it has been set on the floor completely. If you release the legrest too soon, it will spring back to the initial position.

Detaching the armrest

Detaching the armrest makes it easier to move.

- (1) Remove the attachment screws (EN14 Step 1 ③).
- (2) Slide armrests to the front and raise with both hands.



After completing the massage Moving the unit

Cleaning and maintenance

Never use chemicals such as thinner, benzine, alcohol, etc.

Notes on use

- Be careful when using the unit with clothing such as jeans or colored clothes. (Cause of color transfer to the synthetic leather and fabric portions)
- Please avoid long time contact with plastic products etc. (Cause of discoloration)
- If you use hair dressing, please spread a towel on the parts they may touch.

Synthetic leather part

Wipe with a soft and dry cloth

- Never use cleaners available on the market that contain ethanol ingredients. (Cause of discoloration, change of properties)
- Do not rapidly dry off with a dryer, etc.



Plastic area

- (1) Soak a soft cloth in water or a 3 % 5 % solution of neutral kitchen detergent with warm water and squeeze well and wipe.
- (2) Finally, rinse the cloth in water and wring it out, then wipe off all the detergent.
 - Make sure to wring tightly before wiping the controller (other than the touch panel part).
- (3) Allow the unit to dry naturally.

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- (1) Soak a soft cloth in water or a 3 % 5 % solution of neutral kitchen detergent with warm water and squeeze well.
- (2) Briskly rub the surfaces.
- ③ Finally, rinse the cloth in water and wring it out, then wipe off all the detergent.
- (4) Wipe with a soft, dry cloth.
- (5) Allow the unit to dry naturally.
- For hard-to-clean soiling, wipe with the same neutral kitchen detergent solution, etc. but using a commercially available "sponge of melamine foam material".

Fabric parts

- (1) Soak a soft cloth in water or a 3 % 5 % solution of neutral kitchen detergent with warm water and squeeze well and wipe.
- (2) Use water or a neutral kitchen detergent and brush on areas where the seat fabric is particularly soiled.
 - · Be careful not to brush the fabric too much to avoid damage.
- (3) Finally, rinse the cloth in water and wring it out, then wipe off all the detergent.
- (4) Allow the unit to dry naturally.
 - · Since color may transfer from clothing to the seat fabric, be careful when using the unit with clothing such as jeans or colored clothes.

Touch panel part

Lightly wipe using a soft dry cloth such as a gauze.

<When the dirt is severe>

Wipe off the dirt using a cloth dipped in water and wrung thoroughly, and then lightly wipe using a dry soft cloth such as a gauze, etc.











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Q&A

	Question	Ansv	Nor
Re	efore use		MG1
Doctor Consultation	Can I use the unit if I have an illness that requires regular medical attention?	Consult your doctor before using a Massage is a form of stimulation by tact applied to the muscles to relax them. The Be sure to consult a doctor if you have a (EN6)	tile pressure in which pressure is his may exacerbate some illnesses.
Ŧ	The position of the upper body and the position of the legs do not match. What can I do to align massaging positions?	Separating massage of the upper to Massaging only the upper body Raise the comfort cushion to expose the backrest and pillow for use.	body and legs is recommended. • Massaging only the legs Use the leg & sole massage section with the comfort cushion on the backrest. • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •
How to use	Can people shorter than 140 cm (55.1 in) or taller than 185 cm (72.8 in) still use it?	Yes. The following methods are recommended position may not be found during scales <if (55.1="" 140="" cm="" in)="" shorter="" than=""> Place a cushion on the seat and sit firmly. For taller persons: Please use by recommended For shorter persons: Please use by recommended</if>	Inning of shoulder roller position. <if (72.8="" 185="" cm="" in)="" taller="" than=""></if>
	How many times can this be used in one day?	Use for less than about 30 minutes in one day. Rest for about 10 minutes after using for 16 minutes or more.	

Cleaning and maintenance Q&A

Q&A (continued)

Question Answer **During operation** Scanning of shoulder roller position During scanning of shoulder Massages stop for safety if the body cannot be detected for one of roller position or a massage, the following reasons. 7 short beeps sounded (The user is not sitting. was displayed) and the action The head and/or back is not touching the backrest. stopped. What happened? A cushion is placed against the backrest or the user is wearing thick clothing. Sit firmly, lean gently back so that your head touches the pillow, press \bigcirc and then press \bigcirc to start again. The comfort cushion is not raised. The mechanical intensity The upper body massage roller intensity button is ineffective in adjustment button for the upper following instances. half of the body does not work This is an intentional condition to prevent suddenly intensifying strength sometimes. and is not a malfunction. There is a delay in movement The massage rollers may not move immediately depending on when adjusting the position. when the position button is pushed. (There may be a small time lag. This is not an abnormality.) If you hear the limit sound (beep-beep-beep) when the button is Upper body pushed, this means that it is at the furthest position and cannot move any further. The height (intensity) on the It is designed to differ in some cases. left feels different to that on the An alternating tapping mechanism is used to create a more natural right. sensation. The massage rollers therefore do not move in unison in some massages. The massage roller height (intensity) on the left differs from that on the right in these massages. This is not a malfunction. The massage rollers sometimes The chair is detecting the pressure acting on the massage rollers move bit by bit in a twitching and changing the massage strength. The massage rollers may move bit by bit depending on the pressure but this is not an manner. abnormality. So The sole roller sometimes moves Before the course begins, the sole roller moves into place. les before the course begins... This is not an abnormality. During auto course (including When hip massage or stretching operations start during an Hands & Arms memory course), air action and automatic course, air operation and sole roller movements are suspended. This is due to the priority on the air motion that is sole roller action may suddenly stop and transit to the next linked to movements of rollers to enhance the effectiveness of hip operation... massage or stretching operations. For this reason, in the number of times arm massage is performed on the left and the right may differ with alternated application of pressure for air arm massage.

* Scanning of shoulder roller position: action of measuring the body.

Question

Answer

During operation (continued)



After use

Hand & arm

Red marks are left on the under side of my hands/arms after a hand & arm massage.

Marks may remain on the hands and arms after use. These eventually fade and are not a problem.

Q&A

How to adjust the <Position>

Scanning of shoulder roller position

The correct shoulder position cannot be found during scanning of shoulder roller position. (The shoulder position slips each time.)

Correct scanning of shoulder roller position may not be possible for some sitting positions (such as leaning forward).

Adjust with the shoulder position " \blacktriangle " and " \blacktriangledown " button. (EN 22 to EN23) For more correct scanning, sit firmly in the unit and lean back gently so that <u>your head is touching the pillow (backrest)</u>.

Q&A (continued)

Question

Answer

How to adjust the <Intensity>

Upper body	The auto course is "not strong enough even at the strongest setting" or is "too strong even at the weakest setting".	 Try the following methods. Maximum intensity is set for a course but the intensity is insufficient. Leaning back the backrest results in more body weight pressing against the main unit for stronger massaging. Minimum intensity is set for a course by the intensity is excessive. Placing cloth or blanket over the backrest can soften the contact sensation of massage rollers. 	
Hip	The hip massage is weak	Please sit further in. When you sit further in, the gap between the backrest and the hip becomes smaller, making it easier for the massage rollers to contact your body. (EN30)	
Hand & arm	Can hand & arm massage be performed simultaneously?	Massaging is performed alternately, to ensure that the user can stop the operation whenever any anomaly or danger is sensed.	
	I hardly feel any difference in intensity in the sole roller even after adjustment	The sole roller intensity is adjusted by the strength of the foot side air pressure holding the soles. Therefore, depending on the operating pattern, intensity difference may not be felt. Foot side air bag	
Sole	Sole roller is too intense even at the gentlest setting	Slightly lower the sole massage section so that the heel is raised above it, which will weaken the effect of the roller.	

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	Question	Answer	
Ot	her		
Controller	The controller holder is unsteady.	 Tighten the controller holder fixing screw. The holder is held tighter by turning the mounting screw in the direction of Controller holder cannot be completely secured in order to allow adjustment to desired positions and orientations. 	
	The displays of the operation or position seem to be different …	The actions shown represent rough movements. Actual movements or sensations may vary.	
Noise	The noise grows louder after using the chair for a long time.	This may be a malfunction. Contact the nearest Panasonic service center for an inspection and repair.	
Time	Is there a timer function?	Yes. To prevent overuse, the massage automatically ends at a maximum 19 minutes after starting. (EN30) When the timer ends, the legrest automatically lowers and the mass rollers are stowed. Press to use again.	
Timer function	Does the time vary depending on the course?	The time setting of the timer function changes depending on the course. (EN30) Stretch Air	
	Can I change time settings myself?	That is not possible. Quick about 10 minute The set time is predetermined for each course. About 19 minutes	

Troubleshooting

Investigate the "Problem" and apply the "Remedy" below.

If the problem still exists after following the remedy, contact an Panasonic service center. Refer to EN53 for details when requesting repair.

Problem	Cause and Remedy
The action stops mid-way.	 There was a power outage. → Since the operation would have stopped, press twice to return the backrest and the massage rollers to the storage position, and then start to use again. (The operation does not restart even if the unit has recovered from a power failure.)
	If excessive force is applied to the massage rollers during operation, in the interests of safety the action may stop.
	→ Turn off the power switch, wait for approx. 10 seconds and then turn the power switch on again.
	If the operation returns to the menu selection screen while a course was ongoing, the operation stops.
The seat cannot be reclined and the legrest cannot be lowered.	If the unit encounters an obstacle or if excessive force is exerted on it during operation, in the interests of safety the unit will come to a stop.
	→ When the backrest and the legrest have stopped, switch slide the power switch on the backside of unit body to the "off" position, and switch it "on" again after about 10 seconds, and then operate the unit.
The massage rollers do not come up to the shoulder or neck.	If your head does not contact the pillow or your back does not contact the backrest, the shoulder position may be detected as lower than the actual position during the scanning of shoulder roller position.
	→ Sit on the seat in the deepest position and put your head on the pillow, and then repeat the operations again from the start. (EN22 to EN23)
The height of the left and right massage rollers is different.	An alternating tapping method is employed, which means that this phenomenon will naturally occur. There is nothing wrong with the unit. (EN42)
"Heat" massage rollers do not get warm.	"Heat"is set to Off.
yer wann.	Sense of warmth from the massage rollers differs depending on your body shape, the massage body part, massage action, clothing, and room temperature.
The "Heat" massage rollers do not cool down even after being turned off	Because of the structure of the heater, the "Heat" massage rollers will feel warm for a while after heating due to the residual heat.
turned off.	Continuing to massage the same area even after turning off the "Heat" switch may increase the temperature felt.

Troubleshooting (continued)

Problem	Cause and Remedy
Reclining does not take place even though a massage is started. (The seat does not automatically recline.)	If the backrest has fallen over about 20 °, it does not recline automatically. (EN43)
The backrest does not return to the upright position.	If the unit is stopped by automatic shut-off or by pressing \bigcirc , it will not return automatically for safety. \rightarrow To return from the reclined position to the original position, press \bigcirc twice.
The unit will not operate at all.	There is a power failure.
	The power plug has been disconnected. (EN13)
	Power switch on the rear panel is set to "off".
	The child lock has been applied. (EN18)
	Course selection or body part selection has not been made.
Touch panel is inoperable	Touch panel may become inoperable due to interference from other electronic devices in the vicinity.
	→ Press the 💮 button and turn off the power switch on the back of the main unit. After about 10 seconds, turn the power back to "on" to operate.
It is not possible to massage hands and arms.	Air plug may come loose from the air plug insertion port if the armrest is not secured. Air plug insertion port Air plug Air plug Air plug - Check connection of the air plug and secure installation of the armrest. (EN14)
Sometimes the power won't turn	Due to shutdown (approx. 5 seconds) ひ may not be accepted.
on when 🕛 is pressed again when a massage has finished.	\rightarrow Wait at least 5 seconds once all movement has stopped before pressing \bigcirc .
	The child lock has been applied. (EN18)
Red, blue, or green pixels are visible on the touch panel	Defective pixels that do not light, remain continuously lit, appear non- uniform, or experience color shifts are characteristic of touch screens and considered normal.
The unit has been damaged. The power cord or power plug is abnormally hot.	\rightarrow To prevent accidents, be sure to contact an Panasonic service center. (EN53)

Error display

<Example of error display>

U10

For safety reasons, action will terminate automatically when it cannot detect if someone is seated. If this error occurs even if you are seated, press the emergency stop switch, sit further in chair attaching your lower back to seat back, and repeat the operation.

Error display	Contents
U10	For safety reasons, action will terminate automatically when it cannot detect if someone is seated. If this error occurs even if you are seated, press 💮 , sit back all the way to the backrest, and operate from the start again.
F03 ~ F39	There is a malfunction inside the massage device. Stop using and ask your dealer to inspect and repair the chair. (Service and maintenance will be carried out smoother if the error number is communicated when contacting.)

Sounds and sensations of the unit

The following sounds and sensations occur while using the unit. However, they occur due to the construction of the unit and are perfectly normal.



If these sounds have grown louder, there may be a malfunction.

Contact the nearest Panasonic service center for inspection and repair.

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Specifications

Powe	r supply	AC 120 V 60 Hz
Powe	r consumption	3.0 A (when the controller is "off", approx. 0.3 W)
	er unit power umption	23 W
	Massage area (Up-Down)	Approx. 79 cm (31.1 in.) (The massage rollers move a total of approx. 63 cm (24.8 in.))
Upper body massage	Massage area (Left-Right)	Roller spacing during kneading operations (including roller widths) Neck, shoulders and back: Approx. 5 cm to 21 cm (2.0 in. to 8.3 in.); Lower back and buttocks: Approx. 5 cm to 25 cm (2.0 in. to 9.8 in.) Roller spacing (including roller widths) for vertical movements and spinal stretching Approx. 5 cm to 17 cm (2.0 in. to 6.7 in.)
nassage	Massage area (Front-Back)	Strength adjustment range: Approx. 10 cm (3.9 in.)
	Massage speed	Knead: Approx. 4 times per minute to 73 times per minute Tap: Approx. 190 times per minute to 520 times per minute (one side) Moving speed: Approx. 1 cm per second to 5 cm per second
Air massage	Air pressure (Rear knee)	3: Approx. 34 kPa 2: Approx. 31 kPa 1: Approx. 18 kPa (there are slight variations between body parts)
Soles massage	Massage speed	Approx. 8 times per minute to 21 times per minute
Reclin	ning angle	Backrest: Approx. 120° to 170° Legrest (Leg & Sole Massage Section): Approx. 5° to 85°
Time	r	Around 19 minutes (automatically ends)
Dime	When not reclining (H × W × D)	Approx. 120 cm × 85 cm × 130 cm (47.2 in. × 33.5 in. × 51.2 in.)
Dimensions	When reclining (H × W × D)	Approx. 79 cm × 85 cm × 200 cm (31.1 in. × 33.5 in. × 78.7 in.)
Mass		Approx. 87 kg (191.8 lbs)
Upho	lstery	Synthetic leather

For persons weighing 100 kg (220.3 lbs) or more, the product operations may make more noise and the fabric cover may wear faster.

Unit dimensions

Front

Max. width: Approx. 85 cm (33.5 in.) (Approx. 68 cm (26.8 in.) with the armrest detached)



Specifications

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