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OWNER'S MANUAL

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DSKS433E

Write the model and serial numbers here:

Model #_____

Serial # _____

They are on the label on the front of the dryer behind the door.

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We take pride in the craftsmanship, innovation and design that goes into every GE Appliances product, and we think you will too. Among other things, registration of your appliance ensures that we can deliver important product information and warranty details when you need them.

Register your GE appliance now online. Helpful websites and phone numbers are available in the Consumer Support section of this Owner's Manual. You may also mail in the pre-printed registration card included in the packing material.

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IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION.
READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE USING THE APPLIANCE

⚠WARNING To reduce the risk of fire, explosion, electric shock, or injury to persons when using your appliance, follow basic precautions, including the following:

- Read all instructions before using the appliance.
- **DO NOT** dry articles that have been previously cleaned in, washed in, soaked in, or spotted with gasoline, dry-cleaning solvents, or other flammable or explosive substances, as they give off vapors that could ignite or explode.
- **DO NOT** place items exposed to cooking oils in your dryer. Items contaminated with cooking oils may contribute to a chemical reaction that could cause a load to catch fire. To reduce the risk of fire due to contaminated loads, the final part of the tumble dryer cycle occurs without heat (cool down period). Avoid stopping a tumble dryer before the end of the drying cycle unless all items are quickly removed and spread out so that the heat is dissipated.
- Risk of Suffocation and Injury from Entrapment: **DO NOT** allow children to play on or in this appliance. Close supervision of children is necessary when this appliance is used near children.
- Before the appliance is removed from service or discarded, remove the door to the drying compartment.
- **DO NOT** reach into the appliance if the drum is moving.
- **DO NOT** install or store this appliance where it will be exposed to the weather.
- **DO NOT** tamper with controls.
- **DO NOT** climb or stand on this unit.
- **DO NOT** repair or replace any part of this appliance or attempt any servicing unless specifically recommended in the user-maintenance instructions or in published user-repair instructions that you understand and have the skills to carry out.
- Follow all fabric care instructions and warnings to prevent melting of garments or damage to the appliance.
- **DO NOT** use fabric softeners or products to eliminate static unless recommended by the manufacturer of the fabric softener or product.
- **DO NOT** use heat to dry articles containing foam rubber or similarly textured rubber-like materials.
- Clean lint screen before or after each load.
- **DO NOT** operate the dryer without the lint filter in place.
- **DO NOT** store combustible materials, gasoline or other flammable liquids near the dryer. Keep area around the exhaust opening and adjacent surrounding areas free from the accumulation of lint, dust and dirt.
- The interior of the appliance and exhaust duct should be cleaned periodically by qualified service personnel.
- Unplug the appliance or turn off the circuit breaker before servicing. Turning the Cycle Selector knob to an off position **DOES NOT** disconnect the appliance from the power supply.
- **DO NOT** operate this appliance if it is damaged, malfunctioning, partially disassembled, or has missing or broken parts, including a damaged cord or plug.
- **DO NOT** use replacement parts that have not been recommended by the manufacturer (e.g. parts made at home using a 3D printer).
- **DO NOT** spray any type of aerosol into, on or near dryer at any time. **DO NOT** use any type of spray cleaner when cleaning dryer interior. Hazardous fumes or electrical shock could occur.
- See “ELECTRICAL CONNECTION” located in the Installation Instructions for grounding instructions.

Proper Disposal of your Appliance

- Dispose of or recycle your appliance in accordance with Federal and Local Regulations. Contact your local authorities for the environmentally safe disposal or recycling of your appliance.
- Consider recycling options for your appliance packaging material.

READ AND SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

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PROPER INSTALLATION

This dryer must be properly installed and located in accordance with the Installation Instructions before it is used. If you did not receive an Installation Instructions sheet, you can receive one by visiting **GEAppliances.com**, or by calling 800.GE.CARES (800.432.2737).

- Properly ground dryer to conform with all governing codes and ordinances. Follow details in Installation Instructions.
- Install or store where it will not be exposed to temperatures below freezing or exposed to the weather.
- Connect to a properly rated, protected and sized power supply circuit to avoid electrical overload.
- Remove all sharp packing items and dispose of all shipping materials properly.
- Remove the colored protective tape from the control panel.

Exhaust/Ducting:

1. All dryers MUST be exhausted to the outside to prevent large amounts of moisture and lint from being blown into the room.
2. Exhausting electric dryers to the outside is strongly recommended to prevent large amounts of moisture and lint from being blown into the room.
3. Use only rigid metal or flexible metal 4” diameter ductwork inside the dryer cabinet or for exhausting to the outside. **USE OF PLASTIC OR OTHER COMBUSTIBLE DUCTWORK CAN CAUSE A FIRE. PUNCTURED DUCTWORK CAN CAUSE A FIRE IF IT COLLAPSES OR BECOMES OTHERWISE RESTRICTED IN USE OR DURING INSTALLATION.**

For complete details, follow the Installation Instructions.

PARTS AND ACCESSORIES

Order on-line at **GEApplianceparts.com** today, 24 hours a day or by phone at 877.959.8688 during normal business hours. In Canada, visit your local GE Appliances parts distributor or call 800.661.1616 or **GEAppliances.ca/en/products/parts-filters-accessories**.

Part Number	Accessory
GFA24MIDV / WE08X38499	Stack Bracket Kit (Residential use only)
GFARVKITV / WE08X38497	Stack and Feet Bracket Kit (Recreational Vehicle/Mobile Home use only)

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Getting started

Throughout this manual, features and appearance may vary from your model.

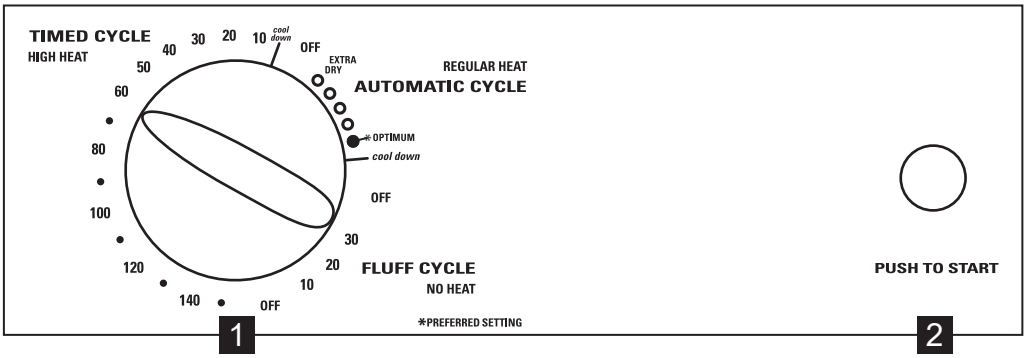
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⚠WARNING - Fire Hazard

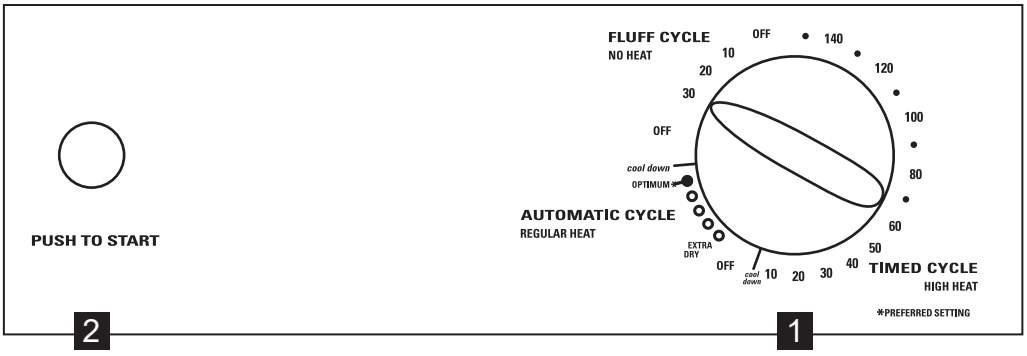
- Keep flammable materials and vapors, such as gasoline, away from dryer.
- **DO NOT** dry anything that has ever had anything flammable on it (even after washing).
- No washer can completely remove oil.
- **DO NOT** dry anything that has ever had any type of oil on it (including cooking oils).
- Items containing foam, rubber, or plastic must be dried on a clothesline.
- Follow all fabric care instructions and warnings to prevent melting of garments or damage to the appliance.
- Failure to do so can result in death, explosion, or fire.

You can locate your model number on the label on the front of the dryer behind the door.

Model: DSKS333E



Model: DSKP333E



IMPORTANT: Clean the lint filter each time you use the dryer.

1 Automatic cycles automatically determine fabric dryness. Select **EXTRA DRY** for heavier fabrics or to make regular fabrics drier. Timed cycles run for a selected time.

Drying Cycles

AUTOMATIC CYCLE REGULAR HEAT	For cottons and most linens. For most loads select the Preferred Regular Setting marked ***OPTIMUM**.
FLUFF CYCLE NO HEAT	For freshening or fluffing already dry clothing, fabric, linen and pillows. Provides no-heat tumbling for the selected time.
TIMED CYCLE HIGH HEAT	Set the Cycle Selector at the desired drying time.

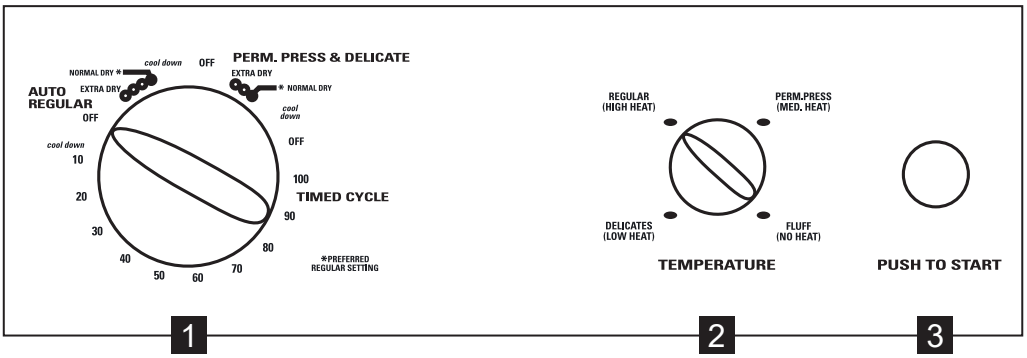
2 **Start**—Close the dryer door. Push the **START** button to start the dryer. Opening the door during operation will stop the dryer. To restart the dryer, close the door and select **START** to complete the cycle.

NOTE: Drying times will vary according to size of load, types of fabrics, wetness of clothes and condition of exhaust ducts. If clothes are still damp after using the Preferred Regular Setting, select Extra Dry on future similar loads.

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Drying Cycles

AUTO REGULAR	For cottons and most linens. For most loads select the Preferred Regular Setting marked ***NORMAL DRY**.
PERM. PRESS & DELICATE	For synthetic blends and delicates. For most loads select the Preferred Regular Setting marked ***NORMAL DRY**.
TIMED CYCLE	Set the Cycle Selector at the desired drying time.

2 **Temperature**

REGULAR (HIGH HEAT)	For regular to heavy cottons. Use with **AUTO REGULAR** or **TIMED CYCLE**.
PERM. PRESS (MED. HEAT)	For synthetics, blends, delicates and items labeled permanent press. Use with **PERM. PRESS** & **DELICATE** or **TIMED CYCLE**.
DELICATES (LOW HEAT)	For delicates and special care fabrics. Use with **PERM PRESS** & **DELICATE** or **TIMED CYCLE**.
FLUFF (NO HEAT)	For fluffing items without heat. Use the **TIMED CYCLE**.

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Loading / Venting

Sorting and Loading Hints

Always follow fabric manufacturer's care label when laundering.

⚠WARNING - Fire Hazard

- Keep flammable materials and vapors, such as gasoline, away from dryer.
- **DO NOT** dry anything that has ever had anything flammable on it (even after washing).
- No washer can completely remove oil.
- **DO NOT** dry anything that has ever had any type of oil on it (including cooking oils).
- Items containing foam, rubber, or plastic must be dried on a clothesline.
- Failure to do so can result in death, explosion, or fire.

As a general rule, if clothes are sorted properly for the washer, they are sorted properly for the dryer. Try also to sort items according to size. For example, do not dry a sheet with socks or other small items.

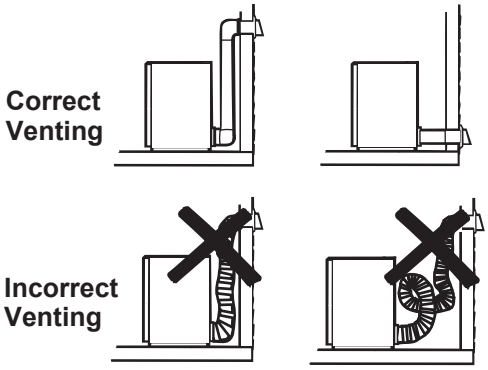
Do not add fabric softener sheets once the load has become warm. They may cause fabric softener stains. Bounce® Fabric Conditioner Dryer Sheets have been approved for use in this dryer when used in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.

Do not overload. This wastes energy and causes wrinkling.

Venting the Dryer

For the best drying performance, the dryer needs to be properly vented. The dryer will use more energy and run longer if it is not vented to the specifications below. Carefully follow the details on Exhausting in the Installation Instructions.

- Use only rigid metal 4" diameter ductwork inside the dryer cabinet. Use only rigid metal or UL listed flexible metal 4" diameter ductwork for exhausting to the outside.
- Do not use plastic or other combustible ductwork.
- Use the shortest length possible.
- Do not crush or collapse.
- Avoid resting the duct on sharp objects.
- **Venting must conform to local building codes.**



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This dryer MUST be exhausted to the outdoors.

Use only 4" rigid metal ducting for the home exhaust duct.

Use only 4" rigid metal or UL-listed dryer transition duct to connect the dryer to the home exhaust.

DO NOT use a plastic vent.

DO NOT exhaust into a chimney, kitchen exhaust, gas vent, wall, ceiling, attic, crawl space, or concealed space of a building.

DO NOT install a screen in or over the exhaust duct.

DO NOT install a booster fan in the exhaust duct.

NOTE: The booster fan warning does not apply to clothes dryers intended to be installed in a multiple clothes dryer system, with an engineered exhaust duct system that is installed per the clothes dryer manufacturer's guidelines.

DO NOT use duct longer than specified in the exhaust length table.

Failure to follow these instructions can result in death or fire.

Care and cleaning

Interior and Duct

The interior of the appliance and exhaust duct should be cleaned once a year by qualified service personnel.

The Exhaust Duct: Inspect and clean the exhaust ducting at least once a year to prevent clogging. A partially clogged exhaust can lengthen the drying time.

Follow these steps:

1. Turn off electrical supply by disconnecting the plug from the wall socket.
2. Disconnect the duct from the dryer.
3. Vacuum the duct with the hose attachment and reconnect the duct.

The Exhaust Hood: Check with a mirror that the inside flaps of the hood move freely when operating. Make sure that there is no wildlife (birds, insects, etc.) nesting inside the duct or hood.

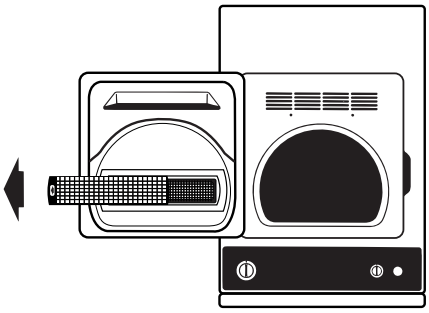
Exterior

Wipe or dust any spills or washing compounds with a damp cloth. Dryer control panel and finishes may be damaged by some laundry pretreatment soil and stain remover products. Apply these products away from the dryer. The fabric may then be washed and dried normally. Damage to your dryer caused by these products is not covered by your warranty.

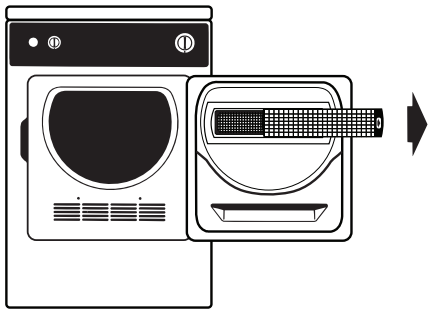
Lint Filter

Clean the lint filter before each use.

Slide out the grid that covers the filter.



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Run your fingers across the filter. A waxy buildup may form on the lint filter from using dryer-added fabric softener sheets. To remove this buildup, wash the lint screen in warm, soapy water. Dry thoroughly and replace.

Have a qualified technician vacuum the lint from the dryer once a year.

NEVER OPERATE THE DRYER WITHOUT ITS FILTER AND GRID IN PLACE.

Troubleshooting Tips... Before you call for service

Problem	Possible Cause	What To Do
Dryer doesn't start	**Dryer is unplugged**	Make sure the dryer plug is pushed completely into the outlet.
	Fuse is blown/circuit breaker is tripped	Check the building's fuse/circuit breaker box and replace fuse or reset breaker. **NOTE:** Some electric dryers use two fuses/ breakers, make sure both are operating.
	Thermal limiter tripped	Call authorized service person for replacement.
Dryer doesn't heat	**Fuse is blown/circuit breaker is tripped; the dryer may tumble but not heat**	Check the house fuse/circuit breaker box and replace both fuses or reset both breakers. Your dryer may tumble if only one fuse is blown or one breaker tripped. **NOTE:** Some **electric** dryers use 2 fuses/breakers, make sure both are operating.
	No heat temperature selected	Select another heat setting
Dryer shakes or makes noise	**Some shaking/noise is normal. Dryer may be sitting unevenly.**	Move dryer to an even floor space, or adjust leveling legs as necessary until even.
Greasy spots on clothes	**Improper use of fabric softener**	Follow directions on fabric softener package.
	Drying dirty items with clean ones	Use your dryer to dry only clean items. Dirty items can stain clean items and the dryer.
	Clothes were not completely clean	Sometimes stains which cannot be seen when the clothes are wet appear after drying. Use proper washing procedures before drying.
Lint on clothes	**Lint filter is full**	Clean lint screen before each load.
	Improper sorting	Sort lint producers (like chenille) from lint collectors (like corduroy).
	Static electricity can attract lint	See suggestions in this section under **Static occurs**.
	Overloading	Separate large loads into smaller ones.
	Paper, tissue, etc., left in pockets	Empty all pockets before laundering clothes.
Static occurs	**No fabric softener was used**	Try a fabric softener. Bounce® Fabric Conditioner Dryer Sheets have been approved for use in all GE Appliances dryers when used in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.
	Overdrying	Try a fabric softener. Adjust setting to **Less Dry** or **Damp**.
	Synthetics, permanent press and blends can cause static	Try a fabric softener.
Inconsistent drying times	**Type of load and drying conditions**	Drying time will vary according to the load size, types of fabrics, wetness of clothes and the length and condition of the exhaust system.

Troubleshooting Tips... Before you call for service

Problem	Possible Cause	What To Do
Clothes take too long to dry	**Improper sorting**	Separate heavy items from lightweight items (generally, a well-sorted washer load is a well-sorted dryer load).
	Large loads of heavy fabrics (like beach towels)	Large, heavy fabrics contain more moisture and take longer to dry. Separate large, heavy fabrics into smaller loads to speed drying time.
	Controls improperly set	Match control settings to the load you are drying.
	Lint filter is full	Clean lint filter before every load.
	Improper or obstructed ducting	Check the Installation Instructions to make sure the dryer venting is correct. Make sure ducting is clean, free of kinks and unobstructed. Check to see if outside wall damper operates easily.
	Blown fuses or tripped circuit breaker	Replace fuses or reset circuit breakers. **NOTE:** Some **electric** dryers use 2 fuses/breakers, make sure both are operating.
	Overloading/combining loads	Do not put more than one washer load in the dryer at a time.
	Underloading	If you are drying only one or two items, add a few items to ensure proper tumbling.
	120-volt operation	If the dryer is operating on a 120 volt circuit, longer drying times are normal. The drying on this circuit takes about three times as long as on a 240 volt circuit.
Clothes are wrinkled	**Overdrying**	Select a shorter drying time. Remove items while they still hold a slight amount of moisture. Select a **Less Dry** or **Damp** setting.
	Letting items sit in dryer after cycle ends	Remove items when cycle ends and fold or hang immediately, or use the **Wrinkle Care** option.
	Overloading	Separate large loads into smaller ones.
Clothes shrink	**Some fabrics will naturally shrink when washed. Others can be safely washed, but will shrink in the dryer.**	To avoid shrinkage, follow garment care labels exactly. Some items may be pressed back into shape after drying. If you are concerned about shrinkage in a particular item, do not machine wash or tumble dry it.

GE Appliances Dryer Limited Warranty

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All warranty service is provided by our Factory Service Centers, or an authorized Customer Care® technician. To schedule service online, visit us at **GEAppliances.com/service**, or call GE Appliances at 800.GE.CARES (800.432.2737). Please have your serial number and your model number available when calling for service.

Servicing your appliance may require the use of the onboard data port for diagnostics. This gives a GE Appliances factory service technician the ability to quickly diagnose any issues with your appliance and helps GE Appliances improve its products by providing GE Appliances with information on your appliance. If you do not want your appliance data to be sent to GE Appliances, please advise your technician not to submit the data to GE Appliances at the time of service.

For the period of:	We will replace:
One year From the date of the original purchase	**Any part** of the dryer which fails due to a defect in materials or workmanship. During this **limited one-year warranty**, we will also provide, **free of charge**, all labor and related service to replace the defective part.

What is not covered:

- Service trips to your home to teach you how to use the product.
- Improper installation, delivery or maintenance.
- Failure of the product if it is abused, misused, or used for other than the intended purpose or used commercially.
- Replacement of house fuses or resetting of circuit breakers.
- Products which are not defective or broken, or which are working as described in the Owner's Manual.
- Damage to the product caused by accident, fire, floods or acts of God.
- Incidental or consequential damage caused by possible defects with this appliance.
- Defects or damage due to operation in freezing temperatures.
- Damage caused after delivery.
- Product not accessible to provide required service.

EXCLUSION OF IMPLIED WARRANTIES

Your sole and exclusive remedy is product repair as provided in this Limited Warranty. Any implied warranties, including the implied warranties of merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose, are limited to one year or the shortest period allowed by law.

This limited warranty is extended to the original purchaser and any succeeding owner for products purchased for home use within the USA. If the product is located in an area where service by a GE Appliances Authorized Servicer is not available, you may be responsible for a trip charge or you may be required to bring the product to an Authorized GE Appliances Service location for service. In Alaska, the limited warranty excludes the cost of shipping or service calls to your home.

Some states do not allow the exclusion or limitation of incidental or consequential damages. This limited warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may also have other rights which vary from state to state. To know what your legal rights are, consult your local or state consumer affairs office or your state's Attorney General.

Warrantor: GE Appliances, ***a*** **Haier** ***Company***
Louisville, KY 40225

Staple your receipt here. Proof of the original purchase date is needed to obtain service under the warranty.

Extended Warranties: Purchase a GE Appliances extended warranty and learn about special discounts that are available while your warranty is still in effect. You can purchase it online anytime at

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or call 800.626.2224 during normal business hours. GE Appliances Service will still be there after your warranty expires.

Consumer Support

GE Appliances Website

Have a question or need assistance with your appliance? Try the GE Appliances Website 24 hours a day, any day of the year! You can also shop for more great GE Appliances products and take advantage of all our on-line support services designed for your convenience. **GEAppliances.com**.

Register Your Appliance

Register your new appliance on-line at your convenience! Timely product registration will allow for enhanced communication and prompt service under the terms of your warranty, should the need arise. You may also mail in the pre-printed registration card included in the packing material. **GEAppliances.com/register**.

Schedule Service

Expert GE Appliances repair service is only one step away from your door. Get on-line and schedule your service at your convenience any day of the year. **GEAppliances.com/service** or call 800.432.2737 during normal business hours.

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Instructions contained in this manual cover procedures to be performed by any user. Other servicing generally should be referred to qualified service personnel. Caution must be exercised, since improper servicing may cause unsafe operation.

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