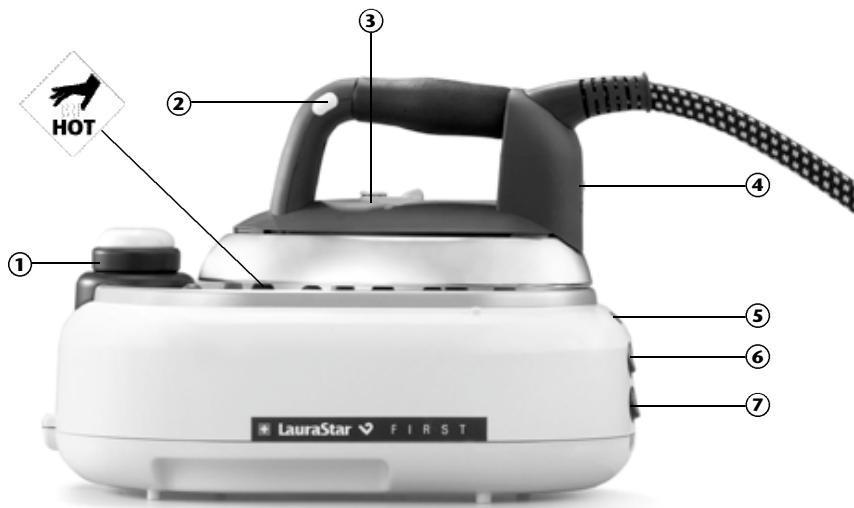


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Description

1. Bouchon de remplissage (avec soupape de sécurité incorporée)
2. Bouton de commande vapeur
3. Thermostat de réglage de la température du fer
4. Témoin lumineux fer prêt
5. Témoin lumineux de fin d'eau

Beschreibung

1. Einfüllverschluss (mit Sicherheitsventil)
2. Dampftaste
3. Temperaturregler
4. Bereitschaftsanzeige Bügeleisen
5. Wassermangelanzeige

Descrizione

1. Tappo di riempimento (con valvola di sicurezza incorporata)
2. Pulsante comando vapore
3. Termostato ferro
4. Spia luminosa ferro pronto
5. Spia luminosa fine acqua

Description

1. Filler cap (with safety valve)
2. Steam control button
3. Temperature thermostat regulator of the iron
4. Iron ready indicator light
5. Water-end indicator light

Beschrijving

1. Vuldop (met ingebouwd veiligheidsventiel)
2. Stoomknop
3. Thermostaat van het strijkijzer
4. Verklikkerlicht strijkijzer gebruiksklaar
5. Verklikkerlicht voor leeg waterreservoir

Descripción

1. Tapón de llenado (con sistema de seguridad incorporado)
2. Botón de control de vapor
3. Termostato
4. Indicador luminoso de plancha a punto
5. Luz de alarma indicadora de falta de agua

6. Interrupteur du fer
7. Interrupteur de la chaudière
8. Jauge hydrométrique
9. Entonnoir
10. Semelle Softpressing (dans certains pays, la semelle Softpressing est en vente séparément, voyez avec votre détaillant)

6. Bügeleisenschalter
7. Schalter Druckdampferzeuger
8. Messstab
9. Einfülltrichter
10. Softpressing-Sohle (In einigen Ländern ist die Softpressing-Sohle Sonderzubehör. Bitte fragen Sie Ihren Händler.)

6. Interruttore del ferro
7. Interruttore della caldaia
8. Asta idrometrica
9. Imbuto
10. Soletta Softpressing (in certi paesi, la soletta Softpressing è in vendita separatamente, vedere con i dettaglianti)

6. Iron switch
7. Tank switch
8. Hydrometer pole
9. Funnel
10. Softpressing soleplate (In certain countries, the Softpressing soleplate is sold separately, please refer to your retailer)

6. Schakelaar van het strijkijzer
7. Schakelaar van de tank
8. Peilstok
9. Trechter
10. Softpressingzool (in sommige landen wordt de Softpressingzool apart verkocht, vraag advies aan uw verdeler)

6. Interruptor de la plancha
7. Interruptor de la caldera
8. Regla hidrométrica
9. Embudo
10. Suela Softpressing (en algunos países, la suela Softpressing es vendida separadamente, consulte a su revendedor)

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Congratulations!

Dear Customer,

We thank you for the trust you have shown in our brand and congratulate you on the purchase of this LauraStar product: LauraStar FIRST Model 730

These operating instructions contain important information on how to use your LauraStar steam ironing station.

Please read these instructions and the safety precautions carefully before using the product for the first time.



Important safety precautions

Danger! In order to ensure protection against electric shock, only plug the appliance into an earthed power socket.

The manufacturer refuses to accept any liability for damage to property or injury to persons if this regulation is not observed.

Danger! In order to prevent the risk of electric shock, do not under any circumstances open the appliance yourself or replace the mains cable.

If the appliance is damaged, it must be returned without delay to a recommended customer service unit.

Danger! This electrical appliance can cause severe electric shock if it comes into contact with water or other liquids.

Caution! Do not switch on the steam generator when it is empty of water. Otherwise you might cause damage to the product.

Caution! Never open the appliance when it is under pressure. You may burn yourself! The filler cap must not under any circumstances be unscrewed during ironing. It can be unscrewed only when no more steam is coming out of the iron, when the steam generator switch is in the off position and when the pressure in the generator has been released.

Caution! Never leave the appliance unattended when it is switched on, especially in the presence of children.

Further safety precautions

NB: You must not iron when the steam generator switch and/or the water-refill indicator light is/are on. This might cause damage to the product.

NB: Make sure the cable leading to the iron is not in your way while using the iron. Otherwise you might trip over it.

Danger! Keep children away from the iron when it is in use. Children might burn themselves or play with the power cable, with the danger of electric shock or electrocution.

Caution! Never iron clothes while you are wearing them. You might burn yourself.

The components of the ironing station that will become very hot are indicated in the operating instructions with this symbol.

NB: When the appliance is not in use keep it in a dry place that cannot be reached by children.

Appropriate use

- The LauraStar First steam generator is to be used to iron laundered items. The steam iron is intended solely for use in private households.
- The LauraStar First steam generator must be used in accordance with these operating instructions and particular attention be paid to the safety precautions.

This steam generator must not be used for activities for which it is not intended (e.g. folding of paper, etc.).

Unpacking

The contents comprise:

- 1 steam iron
- 1 steam station

1 softpressing soleplate (special accessory – further information on page 13)

1 funnel

1 hydrometer rod

1. Unpack all the parts carefully and check that they are all there.
2. **NB:** Please dispose of the packing material in an environmentally sound way. (paper and cardboard belong with paper rubbish, plastic belongs with plastic rubbish).

Working with the steam generator

1. Preparation

- 1.1 Prepare the ironing board.
- 1.2 Do not plug in the appliance initially.
- 1.3 Unscrew the filler cap (1) of the water tank.
- 1.4 Check the quantity of water by using the hydrometer rod (8).
Fill the tank with no more than 0.8 litres of water (see paragraph "Water hardness"), using the funnel provided.
- 1.5 Screw the filler cap on tightly (1). Do not screw it on too tight.

Danger! Keep children, visitors and animals away from the working area and make sure they do not touch the appliance.

2. Switching on

Danger! Make sure that the mains voltage corresponds to that on the technical information plate on the lower side of the tank.

- 2.1 Insert the plug of the appliance into an earthed socket (earthing is required by law).
- 2.2 Turn on the steam generator switch (7).
Turn on the iron switch (6).
- 2.3 The steam generator switch (7) lights up when it is switched on and goes off when the optimal pressure has been reached.
The iron switch (6) remains on during the whole ironing operation.
- 2.4 The appliance is ready to use as soon as the steam generator switch (7) and the water-refill indicator light (4) are off.

3. Regulating

- Use the steam control button (2) on the iron handle to control the steam out put.
- To regulate the temperature of the iron soleplate, turn the temperature regulator (3) to the recommended position.

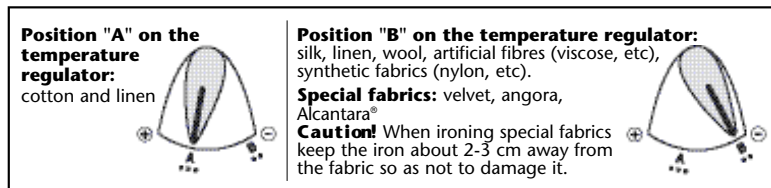


4. Setting the temperature of the steam iron

Caution! If the temperature is reduced, the iron will take about 7-8 minutes to reach the desired, lower heat level.

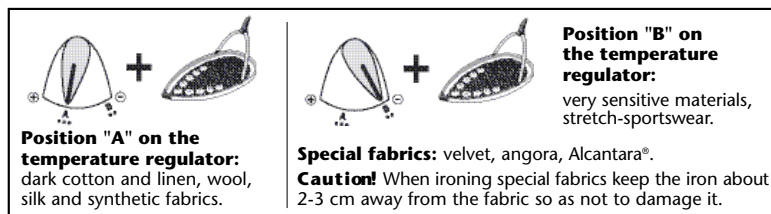
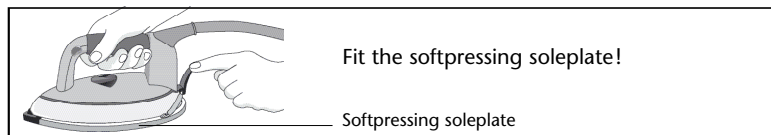
4.1 Ironing without a softpressing soleplate

NB: In certain countries the softpressing soleplate is a special accessory. Please ask your retailer.



4.2 Ironing with a softpressing soleplate

NB: This is only possible when the softpressing soleplate is available. The softpressing soleplate is used for fabrics requiring delicate ironing.



NB: If water spurts out of the iron, set the temperature slightly higher.

NB: Do not forget to remove the softpressing soleplate again when you have finished ironing.

5. Refilling with water

Caution! When the water-refill indicator light (5) goes on, you must refill with water. To do so, proceed as described below.

NB: You may also refill with water during ironing:

- 5.1 Switch off the steam switch (7). Press the steam control button (2) and keep it pressed down until no more steam comes out.
- 5.2 Switch off the iron switch (6) and unplug the mains cable.
- 5.3 Slowly unscrew the filler cap (1) by about 2 turns at first and wait until the residual steam has completely come out.
- 5.4 Unscrew the filler cap (1) completely and fill the tank with water. Check the water level with the hydrometer rod (8).
- 5.5 Screw the cap on tightly and plug the appliance in again.

6. Switching off

- 6.1 Switch off both the iron (1) and tank (2) switches and unplug the mains cable.
- 6.2 Allow the ironing station to cool down and keep it in a dry place that cannot be reached by children.

7. Maintenance, cleaning, care

Your LauraStar First steam ironing station has been developed for a long service life with as little maintenance as possible. Regular cleaning is a prerequisite for long, faultless operation.

Caution! The appliance may only be repaired by LauraStar-authorized personnel. Only original spare parts may be used that are supplied by the manufacturer or an authorised service agent.

Danger! Before you undertake cleaning and maintenance work, take the plug out of the mains socket.

Danger! The appliance must not be sprayed in order to clean the outside surfaces due to the potential danger of electrocution.

Caution! Never use a descaling agent as you might damage the steam generator.

- Fill with water using only the funnel (9) provided.
- Rinse out the water tank when the appliance has been used 10 times.
- To do so, fill the tank with hot tap water, shake vigorously and empty it out.
- Check the seal of the cover regularly.
- Check all electrical cables regularly.

Advice for ironing various fabrics

General rule

- Iron all fabrics with steam. Although certain fabrics can be ironed without steam, you will lose the benefit of pressurised steam.
- Improving ironing quality and length of operation of your appliance: To remove creases, go over the fabric once with steam. Then go over it once again without steam to dry and fix the fabric.

Removing creases

- Suspend the garment by hand or on a clothes hanger. Bring it gently into contact with the iron and press the steam control button.

Attention! Creases can easily be removed in this way from practically all types of fabric, with the exception of cotton, linen and certain kinds of silk.

- If the creases cannot be removed from the suspended garment, place it on the ironing board and iron it in the normal manner.

- For sleeves, please use a commercially available sleeve board.

What to do if...

...water spurts out of the iron?

1. Check the temperature setting on the iron temperature regulator as per the recommendations on page 34 (paragraph on "Setting the temperature of the steam iron").

2. Empty the steam generator and rinse it with hot water (twice is recommended).

3. Use water (see paragraph on "Water hardness").

...no more steam comes out of the iron?

Fill up with water.

...the sole plate of the iron is dirty?

Clean the dirty soleplate using a Polyfer cleaning mat which can be obtained from your supplier, making sure you follow the instructions.

Clean the soleplate more frequently when you iron with starch.

Should the problem persist, please phone our customer service, who will be pleased to give you further assistance (see page 34).

When a defective appliance is sent to customer service, please do not forget to attach a copy of your purchase contract, the guarantee card or the sales receipt.

Environmental information and disposal measures

NB: Please dispose of the packaging material in an environmentally sound way! (Paper and cardboard belong with paper rubbish, plastic belongs with plastic rubbish).

NB: Do not under any circumstances dispose of the steam generator with ordinary domestic refuse.

Please ask your town or city council about proper and environmentally sound disposal facilities.

International guarantee

The present guarantee does not affect in any way the customer's legal rights under statutory laws in force governing the sale of consumer goods, including rights for which provision is made for by the Directive t999/A/CE of the European Parliament and the 25 May 1999 Council on certain aspects of the sale of consumer goods, neither of the rights of which the customer disposes, by virtue of the purchase contract with the dealer.

If a LauraStar commercialised product proves defective, LauraStar will undertake total responsibility for the repair, or delivery of a new appliance upon the terms and conditions set out below.

1. Conditions.

The present guarantee is valid solely if the appliance becomes unusable, or if using it is hindered considerably, because of a construction defect, an assembly defect or a defect in the materials used in the appliance, if this defect already existed when the appliance was delivered to the customer. It is particularly not valid, if the appliance is damaged due to professional use, and especially intensive use for which the user receives financial remuneration. Neither is it valid for replacement of parts due to normal wear and tear of its components and accessories, nor due to any outside intervention by a repairer non-authorized by LauraStar, or by not respecting the indications in the instruction manual, particularly the warnings regarding first use of the appliance, the use and maintenance of the appliance, or misuse of the appliance. Included in the notion of "misuse" is damage caused by:

- the appliance or one of its components falling on the floor
- knocks or marks caused by negligence
- leaving the Softpressing sole on the iron
- not rinsing the water-heater
- using unsuitable water

2. Customer claims.

When a customer makes a claim, which is granted and in accordance with the present guarantee, LauraStar may freely choose whether to eliminate the defect (repair), or to deliver a faultless appliance (replacement). Only expenses deemed necessary for the repair or replacement of the product may be claimed, notably dispatch costs, labour and material costs will be compensated by LauraStar. Under the present guarantee no supplementary rights or claims may be made, and in particular, the customer may not claim reimbursement of charges in relation to the defect, nor an indemnity for possible subsequent damage.

In addition, transportation of the appliance to and from LauraStar is at the customer's own risk.

3. Duration of the guarantee.

The present guarantee is only valid for claims granted to the customer and that have been accorded by LauraStar during the duration of the guarantee. The period of guarantee is one year for non members of EU countries, and 2 years for member

countries of the EU as well as Switzerland, from the delivery date. If defects are announced after expiration of the guarantee period, or if documents or proof necessary to validate the defects according to the present declaration, are presented after expiration of the guarantee, the customer will have no right to claim under the present guarantee.

4. Immediate notification of defects.

If the customer discovers a defect in the appliance, he must advise LauraStar immediately. If he fails to do so, he will lose the right to claim granted by the present guarantee.

5. Claiming clauses derived from the present declaration.

In order to make a claim under the conditions of the present guarantee, the customer should send the defective appliance at his own risk, together with:

- the defective appliance;
- a detailed description of the alleged defect or defects;
- the original invoice, the delivery notice or any other document that proves the date and place of purchase.

The dispatch must be addressed to the authorised retailer or to a LauraStar Service Centre. A free telephone number (...) is available for all information on this subject.

If an appliance is returned to the LauraStar Service Centre, and no defect is found, the customer must bear the dispatch and return costs.

6. SAV LauraStar

If an appliance is entrusted to LauraStar's authorised Service Centre for repair outside the terms of the guarantee or after the guarantee period, it will be considered as a "repair out of guarantee" and be subject to invoice.



Customer services

Details of LauraStar customer service can be found on the Internet under **www.laurastar.com**.

You can also apply to our customer service through any of the addresses listed below or to your retailer.

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Technical information

	LauraStar First Model 730
Mains voltage	220-240 V / 50-60 Hz
Total power	1800 W (water tank + iron)
Power, iron	800 W
Maximum pressure	350 kPa
Tank capacity max. usable	0,8 litres
SWISS Design - made in Italy	

EU declaration of conformity and manufacturer's details

Designation: steam ironing station

LURASTAR FIRST Model 730

The manufacturer LauraStar SA, Pra de Plan, CH-1618 Chatel St Denis, hereby declares that this steam iron, FIRST model, complies with the following standards and directives:

EU Low Voltage Directive 73/23/EEC EN 60335-1 EN 60335-2-3
EU Directive on Electromagnetic Compatibility 89/336/EEC
EN 55014-1 EN 55014-2 EN 61000-3-2 EN 61000-3-3