

Hercules Scrub & Clean

Model BGFS650



# **Care and Use Instructions**

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Thank you for purchasing your Bissell BigGreen Commercial's
Hercules Scrub & Clean. We hope you enjoy using it.
Please read the manual carefully to get the most out of
your product and retain these instructions for future reference.

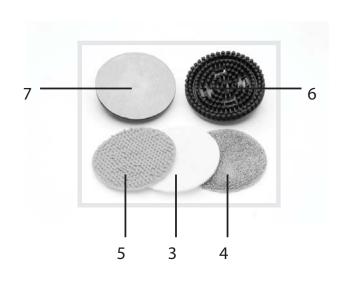
### **Pack Contents:**

- 1 Cleaning & Polishing head
- 2 Handle assembly upper & lower sections

3 - Scrubbing pads (white) x2 FS500-4
4 - Cleaning/Polishing pads (blue) x2 FS500-3
5 - Buffing pads (yellow) x2 FS500-6
6 - Scrubbing brush plates x2 FS650-1
7 - Hook & Loop backing plates x2 FS650-2

Read the Care and Use instructions before using the Bissell BigGreen Commerical Hercules Scrub and Clean and make sure that

- The power cord is in perfect condition
- All packaging materials are removed from the machine





# **Safety Instructions - CAUTION**



- Do not allow machine to run unattended at any time.
- Close supervision is necessary when this machine is used near children. Do not allow it to be used as a toy.
- •The machine is designed for household use only, do not expose to rain.
- Whilst in use never turn the machine over.
   Keep machine level during use.
- To provide continued protection against the risk of electric shock, connect properly to an earthed socket-outlet.
- Use only genuine manufacturer's parts.
- It is recommended that a RCD (residual current device) rated at 30mA is fitted into the mains supply socket-outlet for added protection against electric shock.
- Do not immerse power cable, plug or machine in water or any other liquid.
- •Take extra care if operating machine in bare feet or when wearing open toe shoes or sandals.
- Do not operate with a damaged power cable, keep feet and all parts of body away from the rotating pads.
- Use power cable clip on handle to keep power cable clear of rotating pads.

- Do not pull or carry by power cable, or use power cable as a handle, close door on power cable or pull power cable around sharp edges or corners. Keep power cable away from heated surfaces.
- Unplug the polisher when not in use. Turn all controls off before unplugging from electrical socket-outlet.
- Do not unplug by pulling on power cable.
   Always grasp the plug, not the power cable. Never handle plug or appliance with wet hands.
- Store in a dry place. Do not expose machine to freezing temperatures.
- This appliance is not intended for use by persons (including children) with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge, unless they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance by a person responsible for their safety.
- Unplug after use and before cleaning.
- •The Bissell BigGreen Commerical Hercules Scrub and Clean is intended for domestic use and not commercial use.
- Check pads for embedded grit or hard material before using on floors or scratching may occur.

## **Assembling the Appliance**

- Insert the handle into the aperture at the top of the head unit (Fig.1) and screw the collar in securely (Fig.2).
- Push plastic upper handle section into place which will lock into place by way of a metal button

# Changing the pads and plates on your product

- Make sure appliance is not plugged in before fitting pads.
- Invert the cleaning head so that the drive hubs are accessible (Fig. 3)
- Place the required hook & loop backing plate (for pads) or brush plate over the hub, making sure the four connectors are aligned to the holes in the hub (Fig.4).
- Press the plated down to clip into place.
- Always use two plates of the same type, i.e. not 1 brush and 1 pad (Fig.5).
- Simply pull the plates/brushes off to remove and change.

White / blue / yellow pads can be applied directly to the backing plates and peeled off to remove (Fig.6)

Adjust the height of the handle to suit your needs by pulling on the extension button (Fig.7).

For additional stability the pro-grip handle can be opened to enable two-handed use. Depress the button above the grip (Fig.8) and open the handle (Fig.9)





## Using your Bissell BigGreen Commerical Hercules Scrub and Clean

### DO NOT USE ON CARPET

Take care not to slip over when polishing floors, they can become very slippery in the process. Only use dedicated floor products, other inappropriate detergents or types of polish could leave the floor dangerously slippery.

Do not leave the product operating in one area for a prolonged period of time as this may damage your floor surface.

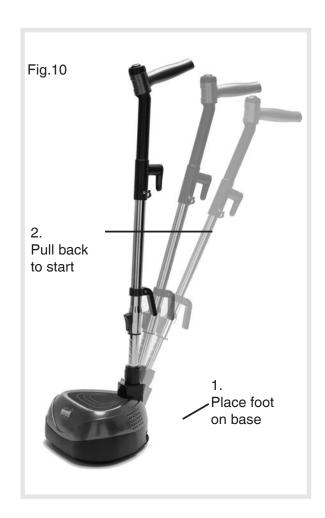
# **Applying floor treatments**

- The recommended polish is Bissell Big GreenCommerical Gloss Floor Polish of which a sample is supplied and available from Bissell BigGreen Commerical.
- Always read and follow the manufacturer's instructions.
- Apply the treatment directly to the floor unless instructions indicate otherwise.

# Scrubbing / Cleaning the floor

- Heavily soiled surfaces may require the brush attachments are used initially to loosen any debris. Otherwise ensure that the white scrubbing pads are attached (see page 4).
- Turn the product on at the power socket.
- With your foot securing the head of the polisher on the floor (1), pull the handle towards you (2) and the product will start (Fig.10). Returning the handle to its upright position will stop the product.





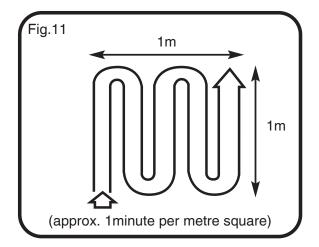
- Move at a speed of about 1 minute every 1m<sup>2</sup> and follow the diagram for an even finish (Fig.11).
- Do not leave the product operating in one area for a prolonged period as this may damage your floor.
- Once cleaning is complete, turn the unit off by returning it to its upright position.

# Polishing / buffing the floor

- Clean floor thoroughly first before adding your chosen floor polish / wax
- If you are using a floor polishing wax or oil, refer to the manufacturer's instructions when using with the Bissell BigGreen Commercial HerculesScrub and Clean..
- Start with the blue cleaning pads initially and buff to a finish with the yellow pads for a high-sheen finish.
- Keep the polisher moving. Do not stop in one place for a long time or it will spoil the finish.
- Once polishing is complete, turn the unit off by returning it to its upright position.
- A glossy finish may not always be possible; this depends on the polish/wax used and the type of floor surface. Sometimes several coats of polish will enable a glossy finish.

### **Power Cable Storage**

 The electrical power cable can be stored on the rear of the product using the convenient power cable storage hooks.



## Cleaning the floor pads

- All pads and floor attachments are washable.
- The brushes and scouring pads can be washed under the tap with warm soapy water. The blue & yellow polishing pads can also be machine washed and dried naturally. It is recommended to re-shape the pads whilst drying.
- The polishing head unit is not suitable for washing in water, it must be wiped with a damp cloth.

## **Troubleshooting**

- Smear marks are made on floor when polishing.
  - Has the polish/wax been allowed to dry?
  - Does an existing floor treatment need to be removed?
- No gloss sheen is being produced.
  - Floor polish/wax application level may need to be increased, try another coat. Allow to dry and re-polish.
  - Please note some types of floor do not produce gloss finish.
- Scratches are made on the floor.
  - Check for grit or dirt stuck to the pads or on the rear wheels.
  - Clean/replace the pads or wipe the wheels free from debris.
- Floor is too slippery.
  - Check the polish/wax is designed to be used on floors. Good floor polish should always produce a glossy but grippy finish

#### **Technical Data**

Power 160W Voltage 120V Frequency 60Hz Rpm 2,200

Sound pressure 80dB(A) approx



# **Your Warranty**

This product is guaranteed for a period of 12 months against faulty materials and workman-ship. While every possible care is taken by Bissell BigGreen Commerical Products to ensure that our products leave the factory in good working order, Bissell BigGreen Commerical Products cannot under any circumstances accept liability for problems or damage caused by their subsequent use. It is the responsibility of the user to ensure the surfaces to be treated or cleaned are suitable for vacuuming. This warranty does not affect your statutory rights. This warranty excludes the use for rental. In the event of a fault occurring please contact our helpline before returning the unit to our Service Department at the address below together with a copy of your purchase receipt. All repairs will be dealt with speedily. Some States do not allow limitations on how long an implied warranty lasts and some States do not allow the exclusion or limitation of incidental or consequential damages, so part or all of the above limitations or exclusions may not apply to you. This warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may also have other rights which vary from State to State.

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