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# Leaf Blower-Vac/Patio Cleaner

# **Technical Specifications**

Model GY 8113 Rated voltage 230V-240V Rated frequency 50Hz Rated power consumption 3000W Mains fuse(delayed action) 13A Speed 15000 rpm Max air speed 270km/h Max.air volume 13.2m<sup>3</sup>/min

Bag volume 35L

Weight 7.3kg (net)

Measured LpA at operator's position 88.3dB(A), uncertainty K=3dB(A)

Measured LwA of the machine: max 99.8dB(A), K=2.0dB (A), guaranteed LwA: 102dB(A)

Vibration max. 1.29m/s<sup>2</sup>, K = 1.5m/s<sup>2</sup>

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# 3 in 1 Garden Vacuum

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# Instructions for Use

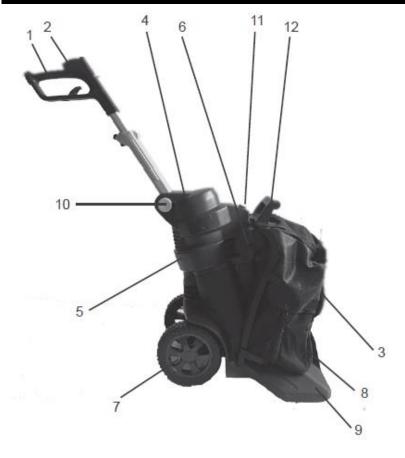
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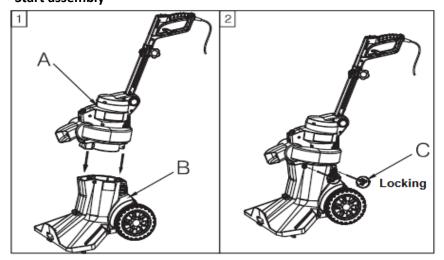
# **List of components**

- 1 Ergonomic handle
- 2 ON/OFF switch
- 3 Collecting bag
- 4 Electric motor
- 5 Impeller
- **6** Function switch
- **7** Wheel
- 8 Blower outlet
- 9 Vacuum inlet
- 10 Handle release button
- 11 Collecting bag release button
- 12 Grip handle

# **Operative range**

This 3 in 1 garden vacuum device mainly serves to clean hard surfaces such as paved paths, courtyards and terraces. It is only suitable for vacuuming or blowing dry, light materials such as grass, leaves, small twigs and pieces of paper. DO NOT USE for heavy materials such as metal, stones, branches, broken glass, and wet leaves.

# Start assembly



Connect top assembly (A) with lower assembly (B) and lock with two knobs where indicated.





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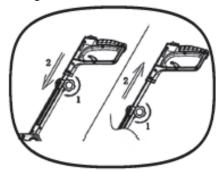
# Mounting the handle



Fig. 1

To mount the handle press the button at the rear top of the vacuum/blower unit, pull the upper handle arm upwards until it locks in position.

Adjust the telescopic handle. Turn the height adjustment knob anti-clockwise and adjust handle height to proper position. Hand tighten the knob by turning it clockwise – see below:



**Before starting** 

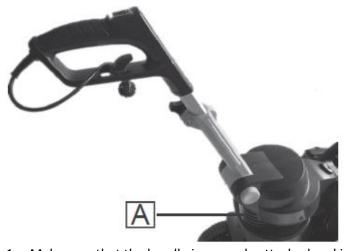


Fig. 2

MAKE SURE NOT TO DAMAGE THE MAINS CABLE. (Fig.2 A)

It is recommended to connect the machine to the mains supply over a residual current operated device with a maximum breaking current of 30mA. Always use a weatherproof extension cable with high-performance insulation approved for outdoor use.

- 1. Make sure that the handle is properly attached and is firmly seated in the chassis (see Fig. 1).
- 2. Always make sure that the collecting bag is attached and locked into position before you switch on the device (both in vacuum and blower mode) If it is not locked into position, the garden vacuum will NOT start(see Attaching the Collecting Bag).
- 3. Your wheeled vacuum/blower unit is controlled via the on/off switch (Fig.2) at the handle (2). Make sure that the switch is in the Off position.
- 4. Connect the unit to an extension cable. Lead the extension cable through the handle and around the strain relief(Fig.2).



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- 5. Always direct the cable backwards, away from the device.
- 6. If a cable should be damaged during operation, switch the device off and disconnect the mains cable from the mains supply. Do not touch the cable, before you have interrupted the voltage supply.
- 7. Never operate the unit from the mains supply:
- 8. Disconnect the unit from the mains supply
  - If you leave the unit unattended
  - Before removing a blockage
  - Before inspecting, cleaning, or working on the unit.
  - If the unit vibrates abnormally
- 9. Operate the unit in daylight or sufficient artificial lighting only.
- 10. Do not bend forward too far, and always take care to keep your balance.
- 11. Make sure to have a safe footing, when working on inclines.
- 12. Move forward by walking never run!

The front roller is height adjustable for use on different thickness' leaves.

There are 2 grooves for roller height adjustment.





Fig. 3

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# **WORKING IN VACUUM MODE(Fig.3)**

Make sure that the unit is switched off (on/off switch in Off position).

Turn the function switch (6) clockwise until the arrow of the switch is aligned with the arrow of the vacuum mode(VAC).

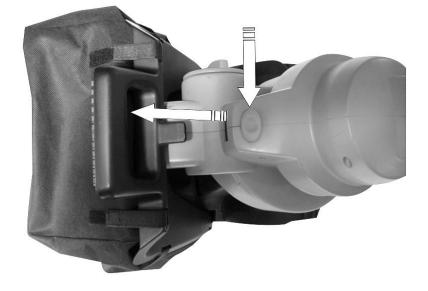
Switch on the device at the handle – always stand in an upright position if you do so. Never switch the device on, when you are kneeling or sitting next to it.

Vacuum waste by moving the vacuum unit over the area you wish to clean.

## WORKING IN BLOWER MODE(Fig.3)

- 1 Make sure that the garden vacuum is switched off(on/off switch in off position)
- 2 Turn the function switch (6) anticlockwise until the arrow of the switch is aligned with the arrow of the blower mode (BLOW).
- 3 Blow debris away by moving forward with the blower making sweeping movements.
- 4 Never blow debris into the direction of onlookers.
- 5 Avoid moving the unit backwards over unclean surfaces in blower mode.

# Dismantling the bag



## Fig. 4

Grab the bag handle and press the locking button to release the support.

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Fig. 5



Fig. 6



# **EMPTYING THE BAG(Fig.5-6-7)**

- 1 If the bag is full, switch off the vacuum at the handle and pull the plug.
- 2 Loosen the locking ring(Fig.5) on the collecting bag release button(12).
- 3 Grab the grip handle (13), as shown in Fig. 5 and pull back.
- 4 Lift the upper part of the bag frame away from the unit, and put the bag on the ground.
- 5 Use both hands to carry the filled bag to your dustbin or compost heap, make sure that the bag's opening is directed upwards when carrying it(Fig.7).
- Turn the bag around to empty the mulched debris into the dustbin/onto the compost heap. If debris should get stuck in the bag, open the two hook and loop fasteners at the top of the bag and turn it inside out.

Fig. 7





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## ATTACHING THE COLLECTING BAG (Fig. 6)

- 1. Insert the lower two feet of the bag's frame into the supports at the rear end of the chassis.
- 2. Turn the bag's frame into the correct position until the bag locks in place.

### **COLLECTING BAG**

As with all bags of this kind, the material gets clogged with small particles during operation. Therefore, some simple routine maintenance steps are required to maintain the unit's performance.

After each use, the bag should be cleaned by shaking it. This will maintain the bag's proper filtering function. If the bag should be clogged by moist particles, let it dry before cleaning.

The collecting bag can be cleaned using a garden hose. Always splash the bag at its exterior side. You can turn the bag, when it is still moist. Always make sure that the bag is completely dry, before you store or use it. The collecting bag is subject to a high amount of wear and tear, and may require to be replaced from time to time. Replace a worn-out bag immediately. To avoid unnecessary wear and tear of the collecting bag, prevent the bag from being dragged over the ground, when using the unit. Spare bags are available under item code 9267.

#### **SAFETY AND INTERNATIONAL SYMBOLS**

In the following, you will find the description of safety symbols as well as international symbols and pictograms that may appear on your device. It is required that you read all safety notes before you operate the device. If you do not use this device properly, personal injuries through fire, electric shock of cutting parts or property damages may occur.

Please keep these Operating Instructions carefully!

SYMBOL	DESCRIPTION
<u> </u>	WARNING SYMBOL Indicates danger, safety notes or causes for particular caution. This symbol may occur in combination with other symbols or pictograms.
	READ THE OPERATING INSTRUCTION  If you do not observe the operating and safety notes of the Operating Instructions, serious injuries may occur. Read the Operating Instructions before you switch on and operate this device.

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SYMBOL	DESCRIPTION
	Disconnect mains plug before carrying out any repairs! If the cable is damaged, disconnect from the mains immediately and replace cable!
<u></u> IIII	<b>KEEP OTHER PERSONS IN DISTANCE WARNING</b> : When operating the device, take care that no other persons are nearby (safe distance: 5m). This is particularly valid for children and animals.
	WEAR EYE AND EAR PROTECTION WARNING: Thrown-about objects may lead to serious injuries of the eyes, heavy noise may lead to hearing losses. Always wear eye and ear protection when operating this device.
	OPERATION AND STORAGE  Do not use the device in humid weather and store it in a dry location.

### Proper use

To preserve your warranty rights and to ensure product safety, please strictly adhere to the Safety Instructions. For reasons in connection with the machine's technical design, it is impossible to exclude all remaining risks.

Attention! When using the machine, the Safety Instructions must be adhered to.

Please observe these instructions for your own safety and the safety of other persons, before you start operating the machine. Make sure to keep these instructions for future reference.

Attention: Noise protection! Please observe the local regulations when operating your device.



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#### **SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS**

- 1 NEVER ALLOW PERSONS, WHO ARE NOT FAMILIAR WITH THESE INSTRUCTIONS, TO USE THE DEVICE.
- 2 DO NOT OPERATE THE GARDEN VAC WITHOUT THE COLLECTION BAG PROPERLY ATTACHED. IF THE COLLECTION BAG IS NOT PROPERLY ATTACHED, THE MACHINE MAY UNINTENTIONALLY MOVE FORWARDS AND THROW OUT OBJECTS THROUGH THE BLOWOUT OPENING. THROWN OUT OBJECTS MAY CAUSE INJURY.
- 3 THE OPERATOR IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ACCIDENTS OR RISKS TO THIRD PARTIES OR THEIR PROPERTY.
- **4** MAKE SURE THAT YOUR POWER OUTLET IS PROPERLY EARTHED, AND THAT YOUR EXTENSION CABLE MEETS THE ELECTRIC REQUIREMENTS, IS IN GOOD WORKING CONDITION AND WEATHERPROOF.
- **5** HAVE YOUR GARDEN VAC SERVICED BY AN AUTHORISED WORKSHOP OR QUALIFIED TECHNICIAN IF:
- (1) THE MOTOR, CABLE OR SWITCH MUST BE REPAIRED OR SERVICED.
- (2) THE MACHINE RUNS ABNORMALLY OR ROUGHLY.
- (3) THE SWITCH DOES NOT WORK PROPERLY, OR THE MOTOR RELEASES A BURNING SMELL OR SPARKS.
- (4) IT FELL DOWN OR HAS BEEN DAMAGED IN ANY OTHER WAY.
- (5) SHOULD THE MACHINE FALL INTO THE WATER, THERE IS THE HAZARD OF AN ELECTRIC SHOCK! SWITCH THE MACHINE OFF AND PULL THE PLUG IMMEDIATELY.
- (6) DO NOT ALLOW CHILDREN TO USE THE MACHINE. SMALL CHILDREN SHOULD BE UNDER SUPERVISION TO MAKE SURE THAT THEY DO NOT PLAY WITH THE MACHINE.
- (7) NEVER WEAR LOOSE CLOTHES OR JEWELLERY. THESE MAY GET SUCKED INTO THE AIR INLET. KEEP LONG HAIR AWAY FROM THE AIR INLETS.
- (8) PREVENT CORDS, PLASTIC BAGS, OR SIMILAR MATERIALS FROM GETTING SUCKED IN, AS THESE MIGHT WRAP AROUND THE FAN WHEEL, WHICH MAY CAUSE AN OVERLOAD OR BLOCKING OF THE MOTOR. IN SUCH A CASE, SWITCH THE WHEELED SUCTION SWEEPER OFF. DO NOT LEAVE THE SUCTION SWEEPER SWITCHED ON WITH THE MOTOR OVERLOADED OR STALLED.
- (9) ALWAYS OPERATE THE MACHINE IN AN UPRIGHT POSITION. DO NOT OPERATE IT, IF THE MACHINE IS TILTED TO ONE SIDE OR EVEN UPSIDE-DOWN.



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(10) IT IS RECOMMENDED TO CONNECT THE MACHINE TO THE MAINS SUPPLY OVER A RESIDUAL CURRENT OPERATED DEVICE WITH A MAXIMUM BREAKING CURRENT OF 30MA.

(11) USE ONLY EXTENSION CABLES THAT ARE APPROVED FOR OUTDOOR USE AND ARE NOT LIGHTER THAN RUBBER-SHEATHED CABLES OF TYPE H07 RN-F ACCORDING TO DIN/VDE 0282 WITH A DIAMETER OF AT LEAST OF 1.5 SQ.MM. THE CABLES MUST BE SPLASH-PROOF.

#### **MAINTENANCE AND STORGE**

- Make sure that all nuts, bolts and screws are firmly tightened to ensure the safe operation of the device.
- Regularly check the collecting bag for signs of wear and tear.
- Replace worn or damaged parts.
- Only use original parts and accessories.
- Store the device in a dry place.

#### REMOVING OBSTRUCTIONS FORM THE VACUUM OPENING

Twigs and long objects may cause obstructions to develop in the vacuum opening on the bottom side of the vacuum unit. If this should be the case try to slightly shake the unit during operation. If this should not solve the problem, switch the unit off and pull the plug. Remove the obstruction using a stick or another long, thin object (don't use metal objects).

To avoid objects that cause an obstruction from being repeatedly sucked in, it may be necessary to move the unit slower over the debris to be cleaned up.

The top and bottom parts of the tubes can be disassembled (see Fig. A), if the collection bag has become too heavy.
Rotate 2 knobs (see Fig. B).



Fig A

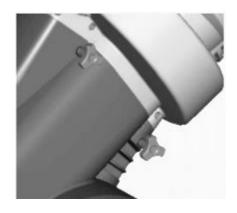


Fig B

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After removing the tubes, the garden vacuum can be rotated (Fig. C) to facilitate cleaning of the tubes especially on the inside.



Fig C

### **VACUUM AND BLOWER FUNCTION SWITCH**

If the VACUUM/BLOWER function switch should be blocked, operate the switch(Fig.3), when the unit is running. Turning the switch several times while air is flowing through the unit should remove the blockage. Make sure that you are not standing in front of the blower nozzle, when you operate the switch.

#### **DISPOSAL**

- Dispose of all packaging, paper, cartons, plastic and plastic bags in accordance with your local recycling regulations.
- At the end of the product's lifespan please dispose of it at an authorised household WEEE waste recycling centre.

## **DECLARATION OF CONFORMITY**

Coopers of Stortford that the 3 in 1 Garden Vacuum 9255, (Model No. GY 8113)

Conforms to the following European Directives and standards

Machinery Directive 2006/42/EC

EN 60335-1:2012/A11:2014

EN ISO 12100:2010

EN 62233:2008

Low Voltage Directive 2014/35/EU

EN 60335-1:2012/A11:2014

EN ISO 12100:2010

EN 62233:2008

AfPS GS 2014:01 PAK

EMC Directive 2014/30/EU

EN55014-1:2006/A2:2011

EN55014-2:2015

EN61000-3-2:2014

EN61000-3-3:2013

Noise Directive 2000/14/EC & 2004/88/EC

RoHS Directive 2011/65/EU

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