



**XU1 Power tools** 

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# SAFETY **INSTRUCTIONS**

∧ WARNING! When using mains—powered \equipment, basic safety precautions, including the following, should always be followed to educe risk of fire, electric shock, personal injury and naterial damage.

**Sound and Vibration** 

Sound Pressure Level:

L... Sound Power Level:

Wear ear-muffs.

K uncertainty =  $1.5 \text{ m/s}^2$ 

exceptional circumstances.

assessment of a harmful effect.

• Do not overload the appliance.

Wear protective gloves.

construction and layout:

Residual risks

is used

Warning!

K., Uncertainty

K... Uncertainty:

81.3 dB(A)

94.40 dB(A)

2.03 dB

The impact of noise can cause damage to hearing.

The specified vibration value was established in

is used and may exceed the specified value in

the equipment with other electric power tools.

accordance with a standardized testing method. It

may change according to how the electric equipment

The specified vibration value can be used to compare

The specified vibration value can be used for initial

Only use appliances which are in perfect working

Keep the noise emissions and vibrations to a

· Service and clean the appliance regularly.

Adapt your working style to suit the appliance.

Switch the appliance off when it is not in use.

Even if you use this electric power tool in

accordance with instructions, certain residual

may arise in connection with the equipment's

1. Lung damage if no suitable protective dust mask

2. Damage to hearing if no suitable ear protection is

3. Health damage caused by hand-arm vibrations if

not properly guided and maintained.

the equipment is used over a prolonged period or is

risks cannot be rules out. The following hazards

Have the appliance serviced whenever necessary.

Vibration emission value ah =  $6.53 \text{ m/s}^2$ 

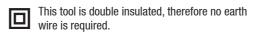
3 dB

# Electrical safety

Read the whole manual carefully and make sure you know how to switch the tool off in an emergency. before operating the tool.

Save these instructions and other documents supplied with this tool for future reference.

Before you connect the equipment to the mains supply make sure that the data on the rating plate are identical to the mains data.



avoid a hazard.

If the supply cord is damaged, it must be replaced by an electrician or a power tool repairer in order to

**Note:** Double insulation does not take the place of normal safety precautions when operating this tool.

# Using an extension lead

Always use an approved extension lead suitable for the power input of this tool. Before use, inspect the extension lead for signs of damage, wear and ageing. Replace the extension lead if damaged or defective.

When using an extension lead on a reel, always unwind the lead completely. Use of an extension lead not suitable for the power input of the tool or which is damaged or defective may result in a risk of fire and electric shock.

# Description of symbols





Read the instruction manual before



Wear eye protection and ear plugs.



Protect from moisture!



Pull out the mains plug before checking a damaged power cable!



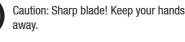
Keep other people out of the danger area!



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# WARNING! Read all safety

warnings and all instructions. Failure to follow the warnings and instructions may result in electric shock, fire and/or serious

> Save all warnings and instructions for future reference. The term "power tool" in all of the warnings refers to your mains-operated (corded) power tool or batteryoperated (cordless) power tool.

#### 1. Work area safety

- a. Keep work area clean and well lit. Cluttered or dark areas invite accidents.
- b. Do not operate power tools in explosive atmospheres, such as in the presence of flammable liquids, gases or dust. Power tools create sparks which may ignite the dust or fumes.
- c. Keep children and bystanders away while **operating a power tool.** Distractions can cause you to lose control

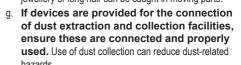
#### 2. Electrical safety

- a. Power tool plugs must match the outlet. Never modify the plug in any way. Do not use any adapter plugs with earthed (grounded) power tools. Unmodified plugs and matching outlets will reduce risk of electric shock.
- b. Avoid body contact with earthed or grounded surfaces, such as pipes, radiators, ranges and refrigerators. There is an increased risk of electric shock if your body is earthed or grounded.
- c. Do not expose power tools to rain or wet conditions. Water entering a power tool will increase the risk of electric shock.
- d. Do not abuse the cord. Never use the cord for carrying, pulling or unplugging the power tool. Keep cord away from heat, oil, **sharp edges or moving parts.** Damaged or entangled cords increase the risk of electric shock.
- When operating a power tool outdoors, use an extension cord suitable for outdoor use. Use of a cord suitable for outdoor use reduces the risk of electric shock.
- If operating a power tool in a damp location is unavoidable, use a residual current device (RCD) protected supply. Use of an RCD reduces the risk of electric shock

### 3. Personal safety

- a. Stay alert, watch what you are doing and use common sense when operating a power tool. Do not use a power tool while you are tired or under the influence of drugs, alcohol or medication. A moment of inattention while operating power tools may result in serious personal injury.
- b. Use personal protective equipment. Always wear eye protection. Protective equipment such as dust mask, non-skid safety shoes, hard hat, or hearing protection used for appropriate conditions will reduce personal injuries
- c. Prevent unintentional starting. Ensure the switch is in the off-position before connecting to power source and/or battery pack, picking up or carrying the tool. Carrying power tools with your finger on the switch or energising power tools that have the switch on invites accidents.
- d. Remove any adjusting key or wrench before turning the power tool on. A wrench or a key left attached to a rotating part of the power tool may result in personal injury.
- e. Do not overreach. Keep proper footing and balance at all times. This enables better control of

#### f. Dress properly. Do not wear loose clothing or jewellery. Keep your hair, clothing and gloves away from moving parts. Loose clothes, jewellery or long hair can be caught in moving parts. Before you switch on the equipment, check that the cutting



h) Do not let familiarity gained from frequent use of tools allow you to become complacent and ignore tool safety **principles.** A careless action can cause severe injury within a fraction of a second.

#### 4. Power tool use and care

- a. Do not force the power tool. Use the correct power tool for your application. The correct power tool will do the job better and safer at the rate for which it was designed
- b. Do not use the power tool if the switch does **not turn it on and off.** Any power tool that cannot be controlled with the switch is dangerous and must be
- c. Disconnect the plug from the power source and/or remove the battery pack, if detachable, from the power tool before making any adjustments, changing accessories, or storing power tools. Such preventive safety measures reduce the risk of starting the power tool accidentally.
- d. Store idle power tools out of the reach of children and do not allow persons unfamiliar with the power tool or these instructions to operate the power tool. Power tools are dangerous in the hands of untrained users.
- e. Maintain power tools and accessories. Check for misalignment or binding of moving parts, breakage of parts and any other condition that may affect the power tool's operation. If damaged, have the power tool repaired before use. Many accidents are caused by poorly maintained power tools.
- f. **Keep cutting tools sharp and clean.** Properly maintained cutting tools with sharp cutting edges are less likely to bind and are easier to control.
- g. Use the power tool, accessories and tool bits etc. in accordance with these instructions, taking into account the working conditions and the work to be **performed.** Use of the power tool for operations different from those intended could result in a hazardous
- h) Keep handles and grasping surfaces dry, clean and free from oil and grease. Slippery handles and grasping surfaces do not allow for safe handling and control of the tool in unexpected situations.

### 5. Service

a. Have your power tool serviced by a qualified repair person using only identical replacement parts. This will ensure that the safety of the power tool is maintained.

# **Electric Line Trimmer Safety** Warnings

- · Before you begin your work, examine the material you want to cut. Remove any foreign bodies. Continue to watch out for foreign bodies while you are working. If you come across any foreign bodies while cutting, turn off the machine and remove the items in question
- · Work only when visibility is adequate.
- Make sure you stand squarely at all times while working. Be careful when walking backwards. Tripping hazard!
- Never leave the equipment unsupervised in the work area. If you stop work for a while, leave the equipment in a safe
- · If you stop your work in order to go to another area to work, you must make sure that the equipment is switched off while

• Never use the equipment while it is raining or in damp or Never use your hands to try to stop the cutting unit. Always wet surroundings wait for it to stop by itse

unit will not touch any stones or other objects.

it away from your body!

when it is not in working position

equipment from one place to another.

from other persons and pets.

· Always wear suitable working clothes to prevent injuries to

the head, hands and feet. For this purpose wear a helmet.

safety goggles (or visor), high boots (or strong shoes and

· When the equipment is in operation, you must always hold

· Do not switch on the equipment when it is turned around or

when the equipment is not being used, when you leave

removing or replacing the spool, or when transporting the

Keep the equipment away from other people, especially

children, and from pets. There may be stones and other

· When you are working, keep a distance of at least 5 m

• Do not cut against hard objects. This will help you to

prevent causing injury to yourself and damage to the

• Use the edge of the safety guard to keep the equipment

away from walls, different surfaces and fragile objects.

or by persons with reduced physical, sensory or mental

knowledge. Children should be supervised so that they

squarely and keep your balance at all times. Always

maintain good footing on inclines. Only operate the

the power plug has been removed and all moving parts

Read the directions with due care. Familiarize yourself

with the operator controls and proper operation of the

equipment. Contact your local governmental agency for

information regarding minimum age requirements for

Never allow children or other persons who are not

familiar with the operating instructions to use the

Always keep in mind that the user of the equipment

is personally responsible for accidents or hazards

· Before use, always carry out a visual check to make

particularly never when there is a risk of lightning.

· Never use the equipment with a damaged cover or

safety device or when a cover or safety device is

· Switch on the motor only when there are no hands or

Always switch off the equipment and pull out the power

- before you inspect, clean or work on the equipment

when the equipment begins to make unusual vibrations

(examine immediately) The equipment is not allowed to

be put into operation again until the cause of the unusual

vibrations is eliminated. If you fail to find the cause of the

• Risk of injury from the cutting unit! Keep hands and feet

• Use only spare parts and accessories which are

IMPORTANT! The safety guard is there to

ensure your safety and the safety of others.

It is also essential for the equipment to work

· Examine and service the equipment regularly.

plug: - when the equipment is left unattended

- after the equipment strikes a foreign body

sure that the safety devices or covers are not missing or

Never use the equipment in bad weather conditions and

involving other persons or their property.

damaged and that they are correctly fitted.

feet within range of the cutting unit

- before you remove a blockage

vibrations, contact a service centre.

recommended by the manufacturer.

away from the cutting unit!

do not play with the equipment. Children are not allowed

Never use the equipment without the safety guard.

• This equipment is not allowed to be used by children

capacities or those with a lack of experience and

to carry out the cleaning or maintenance.

• Risk of injury from dangerous moving parts!

have come to a complete standstill.

equipment at a walking pace.

equipment

it unsupervised, when checking the equipment, when

long trousers made of tough fabric) and work gloves.

• Switch off the machine and pull out the power plug:

objects in the grass that is cut and thrown up.

- Protect your equipment against moisture and rain.
- · Use only genuine cutting units.
- · Make sure that the air vents are free of dirt.
- Do not try to use the equipment to cut grass which is not growing on the ground; for example, do not try to cut grass
- growing on walls or stones, etc. • The person operating the grass trimmer is liable for any damages sustained by third parties within the equipment's
- working radius as a result of its use. · Do not cross roads or gravel paths with the equipment
- switched on When you are not using the equipment, keep it in a dry
- place out of the reach of children
- · Use the equipment only in the way described in these operating instructions and always hold it perpendicular to the ground. Every other position is dangerous.
- · Check at regular intervals that the screws are properly tightened.
- The area to be cut must always be kept cleared of cables and other objects
- If the equipment has to be lifted for transporting, be sure to switch off the motor first and wait for the cutter to come to a standstill. Each time you leave the equipment,
- switch off the motor. • Under no circumstances are you to cut against hard objects during use. This is imperative to prevent injury to yourself and damage to the equipment.
- · Use only original replacement parts for repairs.
- · Before starting up the equipment, and after any collision check the equipment for signs of wear or damage and have any necessary repairs carried out. Always keep your hands and feet away from the cutting
- unit, especially when switching the motor on. · Pull out the power plug before checking, cleaning or
- doing any work on the equipment and when it is not · Avoid abnormal working postures. Make sure you stand being used.
  - · Acquaint yourself with the controls and how to use the
- Stop using the equipment when there are people particularly children - or pets nearby • The moving parts are not allowed to be touched before
  - Never use the machine if protective equipment is
  - damaged or missing.
  - Never mount metal cutting elements
  - · Electrically powered trimmers should be repaired only by authorized persons.
  - Use only spare parts and accessories which are recommended by the manufacture
  - Before use, you must check the power cable and
  - extension cable for signs of damage and wear. Keep the power cable and the extension cable away
  - from the cutting unit. • If the cable is damaged during operation, it must be
  - disconnected immediately from the power supply. Do not use the machine if the power cable is damaged or · Never connect a damaged power cable to the power
  - supply or touch a damaged cable before it has been disconnected from the power supply - damaged cables might result in you touching active parts. · Keep extension cables away from dangerous moving
  - parts in order to prevent damage to cables that might result in you touching active parts. • The machine should be supplied with a trip current of no
  - more than 30mA via a residual current protective device

Important: The cutting unit continues to run for a few seconds after the motor is switched off

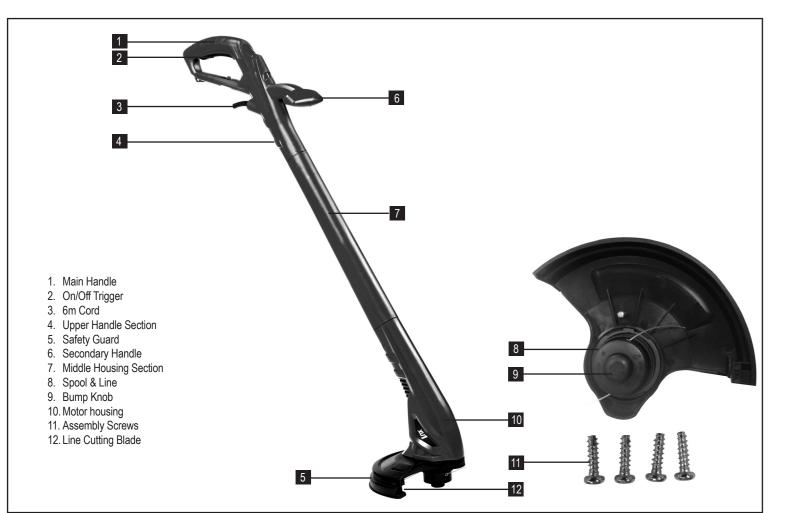
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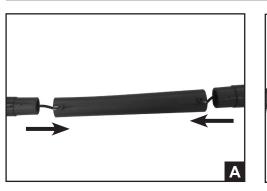


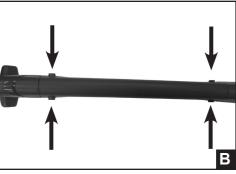


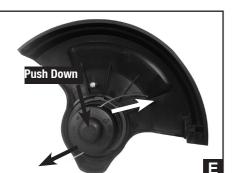
Do not lose this safety information.

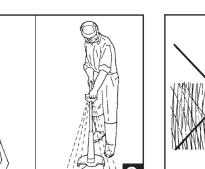
correctly. Failure to comply with this instruction you are going there. will invalidate your warranty as well as create a the power tool in unexpected situations. potential source of danger.

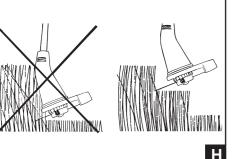






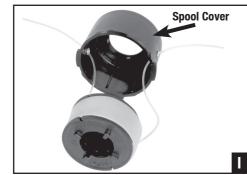












# **SPECIFICATIONS**

Voltage:	230-240V ~ 50H
Power:	250W
No Load Speed:	12,000/min
Cutting Diameter:	220mm
Cutting Line:	1.2mm
Weight:	1.4kg

# **Items Supplied**

Please check that the article is complete as specified in the scope of delivery. If parts are missing, please contact our service centre or the sales outlet where you made your purchase at the latest within 5 working days after purchasing the product and upon presentation of a valid bill of purchase. Also, refer to the warranty table in the service information at the end of the operating instructions.

- Open the packaging and take out the equipment with
- · Remove the packaging material and any packaging and/or transportation braces (if available).
- Check to see if all items are supplied.
- Inspect the equipment and accessories for transport
- If possible, please keep the packaging until the end of the guarantee period.



**DANGER!** The equipment and packaging material are not toys. Do not let children play with plastic bags, foils or small parts. There is a danger of swallowing or suffocating!

# Proper Use

The equipment is designed for cutting lawns and small areas of grass in private and hobby gardens. Equipment designed for use in private and hobby gardens is regarded as unsuitable for use in public facilities, parks and sports centres, along roadways, or in agriculture and forestry. The operating instructions as supplied by the manufacturer must be kept and referred to in order to ensure that the equipment is properly used and maintained.

Important. This equipment must not be used for composting purposes (shredding) as this could result in injury or damage to property.

The equipment is to be used only for its prescribed purpose Any other use is deemed to be a case of misuse. The user / operator and not the manufacturer will be liable for any damage or injuries of any kind caused as a result of this.

Please note that our equipment has not been designed for use in commercial, trade or industrial applications. Our warranty will be voided if the machine is used in commercial, trade or industrial businesses or for equivalent

# **ASSEMBLY**



WARNING! Ensure the tool is disconnected from the power supply before performing any of the following operations.

# Housing Assembly

1. Fit the upper handle section and motor housing section into the middle housing section, insert it as far as possible. FIG. A.

Note: The three sections will only go together one

2. Secure all three sections with the four supplied assembly screws. FIG. B.

# **Using the Line Trimmer**

1. Turn the line trimmer upside down.

3. Rotate blade guard anti-clockwise FIG. C.

WARNING! Never use the line trimmer

WARNING! Do not use the line trimmer with

unless the blade guard is properly fitted and

any type of accessory or attachment. Such

disconnect the cable plug from the mains supply.

2. Examine the general condition of the tool. Inspect

the guard, switch, power cord. Check for loose

screws, misalignment, binding of moving parts,

improper mounting, broken parts and any other

operation, turn the line trimmer off immediately

1. Before starting ensure the cutting line is the correct

2. If the line is to short push down on the bump knob

and at the same time pull the line out so that it

extends a few centimetres past the edge of the

3. To increase the cutting line length during operation

tap the bump knob onto the ground, preferably a

hard surface. Do not hold the bump knob on the

**WARNING!** The power supply for this

current device rated at 30mA or less.

product should be protected by a residual

1. To switch ON, squeeze the On/Off switch FIG. F.

before setting the tool down.

WARNING! The Line Trimmer may run for a

few seconds after it has been switched off. Let the motor come to a complete standstill

2. To turn OFF release the On/Off trigger.

ground as this may overload the unit.

OPERATION

length. Pull the cutting line to the edge of the safety

WARNING! Make sure that the work area is

free of rocks, debris, lines and other foreign

condition that may affect its safe operation.

If abnormal noise or vibration occurs during

3. Check that the line touches or goes beyond the

and have the problem corrected.

**Increasing the Cutting Line** 

edge of the guard.

quard FIG. E.

usage might be hazardous.

**Before Using the Line Trimmer** 

1. Ensure the switch is in the off position and

4. Secure with the supplied screw. FIG. D.

**Blade Guard** 

- operating the grass trimmer. 2. Place the blade guard over the spool & line, making sure to align both the ridges of the blade guard Start cutting nearest the mains power source with the grass trimmer housing.
  - and work away to make it easier to avoid the extension cord.
    - Never use the line trimmer without its safety
    - Do not cut grass that is wet. (The best results are achieved on dry grass).

· Wear eye protection and stout shoes at all times

- Wait until the line trimmer reaches full speed before cutting the grass
- Move the line trimmer from side to side as you walk forward, holding it at an angle of approx. 30° (Light cuts are better than heavy cuts as they allow the cut grass to fall away from the cutting head.). FIG. G.
- Keep the grass trimmer away from hard objects in order to avoid unnecessary line wear.
- · Several passes will be required to cut long grass as shown. FIG. H
- To prevent the line from breaking ensure you approach the edge/object slowly
- Watch out for kickbacks in the event of impact with hard objects.
- After finishing the cutting operation, keep the head close to ground level, release the switch and allow the motor to come to a complete standstill. Unplug and place the line trimmer on the ground.
- Keep ventilation slots of the trimmer clean at all times. Periodically clean out the grass from the cutting head and the rim of the blade guard to ensure efficient operation at all times.

# **MAINTENANCE**



**WARNING!** Ensure the tool is disconnected from the power supply before performing any of the following operations.

# Replacing Line Spool

1. Holding the line trimmer upside down. Rotate the spool cover anti-clockwise to the unlock position. Lift off the spool cover and remove the empty

### **Note:** Ensure not to misplace the spring.

- . Thread the end of the line from the new line spool through the eyelet in the spool mount and allow approx. 10 cm of line to project FIG I.
- 3. Holding the line trimmer upside down fit the spring into the spool housing assembly, push the spool and spool cover back into the spool housing. Rotate clockwise to lock the spool in position.

**Note:** When you start the line trimmer again the line will be cut to the perfect length automatically.

- Keep ventilation slots of the line trimmer clean at all times Periodically clean out the grass from the cutting head and the rim of the blade guard to ensure efficient operation at all times.
- After each use, blow air through the tool housing to ensure it is free from all dust, dirt, etc. Build up of dust, dirt particles may cause the tool to overheat and shorten the life of the tool.
- · Never let any liquid get inside the tool, never immerse any part of the tool into liquid.
- Do not use cleaning agents to clean the plastic parts of the tool. A mild detergent on a damp cloth is recommended. Water must never come into contact with the tool.
- When not in use, the tool should be stored in a dry, frost-free location, out of the reach of children.
- · No lubrication is necessary as the motor is equipped with lifetime-lubricated bearings

**Note:** XU1 will not be responsible for any damage or injuries caused by the repair of the tool by an unauthorised person or by mishandling of the tool.



For EU countries only

Never place any electric power tools in your household

To comply with European Directive 2002/96/EC concerning old electric and electronic equipment and its implementation in national laws, old electric power tools have to be separated from other waste and disposed of in an environment-friendly fashion, e.g. by taking to a recycling depot.

Recycling alternative to the return request: As an alternative to returning the equipment to the manufacturer, the owner of the electrical equipment must make sure that the equipment is properly disposed of if he no longer wants to keep the equipment. The old equipment can be returned to a suitable collection point that will dispose of the equipment in accordance with the national recycling and waste disposal regulations. This does not apply to any accessories or aids without electrical components supplied with the old equipment.

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Subject to technical changes

# SERVICE INFORMATION

Please note that the following parts of this product are subject to normal or natural wear and that the following parts are therefore also required for use as consumables.

Category	Example
Wear parts*	Line spool holder
Consumables*	Line spool
Missing parts	

\* Not necessarily included in the scope of delivery!

### SPARE PARTS

Spare parts can be ordered from the Special Orders Desk at your local Bunnings Warehouse or Homebase store. For further information, or any parts visit www.ozito-diy.co.uk or contact Ozito Customer Service: Great Britain: 0151 294 4488 Ireland: 1850 882711 E-mail: info@ozito-div.co.uk

# WARRANTY

All of our products undergo strict quality checks to ensure that they reach you in perfect condition. In the unlikely event that your device develops a fault, please contact our service department at the address shown on this quarantee card. You can also contact us by telephone using the customer service number shown. Please note the following terms under which guarantee claims can be made:

to buyers of its new products in addition to their statutory guarantee claims are not affected by this guarantee. Our guarantee is free of charge to you.

1. These warranty terms regulate additional warranty services, which the manufacturer mentioned below promises

2. The warranty services only covers defects due to material or manufacturing faults on a product which you have bought from the manufacturer mentioned below are limited to either the rectification of said defects on the product or the replacement of the product, whichever we prefer.

Please note that our devices are not designed for use in commercial, trade or professional applications. A guarantee contract will not be created if the device has been used by commercial, trade or industrial business or has been exposed to similar stresses during the guarantee period.

3. The following are not covered by our guarantee:

- Damage to the device caused by a failure to follow the assembly instructions or due to incorrect installation, a failure to follow the operating instructions (for example connecting it to an incorrect mains voltage or current type) or a failure to follow the maintenance and safety instructions or by exposing the device to abnormal environmental conditions or by lack of care and maintenance.

- Damage to the device caused by abuse or incorrect use (for example overloading the device or the use or unapproved tools or accessories), ingress of foreign bodies into the device (such as sand, stones or dust, transport damage), the use of force or damage caused by external forces (for example by dropping it).
- Damage to the device or parts of the device caused by normal or natural wear or tear or by normal use of the

4. Your Product is guaranteed for a period of 12 months from the original date of purchase and is intended for DIY (Do It Yourself) use only. Warranty excludes consumable parts, for example: cutting blade. Guarantee claims should be submitted before the end of the guarantee period within two weeks of the defect being noticed. No guarantee claims will be accepted after the end of the guarantee period. The original guarantee period remains applicable to the device even if repairs are carried out or parts are replaced. In such cases, the work performed or parts fitted will not result in an extension of the guarantee period, and no new guarantee will become active for the work performed or parts fitted. This also applies if an on-site service is used.

IN ORDER TO MAKE A CLAIM UNDER THIS WARRANTY YOU MUST RETURN THE PRODUCT TO THE PLACE OF PURCHASE WITH YOUR REGISTER RECEIPT.

Please refer to the restrictions of this warranty concerning wearing parts, consumables and missing parts as set out in the service information in these operating instructions.

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