

ASSEMBLY AND
OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

For model PH722

**PowerSweep®
Electric Powerhead**



Write the model and serial numbers of your vacuum in the space provided. Refer to the rating plate on cleaner.

Model #

Serial #

Retain this owner's guide for future reference.

IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

When using an electric appliance, basic precautions should always be followed, including the following:

Read all instructions before using this vacuum cleaner.

WARNING

To reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, or injury:

- Do not use outdoors or on wet surfaces.
- **Do not leave vacuum cleaner when plugged in.** Remove hose from inlet valve and unplug the electrical cord when not in use and before servicing.
- Do not allow to be used as a toy. Close attention is necessary when used by or near children.
- Use only as described in this manual. Use only manufacturer's recommended attachments.
- Some hoses contain electrical wires. Do not use if damaged, cut, or punctured. Avoid picking up sharp objects.
- Always turn off this appliance before connecting or disconnecting either hose or motorized nozzle.
- Do not use with damaged cord or plug. If vacuum cleaner is not working as it should, has been dropped, damaged, left outdoors, or dropped into water, return it to a service center.
- Do not pull or carry by cord, use cord as a handle, close a door on cord, or pull cord around sharp edges or corners. Do not run vacuum cleaner over cord. Keep cord away from heated surfaces.
- Do not use extension cords or outlets with inadequate current carrying capacity.
- Turn off all controls before unplugging.
- Do not unplug by pulling on cord. To unplug, grasp the plug, not the cord.
- Do not handle plug or vacuum cleaner with wet hands.
- Do not put any object into openings. Do not use with any opening blocked; keep free of dust, lint, hair, and anything that may reduce air flow.
- This vacuum creates suction and some contain a revolving brush roll. Keep hair, loose clothing, fingers, and all parts of body away from openings and moving parts.
- Do not place cleaner on furniture as brush roll may damage the furniture. Place cleaner on floor with the handle in storage position while using attachments.
- Do not pick up anything that is burning or smoking, such as cigarettes, matches, or hot ashes.
- Do not use without dust bag or filter (s) in place.
- Belt pulleys can become hot during normal use. To prevent burns, avoid touching the belt pulley when servicing the drive belt.
- Use extra care when cleaning on stairs.
- Do not pick up flammable or combustible liquids such as gasoline, or use in areas where they may be present.
- Store your cleaner indoors in a cool, dry area.
- Keep your work area well lighted.
- Unplug electrical appliances before vacuuming them.

SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

GENERAL INFORMATION

The powerhead is designed to pick up dirt and dust particles. Avoid picking up hard or sharp objects with the powerhead to prevent bag tears, hose clogs, and fan blade breakage with subsequent motor damage.

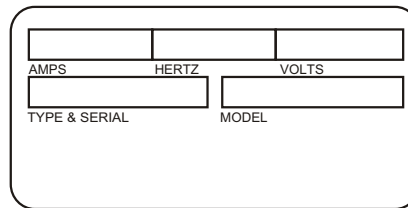
BEFORE YOU PLUG IN YOUR POWERHEAD, check the voltage rating plate located underneath the Powerhead to check if it agrees within 10% of the voltage available. (See Rating Plate).



DO NOT OIL. The motor in your new Powerhead is permanently lubricated and sealed. Do not oil the motor at any time.

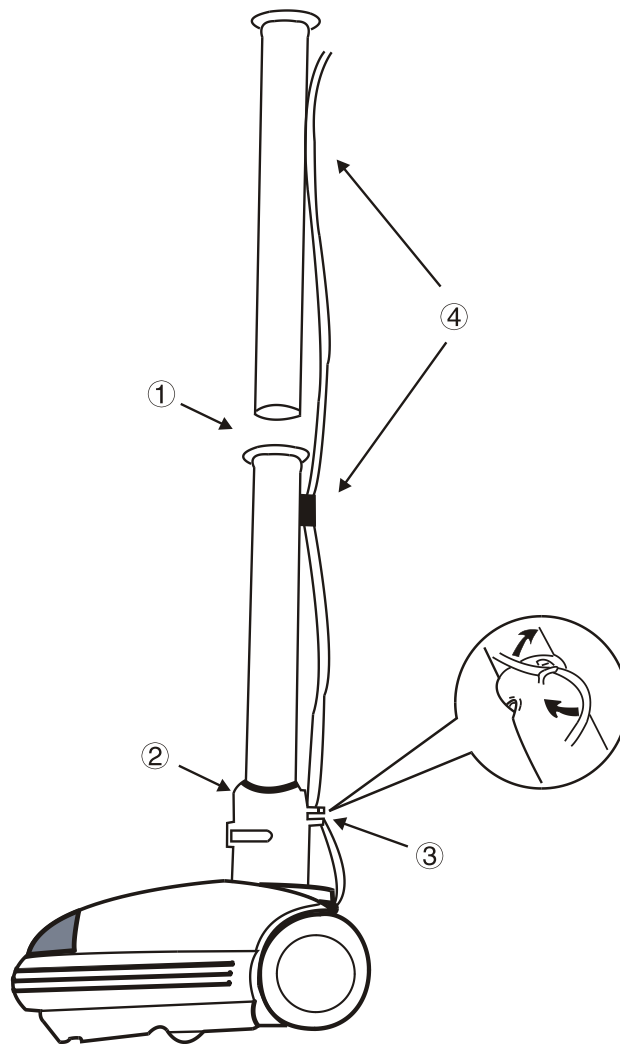
RATING PLATE

The model, type, and serial numbers are indicated on the rating plate. For prompt and complete service information, always refer to these numbers when inquiring about service.



HOW TO ASSEMBLE THE POWERHEAD

1. Snap together the two interlocking wands.
2. Push assembled wands into powerhead socket.
3. Place cord between cord guides on handle socket, as shown, and turn to position.
4. Press cord into channels on wands.

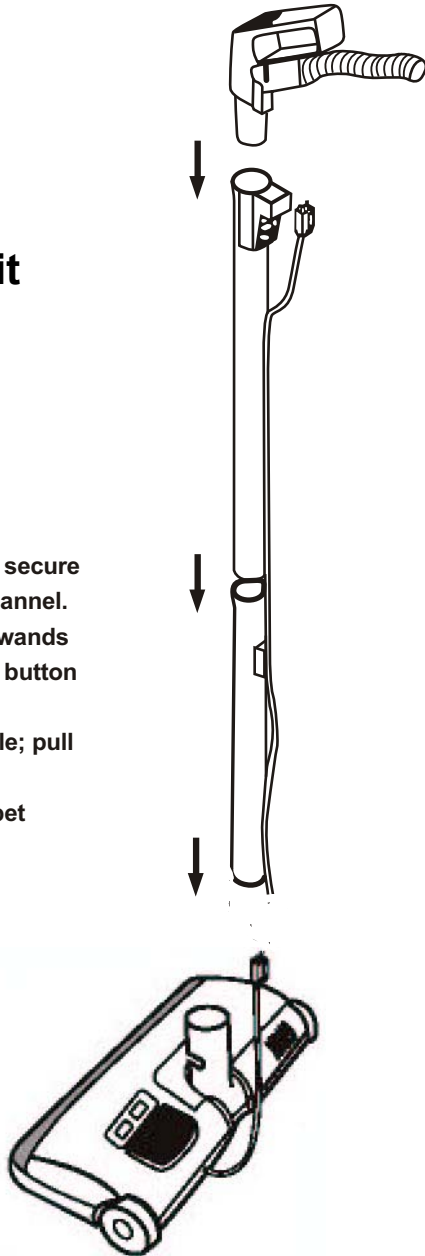


Attaching Unit to Wands

- 1 Snap wands together.
- 2 Put wands into socket.
- 3 Push plug into retainer; secure cord in slot and cord channel.
- 4 Place hose handle into wands until plug connects and button locks.
- 5 Step on motorized nozzle; pull back on handle.
- 6 Select bare floor or carpet cleaning.



Cord Holder



POWERHEAD BRUSH ROLL BELT

Your motor driven powerhead uses a belt to transfer power from the electric motor to the revolving brush roll. One of the safety features in your powerhead is a design to let the belt slip if something becomes caught in the brush roll.

One result of this slip feature is belts that require occasional replacement. The length of time between replacements will vary based on your specific usage. Should you notice a reduction in cleaning, replace the belt.

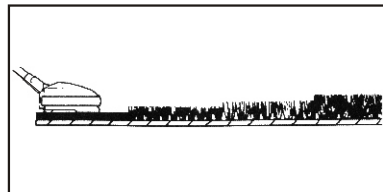
Powerhead belts are not replaced under warranty, since they are designed to slip rather than permit damage to the motor.

Edge Cleaner

EDGE CLEANER feature provides for improved cleaning of carpets near walls and stationary furniture. Slots on the sides of the nozzle increase air flow to the edges of the powerhead and add to the cleaning efficiency of the powerhead. To operate, simply run powerhead along edge board. Edge Cleaner operates instantly and automatically.

Carpet Cleaning Adjustment

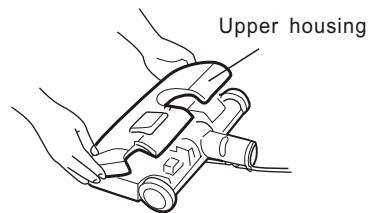
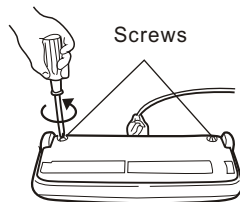
The motorized nozzle automatically adjusts to any carpet level for maximum cleaning. The amount of suction can be changed to fit your specific cleaning needs by adjusting the suction control ring on the hose handle.



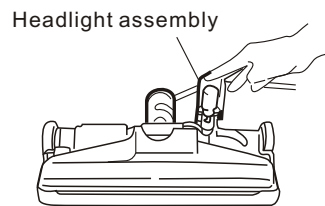
REPLACING THE HEADLIGHT

If the headlight burns out, replace it as follows:

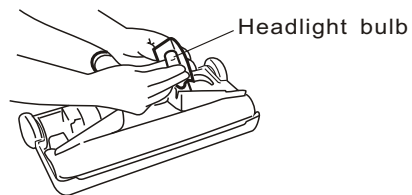
1. Unplug the vacuum cleaner and loosen the two screws on the lower housing of the powerhead.
2. Remove the upper housing of the powerhead.



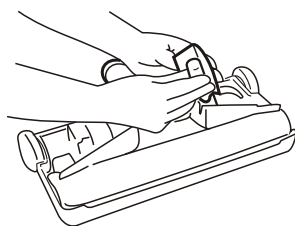
3. Lift up the headlight assembly.



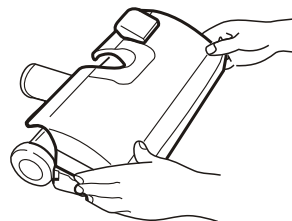
4. Press the burnt-out headlight bulb firmly and turn it counterclockwise to release it.



5. Press firmly on the new headlight bulb. Then turn the headlight bulb clockwise until it is secure.



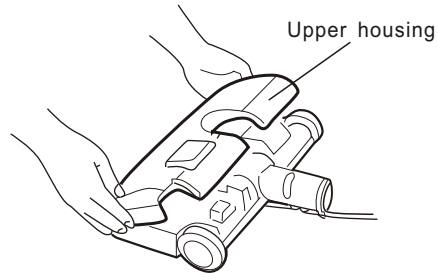
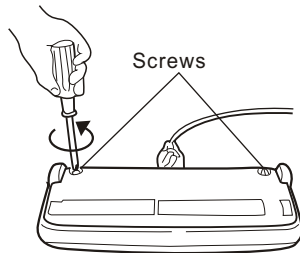
6. Replace the headlight assembly. Then replace the upper housing by hooking the projection on the front side of the upper housing to the lower housing and securing it with the two screws.



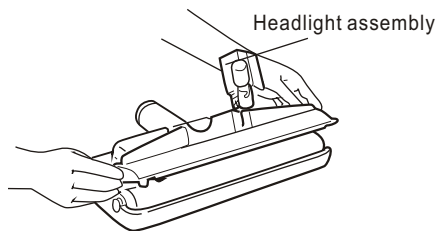
REPLACING THE BELT

If the belt drive in the powerhead breaks or becomes worn, replace it as follows:

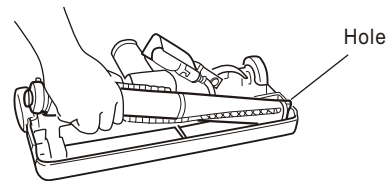
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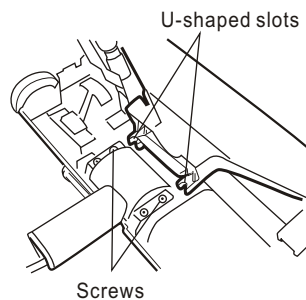
3. Lift up the headlight assembly and remove the brush cover.



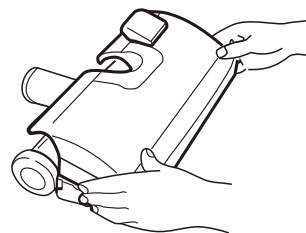
4. Detach and remove the beater brush.



5. Remove the broken or worn belt and replace it with a new belt. Replace the brush cover, aligning the two U-shaped slots in the brush cover with the center screw housings.



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LIMITED WARRANTY

H-P PRODUCTS, INC. warrants that the PowerSweep® Electric Powerhead, when used for household purposes, pursuant to Seller's instructions, will be free from defects in materials and workmanship for a period of one year from the date of the initial consumer purchase.

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