



These Instructions Must be Read by the User Before Operating the Equipment

Air Conditioners and Dehumidifiers

Air conditioners and dehumidifiers must be operated correctly according to the manufacturer's or owner's operating instructions, which are available on request if required

CHECK that all guards are secure. **NEVER** operate the equipment with missing or defective guards
Take care when positioning the unit, it should be standing on a level surface
DO NOT attempt to move the machine unless the power has been switched off
Switch off and unplug when not using the equipment
DO NOT place the unit near combustible materials or in a flammable atmosphere
Continually check the water level and before emptying allow the machine to cool down
CHECK for leaks after initial start up, as this will cause the machine damage

WHEN USING ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT

CHECK that the voltage of the supply is correct. The machine will be either 110 volts or 230 volts
The use of equipment at 110V (CTE) will effectively eliminate the risk of death and greatly reduce the degree of injury from an electric fault
DO NOT use domestic plugs and sockets on construction sites, they are not robust enough
When using 230V equipment, the risk of injury or death from electric shock is unacceptably high unless the following precautions are taken:
a) Use RCD power breakers at the supply socket to give protection for both the equipment and its power cable.

b) The RCD should be protected from dust, wet weather, mechanical damage and vibration.
c) Position power cables where they are less likely to be damaged.
d) The equipment, cables and RCDs should be checked every day (or every shift) using the following as a guide:

- **CHECK** that bare wires are not visible
- Make sure that cables are not damaged and are free from cuts and abrasions (apart from light scuffing)
- **CHECK** that the plug is in good condition, the casing is free from cracks, the pins are not bent or the socket is not blocked with debris or dirt
- **ENSURE** that there are no taped or other non-standard joints in the cable
- **CHECK** that the cable covering has not been pulled out of the grips at the plug or equipment. (The coloured insulation of the internal wires should not be visible)
- **CHECK** the outer casing of the equipment for damage and **CHECK** for loose or missing parts or screws
- Make sure that there are no overheating or burn marks on the plug, cable and equipment
- **CHECK** the operation of the RCD power breaker by operating the test button.

Equipment using 110 volts should be checked weekly as in 12(d) above.
CHECK regularly that all ventilation grills are clear and free from dirt.
If the automatic cut-out operates, allow the motor to cool before re-starting.
DO NOT move the machine by its cable or disconnect a plug by pulling its cable.
DO NOT attempt repairs. Contact the Hire Company.