Operating instructions for dishwashers

G 542 U / G 542 i

Miele
DISHWASHERS

IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

Warning – When using your dishwasher, follow basic precautions including the following:

1. Read all instructions before using the dishwasher.
2. Do not allow children to play in, on, or near a dishwasher.
3. Do not allow children to operate your dishwasher.
4. Only use the dishwasher for its intended function.
5. This dishwasher must be electrically grounded. Read installation instructions for details.
6. Do not touch the heating element located below the lower rack during or immediately after use.
7. Use only those detergents and rinsing aids recommended for dishwasher use, and keep them out of the reach of children.
8. Do not use your dishwasher unless all enclosure panels are properly in place.
9. Do not tamper with controls.
10. Do not abuse, sit, or stand on the dishwasher door or dish racks.
11. To prevent accidental entrapment, remove the door of the dishwasher when discarding the appliance.
12. Do not wash plastic items unless marked “dishwasher safe” or the equivalent. For items not marked, check manufacturer’s recommendations.
13. When loading items to be washed, place sharp items with handle-up to reduce the risk of cut-type injuries.
14. Hydrogen gas may build up in the water heater and hot water pipes when the hot water system has not been used for two weeks or more. CAUTION – hydrogen gas is explosive. To prevent injury of damage, turn on all hot water faucets and allow water to run for several minutes. Do not use the dishwasher before doing so. As running hot water will release any accumulated hydrogen gas, do not smoke or use an open flame while the faucets are open.
15. Always disconnect electrical power to dishwasher before attempting to service the appliance.

SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS
Description of the appliance

Heated drying
Door release
Program indicator
Water hardness selector 1
Program selector
Indicator light “Rinse aid”
Indicator light “Salt”
Indicator light “On”

Fill-time selector switch

Illustration shows G 542 U without baskets in place

Water hardness selector II
Filter combination
Socket for salt container
Rinse aid dispenser
Heating element
Rinse aid indicator
Data plate
Detergent dispenser
The instructions given in this booklet apply to all models listed on the front page.
The dishwashers differ mainly in outer construction:

- G 542 U: Built under dishwasher (without countertop)
- G 542 i: Integrated dishwasher for building under (without countertop).
  The front can be fitted with a 0.8 inch thick base unit door front.

**Important:** To ensure stability, these dishwashers must only be installed under a continuous countertop which must be securely screwed to neighboring units.

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Description of the appliance

The fill-time selector switch on the left side of the control panel is used to increase or decrease the amount of water entering the appliance.

1 Fill-time selector

1 Fill-time selector
The selector is set at "normal" in the factory (slot horizontal), see III. 1, and at this setting is very economical in its use of water and energy.

If the water pressure is too low (i.e. less than 22 PSI), then it is advisable to set the selector to the "extended" position to ensure a good cleaning result.

Switch set at: "extended"

- Use a coin to turn the fill-time-selector counter – clockwise to the "extended" position (slot vertical), III. 2.

If you prefer to have extra water for washing your dishes, then likewise select the "extended" position.

It must be pointed out that at this setting the dishwasher will also use slightly more electricity.
Water softener

This dishwasher is fitted with a water softener which removes the minerals that cause hardness in the mains water supply and provides the soft lime-free water required for dishwashing.

So that the water softener continues to supply soft water, the salt container on the floor of the wash cabinet must always be kept full.

Exception: If the degree of hardness in local water is permanently under 8 grains per gallon (143 mg liter) with low carbonate hardness, there is no need to reactivate. Your local water authority will advise you on water hardness in your area.

At the end of every wash cycle, the softener is automatically reactivated by the salt.

Filling the salt container

Important
Should you inadvertently fill the salt container with dishwasher detergent powder, this can damage the water softener. Please also check that you are filling with the correct salt. CULINOX 999, manufactured by MORTON SALT CO., is suitable.

Please use only special coarse-grained reactivation salt, as other salts may contain insoluble additives which can impair the functioning of the softener.

Opening the door

- Press the door release button – see arrow – in as far as possible, hold the grip rail and pull door out fully.

with G 542 U

with G 542 i
Water softener

- Remove any grains of salt from the threaded union of the salt container, replace the plastic cap and tighten.
- Replace the basket and run 2 consecutive "Rinse & Hold" programs to remove any traces of salt from the cabinet.

**Indicator light "Salt"**
When the salt needs replenishing, the "salt" indicator light comes on. The salt container should be refilled.

- Remove the lower basket and unscrew the cap of the salt container.
- Fill the salt container with water (only when the machine is being used for the first time).

If the light comes on during a program, this can be done after the program has finished.

- Using the funnel provided, add salt (approx. 4.4 lbs) up to the rim of the container (water from the container will run out).
Choosing the correct water hardness setting

The dishwasher is set at the factory to operate up to a hardness level of 25 grains/gallon (440 mg/l).

However, to ensure that the softener is reactivated to suit your local water supply, the “water hardness” selectors I and II can be set in combination to ensure operation at the most suitable level.

Water hardness selector I
(at the right hand edge of the control panel)

Water hardness selector II
(at the right hand side of the wash cabinet interior)

- After consulting your local water authority to establish water hardness in your area, adjust these two selectors according to the following tables, by hand, or using a coin.
Water softener

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(Factory Setting)

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Table II  
when washing at higher water level

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<td>45-70</td>
<td>790-1230</td>
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Loading the dishwasher

Capacity  
When fully loaded the machine can accommodate 12 standard place settings including serving dishes and silverware.

The top and bottom basket with silverware insert serve to accommodate the articles to be washed.

The top and bottom basket should be pulled out to the stop position for loading.

Use the baskets to their fullest capacity without overloading to get the most economical use of the dishwasher.

Remove large soils  
Large soils should be removed before placing the dishes in the machine. The dishes should not be dirtier than when put into the sink for washing up by hand.

Loading the top basket  
The top basket mainly accommodates small items such as

- Cups
- Saucers
- Dessert plates
- Glasses
- Small bowls
- Heat resistant plastic ware
Loading the dishwasher

Example of 12 standard place settings

Example of an assorted load
Two rows of cups or other shallow dishes, e.g. soup cups, may be placed one above the other on the sloping racks on the left hand side of the basket.

To facilitate loading the lower rack, the upper sloping rack can be raised to an upright position.

This feature also enables you to load tall objects on the left side of the basket.

**Hollow bowls and dishes should be inverted.**

**Saucers and dessert plates** should be loaded on the right hand side of the basket with the dirty side facing the front of the machine.

**Adjusting the height of the top basket**
The top basket can be adjusted above and below the middle position by \(\frac{3}{4}\) inch. The top basket is set at the middle position on delivery and in this position will accommodate

- Plates up to 7.5 inches in diameter while the bottom basket will accommodate
- Plates up to 11 inches in diameter

For further details regarding plate size combinations, see table below:

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<td>Middle</td>
<td>Ø 7.5” dia.</td>
<td>Ø 11” dia.</td>
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<td>Lower</td>
<td>Ø 8.3” dia.</td>
<td>Ø 10.2” dia.</td>
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Loading the dishwasher

To adjust the height of the top basket:
- Pull out the basket to the stop position.
- Loosen the two knurled nuts located to the left and right on the inside of the basket.
- Adjust the basket to the required position.
- Tighten the lock nuts.

Loading the bottom basket
The bottom basket accommodates large articles such as:
- Plates
- Serving platters
- Bowls
- Saucepans
as well as silverware.

Glasses may only be cleaned in the bottom basket if fitted with a special glassware insert.

Example of 12 standard place settings

Example of an assorted load

Plates
Plates should be sorted according to diameter and depth and placed in the basket with the dirty side facing the front of the machine.
Loading the dishwasher

Bowls and dishes
should be inverted.
Do not place larger items in the front left hand section of the bottom basket as this prevents the detergent dispenser from opening during the program.

Silverware
Unsorted silverware should be loosely placed in the silverware basket with the handles upward. Make sure that the spoons do not stick together.

- Please place larger items of silverware in the front right hand section of the basket so as not to impede the movement of the spray arm.

- Fit small spoons into the individual slots to the left and right of the silverware basket (see illustration). This prevents the spoons from sticking together and ensures proper cleaning and drying.
Notes on types of load

All kinds of dishes in general domestic use can be washed in the Miele dishwasher. The particular properties of some items however, should be kept in mind.

When purchasing new dishes, make sure they are dishwasher proof.

Cups, bowls etc. with recessed bottoms
hinder the drying process as the drops of water which remain in the recesses do not evaporate so quickly.

Dishes with colored patterns
If the color is beneath a good glaze, it can be considered permanent.

Painted dishes – over the glaze
Colors painted on over the glaze are generally produced in a quality which, bearing in mind the normal lifespan of the article, can be regarded as permanent.

With frequent use, fading of some delicate colors cannot always be entirely avoided.

If you are not sure whether the colors of a particular set of dishes are permanent, test wash one or two items which are already damaged for about 4 weeks.

Aluminum
Aluminum articles can suffer some discoloration, as can silver cutlery when used with foods containing sulphur (e.g. eggs).

The discoloration on silver cutlery can be removed easily with silver polish.

Hand-made or craft items
are often not suitable for machine washing. The relatively high temperatures may damage these articles.

Wood
Wood articles, e.g. cutting boards are sensitive to intensive cleaning and may warp or split.

Old knives
The blades and handles of old knives may be glued together and therefore should not be cleaned in the dishwasher as the glue may not be heat resistant.

Plastic
Plastic articles may distort if they are not heat resistant.

Only wash plastic articles known to be heat resistant in a dishwasher, in which case use the top basket only. When in doubt, wash by hand.

Glassware
It should be noted that some glassware may not be suitable for automatic dishwashers. With use, etching could occur. We therefore recommend that, where possible, glasses be washed in the “China/Crystal” or “Economy” program. The danger of damage should be less in these programs.

Please ensure glasses are securely loaded in the top basket and cannot rattle against each other. Glasses should only be washed in the top basket.

If washed in the bottom basket, the special glassware insert must be used (available from the Miele Spares Department).

Valuable glasses should be washed by hand.
Adding detergent

For automatic dishwashing you require

- Powder or granular detergent
- Liquid Rinse Aid

Only use detergent formulated for domestic dishwashers.
Do not use liquid detergents.

Adding Detergent

Dishwasher detergent must be added before each program except for “Rinse & Hold”.

For the economical use of detergent use the MIELE measuring spoon.

Capacity of Spoon

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The correct amount of detergent depends on the degree of soiling, the selected program and the hardness of the water.

Recommendations

For the “Economy”, “China” and “Crystal” cycles, use 1 full measuring spoon (1/2 oz.)

For all other programs, use 2 full measures (1 oz.) for water hardness over 14 grains per gallon (215 mg/l.) For water below 14 grain hardness use 2 measures to the mark (2/3 oz.)

Please note that the different detergents may vary in their effectiveness, thus in some cases, slightly higher quantities may be required.

After adding detergent, close the lid of the dispenser. The detergent is automatically added at the correct time during the cycle.

NOTE:

When selecting the “pots & pans” program, pour 1 additional measure (1/2) directly into the wash cabinet. The “pots & pans” program has a 120°F pre-wash cycle, thus the detergent will aid in pre-cleaning your dishes.
Adding detergent

Adding rinse aid
Rinse aid is poured into the storage container with a capacity of approximately 12.2 cu in. The required amount is dispensed automatically during the final rinse.

- Undo the screw cap.
- Pour rinse aid into the storage container and watch the level indicator (see arrow in illustration above).

Tip
To avoid spilling rinse aid when filling the container:
- Open the door about two-thirds of the way, lay the bottle against the container opening and then open the door while pouring.

The rinse aid level indicator shows how much rinse aid is stored in the container.

The storage container is full when dark coloring covers the whole surface of the level indicator.

Then:
- replace the screw cap securely.
- Wipe off any rinse aid which may have been spilled, as otherwise excessive foaming will occur during the next program.
adding detergent

adding rinse aid
the "rinse aid" indicator lights up when there is just enough rinse aid in the dispenser for approximately 5 more programs. refill the rinse aid dispenser.

altering the amount of rinse aid dispensed
a fixed quantity of rinse aid (approx. 2 cc. pre-set at the factory) is dispensed automatically during the final rinse.

increase the amount of rinse aid if droplets form on the dishes. decrease the amount if the dishes are smeared.

• undo the screw cap.
• the dispenser adjuster can be seen at the bottom of the opening.

• use a screwdriver to push the dispenser adjuster in the required direction. it can be adjusted between 1-6, i.e. between 1 to 6 cc. rinse aid is dispensed per program.
• replace the screw cap securely.

closing the door

to close the door, lift it up until the lock catches. the "door release" button should not be pressed when closing the door as the lock will not catch and the dishwasher cannot be switched on.
Switching on

When the dishwasher has been loaded, the detergent added, and the door firmly closed, proceed as follows:

**Turn on the water valve**
Before switching on, the water valve must be turned on. The dishwasher is then ready for operation.

Should you ever forget to open the water valve and the program has already started, turn the program switch clockwise to the “Stop” position. The “program indicator” will move quickly to the “Start” position.

After opening the water valve, the desired program can be reselected.

**Switching on**
The dishwasher is fitted with a program selector switch, which turns it on.

- The sequence switch must be turned **clockwise** to the program required between “Intensive” and “China/Crystal”.
- If “Rinse & Hold” is required, turn the selector switch **counterclockwise**.

During the program cycle, the “On” indicator light is illuminated to show that the machine is in operation. For detailed description of the individual programs, see pages 19–25.

**Program sequence:**
After switching on, the program continues automatically. The program indicator switch moves around the dial step by step, showing which stage the program has reached.

The program indicator switch remains stationary at the beginning of the main wash and final rinse sectors until the required temperature has been reached.

The length of the heating up period depends on the temperature of the water entering the dishwasher and on the size of the load.

In some programs, certain stages are automatically skipped, whereby the program indicator moves quickly through these sections on the dial.

On completion of a program, the program indicator will have made almost a complete revolution and stopped just before the “12 o’clock” position.
Switching on

Interrupting a program
For example, when articles in the dishwasher rattle or bump against each other during a program and have to be rearranged.

- Leave the door ajar for a few minutes, especially if the water is hot.

Then:
- Close the door. The program will continue from the point at which it was interrupted.

- Press the “Door release” button and open the door. The program cycle is automatically interrupted.

- Replace the articles securely and correctly.

Switching off

On completion of a program:

- Set the program selector to “Stop”. The program sequence indicator moves directly to the “Start” position. The “On” indicator light will go out.

- Turn off the water valve.

During maintenance, or if there is to be a long interval before next use of the dishwasher, turn the program selector to “0”.

Unloading the machine
You should allow 15 minutes after completion of the program for the load to cool down.

Then open the door. The bottom basket should be cleared before the top basket.

Drops of water may remain in the bottom of some dishes (such as cups or bowls) after drying.

Unloading the top basket first could cause drops of water to fall on to dry articles in the bottom basket.

Consequently, it is best to unload the bottom basket first.

If the door is opened a fraction at the end of the program, the load will cool down within a few minutes. The dishes can then be removed dry.
"Pots and Pans" program

Program indicator

Program with one pre-wash, particularly suitable for heavily soiled saucepans and frying pans with dried on stubborn protein and other soils.

Detergent:
1) 1 full MIELE measuring spoon (1/2 oz.) directly into the wash cabinet.
2) 2 MIELE measures (to mark) (2/3 oz.) into dispenser for water hardness of less than 14 grains per gallon.
   2 full MIELE measures (1 oz.) into dispenser for water hardness over 14 grains per gallon.

Rinse aid:
Check if the dispenser contains rinse aid. If the "Rinse aid" indicator light comes on, refill the rinse aid dispenser.

Switching on:
● Turn on the water valve (water supply).
● Turn the program selector switch clockwise to the "Pots and Pans" program.

Program sequence:
1. Pre-wash (pre-clean) 120° F
2. Main-wash 150° F
3. Interim rinse
4. Final rinse 150° F
5. Drying

At the end of a program:
The program indicator stops just before the "12 o'clock" position.

● Turn off the dishwasher (turn the program selector switch to "Stop").
● Turn off the water valve.
● Open the door.

Consumption figures:
Energy: approx. 0.63 kWh
Water: approx. 9 US G
Length of program: approx. 68 mins.
"Intensive Wash" program

Program indicator

Program selector

The program for normally soiled dishes and non-delicate glassware with dried-on stains.

Detergent: 2 MIELE measures (to mark) (2/3 oz.) into dispenser for water hardness of less than 14 grains per gallon.
2 full MIELE measures (1 oz.) into dispenser for water hardness over 14 grains per gallon.

Rinse aid: Check if this dispenser contains rinse aid. If the "Rinse aid" indicator light comes on, refill the rinse aid dispenser.

Switching on: • Turn on the water valve (water supply).
• Turn the program selector switch clockwise to the "Intensive Wash" program.

Program sequence:
1. Main-wash 150° F
2. Interim rinse
3. Final rinse 150° F
4. Drying

At the end of a program: The program indicator stops just before the "12 o'clock" position.
• Turn off the dishwasher (turn the program selector switch to "Stop").
• Turn off the water valve.
• Open the door.

Consumption figures:
Energy: approx. 0.60 kWh
Water: approx. 8 US G
Length of program: approx. 61 mins.
“Normal Wash” program

Program indicator

Program selector

The program for normally soiled dishes and glasses.

**Detergent:** 2 MIELE measures (to mark) (2/3 oz.) into dispenser for water hardness of less than 14 grains per gallon.
2 full MIELE measures (1 oz.) into dispenser for water hardness over 14 grains per gallon.

**Rinse aid:** Check if this dispenser contains rinse aid. If the “Rinse aid” indicator light comes on, refill the rinse aid dispenser.

**Switching on:**
- Turn on the water valve (water supply).
- Turn the program selector switch clockwise to the “Normal Wash” program.

**Program sequence:**
1. Main-wash 130° F
2. Interim rinse
3. Final rinse 150° F
4. Drying

**At the end of a program:**
The program indicator stops just before the “12 o’clock” position.
- Turn off the dishwasher (turn the program selector switch to “Stop”).
- Turn off the water valve.
- Open the door.

**Consumption figures:**
- Energy: approx. 0.50 kWh
- Water: approx. 8 US G
- Length of program: approx. 56 mins.
"Economy" program

Program indicator

The program for lightly soiled dishes and glassware.

Detergent: 2 MIELE measures (to mark) (2/3 oz.) into detergent dispenser.

Rinse aid: Check if this dispenser contains rinse aid. If the "Rinse aid" indicator light comes on, refill the rinse aid dispenser.

Switching on: • Turn on the water valve (water supply).
• Turn the program selector switch clockwise to the "Economy" program.

Program sequence:
1. Main-wash 130° F
2. Interim rinse
3. Final rinse 150° F
4. Drying

At the end of a program: The program indicator stops just before the "12 o'clock" position.
• Turn off the dishwasher (turn the program selector switch to "Stop").
• Turn off the water valve.
• Open the door.

Consumption figures:
Energy: approx. 0,50 kWh
Water: approx. 24 liters
Length of program: approx. 52 mins.
"China/Crystal" program

Program indicator

Program for lightly soiled dishes sensitive to high temperatures, e.g. plastic ware and delicate glasses.

Detergent: 2 MIELE measures (to mark) (2/3 oz.) into detergent dispenser.

Rinse aid: Check if this dispenser contains rinse aid. If the "Rinse aid" indicator light comes on, refill the rinse aid dispenser.

Switching on:
- Turn on the water valve (water supply).
- Turn the program selector switch clockwise to the "China/Crystal" program.

Program sequence:
1. Main-wash 120° F
2. Interim rinse
3. Final rinse 130° F
4. Drying

At the end of a program:
The program indicator stops just before the "12 o'clock" position.
- Turn off the dishwasher (turn the program selector switch to "Stop").
- Turn off the water valve.
- Open the door.

Consumption figures:
Energy: approx. 0.45 kWh
Water: approx. 24 liters
Length of program: approx. 49 mins.
"Rinse and Hold" program

Program indicator       Program selector

Program for rinsing heavily soiled dishes or dishes with strong smelling soils (e.g. fish leftovers) which will not be washed immediately.

Detergent: Not required.
Rinse aid: Not required.
Switching on:
- Turn on the water valve (water supply).
- Turn the program selector switch counter-clockwise to the "Rinse and Hold" program.

Program sequence:
1. Pre-wash omitted
2. Pre-wash
3. Main wash omitted
4. Interim rinse omitted
5. Final rinse omitted
6. Drying omitted

At the end of a program:
The program indicator stops just before the "12 o'clock" position.
- Turn off the dishwasher (turn the program selector switch to "Stop").
- Turn off the water valve.
- Open the door.

Consumption figures:
Energy: approx. 0.05 kWh
Water: approx. 10 liters
Length of program: approx. 5 mins.
“Short Wash” program

The program for freshly soiled dishes and glassware.

**Detergent:**
1 MIELE measure (to mark) (1/3 oz.) into detergent dispenser.

**Rinse aid:**
Check that this dispenser contains rinse aid. If the "Rinse aid" indicator light comes on, refill the rinse aid dispenser.

**Switching on:**
- Turn on the water valve.
- Turn the program selector switch clockwise to the “Short wash” program.

**Program sequence:**
1. Prewash
2. Main-wash 130° F
3. Interim rinse
4. Final rinse 150° F
4. Drying omitted

**At the end of a program:**
The program indicator stops just before the “12 o’clock” position.
- Turn off the dishwasher (turn the program selector switch to “Stop”).
- Turn off the water valve.
- Open the door.

**Consumption figures:**
- **Energy:** approx. 0.5 kWh
- **Water:** approx. 30 liters
- **Length of program:** approx. 25 mins.
Cleaning and care

Cleaning the filters in the wash cabinet

The wash water passes through a triple filter combination in the base of the wash cabinet which consists of:

- Coarse filter
- Fine filter
- Micro-fine filter

It is of the utmost importance that the filters are kept clean, otherwise the water overflow protection cannot function properly.

The filter combination has been designed so that most of the soils are collected in the coarse filter.

The coarse filter should therefore be inspected and, if necessary, cleaned after every program.

**Cleaning the coarse filter**

- Replace the clean filter and press on the lugs until it clicks into place.

**Cleaning the fine and micro-fine filters**

- Remove the coarse filter.
- To unscrew the micro-fine filter, take hold of the two lugs, turn twice in a counter-clockwise direction and remove together with the fine filter.

- Press the two lugs inwards and remove the filter.
- Clean the filter.
Cleaning and care

- Clean all the filters. The filter combination is then replaced in the reverse order to which it was removed.
- Insert the fine and micro-fine filters and screw firmly into place.
- Replace the coarse filter until it clicks into place.

The dishwasher must not be used without all the filters in place.
Cleaning and care

Fitting a in-line water filter
If the mains water contains a large number of insoluble substances, we recommend fitting a large area filter in the connection between the water valve and the water inlet supply line.

Care of the appliance

The wash cabinet and baskets
are automatically cleaned during the wash program.

The control panel
should only be wiped with a damp cloth.
Do not use a scouring agent!
Also make sure that detergent and rinse aid do not splash the control panel, they could damage the surface.

The front of the dishwasher
should be cleaned with a product suitable for the type of front fitted.

Fronts made of wood should only be rubbed down with a damp cloth or leather, and dried with paper towel.

Do not use any cleaning agent containing ammonia or thinners.
Installation, Electrical connection & Plumbing

Please read separate instructions included with the appliance.
## Dealing with minor faults

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| **The dishwasher does not start** | • Has the door been properly closed?  
• Is the plug correctly inserted in the socket and is the fuse in order?  
• Have you followed the correct program selection sequence as instructed? |
| **The dishes are not clean**    | • Are the dishes correctly loaded?  
• Was the recommended amount of detergent used?  
• Has the water valve (water supply) been fully turned on?  
• Are the filters in the wash cabinet clean (especially the micro-fine filter), and have they been correctly inserted?  
• Is the water pressure too low so that insufficient water is admitted to the wash cabinet? If so, the fill-time can be extended, (see page 5). |
| **The dishes are not sparkling clean** | • Is there any rinse aid in the storage container?  
• Is the amount of rinse aid sufficient? |
| **Note:** Where water contains impurities or too much residue, this can in certain circumstances mean that glasses do not have a sparkling finish, as residues from the water may have been deposited, leaving marks. |
| **The silverware is badly stained** | • Is there enough salt in the salt container?  
• Is the cap of the salt container properly closed? |

Should you still have any difficulties, please contact your Miele dealer or the Miele Service Department, (see back page for address).