

# **Shoe dryer WDH - ST4**



You have chosen a high-quality product. Here are a few tips to help you enjoy this product:

## In case of any problems:

We hope that the appliance meets your expectations! Should there be any cause for complaint despite the greatest possible care, please contact us briefly, as we are very concerned about your satisfaction and would like to clear up any misunderstanding.

## **Commissioning:**

The shoe dryer is designed for wall-mounted use. However, it can also be used horizontally, in which case increased ventilation noise is possible.



#### Important safety instructions:

- Please note that the shoe dryer can become very hot during operation, so keep a sufficient distance at all times. Especially from flammable or highly flammable objects!
- Do not place/mount the shoe dryer directly next to a power socket!
- Never use the shoe dryer on moving surfaces, objects or vehicles! There is a risk of the shoe dryer tipping over.
- It is recommended that you use your own power source (socket) to supply the shoe dryer. (Please do not use multiple sockets to operate the shoe dryer.) Please also ensure that the power cable is always laid at a sufficient distance from the heat source.
- Supervise the radiant shoe dryer when children are in the vicinity of the appliance!
- Special care must be taken when children and vulnerable persons are present.
- Pay attention to the electricity, never go into the appliance with objects or insert them!
- Do not place any objects on or directly in front of the radiant heater!
- Do not use the shoe dryer if it has been dropped!
- Do not use the appliance if it shows visible signs of damage!
- Please ensure that there is sufficient space/clearance around the appliance!
- Only specialised personnel or electricians are permitted to open the appliance!
- Make sure that no moisture gets into the appliance!
- The radiant heater must not be used in the immediate vicinity of bathtubs, washbasins or swimming pools!
- Only use the recommended voltage for operating the appliance!
- Make sure that the power cable is unfolded (untied) before you connect it to the socket!
- Make sure that the plug is clean and properly connected to the socket before using the appliance!
- Never touch the plug or socket with wet hands!
- Do not repair defective or damaged cables on the appliance yourself, you could get a serious electric shock!
- Ensure that highly flammable substances (e.g. gases/oils etc.) are never in the vicinity of the appliance!
- Ensure that the area on and around the appliance remains free of dust, cobwebs and similar dirt at all times to prevent accidental ignition (fire)!
- <u>WARNING:</u> Do not use this heater in small rooms if they are occupied by people who are unable to leave the room independently, unless they are constantly supervised.
- If the connecting cable of this appliance is damaged, it must be replaced by the manufacturer or its customer service or a similarly qualified person in order to avoid hazards.
- Children aged 3 and under 8 years may only switch the appliance on and off if it has been set up or installed in the intended normal operating position and they have been supervised or instructed in the safe use of the appliance and understand the dangers involved. Children aged 3 to under 8 years must not plug in, adjust, clean or carry out maintenance on the appliance.
- This appliance can be used by children aged from 8 years and above and persons with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities or lack of experience and knowledge if they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance in a safe way and understand the hazards involved.
- Children should not play with the appliance and should be made aware of this.
- Children under the age of 3 should be kept away from the appliance if they are not supervised at all times.
- Cleaning and maintenance by the user must not be carried out by children without supervision.
- If you are not using the appliance for a longer period of time, switch it off and disconnect the mains plug!
- Please always keep a sufficient distance from walls and objects such as curtains. Depending on the material, we recommend keeping a minimum distance of at least 1.0 metre!

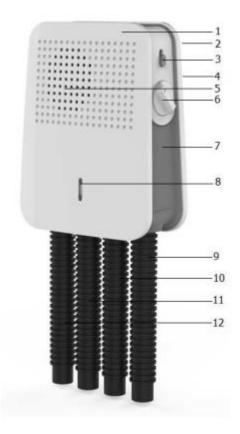
Please switch off the appliance immediately and disconnect it from the mains/power supply if something seems to be wrong! In this case, please contact a specialist and do not attempt to repair the appliance yourself!

**Example:** House fuse jumped out when operating the shoe dryer.



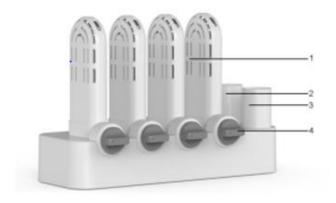
# **Description of the device parts:**

# Shoe dryer:



- 1. Front cover
- 2. Power cable
- 3. Switch for heating level
- 4. Wall bracket
- 5. Air intake area
- 6. Operating switch and timer
- 7. Side cover
- 8. Operating light
- 9.-12. 4 x screw-on & extendable air outlet hoses

# Glove holder:



- 1. 4 x Plug-in attachments for glove drying
- 2.-3. 2 x Connection pieces for air hoses
- 4. 4 x Regulators for the air volume

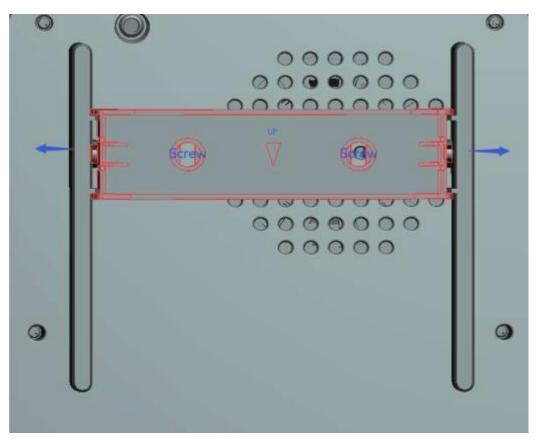


#### Instructions for use:

#### 1 Commissioning

1.1. Insert the plug into a suitable socket. The shoe dryer is suitable for operation on a mains supply with the same voltage as specified on the rating plate.

## 2 Mounting instructions for the wall bracket



- 2.1. The wall bracket must be held against the wall so that the wide plate is directly against the wall and the two side supports protrude into the room. The visible triangular arrow must point downwards. If the drill holes are marked at a height of 70 cm from the floor, the hoses will reach down to the floor when fully extended after installation. A drilling height of 50-70 cm from the floor and a lateral safety distance of at least 60 cm between the holes and flammable materials is therefore ideal. Hold the wall bracket horizontally at the desired installation point (preferably using a spirit level). Mark the drill holes with a pencil through the two rectangular holes.
- 2.2. Now put the plate to one side and drill the two holes. The appropriate drill bit is no. 5. Then insert the dowels into the holes and hold the mounting plate over the holes so that you can fix it to the wall with the two screws.
- 2.3. Now click the shoe dryer into the wall bracket from the front and make sure that it is clicked into the bracket on both sides. If you want to remove the dryer from the bracket later, hold the appliance at the top and bottom and pull it forwards evenly.
- 2.4. Now screw the four air hoses into the blow-out openings provided at the bottom. You can now extend the length of the hoses.
- 2.5. The glove holder can be positioned free-standing on the floor. The rear of the glove holder has two slots. If required, these can be used to insert the rack into two additional screw heads (not included in the scope of delivery) and thus also fix it to the wall. In this case, make sure that the distance between the blow-in openings on the glove holder and the appliance itself is not greater than the available hose length.

If you are working with the glove holder, insert two of the four hoses into the inlet sockets provided.



#### 3 Application variants

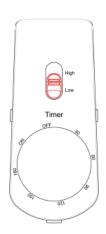
- 3.1. Drying of one pair of shoes without attached glove holder:
  Insert two tubes into each shoe. Preferably almost all the way to the front of the shoe so that the warm air has an optimum effect.
- 3.2. Drying of a pair of shoes with attached glove holder:
  Insert one hose into each shoe. Insert the two remaining hoses into the blow-in opening of the glove holder. Set the four regulators on the glove holder to the horizontal position. In this way, you close the corresponding outlets and the entire air volume is channelled into the two hoses placed in the shoes.
- 3.3. Drying of two pairs of shoes without attached glove holder: Insert one hose into each shoe.
- 3.4. Drying a pair of shoes and gloves:
  Insert one hose into each shoe. Insert the two remaining hoses into the blow-in opening of the glove holder. Set the controls on the glove holder vertically/vertically over which you have placed gloves (= air outlet open).

  Where no gloves are placed, set the control horizontally/crosswise (= air outlet closed).

#### 4 Other operating instructions

- 4.1. Start drying: Use the control switch on the side to select the heat output of the shoe dryer. You can choose between "Low" and "High".
  - Low: The air is only slightly tempered. Ideal for sensitive leather shoes.
  - High: Maximum warmth is generated. Ideal for easy-care shoes such as trainers, rubber boots and ski boots.
- 4.2. You can set the desired time using the control dial. The following setting options are available:
  - OFF = The device is switched off
  - ON = appliance runs in continuous operation
  - Number scale: The number scale can be used to set the timer for a time-limited operation of the shoe dryer (30 / 60 / 90 / 120 / 150 / 180 minutes).

**IMPORTANT:** Never turn the switch clockwise further than "180" (resistance can be felt). Otherwise the switch will break! Do the same anti-clockwise: Never turn beyond the "On" position!



Recommended drying times for different types of shoes:	
To prevent overheating of the appliance and deformation of sensitive shoes, we recommend working with these values instead of continuous operation.	
30 min.	Pre-warming shoes and gloves for more comfortable dressing in the cold season.
60 min.	To dry the usual steam from sports shoes, boots and gloves and reduce odours.
60-120 min.	Drying of heavily soaked shoes / gloves.

# 5 Cleaning and maintenance

- 5.1. Before cleaning the dryer, always disconnect the mains plug and allow the appliance to cool down completely.
- 5.2. The housing can be wiped with a soft cloth and a mild detergent. Make sure that no water gets inside the appliance. Never spray the dryer with water and do not use flammable cleaning agents. Cables and plugs can also be cleaned in the same way.



#### Technical data:

Model name: WDH-ST4

**Voltage:** 220-240 V  $\sim$  50 Hz **Power consumption:** Max. 265 W / 0.9 A

Overheating protection\*\*: Yes

**Dimensions (H/W/D):** 30 x 23 x 11cm

Protection class: IP21

Operating temperature: - 20 to + 35°C Certificates: CE, RoHS, REACH

Weight: 1.6 kg

There may be deviations in the technical data!

\*\* The overheating protection switches on automatically if the internal temperature of the appliance is too high. If the overheating protection activates, check that the air ducts are clear and that the room temperature is not higher than 35°C. Allow the appliance to cool down completely and then restart it.

Odour neutralisation: During the drying process, the warm air is enriched with a small amount of ozone. This eliminates bad odours, e.g. sweat in shoes and gloves.

### Other:

#### **Guarantee declaration:**

Notwithstanding the statutory warranty claims, the manufacturer grants a guarantee in accordance with the laws of your country, but at least 1 year (in Germany 2 years for private individuals). The warranty begins on Date of sale of the appliance to the end user.

The guarantee only covers defects that are attributable to material or manufacturing faults. Warranty repairs may only be carried out by an authorised customer service centre. To repair your The original sales receipt (with date of purchase) must be enclosed with the warranty claim.

## Excluded from the guarantee are:

- Normal wear and tear
- Improper use, e.g. overloading the appliance or unauthorised accessories
- Damage due to external influences, use of force or foreign objects
- Damage caused by non-compliance with the operating instructions, e.g. connection to an incorrect mains voltage or non-compliance with the installation instructions
- Completely or partially dismantled appliances

## Conformity:

The shoe dryer has been tested and itself and/or parts of it have been manufactured to the following (safety) standards:

CE (LVD) conformity tested according to: EN 60335-2-43:2003+A1:2006+A2:2008

EN 60335-1:2012+A11:2014+A13:2017

EMC conformity tested according to: EN 55014-1:2017

EN 55014-2:2015 EN 61000-3-2:2014 EN 61000-3-3:2013



### Correct disposal of this product:



Within the EU, this symbol indicates that this product must not be disposed of with household waste. Old appliances contain valuable recyclable materials that should be recycled. In addition, the environment and human health should not be polluted by uncontrolled waste disposal. Therefore, please dispose of old appliances via suitable collection systems or send the appliance to the place where you purchased it for disposal. They will then recycle the appliance.

We hope you enjoy using this device

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Keep these instructions for use in a safe place!