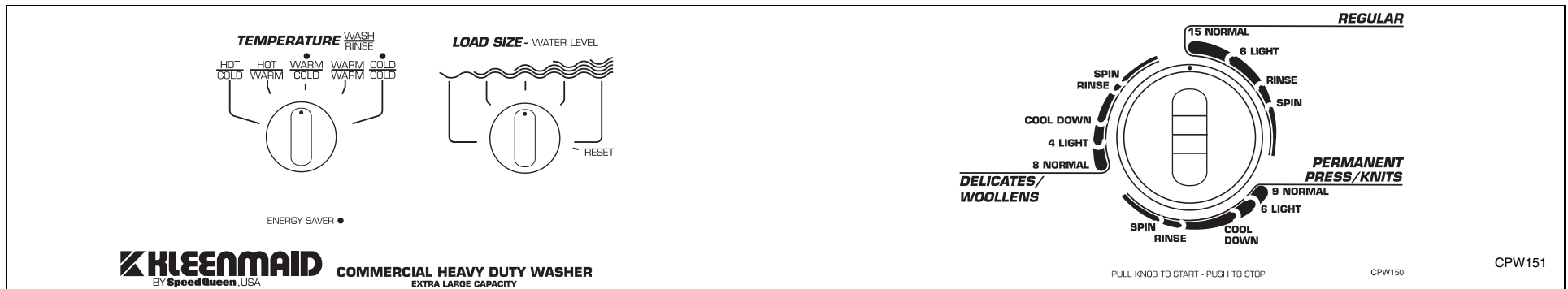


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**WARNING**

To reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, serious injury or death to persons, read the **IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS** in the Use and Care Guide before operating your washer.

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### Determine Proper Cycle

#### REGULAR Cycle

Use for sturdy items, like play or work clothes, towels, T-shirts, etc. The wash time selection will depend on the type of fabric and the amount of soil. For the best results when cleaning heavily soiled items, use a longer wash time (15 minutes maximum). Lightly soiled items require less wash time.

There are two settings in the REGULAR cycle — Normal and Light. The number shown next to these settings is the length of agitation in minutes. (For example: Setting the timer on Normal will be a 15 minute agitation.)

#### PERMANENT PRESS/KNITS Cycle

Use for permanent press items and synthetics. The wash time selection will depend upon the type of fabric and amount of soil.

The PERMANENT PRESS/KNITS cycle automatically cools the temperature of the fibres before the spin. After the wash, the agitation stops, the washtub spins slowly, partially drains and then stops. Cold water will then be automatically added to the washtub until the proper water level is reached. This happens one or two times, depending on the size of the load and type of drain connection. When the COOL DOWN is complete, the washer will pause shortly before continuing the cycle.

There are two settings in the PERMANENT PRESS/KNITS cycle — Normal and Light. The number shown next to these settings is the length of agitation in minutes. (For example: Setting the timer on Normal will be a nine minute agitation.)

#### DELICATES/WOOLLENS Cycle

Wash delicate items usually washed by hand and machine washable woollens on this cycle. A full tub of water is recommended (even for small loads) to allow the delicate items to move freely through the water. More water helps reduce fabric wear, wrinkling, and provides for a clean wash.

There are two settings in the DELICATES/WOOLLENS cycle — Normal and Light. The number shown next to these settings is the length of time in minutes. (For example: Setting the timer on Normal will be eight minutes, including short periods of agitation and long periods of soaking.)

**IMPORTANT: Before using your washer to Soak or use an Additional Rinse, refer to the following pages for proper instructions.**

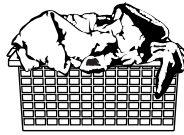
## To Wash Clothes

**IMPORTANT:** Before using your new washer, make sure the washer cord is plugged into a 240 Volt electrical outlet that has the proper grounding and polarity. Make sure the washer hoses are connected to the hot and cold water faucets, and that the faucets are turned on. Be sure the drain hose is inserted into a drain and is not kinked. See the **INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS** for details of proper washer installation.

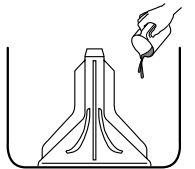
**IMPORTANT:** Prior to first wash, use an all purpose cleaner, or a detergent and water solution, and a damp cloth to remove shipping dust from inside of washtub.

**IMPORTANT:** Remove all sharp objects from laundry to avoid tears and rips to items during normal machine operation.

1. Get the clothes ready for washing. Empty pockets and cuffs. Sort items into separate loads. Pretreat stains and heavily soiled areas.



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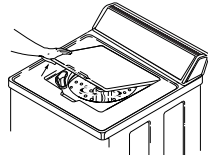
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2. Measure and add detergent to the washtub.



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3. Add clothes loosely into the washtub.



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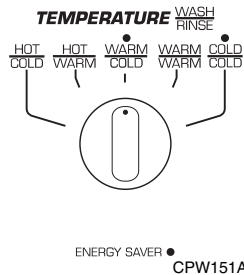
4. Close the loading door. The washer will not agitate or spin with the loading door open.

### WARNING

To reduce the risk of serious injury, do not by-pass the loading door switch by permitting the washer to agitate or spin with the loading door open.

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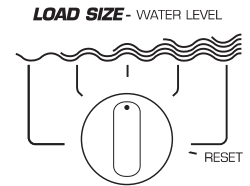
5. Set WASH/RINSE temperatures.



**NOTE:** The washer will provide a cold rinse in all **TEMPERATURE** settings except in positions marked **HOT** wash **WARM** rinse or **WARM** wash **WARM** rinse. **DO NOT** use a warm rinse with permanent press or other synthetic fabrics. A warm rinse can cause wrinkling in some garments. Cold rinses will save you money and energy and will help reduce wrinkling in permanent press and synthetics.

The **ENERGY SAVER** settings, marked with a dot (•), show which temperature settings will use the least energy.

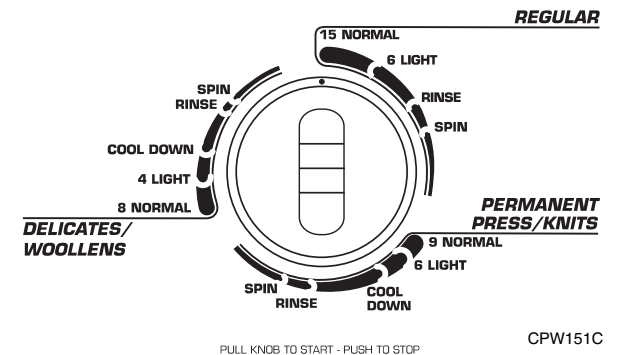
6. Set **LOAD SIZE** (**WATER LEVEL**) control. Use **RESET** if agitation has started and more water is needed.



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**IMPORTANT:** Holding the **LOAD SIZE** (**WATER LEVEL**) control in the **RESET** position can cause the washer to flood.

7. Select the cycle according to the type of fabric being washed. Push the timer knob in and turn clockwise to the desired cycle and wash time.



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8. Pull the timer knob out to start the water fill. Agitation will begin when the water reaches the level you selected.

**NOTE:** Loading door must be closed for agitation to begin.

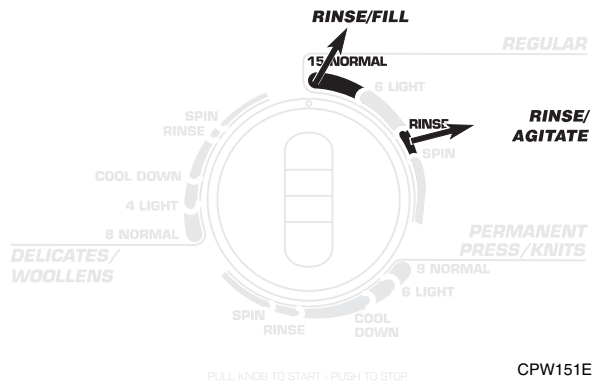
The washer will stop (pause) shortly before the wash and rinse spins. Do not turn the timer through these pauses. They are part of the cycle.

## Additional Rinsing

If additional rinsing is required, set the timer knob on the **RINSE/FILL** portion of the Normal setting of the REGULAR cycle. After the fill is completed and agitation has started, push the timer knob in. This will stop the washer. To complete the rinsing, **TURN THE TIMER KNOB TO THE RINSE/AGITATE PORTION OF THE RINSE SETTING OF THE REGULAR CYCLE**. Pull the timer knob out to start agitation and complete the remainder of the cycle.

**NOTE: Make sure the washer begins to agitate when the timer knob is pulled out to assure that the washer does not begin to fill again. If washer does not agitate, push timer knob in and move indicator farther into the Rinse setting.**

See arrows below for proper **RINSE/FILL** and **RINSE/AGITATE** positions.



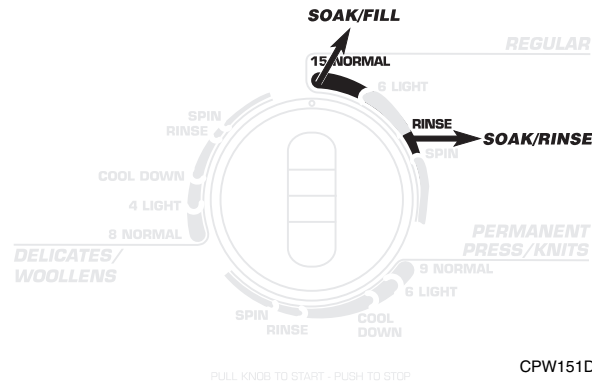
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## Soaking

Set the timer knob on the **SOAK/FILL** portion of the Normal setting of the REGULAR cycle. Place the soaking product and clothes load into the washtub. Pull timer knob to start washer fill. After fill is completed and agitation has started, push the timer knob in. This will stop the washer. When the clothes have soaked the desired length of time, **TURN THE TIMER KNOB TO THE SOAK/SPIN PORTION AT THE END OF THE RINSE SETTING OF THE REGULAR CYCLE** to allow the washer to properly drain and spin. See arrows in illustration below for proper **SOAK/FILL** and **SOAK/RINSE** positions.

**IMPORTANT: Do not use the Rinse setting to fill the washer for soaking.**

**CAUTION: Failure to turn the timer knob to the spin cycle and completely drain the washtub after soaking will result in the washer overflowing and cause property damage.**



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