

# Frontload Washers

Model LTK95A\*N3050

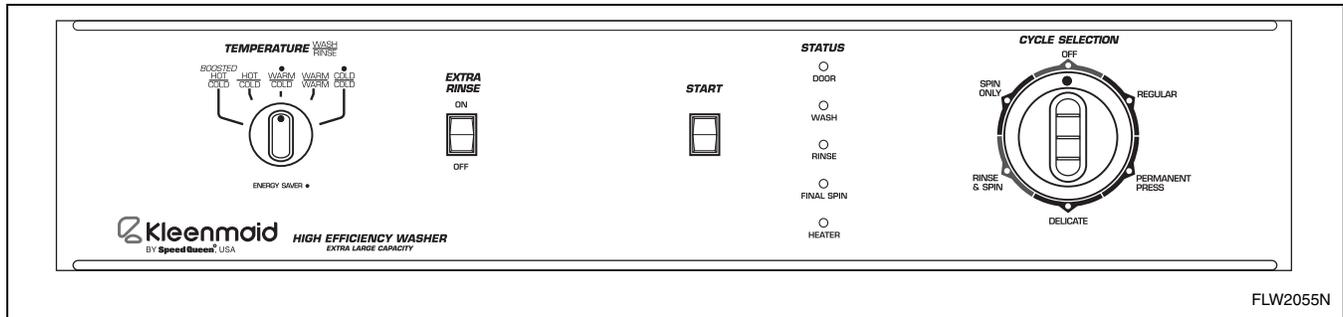
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**WARNING**

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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**NOTE:** Always follow manufacturer’s care labels.

## Determine Proper Cycle

**NOTE:** The cycle times might be longer if a **Boosted Hot Wash** is selected.

### REGULAR Cycle

Use for sturdy items, like play or work clothes, towels, T-shirts, etc. This cycle includes a wash tumble for nine minutes. The cycle has two rinses with an optional third rinse. The final spin starts with a two-minute medium spin and finishes with a three-minute high spin. The total cycle time is approximately 29 minutes without the extra rinse.

### PERMANENT PRESS Cycle

Use for permanent press items and synthetics. This cycle includes a wash tumble of seven minutes. The cycle has two rinses with an optional third rinse. The final spin starts with a three-minute medium spin and finishes with a two-minute high spin. The total cycle time is approximately 27 minutes without the extra rinse.

### DELICATE Cycle

Wash delicate items usually washed by hand on this cycle. The cycle includes a wash tumble of five minutes. The cycle has two rinses with an optional third rinse. The final spin extracts moisture at a low spin for four minutes. The total cycle time is approximately 23 minutes without the extra rinse.

### RINSE & SPIN Cycle

Use to quickly rinse items. The rinse is followed by a high spin. The total cycle time is approximately 12 minutes.

**NOTE:** In some cases, the **RINSE & SPIN** cycle may not be enough to completely remove soap. In these cases, an additional **RINSE & SPIN** setting may be necessary.

### SPIN ONLY Cycle

Use to extract water from wet items. This cycle uses the high spin. The total cycle time is approximately 10 minutes.

### 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 earthing 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 not kinked and is inserted into a drain. Refer to 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 wash drum.

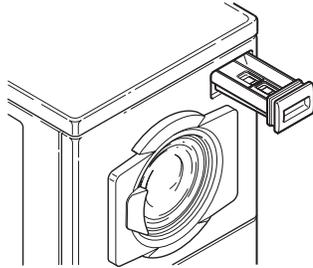
**IMPORTANT:** Remove all sharp objects from laundry to avoid tears and rips to items during normal machine operation.

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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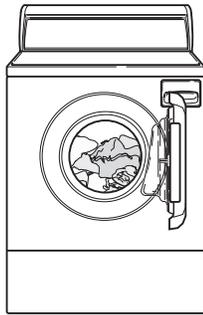
2. Measure and add **low sudsing detergent**, fabric softener, and bleach to the dispenser drawer. Refer to section on **Using Your Dispenser Drawer**.



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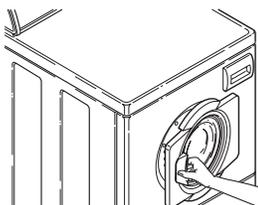
**IMPORTANT: If using detergents made for topload washers, avoid oversudsing by using only 1/4 cup regular detergent (1/2 of the recommended amount).**

3. Load clothes into wash drum (8.1 Kg maximum dry clothes load). Refer to section on **Load Sizes** in your Use and Care Guide.



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4. Close the loading door tightly. The washer will not operate with the loading door open.



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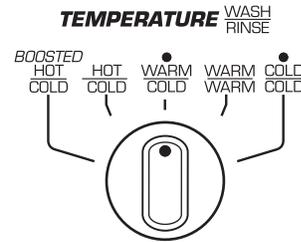


## WARNING

**To reduce the risk of serious injury, do not bypass the loading door switch by permitting the washer to tumble or spin with the loading door open.**

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5. Set WASH/RINSE temperatures.



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There are five WASH/RINSE temperatures available – Boosted Hot Wash/Cold Rinse, Hot Wash/Cold Rinse, Warm Wash/Cold Rinse, Warm Wash/Warm Rinse, and Cold Wash/Cold Rinse.

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

Refer to the **Available Water Temperatures** section for the temperature that works best for your garments.

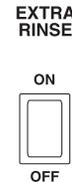


## WARNING

**Window may be hot in the Boosted Hot and Hot wash cycles.**

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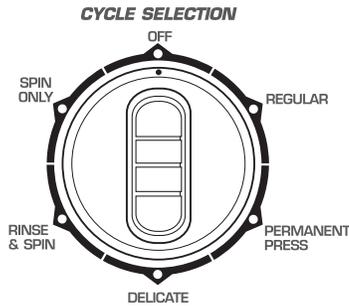
6. Select EXTRA RINSE if desired.



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The extra rinse control is useful for detergent sensitive skin. By pressing the EXTRA RINSE to ON, the REGULAR, PERMANENT PRESS, and DELICATE cycles will each provide an additional rinse. If the extra rinse is desired, press the switch to ON. When the extra rinse is not wanted, OFF should be selected.

7. Select the cycle according to the type of fabric being washed. Use the indicator dot on the knob as a guide.



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8. Press and hold the START button for two seconds to start the washer. The DOOR light will come on after a short delay, water fill will begin, and wash drum will begin tumbling.

**NOTE: Washer door MUST be closed tightly to start washer.**

If items need to be added or removed after a cycle has started, turn the Cycle Selector knob to the OFF position. Wait until the DOOR light goes off (approximately 45 seconds after cycle has been stopped), open door, add or remove items, and start the cycle again.

There is no agitator on this washer. Instead, the clothing gently tumbles through the water. The wash action consists of a period of tumbling in one direction, a brief pause, and then a reverse tumble in the opposite direction. The pauses are part of the tumble action and add to the uniqueness of the washer. They are part of the cycle.

**NOTE: There will be extended pauses when Boosted Hot Wash is selected because the water is being heated.**

## To Change Cycles

If the selected cycle is not the correct cycle for the fabric being washed, you may change the cycle selection at any time until the first wash fill is complete. Once the washer has filled for the first part of the cycle (the wash portion), the current cycle must be aborted and a new cycle must be started.

### To change the cycle before the first fill is complete:

Change the cycle selected on the cycle selector knob.

### To change the cycle after the first fill is complete and before the first wash is complete:

1. Abort the current cycle by changing the cycle selector knob to the OFF position.
2. Set the WASH/RINSE temperature selector.
3. Set cycle selector.
4. Turn on extra rinse, if desired.
5. Press and hold the START button for two seconds.

### To change the cycle after the first wash is complete:

**NOTE: This should only be done if the speed of the final extract is incorrect for the fabric being washed. For example, if washing delicate items on the REGULAR cycle, the high speed extract may damage the fabric. If washing towels or jeans on the DELICATE cycle, the lower speed extract would increase drying time.**

1. Abort the current cycle by changing the cycle selector knob to the OFF position.
2. Restart the cycle from the beginning. Refer to the *To Wash Clothes* section.

### **To Pump Out Water After Aborting Cycle**

Run a SPIN ONLY cycle. This cycle will perform a high speed extract operation that will pump all of the water out of the washer.

### **DOOR Light**

When the washer is started, the DOOR light will come on after a short delay. The light will turn off approximately 45 seconds after the cycle is complete.

### **WASH Light**

This light comes on during the wash part of each cycle.

### **RINSE Light**

This light comes on for the rinse portion of each cycle.

### **FINAL SPIN Light**

This light comes on while the wash load is in the final spin of the cycle.

### **HEATER Light (Red Light)**

This light comes on during the Boosted Hot setting only. While the washer is heating, the HEATER light will turn on.

### **Out of Balance Load**

If at the end of the cycle, the load is dripping wet, the washer has limited the spin speed. This is to prevent damage to the unit if there is a severely unbalanced load.

If this condition occurs, redistribute the load manually and run a RINSE & SPIN cycle.

If the condition persists, consider steps discussed in the *Before Washing* section of the Use and Care Guide.

## Available Washing Cycles

The cycles of your washer include several different settings. Refer to *Table 1* for what can be expected during the cycles that you select.

<b>Regular Cycle</b>		
	<b>Activity</b>	<b>Water Temperatures</b>
<b>Wash</b>	Fill & Tumble (9:00)	Boosted Hot, Hot, Warm or Cold
<b>Spin</b>	Pulse Spin	
<b>Rinse</b>	Fill & Tumble	Cold
<b>Spin</b>	Pulse Spin	
<b>Extra Rinse (Optional)</b>	Fill & Tumble	Cold
<b>Spin</b>	Pulse Spin	
<b>Final Rinse</b>	Fill & Tumble	Warm or Cold
<b>Spin</b>	Pulse Spin	
<b>Spin</b>	Medium Spin (650 rpm)	
<b>Final Spin</b>	High Spin (1000 rpm)	
<b>Fluff</b>	Tumble	
<b>Permanent Press Cycle</b>		
	<b>Activity</b>	<b>Water Temperatures</b>
<b>Wash</b>	Fill & Tumble (7:00)	Boosted Hot, Hot, Warm or Cold
<b>Spin</b>	Pulse Spin	
<b>Rinse</b>	Fill & Tumble	Cold
<b>Spin</b>	Pulse Spin	
<b>Extra Rinse (Optional)</b>	Fill & Tumble	Cold
<b>Spin</b>	Pulse Spin	
<b>Final Rinse</b>	Fill & Tumble	Warm or Cold
<b>Spin</b>	Pulse Spin	
<b>Spin</b>	Medium Spin (650 rpm)	
<b>Final Spin</b>	High Spin (1000 rpm)	
<b>Fluff</b>	Tumble	

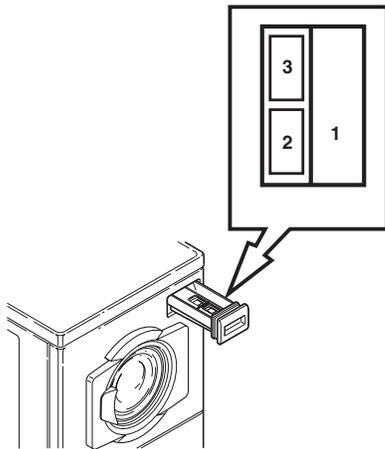
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<b>Delicate Cycle</b>		
	<b>Activity</b>	<b>Water Temperatures</b>
<b>Wash</b>	Fill & Tumble (5:00)	Boosted Hot, Hot, Warm or Cold
<b>Spin</b>	Pulse Spin	
<b>Rinse</b>	Fill & Tumble	Cold
<b>Spin</b>	Pulse Spin	
<b>Extra Rinse (Optional)</b>	Fill & Tumble	Cold
<b>Spin</b>	Pulse Spin	
<b>Final Rinse</b>	Fill & Tumble	Warm or Cold
<b>Spin</b>	Pulse Spin	
<b>Final Spin</b>	Low Spin (500 rpm)	
<b>Fluff</b>	Tumble	
<b>Rinse &amp; Spin Cycle</b>		
	<b>Activity</b>	<b>Water Temperatures</b>
<b>Rinse</b>	Fill & Tumble (2:00)	Warm or Cold
<b>Spin</b>	Pulse Spin	
<b>Spin</b>	Medium Spin (650 rpm)	
<b>Final Spin</b>	High Spin (1000 rpm)	
<b>Fluff</b>	Tumble	

**NOTE: The Rinse setting will give a cold rinse when the optional Extra Rinse is selected.**

## Using Your Dispenser Drawer



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- 1 Detergent
- 2 Bleach
- 3 Fabric Softener

### Detergent Compartment

The detergent compartment is located on the right side of the dispenser drawer. Refer to compartment 1 of illustration.

Use low sudsing powdered or liquid detergents that are recommended for use with high efficiency or front loading washers. Powdered bleach can also be used in the dispenser along with the detergent.

**NOTE: If using detergents made for topload washers, avoid oversudsing by using 1/2 of the recommended amount.**

When adding detergent, use only the recommended amount. Adding too much detergent or using regular sudsing detergent could result in an oversudsing condition, which would require additional rinsing with cold water. Use care when adding detergent so as not to spill into the other compartments. Detergent mixed with fabric softener can make the softener gummy.

**NOTE: The normal level of suds should be below center of the door.**

### Liquid Bleach Compartment

The bleach compartment is located in the left front corner of the dispenser drawer. Refer to compartment 2 of illustration. It has been designed to prevent the dispensing of undiluted bleach onto the clothes load.

Use liquid bleach in the dispenser. **Powdered bleach must not be used in this compartment. Powdered bleach can be used in the detergent compartment only and can be added along with the detergent.**

**DO NOT use more than the maximum level indicated for the bleach compartment.** Adding more than the maximum amount could result in early dispensing of the product and possible damage to fabrics.

Carefully pour recommended amount of bleach into the compartment before starting wash load.

Be careful not to spill undiluted bleach. It is a strong chemical and can damage some fabrics if it is not properly diluted. Follow bleach manufacturer's label for proper use.

Carefully close dispenser door. Do not allow bleach to spill into other compartments.

### Fabric Softener Compartment

The fabric softener compartment is located in the left rear corner of the dispenser drawer. Refer to compartment 3 of illustration.

Use no more than the maximum level indicated for the fabric softener compartment. Adding more than the maximum amount could result in early dispensing of the product and possible staining of fabrics.

Add fabric softener to compartment before beginning washload. The fabric softener will be dispensed during the last rinse cycle.

Carefully close dispenser door. Do not allow softener to spill into other compartments.

### To Clean the Dispenser

Remove the dispenser drawer from the washer by firmly pulling the drawer straight out, past the stop position. Rinse dispenser drawer in hot water. A small brush may be used to thoroughly clean out any residue. After cleaning, reinstall the dispenser drawer.

From time to time, water may be discovered in the dispenser drawer. This condition is normal. To remove the water, simply remove the dispenser drawer and pour out the water.

## Available Water Temperatures

The Boosted Hot Wash will boost the water temperature in the tub to 60°C (140°F) and is useful for improved cleaning of some loads. The red HEATING light will light up when heating. The cycle will not advance until 60°C (140°F) has been reached. The time needed to reach this temperature may add an additional 30 to 60 minutes to the cycle time. Hot water is the most effective for cleaning but it is not recommended for all fabric types (read labels).

**NOTE: The Boosted Hot Wash can be turned off by changing the cycle selector knob to OFF and restarting a cycle with a different water temperature setting.**

The Hot Wash temperature is determined by the actual temperature of the hot water supplied to the washer. The heater element will not be on.

The Warm Wash is useful for providing a thorough cleaning on lightly soiled clothing without damaging fabric or adding to colour fading.

The Warm Rinse is useful in preventing wrinkles on certain fabrics. Check labels for fabric manufacturer's recommendations.

The Cold Wash is ideal for delicate items. Although its cleaning abilities are not as great as with hot or warm water, it is useful for colours that bleed easily and for sensitive fabrics.

The Cold Rinse is optional in every cycle and is the most beneficial for fabrics. **Cold rinses reduce wrinkling and colour fading. In addition, cold rinses will save money and energy.**

**NOTE: Always follow manufacturer's care labels.**

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Boosted Hot</b> Approximately 60°C (140°F)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Sturdy whites and colourfast items.</li> <li>● Work clothes.</li> <li>● Heavily soiled items.</li> <li>● Nappies.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Hot</b> Approximately 49°C (120°F) (or as determined by outside hot water supply)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Sturdy whites and colourfast items.</li> <li>● Work clothes.</li> <li>● Soiled items.</li> <li>● Nappies.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Warm</b> Approximately 38°C (100°F)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Light and moderately soiled items.</li> <li>● Non-colourfast or dark colours.</li> <li>● Permanent press.</li> <li>● Silks, woolens, nylon, acrylic.</li> <li>● Rinsing of some items.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Cold</b> Approximately 18°C (65°F)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Non-colourfast items.</li> <li>● Extra sensitive clothing.</li> <li>● Rinsing of most items.</li> </ul>

