

Clothing Care Symbol Guide



NOTE: As a minimum, laundering instructions include, in order, four symbols: washing, bleaching, drying and ironing. Drycleaning instructions include one symbol. Additional symbols or words or both may be used to clarify the instructions.



The water temperatures listed below are provided as a guideline. Actual water temperatures obtained in the home depend on the washing machine settings (hot, warm, cold), regional water supply temperatures, and water heater settings.

WASH

MACHINE WASH CYCLE



Normal



Permanent Press/
wrinkle resistant



Gentle/
delicate



Hand wash

WARNING SIGNS



Do not wash



Do not wring

WATER TEMPERATURE



Hot
(50°C/120°F)



Warm
(40°C/105°F)



Cold/cool
(30°C/85°F)

BLEACH

BLEACH SYMBOLS



Any bleach
(when needed)



Only non-chlorine bleach
(when needed)

WARNING SIGNS



Do not bleach

DRY

TUMBLE DRY CYCLE



Dry



Normal



Permanent Press/
wrinkle resistant



Gentle/
delicate

WARNING SIGNS



Do not tumble dry

HEAT SETTING



High



Medium



Low



No heat/air



Do not dry
(used with
do not wash)

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS



Line dry/
hang to dry



Drip dry



Dry flat



In the shade

IRON

IRON — DRY OR STEAM



Iron



High



Medium



Low

WARNING SIGNS



Do not iron



No steam

DRYCLEAN

DRYCLEAN — NORMAL CYCLE



Dryclean



Any solvent



Any solvent except
trichloroethylene



Petroleum
solvent only

WARNING SIGNS



Do not dryclean

PROFESSIONALLY DRYCLEAN



Reduce moisture



Short cycle



No steam finishing



Low heat