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View How to Perform Heat Test Go Back Watch this video or follow the step by step instructions below: METHOD 1 - SIGNAL BUTTON Put the unit OFF. Press and hold TEMP and DAMP DRY buttons all at the same time. While holding them down, press POWER until code appears. If Method 1 and 2 fail, try this TIMED DRY METHOD Power the dryer ON and set the cycle to TIMED DRY. Use the TEMP button to select the highest heat. Press the START/PAUSE button. let the unit run for one minute. proceed to step 3 If you DO NOT get, download a copy of your Owner's Manual for model-specific instructions or use TIMED DRY METHOD above. If runing a timed dry method, the In5 may not display, proceed to Step 3. If you get an error code, resolve the Error Code here and restart this heat test. Press the START/PAUSE to begin. This test will take about three minutes. Keep an eye on the Flow SenseTM indicator and error codes on the display. Do you see any error code on the indicator? (nP, PS, d85 or others) Is the Flow Sense indicator lit? Now, open the dryer and feel the inside of the drum, does it feel warm or cold? Select your result from the options below: Go Back Since there is no error code on the unit, we need to know if the drum feels cold or warm after the heat test. Is the drum warm or cold? Cold Warm When no error code or bars appear on the flow sense and the dryer feels cold, this is a power issue, follow the troubleshooting steps below: Make sure that the plug is securely plugged into a grounded outlet matching the dryer's rating plate. From the home's main, turn OFF the dryer's circuit breaker for at least 10 seconds to clear the power surge inside the breaker. Put your dryer on power ON and run the heat test again. If the dryer is still not heating at this stage, the unit requires a repair service. Please visit our Request a Repair page. Ensure that gas is flowing throughout the house. Use another gas unit to test if gas is runing in the house. If there is no gas in the house, contact your gas connection as described below How to Check Gas Connection Check that the gas shut-off valve is fully opened and turned to the correct direction. Be sure that the gas line is not pinched or kinked when the dryer is pushed back into place. If you have performed the recommended solution in this article and the unit is still not heating, the unit will require a repair service. Please visit our Request a Repair page. The unit is heating and there is air flow. The likely culprit of this long drying time is either of the following: Energy saver mode each time you use the dryer by pressing the ENERGY SAVER button. The light on the button will turn off, and your clothes should dry properly now. If you do not have an energy saver button, Proceed to Step 2 How to Disable Energy Saver button, Proceed to Step 2 How to Disable Energy Saver button until OFF appears on the display (about 3 seconds). In some cases, energy saver could still be enabled for other cycles. Use the wrinkle care button whenever you see the energy saver button's light on. When the lint filter is dirty or clogged, it will cause long time drying. Always clean the lint filter using any of the options below: For everyday cleaning, roll any lint off the filter with your fingers or a long handle brush. Use a vacuum cleaner to clean the lint filter in warm, soapy water and allow it to dry thoroughly before reinstalling. SMALL LOAD SIZE. When drying smaller size loads, it may be better to use TIME DRY instead of sensor dry to achieve better drying performance. LARGE LOAD SIZE As long as the items can freely tumble in the dryer, the load is fine. If the clothes are unable to tumble, then the load is fine. If the sensors are clogged, the sensors will not read correctly and cause the unit to shut off before items are dry. Use a damp rag or paper towel and wipe them to remove any build up on the sensors. We recommend that the sensors are cleaned at least once a month with a damp rag or paper towels. After you clean the sensors, run another cycle. The hot, humid air from the dryer has to go somewhere, or else the moisture will stay in the drum and clothes. 2 or 4 four bars on the flowsense indicate that the exhaust duct, the lint build up will cause a long time drying in the dryer. If you need the service of a professional technician, contact a local vent cleaning company to clean the vent. A crushed or damaged exhaust will also cause air blockage. If possible, check every section of your exhaust duct to ensure it is not crushed transition duct. Too many elbows or exhaust too long can also cause long time drying. When the ductwork is too long or has too many bends, blockages can occur, and it will be hard to trace. In this case, check the exterior part of the house when the machine is running to see if exhaust air is blowing outside. For proper inspection and repair of this situation, contact a local vent cleaning company to clean the vent. If you have tried all the recommended solutions above and the unit is not heating, the unit may require a repair service. Please visit our Request a Repair page. Go Back The , , , and error codes indicate that the dryer has to go somewhere, or else the moisture will stay in the drum and clothes. 2 or 4 four bars on the flowsense indicates that the exhaust system is severely restricted. NOTE: On gas dryers, D80 may indicate the lack of gas supplied to unit. Check for lint buildup at the rear exhaust duct, the lint build up will cause a long time drying in the dryer. If you need the service of a professional technician, contact a local vent cleaning company to clean the vent. A crushed or damaged exhaust will also cause air blockage. If possible, check every section of your exhaust duct to ensure it is not crushed, kinked or damaged. Avoid long runs or runs with multiple elbows or bends. Excess or crushed transition duct. Too many elbows or exhaust too long can also cause long time drying. When the ductwork is too long or has too many bends, blockages can occur, and it will be hard to trace. In this case, check the exterior part of the house when the machine is running to see if exhaust air is blowing outside. For proper inspection and repair of this situation, contact a local vent cleaning company to clean the vent. Go Back AnP error code on the dryer's display indicates that there is a problem with the electrical wiring in the home, and that no current is being detected at the heater. APS error code on the dryer's display indicates that there is a problem with the power cord, which could be caused by the white and red wire connections being reversed on the dryer's rating plate of 240V. From the home's main, turn OFF the dryer's circuit breaker for at least 10 seconds to clear the power surge inside the breaker. If the nP error is displaying, the home's outlet may need to be checked by a licensed electrician in order to ensure that the dryer is still not heating at this stage, the unit requires a repair service. Please visit our Request a Repair page. The , , , and error codes indicate that the dryer is still not heating at this stage, the unit requires a repair service. Please visit our Request a Repair page. respectively. The hot, humid air from the dryer has to go somewhere, or else the moisture will stay in the drum and clothes. 2 or 4 four bars on the flowsense indicates that the exhaust system is severely restricted. NOTE: On gas dryers, D80 may indicate the lack of gas supplied to unit. Check for lint buildup at the rear exhaust duct, the lint build up will cause a long time drying in the dryer. If you need the service of a professional technician, contact a local vent cleaning company to clean the vent. A crushed or damaged exhaust will also cause air blockage. 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If the problem is not a dent or damage, please try the following: Reset the unit by unplugging it from power, or trip the circuit breaker. Wait 5 sec. Plug unit back in. Close door firmly. Select any cycle and press Start. If the unit gives the code again, the unit will need service. An E13 error code on the dryer's display indicates that the water in the sump is frozen. Note: The E13 error code will only display on Hybrid Condensing Dryers. If the E13 error code is showing on the dryer's display: Check that the drain hose is not kinked, twisted, or clogged with water at the end of the hose. If the drain hose was extended, the dryer will not drain hose is not kinked, twisted, or clogged with water at the end of the hose. If the drain hose is not kinked, twisted, or clogged with water at the end of the hose. If the drain hose is not kinked, twisted, or clogged with water at the end of the hose. If the drain hose is not kinked, twisted, or clogged with water at the end of the hose. 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The HS error code will cause the dryer to run for 21/2 hours, which may seem as though the dryer, located below the lint filter. Allow the sensors to fully dry before attempting another cycle. If the HS error code persists, the unit may require a repair service. Please visit our Request a Repair page. An P error code on the dryer's display indicates that there is a problem with the electrical wiring in the home, and that no current is being detected at the heater. Make sure the power cord is securely plugged into a grounded outlet matching the dryer's rating plate of 240V. From the home's main, turn OFF the dryer's circuit breaker for at least 10 seconds to clear the power surge inside the breaker. If the nP error is displaying, the home's outlet may need to be checked by a licensed electrician in order to ensure that the correct voltage is supplied to the dryer. If the dryer is still not heating at this stage, the unit requires a repair service Please visit our Request a Repair page. This usually happens after a power outage. To fix it, we're going to do a factory reset. Unplug the dryer or trip the circuit breaker supplying power to the dryer off. While the dryer or trip the circuit breaker supplying power to the dryer off. While the dryer or trip the circuit breaker supplying power to the dryer off. While the dryer off. Wh persists, the unit may require a repair service. Please visit our Request a Repair page. A PS error code on the dryer's display indicates that there is improper voltage with the power cord, which could be caused by the white and red wire connections being reversed on the dryer's terminal block. Make sure the power cord is securely plugged into a grounded outlet matching the dryer's rating plate of 240V. From the home's main, turn OFF the dryer is still not heating at this stage, the unit requires a repair service. Please visit our Request a Repair page. Refer to the owner's manual for the dryer's power cord. You can get a copy from our Manuals and Documents page. A tE1 error code on the display of the dryer indicates a problem was detected with the dryer's thermistor. If the tE1 error code is showing on the dryer's display: Unplug the dryer, or trip the circuit breaker supplying power to the dryer emains without power, press and hold the START/PAUSE button for 5 seconds. Restore power to the dryer emains without power, press and hold the START/PAUSE button for 5 seconds. unit may require a repair service. Please visit our Request a Repair page. A tE2 error code on the display of the dryer indicates a problem was detected with the dryer's thermistor, normally during cold conditions. The extra humidity in the dryer indicates a problem was detected with the dryer indicates a problem wa faster, resulting in the dryer displaying the tE2 error. If the tE2 error code is showing on the dryer's display during the SteamFresh cycle. Press the MORE TIME button until big is shown in the display. Press the START button. If the tE2 error code occurs again after resetting the dryer, the unit may require a repair service. Please visit our Request a Repair page. A tE3 error code on the dryer's thermistor. If the tE3 error code on the dryer indicates a problem was detected with the dryer's thermistor. If the tE3 error code is showing on the dryer, or trip the circuit breaker supplying power to the dryer. While the dryer remains without power, press and hold the START/PAUSE button for 5 seconds. Restore power to the dryer and try to run another cycle. If the tE3 error code occurs again after resetting the dryer, the unit may require a repair service. Please visit our Request a Repair page. An Add Water error reading on the dryer's display indicates that there is a water supply error. Before using a steam cycle, the steam feeder must be filled with water up to the MAX indicator lines. Check the steam feeder to be sure that it is full of water reading appears on the dryer's display after a cycle has started: Press PAUSE to temporarily stop the running cycle. Fill the steam feeder with tap water to the MAX fill line. Power the unit off and back on again, select the STEAM cycle, and press the START/PAUSE button to finish the cycle. Check filter is not an error, it was designed to serve as a reminder to clean the lint filter before each use to ensure great drying every time. The indicator turns off when you turn the cycle knob to select a drying program or when the START/PAUSE button is pressed. A CL code or CHILD LOCK reading on the dryer's display is not actually an error code, but rather an indication that the Child Lock feature is active. For most models, press and hold the key labeled CHILD LOCK for 3 seconds to disable the Child Lock feature. Note: When the child lock feature is active, the control panel is disabled and settings cannot be adjusted. This is normal. The machine runs a dry portion and cooling portion of the cycle. This display is not an error code and does not indicate that there is a problem with the dryer. When activated, wrinkle care functions at the end of the drying cycle and will continue to tumble the dryer drum to prevent wrinkles. The drum will rotate for 10 seconds and then off for 6 minutes. It will run for up to 3 hours. If the door is opened during this time, the Wrinkle Care option will turn off. If you need to reset the Control Panel Power the dryer OFF and unplug it from the electrical outlet (You can also trip the circuit breaker if that's easier). Press and hold the START/PAUSE key for 5 seconds while the unit is without power. Turn the breaker back on, and power on the unit. Print Email Copy Link \*Required question

