# HAIR AND BEARD CLIPPER

MC 6040

**ENGLISH** 







Please note the following instructions when using the appliance:

- The appliance is designed for domestic use only.
- This appliance is designed solely for trimming human hair and beards. Any other use is expressly prohibited.
- Never use or charge the appliance in the bath, shower or over a wash basin filled with water; nor should it be operated with wet hands.



- Never use the appliance if it, the cutting head or the power adapter show any signs of damage.
- Only use the appliance with the parts and power adapter supplied.
- Caution! Always keep the power adapter dry.
- When the appliance is being charged, on no account should it come into contact with water or any other liquid.

- Do not completely immerse the appliance in water.
- After charging, always unplug the cable from the socket and disconnect the power adapter from the wall socket.
- Do not drop the appliance.
- To avoid damaging the power cord, prevent it from being squashed, bent or from rubbing on sharp edges. Keep the power cord away from hot surfaces and open flames.
- Never place the appliance, accessories or power adapter on or near hot surfaces.
- Check that the mains voltage on the rating label corresponds to your local mains supply.

# **SAFETY**

- Keep the appliance out of the reach of children.
- The appliance may not be used by the following people, including children: those with limited physical, sensory or mental capabilities or those with a lack of experience and knowledge. This does not apply to the latter if they were instructed in the use of the appliance or if they use it under the supervision of a person responsible for their safety. Children should always be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the appliance.
- Do not open the appliance under any circumstances. No warranty claims are accepted for damage caused by improper handling.

# **OVERVIEW**

Dear Customer,

Congratulations on the purchase of your MC 6040 hair and beard clipper.

Please read the following user notes carefully to ensure you can enjoy your quality GRUNDIG product for many years to come.

# A responsible approach!



GRUNDIG focusses on contractually agreed social working conditions with fair wages for both internal employees

and suppliers. We also attach great importance to the efficient use of raw materials with continuous waste reduction of several tonnes of plastic every year. Furthermore, all our accessories are available for at least 5 years. For a future worth living. For a good reason. Grundig.

### **Special features**

Your hair and beard clipper is designed to cut and style your hair and beard with the greatest of ease and without irritation.

- Adjusts in 21 positions with 2 adjustable combs which set hair lengths between 1.5 mm and 41 mm (1.5 mm without comb)
- Ceramic and stainless steel blade

#### **Controls**

See the illustrations on page 2.

- A Cutting head ceramic/ stainless steel blade
- B On/Off switch
- C Blue charge indicator LED
- D Charging stand

### **Accessories**

- E Adjustable comb 1
- F Cutting length indicator
- G Comb latch
- H Adjustable comb 2
- Power adapter
- J Charging plug
- K Cleaning brush
- L Oil

# Rechargeable battery operation

When operating the appliance with the built-in nickel metal hydride battery, only use the power adapter supplied for charging.

Check that the voltage indicated on the rating plate of the power adapter corresponds to your local power supply.

The power adapter has an automatic 100 - 240 V~, 50/60 Hz transformer which works anywhere in the world. This allows it to adjust to all international AC voltages.

- 1 Press the On/Off switch **B** to switch off the appliance.
- 2 Insert the charging plug J into the appliance socket and power adapter I into the wall socket.

#### Note

The groove on the charging plug J must match the notch in the appliance socket.



- The charge indicator LED C lights up blue.
- When the appliance is fully charged, the charge indicator LED © goes out.
- 3 Pull the charging plug J out of the appliance socket and the power adapter T out of the wall socket.

# **POWER SUPPLY**

# Using the charging stand

- 1 Press the On/Off switch **B** to switch off the appliance.
- 2 Insert the charging plug J into the socket at the back of the charging stand D.

#### Note

The groove on the charging plug J must match the notch in the charging stand D socket.



- 3 Plug the power adapter I into the wall socket. Place the appliance in the charging stand D.
  - The charge indicator LED C lights up blue.
  - When the appliance is fully charged, the charge indicator LED © goes out.

- 4 Pull the power adapter I out of the wall socket.
- 5 Remove the appliance from the charging stand D.

#### **Notes**

- Before first use or if you have not used the appliance for a long time, charge up the batteries completely (about 14 hours). The charging time afterwards is approximately 10 hours.
- This appliance is designed to charge and operate perfectly between 15 °C and 40 °C.
- If you switch on the appliance while it is charging, charging will be interrupted.
- When fully charged, the appliance works for around 45 minutes. It is not advisable to charge the batteries after each use. Generally, you should only charge the batteries when they are completely discharged. This increases their service life.

# Operating with the power adapter

Check that the voltage indicated on the rating plate of the power adapter corresponds to your local power supply.

The only way to disconnect the appliance from the power supply is to unplug the power adapter.

Plug the charging plug J into the appliance socket and the power adapter I into the wall socket.

#### Note

- The groove on the charging plug must match the notch in the appliance socket.
  - The appliance is now ready to operate.

### Caution

When in the bathroom or beside a water connection, only use the appliance in battery mode; never run it from the mains.

# **PREPARATION**

#### Notes

- The trimming length without combing system is 1.5 mm.
- Trimming without a comb is perfect for designer stubble.
- Width of cutting head 40 mm.

# Setting the trimming length

The adjustable comb 1 E and comb 2 H allow the appliance to adjust in 20 different lengths:

# Adjustable comb 1 E

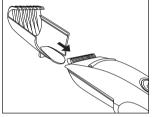
2 mm
4 mm
6 mm
8 mm
10 mm
12 mm
14 mm
16 mm
18 mm
21 mm

# Adjustable comb 2 H

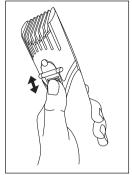
Position 1	22 mm
Position 2	24 mm
Position 3	26 mm
Position 4	28 mm
Position 5	30 mm
Position 6	32 mm
Position 7	34 mm
Position 8	36 mm
Position 9	38 mm
Position 10	41 mm

# **PREPARATION**

1 Slide the adjustable comb 1 E or the adjustable comb 2 H over the cutting head A. Make sure that the notches on the adjustable combs are properly inserted into the grooves on the sides of the appliance.



- 2 Adjust the trimming length by pressing the comb latch G forwards or backwards into the required position. Make sure that the adjustable comb 1 E or the adjustable comb 2 H clicks into its place.
  - The position indicator F shows the adjusted length position.



3 After use, remove the adjustable comb 1 E or the adjustable comb 2 H from the appliance.

# **OPERATION**

## **Trimming hair**

Make sure that the hair is clean and completely dry.

Place a towel around the neck and shoulders of the person whose hair you are trimming. Make sure that the person is seated so that their head is roughly at your eye level. Before trimming, comb the hair so that it falls naturally and you can see the direction in which it grows.

- Adjust the trimming length by referring to the "Preparation" section.
- 2 Press the On/Off switch B to switch on the appliance.
  - The appliance starts.
- 3 Place the cutting head A on the person's hair.
- 4 Move the cutting head A against the direction of hair growth. Apply only a slight pressure when cutting with slow, gentle movements.
- 5 After use, switch off the appliance with the On/Off switch **B**.

## **Useful tips**

Hold the appliance with a relaxed and comfortable grip.

- Always cut against the natural direction of the hair.
- As you cut, take a break at regular intervals. You can always make a correction, but not once the hair has been cut.
- Only cut a small amount the first time you use it. This is the only way to get used to the variable positions.
- Keep combing the hair. Only look for hair which is too long and comb out clippings.

## **Beard trimming**

- 1 Adjust the trimming length by referring to the "Preparation" section
- 2 Press the On/Off switch B to switch on the appliance.
  - The appliance starts.
- 3 Place the cutting head A on the beard.
- 4 Move the cutting head against the direction of hair growth. Apply only a slight pressure when cutting with slow, gentle movements.
- 5 After use, switch off the appliance with the On/Off switch B.

# **OPERATION**

#### **Notes**

- If the appliance is blocked by thick hair while you are using it, switch it off. If running it from the mains, unplug the socket.

  Remove the adjustable comb and clean the cutting head with the brush supplied. Clean the appliance as described in the "Cleaning and Care" section.
- For trimming contours, remove the adjustable comb 1 **E** or adjustable comb 2 **H**. Use the appliance without the combs (cutting length is 1.5 mm).

# **CLEANING AND CARE**

### **General information**

The appliance must be cleaned regularly so that you can continue to enjoy its top performance and optimum results.

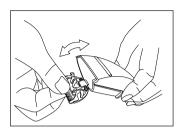
# Cleaning

- Press the On/Off switch B to switch off the appliance and unplug the power adapter if you are running it from the mains.
- 2 Remove the adjustable comb 1

  E or adjustable comb 2 H from the appliance. Clean the cutting head A with the cleaning brush K provided.
- 3 Remove the cutting head A by pushing the blade outwards. Clean the cutting head A and the cavity in the appliance with the cleaning brush K provided.



4 Insert the cutting head A by first placing the claw into the cavity and pressing on the cutting head until it clicks on its place.



#### **Notes**

- Never use water or any other liquids to clean the appliance.
   Only use the cleaning brush provided.
- You can rinse the cutting head and the two adjustable combs with water, but you must remove them from the appliance first.
- Remove any clippings after each use.
- The cutting head of your appliance does not normally need to be oiled. If you want to maintain the original condition of the cutting head for as long as possible, it is worth oiling it at regular intervals (with the oil L provided).

## INFORMATION

## Storage

If you do not plan to use the appliance for a long period of time, please store it carefully.

Make sure that it is unplugged and is completely dry.

Store the appliance in a cool, dry place.

Make sure that the appliance is kept out of the reach of children.

## **Environmental note**

This product is manufactured from high-quality parts and materials which can be reused and recycled.



Therefore, do not dispose of the device and the built-in rechargeable battery along with normal household waste at

the end of its service life. Take it to a collection point for the recycling of electrical and electronic equipment. This is indicated by this symbol on the product, in the operating manual and on the packaging.

Please find out about collection points operated by your local authority.

Help protect the environment by recycling used products.

## **INFORMATION**

## **Technical data**



This product conforms to the European directives 2004/108/EC, 2006/95/

EC and 2009/125/EC.

**Power supply** 

Power adapter: HC-11-036100EU

Input: 100-240 V~; 50/60 Hz

Output: 3.6 V DC 1000 mA

Batteries: Nickel metal hydride

Ni-MH



Design and specifications subject to change without notice.

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