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**THE RUGGED COMMANDER**

# TOOL TIPS

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# IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

When using electrical appliances, especially when children are present, basic safety instructions should always be followed, including the following:

Polythene bags over product or package may be dangerous. To avoid danger of suffocation, keep this wrapper away from babies and children. This bag is not a toy.

**DANGER:** When the unit is used in a bathroom, unplug it after use since the proximity of water presents a hazard even when the appliance is switched off.



**WARNING:** Do not use or leave the USB charging cable in a position where it can become wet or there is a danger of it falling into a basin or other vessels containing water. Detach the hand-held part from the USB charging cable before cleaning in water.

- Do not immerse appliance in water or other liquids.
- Do not reach for an appliance that has fallen into water.
- Take care to avoid contact between the moving blades of the unit and the skin, paying particular attention to the face, neck and hands.
- This appliance is not intended for use by persons (including children) with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge, unless they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance by a person responsible for their safety.
- Children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the appliance.
- This appliance contains batteries that are non-replaceable.

**IMPORTANT:** Always unplug the appliance when not in use or before cleaning. Do not leave unattended when plugged in or switched on. Do not place on any heat sensitive surface.

- Do not use any attachments other than those supplied by Conair Australia Pty Ltd.
- Use this appliance only for its intended use as described within this instruction booklet.
- Always unplug the appliance when fully charged.
- This appliance is not intended for commercial use.
- Keep air openings free of lint, hair and similar debris.
- Never drop or insert any object into an opening.
- Do not use the appliance with damaged or broken attachment combs or with any teeth missing from the blades, as injury may occur.
- Do not place on any surface while it is operating.
- Keep the USB charging cable away from heated surfaces.
- Never twist or pull on the USB charging cable.
- Do not use an extension USB charging cable with this appliance.
- After use do not wrap the cable around the appliance as in time this may cause the cord to fracture. Coil cable loosely by the side of the appliance in storage.
- Do not use outdoors or operate where aerosol (spray) products are being used or where oxygen is being administered.
- Do not use the appliance if it is damaged. In the event of damage, discontinue use immediately and contact your dealer for instructions on returning it for examination or exchange. If the USB charging cable is damaged, it must be replaced by the manufacturer, its service agent or similarly qualified person in order to avoid a hazard.
- Always ensure that the voltage to be used corresponds to the voltage marked on the unit.
- When using with the USB charging adaptor, for additional protection, the installation of a residual current device (RCD) with a rated operating current not exceeding 30mA is advisable in the electrical current circuit supplying the bathroom - ask your installer for advice.
- The appliance is only to be used with the USB charging cord provided with the appliance.

# THE RUGGED COMMANDER

STEP UP, IT'S GROOMING TIME.

The Rugged Commander is the rechargeable lithium all-in-one trimmer that's built tough.



1. Lithium-Ion Powered Trimmer
2. Trimmer Head
3. Body Grooming Attachment
4. Ear/Nose Trimming Attachment
5. Body Grooming Comb Guides

6. 5-Position Comb Guides
7. Jawline Comb Guides
8. USB Cord
9. Storage Pouch
10. Cleaning Brush

# PREPPING YOUR NEW TOOL

## CHARGING

The Rugged Commander is so easy to use. But before you start using your new tool, you must take the time to charge it overnight for **3 hours** before its first use. Your new tool comes with a small amount of charge, but the initial charge will ensure your new tool will have optimum power performance to give you smooth fast cutting, every time.

- Before using the trimmer for the first time, charge continuously for 3 hours.
- Maximum battery capacity will be reached only after 3 charging and discharging cycles.
- To charge the trimmer, first make sure it is switched off. Insert the type C USB plug into the bottom of the trimmer, then insert the USB cable into a USB wall adaptor with output 5.0V DC, 1000mA. Plug the adaptor into any wall outlet at the voltage listed on the label affixed to the adaptor. Unplug adaptor when not in use.
- The adaptor may become warm while charging. This is normal.
- Plug the charging adaptor into a wall outlet and switch unit on.
- A full charge will supply 260 minutes of cordless runtime.
- When charging, the unit will not operate.
- To maintain optimum capacity of the rechargeable battery, it is highly recommended to fully discharge and then recharge the trimmer for 3 hours every 6 months.

**WARNING:** If the charging light suddenly starts to flash rapidly, the appliance is faulty. If this happens, stop charging, remove the adaptor from the outlet and contact our Customer Care Center for further advice (see the Warranty section of this information booklet).

## TRAVEL LOCK

To prevent the appliance from switching on unintentionally, you can lock the ON/OFF button. Press and hold down the ON/OFF button for 2 seconds and the unit will then be locked. If the ON/OFF button is pressed now, the LED light will flash for 3 seconds, but the appliance will not switch on. If you want to unlock your appliance, press and hold down the ON/OFF button for 2 seconds. The appliance will then unlock and start to work normally.

## TRIMMER CHARGING PRECAUTIONS

- Avoid charging the battery at temperatures below 5°C or above 35°C.
- Avoid charging the battery in direct sunlight or near a radiating heat source.

## CORDLESS OPERATION

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- Once the appliance is fully charged, the charging light will stop flashing, but remain on. Unplug the adaptor from the outlet, then the USB cable from the appliance and prepare for use.

**NOTE:** As an extra safety feature, this trimmer is designed to not operate while charging.

## WET/DRY FEATURE

This device is showerproof only when unplugged from a wall outlet. Once it is unplugged, it can be safely used in the shower and cleaned using running water from a faucet. The trimmer is not meant to be submerged in water. Always allow the trimmer to dry thoroughly after each use and before storing.

# HOW TO USE THE RUGGED COMMANDER

## BEFORE USING

- Always inspect the trimmer blades for noticeable signs of damage.
- Always inspect the trimmer blades before use to ensure they are free from hair, debris etc.
- Ensure the trimmer is sufficiently charged before use.
- For best performance use on clean, dry hair that has been combed until tangle-free.

## OILING THE BLADES (OIL NOT INCLUDED)

To get the sharpest, most precise cut, it is highly recommended to oil the blades about once a month.

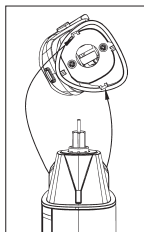
1. Turn the trimmer ON.
2. Hold and point the blades downward.
3. Spread one drop of oil across the blades.
4. Turn the trimmer OFF and wipe away any excess oil.

### NOTE:

1. Do not over-oil the blades, as this can damage the motor.
2. Do not oil the motor bearing, as it is permanently lubricated.
3. KEEP OIL AWAY FROM CHILDREN.

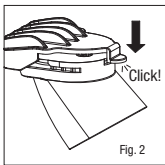
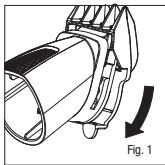
## CHANGING THE MAGNETIC HEADS

1. Before changing the heads, ensure the appliance is switched off.
2. To remove the head, hold the handle of the appliance with one hand, hold the head with the other and simply pull up to release the head from the unit.
3. To attach a head, align the slots on the head with the ribs on both sides of the trimmer unit as shown above, until it meets the magnet and is securely held in place.



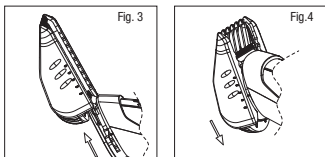
## ATTACHING THE COMB GUIDES TO THE TRIMMER

1. Slide the trimmer blade under the comb guide's teeth (Fig. 1).
2. Click the guide into position by gently pressing the back of the guide down onto the back of the blade (see Fig. 2).
3. The comb guide should click under the back of the metal blade.



## 5-POSITION/BODY GROOMING COMB GUIDES

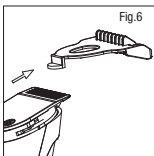
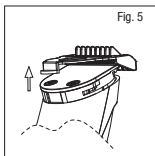
1. Slide the trimmer blade under the comb guide's teeth (Fig. 3)
2. Click the guide into position by gently pressing the tail of the guide down onto the back of the blade (see Fig. 4).



3. The comb guide should be clicked under the back of the metal blade.
4. To remove the comb guide, push up the comb attachment to release.

## USING THE TRIMMER WITHOUT THE COMB GUIDE

1. The trimmer blade can be used to edge and detail or to get a much closer cut.
2. To remove a comb guide, gently press up on the back of the comb which will release it from the back of the blade (see Fig. 5).
3. Lift the comb away (see Fig 6).



## GETTING STARTED OUTLINING YOUR BEARD

1. It is always best to begin with a clean dry or slightly damp beard (not wet).
2. After you have combed through your beard in the direction it grows naturally, you will want to outline the desired shape beginning under your jawline.
3. For ultra-close cuts and straight lines, use the trimming blade. Begin defining your beard's shape under your chin and work each side upward on of your face toward your ears. Then define the upper outline of your beard across your cheeks, past your sideburns, and toward your hairline.



## TRIMMING YOUR BEARD

1. The trimmer includes a 5-position comb for use with the hair trimming blade (2–10mm).
2. To use the 5-position comb, slide the unit over the trimmer blade and snap it down into position. At first, until you become familiar with the adjustments, use the longest trim setting (you can always go back and make your beard a little shorter).
3. Begin trimming your beard using smooth, even strokes. Start with your sideburns and work downward toward your chin (never attempt to trim against the natural growth of your beard because the hair will be cut too short).
4. If you decide you want a closer trim, you can now adjust the 5-position comb attachment to a shorter setting (such as 2mm or 4mm) and go over your beard again until you achieve the desired length.

## TRIMMING YOUR MOUSTACHE

1. Start with a clean, slightly damp moustache.
2. Comb through your mustache in the direction it grows.
3. Trim your moustache from the top down; finish by outlining the bottom of your moustache.
4. Start with the 5-position attachment comb on the longest setting, as you can always go back and shorten the length as desired.

## BLENDING THE JAWLINE

1. The three jawline attachments will help you to achieve a neat, finished trim under your chin. To use one of the attachments, press it down over the trimmer blade until it clicks into position.
2. Hold the trimmer in an upright position and begin trimming under your jawline, using short, even strokes.
3. After your beard is blended, turn off the trimmer and remove the attachment by gently pulling up on tab.

## **BODY GROOMER**

1. Ensure the appliance is switched off.
2. Attach the body groomer head by taking off the current head and snapping the body groomer head into the base of the appliance.
3. Switch the trimmer on.
4. Hold the trimmer flat against the skin.
5. Move the trimmer upward and outward through the hair, against the direction of hair growth.
6. Make sure to be particularly careful when trimming sensitive areas.
7. The trimmer will work most efficiently when cutting through hair at its own speed.
8. Never switch the appliance off while in the hair.

## **USING THE NOSE & EAR TRIMMER**

1. For the safe and easy removal of unwanted nose and ear hair, use the rotary trimmer head.
2. Switch the trimmer on.
3. Insert the trimmer into the nose or ear and gently move the trimmer in a circular motion.
4. Only use the trimmer at the entrance to the ear or nose. Do not use any deeper, as this could cause injury.
5. Never turn the appliance off while trimming nose and ear hair.

# TRIMMER CLEANING & MAINTENANCE






Because the trimmer blades are precision made for a very special use, they should always be handled with care. To ensure long-lasting performance of your trimmer, it is important to clean the blades + the comb guides after every use.

After each use, clean the trimmer blade set as follows:

1. Remove the comb guide after use. Rinse under running water and dry thoroughly before storage or use.
2. Remove the trimmer head after use. The heads are washable and clean easily. Rinse under running water and dry thoroughly before storage or use.
3. Do not disassemble the blades.
4. For optimal cutting performance, we highly recommend oiling the blades once a month. Please refer to OILING INSTRUCTIONS section.
5. For instructions on how to reattach the head, please refer to CHANGING THE MAGNETIC HEADS section.

# WORLDWIDE VOLTAGE

This appliance has a multi voltage feature for worldwide use. The voltage automatically converts for ease of use from 100v - 240v. This appliance has an automatic internal converter which will automatically convert the voltage without the need of a switch. A suitable USB wall adaptor will be required, please refer to the chart below.

USB Wall adaptor required	Voltage and plug adaptors	Country	Voltage setting
	British plug: 230V	Ireland, Great Britain, Singapore, South America, Hong Kong (parts only), Africa (parts only)	230V
	European plug: 230V	Asia, Europe, Middle East Noumea, Scandinavia, South America, Hong Kong (parts only)	230V
	Australian and New Zealand plug: 230-240V	Australia, New Zealand	230-240V
 	American plugs: 120V	North America, Japan, Canada (parts of)	120V

# BATTERY DISPOSAL

The Rugged Commander contains a Li-ion battery. To protect the environment, the appliance must be disposed of safely at the end of its useful life.



Please take the appliance to a recycling centre, where the internal rechargeable battery should be removed by a professional and recycled separately.

For more information about the recycling of electrical and battery operated appliances, please contact your local council office or your household waste disposal service.

# WARRANTIES

1. In this warranty document ("Warranty Document"), "Conair", "we" or "us" means:
  - Conair Australia Pty Limited (ABN 64 068 492 044) of The Equinox Centre, Suite 101, 18 Rodborough Rd, Frenchs Forest, NSW, 2086, in relation to products purchased in Australia; or Conair New Zealand Ltd of Conair New Zealand Limited, PO BOX 251159 Pakuranga, Auckland 2140, New Zealand in relation to products purchased in New Zealand.
  - Nothing in this Warranty Document limits or reduces (or purports to limit or reduce) any statutory guarantees pursuant to the Australian Consumer Law for Australian customers or the Consumer Guarantees Act 1993 for New Zealand customers.
  - If you have any questions about the product you have purchased in either Australia or New Zealand, please contact us on 1800 650 263 (for Australian customers) or 0800 266 247 (for New Zealand customers). Further contact details are set out at the bottom of this Warranty Document.

## STANDARD 2 YEAR (24 MONTH) WARRANTY

2. **AUSTRALIA:** Our goods come with guarantees that cannot be excluded under the Australian Consumer Law. You are entitled to a replacement or refund for a major failure and compensation for any other reasonably foreseeable loss or damage. You are also entitled to have the goods repaired or replaced if the goods fail to be of acceptable quality and the failure does not amount to a major failure.  
**NEW ZEALAND:** Our goods come with guarantees that cannot be excluded under the Consumer Guarantees Act 1993. This guarantee applies in addition to the conditions and guarantees implied by that legislation.
3. Conair's name, postage address, email and phone number are available at the bottom of this Warranty Document, under "Contact Information".
4. This Standard 2 Year (24 Month) Warranty ("Standard Warranty") applies for a period of 2 years (24 months) from the date that you purchased your product ("Standard Warranty Period"). For clarity, the relevant defect must appear within the Standard Warranty Period timeframe for this Standard Warranty to apply.
5. If your product is defective, and the product is covered under this Standard Warranty, you should, in the first instance, take the product back to the place you purchased it from or

contact us directly if you are unable to take the product back to the place of purchase. The procedure for claiming under this Standard Warranty is as detailed below.

6. To make a Standard Warranty claim, you will need to return the defective product back to the place it was purchased where it will be assessed under this Standard Warranty. Or if you are unable to return the defective product back to the place of purchase, you will need to call our Customer Service team on 1800 650 263 (for Australian Customers) or 0800 266 247 (for New Zealand customers) or send an email to the email address provided below under 'Contact Information'.
7. **In order to make a claim under this Standard Warranty, you will need to provide the following details to Conair:**
  1. **Date of purchase**
  2. **Retailer name & location**
  3. **Product model number & name**
  4. **Confirm you have your purchase receipt**
  5. **Detail the problem with your product.**
8. If you make a Standard Warranty claim directly with us, we will ask for you to send us back the defective product along with the purchase receipt. To do this, please head to your local post office and send the product to our reply paid address which is: Reply Paid 146, PO Box 146, Terrey Hills NSW 2084. For clarity, we will be responsible for covering the cost of postage to the above reply paid address.
9. Once we receive your product, we assess it accordingly. Upon analysing the defect, we will either: a) have the product replaced and sent back to you; or b) refund you (either in part or in full).
10. The benefits provided to you under this Standard Warranty are in addition to other rights and remedies available to you under consumer law.
11. Within the Standard Warranty Period, if your product suffers a defect in the materials or workmanship, Conair will either refund or replace your product, in our sole discretion, for no charge.
12. Under this Standard Warranty, we do not have to refund, repair or replace your product if the product's defect or damage is a result of misuse, abuse, accident, act of God such as lightning, or nonobservance of Conair's instruction booklet on the part of the user.
13. The Standard Warranty does not cover ordinary wear and tear of the product.
14. This Standard Warranty is immediately void if: a) any serial number or product plate is removed or defaced, or b) the product has been serviced or otherwise repaired by a person

not authorised to do so by Conair or where non-approved replacement parts are used.

15. You are aware that the product is designed for domestic use only and that it must be connected to the electrical voltage supply as specified in the ratings label located on the product itself and detailed in the product's instruction booklet. The Standard Warranty does not cover defects arising from non-domestic use or use of incorrect voltage supply.
16. This Standard Warranty may only be claimed where proof of original purchase is presented, for example, original receipt or invoice.
17. The Standard Warranty on any replacement product or parts will expire on the same date that the Standard Warranty Period on the original product expires, as far as the law permits.
18. In order to obtain a remedy under this Standard Warranty, the defect must have occurred during this Standard Warranty Period and you (as the purchaser) bear the onus of proving that fact, and that the defect was not caused by any of the exclusions above.
19. This Standard Warranty does not cover any product purchased from any entity who is not an authorised Conair distributor or reseller. For clarity, all warranties are only enforceable in Australia and New Zealand.
20. To the fullest extent permitted by law, Conair does not accept liability for: a) any loss or damage however suffered, caused by or arising out of any failure to use a product in accordance with Conair's instruction booklet; and b) any indirect, consequential or economic loss or damage however caused.
21. We will be responsible for all postage and freight charges and any other expenses incidental to claiming under the Standard Warranty, however you must send the product back to our Reply Paid address (which is: Reply Paid 146, PO Box 146, Terrey Hills NSW 2084).
22. If your product is defective, and the product is covered by this Standard Warranty, you should take the product back to the place you purchased it from or contact us directly using the contact information provided in the Contact Information section below.
23. To honour the Standard Warranty, you must retain your proof of original purchase, for example, original receipt or invoice and you must present the proof of original to obtain replacement, refund or service under this Standard Warranty, alongside your defective product.
24. You understand that the Standard Warranty may only be claimed where proof of original purchase is presented, i.e. original purchase receipt or invoice. When asked to do so, please provide your proof of original purchase along with the requested information/defective item.

## SPARE PARTS

25. Replacement parts may be available for your product. Contact us on the phone or email address provided for more details. Please provide your product name/model number details, date of purchase and part you require.

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