

# EUROMATIC



## 40cm Pedestal Fan with Remote Control

### INSTRUCTION MANUAL

Model Number PF40RC-CH

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# Important Safety Instructions

## READ CAREFULLY AND KEEP FOR FUTURE REFERENCE

Read this manual thoroughly before first use, even if you are familiar with this type of product. The safety precautions enclosed herein reduce the risk of fire, electric shock and injury when correctly adhered to. Make sure you understand all instructions and warnings. Keep the manual in a safe place for future reference, along with any warranty information, your purchase receipt and the original packaging. **Always follow basic safety precautions and accident prevention measures when using an electrical appliance, including the following:**

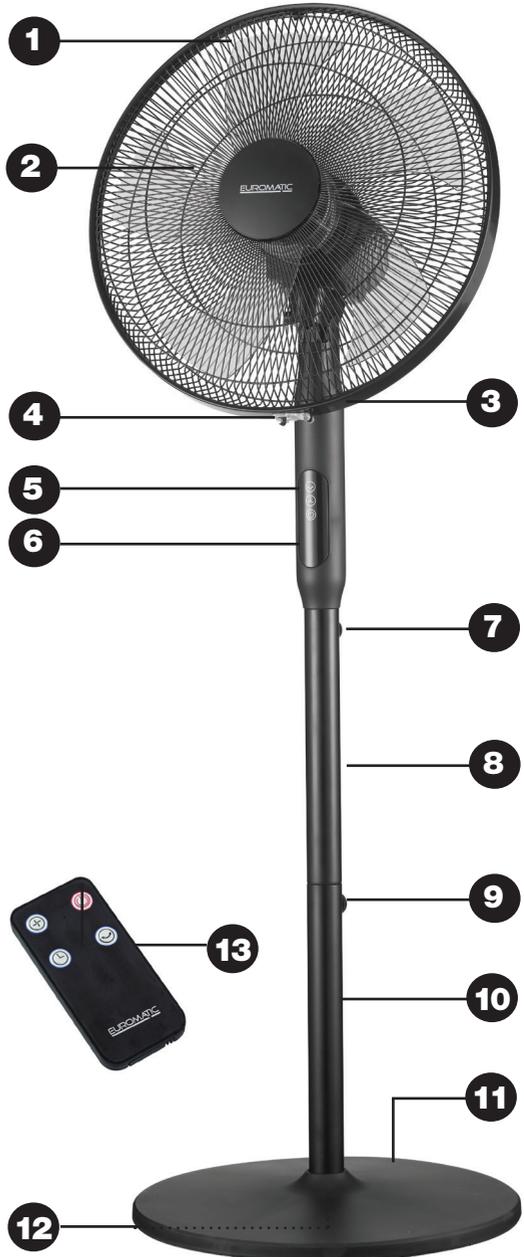
- **Voltage:** Ensure your outlet voltage and circuit frequency correspond to the voltage stated on the appliance rating label. If this is not the case, do not use.
- **Water:** To protect against fire and electric shock, do not immerse the cord, plug or fan in water or other liquid, or expose the electrical connections to water. Ensure your hands are dry before handling the plug or switching on the fan. Do not use the fan outdoors or on wet surfaces. Protect it from liquid spills.
- **Damage:** Check the power cord regularly for visible damage. If the cord is damaged, it must be replaced by the manufacturer, its authorised service centres or appropriately qualified personnel in order to avoid any hazards.  
**WARNING!** Do not pick up or operate the fan if the supply cord, plug or housing is damaged, or after it malfunctions or has been dropped or damaged in any manner. If damaged, contact our after sales support centre for advice.
- **Protect the power cord:**
  - Do not operate the fan with the cord coiled up; always fully unwind.
  - Do not twist or kink the cord or let it touch heated surfaces.
  - Do not put any stress on the cord where it connects to the product.
  - Never carry the fan by the cord.
  - Arrange the cord away from any traffic area so no one will trip over it.
  - Do not run the cord under carpeting or cover it with rugs or runners.
- **WARNING! No extension cord, no timer:** Do not use this fan with an extension cord, plug adaptor, external timer or separate speed control device.
- **Connection:** To insert the plug, grip it firmly and guide it into the outlet. Do not use more than one electrical appliance at the same time on the same outlet.
- **Disconnection:** Do not use the power button as the sole means for disconnecting power. Always unplug the fan from the power outlet when it is not in use and before cleaning, servicing, moving or storing the appliance. Grasp the plug and remove it from the outlet, do not pull the cord when disconnecting.
- **Guard removal:** Ensure the fan is disconnected from the power supply before removing a front or rear guard (grille).
- **Attachments:** The use of accessory attachments not recommended in this manual may cause injury or hazards.

# Important Safety Instructions (Cont.)

- **RCD:** Unless your home is already fitted with a residual current device (safety switch), we recommend installing an RCD with a rated residual operating current not exceeding 30mA to provide additional safety protection when using electrical appliances. See your electrician for professional advice.
- **Domestic use only:** This appliance is intended for indoor household use only. It is not suitable for commercial, industrial or outdoor use. Do not use it for anything other than its intended purpose, such as for drying clothes. Only use it as described in this manual. Any other use may cause fire, electric shock or injury.
- **Misuse:** We accept no liability for any damages or personal injury caused by misuse of the product and/or failure to follow these instructions.
- **Usage restriction:** This fan 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:** This fan is not a toy. Supervise children to ensure they do not play with it. Close supervision is necessary when any appliance is used by or near children.
- **WARNING! Do not leave unattended during use!** Always switch it off and unplug when not in use, if left unattended and before cleaning and storing.
- **Location:** Place the fan on a dry, flat, stable surface to avoid overturning.
- **Keep the top clear:** Do not place anything on top of fan.
- **Proper assembly:** Do not operate the fan until fully assembled on the base; the fan must stand upright for operation. Do not use the appliance without the protective grilles (rear and front guards). Do not attempt to force the grille in order to stop or start the fan.
- **WARNING! DO NOT use the fan in the following areas:**
  - \* near an open flame, a hot burner, oven or other source of high heat
  - \* on a soft surface (such as carpet) or where it may tip over during use
  - \* outdoors or in areas of high humidity without suitable ventilation (such as in a bathroom, laundry area, near a sink, washer, pool or any source of water)
  - \* near curtains, plants, window furnishings or where objects can become caught in the blades
  - \* near a window, where rain may create an electrical hazard
  - \* in areas where paint, petrol, etc. is stored and there is a risk of explosion or fire from flammable gases, or in areas where substances are being sprayed.
- **CAUTION! Personal safety:** Avoid contact with moving parts. Never insert fingers, pencils or any other objects through the grilles/housing when the fan is running. Keep hair and loose clothing well away from the fan when it is in use.
- **Free airflow:** Ensure nothing is blocking the air outlet and intake. Do not insert objects into any opening as this may cause electric shock and/or a fire hazard.

# Product Overview

- 1 Safety guards (front and rear grilles)
- 2 Fan blade
- 3 Clamping ring
- 4 Lock system of the clamping ring
- 5 Control panel
- 6 LED display
- 7 Fan body securing knob
- 8 Upper column
- 9 Column securing knob
- 10 Lower column
- 11 Stand base
- 12 Base locking lever
- 13 Remote control



**NOTE:** Due to continued product improvement, images and illustrations in this manual may vary slightly from the product purchased. All images in this manual are for reference purposes only. Parts are not necessarily pictured to scale.

# Getting Started

## Unpacking

- **Unpack:** This product has been packaged to protect it against transportation damage. Unpack the appliance and keep the original packaging carton and materials in a safe place. It will help prevent any damage if the product needs to be transported in the future, and you can use it to store the appliance when it is not in use. In the event that the packaging is to be disposed of, please recycle it where possible.  
**Do not discard the packaging material straight away.** Make sure you have unpacked the necessary assembly hardware for the fan head and base assembly.
- **Safe packaging disposal:** Plastic wrapping can be a suffocation hazard for babies and young children, so ensure all packaging materials are out of their reach and disposed of safely.
- **Check power cord:** Unwind the cord to its full length. Inspect the power supply cord and plug, and all other parts of the appliance, for visual damage. Do not use the appliance if anything appears to be damaged or not working properly. In case of damage, contact our after sales support centre.
- **Read instructions:** Make sure you have read and understood all instructions and warnings in this manual. Refer to the illustrations to familiarise yourself with the product and identify all parts. Pay particular attention to the safety instructions.
- **Remote control:** The fan comes with a remote control, which is powered by a CR2025 button cell (pre-installed). Pull the insulation film out from the back side of the remote control before using it. See page 10 for how to insert a new battery when the one supplied is depleted.
- **Assembly:** Your new fan has been shipped partially assembled to reduce wastage of packaging material, paper cartons and weight. Assembly instructions are provided on the following page.

**WARNING: Electric shock hazard!**

Do not plug the power supply cord into an electrical outlet until the fan is fully assembled.

# Getting Started (Cont.)

## Base assembly

1. Set the base on the floor.
2. Unscrew the metal washer and base locking lever and remove it from the bottom of the lower column.
3. Insert the lower column into the base, put the metal washer onto the black weight.
4. Insert the threaded end of the locking lever into the hole of the washer and through the base into the bottom of the lower column. Turn the locking lever clockwise to secure and tighten the base to the lower column.
5. Insert the upper column into the top hole of the lower column and tighten the column securing knob.
6. Place the fan body on the top of the upper column and tighten the body securing knob.

## Fan head assembly

1. Remove and discard the plastic sleeve on the motor shaft. Position the back grille against the front of the motor housing through the motor shaft. Ensure that the handle at the back of grille is facing up and that all guiding pegs on the motor housing are lined up with cut-outs on the back grille.
2. Secure the back grille into place with the nut. Fasten the nut firmly onto the motor housing by tightening it in a clockwise direction.
3. Install the fan blade onto the motor shaft with the cut-outs fitted.
4. Place the blade cap on the motor shaft after the blade.
5. Fasten the parts into place by tightening the blade cap in anticlockwise direction.
6. Check the correct rotation of the blade.
7. Attach the front grille to back grille and fasten the grilles with the clamping ring, using a screwdriver to tighten the screw to secure the fan head assembly.

# Instructions

## Control panel or remote control operation

For your convenience, the fan can be operated from the control panel at the front of the unit, or with the remote control. The buttons on the control panel operate the same functions as the remote control, except for setting the timer from the control panel, which is slightly different and explained in the instructions below.

When using the remote control, point it towards the LED display at the front of the fan and ensure that nothing is obstructing the path of the signal. Handle the remote control carefully; do not drop or throw it.



## Using the fan

- Place the fully assembled pedestal fan on a dry, level and stable surface, taking into consideration all relevant safety advice from the previous pages.
- Insert the plug into an appropriate electrical socket and switch on power at the outlet. The fan will enter standby mode.
- Press the POWER button to power on. The fan will start operation in default mode (medium speed). Press the button again to set the fan to standby.
- Press the SPEED button to select the fan speed from low, medium and high.
- Press the SWING button to start oscillation for widespread air distribution. Press the button once more to stop oscillation.
- To set the **timer** with the **remote control**, press the TIMER button. Then set the off-time in 1 hour increments up to a maximum of 18 hours.
- To set the **timer** on the **control panel**, press the SWING button and hold it for 3 seconds until the timer indicator on the display screen starts flashing. Then set the off-time as described above. The selected timer setting will flash 3 times on the panel and then turn back to show the selected speed.
- After the timer runs out, the fan will automatically shut off.
- Unplug the fan when not in use.

# Other Useful Information

## WARNING!

- Before cleaning, maintenance or moving the fan, and before removing a front or rear guard, switch off the fan and unplug it from the wall outlet.
- Do not immerse the fan in water or other liquids. Do not spray it with liquids. Do not allow water to drip on or into the fan motor housing.
- Never use petrol, solvents, harsh detergents, or abrasive or alkaline cleaners on the fan.

## Cleaning and maintenance

- **Dusting:** Clean your fan periodically by lightly running a vacuum cleaner nozzle (soft brush) over the front and rear guards to remove any dust or dirt that may have accumulated inside or on the unit. Alternatively, use a soft, dry cloth for dusting.
- **Stubborn stains:** Use a slightly damp, soapy cloth for stubborn stains but be sure the cloth is not too wet. Use caution around the motor housing area. Do not allow the motor or other electrical components to be exposed to water.
- **End of season cleaning:** When you have finished using the fan at the end of the season, wipe off any dust to maintain it in good working order for the next season. Disassemble the front grille and remove the fan blade. Carefully clean the blade and guards using a mild detergent and a damp cloth. Dry thoroughly.
- **Storage:** When storing your fan in the off season, make sure to disassemble and clean the fan before storing. Follow the assembly instructions in reverse order. It is important to keep the fan in a safe, dry location, protected from dust. We recommend using the original carton for storage. If you are storing the appliance fully assembled, place a large plastic bag or old sheet or towel over the top of the cleaned appliance for dust protection.
- **Service/repair:** The appliance requires no maintenance and contains no user-serviceable parts. Do not attempt to take the motor housing apart. Do not try to repair or modify the appliance. Do not operate the fan if its power cord or plug is damaged, or when it is working abnormally. In case of damage or malfunction, or if the cord is damaged, have the unit repaired by trained personnel only, or contact the after sales support centre for advice on repair or replacement. Before phoning for a service, please ensure that your fan is properly assembled and connected to your power supply.

# Other Useful Information (Cont.)

## Battery replacement

The remote control is powered by a 3V lithium button cell. When the battery needs replacing, insert a new one of the same type and size, as follows:

- Remove the screw at the back of the device using a Phillips screwdriver.
- Push the locking tab to one side and pull out the battery holder at the back side of remote control, as illustrated below.
- Remove the old button cell from the device and insert a new one, ensuring to match the polarity, as illustrated on the back of the remote control.
- Push the battery holder back into the device and secure it with the screw.



**DANGER** if swallowed

### **WARNING!**

The remote control contains a coin/button cell battery inside. Keep batteries out of reach of children. Swallowing may lead to serious injury or death in as little as 2 hours due to internal burns.

**If swallowed, immediately call the 24-hour Poisons Information Centre on 13 11 26 (AU) or the 24-hour National Poisons Centre on 0800 764 766 (NZ). Dispose of used batteries immediately.**

This product has been designed so that the coin/button cell battery is not accessible to young children, as the battery compartment cover is secured with a screw or mechanical fastener. Always ensure that the compartment is secured before use.

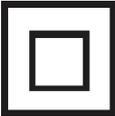
## Other battery precautions

- Do not mix different types of batteries.
- Remove empty batteries and dispose of them responsibly. Leaking or damaged batteries can cause burns on contact with skin.
- Do not dispose of used batteries in household waste. Dispose of them in accordance with statutory regulations.
- Never throw batteries into a fire or subject batteries to high temperatures.

# Other Useful Information (Cont.)

## Technical specifications

Power	220-240V~, 50Hz, 55W
Timer	18 hour timer
Fan speeds	3 (Low - Medium - High)
Remote control	Powered by a 3V lithium button cell (included)
Dimensions (mm)	1300mm (H) x 415mm (W) x 450mm (L)
Weight	approx. 6.5kg



### CLASS II - DOUBLE INSULATED APPLIANCE

This symbol indicates that the appliance has been designed in such a way that it does not require a safety connection to electrical earth (ground).

## Compliance

This appliance has been fully tested and meets all requirements as set out by standards AS/NZS 60335.1 and AS/NZS 60335.2.80.



The RCM Mark (Regulatory Compliance Mark) indicates that the product complies with the relevant guidelines of the ACMA as well as corresponding government requirements for the safety of electrical devices.

## Responsible disposal

- At the end of its working life, make the appliance unserviceable by unplugging it from the power outlet and cutting the power cord.
- Do not throw this appliance out with your household rubbish. Electrical and electronic products contain substances which can have a detrimental effect on the environment and human health if disposed of inappropriately. Observe any local regulations regarding the disposal of electrical consumer goods and dispose of it appropriately for recycling. Contact your local authorities for advice on recycling facilities in your area.

## Warranty returns

Should you for any reason need to return this product for a warranty claim, make sure to include all accessories with the product.

## Product does not work?

If you encounter problems with this product, or if it fails to perform to your expectations, make sure to contact our After Sales Support Centre on (AU) 1300 886 649 or (NZ) 0800 836 761 for advice.

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