TROUBLESHOOTING

Checking Error Messages

If the following message appears on the display, check the following and take the appropriate corrective action

action.				
Message	Possible Causes	Solutions		
LIE	Item of clothing has gathered on one side of the tub. There are not enough items in the machine. Have your items gathered in one area, or is the load too small? Did you wash a stuffed animal, a mat, or knitwear? Did you wash two different blankets together?	 Rearrange items to help balance the load. Stuffed animals or mats can become unbalanced during spinning and the washing machine may fail to drain. Rearrange the knitwear to help balance the load and drai it again. Put one blanket in at a time. 		
I E	Water is not supplied or the water pressure is low Is the faucet turned off? Is the water supply stopped or the faucet frozen? Is the water pressure low or is an inlet filter clogged? Is the water line properly connected with the cold water inlet? Is the water line pinched or bent? Water line leaks in connection	 Turn on the faucets. If a faucet is frozen, thaw it with warm water. If the inlet filter is clogged, clean it. (see page 32) Connect the water line properly with the cold water inlet. (see page 14) Check that the water lines are not pinched or bent. Take extra care that water lines are not twisted or pinched by other objects. Connect the water lines properly with the faucets. 		
d E 1	 Are the water lines connected with the faucets properly? The tub does not rotate Is the door secured? 	(see page 14) Close and secure the door. If the message keeps appearing, unplug the power and contact your nearest L0 service center.		
<u> </u>	 The washing machine drains slowly or not at all Is the drain hose installed over 3 1/4 feet (1 m) beyond the end of the elbow bracket? Is the drain hose pinched or clogged inside? Is the drain hose frozen? Is the drain hose clogged with foreign objects? 	 Lower the drain hose within 3 feet below the end of the elbow bracket. Place the drain hose on a smooth surface to prevent bending. If the drain hoses are frozen, thaw them in warm water. Open the drain pump plug cap and remove the dirt. 		
PF	A power failure has occurred.	Press to turn off the washing machine and press it again to turn it on.		
EE	Control Error.	Unplug the power cord and contact your nearest LG service center.		
FE	The water supply does not stop • Do the water supply and the drain keep repeating in turn?	Unplug the power cord and contact your nearest LG service center		
PE	The water level is not controlled • Is the water level too low or high compared with the size of the load?	The water level sensor is not working correctly. Unplug the power cord and contact your nearest LG service center.		
LE	The tub does not rotate Is the washing machine overloaded?	 Rearrange the load size and restart the washing machine If the load size is big, the tub may not rotate due to an overheated motor. Allow the washing machine to stand for a while and restart the cycle. Unplug the power cord and contact your nearest LG service center if the same error message appears. 		
t cL	To clean up the tub, please run the Tub Clean cycle.	Please empty the tub and insert bleach into the detergent dispenser and select the Tub Clean cycle. If you want to skip the Tub Clean, turn the CYCLE SELECTOR KNOB or push option buttons to select desire cycle. In this case, you would see the message again untifew washing times and it would be disappear until next point of time to clean the tub.		
[5 ud]	If the washing machine detects too many suds, it displays this error code and adds a Suds Reducing cycle. This adds about two hours to the cycle time. If too many suds are detected during spinning, the washing machine stops to help prevent leaking.	Do not add more than the manufacturer's recommended amount of detergent.		

Before Calling for Service

Check the following before calling for service.

Problem	Possible Causes	Solutions
Clicking sound	Do you hear a sound when you close	This sound is normal and occurs when
Ci	or lock and unlock the door?	the door is closed, locked or unlocked.
Spraying or hissing sound	• Is water spraying in the tub?	This sound is normal as water is spraying or circulating during the
		cycle.
Buzzing or gushing	Is the washing machine draining	This sound is normal as the drain
sound	water?	pump drains water from the washing
0.1.11		machine after the cycle.
Splashing sound	• Is the washing machine washing a load of laundry?	moving up and down during the wash
	or lauriury:	and rinse cycles.
Rattling and clanking noise	Are there any foreign objects such as	Check if there are any foreign objects
	keys, coins, or safety pins in the tub or	in the tub and drain the filter after
	drain filter?	stopping the cycle.
		Unplug the power cord and contact your nearest LG service center if the
		noise persists.
Thumping sound	Is the washing machine overloaded?	This sound is normal and occurs
	Is the load out of balance?	when the load is out of balance. Stop
		the cycle and rearrange the load for
Vibrating noise	Are the shipping bolts removed?	 balancing. See page 13, Unpacking and removing
VIDIUMING HOISE	The the shipping botto removed:	shipping bolts to remove the shipping
		bolts.
	Is the load evenly distributed in the	Stop the cycle and rearrange the load
	tub?Is the washing machine level balanced?	for balancing.
	- is the washing machine level balanced:	machine to level the washing machine.
	• Is the washing machine installed on a	Check if the floor is solid and level.
	solid and smooth surface?	
Water leaking around washer	Does water leak from a faucet or a water line?	Check the faucets or water lines. If the water lines are loosely.
wasner	water fille!	connected, see page 14, Connecting
		water lines to connect them properly.
	• Is a drain pipe or a drain hose clogged?	
E	Did at at	Contact a plumber if necessary.
Excessive suds or failure to rinse	• Did you use more than the recommended amount of detergent?	Use the recommended amount of detergent for load.
to rinse	• Is the soil level higher than the size of	If the contamination level is low,
	the load?	reduce the detergent quantity to less
		than the recommended level.
		Only use detergent with the HF
		Only use detergent with the HE (High-Efficiency) logo.
Staining	Did you add detergent directly to the	Make sure to load detergent into the
	tub?	detergent dispenser drawer.
	Did you remove the load immediately	Remove the load immediately after it
	after it finished?	finishes. • Sort and separate dark colors from
	Did you sort and wash the clothes by color or soil?	light or white ones, and heavily soiled
	33.3. 3. 33	items from lightly soiled ones. See
		page 19, Sorting laundry for details