

## WARNING

Whilst in operation, parts (including exterior surfaces) of your equipment will become hot. Position the appliance so as to minimise the possibility of accidental touching.

This unit has a glass ceramic top. Do not drop heavy objects on to it

## CONSEQUENTIAL LOSS

**Fortius** does not accept any responsibility for loss of food, production time, profit, etc., which is as a consequence of a breakdown of the equipment.

## GUARANTEE

**Fortius** equipment is covered by a 12 months parts & labour guarantee. All work will be carried out between 9.00am-5.00pm, Monday to Friday, excluding Bank Holidays.

If you require assistance, please call our Service Line on **01355 244 111**

**Fortius** offer a rapid spares service, direct to your door - call **01355 244 111**

Once the pan has been removed from the hob, turn OFF. Operating the unit without a pan upon the hob will invalidate the Guarantee.

Do not drop heavy pans onto the glass ceramic top. Damage caused by this is not covered under the warranty.

## PRECAUTIONS

1. Ensure that the electricity supply is adequate for the unit to be installed.
2. Remove all the packaging from the appliance. Remove the protective film covering the stainless steel panels.
3. When siting the unit, ensure that there is free airflow around and behind it and that vents are not blocked. Ensure the appliance is level. Ensure that there is a gap of at least 25mm between the vent and any connecting item (including walls).
4. Walls, partitions, kitchen furniture etc. in close proximity to the appliance must be of fireproof construction.
5. All appliances with an electrical loading of over 3kw must be connected to the supply by a qualified electrician, in accordance with Health & Safety At Work Acts, IEE regulations, BS codes of practice, building standards, Local Authority and Building Regulations etc. A suitable means of disconnecting such appliances from the power supply must be provided, having at least 3mm contact separation in all poles.

## OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

1. Ensure the appliance is level and correctly sited.
2. Switch on the power supply. The red neon will indicate that the power is "ON".
3. Turn the control knob clockwise to the desired setting. The amber neon adjacent to the knob will indicate that power is going through to the Hotplate. The right-hand knobs control the front heaters.
4. Turn OFF by rotating the knob(s) anti-clockwise to position "0".
5. Once the pan has been removed from the hob, turn OFF.
6. When not in use, turn OFF at the power supply.

## OPERATING EFFICIENCY

1. Pan bottoms must be dry before placing on the glass ceramic hob.
2. Good quality pans of adequate size for the heaters should be used.
3. For maximum efficiency, the bottoms of the pans need to be as flat as possible.

## CLEANING INSTRUCTIONS

1. Disconnect from the mains electricity supply.
2. Allow to cool.
3. Clean the body of the appliance with a damp cloth and detergent. **Do not use abrasives.**
4. Wait for the glass ceramic top to cool down. When cool, wipe over with a damp cloth and detergent. Do not use sharp objects to clean the glass ceramic top.
5. Wipe away any detergent residue with a clean, damp cloth.

# FORTIUS

**Operating & Maintenance Instructions for the Fortius  
FCH423  
FCH633  
Ceramic Top Boiling Unit**

**IMPORTANT**

**Please read this page carefully before installation and use. It is the owner's responsibility to warn users to wear suitable protection and to follow operating and cleaning instructions.**

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