

Keep the equipment clean - you will find this less of a chore if you clean it regularly, rather than wait until the end of the hire period.

When not in use, **store the equipment somewhere clean, dry and safe** from thieves. **Protect this equipment from frost and freezing conditions.**

FINISHING OFF

Stop the pressure washer and depressurise the system.

Disconnect the hose from the pressure washer then drain out any water it may contain.

Close the extension tubes fully then give the unit a final clean up ready for return, to your local HSS Hire Shop.



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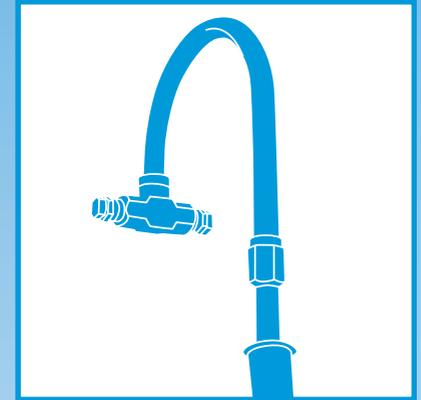
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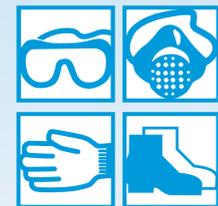
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Gutter Cleaning Attachment Kit

A gutter cleaning attachment designed for use with high pressure washers up to 3000 psi.



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GENERAL SAFETY

For advice on the safety and suitability of this equipment contact your local HSS Hire Shop.

There is a serious risk of personal injury if you do not follow all instructions laid down in this guide.

The hirer has a responsibility to ensure that all necessary risk assessments have been completed prior to the use of this equipment.

This equipment should only be used by an operator who has been deemed competent to do so by his/her employer.

This equipment should be used by an able bodied, competent adult who has read and understood these instructions. Anyone with either a temporary or permanent disability, should seek expert advice before using it.

Keep children, animals and bystanders away from the work area. Cordon off a NO GO area using either cones, barriers or tape, available for hire from your local HSS Hire Shop.

  Never use this equipment if you are ill, feeling tired, or under the influence of alcohol or drugs.

 Safety goggles MUST be worn by everyone in the work area.

  Wear practical, waterproof protective clothing, gloves and footwear. Avoid loose garments and jewellery that could catch in moving parts, tie back long hair.

Pressure washing equipment can cause serious injury, so take care. Never point the spray lance at anyone and always engage the trigger safety lock when not actually washing.

Never direct the spray at or near anything electrical.

Take care where you lay hoses. Avoid running them where there is a risk of someone tripping over them.

Take all necessary precautions to protect yourself and others against the possibility of contracting infectious diseases in your work environment.

Never lift or move this equipment by its hose.

Ensure the work area is well lit and ventilated, if in doubt, ask about lighting and ventilation equipment at your local HSS Hire Shop.

Make sure that everyone is warned of what you are doing.

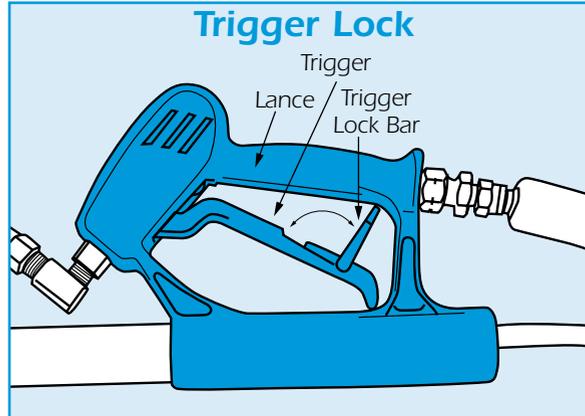
Watch your footing, only work on firm, level ground. Check the condition of the equipment before use. If it shows signs of damage or excessive wear, return it to your local HSS Hire Shop.

GETTING STARTED

The HSS Gutter Cleaning Attachment Kit is designed to run from a pressure washer with a maximum outlet pressure of 3000 psi. DO NOT use a pressure

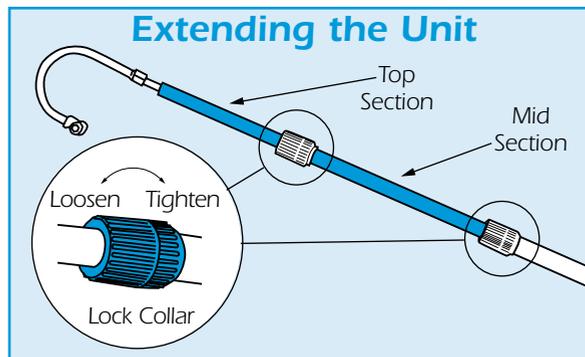
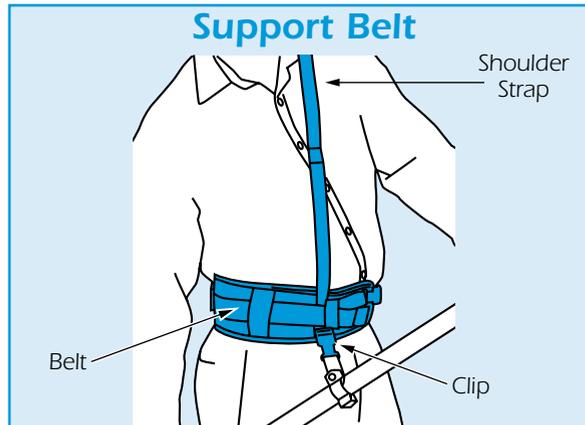
washer with an output rated at more than 3000 psi. If in doubt contact your local HSS Hire Shop for advice.

Screw the end of the pressure hose onto the outlet of your pressure washer, finger tight.



Lock the lances' trigger OFF using the trigger lock bar (see illustration).

The unit is supplied with a support belt and this must be worn by the operator. Clip the main belt around your waist then bring the shoulder strap over to the front, clipping it into the buckle on the belt. Adjust to fit as necessary.



Extend the gutter cleaner to the required length, start with the top section so that you keep as much of the units weight at the trigger end.

Loosen the top lock collar (turn anticlockwise) extend the top section as required (or to its maximum) then relock. Repeat for the remaining sections as necessary. Place the unit carefully on the ground ready to start the pressure washer.

BASIC TECHNIQUES

Follow all instructions supplied with the pressure washer, including flushing the system before running the pump (if applicable).

If you have any doubts about the operation or compatibility of your pressure washer, DO NOT USE THE EQUIPMENT contact your local HSS Hire Shop for advice. Start the pressure washer then raise the gutter cleaner.

Attach the units clip to the support belts clip then raise the unit placing the hook shape nozzle assembly over and into the gutter.

During use, the operator may be rained upon with debris and water so the use of Personal Protective Equipment (goggles for example) is most important. To activate the unit, release the lances trigger lock bar and gently squeeze the trigger.

Be prepared for the unit to kick as the water first flows.

Start with the nozzles hooked into the gutter but held slightly off the gutter surface. Squeeze the trigger and allow the unit to build up to pressure.

Slowly move along the gutter in one direction. Depending upon the results, try altering the delivery pressure at the pump.

Note that the unit is not suitable if a detergent is to be sprayed, contact your local HSS Hire Shop for advice.

EQUIPMENT CARE

Never push the equipment beyond its design limits. If it will not do what you want with reasonable ease and speed, assume you have the wrong tool for the job. Contact your local HSS Hire Shop for advice.

Handle hoses with care. Never run them over sharp edges or anywhere else that exposes them to the risk of damage.

