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MODEL: 3LWTW4815FW

Whirlpool washing machine model 3LWTW4815FW meets the alternate laundering parameters listed in **Table IIIB** of AATCC LP1, Home Laundering: Machine Washing if used as indicated below. Note, Water Level is for the main wash fill level.

Table IIIB— Alternate Laundering Parameters (High-efficiency Top-loading Washing Machines, Agitator Style, 2018)		
Cycle	Normal	Delicate
Water Level, L (gal)	68 ± 8 (18 ± 2)	68 ± 8 (18 ± 2)
Agitation Speed, strokes/min.	60 ± 5	70 ± 5
Washing Time, min.	14 ± 2	8 ± 2
Number of Rinses	1	1
Final Spin Speed, rpm	660 ± 20	660 ± 20
Final Spin Time, min.	5-10	1-6
Wash Temp, °C (°F)	Tap Cold: 16 ± 4.2 (60 ± 7.5)	Tap Cold: 16 ± 4.2 (60 ± 7.5)
	Cold: 16 ± 4.2 (60 ± 7.5)	Cold: 16 ± 4.2 (60 ± 7.5)
	Warm: 35 ± 4.2 (95 ± 7.5)	Warm: 30 ± 4.2 (86 ± 7.5)
	Hot: 54 ± 4.2 (130 ± 7.5)	Hot: 54 ± 4.2 (130 ± 7.5)

For AATCC Normal Cycle:

- Testing must be performed with a 3.6-kg load to ensure specified water level.
- Testing must be performed with Type 1 (100% cotton) ballast* for specified water level. Note, if test specimens represent a significant portion of the load, water level may vary.
- Select JEANS cycle (equal to Normal)
- Detergent added before adding the load to the basket. Soil Level Settings are Medium, Options are set to none or NO.

For AATCC Delicate Cycle:

- Select DELICATE cycle
- 3.6-kg load to be used for testing
- Type 1 ballast* to be used for testing

MODEL: 4KWTW4815FW

Whirlpool washing machine model 4KWTW4815FW meets the alternate laundering parameters listed in **Table IIIB** of AATCC LP1, Home Laundering: Machine Washing if used as indicated below. Note, Water Level is for the main wash fill level.

Table IIIB— Alternate Laundering Parameters (High-efficiency Top-loading Washing Machines, Agitator Style, 2018)		
Cycle	Normal	Delicate
Water Level, L (gal)	68 ± 8 (18 ± 2)	68 ± 8 (18 ± 2)
Agitation Speed, strokes/min.	60 ± 5	70 ± 5
Washing Time, min.	14 ± 2	8 ± 2
Number of Rinses	1	1
Final Spin Speed, rpm	660 ± 20	660 ± 20
Final Spin Time, min.	5-10	1-6
Wash Temp, °C (°F)	Tap Cold: 16 ± 4.2 (60 ± 7.5)	Tap Cold: 16 ± 4.2 (60 ± 7.5)
	Cold: 16 ± 4.2 (60 ± 7.5)	Cold: 16 ± 4.2 (60 ± 7.5)
	Warm: 35 ± 4.2 (95 ± 7.5)	Warm: 30 ± 4.2 (86 ± 7.5)
	Hot: 54 ± 4.2 (130 ± 7.5)	Hot: 54 ± 4.2 (130 ± 7.5)

For AATCC Normal Cycle:

- Testing must be performed with a 3.6-kg load to ensure specified water level.
- Testing must be performed with Type 1 (100% cotton) ballast* for specified water level. Note, if test specimens represent a significant portion of the load, water level may vary.
- Select JEANS cycle (equal to Normal)
- Detergent added before adding the load to the basket. Soil Level Settings are Medium, Options are set to none or NO.

For AATCC Delicate Cycle:

- Select DELICATE cycle
- 3.6-kg load to be used for testing
- Type 1 ballast* to be used for testing



MODEL: WTW5000DW

Whirlpool washing machine model WTW5000DW meets the alternate laundering parameters listed in **Table IIIC** of AATCC LP1, Home Laundering: Machine Washing if used as indicated below. Note, Water Level is for the main wash fill level.

Cycle	Normal	Delicate
Water Level, L (gal)	44 ± 8 (11.5 ± 2)	53 ± 8 (14 ± 2)
Agitation Speed, strokes/min.	60 ± 5	70 ± 5
Washing Time, min.	14 ± 2	8 ± 2
Number of Rinses	1	1
Final Spin Speed, rpm	660 ± 20	500 ± 20
Final Spin Time, min.	5-10	1-6
Wash Temp, °C (°F)	Tap Cold: 16 ± 4.2 (60 ± 7.5)	Tap Cold: 16 ± 4.2 (60 ± 7.5)
	Cold: 16 ± 4.2 (60 ± 7.5)	Cold: 16 ± 4.2 (60 ± 7.5)
	Warm: 35 ± 4.2 (95 ± 7.5)	Warm: 30 ± 4.2 (86 ± 7.5)
	Hot: 54 ± 4.2 (130 ± 7.5)	Hot: 44 ± 4.2 (111 ± 7.5)

For AATCC Normal Cycle:

- Testing must be performed with a 3.6-kg load to ensure specified water level.
- Testing must be performed with Type 1 (100% cotton) ballast* for specified water level. Note, if test specimens represent a significant portion of the load, water level may vary.
- Select NORMAL cycle
- Detergent added before adding the load to the basket. Soil Level Settings are Medium, Options are set to none or NO.

For AATCC Delicate Cycle:

- Select DELICATE cycle.
- 3.6-kg load to be used for testing
- Type 1 ballast* to be used for testing

***Standard Ballast Fabric for Testing:** [WFK Cotton Base Load, IEC 60456](#)

Buying the load items (pillowcases, towels and sheets) will probably depend on where in the world you are located. There are WFK distributors in the U.S.A. such as, WFK America. Swissatest Testmaterials also sells the WFK load items but may not offer the pre-conditioned load items, which is recommended to save time in the preparation of the test fabric.