

Operating Instructions for Cara V™ and Prima VI™ Whirlpool Baths



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The Cara V™ and Prima VI™ are designed for "fill and draw", which means that after the bath has been taken, the bath should be drained, and the next bather should fill it with fresh water. This is a health precaution, and the Cara V™ and Prima VI™ are not designed to hold water continuously like pools or spas. Other Whirlpool units are available for this purpose.

CAUTION: At no time should the whirlpool system be turned on until bath is filled with water to the minimum level, as this will cause irreparable damage to the recirculating pump, and the warranty will become null and void.

OPERATION:

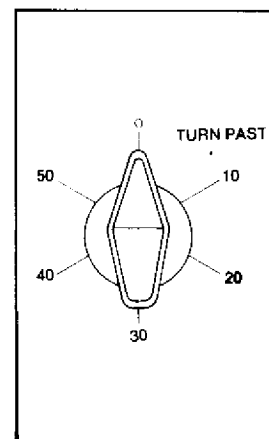
Now that your brand new Jacuzzi Cara V™ or Prima VI™ Whirlpool Bath has been installed, you probably can't wait to get in and enjoy it. But before using it, you'll want to remove any residue or foreign materials left over from construction. You can remove stubborn stains, paint, or tar with turpentine or paint thinner. A mild liquid detergent on a damp cloth is fine for cleaning off other dirt. Plaster can be removed by scraping with a wooden edge, but don't use metal scrapers, wire brushes, or other metal tools, as they will damage the bath's surface.

To fill your bath, first pull up on the drain handle located on the control side of the bath; then turn on the water by rotating the Hot (red dot)/Cold (blue dot) water controls counter-clockwise. The water will enter the bath by way of the fill spout/diverter (black dot). Be sure the handle is in the upright position (black dot at top) for bath. To divert the water supply for shower use, turn the diverter handle clockwise one half turn. **Note:** If there is no shower connected, the diverter handle should never be turned. If you want to use any kind of bath additives, use only a small amount of any low foaming powder or crystal substance, as the whirlpool action magnifies the foaming properties of soaps. **Do not use oil or oil-base additives.**

Let the bath fill with water until the whirlpool inlets are completely submerged and the water is at least three inches above the inlets. This is necessary so that the pump doesn't run without water. You should never run the whirlpool system if the inlets are not completely immersed in water.

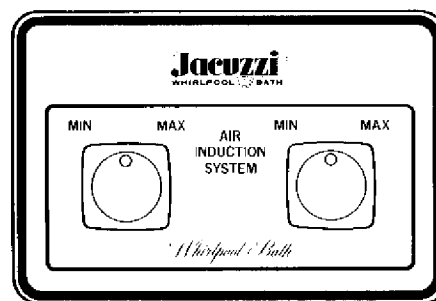
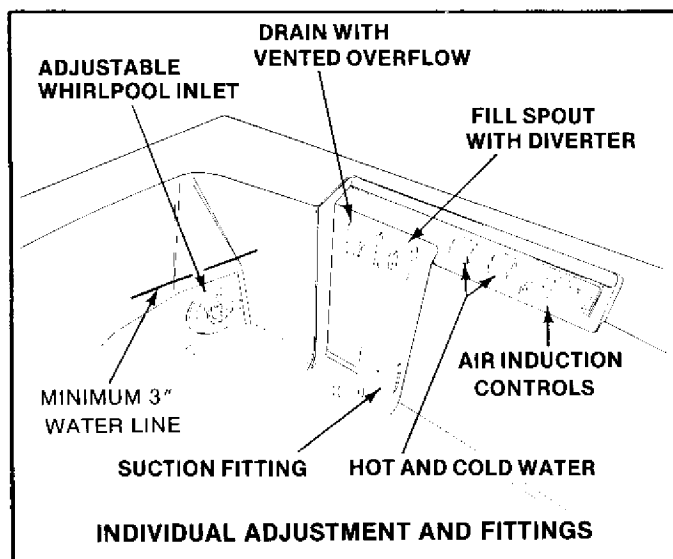
Once the bath is filled, you can turn on your whirlpool system. Set your wall-mounted timer for the period of time you desire the system to operate.

NOTE: When you desire less than 10 minutes of whirlpool action, it is necessary to turn the timer knob clockwise past the number ten and then back to the desired amount of time.



Now that you're in the bath and enjoying the action of your whirlpool system, you should know how you can get the greatest benefits from your bath.

The effectiveness of the whirlpool action is determined by how much air comes into the water. You have total control of this by adjusting the air induction controls. If you want maximum air induction, and thus, the maximum amount of tiny air bubbles, the controls should be rotated all the way to MAX. If you want fewer air bubbles, decrease the amount of air induction by rotating the controls toward MIN. When the controls are at MIN, mostly water is being circulated.

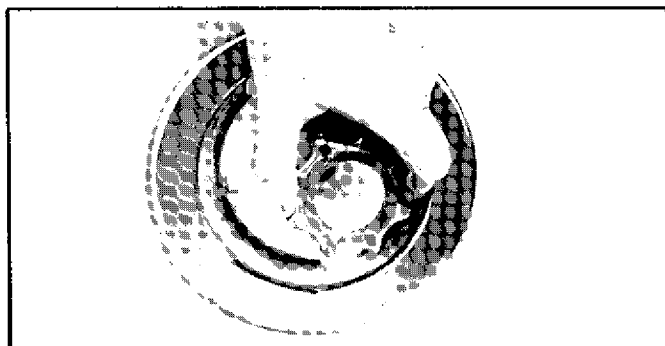


The force of the aerated water into the Cara V or Prima VI can be controlled by rotating the inlets located in the backrest and in the two corners opposite the backrest. If you want stimulating action, increase the force of the flow by rotating the inlets to the left. For a more relaxing effect, rotate the inlets to the right. **Never run the whirlpool system with all the inlets turned off.**

INLETS:

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Each inlet can be swiveled to change the angle and direction of the water flow, so that you can elect to enjoy the whirlpool action directly from the inlets or indirectly as the flow is diverted by the wall of the bath and circulates around you. You will want to experiment with the many variations the Jacuzzi Whirlpool Bath system's flexibility allows you.



CARE AND CLEANING

Your Jacuzzi Whirlpool Bath consists of two layers of plastic materials. Its thin, smooth top surface (or gel coat) is tough and durable and contains concentrated color. This is supported by a substantial thickness of fiberglass-reinforced polyester resin. A catalyst causes a chemical reaction during manufacture that bonds these layers permanently into a hard, strong material. With a minimum amount of care and cleaning, your whirlpool bath will look sparkling new for years to come.

To clean your Cara V or Prima VI, simply use a mild non-abrasive liquid detergent. You can restore the gloss to a dull surface by applying a fine white rubbing compound by hand or with a power buffer. Protect the surface with a quality automotive paste wax or products specifically designed for use on fiberglass gel coat finishes.

We recommend that you purge your whirlpool system every 3 to 4 months. To do this, follow this simple procedure: Fill the bath with hot water only. Add to hot water 2 teaspoons low foaming dishwashing detergent such as Cascade or Calgonite. Run the whirlpool for 10 to 15 minutes. Drain the bath completely. Fill the bath with cold water only. Run the whirlpool for 5 to 10 minutes. Drain the bath completely.

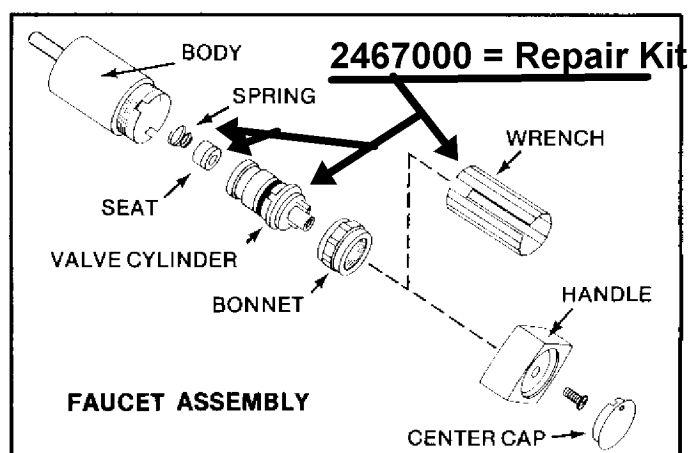
REPAIRS TO THE GEL COAT

Minor scratches which do not penetrate the color finish (gel coat) can be removed with 600 grit wet sandpaper. Use automotive rubbing compound followed by an application of wax to restore and protect the gloss.

Major scratches and gouges which penetrate the gel coat will require refinishing. Ask your Jacuzzi Whirlpool Bath dealer for special instructions.

FAUCET WRENCH

Jacuzzi Whirlpool Bath has provided a special wrench which must be used to change the cylinder valve assembly under the water supply handles should it require replacement. To replace the cylinder valve (Delta #1740) and the seat assembly (Delta #4993), first turn off the water supply. Then pry the center cap from the square handle, remove phillips screw, and lift off handle. Place wrench on bonnet and turn counter-clockwise. Next, remove bonnet, leaving it in wrench. Note position of valve cylinder stop before removing cylinder. Now use pliers to pull valve cylinder by the stem out of body. Then slip replacement cylinder unit into body, so that stops of both faucets are positioned upright at the top or rim side of the bath, allowing rotation in the same direction. Secure bonnet in place with wrench. Replace handle and screw. Snap center cap into place. The above Delta replacement parts are available at your local hardware store.



Note: For future bath modifications, do not install a shower head having a shut-off or flow restrictive valve.

Jacuzzi Whirlpool Bath has obtained applicable codes (standards) listings generally available on a national basis for the Cara V and Prima VI units. It is the responsibility of the installer/owner to determine specific local code compliance prior to installation of the product. Jacuzzi Whirlpool Bath makes no representation or warranty regarding, and will not be responsible for, any code compliance.

Jacuzzi Whirlpool Bath provides a limited one year warranty to the original purchaser of its products. For definitions of warranty coverage and limitations, refer to the published warranty applicable to the specific product.

IMPORTANT: Keep instructions in a safe place for future reference.

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