Thank you for choosing a Panasonic shaver ES-SL41. With our WET/DRY technology, you can enjoy using your Panasonic shaver dry or in the shower or bath for gentle and easy shaving. Please read all instructions before use.

**Important**

This shaver has a built-in rechargeable battery. Do not throw into fire, apply heat, or charge, use, or leave in a high temperature environment.

**Before use**

This WET/DRY shaver can be used for wet shaving using shaving lather or for dry shaving. You can use this watertight shaver in the shower and clean with water. The following symbol means suitable for use in a bath or shower.

Treat yourself to wet lather shaves for at least three weeks and notice the difference. Your Panasonic WET/DRY shaver requires a little time to get used to because your skin and beard need about a month to adjust to any new shaving method.

**Using the shaver**

**Caution**

- The outer foil is very thin and can be damaged if not used correctly. Check that the foil is not damaged before using the shaver. Do not use the shaver if the foil is damaged as you will cut your skin.
- Do not use excessive pressure to apply the outer foil to your lip or other part of your face. Do not apply the outer foil directly to blemishes or injured skin.
- Do not share your shaver with your family or other people. Doing so may result in infection or inflammation.
- This appliance is not intended for use by persons (including children) with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge, unless they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance by a person responsible for their safety. Children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the appliance.
- Keep both the inner blades inserted. If only one of the inner blades is inserted, the shaver may be damaged.
- If you clean the shaver with water, do not use salt water or hot water. Do not soak the shaver in water for a long period of time.
- Clean the housing only with a soft cloth slightly dampened with tap water or soapy tap water. Do not use thinner, benzine, alcohol or other chemicals.
- Do not wash the AC adaptor with water.

**Storing the shaver**

- When storing the shaver, always put it in the carrying holder to avoid scratching the outer foil.
- Store the shaver in a place with low humidity after use.
- Do not store the shaver where it will be exposed to direct sunlight or other heat sources.
- Remove the shaver from the AC adaptor when storing it.
- Do not bend the power cord or wrap it around the AC adaptor.

**Charging the shaver**

- Never use the AC adaptor in the bathroom or shower room.
- Use the dedicated AC adaptor (RE7-74) only. Do not use the dedicated AC adaptor to charge other appliances.
- Put the plug into a household outlet where there is no moisture and handle it with dry hands.
- Hold the plug when disconnecting it from the household outlet. If you tug on the power cord, you may damage it.
- The supply cord cannot be replaced. If the cord is damaged, the AC adaptor should be scrapped.

**Cleaning the shaver**

**Warning**

Disconnect the plug from the household outlet before cleaning to prevent electric shock.

- Do not wash the AC adaptor with water.
- Do not share your shaver with your family or other people.
- Do not use the shaver if the foil is damaged as you will cut your skin.
- Do not apply the outer foil directly to blemishes or injured skin.

**Parts identification**

- A Main body
  - 1 System outer foil
  - 2 Cleaning shutter
  - 3 Side terminals
  - 4 Power switch
  - 5 Foil frame release button
  - 6 Water inlet
  - 7 Foil frame
  - 8 System outer foil release buttons
  - 9 Inner blades
- B Outer foil section
  - 1 Trimmer
  - 2 Trimmer handle
  - 3 AC adaptor (RE7-74)
  - 4 Charging terminal
  - 5 Charge indicator lamp
  - 6 Power cord
  - 7 Carrying holder
  - 8 Cleaning brush

Before operating this unit, please read these instructions completely and save them for future use.
Using the carrying holder
The shaver can be kept vertically or horizontally. When transporting the shaver, you can use the carrying holder to protect the outer foil and prevent erroneous operation of the switch.
- When transporting the shaver, be sure to clean off any shavings before attaching the carrying holder.

Attaching the carrying holder
Attach the carrying holder as illustrated.
- Check that all four protrusions on the shaver are inserted securely.

Removing the carrying holder
Remove the carrying holder while pressing down on both sides.

Charge
Charging the shaver
Perform the following steps to charge the shaver if it seems to lose the speed.
You can charge the shaver with the carrying holder attached.
1. Turn off the shaver and insert it in the AC adaptor until it clicks as illustrated.
2. Connect the AC plug to the wall outlet.
3. Charging is completed after approx. 8 hours.
- When charging the shaver for the first time or when it has not been in use for more than 6 months, the charge indicator lamp may not glow for a few minutes, or the operating time may shorten. Please charge it for more than 20 hours in such cases.

Shave
Using the shaver
1. Press the power switch.
2. Hold the shaver as illustrated above and shave.

Cleaning with the brush
Clean the system outer foil, the shaver body and the trimmer using the long brush.
Clean the inner blades using the short brush by moving it in direction (A).
- Do not move the short brush in direction (B) as it will damage the inner blades and affect their sharpness.
- Do not use the short brush to clean the outer foil.

Replacing the system outer foil and the inner blades
1. Press the system outer foil release buttons and pull down the system outer foil.
2. Align the water inlet surface and the system outer foil mark (1) and securely attach together.
- The system outer foil cannot be reversely attached.
- Always insert the system outer foil to the foil frame when attaching to the shaver.

Replacing the inner blades
1. Remove the inner blades one at a time.
- Do not touch the edges (metal parts) of the inner blades to prevent injury to your hand.
2. Insert the inner blades one at a time until they click.

Replacing parts
Replacement parts are available at your dealer or Service Center.

Removing the built-in rechargeable battery
Remove the built-in rechargeable battery before disposing of the shaver. Please make sure that the battery is disposed of at an officially designated location if there is one. Do not dismantle or replace the battery so that you can use the shaver again. This could cause fire or an electric shock. Please contact an authorised service center.
- Remove the shaver from the AC adaptor when removing the battery.

To remove light dirt
4. Slide the cleaning shutter until it clicks.
5. Clean the outer foil section with running water.
6. Turn the shaver off.
7. Rinse with water and shake up and down several times to remove the water.
8. Wipe off any drops of water with a dry cloth.
9. Dry the outer foil section and the shaver completely in a shaded area.

For heavy dirt
4. Turn the shaver off after 10 - 20 seconds.
5. Remove the outer foil section and turn the shaver off.
6. Clean the outer foil section with running water.
7. Rinse with water and shake up and down several times to remove the water.

Cleaning with the brush
4. Turn the shaver off after 10 - 20 seconds.
5. Remove the outer foil section and turn the shaver off.
6. Clean the outer foil section with running water.
7. Press the foil frame release button and lift the outer foil section upwards.
8. After turning the water inlet surface to the front, securely attach the outer foil section to the shaver until it clicks.

Specifications
Power source
See the name plate on the AC adaptor.
Motor voltage
1.2 V min
Charging time
230 V~ Approx. 10 hours
240 V~ Approx. 8 hours
This product is intended for household use only.