

Technical Information- Dishwasher

MDBH950AWB MDBH950AWQ MDBH950AWS MDBH950AWW
MDBH970AWB MDBH970AWQ MDBH970AWS MDBH970AWW

Due to possibility of personal injury or property damage, always contact an authorized technician for servicing or repair of this unit. Refer to Service Manual 16021814.

 CAUTION All safety information must be followed as provided in Service Manual 16021814.

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Specifications	MDBH950AW*	MDBH970AW*	Benefits	MDBH950AW*	MDBH970AW*
Power Source			Wash cycles	4	5
Voltage AC	120 VAC	120 VAC	Heavy Wash	X	X
Amperage (Single Unit)	15 A	15 A	Normal Wash	X	X
Frequency	60 Hz	60 Hz	Light Wash	X	X
Motor horsepower	1/3	1/3	Rinse Only	X	X
Receptacle	N/A	N/A	Auto Clean		X
Plug	N/A	N/A	Drying System	X	X
Dimensions			Features		
Height—overall	33 ½” to 35 ¼”	33 ½” to 35 ¼”	Control Lock	X	X
Width	23 7/8”	23 7/8”	*Sanitizer	X	X
Depth	23 1/2”	23 1/2”	*ToughScrub Plus™	X	X
Weight			*Extra Rinse	X	X
Un-crated	65 lbs.	65 lbs.	QuietSeries 100™	X	
			QuietSeries 300™		X
			2/4/6 Hour Delay Start	X	
			1-9 Hour Delay Start		X
			Energy Star	X	X
			Remaining Time Countdown Display		X
			Active Vent Dry	X	X
			Finer Filtration	X	X
			Hard Food Disposer	X	X
			9 Touch Pad Controls	X	
			11 Touch Pad Controls		X

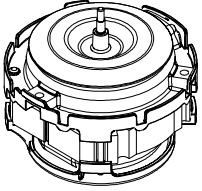

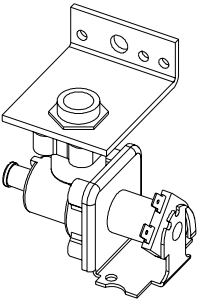
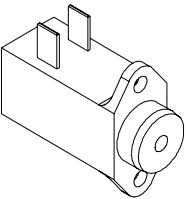
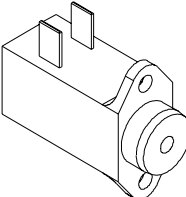
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Component Specifications



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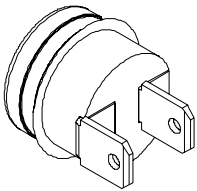
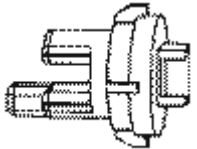
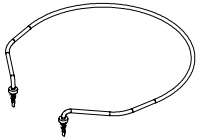
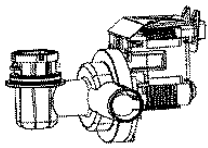
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Illustration	Component	Test Procedure	Results
	<p>Dishwasher Motor</p> <p>CCW rotation only viewed from shaft end.</p> <p>1/3HP 120V/60hz, 3.2 amps, 3250 RPM Main Wattage, 285 watts Start Wattage, 1115 watts</p>	<p>Measure resistance from ST5 (Motor Common – blue) to ST8 (Motor Main - yellow) See Component Specifications/Motor Connections for details.</p>	<p>3 to 4 Ω</p>
	<p>Control Board</p>	<p>See Component Specifications/Membrane Readings for troubleshooting/pin-out instructions.</p>	
	<p>Water valve</p> <p>120V/60hz, 7 watts 1.13 \pm .10 gpm at 20-120 psi</p>	<p>Measure resistance from J6 Pin 4 Aqua (Float switch) to ST4 Black (Common)</p>	<p>1.1 k Ω (This value assumes the float switch is closed).</p>
	<p>Vent wax motor</p> <p>120V with 1/4" actuation stroke within 60 seconds</p>	<p>Measure resistance from J6 Pin 1 Purple (Vent) to ST4 Black (Common)</p>	<p>1.2 k Ω</p>
	<p>Dispenser wax motor</p> <p>120V with 1/4" actuation stroke within 60 seconds</p>	<p>Measure resistance from J6 Pin 3 Tan (Dispenser) to ST4 Black (Common)</p>	<p>2 k Ω</p>

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	Limit Thermostat	Close on Temperature drop @ 149°F ± 7°F (Temp) Open on Temperature drop @ 164°F ± 4°F (Temp)	0 Ω = Closed Infinite Ω = Open
	Sensor/Thermistor	10KΩ ± 3% at 77°F and 2.4 k Ω ± 6.5% at 140°F J5 pin 1 - Orange (Temp) to J5 Pin 4 - Red (Neutral)	Infinite Ω = Open 0 Ω = Closed
	Heater/Heating Element 120v/60hz, 650 watts ± 5% in air, 830 watts ± 5% in coldwater	Measure resistance from ST1 Red/Black (Heater) to ST11 White (Common)	16 Ω (This value assumes the high limit thermostat is closed).
	Drain Motor 120v/60hz	Measure resistance from ST6 Gray (Drain) to ST4 Black (Common). See section "Motor Connections and Diagram" for wiring contacts	25 Ω

Component Readings/Testing



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Manual Function Test

A Manual Function Test may be started by pressing the **Normal Wash** key 5 times followed by the **Start** key within 6 seconds.

The **Normal Wash** LED will **Flash** 3 times indicating manual test mode is active. Specific keypads will turn on or off a component as follows:

Heavy Wash	Wash Motor
Normal Wash	Drain Motor
Light Wash	Water Valve
Rinse Only	Soap Dispenser (cycle once)
	Rinse Aid (cycle twice)
Sanitize	Vent
Heated Dry	Heating Element

When a component is activated by pressing a specific keypad, the LED above the keypad will be **On**. The test will cancel 120 seconds after the last keypad is pressed. The display (if available) will show '99' until the remaining timeout period is less than 99 seconds. At this point it will countdown until the mode times out, is cancelled, or another key is pressed. To cancel test, press the **Start / Cancel** keypad.

Sales Floor Demo Mode

Press **Extra Rinse** keypad 5 times within 6 seconds. The LEDs will illuminate in a progressive order until all are lit. All LED's will stay on for 1 second then all go off simultaneously. The display (if available) will begin at '50' and sequence down to '0' at a 1 second interval and repeat until this mode is terminated. This mode will repeat.

To cancel, press the **Start / Cancel** keypad.

Diagnostic Tips

To check control LEDs, enter **Sales Floor Demo Mode**. If control fails to perform as described, replace control. To check control and components, enter **Field Service Test**. If control fails to perform sequence as described, and a fault is detected, determine failure as described in the **Field Service Test**. If a load component failure has been diagnosed, proceed to the **Manual Function Test**. To check individual load components for proper operation, enter **Manual Function Test**. Follow test procedure as described. Repair or replace component as needed.

Note: The **High Current** or **Low Current Motor Error** may be detected during a wash cycle selected by a consumer. If this happens, the control will go into a 30 second auto restart mode and shut down if the unit is not able to restart the motor.

Membrane Readings (Front Only Controls)

	Connector	Measure Between
Heavy Wash	J1	Pin 9 - Pin 5
Normal Wash	J1	Pin 9 - Pin 6
Light Wash	J1	Pin 9 - Pin 7
Rinse Only	J1	Pin 9 - Pin 8
Auto Clean	J1	Pin 10 - Pin 5
Start / Cancel	J1	Pin 10 - Pin 6
Delay	J1	Pin 10 - Pin 7
Heated Dry	J1	Pin 11 - Pin 5
Sanitize	J1	Pin 11 - Pin 6
Tough Scrub	J1	Pin 11 - Pin 7
Tough Scrub Plus	J1	Pin 10 - Pin 8
Extra Rinse	J1	Pin 11 - Pin 8
Model ID Jumper *	J1	Pin 12 - Pin 7

An unpressed switch will read as an open circuit.
A pressed switch will read as 10 k ohms.

* On select models

Field Service Test

A Field Service Test may be started by pressing the **Heavy Wash** key 5 times followed by the **Start** key within 6 seconds. This test must be performed with clean water to insure proper sensor performance.

"88" will appear in the display (if available*) and the following sequence of events will occur:

SECONDS	FUNCTIONS / ACTIVE LOADS
106	Vent Wax Motor/Water Valve
5	Thermistor check/Turbidity Sensor check & calibration - no loads active.
120	Wash Motor/Vent Wax Motor/Dispenser Wax Motor
180	Wash Motor/Heater/Vent Wax Motor
120	Drain Pump
4	Water Valve

Time frame for Thermistor/Turbidity Sensor check & calibration may vary slightly.

The Field Service Test will not repeat. The **Heavy Wash** LED will **Flash** during the test mode. Indicator lights (except **Heavy Wash** and the Display) will illuminate per Sales Floor Demo Mode. If the dishwasher door is opened during the test, the test sequence will pause, and resume when the door is closed. To the cancel test, press the **Start / Cancel** keypad.

The control has been designed to test the Sensor Memory and Motor. During the Field Service Test, if a fault has been detected, the test will abort any time after the motor current has been checked and 2 or more LED's will begin to **Flash**. A **Memory / Software Check** will occur immediately after the test is started. The (See Note**) LED and one of the following:

Turbidity Sensor - failure - **Rinse Only** LED
Thermistor - failure - **Heavy Wash** LED
Motor - high current - **Normal Wash** LED
Motor - low current - **Light Wash** LED
Memory Failure - **Heated Dry** LED

* On select models

** On units with Front Controls only, this will be the **Clean** LED, on units with Top & Front Controls, this will be the **Delay** LED

Membrane Readings (Front & Top Controls)

	Connector	Measure Between
Auto Clean	J1	Pin 10 - Pin 5
Heavy Wash	J1	Pin 9 - Pin 5
Normal Wash	J1	Pin 9 - Pin 6
Light Wash	J1	Pin 9 - Pin 7
Rinse Only	J1	Pin 9 - Pin 8
Quick Wash	J1	Pin 10 - Pin 6
Heated Dry	J1	Pin 11 - Pin 5
Sanitize	J1	Pin 11 - Pin 6
Extra Rinse	J1	Pin 11 - Pin 8
Tough Scrub Plus	J1	Pin 10 - Pin 7
160° Wash	J1	Pin 10 - Pin 8
Model ID Jumper *	J1	Pin 12 - Pin 8
Start / Cancel	J3	Pin 9 - Pin 5
Delay	J3	Pin 9 - Pin 6

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A pressed switch will read as 10 k ohms.

* On select models

Load Readings

	Measure between:	Result
Heater ¹	ST1 (Heater) - ST11 (Dlb Neutral)	16 ohms
Wash Motor	ST5 (Motor Common) - ST8 (Motor Main)	3 to 4 ohms
Drain Motor	ST6 (Drain) - ST4 (Dlb Line)	25 ohms
Vent Wax Motor	J6 Pin 1 (Vent) - ST4 (Dlb Line)	1.2 k ohms
Dispenser Wax Motor	J6 Pin 3 (Disp) - ST4 (Dlb Line)	2 k ohms
Water Valve ²	J6 Pin 4 (Init) - ST4 (Dlb Line)	1.1 k ohms
Thermistor	J5 Pin 1 (Temp) - J5 Pin 4 (Neutral)	See Component Info

Notes:

1. This value assumes the high limit thermostat is closed.
2. This value assumes the float switch is closed.
3. Results are approximate values.

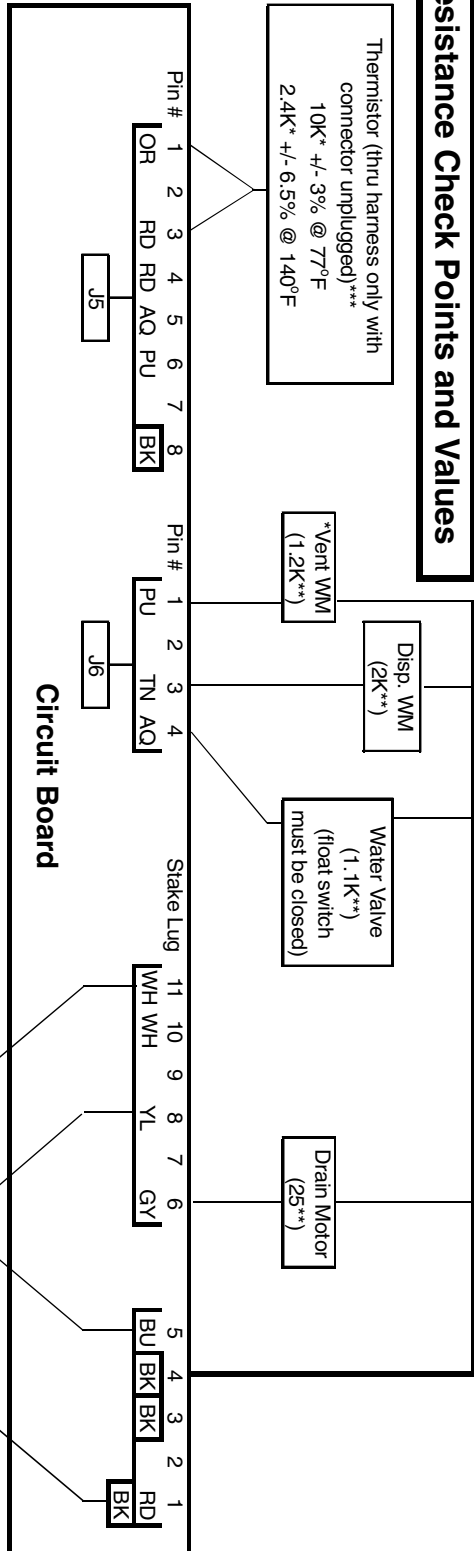
Electrical Diagnostics



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Resistance Check Points and Values



1 Use the "Manual Function Test" [as described on the electrical schematic sheet (6 918139)] to check components before opening the door to perform continuity testing or replacing parts.

To check continuity from ends of power leads to control board through door switches:

- (A white plastic latch must be inserted in the latch assembly for this test.)
- > With one ohm meter lead connected to the white (neutral) power lead, you should have continuity at stake lugs 10 & 11.
- > With one ohm meter lead connected to the black (line) power lead, you should have continuity at stake lugs 3 & 4, and pin # 8 on connector J5.

3 Perform the resistance checks on the component(s) in question at the locations shown on the chart.

* Select Models Only.

** Nominal value for ohms of electrical resistance of component only. These values will vary slightly due to the additional resistance of the wire harness. Greater variation can occur if the component is still warm from being energized during testing.

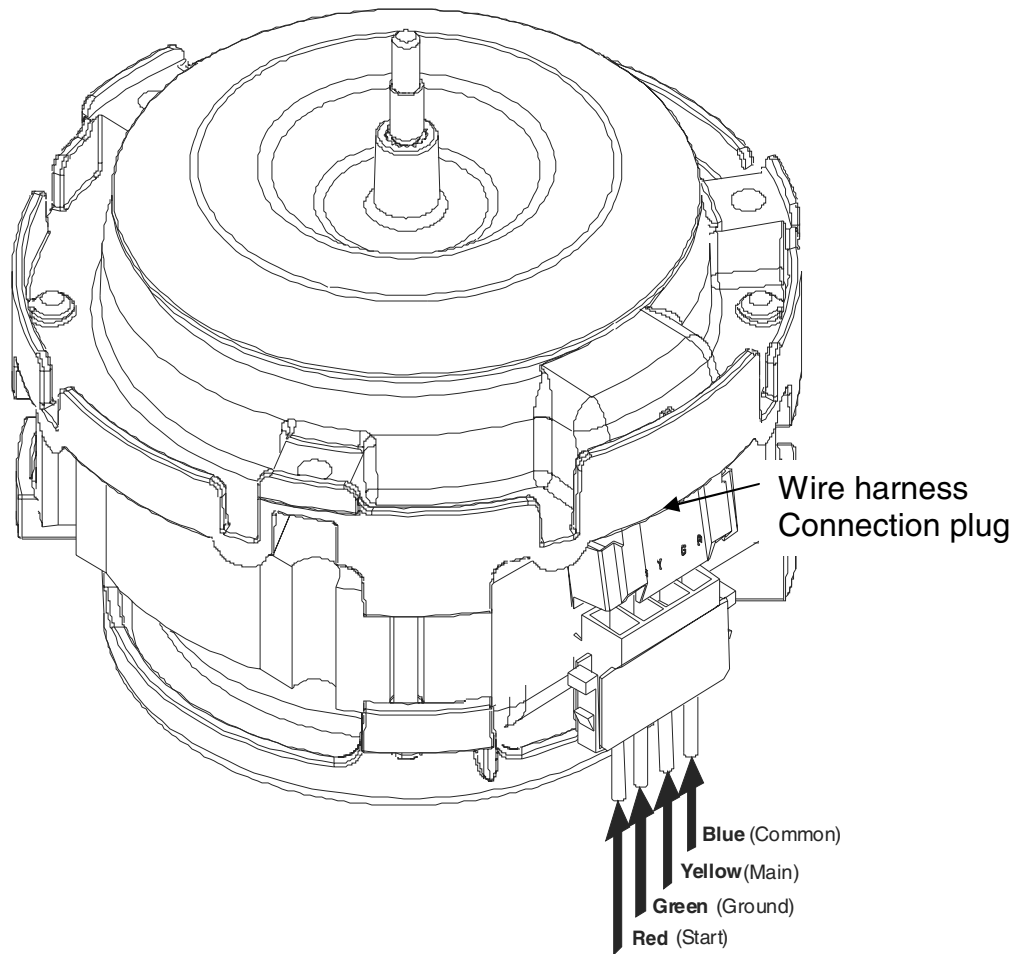
*** A resistor in the control board wired in parallel will result in an approximate reading of 4.0 k ohms with connector J5 plugged in.

Always remove power to the unit before performing any resistance or continuity checks.

Motor Connectivity

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1/3HP
120V/60hz, 3.2 amps, 3250 RPM

