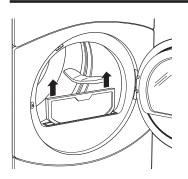
Always follow the fabric manufacturer's care label when laundering.

#### Sorting and Loading Hints

As a general rule, if clothes are sorted properly for the washer, they are sorted properly for the dryer. Try also to sort items according to size. For example, do not dry a sheet with socks or other small items.

Do not add fabric softener sheets once the load has become warm. They may cause fabric softener stains. Bounce® Fabric Conditioner Dryer Sheets have been approved for use in this dryer when used in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions. **Do not overload.** This wastes energy and causes wrinkling.

# Care and Cleaning of the Dryer.



*The Lint Filter:* Clean the lint filter before each use.

Pull out the lint filter. Moisten your fingers and remove the captured lint. Once clean, slide the filter back into position. Have a qualified technician vacuum the lint from the dryer once a year.

# NEVER OPERATE THE DRYER WITHOUT ITS FILTER IN PLACE.

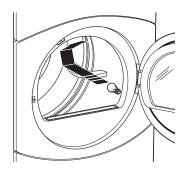
*Stainless Steel:* To clean stainless steel surfaces use a damp cloth with a mild, non-abrasive cleaner suitable for stainless steel surfaces. Remove the cleaner residue and then dry with a clean cloth.

The stainless steel used to make the dryer drum provides the highest reliability available in a GE Appliances dryer. If the dryer drum should be scratched or dented during normal use, the drum will not rust or corrode. These surface blemishes will not affect the function or durability of the drum. *The Exterior:* Wipe or dust any spills or washing compounds with a damp cloth. Dryer control panel and finishes may be damaged by some laundry pretreatment soil and stain remover products. Apply these products away from the dryer. The fabric may then be washed and dried normally. Damage to your dryer caused by these products is not covered by your warranty.

*Dryer Interior and Duct:* The interior of the appliance and exhaust duct should be cleaned once a year by qualified service personnel.

*The Exhaust Duct:* Inspect and clean the exhaust ducting at least once a year to prevent clogging. A partially clogged exhaust can lengthen the drying time.

*The Exhaust Hood:* Check with a mirror that the inside flaps of the hood move freely when operating. Make sure that there is no wildlife (birds, insects, etc.) nesting inside the duct or hood.



#### Drum Lamp

The drum lamp comes on automatically when the door is opened.

Before replacing the light bulb, be sure to unplug the dryer power cord or disconnect the dryer at the household distribution panel by removing the fuse or switching off the circuit breaker. Reach above dryer opening from inside the drum. Remove the bulb and replace with the same size bulb. Order replacement bulb **WE4M305** on-line at *GEApplianceParts.com*, by phone at *800.626.2002* during normal business hours, or purchase appliance bulb **7C7** from your local retailer.



# Venting the Dryer

For the best drying performance, the dryer needs to be properly vented. *The dryer will use more energy and run longer if it is not vented to the below specifications. Carefully follow the details on Exhausting in the Installation Instructions.* 

- Use only rigid metal 4" diameter ductwork inside the dryer cabinet. Use only rigid metal or UL listed flexible metal 4" diameter ductwork for exhausting to the outside.
- Do not use plastic or other combustible ductwork.
- Use the shortest length possible.
- Do not crush or collapse.
- Avoid resting the duct on sharp objects.
- Venting must conform to local building codes.

AWARNING / Fire Hazard

This dryer MUST be exhausted to the outdoors.

Use only 4" rigid metal ducting for the home exhaust duct.

Use only  $4^{\prime\prime}$  rigid metal or UL-listed dryer transition duct to connect the dryer to the home exhaust.

DO NOT use a plastic vent.

DO NOT exhaust into a chimney, kitchen exhaust, gas vent, wall, ceiling,

attic, crawl space, or concealed space of a building.

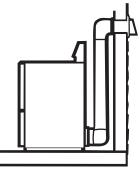
**DO NOT** install a screen in or over the exhaust duct.

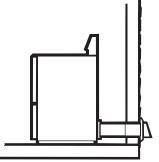
**DO NOT** install a booster fan in the exhaust duct.

DO NOT use duct longer than specified in the exhaust length table.

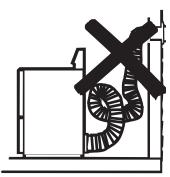
Failure to follow these instructions can result in death or fire.

*Correct Venting* 









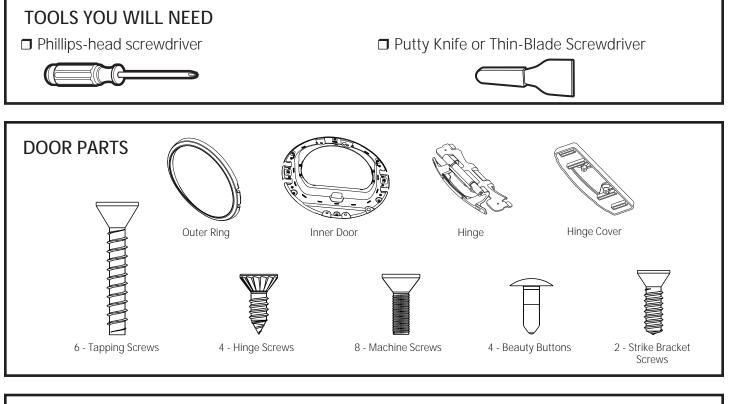
# **REVERSING THE DOOR SWING (if desired)**

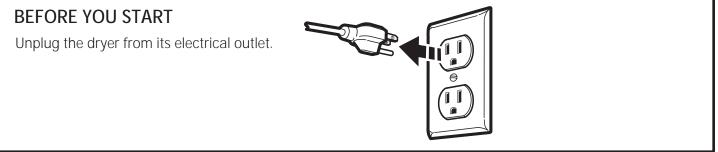
### **IMPORTANT NOTES**

- Read the instructions all the way through before starting.
- Handle parts carefully to avoid scratching paint.
- Set screws down by their related parts to avoid using them in the wrong places.
- Provide a non-scratching work surface for the doors.
- Normal completion time to reverse the door swing is 30–60 minutes.

**IMPORTANT:** Once you begin, do not move the cabinet until door-swing reversal is completed.

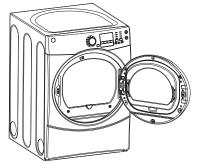
These instructions are for changing the hinges from the right side to the left side—if you ever want to switch them back to the right side, follow these same instructions and reverse all references to the left and right.



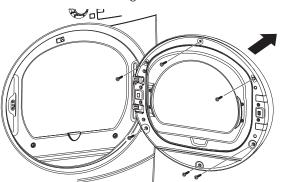


# **1** REMOVE THE DOOR ASSEMBLY

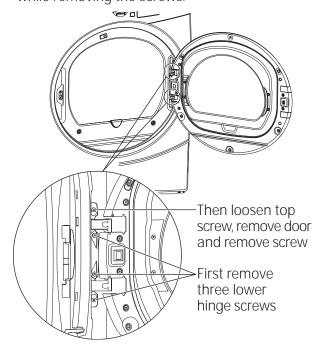
A. Open the door to approximately 130 degrees.



**B.** Remove the 6 tapping screws located around the perimeter of the door outlining the gasket. Remove the outer ring.



C. Remove 3 hinge screws starting at the bottom and move up. Make sure the door is supported while removing the screws.

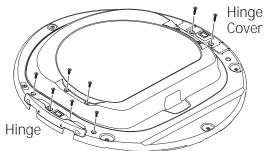


D. Loosen the top screw as shown. Unhook the door by lifting and pulling. Remove the top screw.

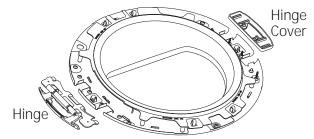
# 2 REMOVE HINGE AND COVER

**IMPORTANT:** Note the location of the hinge (left or right) before removing.

A. Remove the 6 machine screws from the hinge and the 2 machine screws from the hinge cover.

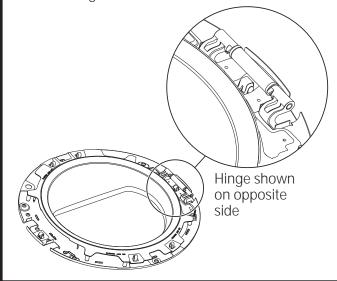


**B.** With the screws removed, turn the door over and separate the outer door assembly and hinge cover of the door from the door frame and set aside.



# **3 REINSTALL HINGE ASSEMBLY**

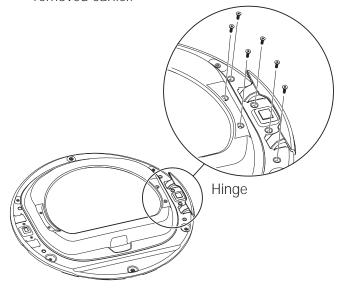
A. Place the hinge in the opposite side of the door as shown. Push the hinge in place until the hinge holes align with the door holes.



# **REVERSING THE DOOR SWING (if desired)**

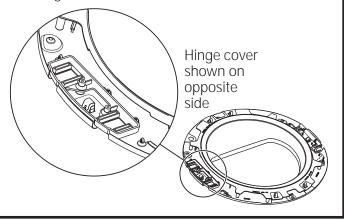
### 3 REINSTALL HINGE ASSEMBLY (cont.)

**B.** Hold the hinge in place and turn the door over. Install the hinge using the 6 machine screws removed earlier.



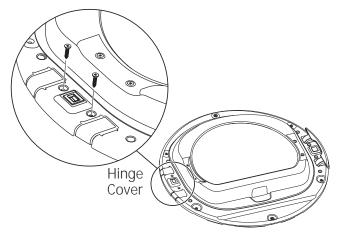
# **4** REINSTALL HINGE COVER

A. Turn the door over and place the hinge cover in the opposite side of the door as shown. Align the hinge cover holes with the holes in the door.



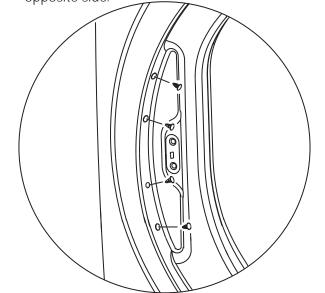
## 4 REINSTALL HINGE COVER (cont.)

**B.** Hold the hinge cover in place and turn the door over. Install the hinge cover using the 2 machine screws removed earlier.



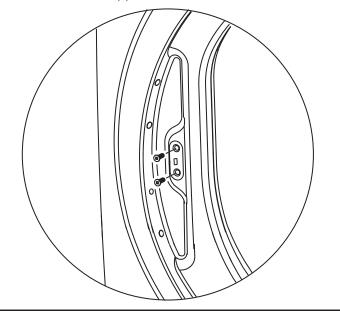
# **5 MOVE STRIKE BRACKET**

A. Using a putty knife or any other flat tool, remove the 4 beauty buttons located on the dryer where the door will be installed and install them on the opposite side.



#### 5 MOVE STRIKE BRACKET (cont.)

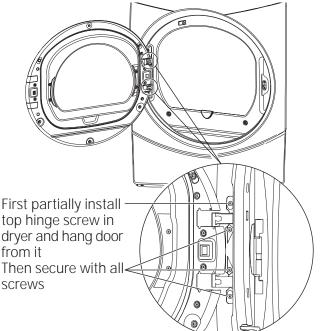
**B.** Switch the strike bracket and its cover to the opposite side by removing the screws. Reinstall both on the opposite side.



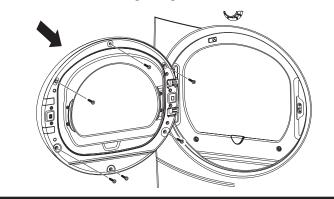
#### **6** REINSTALL DOOR ASSEMBLY

A. Install the door on the dryer. To ease this step, the hinge has keyholes that allow a partially fastened screw to be used as a hook. Partially fasten a screw to the uppermost screw hole. Hook the door on the partially fastened screw.

Fasten the hinge by installing the other 3 screws and tightening the partially fastened screw above.



**B.** Align the outer ring in the door and fasten the 6 tapping screws located around the perimeter of the door outlining the gasket.



# STACKING THE WASHER AND DRYER (if desired)

## **BEFORE YOU BEGIN**

Read these instructions completely and carefully.

- **IMPORTANT** Save these instructions for local electrical inspector's use.
- **IMPORTANT** Observe all governing codes and ordinances.
- Note to Installer Be sure to leave these instructions with the Consumer.
- Note to Consumer Keep these instructions for future reference.
- Service **must** be performed by a qualified installer.
- Proper installation is the responsibility of the installer.
- Disconnect power before installing. Failure to do so could result in serious injury or death.

#### A WARNING 2 - Excessive Weight Hazard

Use two or more people to install dryer. Failure to do so may result in back or other injury.

- Avoid Tipping and Rupture of Utility Services. Dryer must be securely attached to the washer. DO NOT place the washer on top of the dryer. Failure to do so could result in personal injury/ death or property damage.
- Mobile Home or Manufactured Home Installation

   Stacking of a gas dryer is not permitted in a
   mobile home or manufactured home.

#### MINIMUM CLEARANCE OTHER THAN ALCOVE OR CLOSET INSTALLATION

Minimum clearance to combustible surfaces and for air opening are: 0" both sides; 1" rear; 1" top. Consideration must be given to provide adequate clearance for installation and service.

## GE APPLIANCES STACK KIT:

Order on-line at *GEApplianceParts.com*, 24 hours a day or by phone at *800.626.2002* during normal business hours.

# REQUIREMENTS FOR ALCOVE OR CLOSET INSTALLATION

# A WARNING - Explosion Hazard

Keep flammable materials and vapors, such as gasoline, away from dryer.

Place dryer at least 18" (46 cm) above the floor for a garage installation.

Failure to do so can result in death, explosion, or fire.

- The dryer MUST be vented to the outdoors. See the EXHAUSTING THE DRYER section.
- Minimum clearance between dryer cabinet and adjacent walls or other surfaces is: 0" either side
  - 1" front
  - 1" rear
  - 1" top
- Consideration must be given to provide adequate clearance for installation and service.
- Closet doors must be louvered or otherwise ventilated and have at least 60 square inches (387 square cm) of open area. If the closet contains both a washer and a dryer, doors must contain a minimum of 120 square inches (774 square cm) of open area.

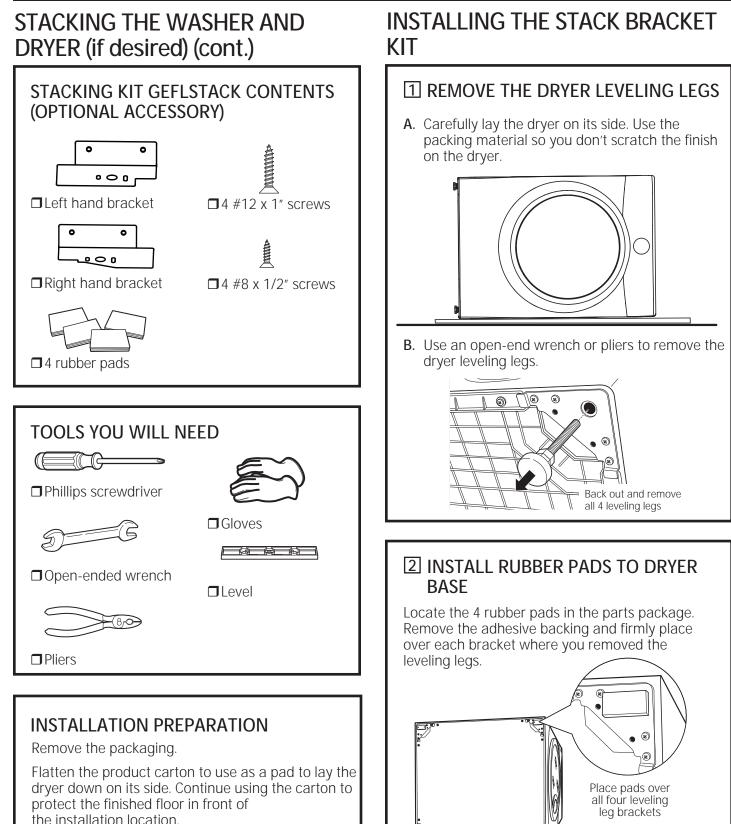
**NOTE:** WHEN THE EXHAUST DUCT IS LOCATED IN THE REAR OF THE DRYER, THE CONFIGURATION OF THE DUCTING MAY REQUIRE GREATER THAN 1" OF REAR CLEARANCE.

#### Gas Dryers Only:

- No other fuel burning appliance shall be installed in the same closet as a gas dryer.
- The dryer must be disconnected from the gas supply piping during pressure testing at pressures greater than ½ psi (3.5 kPa).
- A 1/8 inch NPT minimum plugged tapping, accessible for test gauge connection, must be installed immediately upstream of the gas supply connection to the dryer.

Part Number GEFLSTACK Accessory Complete Stack Kit

# Installation Instructions

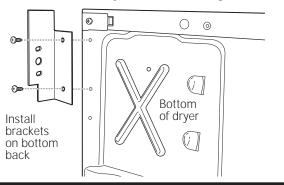


# STACKING THE WASHER AND DRYER (if desired)

### **③** INSTALL BRACKET TO DRYER

- A. Align the holes in the left bracket with the holes in the bottom left corner of the dryer. Use a Phillips screwdriver to install the 2 #12 x 1" tapping screws.
- **B**. Repeat the above step with the right bracket on the bottom right corner of the dryer.
- C. Set the dryer upright.

**NOTE:** Make sure to set the dryer on a piece of packing material so the brackets that are attached to the bottom of the dryer do not damage the floor.



## 4 PREPARE WASHER AND DRYER

- A. Place the washer in the approximate location.
- **B.** Make sure the washer is level. Refer to washer Installation Instructions for details.
- C. Reverse dryer door swing if desired. See dryer Installation Instructions for details.
- **D.** Place the washer in the approximate location.

NOTE: The washer door swing is not reversible.

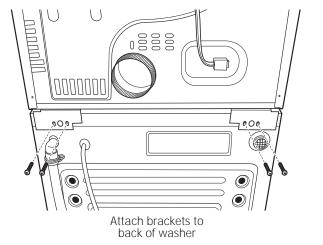
#### INSTALL DRYER AND BRACKET ON WASHER

A. Lift the dryer on top of the washer. Be careful not to scratch the top of the washer with the brackets. Protect the washer control panel with cardboard or other protection. Be sure to lift the dryer high enough to clear the washer control panel.

More than two people are recommended to lift the dryer into position because of its weight and size. Failure to do so could result in personal injury or death.

#### 5 INSTALL DRYER AND BRACKET ON WASHER (cont.)

**B.** Align the holes in the bracket with the holes in the back of the washer. Using a Phillips screwdriver, attach the 2 #8 x 1/2" tapping screws. Repeat on both sides of the washer.



# **6** FINALIZE THE INSTALLATION

- **A**. Refer to the washer Installation Instructions to complete the washer installation.
- **B.** Refer to the dryer Installation Instructions to complete the dryer installation.
- **C.** Carefully slide or walk the stacked washer and dryer into place. Use felt pads or other sliding device to assist moving and to protect flooring.

Do not push on the dryer once installed to top of the washer. Pushing on the dryer may result in pinched fingers.

