

## **Braun Frequently Asked Questions**

### **What are the benefits of epilating with an in water epilator?**

Warm water relaxes and soothes your skin. The warmth improves your micro circulation, stimulates the production of pain-reducing substances and makes your skin less sensitive. This is why the tugging sensation is considerably reduced in water. This is confirmed by a study conducted by the German dermatologist Dr. med. Petra Staubach at the University of Mainz. The majority of participants felt none or only a slight tugging sensation.

### **Is it safe to use the Braun Silk Epil wet and dry epilator in the bath?**

Braun Silk Epil wet and dry epilator is 100% waterproof and is safe for use in or out the bath or shower. The product features an automatic shut off mechanism that ensures the appliance only operates once the cord is removed from the mains power and recharger dock. This safety mechanism guarantees that the appliance cannot be taken into the water and operated, so there is no safety concern over using the appliance in water.

### **I have never epilated before - how should I go about it?**

Braun's Silk Epil epilators are the perfect choice for first-time users. Their active massage rollers softly stimulate your skin with micro pulsations before and after removing the hair, leaving your skin more relaxed. Still if you are inexperienced you may feel a little discomfort during your first epilating sessions. This will decrease with each session, as the skin adjusts to the process. Also the individual hairs grow back at different speeds depending on their particular growth cycle, so there will be less hair to remove after the first epilation.

### **Does more hair grow back if I epilate?**

No, this has been proven in dermatological tests. In fact, studies show that ongoing epilation reduces the amount of hair regrowth.

### **How do I best prepare my skin for epilating?**

The best preparation for epilating is a nice, warm shower. It will leave your skin clean and relaxed. Be sure to use a gentle, pH neutral shower gel, and keep the water warm, not hot, to avoid drying out your delicate skin.

### **Is epilation painful?**

Silk Epil epilators have been developed specifically to minimise any discomfort or irritation. Cooling wet wipes from Olay prime the skin beforehand and massaging rollers help to relax the skin as you use the epilator. Being able to use the product in water also reduces discomfort and irritation as the warmth of the water releases endorphins – the body's natural pain reliever.