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USER'S GUIDE
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AB221B
Compact Chopper

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IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

Definitions

Whenever used, the following terms identify safety and property damage messages and designate a level of hazard seriousness.

⚠ - This is the safety alert symbol. It alerts you to potential personal injury hazards. Obey all safety messages that follow this symbol to avoid possible injury or death.

DANGER – Indicates an imminently hazardous situation, which, if not avoided, will result in death or serious injury. Usage of this signal word is limited to the most extreme situations.

WARNING – Indicates a potentially hazardous situation, which, if not avoided, could result in death or serious injury.

CAUTION – Indicates a potentially hazardous situation, which, if not avoided, may result in minor/moderate injury.

NOTICE – Addresses practices not related to personal injury, such as product and/or property damage.

When using electrical appliances, basic safety precautions should always be followed including the following:

- READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS.
- To protect against risk of electrical shock do not put appliance body or plug in water or other liquid.
- Close supervision is necessary when any appliance is used by or near children.
- Unplug from outlet when not in use, before putting on or taking off parts, and before cleaning.
- Avoid contacting moving parts. keep fingers out of discharge opening.
- Do not operate any appliance with a damaged cord or plug or after the appliance malfunctions, or is dropped or damaged in any manner, return appliance to the nearest authorized service facility for examination, repair or electrical or mechanical adjustment.
- The use of attachments not recommended or sold by the manufacture may cause fire, electric shock or injure to persons.
- Do not use outdoors.
- Do not let cord hang over edge of table or counter.
- Keep hands and utensils away from the cutting blade while chopping food to reduce the risk of severe injury to persons or damage to the food chopper. A scraper may be used but only when the food chopper is not running.
- Blade is sharp. Handle carefully.
- To reduce the risk of injury, never place cutting blade on base without first putting bowl properly in place.

- Be certain cover is securely locked in place before operating appliance.
- Do not attempt to defeat the cover interlock mechanism.

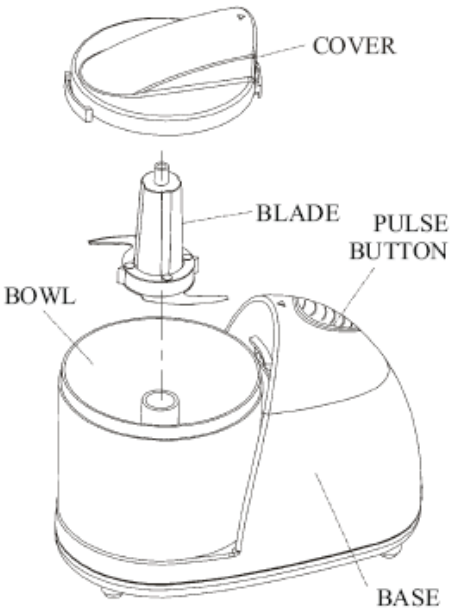
SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

POLARIZED PLUG

This appliance has a polarized plug (one blade is wider than the other) follow the instructions below:

To reduce the risk of electric shock, this plug is intended to fit into a polarized outlet only one way. If the plug does not fit fully into the outlet, reverse the plug. If it still does not fit, contact a qualified electrician. Do not attempt to modify the plug in any way.

Parts



Before First Use

1. Remove product parts from packaging and disassemble. To remove the Container Bowl from the Base, turn Container Bowl counterclockwise.

NOTE: Container Bowl may be slightly difficult to remove when product is new. To aid removal, place the Base onto its side on a soft surface and then turn Container Bowl firmly to remove.

2. Thoroughly wash the Cover, the Container Bowl, and the Blades in warm, soapy water. Rinse and let dry.

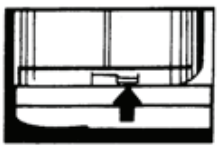
To Assemble

WARNING: Ensure the product is unplugged from the electrical outlet before assembling it. Handle the Blades with care as they are extremely sharp. Use caution when attaching, detaching, cleaning, or storing the Blades.

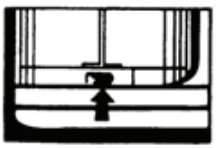
1. Ensure the product is unplugged from the electrical outlet.

2. Place the Base on a flat, level, stable surface.

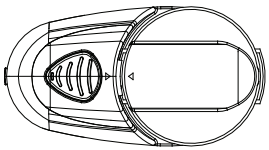
3. Insert the Container Bowl over the Metal Shaft and turn the Container Bowl clockwise until the Safety Latches of the Container Bowl lock to the Base (preventing the Container Bowl from detaching).



Unlocked Safety Latch



Locked Safety Latch



4. Attach the Blades by holding the plastic shaft end (end opposite of the Blades) and inserting the Blade shaft over the center column of the Container Bowl until secure.

5. Attach the Cover after inserting the food into the Container Bowl.

IMPORTANT NOTE: The Cover must be securely locked into its position before the food processor will operate. When properly locked, the arrow inscribed on the Cover handle must align with the arrow inscribed on the Base (near the On/Pulse Button).

To Use

NOTICE: Do not process raw meat, cheese, coffee beans, or whole squares of chocolate in this product, as product damage could result. Do not operate more than 30 s.

1. Cut the food into small pieces, as needed.
NOTE: Hard vegetables, such as raw carrots, may require splitting and/or quartering in order to allow smooth operation and movement of the Blades.

2. Place the food into the Container Bowl.

3. Attach and gently secure the Cover onto the Container Bowl (reference the "To Assemble" section).

4. Plug the product into a standard 110-120 volt AC electrical outlet.

5. Press the On/Pulse Button to begin processing the food.

6. To stop processing, release the On/Pulse Button.

7. Wait until the Blades and Metal Shaft have completely stopped before removing the Cover or any contents.

8. Unplug the product from the electrical outlet when it is not in use or is left unattended.

WARNING: Overfilling the Container Bowl could cause spillage, resulting in serious burns and/or property/product damage.

Tips:

- To chop meat, cut the fresh meat into 15-20mm chunks before processing them in the container bowl, and the biggest is 150g.
- To make bread crumbs, break the bread into pieces before placing them into the food processor. Do not fill food past the maximum capacity of 1½ cups.
- To chop vegetables (e.g., carrot, celery, mushroom, onion, green peppers): cut the vegetables into 20-25mm chunks before processing them in the container bowl. Do not fill food past the maximum capacity of 1½ cups.

Care and Maintenance

WARNING: To avoid the risk of electric shock, always ensure the product is unplugged from the electrical outlet before assembling, disassembling, relocating, servicing, or cleaning it.

WARNING: Handle the Blades with care as they are extremely sharp. Use caution when attaching, detaching, cleaning, or storing the Blades.

- Always clean the product immediately after each use.
- Wash the Cover, Container Bowl, and the Blades in warm, soapy water; rinse and let dry.
- Clean the Base by wiping it with a damp cloth. To avoid product damage, do not immerse the Base into water or other liquids.
- To avoid damage to the product, do not use abrasive cleaners or scouring pads to clean the product parts.
- Reassemble the product before placing it into storage. (Reference the "To Assemble" section.)
- Store the product in a cool, dry place.
- **WARNING**: This product is equipped with a polarized plug (one blade is wider than the other blade) to reduce the risk of electrical shock. This is a safety feature. The plug will fit into a polarized outlet only one way. If you are unable to insert the plug into the electrical outlet, try reversing the plug. If the plug still does not fit, contact a qualified electrician. Never use the plug with an extension cord unless you can fully insert the plug into the extension cord. Do not alter the plug. Do not attempt to defeat the safety purpose of the polarized plug.

Electrical Specification

- Voltage: AC 120V
- Frequency: 60Hz
- Power: 100W

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- Recycled fiber board in place of the polyfoam in packing boxes
- Recycled plastics in place of the virgin material in product construction

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