Value Range

TOASTER

INSTRUCTION MANUAL



This is an attended appliance. Do not leave the toaster unattended when in use.

IMPORTANT SAFETY WARNINGS

- Read all the instructions carefully before using and please retain this instruction manual for further reference.
- Never leave the appliance unattended while in use.
- This appliance can be used by children aged from 8 years and above and persons with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities or lack of experience and knowledge if they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance in a safe way and understand the hazards involved. Children shall not play with the appliance. Cleaning and user maintenance shall not be made by children unless they are older than 8 and supervised.
- Keep the appliance and its cord out of reach of children less than 8 years.
- That the appliance is not intended to be operated by means of an external timer or separate remote control system.
- The surfaces are liable to get hot during use.

GUARANTEE

This product is guaranteed against manufacturing defects for a period of

1 year

This does not cover the product where the fault is due to misuse, abuse, use in contravention of the instructions, or where the product has been the subject of unauthorised modifications or alterations, or has been the subject of commercial use

In the event of a problem with the product within the guarantee period please return it to your nearest Argos store

If the item is shown to have had an inherent defect present at the time of sale, the store will provide you with a replacement

Your statutory rights remain unaffected

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- Bread may burn. Toaster must be kept away from curtains and other combustible materials that could catch fire.
- Never attempt to remove bread that has become jammed in the toasting slots without first removing plug from socket.
- Do not use your toaster directly under wall cupboards.
- Never warm food with a topping or filling. If it drips into the toaster, it could catch fire.
- Clean the crumb tray regularly. Crumbs can smoke or burn.
- The temperature of accessible surfaces may be high when the appliance is operating especially the metal top area and the warming rack if any.
- To protect against electric shock, do not immerse the toaster in water or any other liquid.
- Keep the power cord away from hot surface. Never let the cord hang down where a child could grab it – clip excess cord into the cord storage clips in the base.
- Never put your hand or metal objects e.g. knife or foil into toasting slots to avoid electric hazard.
- Never attempt to touch the internal parts with knife or sharp tool as it may cause damage to heating elements and risk of electric shock.
- If your toaster is dropped, it should not be used until examined by an authorized service center.
- If the supply cord is damaged, it must be replaced by the manufacturer, its service agent or similarly qualified persons in order to avoid a hazard.
- The toaster is intended for household use only.
- NEVER use unauthorized attachment or accessory.
- Children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the appliance.

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

A. Loading Lever
B. Browning control
C. Toasting Slots
D. Cancel Button
E. Removable Crumb Tray
F. Rating Plate
G. Plug and Power Cord



LOCATION



- ☐ Always operate this product on a flat horizontal surface.
- ☐ Do not operate under or near curtains or other combustible materials. Do not place under cupboards or close to a wall as scorching of wall or cupboard may occur.
- ☐ After selecting appropriate location, carefully lay toaster down on protected flat surface to avoid scratching.
- ☐ Lay out power cord to desired length and secure excess power cord (G) on underside of toaster.

IMPORTANT

The colors of the wires in the mains lead of this appliance may not correspond with the colored markings identifying the terminals in your plug, proceed as follows:

Caution

To prevent electric shock disconnect from the mains before removing the cover

- ☐ The blue wire must be connected to the terminal marked with the letter N or colored black.
- ☐ The brown wire must be connected to the terminal marked with the letter L or colored red.
- ☐ The green and yellow wire must be connecting to the terminal marked with the letter E or the earth symbol. (⏚).

If a 13 Amp (BS1363) fused plug is used it must be fitted with a 13A fuse conforming to BS1362 and be ASTA approved.
If in doubt contact a qualified electrician

DISPOSAL INFORMATION

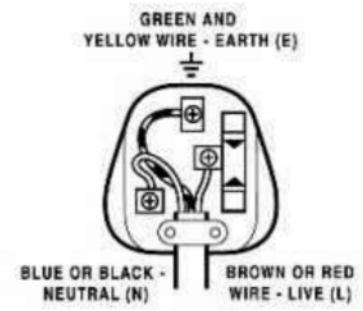
Waste electrical products should not be disposed of with household waste. Please recycle where facilities exist. Check with your local authority for recycling advice.

plug removed must be disposed of safely as insertion into a mains socket is likely to cause an electrical hazard.

- This unit must be earthed. This equipment must be disconnected from the mains when not in use. Do not allow this unit to be exposed to rain or moisture.

For your own safety read the following instructions carefully before attempting to connect this unit to the mains.

You should only plug the appliance into a 230V-240V AC, 50Hz supply. Connecting it to other power sources may damage the appliance.



The wires in this mains lead are colored in accordance with the following code:
BLUE = NEUTRAL
BROWN = LIVE
GREEN + YELLOW = EARTH

BEFORE USING YOUR TOASTER

As with all new heating elements, your toaster may emit a slight burning smell when it is first switched on. This is normal and not a cause for concern. Set the browning knob at maximum setting and activate the toaster without bread for two times. This will reduce the unpleasant smells when toasting bread.

USING YOUR TOASTER



- Select the desired browning setting on the browning control knob (B). (Lowest number = lightest, Highest number = darkest). When using the toaster for the first time we suggest you toast on number 3 to 4. Varying types of bread and personal preference may require different browning setting.
- Lower the lever until it clicks into place. Toasting cycle will automatically commence. **ATTENTION: The loading lever will NOT stay down unless the toaster is plugged in.**
- The toast will pop up automatically. Pressing the **CANCEL** button (D) to stop toasting at any stage. **(Never lift the lever to cancel toasting.)**
- In the unlikely event that the bread or crumpet becomes jammed, switch the toaster off at the power outlet, remove the plug from the supply socket and carefully ease the bread out of the toaster, ensuring that you do not damage the heating element.

HINTS ON USING YOUR TOASTER

- If the toast is too dark, use a lower toast setting.
- Dry bread will require a lower setting than normal.
- Thick bread, fresh or whole wheat bread will require a higher setting than normal.
- Uneven toasting is usually due to bread slices of uneven thickness.
- When toasting a single slice of bread, you may notice a variation in toast colour from one side to the other - this is normal.
- Remove any loose fruit before toasting to prevent pieces falling into the toaster or sticking to the heating element and cause damage.
- Never force bread into the toasting slot. Bread should fit freely between the bread guards.
- In order to achieve uniform browning we recommend you wait a minimum of 30-60 seconds between each toasting. Alternatively turn the browning control to a lower setting when additional toasting is carried out.

CLEANING



- Before cleaning ensure power is switched off at mains and plug has been removed.
- Wait until your toaster has cooled down completely before cleaning.
- Clean the outer surface with a soft damp cloth only.
- It is important that crumbs are not allowed to build up inside the base of the toaster. Crumbs can smoke and even burn.
- Crumbs can be removed by simply sliding out the crumb tray (E) at the bottom of the toaster. You can then tip the crumbs out. Do it regularly.

CONNECTION TO POWER

- Before connecting, check that the voltage indicated on the appliance (bottom of the appliance) corresponds with the main voltage in your home. If this is not the case, consult your dealer and do not use.
- This appliance may be fitted with a non-rewirable plug. If you need to change the fuse in a non-rewirable plug, the fuse cover must be refitted. If the fuse cover is lost or damaged, the plug must not be used until a replacement is obtained (available from the appliance manufacturer).
- If the plug has to be changed because it is not suitable for your socket, or becomes damaged, it should be cut off and appropriate plug fitted following the wiring instructions. The