

# COOKWORKS

## HAND BLENDER INSTRUCTION MANUAL



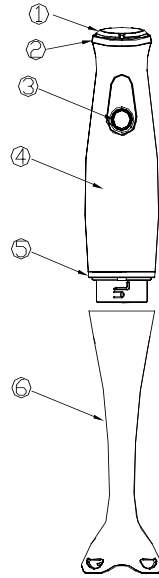
# IMPORTANT SAFETY

- Only use your hand blender for its intended domestic use.
- Don't let children or infirm people use the hand blender without supervision.
- If the supply cord is damaged, it must be replaced by the manufacturer or its service agent or a similarly qualified person in order to avoid a hazard.
- Before plugging in, make sure your household electricity supply is the same as the one shown on the power handle.
- Switch off the appliance and disconnect from supply before changing accessories or approaching parts which move in use and disconnect from supply.
- **PLEASE KEEP FOR FUTURE REFERENCE.**
- **READ ALL THE INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY BEFORE USE**
- Take special care when preparing food for babies, the elderly and infirm. Always ensure that the hand blender shaft is thoroughly sterilized. Use a sterilizing solution in accordance with the sterilizing solution manufactures instructions.
- 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 without supervision.

- Always disconnect the blender from the supply if it is left unattended and before assembling, disassembling or cleaning.
- Care shall be taken when handling the sharp cutting blades, emptying the bowl and during cleaning.
- Unplug from outlet when it is not in use, before putting on or taking off parts, before moving the appliance or adding the food , and before cleaning.
- Never touch the blades while the hand blender is plugged in.
- Keep fingers, hair, clothing and utensils away from moving parts.
- Unplug after use.
- **FOR HOUSEHOLD USE ONLY**
- Never blend hot oil or fat.
- Never use a damaged hand blender. Get it checked or repaired.
- Never immerse the power handle in water or let the cord or plug get wet - you could get an electric shock.
- Never let the cord touch hot surfaces or hang down where a child could grab it.
- Never use an unauthorised attachment.
- **Avoid touch the moving parts. SHARP CUTTING BLADES.**
- Keep out of reach of children
- With heavy mixtures, don't use your hand blender for longer than 50 seconds in any four minute period – it will overheat and damage to the motor.

# KNOW YOUR APPLIANCE

1. Speed Adjuster
2. Top Cover
3. Switch Button
4. Power Handle
5. Main Body Decorative Ring
6. Blender Shaft



# CONNECTION AND USE

Your blender is a two part assembly. The upper part contains the power handle and Speed button. The lower part is the blender. **WARNING: Always unplug the appliance before changing accessories.**

## To unlock

- Ensure to remove the plug from the mains first. Hold the power handle in the left hand and the blender shaft in the right. Rotate the blender shaft anticlockwise to separate the units.

### **To lock**

- Ensure to remove the plug from the mains first. Hold the power handle in the left hand and the blender shaft in the right. Offer the power handle up to the blender shaft. Rotate the blender shaft clockwise to the full. The assembly will now be firmly locked.

## **TO USE THE HAND BLENDER**

You can blend baby food, soups, sauces, milk shakes and mayonnaise.

**IMPORTANT NOTE: THIS APPLIANCE HAS BEEN DESIGNED FOR SHORT-TERM USE ONLY. DO NOT OPERATE HAND BLENDER LONGER THAN 60 SECS AT ONE TIME. ALLOW 3 MINS REST BETWEEN OPERATIONS.**

### **For beaker blending**

- Don't fill the beaker too full to avoid spillage when blending.

### **For saucepan blending**

- Take the pan off the heat and let it cool slightly. Otherwise your hand blender could overheat.
- Fit the power handle inside the blender shaft, turn and lock.
- Plug in. To avoid splashing, place the blade in the food before switching on.
- Hold the power handle steady, then press the button.
- Don't let liquid get above the join between the power handle and blender shaft.
- Move the blade through the food and use a stabbing action.
- If your blender gets blocked, unplug before cleaning.
- After use, unplug and dismantle.

# CLEANING AND CARE

- **Always switch off and unplug before cleaning.**
- **It is an electrical appliance. NEVER immerse the power hand into water. It will result to electric shock.**
- **Don't touch the sharp blades.**
- Always ensure that the hand blender shaft is thoroughly sterilized. Use a sterilizing solution in accordance with the sterilizing solution manufacturers instructions.

## **Power handle**

- Wipe with a damp cloth, then dry.
- Never immerse in water or use abrasives.

## **Blender shaft**

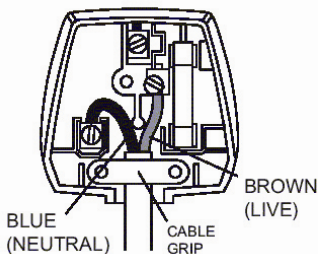
- Always clean the appliance after use to prevent the drive shaft from clogging.
- Clean either by holding it under running water or with a brush dipped in a solution of washing up liquid and warm water to remove particles of food and grease from the blade. Do not wet the top of the housing which contains the drive shaft, or immerse it in liquid. Dry the unit carefully after cleaning.
- Your blender will perform better and longer if you oil it every few months. Use a food grade oil. Hold the blender with the foot facing you and put 2-3 drops of oil on the drive post. Switch the appliance on and let it run for 10-20 seconds. Then rinse the drive post in hot water.
- The attachment should not be washed using a dishwasher.

# CONNECTION TO POWER

- Before connecting, check that the voltage indicated on 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 plug removed must be disposed of safely as insertion into a mains socket is likely to cause an electrical hazard.
- 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 220-240V AC,50Hz supply. Connecting it to other power sources may damage the appliance.



The wires in this mains lead are coloured in accordance with the following code:

**BLUE = NEUTRAL**  
**BROWN = LIVE**

## IMPORTANT

The colours of the wires in the mains lead of this appliance may not correspond with the coloured 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 coloured black.
- The brown wire must be connected to the terminal marked with the letter L or coloured red.
- No connection is to be made to the earth terminal of the plug.

If a 13 Amp (BS1363) fused plug is used it must be fitted with a 3A fuse conforming to BS1362 and be ASTA approved.

If in doubt contact a qualified electrician

## DISPOSAL INFORMATION



This marking indicates that this product should not be disposed with other household wastes throughout the EU. To prevent possible harm to the environment or human health from uncontrolled waste disposal, recycle it responsibly to promote the sustainable reuse of material resources. To return your used device, please use the return and collection systems or contact the retailer where the product was purchased. They can take this product for environmental safe recycling.



# 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

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