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2 - Slice Glass Toaster

INSTRUCTION MANUAL

Model No.: M2SGT



Please read this instruction manual thoroughly in the interests of your safety. Ensure that this instruction manual is stored in a safe place, should you need to refer to it again.

General Safety Instructions

IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS READ CAREFULLY AND KEEP FOR FUTURE REFERENCE

Read this manual thoroughly before first use, even if you are familiar with this type of product. The safety precautions enclosed reduce the risk of fire, electric shock and injury when correctly adhered to. **Keep the manual in a safe place for future reference**, along with the completed warranty card, purchase receipt and carton. If applicable, pass these instructions on to the next owner of the appliance. **Always follow basic safety precautions and accident prevention measures when using an electrical appliance, including the following:**

Electric Safety and Cord Handling

Voltage: Make sure your outlet voltage and circuit frequency correspond to the voltage stated on the appliance rating label and your wall outlet is earthed.

Water: To protect against fire and electric shock, do not immerse the cord, plug or any non-removable parts of this toaster in water or other liquid, or expose the electrical connections to water. Ensure your hands are dry before handling the plug or switching on the appliance.

WARNING: If the toaster falls or accidentally becomes immersed in water, unplug it from the wall outlet immediately. Do not reach into the water!

Damage: Check the power cord regularly for visible damage. If the cord is damaged, it must be replaced by the manufacturer, its authorized service centers or appropriately qualified personnel in order to avoid any hazards.

WARNING: Do not pick up or operate the appliance if the cord, plug, or housing is damaged, or after it malfunctions or has been dropped or damaged in any way.

In case of damage, please contact our customer service line for advice.

Power cord: Do not kink, bend, strain or damage the power cord and protect it from sharp edges and heat. Do not let it touch hot surfaces. Do not let the cord hang over the edge of a table or bench top.

Power extension cord: A shorter power cord is provided to reduce the risk of tripping and entanglement. If you must use an extension cord, be cautious of the risks involved. The extension cord should be arranged so that it will not drape over the bench top or tabletop where it can be pulled on by children or tripped over unintentionally.

No timer: The appliance is not intended to be operated by means of an external timer or separate remote-control system.

Disconnect: Turn off and unplug the toaster from the outlet when it is not in use and before assembly, disassembly, cleaning, and storage. Grip the plug when disconnecting, do not pull the cord.

RCD: Unless your home is already fitted with a residual current device (safety switch), we recommend installing an RCD with a rated residual operating current not exceeding 30mA to provide additional safety protection when using electrical appliances. See your electrician for professional advice.

Usage Conditions and Restrictions

Domestic use only: This appliance is intended for indoor domestic use only. It is NOT suitable for commercial, industrial, or outdoor use. Do not use it outdoors.

Intended use: The appliance is only suitable for toasting bread products without topping. Do not use it for anything else, and only use it as described in this manual. Do not place wet foods inside the toaster, or food that has been covered with butter, jelly, frosting or other condiments as this may result in fire, smoke, or jamming of the appliance. Do not use the appliance for defrosting food other than bread products or waffles.

WARNING: Do not put oversized food or inappropriate materials (metal foil packages or utensils) into the toasting slot. Doing so may create a fire or electric shock hazard.

Accessories: Do not use the attachments that are not recommended here as this may cause injury or damage. Never operate the toaster without its proper accessories.

Usage restriction: The appliance is not intended for use by persons (including children) with reduced physical, sensory, or mental capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge, unless they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance by a person responsible for their safety.

Children: Supervise young children to ensure they do not play with the appliance. Close supervision is necessary when any appliance is used by or near children.

Liability: We accept no liability for any eventual damages or personal injury caused by misuse of the product and/or failure to follow these instructions.

Before first use: Make sure you know how to use the toaster before first use.

Clearances: When using the toaster, make sure there is adequate air space above and on all sides for air circulation.

Work surface: Place the toaster on a dry, stable, flat, heat-resistant surface.

WARNING DO NOT use the toaster under the following conditions:

On or near a gas or electric hob, in a heated oven or near an open flame.

On a soft surface (such as carpet) or where it may tip over during use.

Outdoors or in areas of high humidity.

Near or below materials that can ignite easily (such as curtains, drapes, wall hangings, tea towels) or underneath wall cabinets, as bread may burn and cause a fire if it is toasted for too long.

Do not cover: Do not cover the toaster or place anything on top during use.

Do not insert any objects (utensils, fingers or other foreign objects)

Inside the toaster while in use as it may result in fire, electric shock, or injury.

Smoke or fire: Immediately unplug the appliance if fire or smoke is emitted.

Unattended: Do not leave the toaster unattended when it is switched on. Disconnect it from the power supply when you are finished with it or when leaving the room.

Malfunction: If this appliance begins to malfunction during use, or if fire or smoke is emitted, immediately press the CANCEL button, and unplug the cord. Do not use or attempt to repair a malfunctioning appliance. Contact our customer service line for advice.

Cleaning: Maintain the toaster in accordance with the instructions to ensure it functions properly. Disconnect the appliance before moving and cleaning it. Allow it to cool completely before cleaning and storing.

Crumb tray: To avoid the risk of fire, regularly remove crumbs from the crumb tray. Make sure the crumb tray is dry and properly in place before reuse.

Storage: When not in use, store your appliance and its instruction manual in a safe and dry place.

CAUTION: HOT SURFACE!

The temperature of accessible surfaces may be high when the appliance is operating and can cause burns.

The metal panel on top of the toaster can become very hot. Do not touch hot surfaces during or immediately after use.

Use handles or knobs.

Always use oven mitts when handling hot material and allow metal parts to cool before cleaning.

Take care when taking out hot bread slices after toasting to avoid injuries.

WARNING: ELECTRIC SHOCK HAZARD!

If the toasting lever is stuck while the toaster is on, immediately unplug the appliance and let it cool down before emptying and cleaning. If the problem persists, discontinue use of the appliance and call our customer service line.

Never attempt to dislodge food from inside the toaster when it is plugged into an electrical outlet.

Always unplug it and let it cool first.

Never use a knife or any other sharp metal tool to remove the bread, and never stick your hand inside the slot.

Do not touch the metal parts inside the toaster.

Product Overview



A. Toaster Body

- 1. Glass viewing window
- 2. Toasting Slot
- 3. Control Panel
- 4. Browning Control Knob
- 5. Glass panel clamp
- 6. Crumb tray pull-out



B. Control Panel

- ON/ OFF Button
- DEFROST Button
- BAGEL Button
- START/ CANCEL Button
- Browning Control Knob (1-7)

Getting Started

Before first use

This product has been packaged to protect it against transportation damage. Unpack the appliance and keep the original packaging carton and materials in a safe place. It will help prevent any damage if the product needs to be transported in the future, and you can use it to store the appliance when it is not in use. If the carton is to be disposed of, please recycle all packaging materials where possible.

Plastic wrapping can be a suffocation hazard for babies and young children, so ensure all packaging materials are out of their reach and disposed of safely.

Inspect all parts of the appliance for visual damage. Unwind the power cord to its full length and inspect the cord and plug for damage. Do not use the appliance if the appliance or its cord have been damaged or are not working properly. In case of damage, contact our customer service line for advice on examination, repair or return of the damaged product.

Make sure you have read and understood all instructions and warnings in this manual. Refer to the Product Overview, opposite, to familiarize yourself with the product and the operation buttons, pay particular attention to the safety instructions on the previous pages.

Remove any adhesive labels and wipe the outside of the toaster with a damp cloth. **Ensure no packaging material is remaining in the toasting slot and no loose objects have fallen into the toaster.**

Place the toaster on an even and heat-resistant surface. Do not place the toaster where heat, moisture or high humidity are generated, or near combustible materials.

Plug the toaster into an appropriate power point and switch on the outlet. The power socket must be readily accessible so that in an emergency it can be easily switched off and the toaster unplugged.

Set the browning control to level 4, push down the toasting lever and let your toaster heat up without any bread.

NOTE: Due to remnants from the manufacturing process burning off, you may notice a slight burning smell or smoke when first using the toaster. This is no cause for concern. Ensure good ventilation and let the toaster complete a few toasting cycles until no more odor or smoke is present.

After a short cooling down period, your toaster is now ready for use. The operation instructions start on the following page. All parts referred to in the instructions are listed on above page.

Instructions

Toasting Bread

Make sure the crumb tray is properly in place before using the toaster (Fig.1). It is located underneath the heating elements and can be pulled out from the side of the toaster opposite the browning control dial.

Place the toaster on a clean, stable, and heat-resistant surface. Make sure that no liquids or flammable objects are near the appliance.

Connect the toaster to a properly installed wall socket and switch on the power to the outlet. Set the browning level with the browning control dial (Fig.2).

The browning level may be adjusted before or straight after pressing down the toasting lever. Seven heating levels give you precise toasting results. Simply select your desired browning level based on your needs.

NOTE: When using the toaster for the first time, select setting 3, then adjust the setting for successive toast cycles according to your preference. (Use a lower setting for thin slices.)

See Fig. 3 for browning level preferences.



Fig. 1



Fig. 2



Fig. 3

1. Place two bread slices side by side in the toasting slot choose browning level and press the start/cancel button to start toasting. The bread guides will automatically adjust to hold the food place and will automatically lower down to its toasting position. The relevant indicator will light up and remain illuminated until the toast cycle is complete, or until the CANCEL button is pressed.

2. When the Defrost or Bagel buttons are pressed, the relevant indicator will light up and remain illuminated until the toast cycle is complete, or until the CANCEL button is pressed.

CAUTION: Don't press hard on the slices of bread, as it may cause damage. When you place two bread slices side by side in the toaster, the bread guides will automatically adjust to hold the food place and it will automatically lower down to its toasting position.

IMPORTANT!

Make sure the toaster is connected to your power supply and the power is switched on at the outlet, otherwise the toasting lever will not stay down to start toasting.

To stop the toasting cycle at any time, press the CANCEL button.

While the bread is being toasted, you can watch the process through the viewing window.

When the toast is ready, the toasting lever moves up automatically and the toaster switches off automatically. You can now remove the bread from the toaster.

CAUTION: Do not touch the metal parts of the toaster as they become hot.

If toasting more bread, allow the toaster 15 to 20 seconds to cool down in between toasting cycle so the thermostat can reset.

Always unplug the appliance after use and let it cool down before cleaning or storing.

Button	Function
Defrost	Thoroughly toast frozen bread with an extended toasting cycle. (Reheat 30s after when you press defrost button each browning level)
ON/OFF	Power on or power off
Bagel	Toasts bagels by using only one side of the heating element
CANCEL	Press at any time to stop the toasting process

The toaster has three buttons to defrost frozen bread, reheat toasted bread that has cooled, and to toast bagels on one side and warm up the other.

CAUTION: The Defrost or Bagel function cannot be started by itself. After turning the appliance on and pressing START, choose your desired Defrost or Bagel function.

WARNING! If bread becomes stuck inside the toaster, unplug the toaster and let it cool before trying to remove the bread. Do not use a knife or any other sharp metal tool to do so, and do not touch the metal parts inside the toaster. Ensure to cut your bread thin enough to fit into the toaster with ease.

Some tips for perfect toasting

Toasting is a combination of cooking and drying bread. As moisture levels differ from one bread to another, toasting times can vary.

For slightly dry bread, use a lower browning setting.

For fresh bread or whole meal bread, use a higher setting.

Bread products with a very uneven surface (such as English muffins) will require a higher setting or press the **BAGEL** button for perfect results.

Thick cut pieces of bread will take longer to toast, sometimes significantly longer, since more moisture must be evaporated from the bread before toasting can occur.

When toasting raisin or other fruit bread, remove any loose raisins from the surface of the bread before placing the slices into the toaster. This will help prevent pieces from falling into the toaster or sticking on the guard wire in the slot.

FAQs and Troubleshooting Guide

Problem	Solution
The toaster is not working	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Check the power connection and ensure the plug is properly inserted in the outlet.2. Check the bottom of toaster. Whether the glass panel is fully installed well. You must ensure that it audibly 'clicks' securely into place, otherwise the toaster will not work.
Bread is stuck in the toaster	Unplug the toaster and let it cool down. Then carefully remove the slice or slices from the toaster. You may need to hold the toaster over a sink and shake it gently to help loosen stuck bread. Do not use metal objects to remove the bread. Do not touch the metal parts inside the toaster. If the food was too thick, make sure to slice it a little thinner in future.
My bread slices don't pop up enough after toasting	If your bread is too small to be removed from the toaster, simply lift the toasting lever to raise the carriage to its uppermost position and then pick up the bread. If you still cannot carefully take it out, unplug the toaster and use thin, heat-resistant tongs to remove the bread from the toasting slot.
The toast is too dark or too light	The selected browning level is too high or too low. Select a different setting.
The toaster emits smoke	The selected browning level is too high for the type of bread toasted. Press the CANCEL button to stop the toasting cycle. Ensure the crumb tray is empty and clean. Check to make sure no large crumbs are caught in the slot. Turn the unplugged unit upside down over the sink and shake.

FAQs and Troubleshooting Guide (Cont.)

Toaster isn't Working?

If you experience problems with your toaster, check the issues below to ensure it is properly assembled before you return the appliance to the place of purchase or phone our customer service line.

Make sure your toaster is securely plugged in and the power is switched on at the outlet. The toasting lever will not latch down if there is no power.

If you have recently cleaned the glass panel, make sure the panel is properly installed:

To remove the glass panel, hold the toaster with one hand and lightly tilt it backwards. With the other hand, press the latch at the underside and gently pull out the glass panel (see Fig.4). Wipe the panel clean.

To reinsert the glass panel, lay the toaster on its back, then hold the panel by the latch and carefully slide it back into the grooves at the side until it clicks securely into place.

IMPORTANT! When reinserting the glass panel, you must ensure that it audibly 'clicks' securely into place, otherwise the toaster will not work. When the panel 'clicks' into place, a safety switch is activated (see Fig.5). This will ensure your toaster receives power the next time you connect it to your electricity supply.



Fig. 4 Gently pull out the glass panel in the arrow direction.



Fig. 5 You must hear it *click* into place to activate the safety switch.

Care and Cleaning

WARNING!

Always disconnect the toaster from the power outlet and allow it to cool completely before disassembling, cleaning and storage.

Never immerse the toaster, cord or plug in water or other liquid for cleaning.

Never clean the inside of the toaster, as this may damage the heating elements.

Never use a metal scouring pad, abrasive materials, metal polish, harsh chemical cleaners or hard objects for cleaning any surface of the toaster.

Wipe the outside surfaces and the cord with a soft, dry or slightly dampened cloth or sponge and a mild detergent.

Removes crumbs after each use.

Cleaning the crumb tray

It is important that you remove and clean the crumb tray frequently to avoid the risk of crumbs catching fire. The crumb tray is located underneath the heating elements and can be pulled out from the side of the toaster opposite the browning control knob.

Pull out the crumb tray completely.

Discard the crumbs and wipe the tray clean with a dry or damp cloth.

To remove stubborn spots, use nylon or plastic scouring pad dampened in soapy water and squeezed almost dry.

Make sure the tray is completely dry before inserting it back into the toaster.

Do not put the crumb tray in the dishwasher.

Cleaning the removable glass panel

The center front of the toaster has a full view glass window, which lets you monitor the toasting progress. The inner panel of this window is removable.

Hold the toaster with one hand and lightly tilt it backwards. With the other hand, press the latch at the underside and gently pull out the glass panel (Fig.4).

Wipe the panel clean, or wash it in warm, soapy water, rinse and dry thoroughly.

To reinsert the glass panel, lay the toaster on its back, then hold the panel by the latch and carefully slide it back into the grooves at the side until it clicks securely into place.

Storage

When not in use, store the toaster in a clean, dry place. Make sure the appliance is clean and dry, and disconnected from the power supply.

We recommend storing the appliance in the original carton, which will protect it from dust.

When storing the toaster, the power cord may be stored in the cord storage area underneath the base. Simply wind the power cord around the hooks.

Service and repair

If the toaster is damaged, do not attempt to repair, disassemble, or modify the toaster yourself, as this will void the warranty. There are no spare parts available for purchase. Contact our customer service line to arrange for an examination or repair of the product.

Technical Specifications

Rated voltage: 220-240V 50Hz

Rated power input: 1100-1260W

Browning control: 7 levels

Extra functions: Defrost, Bagel, Up and down, Cancel

Housing: Stainless steel with slide-out glass viewing window

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WARRANTY

Our goods come with guarantees that cannot be excluded under Australian Consumer Law. You are entitled to a replacement or refund for a major failure and compensation for any other foreseeable loss or damage. You are also entitled to have the goods repaired or replaced if the goods fail to be of acceptable quality and the failure does not amount to a major failure. The above applies subject to the item not being accidentally dropped by the user-or being used for purposes other than the intended use - or being tampered with. Maxim Housewares guarantees the product for 12 months from date of purchase. Refunds or replacements at retail store level are under the guidance of the stores rules/regulations. In the event of requiring assistance, the retailer from whom you purchased the product should be your first port of call.

**Supplier warranting this product:
GAF Control (Sales) Pty Ltd & Maxim Housewares
P.O. Box 19, Altona North
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Product Model Number: M2SGT

Purchase Date: _____

Retailer: _____

Retailer Store Address: _____

Name of Purchaser: _____

Address: _____

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