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**ELECTRIC
KNIFE**

Instruction manual

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Safety Instructions

When using electrical appliances, basic safety precautions should always be followed.

Check that the voltage indicated on the rating plate corresponds with that of the local network before connecting the appliance to the mains power supply.

Children aged from 8 years and people with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities or lack of experience and knowledge can use this appliance, only if they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance in a safe way and understand the hazards involved.

Children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the appliance.

Unless they are older than 8 and supervised, children should not perform cleaning or user maintenance.

This appliance is not a toy.

This appliance contains no user serviceable parts. If the power supply cord, plug or any part of the appliance is malfunctioning, or if the appliance has been dropped or damaged, only a qualified electrician should carry out repairs. Improper repairs may place the user at risk of harm.

Keep the appliance and its power supply cord out of the reach of children.

Keep the appliance and its power supply cord away from heat or sharp edges that could cause damage, and do not wrap the cord around the appliance.

Keep the appliance away from heat emitting appliances.

Keep hands, fingers, hair and any loose clothing away from the moving tools of the appliance.

Do not touch any moving parts on this appliance during use, as this could cause injury.

Do not immerse the appliance in water or any other liquid.

Do not operate the appliance with wet hands.

Do not use broken or loose blades.

Do not leave the appliance unattended whilst connected to the mains power supply.

Do not remove the appliance from the mains power supply by pulling the cord; switch it off and remove the plug by hand.

Do not use the appliance for anything other than its intended use.

Do not use any accessories other than those supplied.

Do not use this appliance outdoors.

Do not store the appliance in direct sunlight or in high humidity conditions.

Do not use the appliance on very hot foods that may cause burning.

Always unplug the appliance after use, when changing accessories and before any cleaning or user maintenance.

Use of an extension cord with the appliance is not recommended.

This appliance should not be operated by means of an external timer or separate remote control system, other than that supplied with this appliance.

This appliance is intended for domestic use only. It should not be used for commercial purposes.

Warning: Do not touch sharp blades.

Max. Usage Time

The electric knife has a max. continuous usage time of 1 minute. To continue use, allow it to cool down fully for approx. 5 minutes and use as normal.

If the electric knife becomes hot, immediately stop using it before switching off and unplugging from the mains power supply. Allow to cool for approx. 5 minutes before continuing use.

Caution: In order to avoid a hazard, the electric knife must not be supplied through an external switching device, such as a timer, or connected to a circuit that is regularly switched on and off by the utility.

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Care and Maintenance

Switch off and unplug the electric knife from the mains power supply before performing any cleaning or user maintenance.

STEP 1: Detach the blade attachments and wash them in warm, soapy water, then rinse and dry thoroughly.

STEP 2: Clean the electric knife main body with a soft, damp cloth and allow to dry thoroughly.

Never immerse the electric knife main body in water or any other liquid. Do not use harsh or abrasive scourers to clean the electric knife, as this could cause damage.

The electric knife is not suitable for use in a dishwasher.

Always clean the electric knife immediately after each use.

Warning: Handle the blades with care, as they are extremely sharp.

Exercise caution when attaching, removing, cleaning or storing the blades.

Description of Parts



1. Electric Knife main body
2. Blade attachments
3. Plastic safety grips
4. Attachment slots

5. Blade eject button
6. On/Off button
7. Handle
8. Security switch

Instructions for Use

Before First Use

Before using the electric knife for the first time, wash the blade attachments in warm, soapy water, then rinse and dry thoroughly.

Never touch the sharp edge of the blades; using extreme caution, clean the blade attachments with a brush and dry carefully.

Wipe the electric knife main body with a soft, damp cloth and allow to dry thoroughly.

Do not immerse the electric knife main body in water or any other liquid.

Note: When using the electric knife for the first time, a slight odour may be emitted. This is normal and will soon subside. Allow for sufficient ventilation around the Electric Knife.

Assembling the Electric Knife

STEP 1: Hold the blade attachments by the plastic safety grips, with the blades pointing away from the body, and fasten them together by sliding the rivet head on one blade onto the slot on the other.

STEP 2: Carefully slide the blades together until the plastic safety grips are aligned.

STEP 3: Insert the blunt end of the blade attachments into the attachment slots on the electric knife main body and push in until they click into place.

STEP 4: To remove the blade attachments, switch off and unplug the electric knife from the mains power supply. Wait for the blades to stop moving.

STEP 5: Press the blade eject button and carefully pull out the blade attachments using the plastic safety grips.

Warning: Do not insert or remove the blade attachments whilst the electric knife is plugged in or in operation.

Using the Electric Knife

STEP 1: Fit the blade attachments following the instructions outlined in the section entitled 'Assembling the Electric Knife'.

STEP 2: Plug in and switch on the electric knife at the mains power supply.

STEP 3: Place the food to be sliced onto a secure chopping board.

STEP 4: Holding the blades away from the body, press the On/Off switch and the security switch simultaneously to begin operation. If either or both buttons are released, the electric knife will cease operation.

STEP 5: Guide the electric knife over the food and slice as required, without applying pressure.

STEP 6: Once the food has been sliced, switch off and unplug the electric knife from the mains power supply and leave to cool fully. Remove the blade attachments following the instructions in the section entitled 'Assembling the Electric Knife'.

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STEP 7: Clean the electric knife before storage following the instructions in the section entitled 'Care and Maintenance'.

Note: Check that the blades are securely fitted before use.

The electric knife is designed to slice without the need to apply pressure.

If the blades are not running smoothly, stop the electric knife and carefully remove the blades from the food being cut. Carefully check that there is nothing blocking the blades and resume use.

Do not keep the knife switched on for long periods of time.

Caution: Do not operate the electric knife if the body or blades are bent or cracked.

Warning: Max. operation time is 1 minute; allow to cool for approx. 5 minutes before using the electric knife again.

Hints and Tips

1. Use the carving blades to cut cooked meats.
2. Use the slicing blades to cut bread and vegetables.
3. Always place the food onto a wooden or plastic cutting board.
4. For best results allow cooked meat to stand for 10–15 minutes before slicing.
5. Do not attempt to sharpen blades.

Troubleshooting

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
The electric knife will not operate.	The electric knife is not connected to the mains power supply. Either the On/Off switch or the security switch are not being pressed.	Plug in and switch on the electric knife at the mains power supply. Press the On/Off switch and the security switch simultaneously to begin operation. If either or both buttons are released, the electric knife will cease operation.
The blades are not secure or will not stay in the attachment slots.	The blades have been inserted upside down.	Insert the blunt end of the blade attachments into the attachment slots; push in until they click into place.
There is a wide gap between the blades and food is lost during cutting.	The blades are not fastened together correctly.	Fasten the blades together following the instructions in the section entitled 'Assembling the Electric Knife'; make sure the rivet head on one blade slides into the slot on the other.
The blades will not move when in contact with ingredients.	Something is jammed or obstructing the blades.	Switch off and unplug the electric knife from the mains power supply and leave to cool fully. Remove the blade attachments following the instructions in the section entitled 'Assembling the Electric Knife' and remove the obstruction from the electric knife main body.

Storage

Remove the blade attachments by pressing the blade eject button and carefully pull them out using the safety grips.

Check that the electric knife is cool, clean and dry before storing in a cool, dry place.

Specifications

Product code: EK4643P

Operating voltage: 220 - 240 V ~ 50/60 Hz

Power output: 150 W

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Connection to the Mains

Please check that the voltage indicated on the product corresponds with your supply voltage.

Important

As the colours in the mains lead of this appliance may not correspond with the coloured markings identifying the terminals in your plug, please proceed as follows:

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

Blue Neutral (N)

Brown Live (L)

Green/Yellow Earth (\perp)

FOR UK USE ONLY – Plug fitting details (where applicable).

The wire coloured **BLUE** is the **NEUTRAL** and must be connected to the terminal marked N or coloured **BLACK**.

The wire coloured **BROWN** is the **LIVE** wire and must be connected to the terminal marked L or coloured **RED**.

The wire coloured **GREEN/YELLOW** must be connected to the terminal marked with the letter E or marked \perp .

On no account must either the **BROWN** or the **BLUE** wire be connected to the **EARTH** terminal (\perp).

Always ensure that the cord grip is fastened correctly.

The plug must be fitted with a fuse of the same rating already fitted and conforming to BS 1362 and be ASTA approved.

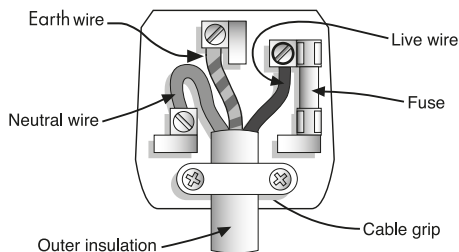
If in doubt, consult a qualified electrician who will be pleased to do this for you.

Non-Rewireable Mains Plug

If your appliance is supplied with a non-rewireable plug fitted to the mains lead and should the fuse need replacing, you must use one that is ASTA approved (conforming to BS 1362 of the same rating).

If in doubt, consult a qualified electrician who will be pleased to do this for you.

If you need to remove the plug, **DISCONNECT IT FROM THE MAINS**, then cut it off the mains lead and immediately dispose of it safely. Never attempt to reuse the plug or insert it into a socket outlet as there is a danger of an electric shock.



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The crossed out wheellie bin symbol on this item indicates that this appliance needs to be disposed of in an environmentally friendly way when it becomes of no further use or has worn out. Contact your local authority for details of where to take the item for recycling.



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