

# COOKWORKS

## SANDWICH TOASTER INSTRUCTION MANUAL



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

## **IMPORTANT SAFETY WARNINGS**

1. Read all the instructions carefully before using and please retain this instruction manual for further reference.
2. Never leave the appliance unattended while in use.
3. 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.
4. Keep the appliance and its cord out of reach of children less than 8 years.
5. That the appliance is not intended to be operated by means of an external timer or separate remote control system.
6. The surfaces are liable to get hot during use.

## 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.

## 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

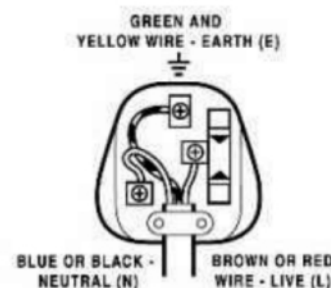
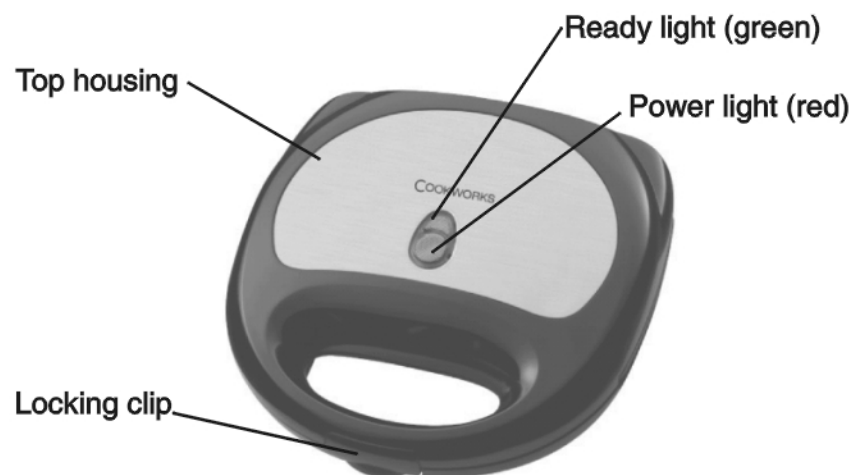
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7. Bread may burn. Appliance must be kept away from curtains and other combustible materials that could catch fire.
8. Do not touch hot surfaces. Use handles or knobs.
9. To protect against risk of electrical shock, do not immerse cord, plugs or cooking unit in water or other liquid.
10. Close supervision is necessary when any appliance is used by or near children.
11. Unplug from outlet when not in use and before cleaning. Allow to cool before putting on or taking off parts and before cleaning the appliance.
12. The temperature of accessible surfaces may be high when the appliance is operating especially the metal top area.
13. 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.
14. 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.
15. The use of accessory attachments, not recommended or sold by the appliance manufacturer, may cause hazards.
16. Do not use outdoors.
17. Do not let cord hang over edge of a table or counter, or touch hot surfaces.
18. Do not place on or near a hot gas or electric burner, or in a heated oven.
19. To disconnect, remove plug from wall outlet.
20. Do not use appliance for other intended use.
21. If the supply cord is damaged, it must be replaced by the manufacturer, its service agent or similarly qualified persons.

22. Children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the appliance.
23. For household use only.
24. No user-serviceable parts inside. Refer servicing to qualified service personnel.
25. A short power-supply cord is provided to reduce the hazards resulting from entanglement or tripping over a long cord. An extension cord may be used with care, however, the marked electrical rating should be at least as great as the electrical rating of this appliance. The extension cord should not be allowed to drape over the counter or tabletop where it can be pulled on by children or tripped over.

## PRODUCT DESCRIPTION




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

## 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

## 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 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.

## 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 the appliance down on protected flat surface to avoid scratching.
- ❑ Lay out power cord to avoid the cord touching the heating plates.

## BEFORE USING YOUR TOASTER

Before using the appliance for the first time, wipe internal surfaces with a damp cloth and dry with cloth or tissue. Then coat the hotplates with some cooking oil or butter.

**As with all new heating elements, your appliance may emit a slight burning smell when it is first switched on. This is normal and not a cause for concern or a defect. Run the appliance for a few times. This will reduce the unpleasant smells.**

## USING YOUR TOASTER

1. Place the toaster on a stable, flat heat resistant surface and clean thoroughly before use.
2. Switch on by fitting the plug into the wall mains socket.
3. Close the sandwich Toaster and prepare sandwich while toaster is heating.
4. **When plugging in , the power light and the ready light(the red and green indicators)go on, and when the ready light (the green indicator) go off,it means the toaster is ready for use.**

5. Fully open the Sandwich Toaster. **CAUTION: HOT HEATING SURFACE. WEAR HEAT RESISTANT GLOVE.**
6. Place bread at the bottom plate and close the sandwich toaster.
7. Steam will come out from between the toasting plates while toasting and extra care must be taken to **ensure that fingers do not come into contact with heating plate. You will get burnt.**
8. Your sandwich will be toasted in 2-3 minutes, or longer to suit your taste. Open the toaster and remove sandwich using plastic or wooden spatula. Never use metal knife as this may damage the non-stick coating.
9. Close the lid to preserve the heat until ready to toast the next sandwiches toasting cycles.
10. Prepare further sandwiches if required whilst the one is cooking.
11. After use, remove the plug from the wall socket.

## TOASTING HINTS

1. Always preheat before use. Plug cord into power outlet while preparing the fillings.
2. For soft or liquid sandwich fillings use medium sliced bread, white or brown. If small amounts of filling use toasting bread.
3. Butters may also be used.
4. For added flavour use bacon dripping, brush dripping on outside of bread.
5. Suggested garnishes for sandwiches, lettuce, parsley, mint, cress, stuffed olive halves, onion, tomato etc.
6. A teaspoon of sugar sprinkled on the outside makes toasted sandwiches crisper (especially with fruit fillings)

## CLEANING

1. Unplug the appliance from the mains and allow cooling before cleaning.
2. **WARNING: This is an electrical appliance. TO AVOID ELECTRIC SHOCK, DO NOT IMMERSE ANY PART INTO WATER OR ANY LIQUID.**
3. Wipe the hotplates with paper kitchen towel to remove grease before wiping with a damp (not wet) dishcloth soaked in washing up water.
4. Wipe again with a damp dishcloth, this time soaked in clean water and dry thoroughly with paper kitchen towel.
5. In case of stubborn deposits, pour a little cooking oil onto the hotplate and wipe off after 5 minutes when the deposit has softened.
6. Wipe outside surfaces with a soft damp cloth and ensure that no moisture or oil enters the cooling slots. Do not use detergents or abrasives or steel wool as these may scratch the surface and damage the product.
7. Allow all surfaces to fully dry before using the appliance again.