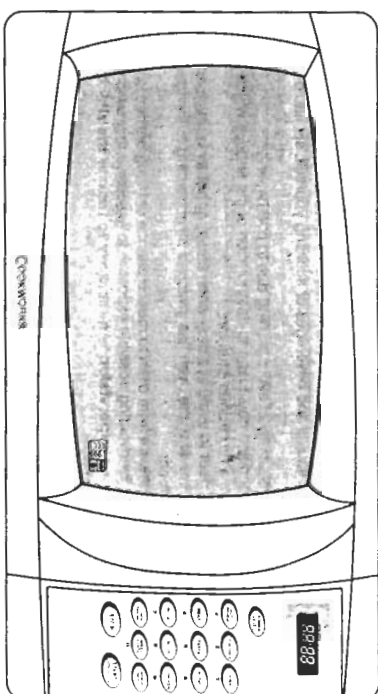


User Instructions - Please keep for future reference

Model: EM717CKL

Read these instructions carefully before using your microwave oven. By following these instructions carefully your oven will provide you with many years of excellent service.



Specifications	
Model:	EM717CKL
Power Source:	230V ~50Hz
Microwave Power Consumption:	1150 Watt
Maximum Output:	700 Watt
Oven Capacity:	17 litres
Turntable Diameter:	Ø 245 mm
External Dimensions (L x W x H):	433mm x 328mm x 258mm
Net Weight:	Approx. 10.7 Kg

IMPORTANT

- **WARNING:** if the door or door seals are damaged, the oven must not be operated until it has been repaired by a competent person;
- **WARNING:** it is hazardous for anyone other than a competent person to carry out any service or repair operation that involves the removal of a cover which gives protection against exposure to microwave energy;
- **WARNING:** liquids and other food must not be heated in a sealed container since they are liable to explode;
- **WARNING:** only allow children to use the oven without supervision when adequate instruction have been given so that the child is able to use the oven in a safe way and understands the hazards of improper use.

CAREFULLY RETAIN THESE INSTRUCTIONS



PRODUCT GUARANTEE

This product is guaranteed against manufacturing defects for a period of



This product is guaranteed for twelve months from the date of original purchase. Any defect that arises due to faulty materials or workmanship will either be replaced, refunded or repaired free of charge where possible during this period by the dealer from whom you purchased the unit.

The guarantee is subject to the following provisions:

- The guarantee does not cover accidental damage, misuse, cabinet parts, knobs or consumable items.
- The product must be correctly installed and operated in accordance with the instructions contained in this manual.
- It must be used solely for domestic purpose.
- The guarantee will be rendered invalidated if the product is re-sold or has been damaged by inexpert repair.
- Specifications are subject to change without notice.
- The manufacturer disclaims any liability for the incidental or consequential damages.
- The guarantee is in addition to, and does not diminish your statutory or legal rights.


Guarantor: Argos Ltd

489 - 499 Avebury Boulevard

Central Milton Keynes

MK9 2NW

SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

1. The oven must be placed on a level surface.
2. The turntable and turntable ring assembly must always be used in the oven during cooking. Place the cookware gently on the turntable and handle it carefully to avoid possible breakage.
3. Incorrect use of dish for browning food may cause turntable to break.
4. Use only the specified bag size when using pre-prepared popcorn.
5. The oven has several built-in safety switches to ensure that the power remains off when the door is open. Do not tamper with these switches.
6. Do not operate the microwave oven when empty. Operating the oven with no food or food that is extremely low in moisture can cause fire, charring or sparking.
7. Do not cook bacon directly on the turntable. Excessive local heating of the turntable may cause the turntable to break.
8. Do not heat baby bottles or baby food in the microwave oven. Uneven heating may occur which could cause scalding when feeding the baby.
9. Do not heat narrow-necked containers, such as syrup or sauce bottles.
10. Do not attempt to deep-fry in your microwave oven.
11. Do not attempt home canning in this microwave oven as it is impossible to be sure all contents of the jar have reached boiling temperature.
12. Do not use this microwave oven for commercial purpose. This microwave oven is made for household use only.
13. To prevent delayed eruptive boiling of hot liquids and beverages or scalding yourself, stir liquid before placing the container in the oven and during heating.
14. Check the food in the microwave oven frequently to avoid burning due to overheating.
15. Failure to maintain the oven in a clean condition could lead to deterioration of the surface which could adversely affect the life of the appliance and possibly result in a hazardous situation.
16. Stand at arm's length when opening the door to avoid scalding when steam or hot air is released.
17. ALWAYS allow an appropriate standing time after the oven has switched off according to the food being cooked to allow heat to distribute evenly throughout the food.
18. Use oven gloves when removing any cookware from oven to reduce chance of being burned or scalded.
19. Read and follow the specific "recations for avoiding possible exposure to excessive microwave energy".
20. **As with most cooking appliances, close supervision is necessary to reduce the risk of a fire in the oven cavity.**
21. **If a fire should start or smoke is observed:**
 - a. **Keep the oven door closed.**
 - b. **Turn the oven off and unplug the appliance.**
21. Eggs in their shell and whole hard-boiled eggs should not be heated in microwave ovens since they may explode.
22. Do not overcook food. Regularly observe the oven if paper, plastic, or other combustible materials are used in the oven.
23. Do not use the oven cavity for storage purposes. Do not store items such as bread, cookies, paper products, etc. inside the oven.
24. Remove wire twisties and metal handles from paper or plastic containers/bags before placing them in the oven.
25. This oven must be earthed. Connect only to properly earthed outlet. See "earthing installation".
26. Install or locate this oven in accordance with the installation instructions provided.
27. Use this appliance only for its intended uses as described in the manual. Do not use corrosive chemicals or vapours in this appliance. This oven is specifically designed to heat or cook food. It is not designed for industrial or laboratory use. Never allow children to use the oven without supervision unless adequate instructions have been given so that the children are able to use the oven in a safe way and understand the hazards of improper use.
28. If the supply cord or plug is damaged, or if the oven is not working properly or has been dropped it must be replaced or repaired by the manufacturer or its service agent or a similarly qualified person in order to avoid a hazard.
30. This appliance should be serviced only by qualified service technicians. Contact the nearest authorised service facility for examination, repair or adjustment.
31. Do not cover or block any vents on the oven.
32. Do not store or use this appliance outdoors.
33. Do not use this oven near water, near a kitchen sink, in a wet basement or near a swimming pool.
34. Do not immerse cord or plug in water.
35. Keep cord away from heated surfaces.
36. Do not let cord hang over edge of table or counter.
37. When cleaning door and oven surfaces use only mild, non-abrasive soaps or detergents applied with a sponge or soft cloth.
38. There must be more than 30cm free or open space above the top surface of the oven.
39. Do not attempt to repair the oven yourself, please consult an authorised expert.
40. The contents of feeding bottles and baby food jars are to be stirred or shaken and the temperature should be carefully checked before consumption, in order to avoid burns.
41. Do not attempt to operate this oven with the door open since open-door operation can result in harmful exposure to microwave energy. It is important not to try and override or tamper with the safety interlocks.
42. Do not operate the oven if it is damaged. It is particularly important that the oven door closes properly and that there is no damage to the: (1) door (i.e. door is not bent or dented), (2) hinges and latches (broken or loosened), (3) door seals and sealing surfaces.
43. Utensils should be checked to ensure that they are suitable for use in microwave ovens.
44. The symbol  on the product or on its packaging indicates that this product may not be treated as household waste. Instead it shall be handed over to the applicable collection point for the recycling of electrical and electronic equipment. By ensuring this product is disposed of correctly, you will help prevent potential negative consequences for the environment and human health, which could otherwise be caused by inappropriate waste handling of this product. For more detailed information about recycling of this product, please contact your local city office, your household waste disposal service or the shop where you purchased the product.
45. The lampholder is installed in the oven that is non-user serviceable area
46. The oven should be cleaned regularly and any food deposits removed.

CONTENTS

	PAGE
Specifications	1
Safety Instructions	2
Contents	3
Materials You Can Use In Microwave Oven	4
Materials To Avoid Using In Microwave Oven	4
Utensils	4
Oven Components And Accessories	5
Turntable Installation	5
Installing Your Oven	6
Microwave Cooking Principles	6
Microwave Food Packaging Symbols	6
Operating Your Microwave Oven	7
Microwave Cooking	7
Speedy Cooking	7
Clock Setting	8
Delay Start	8
Defrost By Weight	8
Speedy Defrost	9
Auto Menu Cooking	9
Inquiring Function	9
Multi-section Cooking	11
Lock-out Function For Children	11
Cooking End Reminding Function	11
Cleaning Your Microwave Oven	12
Troubleshooting And Maintenance	13
Questions And Answers	14
Important Notes	14
Earthing Installation	15
Guarantee	16

MATERIALS YOU CAN USE IN MICROWAVE OVEN

Utensils	Remarks
Aluminium foil	Shielding only. Small smooth pieces can be used to cover thin parts of meat or poultry to prevent overcooking.
Arcing can occur if foil is too close to oven walls.	The foil should be at least 1 inch (2.5cm) away from oven walls.
Browning dish	Follow manufacturer's instructions. The bottom of browning dish must be at least 3/16 inch (5mm) above the turntable. Incorrect usage cause the turntable to break.
Dinnerware	Microwave-safe only. Follow manufacturer's instructions. Do not use cracked or chipped dishes.
Glass jars	Always remove lid. Use only to heat food until just warm. Most glass jars are not heat resistant and may break.
Glassware	Heat-resistant oven glassware only. Make sure there is no metallic trim. Do not use cracked or chipped dishes.
Oven cooking bags	Follow manufacturer's instructions. Do not close with metal tie. Make slits to allow steam to escape.
Paper plates and cups	Use for short-term cooking/warming only. Do not leave oven unattended while cooking.
Paper towels	Use to cover food for reheating and absorbing fat. Use with supervision for short-term cooking only.
Parchment paper	Use as a cover to prevent splattering or as a wrap during steaming.
Plastic	Microwave-safe only. Follow the manufacturer's instructions. Should be labelled "Microwave Safe". Some plastic containers soften as the food inside gets hot. "Boiling bags" and tightly closed plastic bags should be slit, pierced or vented as directed by package.
Plastic wrap	Microwave-safe only. Use to cover food during cooking to retain moisture. Do not allow plastic wrap to touch food.
Thermometers	Microwave-safe only (meat and sugar thermometers).
Wax paper	Use as a cover to prevent splattering and retain moisture.

MATERIALS TO AVOID USING IN THE MICROWAVE OVEN

Utensils	Remarks
Aluminium tray	May cause arcing. Transfer food into microwave-safe dish.
Food carton with metal handle	May cause arcing. Transfer food into microwave-safe dish.
Metal or metal-trimmed utensils	Metal shields the food from microwave energy. Metal trim may cause arcing.
Metal twist ties	May cause arcing and could cause a fire in the oven.
Paper bags	May cause a fire in the oven.
Plastic foam	Expanded polystyrene may melt or contaminate the liquid inside when exposed to high temperature.
Wood	Wood will dry out when used in the microwave oven and may split or crack.

UTENSILS

CAUTION Personal Injury Hazard

Tightly-closed containers could explode. Closed containers should be opened and plastic pouches pierced before cooking. See next page for further instructions. Materials you can use in microwave oven or to be avoided in microwave oven. There may be certain non-metallic utensils that are not safe to use for microwaving. If in doubt, you can test the utensil in question by following the procedure below.

- Utensil test:**
1. Fill a microwave-safe container with 1 cup of cold water (250ml) along with the utensil in question.
 2. Cook on maximum power for 1 minute.
 3. Carefully feel the utensil. If the utensil is warm, do not use it for microwave cooking.
 4. Do not exceed 1 minute cooking time.

SETTING UP YOUR OVEN

OVEN COMPONENTS AND ACCESSORIES

Remove the oven and all materials from the carton. Your oven comes with the following accessories:

- 1 Glass Tray
- 1 Turntable Ring Assembly
- 1 Instruction Manual
- 1 Control Panel
- 1 Turntable Shaft
- 1 Turntable Ring Assembly
- 1 Glass Turntable
- 1 Observation Window
- 1 Door Assembly
- 1 Safety Interlock System
- 1 Plug and Power Cord

NOTE: Oven power turns off automatically if door is opened during operation.

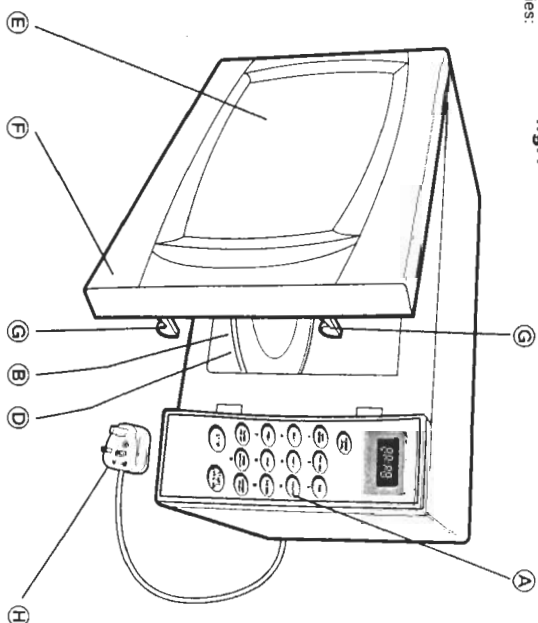


fig. 1

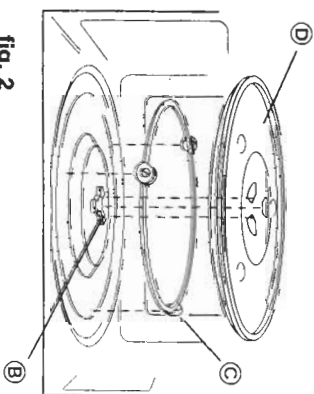
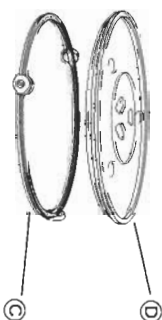


fig. 2

TURNTABLE INSTALLATION

- A Turntable Ring Assembly. To be placed in the centre of the oven to support the glass plate. (see Fig. 2)
- B Hub. Rotates the glass plate. (see Fig. 2)
- C Glass Plate. To be placed on the turntable ring with the centre fitting located on the hub. (see Fig. 2)
- a. Never place the glass turntable D upside down. The turntable should never be restricted in movement.
- b. Both glass turntable D and turntable ring assembly C must always be used during cooking.
- c. All food and containers of food should always be placed on the glass tray for cooking.
- d. The glass turntable rotates clockwise or anti-clockwise randomly, this is normal.
- e. If glass turntable or turntable ring assembly cracks or breaks, contact your nearest authorised service centre.

INSTALLING YOUR OVEN

Carefully remove all packing materials and accessories. Examine the oven for any damage such as dents or broken door. Do not install if oven is damaged in any way. Cabinet: Remove any protective film found on the outer surface. Do not remove the light brown Mica cover that is attached to oven cavity to protect the magnetron.

INSTALLATION

1. Select a level surface that provides enough clear space for the intake and/or outlet vents (see Fig. 3).
- A minimum clearance of 3.0 Inch (7.5cm) is required between the oven and any adjacent wall. One side must be clear.**
1. Leave a minimum clearance of 12 inch (30cm) above the oven.
2. Do not remove the feet from the bottom of the oven.
3. Blocking the intake and/or outlet openings can damage the oven.
4. Place the oven as far away from radios and televisions as possible. Operation of microwave oven may cause interference to your radio or television's reception.
5. Plug your oven into a standard household outlet. Be sure the voltage and the frequency is the same as the voltage and the frequency on the rating label.

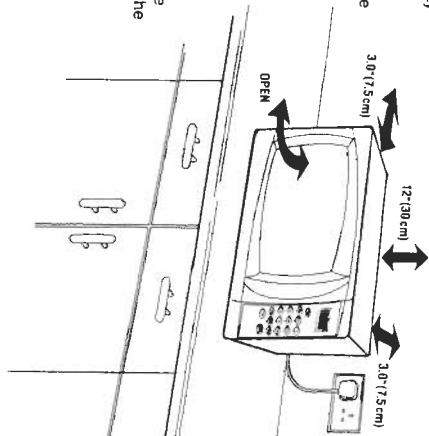


fig. 3

WARNING: Do not install microwave oven over a range cooktop or other heat-producing appliance. If installed above a heat-producing appliance the microwave oven could be damaged and the warranty would be void.

WARNING: Do not install microwave oven in a cupboard, unless a suitable installation kit is used.

Microwave cooking principles

1. The microwaves generated by the magnetron are evenly distributed through the food as the glass turntable revolves. This ensures that the food is cooked uniformly.
2. The microwaves are absorbed by the food up to a depth of approximately 1 inch (2.5cm). Cooking continues as the heat is dissipated through the food.
3. Cooking times will vary according to the recipe and the density, weight and water content of the food. The cooking time will also vary according to the temperature at the start of cooking, i.e. depending on whether the food is frozen or not.

MICROWAVE FOOD PACKAGING SYMBOLS

Microwave Symbols:

On the front of your oven there is a microwave symbol, as shown below. This symbol has been introduced for your benefit when cooking or reheating packaged food. Packaged food is also increasingly using a microwave symbol similar to the one below. When you see this symbol on food packaging the cooking instructions are based on either IEC Power Output Rating, on the Heating Categories A, B, C, D or E.

A, B, C, D or E
MORE HEATING TIME
LESS HEATING TIME

MICROWAVE SYMBOL POWER OUTPUT (WATTS)



HEATING CATEGORY FOR SMALL PACKS

OPERATING YOUR MICROWAVE OVEN

1. MICROWAVE COOKING

Select different microwave power level and set cooking time as you wish. There are five power levels available for choosing in the below chart. The maximum microwave cooking time is 99 minutes and 99 seconds. Keep on pressing "POWER LEVEL" to choose the suitable power level.

Microwave Power Chart

Press "POWER LEVEL"	Microwave Power	Display
Once	100%	P100
Twice	80%	P 80
Thrice	50%	P 50
4 times	30%	P 30
5 times	10%	P 10

Example: Choose 50% power for cooking 10 minutes.

- (1) Press "POWER LEVEL" three times to select power level 50%;
- (2) Press the numeral buttons of "1", "0", "0" in order to set the cooking time;
- (3) Press "START/PAUSE/COOK" to start cooking, the time will start to count down.

P 50

10:00

2. SPEEDY COOKING

When the unit is in waiting state, press on "START/PAUSE/COOK" can start cooking at 30 seconds with 100% microwave power. Each additional press will increase the cooking time by 30 seconds until the accrued time reaches 1 minute 30 seconds or less. By then, each press will increase cooking time by 1 minute, the maximum cooking time is 12 minutes.

Example: Set 3 minutes speedy cooking:

- (1) Press "START/PAUSE/COOK" once to start cooking, LED will display "0:30";
- (2) Press "START/PAUSE/COOK" again for 4 times, the cooking time will be 3 minutes.

0:30



2:58

3. CLOCK SETTING


You oven is equipped with a clock. You must set the clock when you first install your oven or after a power failure. When the microwave oven is connected to mains, The LED display will show "0:00".

The input time should be within 0:00--23:59.

Example: To set 12:12.




- (1) Press the "  " button, the 1st figure will flash.
- (2) Press the number buttons of "1", "2", "1", "2" in order.
- (3) Press "  " to finish clock setting.

12:12


Note: In the process of clock setting, if "  " is pressed or if there is no operation within 1 minute, the oven will go back to the previous status automatically.

4. Pre-set function

Example: to start a cooking at 12:12 with current time at 8:00.

- (1) Set the preferred cooking function (Microwave / Defrost) but do not press "  " to start the cooking.
- (2) Press "  " to current time will be display and 1st figure will flash.
- (3) Press "1", "2", "1", "2" to set the start time.
- (4) Press "  " to confirm the setting. The unit will turn back to the clock state.
- (5) Cooks begin when the time arrives.



Note: (1) If the setting is not within the range 0:00--23:59, the setting will be invalid;

- (2) In the process of setting, if "  " is pressed or there is no operation within 1 minute, the unit will go back to the previous state automatically;
- (3) The clock must be set before set the delay start cooking. If the pre-set cooking has not been programmed and only time to start cooking is set, the whole set will be regarded as an alarm clock setting and 5 beeps will be sound when the pre-set time is reached.

5. DEFROST BY WEIGHT

The defrosting function is the gentle thawing of uncooked food. Flat foodstuff thaws better than bulky food. Ensure to distribute the food as evenly as possible on the turnable.

Example: Defrost beef of 500g:

- (1) Press "  ", LED will display "DEF1";
- (2) Press "5", "0", "0" in order, the range of defrosting weight is 100g-2000g.
- (3) Press "  " to start defrosting.



DEF1

500

6. SPEEDY DEFROST

Defrost the food with shorter time. Ensure to distribute the food as evenly as possible on the turnable.

Example: Defrost beef of 500g

- (1) Press "  ", LED displays "DEF2";
- (2) Press "5", "0", "0" in order, the range of defrosting weight is 100g-1200g;
- (3) Press "  " to start defrosting.

DEF2

500




7. MICROWAVE AUTO FUNCTION

This function is designed to cook food by weight. The tables below show details of each program and the power level taken to cook on the weight of food.

Auto function weight adjustment chart

Pad	Display	Cook	Pad	Display	Cook	Pad	Display	Cook
1	A-1	Auto Reheat	4	A-4	Meat	7	A-7	Pizza
2	A-2	Vegetable	5	A-5	Pasta	8	A-8	Soup
3	A-3	Fish	6	A-6	Potato	9	A-9	Chicken




Example: Cook vegetable of 350g:

- (1) Press "  " button, repeatedly until the LED displays "A-2".
- (2) Press "  " button three times to choose weight, LED will display "350";
- (3) Press "  " to start cooking, time will start to count down.

A-2

350

8. CHECKING STATUS DURING COOKING

- (1) While cooking, press "  ", it will display the current power, i.e. P100. After three seconds, it will revert to the former time count down.
- (2) While in the standby status with pre-set cooking, press "  ", it will display the time for pre-set function cooking. After three seconds, it will revert to the former clock display.
- (3) While cooking, press "  ", it will display the current time. After three seconds, it will revert to the former time count down.




Refer to chart 2 for the automatic menu procedure:
Chart 2:

Menu	Weight(g)	Display
A-1 Auto Reheat	150	150
	250	250
	350	350
A-2 Vegetable	400	400
	150	150
	350	350
A-3 Fish	500	500
	150	150
	250	250
A-4 Meat	350	350
	400	400
	450	450
A-5 Pasta	250	250
	450	450
	600	600
A-6 Potato	50(with cold water 450g)	50
	100(with cold water 800g)	100
	150(with cold water 1200g)	150
A-7 Pizza	1 portion / approximately 230g	1
	2 portion / approximately 460g	2
	3 portion / approximately 690g	3
A-8 Soup	1 portion / approximately 80g	1
	2 portion / approximately 160g	2
	3 portion / approximately 250g	3
A-9 Chicken	500	500
	1000	1000
Chicken	550	550
	1100	1100

9 . TWO STAGE COOKING





This microwave can be set with 2 stages cooking.

Example: If you want to cook the food with 100% microwave power for 10 minutes+ 80% microwave power for 15 minutes.

- 1) Press "  " once to choose 100% microwave power;
- 2) Press number keys "1", "0", "0", "0" in order to adjust the cooking time;
- 3) Press "  " twice to choose 80% microwave power;
- 4) Press number keys "1", "5", "0", "0" in order to adjust the cooking time;
- 5) Press "  " to start cooking.

Note: (1) Auto function cooking cannot be set as two stage cooking.
(2) Defrost can be set as the first stage cooking only.

10 . CHILD SAFETY LOCK FUNCTION

Lock: In waiting state, press "  " for 3 seconds, a long "beep" will be heard denoting entering into the children-lock state and "  " will be displayed.
unlock: In locked state, press "  " for 3 seconds, a long "beep" will be heard denoting that the lock is released and "  " will go out.

11 . COOKING END REMINDING FUNCTION

When cooking ends, there will be 5 beeps which is reminding the completion of cooking.

CLEANING YOUR MICROWAVE OVEN

Attention
Your microwave oven should be cleaned regularly to prevent grease and food particles from building up on the inside surface. The accumulated grease / food particles may cause a fire hazard.

It is important to clean the interior of your microwave oven after each use.

To clean the oven interior, use a mild detergent solution, such as washing-up liquid, with warm water on a soft cloth.

It is suggested to place half a lemon in a bowl and add 300ml water inside the oven. Then heat it on 100% microwave power setting for 10 minutes. Wipe the oven clean with a soft, dry cloth.

IMPORTANT:

ALWAYS switch off oven and unplug from power supply.

ALWAYS use a branded cleaning spray, and for stubborn spots inside the oven, spray a small amount of cleaner onto a damp cloth.

DO NOT SPRAY DIRECTLY INSIDE THE OVEN.

Removable Parts

1. The turntable may be cleaned at the sink. Be careful not to chip or scratch the edges as this may cause the turntable to break during use.

2. The turntable roller rest should be cleaned regularly.

3. Do not immerse the turntable glass in cold water.

Special Care

For best performance and safety, the inner door panel and the oven front frame should be free of food residue. To prevent damage to the operating parts inside the oven, water should not be allowed to seep into the ventilation openings.

TROUBLESHOOTING AND MAINTENANCE

NORMAL CONDITION

Microwave oven interfering with TV reception.

Radio and TV reception may be interfered with when microwave oven is in operation. It is similar to the interference of small electrical appliances such as food mixers, vacuum cleaners and electric fans. This is normal.

Oven light dim.

In low power microwave cooking, oven light may become dim. This is normal.

Steam accumulating on door, hot air out of vents.

In cooking, steam may come out of food. Most will come out from vents but some may condense on cool places such as the oven door. This is normal.

Oven started accidentally with no food in.

Although starting the oven with no food in it should be avoided, it does no damage to the oven provided it is only operated empty for a very short time. It is advised that a glass or microwave safe container of water is always left in the oven to absorb any heat should the oven be turned on accidentally.

MAINTENANCE

Troubleshooting

Check for problems by using the chart below. If the microwave oven still does not work properly, contact the nearest authorised service centre.

PROBLEM	POSSIBLE CAUSE
Oven will not start	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Plug not secure in power socket, or not switched on. b. Door is open. c. Wrong operation is set.
Arcing or sparking	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Materials which should be avoided in microwave oven are used b. The oven is operated when empty. c. Spilled food remains in the cavity.
Unevenly cooked food	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Materials which should be avoided in microwave oven are used. b. Food is not defrosted completely. c. Power setting for cooking time is incorrect. d. Food is not turned or stirred.
Overcooked food	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Power setting for cooking time is incorrect.
Undercooked food	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Materials to be avoided in microwave oven are used. b. Food is not defrosted completely. c. Oven ventilation ports are restricted. d. Power setting for cooking time is incorrect.
Incomplete defrosting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Materials to be avoided in microwave oven are used. b. Power setting for cooking time is incorrect. c. Food is not turned or stirred.
Noise comes from turntable when oven is turned on	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Food residue exists between the turntable roller rest and cavity bottom.
Oven light does not glow	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. The light bulb has burned out, a new bulb must be fitted by a qualified service engineer. b. START has not been pressed.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

- Q: When the oven is plugged into a wall outlet for the first time, it does not work properly. What's wrong?**
- A: The microcomputer used in the oven control may temporarily become scrambled and fail to function as programmed. Unplug the oven from the wall outlet and then plug it back in. The microcomputer will then reset for proper functioning.
- Q: Why is there noise coming from the oven when using a lower power level?**
- A: When cooking with power other than 100%, the oven automatically switches on and off to obtain the correct power output. The clicking noise can be heard when the oven switches on and off. This is normal.
- Q: Why is there steam coming out of the air exhaust vent?**
- A: Steam is produced during cooking. The microwave oven has been made to vent this steam.
- Q: What is wrong when the oven light will not glow?**
- A: There may be several reasons why the oven light will not glow. The light bulb has burned out or START has not been pressed.
- Q: Why do eggs sometimes burst?**
- A: The egg yolk may burst because of steam build-up inside the membrane. Pierce the membrane with a toothpick before cooking it. Never microwave eggs in the shell as they may explode.
- Q: How is boiling over avoided?**
- A: Use a larger utensil than usual for cooking. If you open the oven door or touch STOP/CLEAR, the food will stop boiling.

IMPORTANT NOTES

- Before first using this oven please read this instruction manual and keep it carefully.
 - Do not attempt to repair the oven yourself, please consult an authorised expert.
 - The contents of feeding bottles and baby food jars are to be stirred or shaken and the temperature should be carefully checked before consumption, in order to avoid burns.
 - Check the oven and the cable regularly for damage. If there is any kind of damage, the oven should not be used.
- Warnings:**
- It is hazardous for anyone other than a trained person to carry out any service or repair operation which involves the removal of any cover which gives protection against exposure to microwave energy.
 - Never allow children to use the oven without supervision unless adequate instructions have been given so that the children are able to use the oven in a safe way and understand the hazards of improper use.
 - 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.

NOTE

- Do not attempt to operate this oven with the door open since open-door operation can result in harmful exposure to microwave energy. It is important not to try and override or tamper with the safety interlocks.
- Carefully clean door seals and sealing surfaces.
- Do not operate the oven if it is damaged. It is particularly important that the oven door closes properly and that there is no damage to the (1) door (i.e. door is not bent or dented), (2) hinges and latches (broken or loosened), (3) door seals and sealing surfaces.
- Utensils should be checked to ensure that they are suitable for use in microwave ovens.
- When heating food in plastic or paper containers, check the oven frequently to avoid any possibility of ignition.
- Microwave heating of beverages can result in delayed eruptive boiling, therefore care has to be taken when handling the container.
- If smoke is observed, switch off or unplug the appliance immediately and keep the door closed in order to stifle any flames.
- Eggs in their shells and whole hard-boiled eggs should not be heated in microwave ovens since they may explode.
- If the door or door seals are damaged the oven must not be operated until it has been repaired by a trained person.
- Liquids or other foods must not be heated in sealed containers since they are liable to explode.

BULB REPLACEMENT

If the interior light bulb fails, it can be easily replaced by a qualified service engineer. Do not attempt to remove the outercasing, as this will expose live components. Please consult a qualified service engineer.

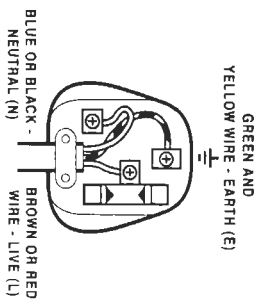
EARTHING INSTALLATION

DANGER

Electric Shock Hazard
Touching some of the internal components can cause serious personal injury or death. Do not disassemble this appliance.

WARNING

Electric Shock Hazard
Improper earthing can result in electric shock. Do not plug into an outlet until appliance is properly installed and earthed.
Three pin earthed plug
Do not polarise and earthed outlet.



This appliance must be earthed. In the event of an electrical short circuit, grounding reduces the risk of electric shock by providing an escape wire for the electric current. This appliance is equipped with a cord having a grounding wire with a earthing plug. The plug must be plugged into an outlet that is properly installed and earthed.

Consult a qualified electrician or serviceman if the earthing instructions are not completely understood or if doubt exists as to whether the appliance is properly earthed. If it is necessary to use an extension cord, use only a 3-wire extension cord that has a 3 pin earthing plug, and a 3 slot socket which will accept the plug.

- A short power-supply cord is provided to reduce the risks resulting from becoming entangled in or tripping over a longer cord.
 - If an extension cord is used:
 - The marked electrical rating of the extension cord should be at least as great as the electrical rating of the appliance.
 - The extension cord must be earthed, a 3-wire cord.
 - The extension cord should be arranged so that it will not drape over the worktop or tabletop where it can be pulled on by children or tripped over accidentally.
- If an extension cord is used:

Check that the voltage marked on the product corresponds with your supply voltage.

This product is fitted with a 13 A plug complying with BS 1363. If this plug is unsuitable or needs to be replaced, please note the following: Important: The wires in the mains lead are coloured in accordance with the following code:

GREEN / YELLOW - EARTH,
BLUE - NEUTRAL, BROWN - LIVE

For UK use only.
Plug fitting details (where applicable):
As 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:
The GREEN/YELLOW wire is the EARTH and must be connected to the terminal which is marked with the letter (E) or by the earth symbol or coloured GREEN or GREEN/YELLOW.

The BLUE wire is the NEUTRAL and must be connected to the terminal marked with the letter (N) or coloured BLACK.
The BROWN wire is the LIVE and must be connected to the terminal marked with the letter (L) or coloured RED.
Always ensure that the plug cord grip is fastened correctly.
If a 13A (BS 1363) 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.