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instructions

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underneath rear
Read them, keep them safe, pass them on if you pass the toaster on.
Remove all packaging before use.

**IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS**

Follow basic safety precautions, including:
1. This toaster must only be used by or under the supervision of a responsible adult. Use and store the toaster out of reach of children.
2. Don’t put the toaster in liquid, don’t use it in a bathroom, near water, or outdoors.
3. Sit the toaster upright, on a stable, level, heat-resistant surface.
4. Don’t put it on or near anything that could be damaged even by moderate heat.
5. Bread may burn. Don’t use the toaster near or below curtains or other combustible materials, and watch it while it’s hot.
6. The surfaces of the appliance will get hot – don’t touch.
7. Route the cable so it doesn’t overhang and can’t be caught accidentally.
8. When using only one of a pair of toasting slots, don’t let anything get into the other slot, as both slots will become “live” when you lower the lever.
9. Don’t cover the toaster, or put anything on top of it – you’ll cause a fire hazard.
10. If bread gets jammed, unplug the toaster, let it cool, then carefully remove the bread. Don’t use anything sharp, you’ll damage the elements.
11. Don’t toast sandwiches or buttered items, the filling or spread may burn.
12. Don’t use torn, curled up, oversized, or misshapen slices of bread, as these may jam the toaster.
13. Unplug the toaster when not in use, before moving and before cleaning. Let it cool down fully before cleaning and storing away.
14. Clean the crumbs out of the toaster frequently, to avoid a build up of crumbs. This is unhygienic and could cause a fire hazard.
15. Don’t use the toaster unless both crumb trays are fitted and closed.
16. Don’t connect the toaster to an external timer or remote control system.
17. Keep the toaster and cable away from sources of heat.
18. Don’t use the toaster for any purpose other than those described in these instructions.
19. Don’t use the toaster if it’s damaged or malfunctions.
20. If the cable is damaged, return the toaster, to avoid hazard.

**household use only**

**BEFORE USING FOR THE FIRST TIME**

- Check the slots are empty.
- Set both browning controls to the highest setting (6).
- Operate the toaster without bread, to cure the new elements. This may smell a bit, but it’s nothing to worry about – ensure the room is well ventilated.
TOASTING BREAD

1 Sit the toaster upright, on a stable, level, heat resistant surface, clear of curtains and other combustible materials.
2 Don't put it on or near anything that could be damaged even by moderate sources of heat.
3 Plug the cable into the wall socket (switch the socket on, if it's switchable).
4 Put bread into the toasting slots (maximum thickness 25mm).
5 You can treat the left and right pairs of toasting slots as two independent 2-slice toasters.
6 Turn the browning control to the required setting (1 = light, 6 = dark).
7 Press the lever down fully – it won't lock down unless the toaster is connected to the electricity supply.
8 When it's done, the toast will pop up, and the elements will turn off.
9 If you're using both pairs of slots, they'll probably pop up at different times.

EJECT

9 To stop a pair of slots before the toasting cycle has finished, press the button next to that pair of slots.
10 The toast will pop up, and the elements will turn off. This will not affect the other pair of slots.

FROZEN BREAD

11 This feature takes the guesswork out of toasting frozen bread.
12 Leave the browning control at your favoured setting, insert the frozen bread, lower the lever, then press the button next to that pair of slots.
13 The light by the button will come on, and the toasting time will be altered automatically to give the same degree of browning you get with unfrozen bread.

Caution don't try to defrost bread – you'll probably wreck the toaster
a) toasting frozen bread changes ice to steam, which escapes via the toasting slots
b) defrosting bread on a low setting changes ice to water, which drips into the toaster, over the electronics and maybe the elements, causing mayhem

REHEATING TOAST

14 There's no need to adjust the browning control. Insert the toast, lower the lever, then press the button. The light by the button will come on, the toast will be given a short burst of heat, then pop up.
15 You must only reheat plain, "unbuttered" toast.

HINTS AND TIPS

16 When toasting more than one slice of bread, use slices of similar size, thickness and freshness.
17 Old (yesterday's) bread contains less moisture, so makes crisper toast.
18 Old or thin bread cooks faster than fresh or thick bread – use a lighter setting.
19 Sweet bread products (tea cakes, fruit loaf, etc.) brown much more quickly than ordinary bread, so should be toasted on a lighter setting.
CRUMBS
20 Clean the crumbs out of the toaster frequently, to avoid a build up of crumbs. This is unhygienic and could cause a fire hazard.
21 Unplug the toaster and let it cool down.
22 Pull the crumb trays out from underneath the rear of the toaster.
23 Empty them
24 Wipe with a damp cloth, dry, then replace them in the toaster.
25 Don’t use the toaster unless the crumb trays are fitted and closed.

CARE AND MAINTENANCE
1 Unplug the toaster and let it cool.
2 Wipe outer surfaces with a damp cloth. If necessary, use a little washing-up liquid.
3 Don’t let anything enter the slots, you might damage the elements.
4 Don’t put the toaster in water or any other liquid.
5 Don’t use harsh or abrasive cleaning agents or solvents.
UK WIRING INSTRUCTIONS

The product must be earthed. It has a 13A BS1362 fuse in a 13A BS1363 plug. To replace the plug, fit the green/yellow wire to E or F, the blue wire to N, and the brown wire to L. Fit the cord grip. If in doubt, call an electrician. Don’t use a non-rewireable plug unless the fuse cover is in place. If you remove the plug, dispose of it.

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

To avoid environmental and health problems due to hazardous substances in electrical and electronic goods, appliances marked with this symbol mustn’t be disposed of with unsorted municipal waste, but recovered, reused, or recycled.

SERVICE

If you ring Customer Service, please have the Model No. to hand, as we won’t be able to help you without it. It’s on the rating plate (usually underneath the product).

The product isn’t user-serviceable. If it’s not working, read the instructions, check the plug fuse and main fuse/circuit breaker. If it’s still not working, consult your retailer. If that doesn’t solve the problem – ring Customer Service – they may be able to offer technical advice.

If they advise you to return the product to us, pack it carefully, include a note with your name, address, day phone number, and what’s wrong. If under guarantee, say where and when purchased, and include proof of purchase (till receipt). Send it to:

Customer Service, Spectrum Brands (UK) Limited, Fir Street, Failsworth, Manchester M35 0HS

e-mail: service@russellhobbs.com

telephone: 0845 658 9700 (local rate number)

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