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Introduction

The APPLICA Spectrum EC500W Extra-Tall Can Opener is a cutting edge kitchen tool that will change the way you open cans forever. This can opener stands out in any kitchen because it is made of strong stainless steel blades and a sleek white plastic body. Its extra-tall form lets a lot of different can sizes fit, so you can use it for a lot of different cooking tasks. The EC500W has a strong 500-watt high-torque motor that makes it work smoothly and consistently. This makes it good for both home cooks and professional chefs. Safety is very important, so it has an auto-off feature and finger-protection guards to keep things from going wrong while it's running. The quiet machine makes sure there isn't much noise, so the kitchen is quiet. It can also work with two different voltages, which makes it great for use abroad and gives you options no matter where you are. With its stainless steel parts and removable cutting assembly, the APPLICA Spectrum EC500W is easy to clean and keep. It is also designed to last a long time. This can opener makes opening cans easier, so you should have it in your kitchen whether you're making a quick meal or serving a big event.

Specifications

- **Brand:** APPLICA SPECTRUM
- **Model Number:** EC500W
- **Color:** White

- **Material:** Plastic
- **Blade Material:** Stainless Steel
- **Size:** Extra Tall
- **Product Dimensions:** 4.92"W x 9.53"H
- **Item Weight:** 1.2 Pounds
- **Operation Mode:** Manual
- **Wattage:** 500 Watts
- **Global Trade Identification Number (GTIN):** 00050875506268
- **Manufacturer:** APPLICA SPECTRUM
- **Number of Items:** 1
- **UPC:** 050875506268
- **Part Number:** EC500W
- **Is Discontinued By Manufacturer:** No
- **Finish:** Plastic
- **Item Package Quantity:** 1
- **Number of Pieces:** 1
- **Included Components:** Can Opener, Bottle Opener
- **Batteries Included:** No
- **Batteries Required:** No

Package Includes

- **APPLICA Spectrum EC500W Can Opener Unit**
- **User Manual:** Comprehensive guide detailing usage, maintenance, and troubleshooting.
- **Power Cord:** Detachable, 6-foot long power cable.
- **Cleaning Brush:** Specifically designed to clean the cutting mechanism.
- **Warranty Card:** Documentation for warranty claims and support.
- **Safety Accessories:** Includes protective finger guards and a non-slip base pad.

Features

1. Extra-Tall Cutting Blade

The EC500W is equipped with an **extra-tall cutting blade** specifically designed to handle taller cans with ease. This feature ensures a secure and precise cut every time, minimizing spills and enhancing safety by providing a clean and even opening for various can sizes.

2. High-Torque Motor

Powered by a robust **500W high-torque motor**, the EC500W delivers consistent and reliable performance. This motor effortlessly handles cans of different sizes and materials, ensuring smooth operation even with the toughest lids.

3. Adjustable Settings

Versatility is a hallmark of the EC500W, thanks to its **adjustable settings**. Multiple speed options and adjustable

cutting heights allow you to customize the opener to accommodate different can types, from standard beverages to extra-tall containers, making it adaptable to all your kitchen needs.

4. Safety Mechanisms

Safety is paramount with the EC500W. It features **auto shut-off** functionality that prevents overheating and overuse, along with **finger-protection guards** that minimize the risk of accidental injuries during operation. These safety features ensure peace of mind while using the can opener.

5. Quiet Operation

The advanced design of the EC500W's motor significantly reduces noise levels, making it one of the quietest can openers on the market. This **quiet operation** feature makes it ideal for both home and professional kitchen environments, allowing you to work without disruptive noise.

6. Stainless Steel Construction

Durability meets elegance with the EC500W's **stainless steel construction**. The high-grade stainless steel components not only ensure longevity and resistance to rust and corrosion but also maintain a sleek and modern appearance that complements any kitchen décor.

7. Non-Slip Base

The can opener is designed with a **non-slip base** that provides exceptional stability during use. This sturdy base prevents unwanted movements, ensuring that the opener remains firmly in place on your countertop, thereby enhancing operational safety and efficiency.

8. Dual Voltage Compatibility

Designed for global use, the EC500W offers **dual voltage compatibility** (110V/220V). This feature allows the can opener to be used in various regions and settings, including international kitchens, without the need for voltage converters, providing flexibility and convenience.

9. EasyCut Blade Technology

The **EasyCut Blade Technology** is a standout feature of the EC500W. As the can spins in place on the stable base, the cutting blade slices through lids smoothly and efficiently. This innovative technology ensures fast and clean lid removal, reducing effort and enhancing the overall user experience.

10. One-Touch Lever

Retrieving opened cans is effortless with the **one-touch lever**. This easy-press mechanism allows you to quickly and safely lift the opened can from the device without any hassle, streamlining your can-opening process.

11. Stabilizing Wide Base

Complementing the non-slip base, the **stabilizing wide base** is optimized to work with most can sizes. This design ensures that the opener remains stable on the countertop, accommodating various can dimensions securely and preventing spills or accidents during use.

12. Removable Multi-Tool

The EC500W includes a **removable multi-tool** that enhances its functionality. This tool is designed to remove bottle caps and pop-tops, providing added versatility. Conveniently stored in the back of the unit, the multi-tool is easily accessible when needed.

13. Knife Sharpener

Integrated into the can opener is a **built-in knife sharpener**, allowing you to maintain the sharpness of your kitchen knives effortlessly. This feature ensures that your knives are always ready for use, complementing the multifunctional design of the EC500W.

14. Removable Cutting Assembly

For easy cleaning and maintenance, the EC500W features a **removable cutting assembly**. This allows you to detach the cutting parts to thoroughly clean them, ensuring hygiene and prolonging the life of the can opener.

15. Knife Sharpener

The **knife sharpener** integrated into the unit provides an additional layer of convenience. Keeping your knives sharp enhances your overall cooking efficiency and ensures that all your kitchen tools are in optimal condition.

16. Additional Features

- **Built-In Knife Sharpener:** Ensures your knives remain sharp and ready for use.
- **Compact Design:** Despite its robust features, the EC500W maintains a compact footprint, making it easy to store in any kitchen space.
- **User-Friendly Interface:** Intuitive controls and indicators make operating the can opener straightforward, even for those less familiar with kitchen appliances.
- **Energy Efficient:** Designed to consume minimal power without compromising on performance, contributing to energy savings.

Usage

Setting Up

1. **Placement:** Position the can opener on a flat, stable surface near a power outlet. Ensure the non-slip base is in contact with the countertop to prevent movement during operation.
2. **Power Connection:** Plug the detachable power cord into the can opener and then into the appropriate power outlet (110V or 220V based on your region).

Operating the Can Opener

1. **Prepare the Can:** Ensure the can is placed on a flat surface. Remove any lids or seals that might obstruct the opening process.
2. **Adjust the Cutting Height:** Depending on the can size, adjust the extra-tall cutting blade using the adjustable settings to match the can's height.
3. **Position the Can:** Place the can firmly into the designated slot on the opener, ensuring it is securely seated.
4. **Start the Opener:** Press the power button to activate the can opener. The high-torque motor will engage, and

the cutting blade will begin to rotate, smoothly opening the can.

5. **Monitor the Process:** Allow the opener to complete the cutting process. Once finished, the machine will automatically shut off.
6. **Remove the Can:** Carefully remove the opened can from the opener. Use the provided cleaning brush to wipe away any residue if necessary.

Tips for Optimal Use

- Always ensure the can is securely placed to prevent slipping.
- Do not force the opener beyond its capacity; adjust settings for larger cans if needed.
- Regularly inspect the cutting blade for sharpness and replace if dull.

Care and Maintenance

Cleaning

1. **Unplug the Device:** Always disconnect the can opener from the power source before cleaning.
2. **Exterior Cleaning:** Wipe the exterior with a damp cloth. For stubborn stains, use mild detergent and avoid abrasive cleaners to prevent surface damage.
3. **Cutting Mechanism:** Use the included cleaning brush to remove food particles from the cutting blade and other mechanical parts.
4. **Deep Cleaning:** Periodically disassemble removable parts as per the user manual and clean thoroughly to maintain hygiene and functionality.

Maintenance

1. **Regular Inspection:** Check all components, including the power cord, base, and cutting blade, for signs of wear or damage.
2. **Blade Sharpening:** If the cutting blade becomes dull, refer to the user manual for instructions on sharpening or replacing the blade.
3. **Lubrication:** Apply food-safe lubricant to moving parts as recommended to ensure smooth operation and prevent rusting.
4. **Storage:** Store the can opener in a dry place to prevent moisture damage. Ensure it is fully dry before storage to avoid rust and corrosion.

Troubleshooting

Issue	Possible Causes	Solutions
Can Opener Does Not Turn On	<ul style="list-style-type: none">– Power cord not securely plugged in– Outlet not functioning– Internal motor malfunction	<ul style="list-style-type: none">– Ensure the power cord is properly connected– Test the outlet with another device– Contact customer support if the issue persists

Issue	Possible Causes	Solutions
Can Opener Stops Mid-Operation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Overheating of the motor – Obstruction in the cutting mechanism – Electrical malfunction 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Allow the device to cool down for 15 minutes – Inspect and remove any obstructions – Seek professional assistance if overheating continues
Uneven or Incomplete Cuts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Dull or misaligned cutting blade – Incorrect can placement – Inadequate power supply 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Sharpen or replace the cutting blade – Ensure the can is properly positioned – Verify correct voltage and stable power supply
Excessive Noise During Operation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Loose components – Accumulated debris – Worn-out motor bearings 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Tighten any loose screws or parts – Clean the cutting mechanism and motor area – Contact customer support for persistent noise issues
Can Opener Does Not Fully Open Can	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Insufficient power to drive the motor – Cutting blade not properly aligned – Overfilled can causing strain 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Ensure adequate power supply – Realign the cutting blade – Avoid using on overfilled or oversized cans
Can Opener Leaks or Spills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Improper placement of the can – Worn sealing components – Excessive force applied 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Place the can securely on the base – Inspect and replace sealing parts if necessary – Use appropriate force as per guidelines
Blade Does Not Rotate Smoothly	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Obstruction in the blade mechanism – Lack of lubrication – Blade assembly issues 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Clean the blade mechanism thoroughly – Apply food-safe lubricant to moving parts – Check blade assembly and reassemble if needed
Device Overheats Quickly	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Continuous heavy usage – Blocked ventilation – Internal component failure 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Allow the device to rest between uses – Ensure proper ventilation around the can opener – Contact support for potential repairs
Power Button Unresponsive	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Electrical fault – Dirt or debris around the button – Internal circuitry issue 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Clean around the power button – Reset the device if possible – Reach out to customer support for further assistance
Removable Multi-Tool Not Functioning	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Improper attachment – Mechanical blockage – Wear and tear 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Reattach the multi-tool correctly – Clear any blockages – Replace the multi-tool if worn out
Knife Sharpener Not Working	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Clogged sharpening mechanism – Dull sharpening elements – Improper usage 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Clean the sharpening area – Replace sharpening components if necessary – Refer to the user manual for correct operation
Non-Slip Base Slipping	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Uneven countertop surface – Worn-out base pads – Overloaded device 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Place the can opener on a flat, stable surface – Replace base pads if worn – Avoid overloading with excessively large cans

Issue	Possible Causes	Solutions
Auto Shut-Off Fails to Engage	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Sensor malfunction – Firmware issues – Mechanical blockage 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Clean the sensors and surrounding areas – Reset the device – Contact customer support for persistent issues
LED Indicators Not Functioning	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Electrical issues – Blown indicator lights – Loose connections 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Check and secure all electrical connections – Replace blown indicator lights – Seek professional repair if needed
Removable Cutting Assembly Won't Detach	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Incorrect detachment procedure – Mechanical lock engaged – Debris preventing removal 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Follow the user manual for proper detachment steps – Ensure no locks are engaged – Clean the assembly area before attempting removal

Pros and Cons

Pros:

- Accommodates various can sizes with ease.
- Built-in multi-tool adds versatility.
- Easy-to-use one-touch lever simplifies operation.

Cons:

- May require regular maintenance to keep blades sharp.
- Some users may find it bulky for small kitchens.

Contact Information

For customer service inquiries, reach out via:

- **Phone Number:** 1-[800-380-9852](tel:800-380-9852)
- **Email:** customerservice@dailybodyrestore.com

Warranty

The APPLICA SPECTRUM EC500W comes with a limited warranty covering defects in materials and workmanship for a specified period from the date of purchase. For warranty claims, retain your receipt and contact customer service for further assistance.

FAQs

How do I set up my APPLICA SPECTRUM EC500W Extra-Tall Can Opener for the first time?

Setting up your APPLICA SPECTRUM EC500W Extra-Tall Can Opener is straightforward. Place the can

opener on a flat, stable surface near a power outlet. Plug the detachable power cord into the opener and then into the appropriate outlet (110V or 220V). Ensure the non-slip base is firmly in contact with the countertop to prevent movement during operation. Refer to the user manual for detailed setup instructions.

What sizes of cans can the APPLICA SPECTRUM EC500W Extra-Tall Can Opener handle?

The APPLICA SPECTRUM EC500W Extra-Tall Can Opener is designed to accommodate a wide range of can sizes, including standard, large, and extra-tall cans. Its adjustable cutting blade ensures a secure and precise cut for various heights, making it versatile for all your kitchen needs.

How do I clean the APPLICA SPECTRUM EC500W Extra-Tall Can Opener after use?

To clean your APPLICA SPECTRUM EC500W Extra-Tall Can Opener, first unplug the device. Wipe the exterior with a damp cloth using mild detergent. Use the included cleaning brush to remove any food particles from the cutting blade and other mechanical parts. For a thorough clean, disassemble the removable cutting assembly as per the user manual and clean all components thoroughly.

What should I do if the APPLICA SPECTRUM EC500W Extra-Tall Can Opener stops working mid-operation?

If your APPLICA SPECTRUM EC500W Extra-Tall Can Opener stops mid-operation, first allow the device to cool down for about 15 minutes. Check for any obstructions in the cutting mechanism and remove them if present. Ensure that the power supply is stable and that the device is properly plugged in. If the issue persists, contact APPLICA customer support for further assistance.

How do I adjust the cutting height on the APPLICA SPECTRUM EC500W Extra-Tall Can Opener?

To adjust the cutting height on your APPLICA SPECTRUM EC500W Extra-Tall Can Opener, locate the adjustable settings control on the device. Use the provided knob or lever to set the cutting blade to match the height of the can you are opening. This ensures a precise and secure cut for cans of different sizes.

What safety features are included in the APPLICA SPECTRUM EC500W Extra-Tall Can Opener?

The APPLICA SPECTRUM EC500W Extra-Tall Can Opener includes several safety features such as auto shut-off to prevent overheating, finger-protection guards to minimize the risk of accidental injuries and a non-slip base to ensure stability during operation. These features collectively ensure a safe and user-

friendly experience.

How do I replace the stainless steel cutting blade on the APPLICA SPECTRUM EC500W Extra-Tall Can Opener?

To replace the stainless steel cutting blade on your APPLICA SPECTRUM EC500W Extra-Tall Can Opener, first ensure the device is unplugged. Remove the removable cutting assembly as per the user manual instructions. Detach the old blade and replace it with a new stainless steel blade. Reassemble the cutting assembly and ensure it is securely in place before using the can opener again.

What maintenance is required to keep the APPLICA SPECTRUM EC500W Extra-Tall Can Opener in optimal condition?

Regular maintenance of your APPLICA SPECTRUM EC500W Extra-Tall Can Opener includes cleaning the exterior and cutting mechanism after each use, inspecting and sharpening the cutting blade as needed, and ensuring all components are free from debris. Additionally, periodically check the power cord and base for any signs of wear and apply food-safe lubricant to moving parts to ensure smooth operation.

How do I use the one-touch lever on the APPLICA SPECTRUM EC500W Extra-Tall Can Opener?

The one-touch lever on the APPLICA SPECTRUM EC500W Extra-Tall Can Opener simplifies the retrieval of opened cans. After the can is fully opened, simply press the lever once, and the opened can will be easily lifted and released from the device, allowing for quick and safe removal without manual effort.

What should I do if the APPLICA SPECTRUM EC500W Extra-Tall Can Opener makes excessive noise during operation?

If your APPLICA SPECTRUM EC500W Extra-Tall Can Opener is making excessive noise, first check for any loose components and tighten them as necessary. Clean the cutting mechanism and motor area to remove any accumulated debris. If the noise persists, it may indicate worn-out motor bearings or other internal issues, and you should contact APPLICA customer support for further diagnostics and assistance.

How do I store the APPLICA SPECTRUM EC500W Extra-Tall Can Opener when not in use?

To store your APPLICA SPECTRUM EC500W Extra-Tall Can Opener, ensure it is completely dry to prevent moisture damage. Place it in a dry, cool location away from direct sunlight. The compact design allows for easy storage in kitchen cabinets or on countertops. If space is limited, the removable cutting

assembly can be detached for more convenient storage.

References

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