

Crock-Pot 3735-WN

Crock-Pot 3735-WN 3-1/2-Quart Slow Cooker User Manual

Model: 3735-WN

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential instructions for the safe and efficient operation, maintenance, and care of your Crock-Pot 3735-WN 3-1/2-Quart Slow Cooker. Please read all instructions thoroughly before first use and retain for future reference.

IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

When using electrical appliances, basic safety precautions should always be followed to reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, and/or injury to persons, including the following:

- Read all instructions.
- Do not touch hot surfaces. Use handles or knobs.
- To protect against electrical shock, do not immerse cord, plugs, or heating unit in water or other liquid.
- Close supervision is necessary when any appliance is used by or near children.
- Unplug from outlet when not in use and before cleaning. Allow to cool before putting on or taking off parts.
- Do not operate any appliance with a damaged cord or plug or after the appliance malfunctions or has been damaged in any manner. Return appliance to the nearest authorized service facility for examination, repair, or adjustment.
- The use of accessory attachments not recommended by the appliance manufacturer may cause injuries.
- Do not use outdoors.
- Do not let cord hang over edge of table or counter, or touch hot surfaces.
- Do not place on or near a hot gas or electric burner, or in a heated oven.

- Extreme caution must be used when moving an appliance containing hot oil or other hot liquids.
- To disconnect, turn any control to "OFF", then remove plug from wall outlet.
- Do not use appliance for other than intended use.
- Avoid sudden temperature changes to the stoneware crock, such as placing a hot crock into cold water.
- This appliance has a polarized plug (one blade is wider than the other). To reduce the risk of electric shock, this plug is intended to fit into a polarized outlet only one way. If the plug does not fit fully into the outlet, reverse the plug. If it still does not fit, contact a qualified electrician. Do not attempt to modify the plug in any way.
- The stoneware crock and glass lid are dishwasher-safe.

COMPONENTS



Figure 1: Crock-Pot 3735-WN Slow Cooker. This image shows the complete slow cooker unit, including the white exterior base, the removable stoneware crock (visible through the clear glass lid), the clear glass lid with a white handle, and the control knob on the front with 'Off', 'Low', and 'High' settings.

1. **Glass Lid:** Transparent lid for monitoring cooking progress.
2. **Removable Stoneware Crock:** The cooking vessel where food is placed. Features a rinse-clean, stick-resistant coating.
3. **Heating Base:** The main unit containing the heating elements and control knob.
4. **Control Knob:** Used to select cooking settings (Off, Low, High).
5. **Handles:** Integrated handles on the heating base for safe transport.

BEFORE FIRST USE

- Remove all packaging components and labels.
- Wash the stoneware crock and glass lid in warm, soapy water. Rinse thoroughly and dry.
- Wipe the exterior of the heating base with a soft, damp cloth. Do not immerse the heating base in water.
- Ensure all parts are completely dry before assembly and use.

SETUP AND OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

General Use

1. Place the heating base on a flat, level, heat-resistant surface.
2. Insert the stoneware crock into the heating base.
3. Add your ingredients to the stoneware crock.
4. Place the glass lid on the stoneware crock.
5. Plug the power cord into a 120V AC wall outlet.
6. Select the desired cooking setting (LOW or HIGH) using the control knob.
7. Cook for the recommended time according to your recipe.
8. Once cooking is complete, turn the control knob to "OFF" and unplug the appliance.
9. Always use oven mitts when handling the hot stoneware crock or lid.

Cooking Settings

- **LOW:** Ideal for slow, gentle cooking over an extended period, typically 6-8 hours. This setting is suitable for tenderizing tougher cuts of meat and developing rich flavors.
- **HIGH:** For faster cooking, typically 3-4 hours. Use this setting when you need to cook meals more quickly or for recipes that require a higher initial heat.
- **OFF:** Turns the appliance off.

Note: Cooking times are approximate and may vary based on ingredients, quantity, and desired doneness. Always ensure food reaches safe internal temperatures.

CARE AND CLEANING (MAINTENANCE)

- Always unplug the slow cooker and allow it to cool completely before cleaning.
- The stoneware crock and glass lid are dishwasher-safe or can be washed by hand with warm, soapy water. Avoid abrasive cleaners or scouring pads that may scratch surfaces.
- For stubborn food residue, fill the stoneware crock with warm, soapy water and let it soak for a few hours before cleaning.
- Wipe the exterior of the heating base with a soft, damp cloth. Never immerse the heating base in water or any other liquid.
- Do not use harsh chemicals or abrasive materials on any part of the slow cooker.
- Store the slow cooker with the lid inverted on the crock to prevent odors and allow air circulation.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Slow cooker not heating.	Not plugged in; power outlet not working; control knob set to "OFF".	Ensure unit is properly plugged into a functional outlet. Turn control knob to "LOW" or "HIGH".

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Food cooking too slowly or too quickly.	Incorrect setting selected; recipe variations; lid not sealed properly.	Adjust setting (LOW for longer, HIGH for shorter). Ensure lid is seated correctly. Refer to recipe for guidance.
Stoneware crock has hairline cracks.	Sudden temperature changes (e.g., hot crock into cold water); impact damage.	Avoid extreme temperature changes. Handle with care. If cracks are significant, discontinue use and consider replacing the crock.
Lid handle feels loose.	Screw securing the handle may have loosened over time.	Gently tighten the screw on the underside of the lid handle with a screwdriver. Do not overtighten.
Exterior of unit feels hot.	Normal operation for slow cookers.	This is normal. Always use caution and avoid touching hot surfaces directly. Place on a heat-resistant surface.

SPECIFICATIONS

- **Model:** 3735-WN
- **Capacity:** 3-1/2 Quarts (approximately 3.31 Liters)
- **Color:** White
- **Material:** Stoneware (crock), Glass (lid)
- **Control Settings:** Off, Low, High (3 settings)
- **Dimensions:** 14.7 x 11.5 x 9.1 inches (Product Dimensions)
- **Item Weight:** 3 pounds
- **Electrical Standards:** Built to North American Electrical Standards (120V AC)
- **Dishwasher Safe:** Stoneware crock and glass lid only.

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

This Crock-Pot slow cooker is covered by a one-year limited warranty against defects in material and workmanship from the date of purchase. This warranty does not cover damage resulting from misuse, accident, abuse, neglect, or unauthorized modification. For warranty service or technical support, please contact Crock-Pot customer service. Please retain your original purchase receipt as proof of purchase. For further assistance, visit the official Crock-Pot website or refer to the contact information provided with your product packaging.