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Model: 1049953

1. INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing the OXO Good Grips Smooth Edge Can Opener. This innovative kitchen tool is designed to open cans by cutting along the side, below the can's edge, resulting in a smooth, safe-to-touch lid and can rim. Its ergonomic design ensures comfortable and efficient operation. Please read this manual thoroughly to ensure proper use and maintenance of your can opener.

2. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The OXO Good Grips Smooth Edge Can Opener features a unique design for enhanced safety and ease of use. Key components include:

- **Smooth Edge Cutting Mechanism:** Cuts cans below the edge, leaving no sharp edges on the can or lid.
- **Oversized Side-Wind Knob:** Designed for smooth and effortless turning.
- **Soft-Grip Handles:** Non-slip handles provide a comfortable and secure grip.
- **Built-in Pliers:** Allows for touch-free lid removal, keeping hands clean and safe.
- **Durable Construction:** Features a sharp, hardened stainless steel cutting wheel.





Figure 1: Overall view of the OXO Good Grips Smooth Edge Can Opener.

3. SETUP

Your OXO Good Grips Smooth Edge Can Opener comes ready for immediate use. No assembly is required. Simply remove it from its packaging and ensure it is clean before first use. Hand washing is recommended prior to

initial operation.

4. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Follow these steps to safely and effectively open cans with your OXO Good Grips Smooth Edge Can Opener:

1. **Positioning the Opener:** Place the can opener on top of the can with the cutting wheel positioned just outside the can's rim. The opener cuts along the side of the can, not the top.



Create a smooth edge on can lids

Figure 2: Correct positioning of the can opener on the can's side.

2. **Engaging the Cut:** Squeeze the handles together firmly until the cutting wheel pierces the side of the can. You should feel it securely grip the can.



Grip comfortably with soft, nonslip handles

Figure 3: The soft, non-slip handles provide a comfortable grip during operation.

3. **Turning the Knob:** Rotate the oversized side-wind knob clockwise to cut around the entire circumference of the can. Continue turning until you feel a slight release in tension, indicating the lid has been fully separated.
4. **Lid Removal:** To remove the lid, locate the small button on the side of the can opener (often near the cutting mechanism). Press this button to activate the built-in pliers, which will securely grasp the lid.



**Press button to
use built-in pliers.**

Figure 4: Activating the built-in pliers for safe lid handling.

5. **Safe Disposal:** Lift the can opener, with the lid still attached by the pliers, away from the can. Release the lid directly into a trash receptacle by releasing the pliers. This ensures touch-free and safe disposal of the lid.



No-touch lid removal

Figure 5: No-touch lid removal for hygiene and safety.

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Video 1: Demonstration of the OXO Good Grips Smooth Edge Can Opener in action, showing how to attach, turn, and remove the lid safely.

5. MAINTENANCE AND CARE

To ensure the longevity and optimal performance of your can opener, follow these care instructions:

- **Hand Wash Recommended:** Wash the can opener by hand with warm, soapy water immediately after each use.
- **Rinse Thoroughly:** Ensure all food particles and soap residue are rinsed off.
- **Dry Completely:** Dry the can opener thoroughly with a clean cloth to prevent water spots and potential rust on metal components.
- **Storage:** Store in a dry place.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter any issues with your can opener, consider the following:

- **Can Opener Not Cutting:** Ensure the cutting wheel is properly aligned with the can's rim and the handles are squeezed firmly to engage the cut. The cutting wheel should be just outside the can's rim.
- **Lid Not Detaching Easily:** Make sure you have completed a full rotation around the can. Sometimes, a

slight reverse turn of the knob can help release the lid completely before using the pliers.

- **Difficulty Gripping Can:** Ensure the can opener is clean and dry. Food residue can sometimes affect grip.

If problems persist, please refer to the Warranty and Support section.

7. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand	OXO
Model Number	1049953
Color	Black
Material	Stainless Steel, Plastic (Handles)
Blade Material	Stainless Steel
Product Dimensions	4.5"W x 7.5"H
Item Weight	0.011 ounces (0.3 Grams)
Operation Mode	Manual
Care Instructions	Hand Wash Recommended
Assembly Required	No

7.74 in
19.65 cm



3.0 in/7.62 cm



STAINLESS
STEEL



HAND WASH
ONLY

Figure 6: Product dimensions and care instructions.

8. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

The OXO Better Guarantee: OXO stands behind its products. If you experience an issue with your OXO product, please contact OXO for a repair or replacement. OXO values customer feedback and uses it to continuously improve its products.

For further assistance or to make a warranty claim, please visit the official OXO website or contact their customer support directly.