

Starfrit 093209-006

Starfrit Rotato Express Electric Peeler Instruction Manual

Model: 093209-006

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides comprehensive instructions for the safe and effective use of your Starfrit Rotato Express Electric Peeler. Please read this manual thoroughly before operating the device and retain it for future reference. This electric peeler is designed to efficiently remove the skins from various fruits and vegetables.

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

WARNING: To reduce the risk of electric shock, injury, or damage, always follow these basic safety precautions:

- Read all instructions before use.
- Keep hands clear of the peeling blade during operation. The blade is sharp.
- Do not immerse the main unit in water or any other liquid.
- Ensure the appliance is unplugged before cleaning or when not in use.
- This appliance is not intended for use by persons with reduced physical, sensory, or mental capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge, unless they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance by a person responsible for their safety.
- Supervise children to ensure they do not play with the appliance.
- Use only the provided 6V power adapter or 8 AA batteries (not included) for power.
- Do not operate the appliance if the cord or plug is damaged, or if the appliance malfunctions or has been damaged in any manner.
- For California Residents: This product contains chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm.

PRODUCT COMPONENTS

Familiarize yourself with the parts of your Starfrit Rotato Express Electric Peeler:



Image: The Starfrit Rotato Express Electric Peeler in operation, showing a potato being peeled by the rotating arm.



Image: The Starfrit Rotato Express Electric Peeler, displaying the power adapter and the hidden compartment for spare blades at the base.



Image: A collage demonstrating the versatility of the Rotato Express, showing it peeling various items like potatoes, apples, oranges, cucumbers, and more.

- **Upper Food Holder:** Secures the top of the fruit or vegetable.
- **Spike:** Pierces the top of the produce for stability.
- **Column:** The main vertical support structure.
- **Height Adjustment Lever:** Allows adjustment of the cutter arm's height.
- **Cutter Arm:** Holds the blade and moves along the produce.
- **Cutter Head:** Contains the peeling blade.
- **Blade Holder:** Secures the peeling blade within the cutter head.
- **Red Button:** Activates the peeling mechanism.
- **Lock-in Attachment:** Secures the cutter head to the cutter arm.
- **Bottom Food Holder:** Secures the base of the fruit or vegetable with spikes.
- **Spare Blade Compartment:** Located at the base of the unit for storing extra blades.

- **Thumb Knife:** A small paring knife included for delicate tasks or removing eyes from potatoes.

SETUP

1. Power Connection:

- **AC Adapter:** Plug the provided 6V AC adapter into the port on the back of the peeler, then into a standard electrical outlet.
- **Battery Operation (Optional):** If using batteries, open the battery compartment at the base of the unit and insert 8 AA batteries (not included), ensuring correct polarity. Close the compartment securely.

2. Prepare the Produce:

- Wash the fruit or vegetable thoroughly.
- Trim any uneven ends or blemishes that might interfere with the peeling process.

3. Position the Produce:

- Center the fruit or vegetable firmly on the bottom food holder's spikes.
- Lower the upper food holder so that the spike securely grips the top of the produce.

4. Adjust the Cutter Arm:

- Using the height adjustment lever, position the cutter arm so the blade rests gently on the very top of the produce.
- Ensure the blade is aligned to peel the skin, not dig into the flesh.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

1. Ensure the peeler is on a stable, non-slip surface.
2. With the produce securely mounted and the cutter arm adjusted, press the red power button.
3. The cutter arm will automatically move downwards, peeling the skin in a continuous strip.
4. The peeler will stop automatically once the peeling process is complete.
5. Carefully lift the upper food holder and remove the peeled fruit or vegetable.
6. Use the included thumb knife for removing any remaining eyes or blemishes, or for paring delicate areas.





Image: The Rotato Express with a potato, showing the top portion already peeled, illustrating the peeling action.

MAINTENANCE AND CLEANING

Proper maintenance ensures the longevity and optimal performance of your peeler.

1. Cleaning the Unit:

- Always unplug the peeler (or remove batteries) before cleaning.
- Wipe the main unit with a damp, sudsy cloth. Do not immerse the unit in water.
- The cutter head and blade can be removed for separate washing.
- Rinse the cutter head and blade under running water. Use a small brush if necessary to remove food

debris. Dry thoroughly.

2. **Blade Replacement:**

The Rotato Express comes with two spare blades stored in a compartment at the base of the unit. Replace the blade when it becomes dull for optimal peeling performance.

- Locate the blade storage compartment at the bottom of the peeler.
- Carefully remove a new blade from the compartment.
- To remove the old blade, gently slide the cutter head out of the cutter arm's lock-in attachment.
- Unlatch and slide the used blade out of its holder. Dispose of used blades safely.
- Insert the new blade into the blade holder, ensuring it is securely seated.
- Slide the cutter head back into the cutter arm's lock-in attachment until it clicks into place.

TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your Rotato Express, refer to the following common problems and solutions:

- **Peeler does not turn on:**
 - Check if the AC adapter is securely plugged into both the peeler and the electrical outlet.
 - If using batteries, ensure they are inserted correctly and are not depleted. Replace if necessary.
- **Peeling is uneven or incomplete:**
 - Ensure the fruit or vegetable is centered and firmly secured on both the top and bottom holders.
 - Verify that the cutter arm is properly adjusted to the top of the produce before starting.
 - The blade may be dull. Refer to the "Blade Replacement" section for instructions on how to change the blade.
 - For irregularly shaped produce, manual paring with the thumb knife may be required for certain areas.
- **Peeler stops during operation:**
 - The peeler is designed to stop automatically when peeling is complete.
 - If it stops prematurely, check for obstructions or if the produce has shifted.
 - Ensure the power source is stable (AC adapter or fresh batteries).

SPECIFICATIONS

Brand	Starfrit
Model Number	093209-006
Dimensions (L x W)	6.5" x 6.31" (16.5 cm x 16 cm)
Item Weight	15.7 ounces (445 grams)
Material	Plastic (Body), Stainless Steel (Blade)
Power Source	Corded Electric (6V Adapter included) or 8 AA Batteries (not included)
Number of Blades	1 (plus 2 spare blades included)
Operation Mode	Automatic



5.70" / 14.5 cm

The Starfrit Rotato Express Electric Peeler comes with a **1-year limited warranty** from the date of purchase. This warranty covers defects in materials and workmanship under normal use. It does not cover damage resulting from misuse, accident, alteration, neglect, or unauthorized repair. Please retain your proof of purchase for warranty claims.

CUSTOMER SUPPORT

For further assistance, product inquiries, or warranty claims, please contact Starfrit customer service:

- **Website:** www.starfrit.com (Please check the official website for the most current contact information.)
- **Email:** Refer to the official website for customer support email.
- **Phone:** Refer to the official website for customer support phone numbers.

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