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Model: 4172

1. IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

Please read all instructions carefully before using your Oster 4172 10-Speed Blender Kitchen Mixer. Keep this manual for future reference.

- This appliance operates on 220/240 Volts. It is **not intended for use in USA or Canada**. Ensure your power supply matches the appliance's requirements.
- Always unplug the blender from the power outlet before cleaning or when not in use.
- Do not immerse the motor base in water or other liquids.
- Keep hands and utensils out of the blender jar while blending to prevent injury.
- Ensure the lid is securely in place before operating the blender.

2. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Oster 4172 10-Speed Blender is designed for efficient blending, juicing, and pureeing. It features a durable glass jar and a powerful motor.

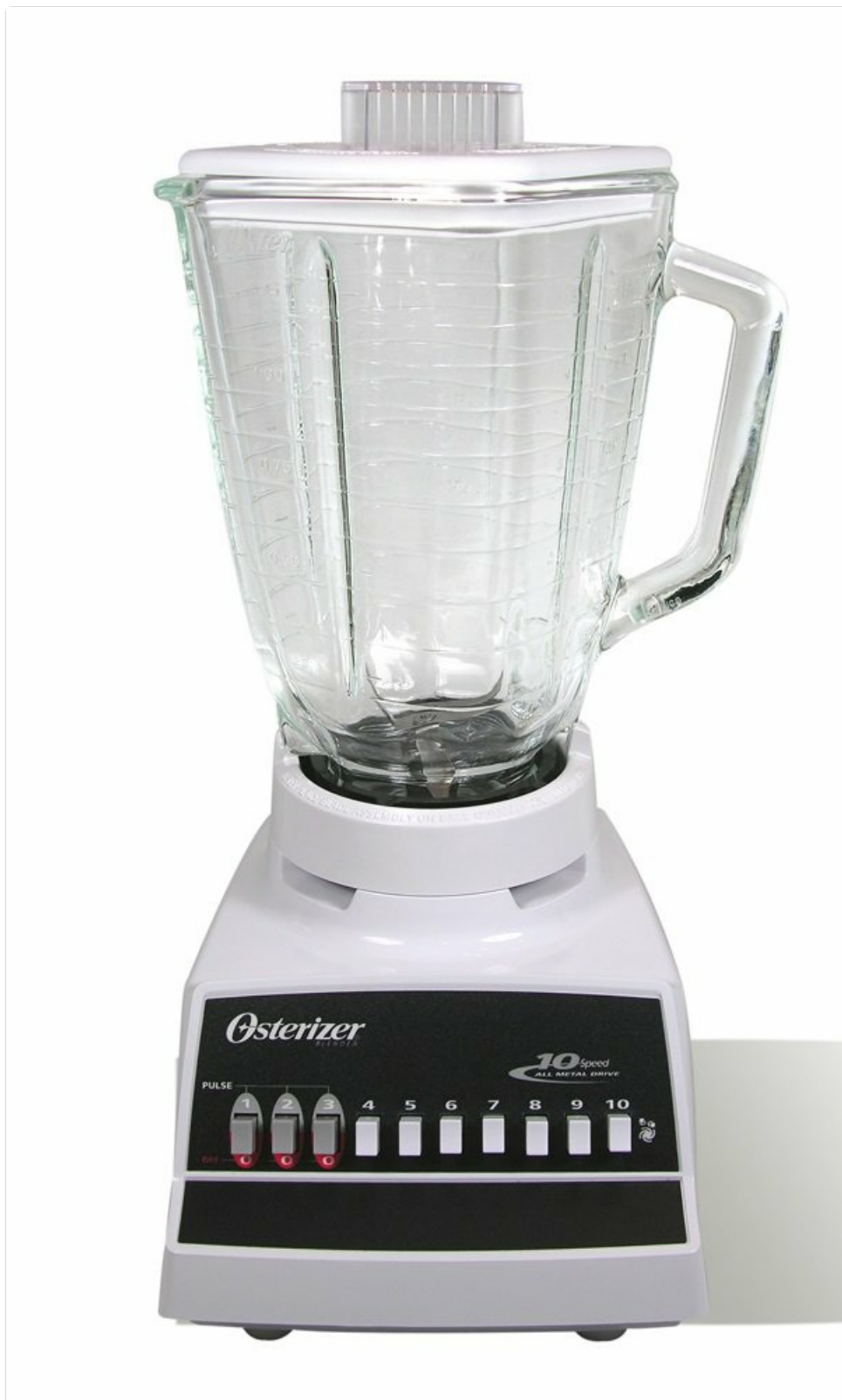


Image: The Oster 4172 10-Speed Blender Kitchen Mixer with its base and glass jar assembled.

Components:

- Motor Base with Control Panel
- Scratch-Resistant Glass Jar (1.25L / 5-Cup capacity)
- Lid with Removable Filler Cap
- Blade Assembly

3. SETUP

1. **Unpack:** Carefully remove all components from the packaging. Retain packaging for storage or shipping if needed.
2. **Clean:** Before first use, wash the glass jar, lid, and filler cap in warm, soapy water. Rinse thoroughly and dry. The motor base can be wiped with a damp cloth.
3. **Assemble:** Place the blade assembly securely into the bottom of the glass jar. Ensure the gasket is properly seated to prevent leaks. Place the assembled jar onto the motor base, ensuring it is seated correctly.
4. **Position:** Place the blender on a clean, dry, and stable surface.
5. **Connect Power:** Plug the power cord into a compatible 220/240 Volt electrical outlet.

4. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

The Oster 4172 blender features 10 speeds and a pulse option for precise control over your blending tasks.

Control Panel:

- **OFF:** Turns the blender off.
- **STIR (Low):** For gentle mixing.
- **CREAM (Medium):** For general blending and creaming.
- **SMOOTHIE (High):** For making smoothies and more intensive blending.
- **EXTRACT:** For extracting juices or processing tougher ingredients.
- **PULSE:** Provides short bursts of power for chopping or controlled blending.
- **ICE CRUSH:** Dedicated setting for crushing ice.

General Blending:

1. Add ingredients to the glass jar. Do not overfill beyond the maximum fill line.
2. Securely place the lid on the jar, ensuring the filler cap is also in place.
3. Select the desired speed setting (Low, Med, High) or a specific function (Stir, Cream, Smoothie, Extract, Ice Crush). For short bursts, use the Pulse button.
4. Blend until desired consistency is achieved.
5. Once blending is complete, press the 'OFF' button to stop the motor.
6. Unplug the blender before removing the jar or pouring contents.

Tip: For adding ingredients during blending, remove the clear filler cap from the lid and slowly add items through the opening. Replace the cap immediately after adding ingredients.

5. MAINTENANCE AND CLEANING

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

Cleaning the Jar and Lid:

- The glass jar, lid, and filler cap are dishwasher safe for convenient cleaning.
- For manual cleaning, disassemble the jar by unscrewing the blade assembly from the bottom. Wash all parts in warm, soapy water. Use a brush to clean around the blades carefully.
- Ensure all parts are thoroughly rinsed and dried before reassembly or storage.

Cleaning the Motor Base:

- Wipe the motor base with a damp cloth. Do not immerse the motor base in water or any other liquid.
- Do not use abrasive cleaners or scouring pads, as they may scratch the surface.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

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

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Blender does not turn on.	Not plugged in; power outage; incorrect voltage.	Ensure the blender is securely plugged into a working 220/240V outlet. Check your circuit breaker.
Ingredients are not blending smoothly.	Too little liquid; ingredients too large; incorrect speed.	Add more liquid. Cut ingredients into smaller pieces. Use a higher speed or the Pulse function.
Blender is very noisy.	Normal operation; hard ingredients.	Some noise is normal, especially when blending hard ingredients like ice. Ensure the jar is properly seated on the base.
Leakage from the bottom of the jar.	Improperly seated gasket or blade assembly.	Disassemble the jar and re-seat the gasket and blade assembly correctly. Ensure all parts are tightened.

7. SPECIFICATIONS

- **Brand:** Oster
- **Model:** 4172
- **Color:** White
- **Voltage:** 240 Volts
- **Wattage:** 300 watts
- **Capacity:** 1.25 Liters (5-Cup)
- **Number of Speeds:** 10
- **Controls Type:** Knob
- **Blade Material:** Stainless Steel
- **Jar Material:** Scratch-Resistant Glass
- **Special Features:** Adjustable Speed Control, Pulse Option, Exclusive ALL-METAL DRIVE
- **Item Weight:** 7.6 Pounds

8. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

This Oster 4172 10-Speed Blender Kitchen Mixer comes with a **Limited Warranty**. For specific details regarding warranty coverage, duration, and terms, please refer to the warranty card included with your product or contact Oster customer support in your region.

For technical assistance, spare parts, or further inquiries, please contact your local authorized Oster

service center or visit the official Oster website for support information relevant to your country.