

Waste King L-2600

Waste King Legend Series L-2600 1/2 HP Continuous Feed Garbage Disposal Instruction Manual

Model: L-2600

1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides detailed instructions for the safe and efficient installation, operation, and maintenance of your Waste King Legend Series L-2600 1/2 HP Continuous Feed Garbage Disposal. Please read all instructions carefully before beginning installation or use.



Image 1: Waste King L-2600 1/2 HP Continuous Feed Garbage Disposal with power cord.

2. SAFETY INFORMATION

WARNING: Improper installation or use can result in electrical shock, fire, or personal injury.

- Always disconnect power before servicing or installing the disposal.
- Do not put hands or utensils into the disposal while it is operating.
- Do not dispose of glass, metal, plastic, or large bones.
- Ensure proper grounding to reduce the risk of electric shock.
- Always run cold water when operating the disposal.

3. SETUP AND INSTALLATION

The Waste King L-2600 features an EZ Mount system for quick and straightforward installation. It comes with a pre-installed power cord, eliminating the need for additional electrical work for plug-in installations.

3.1 Pre-Installation Checklist

- Verify all components are present: disposal unit, EZ Mount assembly, pre-installed power cord, removable splash guard, drain elbow, and mounting hardware.
- Ensure you have necessary tools: screwdriver, adjustable pliers, plumber's putty (if not using the rubber gasket with a stainless steel sink), and safety glasses.
- Confirm electrical supply is 115 Volts, 60 Hertz, and 4.5 current-amps.

3.2 Mounting Assembly

The EZ Mount system allows for easy twist-and-lock installation. The mounting assembly includes a sink flange, rubber gasket, fiber gasket, support ring, and mounting ring. For stainless steel sinks, the included rubber gasket can often replace plumber's putty for sealing the sink flange.



Image 2: Internal view of the Waste King L-2600 showing the discharge outlet and power cord connection.

3.3 Electrical Connection

The L-2600 comes with a 36-inch pre-installed power cord for direct plug-in to a standard 115V outlet. No

hardwiring or electrical expertise is typically needed for this model. If replacing a hardwired unit, consult a qualified electrician.

3.4 Plumbing Connections

Connect the discharge elbow to the disposal unit using the provided metal bracket and screws. Ensure the rubber gasket is correctly positioned to prevent leaks. Connect the drain piping to the discharge elbow. If connecting a dishwasher, ensure the dishwasher drain hose is properly attached to the disposal's inlet using a hose clamp. The disposal is safe for properly sized septic tanks.

Video 1: Official product video demonstrating the installation process for a Waste King Legend Series disposal.

4. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

The L-2600 is a continuous feed garbage disposal, meaning you can add food waste while the unit is running. It is activated by a wall switch.

4.1 Basic Operation

1. Turn on the cold water faucet.
2. Flip the wall switch to activate the disposal.
3. Feed food waste into the drain opening.
4. Allow the disposal to run until all waste is ground and flushed away.
5. Turn off the disposal, then turn off the cold water.

4.2 Acceptable Food Waste

The L-2600 is designed to grind most food scraps, including fruit and vegetable peels, small bones, and coffee grounds. Its 2,600 RPM permanent magnet motor and stainless steel swivel impellers are engineered to reduce jamming.

4.3 Unacceptable Items

Avoid disposing of fibrous materials (e.g., corn husks, artichokes), large bones, grease, oil, plastic, glass, metal, or harsh chemicals, as these can damage the disposal or plumbing.

5. MAINTENANCE

Regular maintenance ensures optimal performance and longevity of your garbage disposal.

5.1 Cleaning the Splashguard

The L-2600 features a removable splashguard for easy cleaning. Simply pull the splashguard out from the drain opening, clean it with soap and water, and reinsert. This helps prevent odors and food buildup.



Image 3: The removable splashguard of the Waste King L-2600, designed for easy cleaning.

5.2 Odor Prevention

To prevent odors, regularly grind citrus peels (lemon, lime, orange) with cold water. This helps clean the grind chamber and leaves a fresh scent.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

6.1 Disposal Not Starting

If the disposal does not start, check the front-mounted reset button located on the bottom of the unit. Press the button firmly. If it trips again, check for jams.

6.2 Clearing a Jam

If the disposal hums but does not grind, it may be jammed. Turn off the power immediately. Use a hex wrench (not included) to insert into the center hole on the bottom of the disposal and turn it back and forth until the jam is cleared. Alternatively, use a wooden dowel or broom handle to dislodge the object from the grind chamber

from the top. Never use your hand.

6.3 Leaks

Ensure all plumbing connections are tight and properly sealed. Check the discharge elbow connection for proper gasket placement and tightness. If leaks persist, re-examine all connections and seals.

7. SPECIFICATIONS

- **Model:** L-2600
- **Horsepower:** 1/2 HP (0.50)
- **Motor Speed:** 2,600 RPM (Permanent Magnet Motor)
- **Feed Type:** Continuous Feed
- **Grind Components:** Stainless Steel
- **Grind Chamber:** Glass-filled Nylon (Corrosion-proof)
- **Voltage:** 115 Volts
- **Current:** 4.5 Amps
- **Product Dimensions:** 6.75 x 6.75 x 13.5 inches
- **Item Weight:** 7.8 pounds
- **Included Components:** 36-Inch Power Cord, Continuous Feed Operation Garbage Disposal, Splash Guard
- **Special Features:** Compact, Sound Insulation, Front-mounted Reset Button
- **Septic Safe:** Yes (for properly sized septic tanks)



Image 4: Diagram illustrating the dimensions and key features of the Waste King L-2600.

8. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT





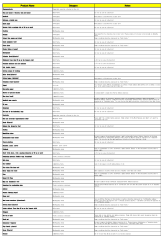
The Waste King L-2600 Garbage Disposal is backed by a 5-year limited in-home warranty. For warranty claims or technical support, please refer to the contact information provided in the product packaging or visit

the official Waste King website.

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Related Documents - L-2600

	<p>Waste King Commercial Disposer Installation Instructions</p> <p>Comprehensive installation guide for Waste King Commercial Disposer Models 500, 750, 1000, 1250, and 1500, covering sink installation, spray-rinse setup, mounting, plumbing, and electrical connections.</p>
	<p>LEFTON LGD-714 Installation Manual: 3/4HP Continuous Garbage Disposal</p> <p>Comprehensive installation guide for the LEFTON LGD-714 3/4HP Continuous Garbage Disposal. Includes a detailed parts list, step-by-step assembly instructions, dishwasher connection guidance, and essential safety warnings for proper installation and use.</p>
	<p>TECASA Food Waste Disposer Installation Instructions</p> <p>Comprehensive installation guide for the TECASA Food Waste Disposer, covering safety precautions, required tools, parts list, step-by-step installation, operating instructions, and troubleshooting.</p>
	<p>LEFTON LGD-513 1/2HP Continuous Garbage Disposal Installation Manual</p> <p>Comprehensive installation manual for the LEFTON LGD-513 1/2HP Continuous Garbage Disposal, providing step-by-step instructions and safety warnings.</p>
	<p>Comprehensive Guide to Waste Separation and Disposal</p> <p>An informative guide detailing the proper separation and disposal methods for various household items, categorized by waste type (combustible, non-burnable, bulky, hazardous, etc.).</p>

