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Model: R-959(SL)M-A

1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential information for the safe and efficient operation of your Sharp R-959(SL)M-A Microwave Oven. Please read it thoroughly before using the appliance and keep it for future reference. This large microwave oven features a grill function, touch controls with an LCD screen, and a variety of cooking programs to simplify your meal preparation.

2. IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

When using electrical appliances, basic safety precautions should always be followed to reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, burns, or injury to persons.

- Do not attempt to operate this oven with the door open as this can result in harmful exposure to microwave energy.
- Do not place any object between the oven front face and the door, or allow soil or cleaner residue to accumulate on sealing surfaces.
- Do not operate the oven if it is damaged. It is particularly important that the oven door closes properly and that there is no damage to the: (1) door (bent), (2) hinges and latches (broken or loosened), (3) door seals and sealing surfaces.
- Only qualified service personnel should adjust or repair the oven.
- Ensure proper ventilation around the appliance. Do not block any ventilation openings.
- Do not use corrosive chemicals or vapors in this appliance.
- Always use microwave-safe cookware. Metal containers or dishes with metallic trim are not suitable for microwave cooking.
- Supervise children closely when the appliance is in use.

3. PRODUCT FEATURES

Your Sharp R-959(SL)M-A Microwave Oven is designed with convenience and versatility in mind:

- Large 40-liter capacity microwave oven with integrated grill.
- Intuitive touch control panel with a clear LCD screen.
- 8 pre-set auto cooking programs for various dishes.
- 3 quick cook programs for rapid heating.
- 8 defrost programs for efficient thawing of different food types.

- Microwave output power: 900W.
- Grill power: 1400W.
- Turntable size: 36.2 cm for even cooking.
- Dedicated 'Info' key for helpful information.
- Freestanding installation for flexible placement.
- Durable stainless steel construction.
- Timer function available for precise cooking control.

4. SETUP AND INSTALLATION

4.1 Unpacking

Carefully remove all packaging materials from the oven and its accessories. Check the oven for any signs of damage. If the oven is damaged, do not operate it and contact your dealer.

4.2 Placement

Place the oven on a flat, stable surface that can support its weight. Ensure there is adequate space for ventilation: at least 20 cm above, 10 cm at the rear, and 5 cm on each side. Do not place the oven near heat sources or in damp areas.

4.3 Turntable Installation

Place the roller ring in the center of the oven cavity. Position the glass turntable securely on top of the roller ring. Ensure the turntable rotates freely.



Image: Front view of the Sharp R-959(SL)M-A Microwave Oven, showing its stainless steel finish, touch control panel, and door with a left hinge. The interior turntable is visible through the door.

4.4 Power Connection

Plug the power cord into a grounded electrical outlet. Ensure the voltage matches the specifications on the oven's rating label.

5. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

5.1 Basic Microwave Cooking

1. Place food in a microwave-safe container on the turntable.
2. Close the oven door securely.
3. Press the 'Microwave' button.
4. Use the number pad or dial to set the desired cooking time and power level.

5. Press 'Start' to begin cooking.

5.2 Grill Function

The grill function is ideal for browning and crisping food.

1. Place food on the grill rack (if provided) or a heat-resistant dish.
2. Press the 'Grill' button.
3. Set the desired grilling time.
4. Press 'Start'.

5.3 Auto Cook Programs

Your oven includes 8 pre-set auto cook programs for common dishes. Refer to the oven's internal guide or the 'Info' key for specific program details.

1. Press the 'Auto Cook' button.
2. Select the desired program number using the number pad or dial.
3. Enter the food weight if prompted.
4. Press 'Start'.

5.4 Quick Cook Programs

Utilize the 3 quick cook programs for fast heating of small portions.

1. Press the 'Quick Cook' button repeatedly to cycle through the available options or select directly if numbered.
2. Press 'Start'.

5.5 Defrost Programs

The 8 defrost programs are designed for efficient thawing based on food type and weight.

1. Press the 'Defrost' button.
2. Select the appropriate defrost program.
3. Enter the food weight.
4. Press 'Start'. The oven may prompt you to turn the food halfway through the defrosting cycle.

5.6 Using the Info Key

Press the 'Info' key to display helpful tips or program details on the LCD screen.

6. MAINTENANCE AND CLEANING

Regular cleaning and maintenance will ensure the longevity and optimal performance of your microwave oven.

- **Interior Cleaning:** Wipe the oven cavity with a damp cloth after each use. For stubborn stains, use a mild detergent or a microwave-safe cleaner. Never use abrasive cleaners or scouring pads.
- **Exterior Cleaning:** Clean the exterior surfaces with a soft, damp cloth. Avoid getting water into the ventilation openings.
- **Door and Door Seals:** Keep the door and door seals clean. Wipe them regularly to ensure a proper seal.
- **Turntable:** The glass turntable and roller ring can be removed and washed in warm soapy water or in a dishwasher. Ensure they are completely dry before placing them back in the oven.
- **Grill Element:** After using the grill, allow the oven to cool. Wipe the grill element area carefully to remove any food residue.

7. TROUBLESHOOTING

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

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Oven does not start	Power cord unplugged; Door not closed properly; Fuse blown or circuit breaker tripped.	Check power cord; Ensure door is firmly closed; Check household fuse/circuit breaker.
Food not heating	Incorrect cooking time/power level; Microwave-safe cookware not used.	Adjust time/power; Use appropriate cookware.
Turntable not rotating	Turntable not correctly placed; Roller ring dirty or damaged.	Reposition turntable; Clean or replace roller ring.
Unusual noise during operation	Food container touching oven walls; Turntable not seated correctly.	Adjust food container; Re-seat turntable.

If the problem persists after attempting these solutions, please contact qualified service personnel.

8. SPECIFICATIONS

Detailed technical specifications for the Sharp R-959(SL)M-A Microwave Oven:

Feature	Specification
Brand Name	Sharp
Model Information	R-959(SL)M-A
Package Dimensions	58.1 x 47.5 x 34.15 cm
Item Weight	17.25 Kilograms
Power Consumption (Microwave)	900 Watts
Grill Power	1400 Watts
Capacity	40 Liters
Installation Type	Freestanding
Special Features	Auto Cook, Defrost, Turntable
Defrost System Type	Defrost
Door Hinges	Left
Material Type	Stainless Steel
Included Components	Grill, Turntable
Control Device Type	Touch Control
Timer Function	Available
Turntable Size	36.2 cm

9. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information, please refer to the warranty card included with your product or contact your local Sharp dealer. For technical support or service inquiries, please visit the official Sharp website or contact their customer service department. Keep your purchase receipt as proof of purchase for warranty claims.