

HENDI 263600

HENDI 263600 Single Contact Grill Instruction Manual

Model: 263600

1. IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

This appliance is intended for commercial use only and is not suitable for domestic applications. Read all instructions carefully before use.

- Always ensure the appliance is placed on a stable, heat-resistant surface.
- Do not immerse the appliance, cord, or plug in water or other liquids.
- Keep hands and utensils away from hot surfaces during operation to prevent burns.
- Unplug the appliance from the power outlet when not in use and before cleaning.
- Do not operate the appliance with a damaged cord or plug, or if the appliance malfunctions or has been damaged in any manner. Contact qualified service personnel.
- Ensure adequate ventilation around the appliance during use.
- This appliance is not intended for use by persons (including children) 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.

2. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The HENDI 263600 Single Contact Grill is a robust commercial appliance designed for efficient grilling. It features durable enameled cast iron grill plates, a continuously adjustable thermostat, and a convenient grease collection system.



Image 1: HENDI 263600 Single Contact Grill in operation, pressing a sandwich.

Key Features:

- **Enameled Cast Iron Grill Plates:** Provides even heat distribution and durability. The upper plate is grooved, and the lower plate is smooth.
- **Adjustable Thermostat:** Continuously adjustable temperature control up to 300 °C (572 °F).
- **Indicator Lights:** Power and heating indicator lights for easy monitoring.
- **Grease Collection Tray:** Integrated tray to collect excess grease and oils, with splash guards.
- **Raised Handle:** Ergonomically designed handle for safe and easy opening/closing.

3. SETUP AND FIRST USE

3.1 Unpacking

- Carefully remove the grill from its packaging.
- Remove all packaging materials, protective films, and accessories.
- Inspect the appliance for any damage. Do not use if damaged.

3.2 Placement

- Place the grill on a flat, stable, and heat-resistant surface.
- Ensure there is sufficient space around the grill for ventilation (at least 10 cm on all sides).
- Keep the appliance away from flammable materials and heat sources.

3.3 Initial Cleaning

- Before first use, wipe the grill plates with a damp cloth to remove any manufacturing residues.
- Dry thoroughly.
- Lightly season the cast iron plates by wiping them with a small amount of cooking oil.

3.4 Electrical Connection

- Ensure the power supply voltage matches the specifications of the grill (230 Volts).
- Plug the power cord into a grounded electrical outlet.

4. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

4.1 Preheating

- Turn the thermostat knob to the desired temperature setting (up to 300 °C).
- The orange indicator light will illuminate, indicating that the grill is heating.
- Allow the grill to preheat for approximately 10-15 minutes until the orange indicator light turns off, signaling that the set temperature has been reached.

4.2 Grilling

- Carefully place the food item onto the lower grill plate.
- Lower the upper grill plate using the raised handle. The floating hinge allows the upper plate to adjust to the thickness of the food.
- Grill for the desired duration, checking periodically for doneness.
- Use heat-resistant utensils to remove food from the grill.

4.3 After Use

- Turn the thermostat knob to the 'OFF' position.
- Unplug the appliance from the power outlet.
- Allow the grill to cool completely before cleaning.

5. MAINTENANCE AND CLEANING

Regular cleaning ensures optimal performance and extends the lifespan of your grill.



Image 2: HENDI 263600 Single Contact Grill with a cleaning brush, illustrating maintenance.

5.1 Daily Cleaning

- Ensure the grill is unplugged and completely cool.
- Remove the grease collection tray and empty it. Wash the tray with warm, soapy water and dry thoroughly.
- Use a non-abrasive brush or scraper to remove food residues from the enameled cast iron plates.
- Wipe the grill plates with a damp cloth. For stubborn residues, a mild detergent can be used, followed by

wiping with a clean, damp cloth to remove all soap residue.

- Wipe the exterior stainless steel surfaces with a damp cloth and dry.

5.2 Important Cleaning Notes

- Do not use abrasive cleaning agents, steel wool, or metal scouring pads, as these can damage the grill plates and exterior finish.
- Never spray water directly onto the appliance.
- Ensure all parts are dry before storing or reusing the grill.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your HENDI 263600 Contact Grill, refer to the following common problems and solutions:

| Problem | Possible Cause | Solution |
|-----------------------------------|--|--|
| Grill does not heat up. | Not plugged in; power switch off; faulty outlet; thermostat set too low. | Check power cord connection; ensure power switch is on; test outlet with another appliance; increase thermostat setting. |
| Indicator light not working. | Bulb failure; appliance not receiving power. | If grill heats, light may be faulty (contact service). If no heat, check power supply. |
| Food sticks to grill plates. | Plates not properly seasoned; insufficient oil; temperature too high. | Ensure plates are lightly oiled before use; re-season if necessary; adjust temperature. |
| Excessive smoke during operation. | Food residues on plates; too much oil/fat; high-fat food. | Clean grill plates thoroughly; use less oil; ensure grease tray is emptied. |

If the problem persists after attempting these solutions, please contact qualified service personnel or your supplier for assistance. Do not attempt to repair the appliance yourself.

7. SPECIFICATIONS

Detailed technical specifications for the HENDI 263600 Single Contact Grill:

| Feature | Specification |
|----------------------------|---|
| Model Number | 263600 |
| Dimensions (L x W x H) | 37.5 cm x 31 cm x 21.6 cm |
| Cooking Surface | 220 mm x 230 mm |
| Weight | 8 Kilograms |
| Power | 1800 Watts |
| Voltage | 230 Volts |
| Material | Stainless steel body, Enameled cast iron grill plates |
| Plate Configuration | Upper grooved, Lower smooth |
| Temperature Range | Continuously adjustable up to 300 °C (572 °F) |
| International Article Code | 08711369263600 |
| Country of Origin | China |

8. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

8.1 Warranty Information

This HENDI 263600 Single Contact Grill comes with a **Limited Warranty**. Please refer to the warranty card included with your purchase or contact your retailer for specific terms and conditions regarding warranty coverage, duration, and claims procedures.

8.2 Customer Support

For technical assistance, spare parts, or any questions not covered in this manual, please contact your authorized HENDI dealer or customer service. Ensure you have your model number (263600) and purchase details available when contacting support.