

Bosch MFQ40304

Bosch MFQ40304 Styline Colour Hand Mixer Instruction Manual

1. IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

Please read these instructions carefully before using your Bosch MFQ40304 Hand Mixer. Keep this manual for future reference.

- Always unplug the appliance from the power supply before assembly, disassembly, cleaning, or when not in use.
- Do not immerse the motor unit in water or other liquids. Clean with a damp cloth only.
- This appliance is not intended for use by children or persons with reduced physical, sensory, or mental capabilities unless supervised or instructed by a responsible person.
- Avoid contact with moving parts during operation. Keep hands, hair, and clothing away from beaters and kneading hooks.
- Use only original Bosch accessories supplied with the appliance.
- Check that the voltage indicated on the appliance corresponds to your local mains voltage before connecting.
- Do not operate the appliance if the power cord or plug is damaged, or if the appliance malfunctions or has been dropped.

2. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Bosch MFQ40304 Styline Colour Hand Mixer is a powerful and versatile kitchen appliance designed for efficient mixing, beating, and kneading. Its ergonomic design ensures comfortable handling during use.



Image: Bosch MFQ40304 Styline Colour Hand Mixer in Red Diamond/Silber with FineCreamer beaters attached.

Components:

- Motor Unit:** The main body containing the 500W motor, speed controls, and accessory slots.
- FineCreamer Beaters:** Innovative beaters designed to incorporate more air for lighter, fluffier results in creams and meringues.
- Kneading Hooks:** Robust stainless steel hooks for processing heavy doughs like bread or pizza.
- Speed Selector:** Dial to choose between 5 different speed settings.
- Turbo Button:** Provides an instant burst of maximum power.
- Accessory Release Button:** For easy and safe removal of beaters and kneading hooks.

3. SETUP AND ASSEMBLY

Attaching Beaters or Kneading Hooks:

1. Ensure the hand mixer is unplugged from the power outlet.
2. Insert the desired beaters or kneading hooks into the openings on the underside of the motor unit.
3. Push them in firmly until you hear a click, indicating they are securely locked in place.
4. For kneading hooks, ensure they are inserted correctly into their respective slots (one hook typically has a collar, the other does not, or they may be marked).

4. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Powering On/Off:

Plug the appliance into a suitable power outlet. The mixer is turned on by selecting a speed setting and turned off by setting the speed selector to '0'.

Speed Control:

The hand mixer features 5 speed settings. Rotate the speed selector to choose the appropriate speed for your task:

- **Speed 1-2:** For gentle mixing, folding, or starting to combine ingredients.
- **Speed 3-4:** For general mixing, beating batters, or mashing.
- **Speed 5:** For whipping cream, egg whites, or heavy-duty mixing.

Using the Turbo Function:

Press and hold the 'Turbo' button for a short burst of maximum power, regardless of the selected speed setting. Release the button to return to the previously selected speed or to stop if the speed selector is at '0'.

Mixing and Kneading Tips:

- Always start at a low speed to prevent splashing, then gradually increase to the desired speed.
- Move the mixer slowly through the ingredients to ensure even mixing.
- For heavy doughs, use the kneading hooks and avoid overworking the dough.
- Do not operate the mixer continuously for more than 5 minutes. Allow it to cool down for a few minutes before resuming use.

5. MAINTENANCE AND CLEANING

Detaching Accessories:

1. Ensure the hand mixer is unplugged from the power outlet.
2. Hold the mixer firmly and press the accessory release button.
3. The beaters or kneading hooks will eject, allowing you to remove them safely.

Cleaning the Motor Unit:

Wipe the exterior of the motor unit with a soft, damp cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners, scouring pads, or harsh chemicals. Never immerse the motor unit in water or place it under running water.

Cleaning Accessories:

The FineCreamer beaters and kneading hooks are dishwasher-safe. Alternatively, they can be washed by hand in warm, soapy water and rinsed thoroughly before drying.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

- **Appliance does not turn on:**

Ensure the power cord is securely plugged into a working electrical outlet. Check if the speed selector is set to a position other than '0'.

- **Attachments are difficult to insert or remove:**

Ensure the accessory release button is fully pressed when attempting to remove attachments. Check for any food residue or obstructions in the attachment slots.

- **Unusual noise or vibration during operation:**

Stop the appliance immediately. Check that the attachments are correctly and securely inserted. If the issue persists, discontinue use and contact customer support.

7. TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Brand	Bosch
Model Number	MFQ40304
Power	500 Watts
Voltage	230 Volts
Speed Settings	5 + Turbo function
Material	Plastic (housing), Stainless Steel (attachments)
Weight	1.1 Kilograms
Dimensions (L x W x H)	7.49 x 19.99 x 14.19 cm
Noise Level	1 Decibel (Note: This value may refer to specific test conditions; actual operational noise may vary.)
Dishwasher Safe Parts	Beaters and Kneading Hooks

8. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Warranty Information:

This Bosch MFQ40304 Hand Mixer comes with a **2-year warranty** from the date of purchase, covering manufacturing defects. Please retain your proof of purchase for warranty claims.

Spare Parts:

Spare parts for this appliance are available for a period of **1 year**. For information on purchasing spare parts, please contact Bosch customer service.

Customer Support:

For technical assistance, service, or any questions regarding your Bosch hand mixer, please refer to the contact information provided in your product packaging or visit the official Bosch website for your region.