

Nuwave 15161

NuWave PIC GOLD 1500 Watts Induction Cooktop User Manual

Brand: Nuwave | Model: 15161

INTRODUCTION

The NuWave PIC GOLD 1500 Watts Induction Cooktop is designed for portable cooking with precise temperature control. This smart appliance offers a lightweight design and operates with energy efficiency. Its induction technology ensures the cooktop surface remains cool to the touch, enhancing safety during use.

SETUP

Before first use, carefully unpack all components and remove any packaging materials. Place the NuWave PIC GOLD Induction Cooktop on a stable, flat, and heat-resistant surface. Ensure there is adequate ventilation around the unit. Plug the power cord into a standard electrical outlet.



Image: The NuWave PIC GOLD Induction Cooktop, showcasing its compact design and the included ceramic fry pan placed on top.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

The NuWave PIC GOLD offers versatile cooking capabilities with precise control. Ensure you are using induction-ready cookware for optimal performance.

- **Temperature Control:** The PIC2 features 6 pre-programmed temperature settings and allows for precise adjustments across 52 different temperatures, ranging from 100°F to 575°F, in 10-degree increments.
- **Programmable Stage Cooking:** Utilize the programmable stage cooking functionality with up to 100 hours of program memory for complex recipes.
- **Cooking Versatility:** This cooktop is suitable for various cooking methods including boiling, simmering, deep-frying, stir-frying, sautéing, steaming, searing, slow cooking, barbecuing, melting, and grilling.
- **Safety Features:** Equipped with state-of-the-art safety features, including automatic shut-off when an induction-ready pan is removed from the base.
- **Included Fry Pan:** The PerfectGreen Fry Pan is induction-ready and features a Duralon ceramic coating, known for its natural, safe, long-lasting, and eco-friendly properties.

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Video: An official product video demonstrating various cooking functions and features of the NuWave PIC Gold Induction Cooktop, including boiling, frying, and grilling, highlighting its ease of use and precise temperature control.



Image: The NuWave PIC GOLD Induction Cooktop in use, with an omelet cooking in the ceramic fry pan, demonstrating its cooking capabilities.



Image: A close-up view of the NuWave PIC GOLD Induction Cooktop's control panel, showing the digital display and various function buttons for temperature and time settings.

MAINTENANCE AND CARE

To ensure the longevity and optimal performance of your NuWave PIC GOLD Induction Cooktop, regular cleaning and proper care are essential.

- **Cleaning the Cooktop Surface:** Allow the cooktop to cool completely before cleaning. Wipe the ceramic glass surface with a damp cloth and mild detergent. For stubborn stains, use a non-abrasive cleaner specifically designed for ceramic cooktops. Avoid harsh chemicals or abrasive pads that could scratch the surface.
- **Cleaning the Fry Pan:** The included ceramic fry pan is designed for easy cleanup. Wash with warm, soapy water and a soft sponge. Avoid using metal utensils or abrasive cleaners on the Duralon coating to prevent damage.
- **Base Unit:** Wipe the base unit with a dry or slightly damp cloth. Do not immerse the base unit in water or any other liquid.
- **Storage:** Store the cooktop in a dry place when not in use.



Image: The NuWave Healthy Ceramic 9" Fry Pan, highlighting its non-stick Duralon coating for easy cleaning and healthy cooking.

TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your NuWave PIC GOLD Induction Cooktop, refer to the following common problems and

solutions:

Problem	Possible Cause / Solution
Unit does not turn on or respond.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">◦ Ensure the power cord is securely plugged into a working electrical outlet.◦ Check if the circuit breaker has tripped.◦ Verify that an induction-ready pan is placed correctly on the cooktop surface. The unit will not activate without a compatible pan.
Cooktop makes a high-frequency sound.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">◦ This is often normal for induction cooktops and is caused by the vibration of the pan's magnetic properties. It may vary with different types of cookware.◦ Ensure the pan is flat and has a solid, magnetic base.
Food is not heating evenly.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">◦ Ensure the cookware being used is induction-compatible and has a flat, even base.◦ The size of the pan should be appropriate for the induction zone.◦ Adjust the temperature setting as needed.

SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand Name	Nuwave
Model Info	15161
Item Weight	8.86 pounds
Product Dimensions	14.37 x 15.94 x 6.3 inches
Installation Type	Freestanding
Part Number	15161
Special Features	Eco-friendly, Portable
Burner type	Induction
Heating Elements	1
Color	Gold
Voltage	240 Volts
Wattage	1500 watts
Fuel type	Electric
Material Type	Ceramic
Included Components	Cooktop unit, Healthy Ceramic 9" Fry Pan
Date First Available	December 12, 2012

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For information regarding product warranty, technical support, or service inquiries, please refer to the official Nuwave website or contact their customer service directly. You can also visit the [Nuwave Store on Amazon](#) for additional resources.