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Oster CKSTRS18-BSB-W

Oster 18-Quart Roaster Oven Instruction Manual

Model: CKSTRS18-BSB-W

INTRODUCTION

The Oster 18-Quart Roaster Oven is a versatile kitchen appliance designed to simplify your cooking experience. It excels at roasting, baking, and slow cooking, making it ideal for preparing a wide range of dishes, especially during holidays or when entertaining. Its unique self-basting lid ensures food remains moist and flavorful, while freeing up valuable oven space.

This roaster oven can accommodate a turkey up to 22 lbs, offering ample capacity for large family meals. The variable temperature control allows for precise cooking from 150°F to 450°F. The removable enamel-on-steel roasting pan and roasting rack are included for convenience and easy cleanup.

SETUP

Before first use, carefully unpack all components and remove any packaging materials. Ensure all parts are present: the roaster oven base, removable roasting pan, roasting rack, and self-basting lid.



Image: All components of the Oster 18-Quart Roaster Oven, including the base, removable pan, rack, and lid.
Wash the removable roasting pan and roasting rack thoroughly with warm, soapy water. Rinse and dry completely. Wipe the exterior of the roaster oven base with a damp cloth. Do not immerse the base in water or any other liquid. Place the roaster oven on a stable, heat-resistant surface, ensuring adequate ventilation around the unit. Plug the power cord into a standard electrical outlet.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

The Oster 18-Quart Roaster Oven offers precise temperature control for various cooking needs.

Temperature Control

The roaster features a variable temperature control knob, allowing you to set temperatures from 150°F to 450°F. It also includes a 'Keep Warm' setting for maintaining food temperature after cooking and a 'Defrost' setting for thawing frozen items.

Roasting and Baking

Place the roasting rack inside the removable roasting pan. Position your food (e.g., turkey, roast, casserole) on the rack. The rack elevates the food, allowing for even heat circulation and preventing it from sitting in drippings.



Image: A fully roasted turkey surrounded by vegetables inside the Oster Roaster Oven.

Cover the roaster with the self-basting lid. This innovative lid recirculates moisture during cooking, eliminating the need for manual basting and ensuring tender, flavorful results. The lid's design helps to trap steam, which condenses and drips back onto the food.



Image: The self-basting lid with arrows indicating moisture recirculation during cooking.

Set the desired temperature using the control knob. The indicator light will illuminate when the unit is heating and turn

off once the set temperature is reached. Refer to your recipe for specific cooking times and temperatures.

MAINTENANCE AND CLEANING

Proper maintenance ensures the longevity and optimal performance of your roaster oven.

Cleaning

Always unplug the roaster oven and allow it to cool completely before cleaning. The removable enamel-on-steel roasting pan and roasting rack are dishwasher safe or can be washed by hand with warm, soapy water. Avoid using abrasive cleaners or scouring pads, as they may damage the finish.



Image: The removable roasting rack placed inside the roasting pan.

Wipe the exterior of the roaster oven base with a damp cloth. Do not use harsh chemicals or immerse the base in water. Ensure all parts are completely dry before reassembling or storing the unit.

TROUBLESHOOTING

If your Oster Roaster Oven is not functioning as expected, please check the following common issues:

- **Unit does not turn on:** Ensure the power cord is securely plugged into a working electrical outlet. Check if the temperature control knob is set to an active temperature (not 'Off').
- **Food not cooking evenly:** Ensure the roasting rack is properly positioned and the lid is securely closed. Avoid frequently opening the lid, as this can cause heat loss.
- **Food is dry:** Verify the self-basting lid is properly seated. The self-basting feature relies on trapped moisture.
- **Excessive steam:** A small amount of steam is normal. Ensure the lid is properly aligned.

For persistent issues, please refer to the full user manual or contact customer support.

SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand	Oster
Model Name	CKSTRS18-BSB-W
Color	Black
Product Dimensions	17.5"D x 24.4"W x 9.7"H
Control Type	Knob
Included Components	User Manual, Crumb Tray, Wire Rack
Power Source	AC adapter
Temperature Range	150 - 450 Degrees Fahrenheit
Capacity	18-Qt (accommodates up to 22 lbs turkey)

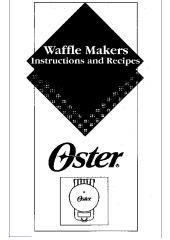
WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

This Oster Roaster Oven comes with a manufacturer's warranty. Please refer to the included user manual for detailed warranty information, terms, and conditions. For any product support, service, or warranty claims, please contact Oster customer service.

A digital version of the user manual is available for download: [Oster Roaster Oven User Manual \(PDF\)](#)

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	<p>Oster 20-Quart Roaster Oven User Guide and Recipes</p> <p>User guide and recipe collection for the Oster 20-Quart Roaster Oven with Keep Warm Setting. Features safety instructions, operating procedures, cleaning tips, cooking charts, and detailed recipes for various dishes.</p>
	<p>Oster TSSTTV7118 & TSSTTV7118R 18-Liter 4-Slice Toaster Oven Instruction Manual</p> <p>Comprehensive instruction manual for the Oster TSSTTV7118 and TSSTTV7118R 18-liter, 4-slice toaster oven. Learn about safety precautions, appliance description, functions (Toast, Turbo Convection Bake, Bake, Warm, Broil), rack and pan positioning, cleaning, maintenance, and troubleshooting.</p>

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