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FoodSaver FSFSSL4840000

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Model: FSFSSL4840000

INTRODUCTION

The FoodSaver® 4800 Series 2-in-1 Automatic Vacuum Sealing System with Starter Kit offers versatile vacuum sealing capabilities. This system combines both a handheld and a standard vacuum sealer, providing an efficient way to preserve food. With automatic bag detection and vacuum sealing, the process is quick and straightforward. The convenient handheld retractable sealer allows for sealing zipper bags, containers, and canisters without the need for additional attachments, making it a comprehensive solution for food preservation.

Key features include:

- Keeps food fresh in the freezer up to 5x longer and in the fridge or pantry up to 2x longer, compared to ordinary storage methods.
- Automatic bag detection and vacuum sealing for quick and easy operation.
- Handheld sealer for FoodSaver zipper bags, canisters, and containers, also suitable for marinating food in minutes.
- Pull-out drip tray drawer with patented removable dishwasher-safe drip tray for easy cleaning.

SETUP

Before first use, ensure all packaging materials are removed. Place the FoodSaver unit on a flat, stable surface. Connect the power cord to a grounded electrical outlet.

Installing the Bag Roll

1. Open the lid of the FoodSaver unit.
2. Place the FoodSaver bag roll into the designated storage area inside the unit.
3. Pull out enough bag material to extend past the cutting bar.
4. Close the lid securely.



Figure 1: FoodSaver 4800 Series 2-in-1 Automatic Vacuum Sealing System.



Figure 2: Contents of the FoodSaver Starter Kit.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Standard Vacuum Sealing

1. Place the food item inside a FoodSaver vacuum seal bag, ensuring at least 3 inches of space between the food and the top of the bag.
2. Open the lid and insert the open end of the bag into the vacuum channel. The automatic bag detection will sense the bag.
3. Close the lid firmly until it clicks into place. The unit will automatically begin the vacuum sealing process.
4. Once the vacuum and seal cycle is complete, the indicator lights will turn off. Open the lid and remove the sealed bag.



11" height x 20" length x 12" width

Figure 3: How to use the FoodSaver for standard vacuum sealing.

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VACUUM SEALING SYSTEM

Removes Air That Causes:



Figure 4: Vacuum sealing a steak.

Using the Retractable Handheld Sealer

The handheld sealer is ideal for FoodSaver zipper bags, containers, and canisters.

1. Remove the handheld sealer from its storage dock.
2. Press the handheld sealer firmly onto the vacuum port of the FoodSaver zipper bag, container, or canister.
3. Press the 'Accessory' or 'Seal' button (refer to your unit's specific controls) to begin vacuuming.
4. The unit will automatically stop when the vacuum is complete. Remove the handheld sealer.



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Fill bag and place open end into appliance



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FoodSaver® vacuum sealing system automatically begins the vacuum sealing process



Retractable Handheld Accessory Included

Use with vacuum zipper bags and containers*

*Sold separately

Figure 5: Labeled features of the FoodSaver 4800 Series.

Everything you need to get started



- (1) 11" x 10' inches vacuum seal roll
- (3) 1-quart vacuum seal bags
- (2) 1-gallon vacuum seal bags
- (3) 1-quart vacuum zipper bags
- (2) 1-gallon zipper bags

Figure 6: Using the handheld sealer for zipper bags.

Dry/Moist Food Settings

The FoodSaver 4800 Series features Dry and Moist food settings. Select the appropriate setting based on the food type to ensure optimal vacuum and seal results. The 'Moist' setting provides a stronger seal for foods with liquid content.

MAINTENANCE AND CARE

Regular cleaning and maintenance will ensure the longevity and optimal performance of your FoodSaver unit.

Cleaning the Drip Tray

The pull-out drip tray is designed to catch any excess liquids during the vacuum sealing process. It is patented and removable for easy cleaning.

- Ensure the unit is unplugged before cleaning.
- Pull out the drip tray drawer from the front of the unit.
- Remove the drip tray and wash it with warm, soapy water. It is also dishwasher-safe.
- Wipe down the exterior of the unit with a damp cloth. Do not immerse the unit in water.
- Allow all parts to dry completely before reassembling and storing the unit.

TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter any issues with your FoodSaver 4800 Series, please refer to the following common troubleshooting tips:

- **Unit not turning on:** Ensure the power cord is securely plugged into a working electrical outlet.
- **Unit not vacuuming:** Check that the bag is properly placed in the vacuum channel and the lid is firmly closed. Ensure there are no wrinkles in the bag material.
- **Incomplete seal:** Verify that the sealing strip is clean and free of debris. Ensure the bag material is flat across the sealing strip.
- **Handheld sealer not working:** Make sure the handheld sealer is firmly pressed onto the accessory port or bag valve.

For more detailed troubleshooting or persistent issues, please consult the official User Guide or contact customer support.

SPECIFICATIONS

Attribute	Detail
Brand	FoodSaver
Model Number	FSFSSL4840000
Material	Plastic
Color	Silver
Product Dimensions	20"L x 12"W x 11"H
Item Weight	10 Pounds
Power Source	Handheld
Operation Mode	Automatic
Wattage	127 watts

UPC	053891106498, 033413004280, 735343319365, 053891105606
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WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

The FoodSaver® 4800 Series 2-in-1 Automatic Vacuum Sealing System comes with a **5-year limited warranty**.

Please retain your proof of purchase for warranty claims.

For detailed information, troubleshooting, or to contact customer support, please refer to the official User Guide:

[Download User Guide \(PDF\)](#)

You can also visit the official FoodSaver website or contact their customer service for further assistance.