Weber 51060001

Weber Q1200 Liquid Propane Portable Gas Grill Instruction Manual

Model: 51060001

1. Important Safety Information

Please read and understand all safety warnings and instructions before operating your Weber Q1200 grill. Failure to follow these instructions could result in fire, explosion, or burn hazard, which could cause property damage, personal injury, or death.

Proposition 65 Warning

- Handling the brass material on this product exposes you to lead, a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or other reproductive harm. (Wash hands after handling this product.)
- Combustion byproducts produced when using this product contain chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or other reproductive harm.

FOR OUTDOOR USE ONLY.

2. Product Overview

The Weber Q1200 is a versatile and portable liquid propane gas grill designed for convenient outdoor cooking. Its compact size and durable construction make it ideal for tailgating, camping, picnics, or backyard grilling. Key features include porcelain-enameled cast-iron cooking grates, an 8,500 BTU stainless steel burner, electronic ignition, and folding side tables.



Figure 2.1: The Weber Q1200 Liquid Propane Portable Gas Grill in Titanium color.



Figure 2.2: The Weber Q1200 with its lid open, revealing the cooking grates and internal components.

3. Setup

3.1 Unpacking and Assembly

The Weber Q1200 grill comes largely pre-assembled. No complex assembly is required. Remove all packaging materials and ensure all components are present.

3.2 Attaching the LP Gas Cylinder

The grill is designed to operate with disposable 16.4 oz. LP cylinders (sold separately). An optional LP adapter hose for 20-lb. tanks is available as an accessory for at-home use.

1. Ensure the control knob is in the 'OFF' position.
2. Screw the LP cylinder clockwise into the regulator until hand-tight. Do not overtighten.
3. Check for gas leaks using a soapy water solution on connections. Bubbles indicate a leak.



Figure 3.1: The Weber Q1200 with its convenient folding side tables extended, providing extra workspace.

3.3 Extending Side Tables

The grill features two folding side tables that provide additional workspace. Simply pull them outwards until they lock into place. Fold them back in for compact storage or transport.

Video 3.1: An official Weber video demonstrating the features of the Q1200 grill, including LP cylinder connection, side tables, and electronic ignition.

4. Operating Instructions

4.1 Lighting the Grill

1. Open the grill lid before lighting.
2. Ensure the LP gas cylinder is properly connected and the gas supply is open.
3. Push and turn the control knob to the START/HIGH position.
4. Press the electronic ignition button repeatedly until the burner ignites. You should hear a clicking sound and see flames.
5. If the burner does not light within 5 seconds, turn the control knob to OFF, wait 5 minutes, and repeat the lighting procedure.



Figure 4.1: The electronic push-button ignition system for effortless grill startup.

4.2 Temperature Control

The Weber Q1200 features an infinite control burner valve, allowing you to precisely adjust the heat output. The integrated lid thermometer provides a convenient way to monitor the internal temperature of the grill.



Figure 4.2: The lid-mounted thermometer displays the internal grill temperature.

4.3 Cooking Grates

The porcelain-enameled, cast-iron cooking grates offer superior heat retention and even heat distribution, essential for consistent grilling results. These grates can be replaced with a compatible griddle (sold separately) for diverse cooking options.



Figure 4.3: Detailed view of the durable porcelain-enameled, cast-iron cooking grates.



Figure 4.4: Example of food being grilled on the Weber Q1200, showcasing its cooking capacity.

5. Maintenance

5.1 Cleaning the Cooking Grates

After each use, while the grates are still warm, brush off any food residue with a grill brush. For deeper cleaning, remove the grates and wash them with warm, soapy water. Rinse thoroughly and dry.

5.2 Emptying the Grease Catch Pan

The Weber Q1200 includes an easy pull-out grease catch pan located beneath the cookbox. Regularly check and empty the pan to prevent grease fires and maintain cleanliness.



Figure 5.1: The easily accessible and removable grease catch pan for convenient cleaning.

5.3 General Cleaning

Wipe down the exterior surfaces of the grill with a damp cloth and mild detergent. Avoid abrasive cleaners that could damage the finish. Ensure all parts are dry before storing.

6. Troubleshooting

6.1 Ignition Issues

- **No Spark:** Check if the AA battery in the electronic ignition is correctly installed and has sufficient charge.
- **Burner Not Lighting:** Ensure the gas cylinder is properly connected and the control knob is turned to the START/HIGH position. Check for gas flow.

6.2 Uneven Heating

- **Check Burner Tubes:** Ensure burner ports are clear of debris. Clean if necessary.
- **Gas Flow:** Verify adequate gas flow from the LP cylinder.

7. Specifications

Feature	Specification
Brand	Weber
Model Name	Weber Q1200

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Item Model Number	51060001
Product Dimensions	20.5"D x 40.9"W x 24.6"H
Item Weight	1.02 Pounds (shipping weight)
Fuel Type	Liquid Propane (Gas)
Heating Power	8,500 British Thermal Units
Main Burner Count	1
Cooking Surface Area	189 Square Inches
Special Features	Compact, Electronic Ignition, Folding Side Table, Lid Thermometer, Porcelain-Enameled Cast-Iron Cooking Grates, Removable Catch Pan
Material	Aluminum (body), Stainless Steel (handle, burner)
Assembly Required	No



Figure 7.1: Dimensions of the Weber Q1200 grill.

8. Warranty and Support

For detailed warranty information, product registration, replacement parts, or technical support, please visit the official Weber website or contact their customer service department.

- **Official Website:** www.weber.com
- **Customer Service:** Refer to your product packaging or the official website for the most current contact

information.