

KitchenAid KSM1FPA

KitchenAid KSM1FPA Food Processor Attachment User Manual

Model: KSM1FPA

1. INTRODUCTION

The KitchenAid KSM1FPA Food Processor Attachment is designed to expand the capabilities of your KitchenAid Stand Mixer. This attachment allows for efficient slicing, shredding, and julienning of various ingredients, from fruits and vegetables to hard cheeses. It connects directly to the power hub of your stand mixer, utilizing the mixer's motor for operation. The ExactSlice™ System provides adjustable slicing thickness, offering versatility for different culinary needs.

2. IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

When using electrical appliances, basic safety precautions should always be followed, including the following:

- Read all instructions before use.
- To protect against risk of electrical shock, do not immerse the motor base in water or other liquid.
- Close supervision is necessary when any appliance is used by or near children.
- Unplug from outlet when not in use, before putting on or taking off parts, and before cleaning.
- Avoid contacting moving parts.
- Do not use attachments not recommended or sold by the manufacturer.
- Do not attempt to defeat the lid interlock mechanism.
- Blades are sharp. Handle with care.

3. PACKAGE CONTENTS

Your KitchenAid KSM1FPA Food Processor Attachment package includes the following components:

- Food Processor Attachment Housing
- Slicing Disc (1)
- Shredding Disc (1)
- Julienne Disc (1)

- Full-Sized Feed Tube
- Food Pusher (for feed tube)
- Storage Case for discs

4. SETUP AND ASSEMBLY

Before first use, ensure all parts are clean. Refer to the 'Cleaning and Maintenance' section for details.

1. **Attaching to Stand Mixer:** Ensure your KitchenAid Stand Mixer is unplugged. Locate the power hub on the front of your stand mixer. Unscrew the attachment hub knob. Insert the attachment shaft into the power hub, ensuring the shaft is fully engaged. Tighten the attachment hub knob until the attachment is securely fastened.
2. **Assembling the Attachment:** Place the food processor bowl onto the attachment housing. Insert the desired disc (slicing, shredding, or julienne) onto the drive shaft within the bowl. Secure the lid onto the bowl, ensuring it locks into place. Insert the food pusher into the feed tube.



Figure 1: KitchenAid Food Processor Attachment mounted on a stand mixer, actively processing carrots into a bowl.



Figure 2: Detailed view of the KSM1FPA attachment, highlighting the feed tube and the adjustable slicing lever.

5. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

The KitchenAid KSM1FPA offers versatile processing options:

1. **Slicing:** Use the slicing disc. Adjust the slicing thickness using the external ExactSlice™ lever. Place ingredients into the wide feed tube. Use the food pusher to guide ingredients through the disc.
2. **Shredding:** Use the shredding disc. Place ingredients into the wide feed tube. Use the food pusher to

guide ingredients through the disc.

3. **Julienning:** Use the julienne disc. Place ingredients into the wide feed tube. Use the food pusher to guide ingredients through the disc.
4. **Power Settings:** Your stand mixer controls the speed. Start with a lower speed for softer ingredients and gradually increase for harder items. For quick bursts, use the pulse function on your stand mixer.



Figure 3: The KSM1FPA attachment shown with its included slicing, shredding, and julienne discs, ready for various food preparation tasks.

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Video 1: Official product video demonstrating the KitchenAid KSM1FPA Food Processor Attachment in action, showcasing its capabilities.

6. CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE

Proper cleaning ensures the longevity and hygiene of your attachment.

- **Disassembly:** Unplug the stand mixer. Remove the attachment from the power hub. Disassemble the food processor attachment by removing the lid, food pusher, and processing disc.
- **Washing:** The bowl, lid, food pusher, and discs are top-rack dishwasher safe. Alternatively, wash them by hand with warm, soapy water. Rinse thoroughly and dry completely before storing.

- **Housing:** Wipe the attachment housing with a damp cloth. Do not immerse the housing in water.
- **Storage:** Store the discs and food pusher in the provided storage case to protect them and keep them organized.

7. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your KitchenAid Food Processor Attachment, refer to the following common solutions:

- **Attachment not operating:** Ensure the attachment is securely fastened to the power hub and the lid is properly locked onto the bowl. Verify the stand mixer is plugged in and powered on.
- **Ingredients not processing evenly:** Ensure ingredients are cut to an appropriate size to fit the feed tube. Do not overload the feed tube. Use consistent pressure with the food pusher.
- **Excessive vibration or noise:** Check that the attachment is correctly installed and tightened on the stand mixer's power hub. Ensure the processing disc is properly seated.

For further assistance, please contact KitchenAid Customer Service.

8. SPECIFICATIONS

| Feature | Detail |
|---------------------------|---|
| Brand | KitchenAid |
| Model Name | KSM1FPA |
| Product Dimensions | 6.9"D x 10.2"W x 9.7"H |
| Item Weight | 4.91 pounds |
| Color | White |
| Material | Metal, Plastic |
| Special Feature | Removable Parts |
| Recommended Uses | Grind, Shredder, Slice |
| Number of Speeds | 1 (controlled by stand mixer) |
| Product Care Instructions | Dishwasher Safe (top rack), Hand Wash |
| Included Components | Full-Sized Feed Tube, Slicing Disc, Shredding Disc, Julienne Disc |
| Date First Available | June 30, 2014 |

9. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information and customer support, please refer to the documentation included with your KitchenAid Stand Mixer or visit the official KitchenAid website. Keep your purchase receipt for warranty claims.

