

## Zojirushi NP-HCC10XH

# Zojirushi NP-HCC10XH Induction Heating System Rice Cooker and Warmer Instruction Manual

## 1. INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing the Zojirushi NP-HCC10XH Induction Heating System Rice Cooker and Warmer. This appliance is designed to prepare perfectly cooked rice using advanced Induction Heating (IH) technology. It offers multiple cooking functions and a durable stainless dark gray exterior. Please read this manual thoroughly before use to ensure safe and optimal operation.

## 2. IMPORTANT SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

- Always ensure the appliance is plugged into a 120-volt electrical outlet.
- Do not immerse the main unit in water or other liquids.
- Keep out of reach of children.
- Avoid touching the steam vent during operation to prevent burns.
- Unplug the appliance when not in use and before cleaning.
- Use only the provided measuring cup for accurate rice and water measurements.
- A slight spark may occur when plugging or unplugging the power cord; this is normal and does not indicate a malfunction.

## 3. PARTS IDENTIFICATION

Familiarize yourself with the components of your Zojirushi rice cooker:

- **Main Unit:** Houses the heating elements and control panel.
- **Inner Cooking Pan:** Black, thick spherical non-stick pan for cooking rice.
- **Inner Lid:** Detachable stainless steel lid for easy cleaning.
- **Control Panel:** Easy-to-read orange LCD with various menu options and timer settings.
- **Measuring Cup:** Specifically designed for accurate rice measurement.

- **Spatula and Spatula Holder:** For serving rice and convenient storage.



Figure 1: Zojirushi NP-HCC10XH Rice Cooker Main Unit.



Figure 2: Rice Cooker with included accessories: measuring cup and spatula.



Figure 3: Close-up view of the control panel with LCD display and menu buttons.

## 4. SETUP

1. **Unpack:** Carefully remove all packaging materials and accessories.

2. **Clean:** Wash the inner cooking pan, inner lid, measuring cup, and spatula with warm, soapy water. Rinse thoroughly and dry. Wipe the exterior of the main unit with a damp cloth.
3. **Placement:** Place the rice cooker on a stable, flat surface away from direct sunlight and heat sources. Ensure adequate ventilation around the unit.
4. **Assemble:** Insert the clean inner cooking pan into the main unit. Attach the inner lid securely.
5. **Power:** Plug the power cord into a 120-volt electrical outlet. The LCD display will illuminate.

## 5. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

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### 5.1. Measuring Rice and Water

Always use the measuring cup provided with your Zojirushi rice cooker. One cup of uncooked rice from this measuring cup yields approximately 2-3 cups of cooked rice.

1. Measure the desired amount of rice using the provided measuring cup.
2. Rinse the rice thoroughly until the water runs clear.
3. Place the rinsed rice into the inner cooking pan.
4. Add water up to the corresponding water level mark inside the inner cooking pan for the type and quantity of rice being cooked. For example, if cooking 3 cups of white rice, fill water to the 'WHITE 3' line.

### 5.2. Selecting a Menu Setting

The Zojirushi NP-HCC10XH offers various menu settings for different types of rice and desired textures:

- **White Rice:** Regular, Softer, Harder
- **Jasmine Rice**
- **Mixed Rice**
- **Sushi Rice**
- **Porridge**
- **Sweet Rice**
- **Brown Rice**
- **GABA Brown Rice**
- **Quick Cooking**

Use the 'MENU' button to cycle through the options until your desired setting is highlighted on the LCD. Press the 'START' button to begin cooking.

### 5.3. Keep Warm Functions

Once cooking is complete, the rice cooker automatically switches to the 'KEEP WARM' function to maintain optimal serving temperature. For longer periods, select 'EXTENDED KEEP WARM' to keep rice warm for up to 12 hours without drying out.

### 5.4. Timer and Delay Start

The timer function allows you to set a specific time for your rice to be ready. Use the 'TIMER' button and arrow keys to adjust the desired completion time. The rice cooker will automatically calculate when to start cooking to ensure fresh rice at your set time.

Video 1: Overview of the Zojirushi NP-HCC10XH Induction Heating System Rice Cooker and Warmer, demonstrating its features and cooking capabilities.

## 6. MAINTENANCE AND CLEANING

Regular cleaning ensures the longevity and performance of your rice cooker.

- **Inner Cooking Pan:** The non-stick coating allows for easy cleaning. Hand wash with a soft sponge and mild detergent. Do not use abrasive cleaners or metal scrubbers.
- **Inner Lid:** The stainless steel inner lid is detachable for thorough cleaning. Wash with warm, soapy water and rinse well.
- **Main Unit Exterior:** Wipe with a damp cloth. Do not use harsh chemicals.
- **Steam Vent:** Clean regularly to prevent blockages.

## 7. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter any issues, please refer to the following common solutions:

- **Rice is too hard/soft:** Adjust the water level slightly for future cooking cycles. Different rice varieties may require minor adjustments.
- **Sparks when plugging/unplugging:** This is a normal occurrence for rice cookers and does not indicate a malfunction.
- **Rice dries out during Keep Warm:** Ensure the lid is properly sealed. Use the 'EXTENDED KEEP WARM' function for longer periods.

For further assistance, please contact Zojirushi customer support.

## 8. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand	Zojirushi
Model Name	NP-HCC10XH
Capacity	1.0 L / 5.5 cups (uncooked rice)
Product Dimensions	14"D x 10"W x 8"H
Power Source	Corded Electric
Electrical Rating	120 Volts, 1230 Watts
Product Care Instructions	Hand Wash
Color	Stainless Dark Gray
Special Feature	Non-Stick
Material	Stainless Steel inner lid, BPA-Free Non Stick thick metal Pan, Plastic Body
Item Weight	9 Pounds
Included Components	Rice cooker, rice measuring cup, spatula, and spatula holder

## 9. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

The Zojirushi NP-HCC10XH Induction Heating System Rice Cooker and Warmer comes with a **1-year limited warranty** on parts and labor.

For warranty claims, technical support, or replacement parts, please contact Zojirushi customer service through their official website or the contact information provided in your product packaging. Please have your model number (NP-HCC10XH) and proof of purchase ready.