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## FoodSaver FFS013

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Model: FFS013

## INTRODUCTION

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Thank you for choosing the FoodSaver FFS013X-01 Vacuum Sealer. This appliance is designed to preserve the freshness of your food up to five times longer than traditional storage methods. By removing air and sealing in freshness, you can reduce food waste and save money. Please read this manual thoroughly before operating your new FoodSaver appliance to ensure safe and efficient use.

## IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

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When using electrical appliances, basic safety precautions should always be followed to reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, and/or injury to persons, including the following:

- Read all instructions before using this product.
- Do not operate the appliance with a damaged cord or plug.
- Do not immerse the appliance in water or other liquids.
- Close supervision is necessary when any appliance is used by or near children.
- Unplug from outlet when not in use and before cleaning.
- Do not use the appliance for purposes other than its intended use.
- Avoid contact with moving parts.
- Use only FoodSaver brand bags, rolls, and accessories.

## PRODUCT OVERVIEW

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The FoodSaver FFS013X-01 is a compact and modern vacuum sealing appliance designed for ease of use. Familiarize yourself with its components before operation.



Image: The FoodSaver FFS013X-01 Vacuum Sealer in its closed position, showcasing its copper finish and control panel on a kitchen counter.

### Key Components:

- **Control Panel:** Features buttons for vacuum & seal, seal only, and accessory port.
- **Sealing Strip:** Heats to create an airtight seal on bags.
- **Vacuum Channel:** Area where air is removed from the bag.
- **Drip Tray:** Removable and dishwasher-safe tray to collect excess liquids.
- **Accessory Port:** For use with FoodSaver canisters and other accessories.



Image: The FoodSaver FFS013X-01 Vacuum Sealer with its lid open, revealing the sealing bar, vacuum channel, and the removable drip tray.

## SETUP

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1. **Unpack the Appliance:** Carefully remove the FoodSaver FFS013X-01 from its packaging. Remove any protective materials.
2. **Placement:** Place the appliance on a flat, stable, and dry surface. Ensure there is enough space around the unit for safe operation.
3. **Initial Cleaning:** Wipe down the exterior of the unit with a damp cloth. The drip tray can be removed and washed with warm, soapy water or placed in the dishwasher. Ensure all parts are dry before use.
4. **Power Connection:** Plug the power cord into a grounded electrical outlet. The appliance is now ready for use.

## OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

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### Vacuum Sealing Bags

This appliance features hands-free operation with automatic vacuum and seal control, and two sealing levels for dry or moist food.

1. **Prepare the Bag:** Place the food item into a FoodSaver vacuum seal bag. Ensure there is at least 7-10 cm (3-4 inches) of space between the food and the top of the bag. For moist foods, ensure the drip tray is clean and

properly inserted.

2. **Position the Bag:** Open the lid of the appliance. Place the open end of the bag into the vacuum channel. Ensure the bag lies flat and smooth across the sealing strip.



Image: Hands carefully positioning a bag containing asparagus into the vacuum channel of the open FoodSaver FFS013X-01.

3. **Close and Lock:** Close the lid firmly until you hear a click, indicating it is locked.
4. **Select Sealing Level (if applicable):** If your model has a dry/moist food setting, select the appropriate option. For delicate items, you can use the instant seal function to stop vacuuming and start sealing manually.
5. **Start Vacuum and Seal:** Press the 'Vacuum & Seal' button. The appliance will automatically remove air from the bag and then create an airtight seal. Indicators on the control panel will show the progress.



Image: The FoodSaver FFS013X-01 actively vacuum-sealing a bag of asparagus, demonstrating the hands-free operation.

- 6. Release and Remove:** Once the process is complete, the vacuum and seal cycle will stop automatically. Open the lid and remove your perfectly sealed bag.



Image: A FoodSaver bag containing asparagus, now fully vacuum-sealed and ready for extended freshness.

## Using the Accessory Port

The accessory port allows you to vacuum seal FoodSaver canisters, zipper bags, and other accessories.

1. **Prepare Accessory:** Place food into the FoodSaver canister or accessory. Ensure the lid is properly secured.
2. **Connect Hose:** Insert one end of the accessory hose (sold separately) into the accessory port on the appliance and the other end into the port on the canister/accessory.
3. **Start Vacuum:** Press the 'Accessory' button (or 'Vacuum' if labeled differently). The appliance will remove air from the accessory.
4. **Disconnect:** Once vacuuming is complete, the appliance will stop automatically. Remove the hose from both the appliance and the accessory.

## MAINTENANCE AND CLEANING

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Regular cleaning and maintenance will ensure the longevity and optimal performance of your FoodSaver FFS013X-01.

- **Drip Tray:** The removable drip tray is dishwasher-safe. For manual cleaning, wash with warm, soapy water, rinse thoroughly, and dry completely before reinserting.
- **Exterior Cleaning:** Wipe the exterior of the appliance with a damp cloth and mild soap. Do not use abrasive cleaners or immerse the unit in water.
- **Sealing Strip:** Periodically check the sealing strip for any residue. Clean gently with a damp cloth if necessary. Ensure it is dry before use.
- **Storage:** Store the appliance in a clean, dry place with the lid unlocked to prevent compression of the sealing gaskets.

## TROUBLESHOOTING

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If you encounter issues with your FoodSaver FFS013X-01, refer to the following common problems and solutions:

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Appliance does not turn on.	Not plugged in; power outlet issue.	Ensure the power cord is securely plugged into a working electrical outlet.
Bag does not vacuum properly.	Bag not positioned correctly; bag has a hole; moist food in vacuum channel.	Reposition the bag; check for punctures; clean the drip tray and ensure no moisture is in the vacuum channel.
Bag does not seal.	Sealing strip is dirty or wet; bag is wrinkled.	Clean and dry the sealing strip; ensure the bag is flat and smooth across the sealing strip.
Vacuum pump runs continuously.	Lid not properly closed/locked.	Press down firmly on the lid until it clicks into place.

If the problem persists after attempting these solutions, please contact FoodSaver customer support.

## SPECIFICATIONS

The FoodSaver FFS013X-01 is engineered for efficient food preservation.

- **Model Number:** FFS013
- **Brand:** FoodSaver
- **Power:** 140 Watts
- **Pressure:** -0.6 bar
- **Pump Airflow:** 4.05 L/min
- **Material:** Metal
- **Color:** Copper
- **Dimensions (L x W x H):** 40.8 x 14.7 x 8.7 cm
- **Weight:** 1.7 Kilograms
- **Operating Mode:** Automatic
- **Power Source:** Electric Cable

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Image: A chart demonstrating the extended freshness of various foods (meat, fish, vegetables, cheese, berries, cereals, cookies) when preserved with FoodSaver compared to traditional methods, showing preservation times in days, months, and years.

## WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

FoodSaver products are manufactured to the highest quality standards. For information regarding warranty coverage, please refer to the warranty card included with your purchase or visit the official FoodSaver website. If you require assistance, have questions, or need to order replacement parts, please contact FoodSaver customer support. Keep your purchase receipt as proof of purchase for warranty claims.