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IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

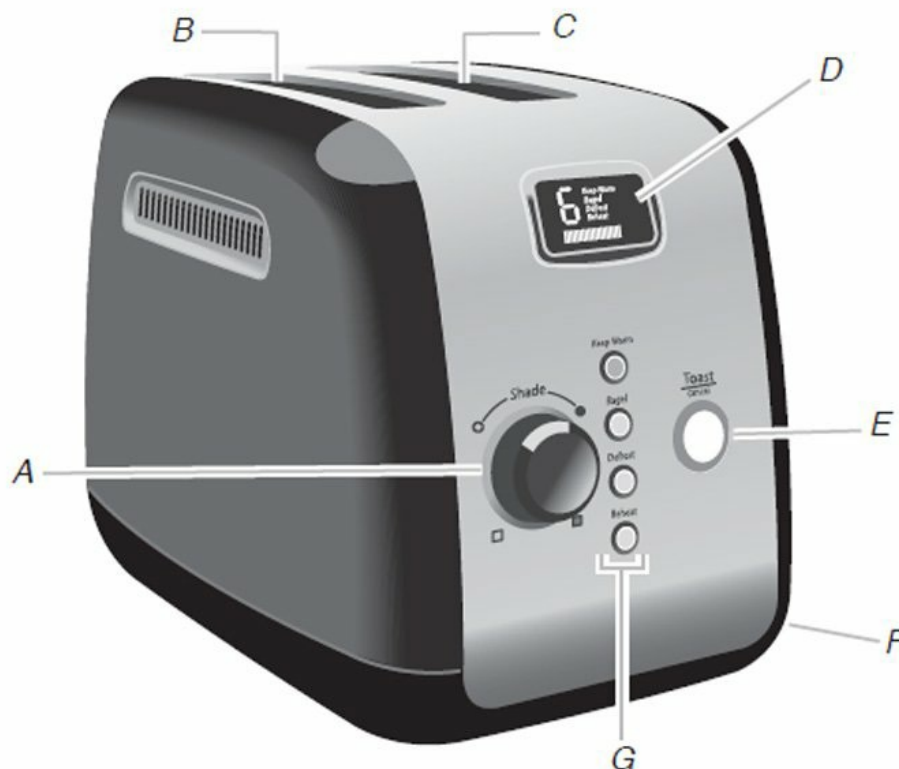
When using electrical appliances, basic safety precautions should always be followed, including the following:

- Read all instructions before operating the toaster.
- Do not touch hot surfaces. Use handles or knobs.
- To protect against electrical shock, do not immerse cord, plugs, or toaster 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 and before cleaning. Allow to cool before putting on or taking off parts.
- Do not operate any appliance with a damaged cord or plug, or after the appliance malfunctions or has been damaged in any manner. Return appliance to the nearest authorized service facility for examination, repair, or adjustment.
- The use of accessory attachments not recommended by the appliance manufacturer may cause injuries.
- Do not use outdoors.
- Do not let cord hang over edge of table or counter, or touch hot surfaces.
- Do not place on or near a hot gas or electric burner, or in a heated oven.
- Always attach plug to appliance first, then plug cord into the wall outlet. To disconnect, turn any control to 'off', then remove plug from wall outlet.
- Do not use appliance for other than intended use.
- Oversize foods, metal foil packages, or utensils must not be inserted in a toaster as they may involve a risk of fire or electric shock.
- A fire may occur if toasters are covered or touching flammable material, including curtains, draperies, walls, and the like, when in operation.
- Do not attempt to dislodge food when toaster is plugged in.
- Do not operate unattended.

PARTS AND FEATURES

Familiarize yourself with the components of your KitchenAid 2-Slot Automatic Toaster for optimal use.

Parts and features



A. Dial shade control (7 settings)
B. Self-centering cage and steel interior
C. Extra-wide slots (1.5" [3.8 cm])

D. Digital display
E. Toast/cancel button
F. Under base cord wrap

G. Special toasting functions
Feature not shown:
Removable crumb tray

Image: Labeled diagram of the KitchenAid 2-Slot Automatic Toaster, highlighting its various parts.

- A. Dial Shade Control (7 settings):** Adjusts the browning level of your toast.
- B. Self-Centering Cage and Steel Interior:** Ensures even toasting for various bread thicknesses.
- C. Extra-Wide Slots (1.5" / 3.8 cm):** Accommodates thick crumpets, breads, or pastries.

D. Digital Display: Shows selected shade setting and a countdown timer for toasting progress.

E. Toast/Cancel Button: Initiates or stops the toasting cycle at any point.

F. Under Base Cord Wrap: Provides convenient cord storage.

G. Special Toasting Functions: Includes Keep Warm, Bagel, Defrost, and Reheat buttons.

Feature not shown: Removable Crumb Tray for easy cleaning.



Image: An overview of the KitchenAid 2-Slot Automatic Toaster, detailing its key features such as extra-wide slots, shade control dial, Keep Warm feature, and Toast/Cancel button.

SETUP

Unpacking and Placement

- Carefully remove the toaster and all packaging materials.
- Place the toaster on a dry, flat, stable surface, away from the edge of the counter.

- Ensure there is adequate clearance around the toaster for proper ventilation, especially from flammable materials like curtains.
- Unwind the power cord and plug it into a grounded 240-volt electrical outlet.

First Use

Before toasting food for the first time, operate the toaster without bread for one cycle at the highest shade setting. This will burn off any manufacturing residues and eliminate any odors. A slight odor or smoke is normal during this initial use.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Toasting Bread



Image: The KitchenAid 2-Slot Automatic Toaster actively toasting two slices of bread, demonstrating its function.

1. Insert up to two slices of bread or other items into the toasting slots. The self-centering racks will automatically adjust to hold the bread.

2. Select your desired browning level using the **Shade Control Dial**. Settings range from 1 (lightest) to 7 (darkest). The digital display will show the selected shade.
3. Press the **Toast/Cancel button**. The motorized lift will automatically lower the bread into the toasting slots, and the toasting cycle will begin. The digital display will show a countdown timer.
4. Once the toasting cycle is complete, the bread will automatically be raised.
5. To stop the toasting cycle at any time, press the **Toast/Cancel button** again. The bread will automatically raise.

Special Functions

Your toaster includes several specialized functions for different toasting needs:

- **KEEP WARM:** Press this button after a toasting cycle to keep toasted foods warm for up to one minute without additional browning. The motorized lift will lower the toast and keep it warm.
- **BAGEL:** This function toasts the cut-side of a bagel while gently warming the outer surfaces. Insert bagels with the cut side facing inwards. Select your shade and press the Bagel button, then the Toast/Cancel button.
- **DEFROST:** Defrosts and toasts frozen food. Insert frozen bread, select your shade, and press the Defrost button, then the Toast/Cancel button. The toaster will automatically adjust the toasting time.
- **REHEAT:** Quickly reheats previously toasted food without further browning. Insert the toasted item, and press the Reheat button, then the Toast/Cancel button.

CARE AND CLEANING

Regular cleaning ensures the longevity and optimal performance of your toaster.

Cleaning the Crumb Tray

1. Ensure the toaster is unplugged and completely cool.
2. Locate the removable crumb tray at the bottom of the toaster.
3. Pull out the crumb tray to remove accumulated crumbs.
4. Empty the crumbs into a waste bin. The crumb tray can be washed in the top rack of a dishwasher or by hand with warm, soapy water. Rinse thoroughly and dry completely before reinserting.
5. Slide the crumb tray back into its position until it clicks securely.

Cleaning the Exterior

- Unplug the toaster and allow it to cool completely.
- Wipe the exterior of the toaster with a damp cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners or scouring pads, as they may scratch the surface.
- Ensure no moisture enters the toasting slots or electrical components.
- Dry thoroughly with a soft cloth.

TROUBLESHOOTING

If you experience issues with your toaster, refer to the following common problems and solutions:

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Toaster does not turn on.	Not plugged in; power outage; circuit breaker tripped.	Ensure the toaster is securely plugged into a working outlet. Check your home's circuit breaker.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Bread does not lower or raise.	Motorized lift malfunction; Toast/Cancel button not pressed.	Ensure the toaster is plugged in and the Toast/Cancel button is pressed firmly. If the issue persists, contact customer service.
Uneven toasting.	Bread not centered; crumb tray full; internal element issue.	The self-centering racks should position bread correctly. Empty and clean the crumb tray. If unevenness persists, contact customer service.
Smoke or burning smell.	Crumbs in toaster; food stuck; first use residue.	Immediately press the Cancel button and unplug the toaster. Allow to cool. Clean the crumb tray. Remove any stuck food carefully (only when unplugged and cool). Initial use may produce some smoke/odor.

If the problem persists after attempting these solutions, please contact KitchenAid Customer Service.

SPECIFICATIONS

- **Brand:** KitchenAid
- **Model:** 5KMT223GOB
- **Power:** 1100 Watts
- **Voltage:** 240 Volts
- **Number of Slices:** 2
- **Slot Count:** 2
- **Slot Width:** 3.8 cm (Extra-wide)
- **Shade Settings:** 7
- **Special Features:** Cancel Function, Touchscreen (Digital Display), Motorized Lift, Keep Warm, Bagel, Defrost, Reheat functions.
- **Item Weight:** 5.64 Pounds
- **Construction:** All metal (stainless steel housing and steel interior)

WARRANTY AND SERVICE

Warranty Information

This KitchenAid 5KMT223GOB 2-Slot Automatic Toaster comes with a **2 Years Warranty** from the date of purchase. Please retain your proof of purchase for warranty claims.

The warranty covers defects in materials and workmanship under normal household use. It does not cover damage resulting from misuse, abuse, accidents, alterations, or commercial use.

Customer Service

For technical assistance, service, or warranty claims, please contact KitchenAid Customer Service. Refer to the contact information provided in your product packaging or visit the official KitchenAid website for your region.

When contacting customer service, please have your product model number (5KMT223GOB) and serial number (if applicable) ready.

