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OXO 21117701

Instruction Manual: OXO GreenSaver Produce Keeper

BRAND: OXO

Product Overview

The OXO Good Grips GreenSaver is a comprehensive food storage system engineered to extend the freshness of your produce. It is designed to fit efficiently within your refrigerator, minimizing food waste and maximizing storage life. The system incorporates an advanced carbon filter to absorb ethylene gas, a natural ripening agent that accelerates spoilage. An elevated colander ensures optimal 360-degree air circulation, preventing moisture buildup and rotting. Additionally, an adjustable vent allows for precise humidity control, catering to the specific needs of various fruits and vegetables, from delicate berries to robust leafy greens. This BPA-free container is dishwasher safe for easy cleaning and includes one carbon filter, effective for up to 90 days. Replacement filters are available separately.



Image: The OXO GreenSaver Produce Keeper in its assembled state, showcasing its clear container, green colander, and white lid.

Components

- **Outer Container:** The main clear, rectangular vessel that holds the colander and collects excess moisture.
- **Elevated Colander:** A green, perforated basket designed to lift produce away from the container base, promoting air circulation and preventing contact with accumulated moisture.
- **Lid with Adjustable Vent:** A clear lid with a white, sliding vent mechanism that allows for humidity control.
- **Carbon Filter:** A small packet containing activated carbon, placed within a compartment in the lid, to absorb ethylene gas.



Image: A visual representation of the OXO GreenSaver system, highlighting the main container, colander, and the removable carbon filter.

Setup Instructions

Initial Setup

1. **Unpack Components:** Carefully remove all parts from the packaging: the outer container, elevated colander, lid, and carbon filter packet.
2. **Insert Carbon Filter:** Locate the designated compartment on the underside of the lid. Open the small cover, insert the carbon filter packet, and securely close the cover. The filter is designed to last approximately 90 days.
3. **Assemble:** Place the elevated colander inside the outer container. The system is now ready for use.



Image: The GreenSaver Produce Keeper shown with carrots inside, illustrating how produce is stored within the colander.

Operating Instructions

Preparing Produce

1. **Wash Produce:** Thoroughly wash your fruits and vegetables under cool running water.
2. **Dry Produce:** Gently dry the produce to remove excess surface moisture. While the colander helps with drainage, starting with relatively dry produce is beneficial.
3. **Place in Colander:** Arrange the prepared produce within the elevated colander. Ensure not to overfill, allowing for adequate air circulation.

Ventilation Guide

The lid features an adjustable vent to optimize humidity levels for different types of produce. Refer to the guide printed on the underside of the lid to determine the correct vent setting (open or closed) for your specific fruits or vegetables.

Open Vent: Recommended for produce that thrives in lower humidity, such as fruits (apples, berries, grapes) and some vegetables (cucumbers, tomatoes).

Closed Vent: Ideal for produce that requires higher humidity to stay fresh, typically leafy greens (lettuce, spinach, kale) and certain vegetables (broccoli, asparagus).







Image: A top-down view of the GreenSaver, highlighting the adjustable vent on the lid and the produce stored within.

Note: No official product videos from the seller were available for embedding.

Maintenance

Cleaning

All components of the OXO GreenSaver Produce Keeper are dishwasher safe. For best results, place the outer container, colander, and lid on the top rack of your dishwasher. Ensure the carbon filter is removed from the lid before washing.

Filter Replacement

The enhanced carbon filter is effective for approximately 90 days (3 months). For continuous optimal performance, replace the filter every three months. Replacement filters are sold separately.

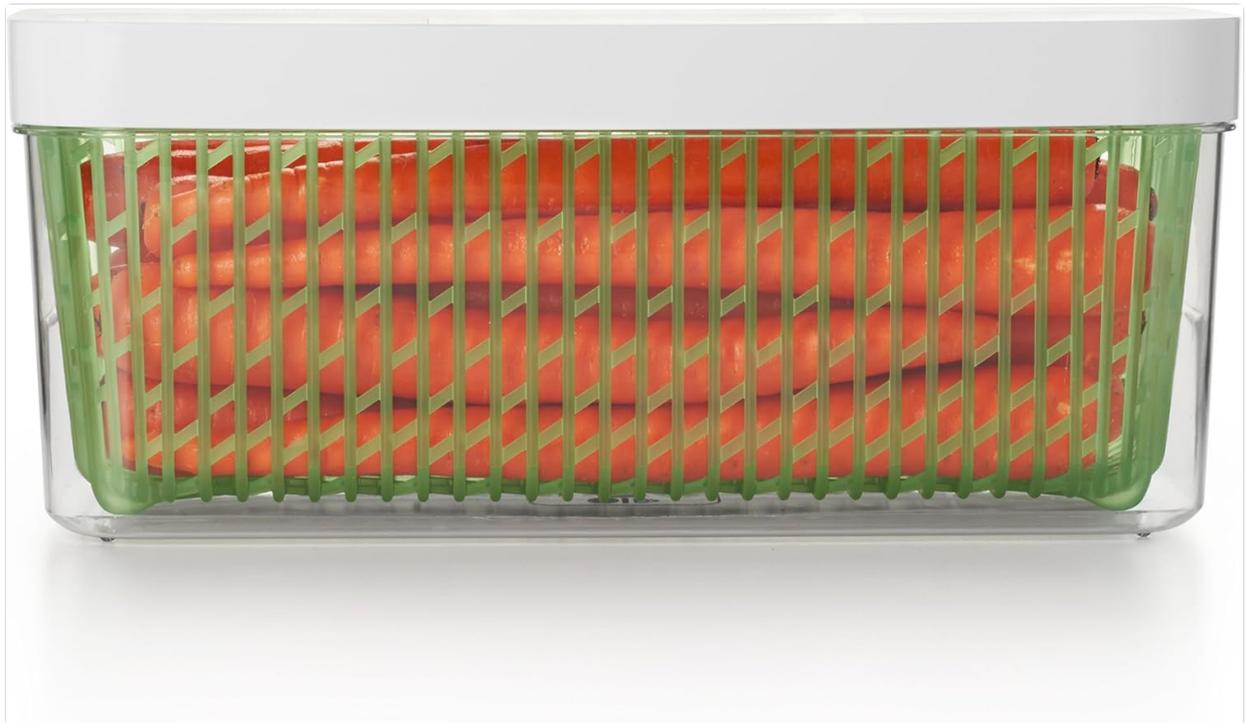


Image: A close-up view of the carbon filter packet, which should be replaced every 90 days.

Troubleshooting

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Produce spoiling quickly.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Incorrect Vent Setting: Ensure the adjustable vent on the lid is set correctly according to the produce type (open for low humidity, closed for high humidity). • Expired Carbon Filter: The carbon filter needs to be replaced every 90 days. An old filter will not effectively absorb ethylene gas. • Overcrowding: Do not overfill the colander. Allow space for air circulation around the produce. • Excess Moisture: Ensure produce is relatively dry before placing it in the keeper. The colander helps, but excessive moisture can still lead to spoilage.
Condensation inside the container.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High Humidity Setting: If storing produce that requires low humidity, ensure the vent is open. • Temperature Fluctuations: Consistent refrigerator temperature helps.

Specifications

Feature	Detail
Model Number	21117701
Capacity	4.7 Liters (5 Quarts)
Dimensions	6.4 x 13 x 5.5 inches
Material	Plastic (BPA Free)
Color	Green
Dishwasher Safe	Yes
Microwaveable	No
Filter Lifespan	Up to 90 days per filter



Image: Dimensional diagram of the OXO GreenSaver Produce Keeper.

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