

KitchenAid KSMGSSA

KitchenAid KSMGSSA Mixer Attachment Pack Instruction Manual

Food Grinder, Slicer/Shredder, and Sausage Stuffer

1. INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing the KitchenAid KSMGSSA Mixer Attachment Pack. This versatile set includes a Food Grinder, a Fresh Prep Slicer/Shredder, and Sausage Stuffer parts, designed to expand the capabilities of your KitchenAid Stand Mixer. These attachments connect to the power hub of your stand mixer, utilizing its motor to perform various food preparation tasks efficiently.

This manual provides detailed instructions for the safe and effective use, maintenance, and care of your new attachments. Please read all instructions carefully before first use.



Figure 1: KitchenAid KSMGSSA Mixer Attachment Pack shown with stand mixers.

2. SAFETY INFORMATION

Always follow basic safety precautions when using electrical appliances to reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, and/or injury to persons, including the following:

- Read all instructions.
- Do not immerse the mixer base or cord 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 contact with moving parts. Keep hands, hair, and clothing, as well as spatulas and other utensils, away from moving parts during operation to prevent injury and/or damage to the mixer.
- The use of attachments not recommended or sold by KitchenAid may cause fire, electric shock, or injury.
- Do not use the appliance for other than intended use.
- Do not operate the appliance with a damaged cord or plug, or after the appliance malfunctions, or is dropped or damaged in any manner.
- This product is designed for household use only.

3. PACKAGE CONTENTS

Your KitchenAid KSMGSSA Mixer Attachment Pack includes the following components:

- Food Grinder Housing
- Food Grinder Screw
- Food Grinder Blade
- Fine Grinding Plate
- Coarse Grinding Plate
- Sausage Stuffer Tubes (2 sizes)
- Sausage Stuffer Plate
- Food Pusher
- Slicer/Shredder Housing
- Slicer/Shredder Food Pusher
- Slicing Blade
- Coarse Shredding Blade
- Fine Shredding Blade



Figure 2: All components included in the KSMGSSA Mixer Attachment Pack.

4. SETUP

Before attaching any accessory, ensure your KitchenAid Stand Mixer is unplugged and turned off.

4.1 Attaching the Food Grinder or Slicer/Shredder

1. Turn the stand mixer off and unplug it.
2. Unscrew the attachment hub knob on the front of the stand mixer.
3. Remove the attachment hub cover.
4. Insert the attachment shaft into the attachment hub, ensuring the power shaft of the attachment fits into the square drive socket of the hub.
5. Rotate the attachment back and forth if necessary until it fits into the hub. When the attachment is in the proper position, the pin on the attachment will fit into the notch on the hub rim.
6. Tighten the attachment hub knob until the attachment is completely secured to the stand mixer.



Figure 3: Slicer/Shredder attachment properly installed on a KitchenAid Stand Mixer.



Figure 4: Food Grinder attachment properly installed on a KitchenAid Stand Mixer.

5. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

5.1 Using the Food Grinder

The Food Grinder is ideal for grinding raw meat, firm fruits, vegetables, and cheeses. Do not grind cooked meat or fibrous vegetables as this may clog the grinder.

- 1. Assemble the Grinder:** Place the grinding screw into the grinder housing, then the blade (sharp edge facing out), followed by your chosen grinding plate (fine or coarse). Secure with the retaining ring.
- 2. Prepare Food:** Cut food into pieces small enough to fit into the feed tube. Chill meat slightly before grinding for best results.
- 3. Attach to Mixer:** Follow the setup instructions in Section 4.1.
- 4. Position Bowl:** Place a bowl under the grinder to collect the processed food.
- 5. Operate:** Plug in the mixer. Turn the mixer to Speed 4 for grinding. Feed food into the hopper using the food pusher. Do not force food into the grinder.



Figure 5: Food Grinder in operation, processing meat.

Using the Sausage Stuffer

To make sausages, replace the grinding plate and blade with the sausage stuffer plate and one of the sausage stuffer tubes. Ensure the stuffer tube is securely attached. Prepare your sausage mixture and feed it into the grinder, allowing it to push through the tube into prepared casings. Use Speed 4 for stuffing.

5.2 Using the Fresh Prep Slicer/Shredder

The Slicer/Shredder is perfect for quickly slicing or shredding a variety of fruits, vegetables, and cheeses.

- 1. Assemble the Slicer/Shredder:** Insert your desired blade (slicing, coarse shredding, or fine shredding) into the slicer/shredder housing.
- 2. Prepare Food:** Cut food into pieces that fit comfortably into the feed tube.
- 3. Attach to Mixer:** Follow the setup instructions in Section 4.1.
- 4. Position Bowl:** Place a bowl under the attachment to catch the sliced or shredded food.
- 5. Operate:** Plug in the mixer. Turn the mixer to Speed 4 for slicing/shredding. Feed food into the feed tube using the food pusher. Apply gentle, even pressure.



Figure 6: Slicer/Shredder in operation, processing zucchini.

6. MAINTENANCE AND CLEANING

Proper cleaning and maintenance will ensure the longevity and optimal performance of your KitchenAid attachments.

- **Before Cleaning:** Always unplug the stand mixer before cleaning any attachment.
- **Dishwasher Safe Parts:** The blades and pushers for both the Food Grinder and Slicer/Shredder are dishwasher safe (top rack only).
- **Hand Wash Only Parts:** The Food Grinder housing, grinding screw, and sausage stuffer tubes should be hand washed with warm, soapy water. The Slicer/Shredder housing should also be hand washed.
- **Drying:** Dry all parts thoroughly immediately after washing to prevent rust or mineral buildup.
- **Storage:** Store all attachments and their components in a clean, dry place when not in use.

7. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your KitchenAid attachments, refer to the following common problems and solutions:

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Attachment not operating.	Mixer not plugged in or turned on. Attachment not properly secured.	Ensure mixer is plugged in and power is on. Re-attach the accessory, ensuring the hub knob is tightened.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Food Grinder clogs or struggles.	Food pieces too large or too soft/fibrous. Grinding plate or blade is dull.	Cut food into smaller, manageable pieces. Chill meat before grinding. Do not grind cooked meat or fibrous vegetables. Ensure blade is sharp and correctly oriented.
Slicer/Shredder produces uneven results.	Inconsistent pressure applied. Food not firm enough.	Apply gentle, even pressure with the food pusher. Ensure food is firm enough for slicing/shredding.
Attachment wobbles during operation.	Attachment hub knob not tightened sufficiently.	Turn off and unplug the mixer. Re-tighten the attachment hub knob firmly.

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

8. SPECIFICATIONS

- **Brand:** KitchenAid
- **Model Name:** Slicer/Shredder + Grinder/Sausage Stuffer
- **Item Model Number:** KSMGSSA
- **Color:** White
- **Blade Material:** Stainless Steel
- **Special Feature:** Manual (powered by stand mixer)
- **Product Dimensions:** 8.2 x 8 x 7.5 inches
- **Item Weight:** 3.3 pounds

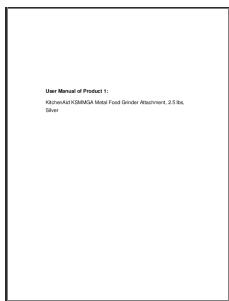
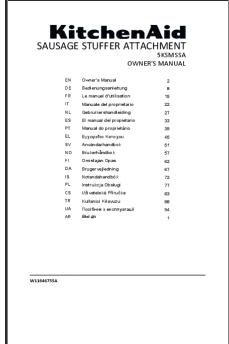
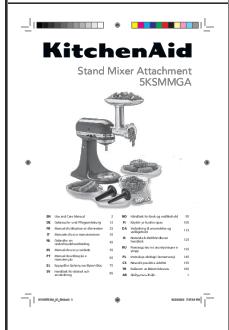
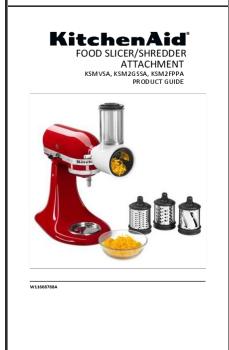
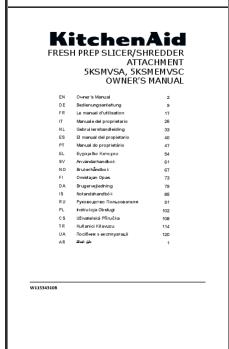
9. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

KitchenAid products are manufactured to high-quality standards and are warranted to be free from defects in material and workmanship. For specific warranty details, including duration and terms, please refer to the warranty card included with your product or visit the official KitchenAid website.

For technical assistance, troubleshooting, or to order replacement parts, please contact KitchenAid Customer Service:

- **Website:** www.kitchenaid.com
- **Phone:** Refer to your product registration or the KitchenAid website for regional contact numbers.

Please have your model number (KSMGSSA) and purchase date available when contacting support.

	<p>KitchenAid KSMMGA Metal Food Grinder Attachment User Manual</p> <p>Comprehensive user manual for the KitchenAid KSMMGA Metal Food Grinder Attachment, covering parts, safety instructions, assembly, grinding, sausage stuffing, tips, care, cleaning, and warranty information.</p>
	<p>KitchenAid Sausage Stuffer Attachment 5KSMSSA Owner's Manual</p> <p>This owner's manual provides comprehensive guidance for the KitchenAid Sausage Stuffer Attachment, model 5KSMSSA. It covers essential safety instructions, step-by-step assembly, proper usage techniques, and care and cleaning procedures to ensure optimal performance and longevity of the attachment.</p>
	<p>KitchenAid 5KSMMGA Stand Mixer Attachment: Use, Care, and Guarantee Guide</p> <p>Comprehensive guide for the KitchenAid 5KSMMGA Stand Mixer Attachment, covering parts, assembly, usage, safety, care, cleaning, and warranty information. Learn how to use your food grinder and sausage stuffer attachments effectively.</p>
	<p>KitchenAid Food Slicer/Shredder Attachment Product Guide</p> <p>Explore the KitchenAid Food Slicer/Shredder Attachment (KSMVSA, KSM2GSSA, KSM2FPPA) with this comprehensive product guide. Learn about parts, assembly, usage, safety, and care for your KitchenAid stand mixer attachment.</p>
	<p>KitchenAid KSMVSA Fresh Prep Slicer/Shredder Attachment - User Manual and Safety Guide</p> <p>Comprehensive guide for the KitchenAid KSMVSA Fresh Prep Slicer/Shredder attachment, including parts, safety instructions, assembly, usage, care, troubleshooting, and warranty information.</p>
	<p>KitchenAid Fresh Prep Slicer/Shredder Attachment Owner's Manual (5KSMVSA, 5KSMEMVSC)</p> <p>Owner's manual for the KitchenAid Fresh Prep Slicer/Shredder Attachment, models 5KSMVSA and 5KSMEMVSC. Contains essential safety instructions, product assembly steps, usage guidelines, care and cleaning procedures, disposal information, and warranty terms for various regions.</p>

