

## FoodSaver FFS017X

# FoodSaver FFS017X Vacuum Sealer Instruction Manual

Model: FFS017X

## 1. INTRODUCTION

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Thank you for choosing the FoodSaver FFS017X Vacuum Sealer. This appliance is designed to keep your food fresh up to five times longer than traditional storage methods, reducing food waste and saving you money. By removing air and sealing in freshness, your food retains its flavor, nutrients, and quality for extended periods.

This manual provides essential information for the safe and efficient operation of your FoodSaver FFS017X. Please read it thoroughly before first use and keep it for future reference.

## 2. IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

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

- 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.
- Use the appliance only for its intended household use.
- Do not use outdoors.

## 3. WHAT'S INCLUDED

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Your FoodSaver FFS017X package includes:

- FoodSaver FFS017X Vacuum Sealer
- 1 x FoodSaver Roll (28 cm x 3 m)
- 3 x Small FoodSaver Bags (0.94 L)
- 2 x Large FoodSaver Bags (3.78 L)
- 3 x FoodSaver Zipper Bags

## 4. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

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The FoodSaver FFS017X is a versatile vacuum sealing system designed for ease of use and effective food preservation. It features a sleek design with integrated controls and accessories.



The FoodSaver FFS017X Vacuum Sealer ready for use in a kitchen setting.

### Key Features:

- **Automatic Vacuum & Seal:** Simplifies the sealing process.
- **Built-in Cutter:** For custom-sized bags from rolls.

- **Roll Storage:** Conveniently stores FoodSaver rolls.
- **Moist/Dry Food Settings:** Optimizes sealing for different food types.
- **Marinate Function:** Rapidly marinates food in minutes.
- **Accessory Port:** For use with handheld accessory, zipper bags, and Fresh Containers.
- **Dishwasher-Safe Drip Tray:** For easy cleaning.

## 5. SETUP

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1. **Unpack:** Carefully remove the appliance from its packaging.
2. **Placement:** Place the unit on a flat, stable, and dry surface.
3. **Power Connection:** Plug the power cord into a grounded electrical outlet.
4. **Initial Cleaning:** Wipe down the exterior of the unit with a damp cloth. Ensure the drip tray is clean and properly inserted.

## 6. OPERATION

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### 6.1. Creating a Bag from a Roll

1. Open the lid of the vacuum sealer.
2. Place the FoodSaver roll into the integrated roll storage compartment.
3. Pull out enough bag material to hold your item, plus an additional 7-10 cm for sealing.
4. Use the built-in cutter to cut the bag material to your desired length.
5. Place one end of the cut material into the vacuum channel, ensuring it is flat and smooth.
6. Close the lid and press the 'Seal' button to create a bottom seal for your bag.



Utilizing the integrated cutter to prepare a custom-sized bag from a roll.

## 6.2. Vacuum Sealing with Bags

1. Place the food item into the pre-made bag, leaving at least 7-10 cm of space from the top edge.
2. Ensure the open end of the bag is clean, dry, and free of food particles.
3. Place the open end of the bag into the vacuum channel.
4. Close the lid firmly until it clicks into place.
5. Select the appropriate food setting: 'Dry' for solid foods or 'Moist' for foods with some liquid.
6. Press the 'Vacuum & Seal' button. The machine will automatically remove air and then seal the bag.
7. Once the process is complete, the indicator light will turn off. Open the lid and remove your sealed bag.



Vacuum sealing helps maintain food freshness, preventing freezer burn and extending shelf life significantly.

### 6.3. Using the 'Seal Only' Function

This function is useful for sealing bags without vacuuming, or for creating custom-sized bags from rolls.

1. Place the open end of the bag into the vacuum channel.
2. Close the lid firmly.
3. Press the 'Seal' button. The machine will create a seal without removing air.

### 6.4. Using the Marinate Function

The marinate function rapidly infuses flavor into food using vacuum technology.

1. Place food and marinade into a FoodSaver Fresh Container.
2. Connect the handheld accessory hose to the container's port and the accessory port on the vacuum sealer.

3. Press the 'Marinate' button. The machine will cycle through vacuum and release phases to quickly marinate your food.



The 'Marinate Mode' uses vacuum to quickly infuse flavors into food.

## 6.5. Using the Handheld Accessory

The integrated handheld accessory is used for vacuum sealing FoodSaver Zipper Bags and Fresh Containers.

1. Place food into a FoodSaver Zipper Bag or Fresh Container.
2. Attach the handheld accessory to the accessory port on the main unit.
3. Place the accessory nozzle over the vacuum valve on the zipper bag or container.
4. Press the 'Accessory' button (or 'Vacuum' if available). The machine will remove air until a tight seal is achieved.



The handheld accessory allows for vacuum sealing with FoodSaver zipper bags and containers.



The handheld accessory can also be used with FoodSaver wine stoppers to preserve opened wine bottles.

## 7. CARE AND MAINTENANCE

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### 7.1. Cleaning the Appliance

- Always unplug the appliance before cleaning.
- Wipe the exterior with a damp cloth and mild soap. Do not use abrasive cleaners.
- The drip tray is removable and dishwasher safe for easy cleaning of any overflow liquids.
- Ensure the vacuum channel and sealing strip are clean and dry before each use.

### 7.2. Storage

The FoodSaver FFS017X features a compact design for easy storage. Ensure the lid is unlatched when storing to prevent compression of the foam gaskets, which could affect the vacuum function over time.

## 8. TROUBLESHOOTING

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If your FoodSaver FFS017X is not operating as expected, please refer to the following common issues and solutions:

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Appliance does not turn on.	Not plugged in; power outlet not working.	Ensure the power cord is securely plugged into a working electrical outlet.
Appliance vacuums but does not seal.	Sealing strip is dirty or wet; bag is not properly placed.	Clean and dry the sealing strip. Ensure the bag is flat and extends fully into the vacuum channel.
Appliance does not vacuum properly.	Lid not closed properly; gaskets are dirty or worn; bag has a leak.	Press down firmly on the lid until it clicks. Clean gaskets. Check bag for punctures or tears.
FoodSaver Zipper Bag or Fresh Container does not vacuum.	Accessory hose not properly connected; valve is blocked.	Ensure the accessory hose is securely connected to both the appliance and the bag/container valve. Check valve for food particles.

## 9. SPECIFICATIONS

Specification	Detail
Brand	FoodSaver
Model Number	FFS017X-01
Material	Stainless steel
Color	Grey and Black
Product Dimensions (L x W x H)	47 cm x 16.5 cm x 15.2 cm
Product Weight	2.7 Kilograms
Power Source	Electric Cable
Operating Mode	Automatic, Manual
Wattage	120 watts
Voltage	220 Volts
Country of Origin	China

## 10. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

This FoodSaver FFS017X Vacuum Sealer comes with a **2-year warranty**. Please retain your proof of purchase for warranty claims.

For technical support, spare parts, or further assistance, please visit the official FoodSaver website or contact

their customer service. Availability of spare parts in the EU is guaranteed for 2 years.