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1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential instructions for the safe and efficient installation, operation, and maintenance of your GE 30 Inch Gas Cooktop, Model JGP3030DLBB. This cooktop features a MAX Burner System, Power Broil Burner, Simmer Burner, continuous grates, and sealed burners, designed for versatile cooking. It is also ADA Compliant.

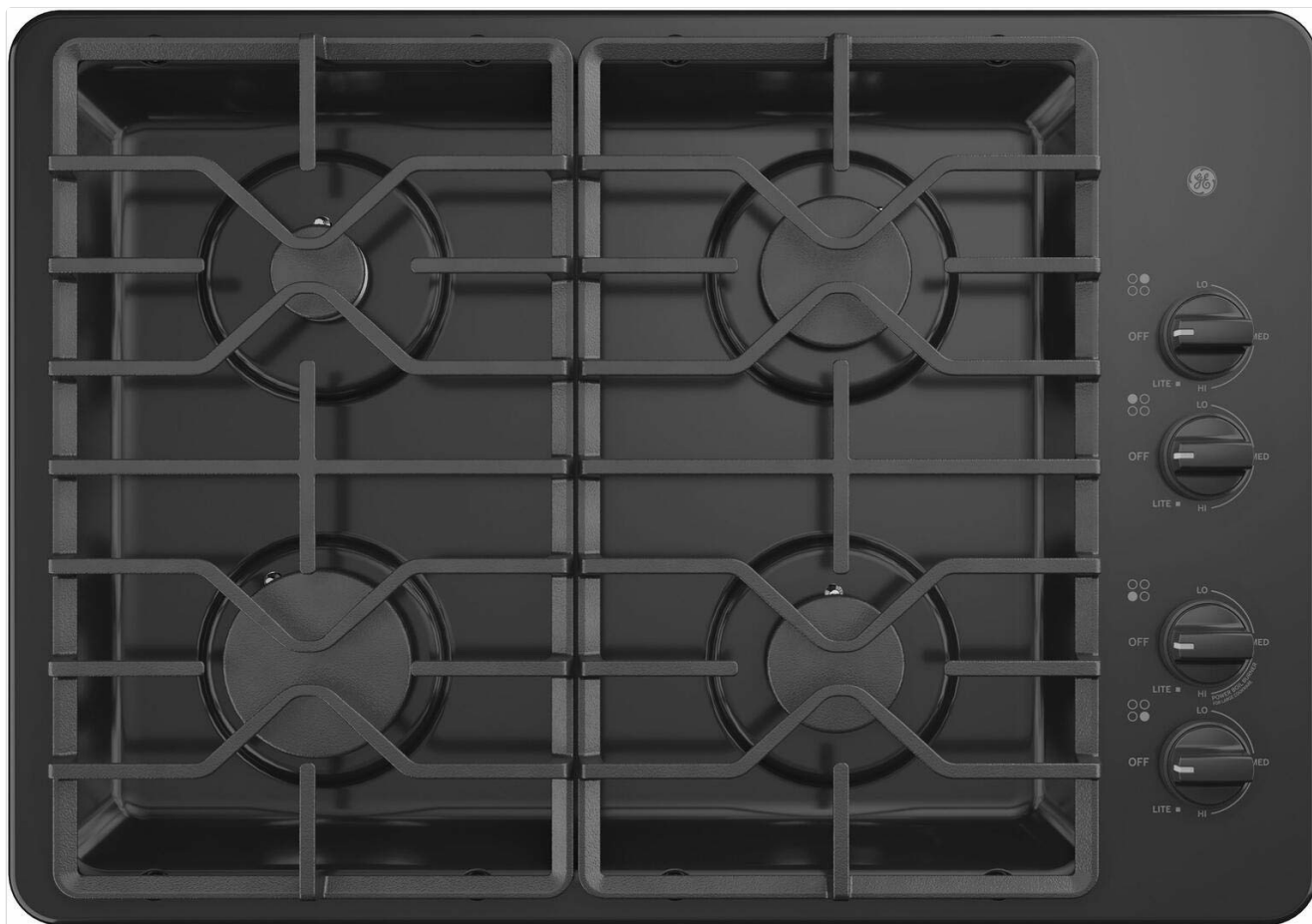


Figure 1.1: Overview of the GE 30 Inch Gas Cooktop.

2. SAFETY INFORMATION

WARNING: Read all instructions before using this appliance to prevent potential hazards such as fire, explosion, electric shock, or personal injury. Keep this manual for future reference.

- Ensure proper ventilation when operating the cooktop.
- Do not store or use gasoline or other flammable vapors and liquids in the vicinity of this or any other appliance.
- If you smell gas, follow the instructions provided by your gas supplier immediately. Do not attempt to light any appliance, touch any electrical switch, or use any phone in your building.
- Installation and service must be performed by a qualified installer, service agency, or the gas supplier.
- Never leave surface burners unattended at high heat settings. Boil-overs can cause smoking and greasy spill-overs that may ignite.

3. SETUP AND INSTALLATION

The GE JGP3030DLBB cooktop is designed for built-in installation. Due to the nature of gas and electrical connections, professional installation is highly recommended.

3.1 Pre-Installation Checks

- Verify that the gas supply line is properly sized and accessible.
- Ensure the electrical supply (120 Volts) is available for the electronic ignition.
- Confirm countertop cutout dimensions are appropriate for the cooktop's product dimensions of approximately 27.3 inches (D) x 33.5 inches (W) x 11 inches (H).
- The cooktop weighs approximately 34 pounds. Ensure the countertop and cabinetry can support this weight.

3.2 Installation Steps (Summary)

1. Carefully remove the old cooktop, retaining any fittings or adapters as they may be needed.
2. Apply gas pipe rated Teflon tape to all pipe fittings for a secure, leak-free connection.
3. Install the pressure regulator included with the cooktop by threading it onto the gas feed pipe.
4. Position the cooktop into the countertop cutout.
5. Connect the gas supply line to the cooktop, ensuring all connections are tight and leak-free.
6. Connect the electrical cord to a grounded outlet.
7. Before turning on the gas and plugging in the electric cord, ensure all gas knobs are in the "OFF" position.
8. Test for gas leaks using a non-corrosive leak detection solution.

4. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Your GE gas cooktop features four sealed burners with varying heat outputs for diverse cooking needs.



Figure 4.1: Top view of the cooktop, showing burner layout.

4.1 Burner Types and Output

- **MAX Burner System:** Provides high heat for rapid boiling or searing.
- **Power Broil Burner:** Offers intense heat for quick cooking.
- **Simmer Burner:** Delivers low, consistent heat for delicate sauces or melting.



Figure 4.2: Burner BTU ratings for optimal heat selection.

4.2 Using the Control Knobs

The cooktop features electronic ignition. Each burner has a dedicated control knob located on the right side of the unit.



Figure 4.3: Detail of the cooktop control knobs.

1. **To Ignite a Burner:** Push the desired control knob in and turn it counter-clockwise to the "LITE" position. You will hear a clicking sound as the electronic igniter sparks.
2. Once the burner ignites, continue to hold the knob in for a few seconds to allow the flame to stabilize.
3. Release the knob and turn it to the desired heat setting (LO, MED, HI).
4. **To Turn Off a Burner:** Turn the control knob clockwise to the "OFF" position. Ensure the flame is extinguished.

Note: The cooktop does not feature indicator lights to show if a burner is on. Always visually confirm that the flame is extinguished when turning off a burner.

5. MAINTENANCE AND CLEANING

Regular cleaning and maintenance will ensure the longevity and optimal performance of your cooktop.

5.1 Cleaning the Cooktop Surface

- The cooktop surface is made of porcelain, which is durable and easy to clean.
- For everyday spills, wipe with a damp cloth and mild detergent.
- For stubborn stains, use a non-abrasive cleaner specifically designed for cooktop surfaces.
- Ensure the cooktop is cool before cleaning to prevent burns and damage to the surface.

5.2 Cleaning Grates and Burner Caps

- The continuous grates and sealed burner caps can be removed for cleaning.
- The grates are dishwasher safe for convenient cleaning.
- Wash burner caps with warm, soapy water. Ensure they are completely dry before placing them back on the cooktop.
- Do not use abrasive pads or cleaners on burner caps as this can damage the finish.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your cooktop, refer to the following common troubleshooting steps before contacting service.

- **Burner Not Igniting:**
 - Check if the cooktop is properly plugged into a working electrical outlet.
 - Ensure the gas supply valve is open.
 - Verify that the burner cap is correctly seated on the burner base.
 - Clean any food debris from the igniter electrode and burner ports.
- **Irregular Flame (Yellow or Lifting):**
 - A yellow or lifting flame may indicate improper air-to-gas mixture. This often requires adjustment by a qualified service technician.
 - Ensure burner ports are not clogged.
- **No Burner Indicator Lights:** This model does not include indicator lights to show if a burner is active. Always visually confirm that the flame is extinguished when turning off a burner to prevent accidental gas release or fire hazards.

7. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Specification
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Model Info	JGP3030DLBB
Item Weight	34 pounds
Product Dimensions	27.3 x 33.5 x 11 inches
Installation Type	Built-In
Burner Type	Sealed
Heating Elements	4
Color	Black
Voltage	120 Volts
Wattage	5000 watts
Fuel Type	Gas
Certification	ADA Compliant
Material Type	Standard Cast (Grates), Porcelain (Heater Surface)
Ignition System Type	Electronic

8. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For detailed warranty information, please refer to the warranty card included with your product at the time of purchase. This document outlines the terms and conditions of your GE appliance warranty.

For technical support, service, or to order replacement parts, please visit the official GE Appliances website or contact their customer service department. You can find more information and resources at the [GE Appliances Store on Amazon](#).

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