NutriChef PKSTIND48

NutriChef Double Induction Cooktop User Manual

Model: PKSTIND48

1. Product Overview

The NutriChef Double Induction Cooktop is a portable, digital ceramic dual burner designed for efficient and versatile cooking. It features two independent heating zones, touch sensor controls, and a child safety lock, making it suitable for various kitchen environments.



Image 1.1: The NutriChef Double Induction Cooktop, showcasing its sleek black ceramic glass surface and touch controls.

2. Important Safety Information

Please read all instructions carefully before using the appliance to ensure safe operation and prevent injury or damage.

- Always use induction-compatible cookware. Non-compatible cookware will not heat.
- Do not touch the cooktop surface immediately after use, as residual heat may be present.
- Ensure the cooktop is placed on a stable, heat-resistant surface.
- Keep out of reach of children. Utilize the built-in child safety lock feature.
- Do not immerse the appliance in water or any other liquid.
- Unplug the cooktop from the power outlet when not in use and before cleaning.
- Do not block the ventilation openings.

3. Package Contents

- NutriChef Double Induction Cooktop (PKSTIND48)
- Power Cord
- User Manual (this document)

4. Product Features

- **Dual Heating Zones:** Two circular top panel heating zones with independent temperature settings.
- **Digital LCD Display:** Provides clear feedback on settings and status.
- **Multiple Cooking Modes:** Includes manual functions for Fry, Steam, and Water, plus an automatic Warm function.
- **Child Safety Lock:** Locks all operating buttons to prevent accidental activation.
- **Energy Efficient:** Utilizes electromagnets for direct heat transfer to cookware, minimizing heat loss.
- **Compact & Versatile Design:** Lightweight and portable, suitable for various settings.
- **Built-in Turbo Fan:** Ensures quicker system cool-down after use.



Image 4.1: Underside view of the cooktop highlighting the built-in turbo fan for efficient cooling.

5. Setup

1. Unpack the NutriChef Double Induction Cooktop and all its components.
2. Place the cooktop on a flat, stable, and dry surface. Ensure there is adequate ventilation around the unit.
3. Plug the power cord into a standard 120V AC electrical outlet.
4. Ensure the cooktop surface is clean and free of debris before placing any cookware.



Image 5.1: The cooktop positioned on a kitchen countertop, ready for use.

6. Operating Instructions

6.1 Powering On/Off

- Press the **ON/OFF** button to turn the cooktop on. The display will illuminate.
- To turn off, press the **ON/OFF** button again.

6.2 Selecting Cooking Modes

Each heating zone operates independently. Place induction-compatible cookware on the desired heating zone before selecting a mode.

- Press the **FUNCTION** button to cycle through preset cooking modes:
  - **Fry:** For frying and searing.
  - **Steam:** For steaming food.

- **Water:** For boiling water.
- **Warm:** To keep food warm after cooking.

- Use the **UP (+)** and **DOWN (-)** buttons to manually adjust temperature or power levels within a selected mode.



Image 6.1: Close-up of the cooktop controls, showing the digital display and touch buttons for various functions.



Image 6.2: Visual representation of the cooktop's high-powered heating elements and common cooking modes: Water, Fry, and Steam.



Image 6.3: The dual heating zones in action, demonstrating independent temperature control for simultaneous cooking.

6.3 Timer/Preset Function

- Press the **TIMER/PRESET** button to set a cooking timer.
- Use the **UP (+)** and **DOWN (-)** buttons to adjust the desired cooking time.
- The cooktop will automatically turn off once the timer expires.

6.4 Child Safety Lock

- To activate the child safety lock, press and hold the **LOCK** button for a few seconds until the lock indicator appears on the display.
- When locked, all other buttons will be unresponsive.
- To deactivate, press and hold the **LOCK** button again until the indicator disappears.

7. Compatible Cookware

The NutriChef Induction Cooktop requires cookware made of ferromagnetic materials. Compatible cookware includes:

- Steel pots and pans
- Cast iron cookware
- Enameled iron pots
- Stainless steel pots with a magnetic bottom
- Flat-bottomed pans or pots with a diameter of 12 to 26 cm.

To test if your cookware is compatible, hold a magnet to the bottom of the pot or pan. If the magnet sticks, it is compatible with induction cooking.

Note: Aluminum, copper, glass, and ceramic cookware without a magnetic base are generally not compatible.

8. Maintenance and Cleaning

Proper maintenance ensures the longevity and performance of your cooktop.

- Always unplug the cooktop and allow it to cool completely before cleaning.
- Wipe the ceramic glass surface with a soft, damp cloth and mild detergent. For stubborn stains, use a non-abrasive cleaner specifically designed for ceramic cooktops.
- Do not use abrasive pads, harsh chemicals, or steel wool, as these can scratch the surface.
- Clean the ventilation openings regularly to prevent dust buildup, which can affect performance.
- Ensure no water or liquids enter the internal components.

9. Troubleshooting

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Cooktop does not turn on.	Not plugged in; power outage; child lock activated.	Check power connection; verify power supply; deactivate child lock.
Cookware is not heating.	Non-compatible cookware; cookware not centered; pan too small/large.	Use induction-compatible cookware; center the pan; ensure pan size is within 12-26 cm diameter.
Display shows an error code (e.g., "E0").	No cookware detected; internal overheating; sensor issue.	Place compatible cookware; allow unit to cool down; contact customer support if error persists.
Unusual noise during operation.	Normal fan operation; resonance from cookware.	A slight humming sound from the fan is normal. Some cookware may produce a faint noise due to induction.

10. Specifications

- **Model:** PKSTIND48
- **Power Supply:** 120V AC
- **Wattage:** 3600 Watts (Total)
- **Heating Elements:** 2
- **Control Type:** Touch Sensor
- **Material:** Tempered Ceramic Glass, Engineered ABS
- **Product Dimensions (D x W x H):** 14.18" x 23.63" x 2.64"

- **Item Weight:** 12.35 lbs
- **Compatible Cookware Diameter:** 12 cm - 26 cm



Image 10.1: Diagram illustrating the precise dimensions of the NutriChef Double Induction Cooktop.

11. Warranty and Support

For warranty information, technical support, or service inquiries, please refer to the official NutriChef website or contact their customer service department.

Online Resources:

- NutriChef Official Store: Visit NutriChef Store
- User Manual (PDF): Download PDF Manual

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