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Model: 75224F

1. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Proctor Silex 75224F Electric Can Opener is designed for convenient and efficient opening of various can sizes, including extra-tall cans. It features an automatic operation and a magnetic lid holder for safe and easy disposal of can lids.



Image 1.1: Front view of the Proctor Silex 75224F Electric Can Opener. This white appliance features a compact design with the can-opening mechanism visible at the top, including a cutting blade and a magnetic lid holder. The "Proctor Silex" logo is subtly displayed on the front panel.

2. IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

When using electrical appliances, basic safety precautions should always be followed to reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, and/or injury to persons, including the following:

- Read all instructions.
- Do not immerse cord, plug, or can opener 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.
- Do not operate any appliance with a damaged cord or plug, or after the appliance malfunctions or has been dropped or damaged in any manner.
- The use of accessory attachments not recommended or sold by the appliance manufacturer may cause hazards.
- Do not use outdoors.
- Do not let cord hang over edge of table or counter, or touch hot surfaces.
- Do not place on or near a hot gas or electric burner, or in a heated oven.
- Do not use appliance for other than intended use.
- Do not leave appliance unattended when it is operating.
- The blade is sharp. Handle with care.

3. SETUP

1. Unpack the can opener and remove all packaging materials.
2. Place the can opener on a stable, flat surface near an electrical outlet.
3. Ensure the power cord is not tangled and is positioned safely to avoid tripping hazards.
4. Before first use, wipe the exterior with a damp cloth. Do not immerse the unit in water.

4. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Follow these steps to safely and effectively open cans with your electric can opener:

1. Plug the can opener into a standard electrical outlet.
2. Lift the lever of the can opener.
3. Position the can so that the rim is under the cutting blade and against the drive wheel.
4. Press the lever down firmly to pierce the can. The can opener will automatically start cutting around the lid.
5. Hold the can lightly until the cutting action is complete. The can opener will stop automatically once the lid is fully cut.
6. Lift the lever to release the can. The magnetic lid holder will retain the lid for easy and safe disposal.
7. Carefully remove the can and dispose of the lid.

Note: For extra-tall cans, ensure the can is stable on the counter or a flat surface while the can opener is operating.

5. CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE

Regular cleaning will help maintain the performance and longevity of your can opener.

- **Always unplug the can opener before cleaning.**
- To clean the cutting blade and drive wheel, wipe them with a damp cloth or sponge. A small brush can be used to remove any food particles.
- The cutting assembly may be removable for more thorough cleaning. Refer to the product diagram for specific instructions on detaching and reattaching the assembly if applicable.
- Wipe the exterior of the can opener with a clean, damp cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners or scouring pads.
- Do not immerse the can opener in water or any other liquid.
- Ensure all parts are dry before storing or next use.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Can opener does not start.	Not plugged in; power outage; can not properly engaged.	Ensure unit is plugged into a working outlet. Check household fuse/circuit breaker. Reposition can, ensuring rim is under blade and lever is pressed down firmly.
Can opener stops mid-operation.	Can is dented or misshapen; blade is dull or dirty.	Remove can and inspect for dents. Try a different can. Clean the cutting blade and drive wheel. If blade is dull, contact customer support.
Lid does not detach cleanly.	Blade is dull; can not fully rotated.	Ensure the can opener completes its full cycle. Clean the cutting blade. If problem persists, the blade may need replacement.
Magnetic lid holder not working.	Lid is too heavy or not metallic; magnet is dirty.	Ensure the lid is made of a magnetic material. Clean the magnetic area.

7. SPECIFICATIONS

- Model:** 75224F
- Brand:** Hamilton Beach / Proctor Silex
- Color:** White
- Material:** Stainless Steel (Blade), Plastic (Housing)
- Blade Material:** Stainless Steel
- Operation Mode:** Automatic
- Product Dimensions:** Approximately 10 x 10 x 10.5 inches (L x W x H)

Item Weight: Approximately 11 Pounds

UPC: 022333752241

8. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information or customer support, please refer to the warranty card included with your product or visit the official Hamilton Beach website. Do not attempt to repair the appliance yourself.

For further assistance, you may contact Hamilton Beach customer service through their official channels.