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Model: FP3100RDR

## 1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential information for the safe and efficient operation of your Russell Hobbs FP3100RDR Retro Style Food Processor. Please read all instructions carefully before first use and retain for future reference.

## Product Overview

The Russell Hobbs FP3100RDR is an 8-cup (64-oz) capacity food processor designed for various food preparation tasks. It features a 550-watt motor, two speeds, and a pulse function. The unit includes a chopping blade, a reversible slicing/shredding disc, and a dough tool. Its interlocking safety design ensures secure operation.





Image 1.1: The Russell Hobbs FP3100RDR Retro Style Food Processor, showcasing its red base and clear processing bowl.

## 2. IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

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

- Read all instructions.
- To protect against electrical shock, do not immerse the appliance base, cord, or plug 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 assembling or disassembling 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 attachments not recommended or sold by the manufacturer may cause fire, electric shock, or injury.
- 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.
- Always ensure the lid is securely locked in place before operating the appliance.
- Blades are sharp. Handle with care.

### **3. PRODUCT COMPONENTS**

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Your Russell Hobbs FP3100RDR Food Processor includes the following components:

- Motor Base (FP3100RDR)
- 8-Cup (64-oz) Work Bowl
- Work Bowl Lid with Feed Chute
- Food Pusher
- Chopping Blade
- Reversible Slicing/Shredding Disc
- Dough Tool



Image 3.1: The food processor disassembled, showing the motor base, work bowl, lid, and various attachments.

## 4. SETUP AND ASSEMBLY

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### Before First Use

1. Remove all packaging materials, stickers, and plastic bands from the appliance.
2. Wash all removable parts (work bowl, lid, food pusher, blades, and discs) in warm, soapy water or in the dishwasher. Rinse and dry thoroughly.
3. Wipe the motor base with a damp cloth. Do not immerse the motor base in water.

### Assembly

1. Place the motor base on a clean, dry, and stable surface.
2. Position the work bowl onto the motor base, aligning the handle with the right side of the base. Twist clockwise until it locks securely into place.
3. Carefully place the desired blade or disc onto the center shaft inside the work bowl. Ensure it sits firmly.
4. Place the lid onto the work bowl, aligning the lid tab with the work bowl handle. Twist clockwise until it locks securely. The appliance will not operate unless the lid is properly locked.
5. Insert the food pusher into the feed chute on the lid.

## 5. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

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Always ensure the food processor is properly assembled and locked before plugging it into an electrical outlet.

### Basic Operation

1. Prepare ingredients by cutting them into appropriate sizes to fit the feed chute or for processing.
2. Add ingredients to the work bowl. For chopping, ensure ingredients are evenly distributed. For slicing/shredding, feed ingredients through the chute using the food pusher.
3. Plug the appliance into a standard electrical outlet.
4. Select the desired speed (1 or 2) or use the pulse function by turning the control knob. The speed gauge will indicate the current speed.
5. Process ingredients until desired consistency is achieved. Do not over-process.
6. Once processing is complete, turn the control knob to the 'OFF' position and unplug the appliance.



Image 5.1: A person operating the Russell Hobbs food processor, adding ingredients to the work bowl.

## Using the Chopping Blade

The chopping blade is ideal for mincing, chopping, mixing, and pureeing. Place the blade onto the center shaft before adding ingredients. Use short pulses for coarse chopping or continuous operation for finer results.

## Using the Slicing/Shredding Disc

The reversible disc allows for both slicing and shredding. Ensure the desired side (slicing or shredding) is facing up when placing it on the shaft. Feed ingredients through the feed chute using the food pusher for even results.

## Using the Dough Tool

The dough tool is designed for kneading dough. Place the dough tool onto the center shaft. Add flour and other dry ingredients, then gradually add liquids through the feed chute while the processor is running on a low speed or pulse.

## 6. MAINTENANCE AND CLEANING

Proper cleaning ensures the longevity and performance of your food processor.

### Cleaning Instructions

1. Always unplug the appliance before cleaning.
2. Disassemble all removable parts: work bowl, lid, food pusher, blades, and discs.
3. All removable parts are dishwasher safe. However, regular dishwasher use may cause clear parts to become cloudy over time. Hand washing with warm, soapy water is recommended for these parts to maintain clarity.
4. Wipe the motor base with a damp cloth. Do not immerse the motor base in water or any other liquid.
5. Dry all parts thoroughly before reassembling or storing.

## 7. TROUBLESHOOTING

Refer to the table below for common issues and their solutions.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Appliance does not turn on.	Not plugged in; Lid or work bowl not securely locked; Power outage.	Ensure plug is firmly in outlet; Check that the work bowl and lid are correctly assembled and locked; Check household circuit breaker.
Food is not processing evenly.	Work bowl is overfilled; Ingredients are too large; Incorrect blade/disc used.	Reduce the amount of food; Cut ingredients into smaller, uniform pieces; Ensure the correct blade/disc is installed for the task.
Lid is difficult to lock/unlock.	Parts are not aligned correctly; Food debris obstructing mechanism.	Ensure the lid and work bowl tabs are perfectly aligned before twisting; Clean any food residue from the locking mechanisms.

## 8. SPECIFICATIONS

Detailed specifications for the Russell Hobbs FP3100RDR Food Processor:

Feature	Detail
Brand	Russell Hobbs
Model Name	Retro Style
Item Model Number	FP3100RDR
Color	Red
Capacity	8-Cup (64-oz)
Number of Speeds	2 + Pulse Function
Power Source	Corded Electric
Included Components	Chopping Blade, Reversible Slicing/Shredding Disc, Dough Tool
Product Dimensions	8.07 x 10.01 x 14.17 inches
Item Weight	7.68 pounds

Feature	Detail
Product Care Instructions	Dishwasher Safe (removable parts)



Image 8.1: The Russell Hobbs FP3100RDR Food Processor with its approximate dimensions (17.5 inches height, 7.3 inches width) indicated.

## 9. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information, product registration, or customer support, please refer to the warranty card included with your purchase or visit the official Russell Hobbs website. You may also contact customer service directly for assistance.

**Website:** [www.russellhobbs.com](http://www.russellhobbs.com)

**Customer Service:** Refer to your product packaging or the official website for regional contact details.

 <p>Russell Hobbs INSTRUCTIONS AND WARRANTY RUSSELL HOBBS JUG BLENDER AND FOOD PROCESSOR COMBO MODEL NO. 18040-56   18040</p>	<p><a href="#">Russell Hobbs Desire Jug Blender and Food Processor Combo Instructions and Warranty</a> Comprehensive instructions and warranty information for the Russell Hobbs Desire Jug Blender and Food Processor Combo, including features, important safeguards, parts diagrams, usage guides, care and maintenance, and warranty terms.</p>
 <p>Russell Hobbs FOOD PROCESSOR 2 YEAR WARRANTY INSTRUCTIONS &amp; WARRANTY</p>	<p><a href="#">Russell Hobbs RHFPT1 Food Processor: Instructions, Warranty &amp; Recipes</a> Comprehensive guide for the Russell Hobbs RHFPT1 Food Processor, covering safety, operation, care, troubleshooting, and a variety of recipes.</p>
 <p>Russell Hobbs 24732-56</p>	<p><a href="#">Russell Hobbs 24732-56 Food Processor User Manual</a> Comprehensive user manual and safety instructions for the Russell Hobbs 24732-56 food processor, detailing preparation, operation of attachments, care, and maintenance.</p>
 <p>Russell Hobbs 27080-56</p>	<p><a href="#">Russell Hobbs 27080-56 Rice Cooker and Steamer User Manual</a> Comprehensive user manual for the Russell Hobbs 27080-56 Rice Cooker and Steamer, detailing operation, safety, maintenance, and cooking times for effortless meal preparation.</p>
 <p>Russell Hobbs 27170-56</p>	<p><a href="#">Russell Hobbs 27170-56 Air Fryer User Manual</a> Comprehensive user manual for the Russell Hobbs 27170-56 Air Fryer. Learn about safe operation, setup, cooking functions, times, temperatures, and maintenance for your Russell Hobbs air fryer.</p>
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