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# Salter Digital Kitchen Timer

**MODEL: 355 BKXCDU**

User Manual

## Introduction

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This manual provides instructions for the Salter Digital Kitchen Timer, Model 355 BKXCDU. This versatile timer features both count-up and count-down functions, an adjustable loud beeper, and a clear LCD display. It is designed for ease of use in various kitchen environments, offering magnetic attachment or self-standing placement.

## Setup

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### Battery Installation

The Salter Digital Kitchen Timer requires 2 AA batteries (included). To install or replace batteries:

1. Locate the battery compartment cover on the back of the timer.
2. Slide the cover downwards to open.
3. Insert 2 AA batteries, ensuring the correct polarity (+/-) as indicated inside the compartment.
4. Replace the battery compartment cover by sliding it upwards until it clicks into place.



Image: Back view of the timer, highlighting the battery compartment and magnetic pads for attachment.

### Initial Power-On

After battery installation, the timer display will automatically turn on. If the display does not appear, check battery polarity or replace with fresh batteries.

### Operating Instructions

#### Setting the Timer (Count-Down)

To set a specific time for the count-down function:

1. Press the **HOUR** button to set the desired hours.
2. Press the **MIN** button to set the desired minutes.
3. Press the **SEC** button to set the desired seconds.
4. The maximum setting is 19 hours, 59 minutes, and 59 seconds.
5. Once the desired time is set, press the **START/STOP** button to begin the count-down.
6. To pause the count-down, press **START/STOP** again. Press it once more to resume.
7. When the timer reaches zero, an alarm will sound. Press **START/STOP** to silence the alarm.



Image: A hand demonstrating how to press the minute button to set the timer.

## Count-Up Function

To use the timer as a stopwatch (count-up function):

1. Ensure the timer display shows "0:00:00". If not, press **HOUR**, **MIN**, and **SEC** simultaneously to reset.
2. Press the **START/STOP** button to begin counting up from zero.
3. To pause the count-up, press **START/STOP** again. Press it once more to resume.
4. The count-up function can track time up to 19 hours, 59 minutes, and 59 seconds.

## Memory Function

The timer features a memory function to recall the last set count-down time. After the timer has counted down and the alarm has sounded (or if you stop it mid-countdown and reset to zero), pressing the **HOUR** and **MIN** buttons simultaneously will recall the previous count-down setting.

## Adjusting Beeper Volume

The timer has 3 adjustable volume levels for the alarm. A dedicated button on the side of the timer allows you to cycle through the volume settings (Low, Medium, High). Select the volume level appropriate for your environment.

## Placement Options

The Salter Digital Kitchen Timer offers flexible placement options:

- **Magnetic Attachment:** The back of the timer is equipped with strong magnets, allowing it to be securely attached to metallic surfaces such as refrigerators or oven doors.
- **Self-Standing:** A built-in stand on the back allows the timer to be placed upright on any flat surface, such as a kitchen counter or table.

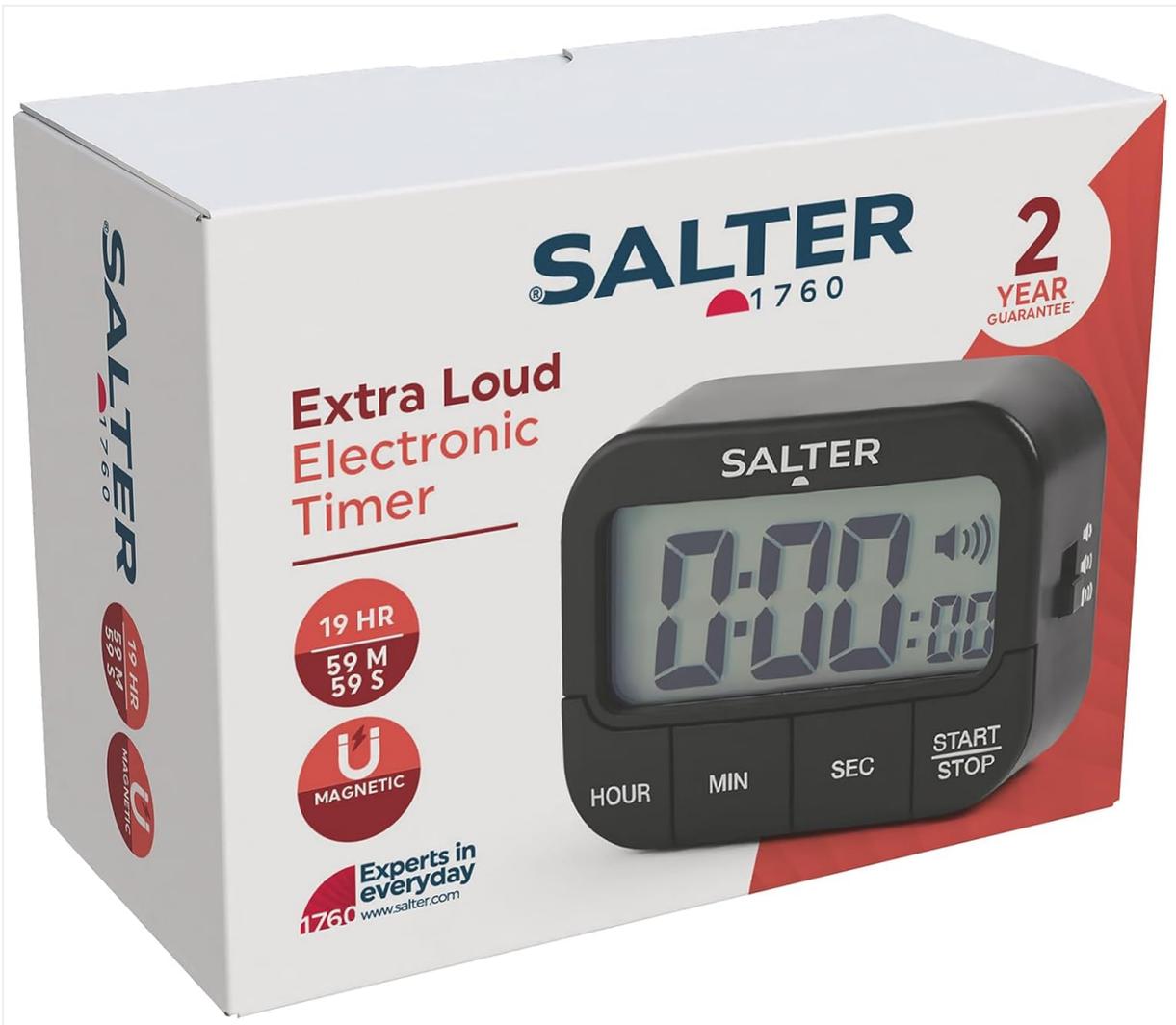


Image: Timer magnetically attached to an oven for convenient viewing.



**Image:** Timer standing upright on a kitchen counter, demonstrating its self-standing capability.

## Maintenance

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### Cleaning

To clean your timer, wipe it with a soft, damp cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners or immerse the timer in water, as this can damage the electronic components.

### Battery Replacement

When the display becomes dim or the timer functions erratically, it is time to replace the batteries. Follow the battery installation steps outlined in the "Setup" section.

## Troubleshooting

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- **Timer does not turn on or display is blank:**  
Check if the batteries are inserted correctly with the correct polarity. Replace the batteries with new AA batteries if necessary.
- **Alarm is too quiet or too loud:**  
Adjust the volume using the dedicated volume button on the side of the timer. Cycle through the 3 available volume levels to find your preferred setting.

- **Timer not responding to button presses:**

Ensure the batteries are not depleted. Try replacing them. If the issue persists, reset the timer by removing and reinserting the batteries.

- **Difficulty setting the time:**

Ensure you are pressing the HOUR, MIN, and SEC buttons individually to adjust the respective values. To reset the timer to zero, press HOUR, MIN, and SEC simultaneously.

## Specifications

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- **Model Number:** 355 BKXCDU
- **Color:** Black
- **Material:** Plastic
- **Product Dimensions:** 1.18"D x 3.15"W x 2.28"H (3cm D x 8cm W x 5.8cm H)
- **Item Weight:** 0.13 Kilograms (4.6 ounces)
- **Batteries:** 2 x AA batteries (included)
- **Screen Size:** 7.9 Centimeters
- **Maximum Timer Duration:** 19 hours, 59 minutes, 59 seconds
- **Beeper Volume Levels:** 3 (Adjustable)



**Image:** Front view of the timer with approximate width (7.5cm) and height (6cm) dimensions indicated.

## Warranty

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This Salter Digital Kitchen Timer comes with a **2-year guarantee** from the date of purchase. Please retain your proof of purchase for warranty claims. The warranty covers defects in materials and workmanship under normal use. It does not cover damage caused by misuse, accidents, or unauthorized modifications.

## **Customer Support**

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For further assistance, troubleshooting, or warranty inquiries, please visit the official Salter website or contact their customer service department. Refer to the product packaging or the Salter website for the most current contact information.