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USER MANUAL

1. Important Safety Instructions

Please read all instructions carefully before using the V-Guard VIC-07 V3 Induction Cooktop. Retain this manual for future reference.

- Do not immerse the appliance, cord, or plug in water or other liquids.
- Ensure the power supply voltage matches the rating label on the appliance.
- Keep the appliance away from children and pets.
- Do not operate the appliance with a damaged cord or plug. Contact authorized service personnel for repairs.
- Place the cooktop on a stable, flat, heat-resistant surface, away from walls or other appliances to ensure proper ventilation.
- Do not place metallic objects such as knives, forks, spoons, lids, cans, or aluminum foil on the induction cooktop surface, as they can become hot.
- Avoid touching the hot surface immediately after cooking. The ceramic plate may retain residual heat.
- Do not block the air vents during operation.
- Unplug the cooktop when not in use and before cleaning.
- Individuals with pacemakers or similar medical devices should consult their doctor before using an induction cooktop.

2. Product Overview

Familiarize yourself with the components and control panel of your V-Guard VIC-07 V3 Induction Cooktop.

Multifunctional Cooking



5 Auto Indian Cooking Modes
Dosa/Roti, Idli, Milk, Boil & Warm



Dosa/Roti



Idli



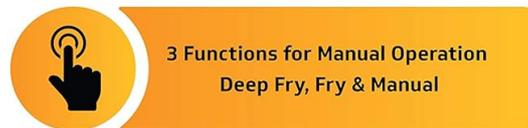
Milk



Boil



Warm



3 Functions for Manual Operation
Deep Fry, Fry & Manual



Deep Fry



Fry



Manual

Figure 2.1: Control Panel Layout of the V-Guard VIC-07 V3 Induction Cooktop. This image displays the various buttons and the 4-digit LED display, including the Timer Button, Power ON/OFF, Menu Selector, Auto Indian Cooking Modes, Power Level Increase/Decrease, and Voltage Indication.

4-Digit LED Display: Shows power level, temperature, timer, and error codes.

Power ON/OFF Button: To switch the appliance on or off.

Timer Button: Activates the timer function.

Menu Selector: Cycles through various cooking modes.

Up/Down Buttons (+/-): Adjusts power, temperature, or time settings.

Volt/Units Button: Displays voltage or power consumption.

3. Setup and Installation

Follow these steps to set up your induction cooktop for first use.

1. **Unpacking:** Carefully remove the cooktop from its packaging. Inspect for any damage. Keep packaging materials for future transport or disposal.
2. **Placement:** Place the cooktop on a dry, stable, and heat-resistant surface. Ensure there is at least 10-15 cm of clear space around the appliance for adequate ventilation. Do not place it near heat sources or on metallic surfaces.

3. **Power Connection:** Plug the power cord into a grounded electrical outlet. Ensure the outlet rating matches the cooktop's requirements (1600 Watts).

4. Operating Instructions

This section details how to use your V-Guard VIC-07 V3 Induction Cooktop for various cooking needs.

4.1. Basic Operation

1. Place suitable cookware (refer to Section 5) with food on the center of the ceramic plate.
2. Plug the appliance into a power outlet. The cooktop will emit a beep, and the display will show '----'.
3. Press the **Power ON/OFF** button. The cooktop will enter standby mode.
4. Select a cooking mode or adjust power/temperature.
5. To turn off, press the **Power ON/OFF** button again. The display will show '----' and then turn off.

4.2. Auto Indian Cooking Modes

The cooktop features 5 pre-programmed auto Indian cooking modes for convenience.

Effortless & Convenient Cooking



Soft Switch Controls
for Easy Use



4 Hours Timer and
24 Hours Preset
Function



4 Digit LED Display



Easy to Clean

Figure 4.1: Illustration of the 5 Auto Indian Cooking Modes (Dosa/Roti, Idli, Milk, Boil, Warm) and 3 Manual Operation Functions (Deep Fry, Fry, Manual) available on the V-Guard VIC-07 V3 Induction Cooktop.

- **Dosa/Roti:** Optimized for flatbreads.
- **Idli:** Suitable for steaming idlis.
- **Milk:** Gentle heating for milk to prevent boiling over.
- **Boil:** High power for boiling water or other liquids.
- **Warm:** Maintains food at a warm temperature.

To select an auto mode, press the **Menu Selector** button repeatedly until the desired mode is displayed. The cooktop will automatically adjust power and temperature.

4.3. Manual Operation

For precise control, use the manual cooking functions:

- **Deep Fry:** High power for deep frying.
- **Fry:** Medium to high power for general frying.
- **Manual:** Allows full control over power and temperature settings.

After selecting a manual mode, use the **Up/Down (+/-)** buttons to adjust the power level (from 120W to 1600W) or temperature (from 80°C to 240°C).



Figure 4.2: The V-Guard VIC-07 V3 Induction Cooktop offers a power range of 120W to 1600W and variable temperature settings from 80°C to 240°C for precise cooking control.

4.4. Timer and Preset Functions

The cooktop includes a timer and preset function for delayed cooking.

Suitable Cookwares

Test Your Cookware



Magnet sticks to the bottom ✓

Magnet does not stick to the bottom ✗

Compatible Cookware
Flat Bottom Stainless Steel, Iron, utensils with base diameter larger than 12 cm

Incompatible Cookware
Non-Flat bottom, Glass, Ceramic & Aluminium utensils with base diameter less than 12 cm

Figure 4.3: The V-Guard VIC-07 V3 Induction Cooktop features a 4-hour timer and a 24-hour preset function, along with a 4-digit LED display for easy monitoring.

- **Timer:** Press the **Timer** button after selecting a cooking mode. Use the **Up/Down (+/-)** buttons to set the desired cooking duration (up to 4 hours). The cooktop will automatically switch off when the timer expires.
- **Preset:** This function allows you to set a delayed start time (up to 24 hours). Consult the full manual for detailed instructions on setting the preset function.

4.5. Voltage Indication

Press the **Volt/Units** button to view the current voltage or power consumption on the LED display.

5. Cookware Compatibility

For efficient and safe operation, only use induction-compatible cookware.

Safe Cooking



Cool touch surface



Auto cut off feature
cooks food safely

Figure 5.1: Guide to suitable and incompatible cookware for the V-Guard VIC-07 V3 Induction Cooktop. Compatible cookware has a flat, magnetic bottom (e.g., stainless steel, iron) with a base diameter larger than 12 cm. Incompatible cookware includes non-magnetic materials like glass, ceramic, or aluminum, or those with a base diameter less than 12 cm.

- **Compatible Cookware:** Use pots and pans made of magnetic materials such as cast iron, enameled iron, stainless steel (with a magnetic bottom), or flat-bottomed utensils with a base diameter larger than 12 cm. A simple magnet test can confirm compatibility: if a magnet sticks to the bottom of the cookware, it is suitable.
- **Incompatible Cookware:** Do not use cookware made of non-magnetic materials like glass, ceramic, copper, aluminum, or those with a concave bottom or a base diameter less than 12 cm.

6. Maintenance and Cleaning

Proper maintenance ensures the longevity and optimal performance of your induction cooktop.

Suitable Cookwares

Test Your Cookware



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Compatible Cookware

Flat Bottom Stainless Steel, Iron, utensils with base diameter larger than 12 cm



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Figure 6.1: The smooth surface of the V-Guard VIC-07 V3 Induction Cooktop makes it easy to clean with a damp cloth.

1. Always unplug the cooktop and allow it to cool completely before cleaning.
2. Wipe the ceramic glass surface with a soft, damp cloth and a mild detergent. For stubborn stains, use a specialized induction cooktop cleaner.
3. Do not use abrasive cleaners, scouring pads, or harsh chemicals, as these can scratch or damage the surface.
4. Clean the air inlet/outlet vents regularly to prevent dust accumulation, which can affect performance. Use a soft brush or vacuum cleaner.
5. Never immerse the cooktop in water or spray water directly onto it.

7. Troubleshooting

Refer to this section for common issues and their solutions.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Cooktop does not turn on.	No power supply; loose plug; power outage.	Check power cord connection; ensure outlet is functional; check circuit breaker.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Cooktop beeps and displays an error code (e.g., E0, E1).	Incompatible cookware; no cookware on surface; overheating.	Use induction-compatible cookware; place cookware on surface; allow cooktop to cool down.
Cooking process is slow or inefficient.	Incorrect power setting; unsuitable cookware; insufficient ventilation.	Increase power level; ensure cookware is fully compatible; clear ventilation openings.
Fan continues to run after turning off.	Normal cooling process.	This is normal. The fan will stop automatically once the internal components have cooled.

If the problem persists after attempting these solutions, please contact V-Guard customer service.

8. Specifications

Technical details of the V-Guard VIC-07 V3 Induction Cooktop.

Model Number: VIC07

Brand: V-Guard

Power: 1600 Watts

Power Source: Corded Electric

Material: Acrylonitrile Butadiene Styrene (ABS Top Frame, PP Bottom Frame)

Color: Black

Item Weight: 2 kg 300 g

Item Dimensions (LxWxH): 35 x 29 x 6 Centimeters

Included Components: Countertop Burner

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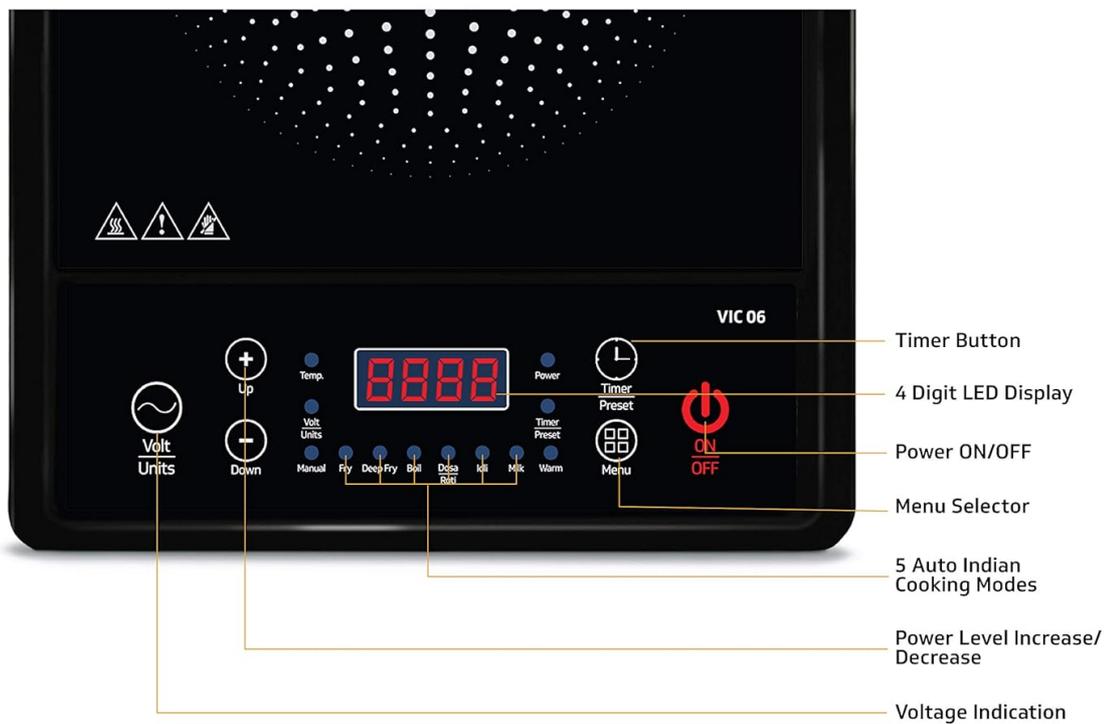


Figure 8.1: Dimensions of the V-Guard VIC-07 V3 Induction Cooktop, showing its compact design for easy storage and a 1.3m cord length for convenient usage.

9. Warranty and Support

V-Guard products are built for durability and performance. For warranty information, service requests, or technical support, please refer to the warranty card included with your product or visit the official V-Guard website.

Keep your purchase receipt as proof of purchase for warranty claims.

V-Guard Customer Service: For assistance, please contact V-Guard customer support through their official channels.