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Model: Duo Mini 7-in-1 | Brand: Instant

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Instant Pot Duo Mini 7-in-1 is a versatile electric pressure cooker designed to simplify your cooking experience. It combines the functions of seven common kitchen appliances into one compact unit, saving valuable counter space. This appliance serves as a pressure cooker, slow cooker, rice cooker, steamer, sauté pan, yogurt maker, and food warmer.



The Instant Pot Duo Mini 7-in-1 electric pressure cooker shown alongside its 3-quart ceramic non-stick inner cooking pot.



The Instant Pot Duo Mini 7-in-1 in a kitchen setting, demonstrating its use for preparing various meals such as pasta, rice, and desserts.

Equipped with 11 one-touch programs, the Duo Mini allows for quick and efficient preparation of a wide range of dishes, including soups, stews, beans, poultry, rice, and more. Its advanced technology monitors pressure and temperature, adjusting heating intensity and duration to ensure consistent results. This model is particularly suited for small households or for preparing side dishes due to its compact 3-quart capacity.

SETUP AND FIRST USE

Unboxing and Initial Cleaning

Carefully remove all components from the packaging. Before first use, wash the inner cooking pot, sealing ring, and lid thoroughly with warm, soapy water. Wipe the exterior of the cooker base with a damp cloth. Ensure all parts are completely dry before assembly.

Placement

Place the Instant Pot on a stable, level surface away from heat sources and direct sunlight. Ensure there is adequate clearance around the unit for proper ventilation, especially above the steam release valve.

Initial Test Run (Water Test)

It is recommended to perform a water test before cooking food. This helps familiarize you with the pressure cooking function and ensures the unit is operating correctly.

1. Add 2 cups (480 ml) of water to the inner pot.
2. Place the lid on the cooker and align the triangle mark on the lid with the triangle mark on the cooker base. Turn the lid clockwise until it locks.
3. Ensure the steam release handle is in the "Sealing" position.
4. Press the "Pressure Cook" button, then adjust the time to 5 minutes.
5. The cooker will begin preheating, then pressure cook. Once cooking is complete, allow for natural pressure release or use quick release if comfortable.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

The Instant Pot Duo Mini offers 7 primary functions and 11 smart programs for diverse cooking needs.

Cooking Functions

- **Pressure Cooker:** For fast cooking under pressure.
- **Slow Cooker:** For traditional slow cooking recipes.
- **Rice Cooker:** Optimized for various types of rice.
- **Steamer:** Ideal for steaming vegetables, fish, and more.
- **Sauté:** For browning meats or sautéing vegetables before cooking.
- **Yogurt Maker:** For preparing homemade yogurt.
- **Warmer:** Automatically keeps food warm after cooking.

One-Touch Programs

The 11 one-touch programs simplify cooking by pre-setting optimal time and temperature for common dishes:

- Soup/Broth
- Meat/Stew
- Bean/Chili
- Poultry
- Sauté/Searing
- Steam
- Rice
- Porridge
- Slow Cook
- Keep Warm
- Yogurt

To use a program, simply press the corresponding button. You can adjust the cooking time using the '+' and '-' buttons if needed.

MAINTENANCE AND CLEANING

Regular cleaning and maintenance ensure the longevity and optimal performance of your Instant Pot Duo Mini.

- **Inner Pot:** The 3-quart ceramic non-stick inner pot is dishwasher safe. For best results, wash after each use.
- **Lid:** Remove the sealing ring and anti-block shield from the lid. Wash the lid, sealing ring, and anti-block shield with warm, soapy water. Ensure the steam release valve is clear of any food debris.

- **Exterior:** Wipe the exterior of the cooker base with a damp cloth. Never immerse the cooker base in water or any other liquid.
- **Condensation Collector:** Empty and clean the condensation collector after each use.

Always ensure all parts are completely dry before reassembling and storing the appliance.

TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your Instant Pot Duo Mini, refer to the common solutions below. For persistent problems, contact customer support.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Steam leaking from lid during pressure cooking	Sealing ring not properly installed or damaged; food debris on sealing ring or rim.	Check and re-install sealing ring; clean sealing ring and rim; replace sealing ring if damaged.
Food not cooking properly	Insufficient liquid; incorrect cooking time/pressure level; lid not sealed correctly.	Ensure minimum liquid requirements are met; verify program settings; re-seal lid.
Display shows error code	Specific internal issue.	Refer to the full user manual for specific error code meanings or contact customer support.

SPECIFICATIONS







- **Brand:** Instant
- **Model:** Duo Mini 7-in-1
- **Capacity:** 3 Quarts
- **Material:** Ceramic, Plastic
- **Special Feature:** One-Touch Operation, Programmable
- **Control Method:** Touch
- **Controller Type:** Push Button
- **Operation Mode:** Automatic
- **Is Dishwasher Safe:** Yes (Inner Pot)
- **ASIN:** B08F31F4M3
- **Date First Available:** July 31, 2020

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information, please refer to the documentation included with your product at the time of purchase. For technical support, troubleshooting assistance, or to inquire about replacement parts, please visit the official Instant Pot website or contact their customer service department.

You can also refer to the full [User Manual \(PDF\)](#) for more detailed instructions and safety guidelines.



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