

## BLACK+DECKER RXZER23

# BLACK+DECKER 10-Speed Blender Instruction Manual

Model: RXZER23

## 1. INTRODUCTION

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Thank you for choosing the BLACK+DECKER 10-Speed Blender. This appliance is designed for efficient blending of various ingredients, from smoothies to sauces. Featuring a powerful 550-watt motor, a durable 5-cup (1.18 liter) glass jar, and a multi-level stainless steel blade, this blender offers versatility and ease of use. Please read this manual thoroughly before operating your new blender to ensure safe and proper use.

## 2. IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

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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 before using the appliance.
- To protect against electrical shock, do not immerse cord, plugs, or appliance 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. Contact customer service for examination, repair, or adjustment.
- 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.
- Keep hands and utensils out of container while blending to prevent the possibility of severe injury to persons or damage to the blender. A scraper may be used but must be used only when the blender is not running.
- Blades are sharp. Handle carefully.
- Always operate blender with lid in place.
- Do not blend hot liquids.
- Do not operate the blender empty.

- Do not overfill the blender jar.

### 3. PRODUCT COMPONENTS

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Familiarize yourself with the parts of your BLACK+DECKER 10-Speed Blender:

- **Lid:** Seals the jar during blending.
- **5-Cup (1.18 Liter) Glass Jar:** Durable jar with measurement markings.
- **Blade Assembly:** Multi-level stainless steel blades for efficient blending.
- **Motor Base:** Houses the powerful 550-watt motor and control panel.



Figure 3.1: The BLACK+DECKER 10-Speed Blender with a variety of fruits and ice in its glass jar, ready for blending. This image showcases the overall design and capacity of the blender.







Figure 3.2: A detailed view of the BLACK+DECKER 10-Speed Blender, highlighting the clear glass jar with visible cup and ounce measurement markings. The control panel with 10-speed settings and pulse function is also clearly visible.



Figure 3.3: The BLACK+DECKER 10-Speed Blender positioned on a kitchen countertop, demonstrating its compact size and how it fits into a typical kitchen environment. The power outlet is visible in the background.

## 4. SETUP AND ASSEMBLY

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1. **Unpack:** Carefully remove all parts from the packaging.
2. **Wash Parts:** Before first use, wash the glass jar, lid, and blade assembly in warm, soapy water. Rinse thoroughly and dry. These parts are also dishwasher-safe.
3. **Assemble Jar:** Ensure the sealing gasket is properly seated on the blade assembly. Screw the blade assembly onto the bottom of the glass jar until secure.
4. **Place Jar on Base:** Place the assembled jar onto the motor base, ensuring it is seated firmly and correctly aligned.
5. **Position Lid:** Place the lid securely on top of the glass jar.

## 5. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

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Follow these steps to operate your blender:

1. **Add Ingredients:** Place your desired ingredients into the glass jar. Do not exceed the maximum fill line (40 oz / 5 cups). For best results, add liquids first, then soft ingredients, and finally harder ingredients or ice.
2. **Secure Lid:** Ensure the lid is firmly in place on the jar.

3. **Plug In:** Plug the blender into a standard electrical outlet.
4. **Select Speed:** Choose your desired speed setting (1-10) using the control panel buttons. Start with a lower speed and gradually increase if needed.
5. **Use Pulse Function:** For short bursts of power or to chop ingredients, press and hold the 'Pulse' button. Release to stop.
6. **Blend:** Allow the blender to run until desired consistency is achieved.
7. **Turn Off:** Once blending is complete, press the 'Off' button or unplug the unit.
8. **Remove Jar:** Carefully remove the jar from the motor base and pour out contents.

## 6. CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE

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Proper cleaning and maintenance will extend the life of your blender:

- **Always Unplug:** Ensure the blender is unplugged from the power outlet before cleaning.
- **Dishwasher Safe Parts:** The glass jar, lid, and blade assembly are top-rack dishwasher safe.
- **Hand Washing:** For hand washing, disassemble the jar, blade, and lid. Wash with warm, soapy water using a non-abrasive cloth or sponge. Rinse thoroughly. Be extremely careful when handling the sharp blades.
- **Motor Base:** Wipe the motor base with a damp cloth. Do not immerse the motor base in water or any other liquid.
- **Stubborn Stains:** For stubborn stains in the jar, fill it with warm water and a drop of dish soap, then run the blender on a low speed for a few seconds. Rinse well.
- **Storage:** Store the blender in a clean, dry place. You can store the jar assembled on the motor base or separately.

## 7. TROUBLESHOOTING

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Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Blender does not turn on.	Not plugged in; power outlet not working; jar not seated correctly.	Ensure blender is securely plugged in. Check power outlet with another appliance. Re-seat the jar firmly on the motor base.
Ingredients are not blending smoothly.	Too little liquid; too many ingredients; ingredients are too large.	Add more liquid. Reduce the amount of ingredients. Cut larger ingredients into smaller pieces. Use the Pulse function to break up larger chunks.
Blender leaks from the bottom of the jar.	Blade assembly not tightened; gasket missing or improperly seated.	Ensure the blade assembly is securely screwed onto the jar. Check that the sealing gasket is correctly placed and not damaged.
Burning smell from motor.	New motor smell (initial use); motor overloaded.	A slight burning smell is normal for new motors during initial uses. If persistent or strong, reduce load, add more liquid, or blend in smaller batches. Allow motor to cool down.
Lid comes off during blending.	Lid not secured properly; jar overfilled.	Always ensure the lid is firmly pressed onto the jar before starting. Do not fill the jar above the maximum fill line.

## 8. SPECIFICATIONS

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Feature	Detail
Brand	BLACK+DECKER
Model Number	RXZER23
Color	Black
Capacity	1.18 Liters (5-cup / 40-oz)
Power/Wattage	550 Watts
Material	Stainless Steel, Glass
Number of Speeds	10
Special Features	Portable
Item Weight	3.06 kg
Included Components	Lid, 5-cup Jar
Power Source	Corded Electric

## 9. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

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For warranty information and customer support, please refer to the warranty card included with your product at the time of purchase. You may also visit the official BLACK+DECKER website for further assistance and product registration.