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Campingaz Camp Bistro 3 Stove Instruction Manual

Model: Camp Bistro 3



Image: The Campingaz Camp Bistro 3 single-burner gas stove, featuring a grey body, black burner, and control knob on the right side.

Introduction

The Campingaz Camp Bistro 3 Gas Stove is a powerful, practical, and compact single-burner camping stove designed for outdoor cooking. It features a 2200-watt capacity, piezo ignition, and an infinitely adjustable flame, making it suitable for various outdoor activities such as picnics, camping trips, and general outdoor cooking needs. Its robust construction and integrated safety features ensure reliable and safe operation.
The stove is powered by a Campingaz CP250 gas cartridge (not included) which is housed in an integrated compartment. It comes with a durable plastic carry case for easy and safe transport and storage.

Safety Information

Always prioritize safety when operating gas appliances. Read and understand all instructions before use.

- **Outdoor Use Only:** This appliance is designed exclusively for outdoor use. Do not operate indoors or in enclosed spaces.
- **Ventilation:** Ensure adequate ventilation during operation to prevent carbon monoxide buildup.
- **Gas Cartridge Safety:** The stove features a double safety valve integrated into the gas regulator to prevent accidental leakage. A cartridge safety locking system ensures the cartridge is securely inserted. Always ensure the cartridge is correctly seated and locked before ignition.
- **Overheating Protection:** If the stove overheats, a double safety function is designed to interrupt the gas supply and eject the cartridge.
- **Stable Surface:** Always place the stove on a stable, level, non-combustible surface away from flammable materials.
- **Children and Pets:** Keep children and pets away from the stove during operation and when it is hot.
- **Storage:** Store the stove and gas cartridges in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area, away from direct sunlight and heat sources.

Setup

1. **Unpack the Stove:** Remove the Camp Bistro 3 stove from its transport case.
2. **Prepare the Gas Cartridge Compartment:** Locate the gas cartridge compartment on the side of the stove. Open the compartment cover.
3. **Insert Gas Cartridge:**



Image: A hand inserting a blue Campingaz CP250 gas cartridge into the side compartment of the Camp Bistro 3 stove. The compartment cover is open.

Ensure the stove's control knob is in the "OFF" position. Align the collar of a Campingaz CP250 gas cartridge with the connection point inside the compartment. Push the cartridge firmly into place until it clicks securely. The cartridge should be fully seated.



Image: A close-up view of a hand inserting a Campingaz CP250 gas cartridge into the stove's gas compartment. The cartridge is blue with white lettering.

4. **Lock the Cartridge:** Slide the cartridge locking lever (usually marked "LOCK" or with an arrow) to the "LOCK" position to secure the gas cartridge. This ensures a proper and safe connection.



Image: A hand pressing down on the locking lever next to the control knob on the Camp Bistro 3 stove, indicating the cartridge is being secured.

5. **Close Compartment:** Close the gas cartridge compartment cover.

Operating Instructions

1. **Place Cookware:** Place your pot or pan (diameter between 12 cm and 26 cm) centrally on the sturdy enameled pan support.



Image: The Camp Bistro 3 stove in use outdoors, with a wok placed on its burner, cooking vegetables. This demonstrates the stove's capacity for standard pots and pans.

2. **Ignition:**



Image: A close-up of the Camp Bistro 3 stove's burner, showing a strong blue flame, indicating successful ignition and operation.

Turn the control knob counter-clockwise towards the "MAX" position until you hear a click. This activates the piezo ignition and ignites the gas. If the stove does not ignite on the first attempt, return the knob to "OFF" and try again.



Image: A hand turning the control knob of the Camp Bistro 3 stove, which has markings for OFF, MIN, MAX, and IGNITION, demonstrating the ignition process.

3. **Adjusting Flame:** Once ignited, you can infinitely adjust the flame intensity by rotating the control knob between "MIN" and "MAX" to achieve your desired cooking temperature.
4. **Turning Off:** To turn off the stove, rotate the control knob clockwise to the "OFF" position. Ensure the flame is completely extinguished.
5. **Disconnecting Cartridge (Optional):** For storage or transport, you can disconnect the gas cartridge even if it's not completely empty. First, ensure the stove is off and cool. Then, slide the cartridge locking lever to the "UNLOCK" position and carefully remove the cartridge. Close the compartment cover.

Maintenance

- **Cleaning:** The stove features a solid enameled pan support that is easy to clean. Allow the stove to cool completely before cleaning. Wipe down the surfaces with a damp cloth and mild detergent. Do not use abrasive cleaners or scouring pads.
- **Pan Support:** The hob/pan support cannot be removed for cleaning. Clean it in place carefully.
- **Storage:** After cleaning and ensuring the stove is dry, store it in its original plastic carry case. Store in a cool, dry, well-

ventilated place, away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures. Ensure the gas cartridge is disconnected if storing for an extended period.



Image: A person carrying the Campingaz Camp Bistro 3 stove in its durable black plastic carry case, highlighting its portability and ease of transport.

Troubleshooting

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Stove does not ignite.	Gas cartridge not inserted correctly. Cartridge not locked. No gas in cartridge. Ignition mechanism faulty.	Ensure cartridge is fully seated and clicked into place. Slide the locking lever to the "LOCK" position. Replace with a new Campingaz CP250 cartridge. Contact customer support if ignition fails consistently.
Flame is weak or inconsistent.	Low gas in cartridge. Partial blockage in gas line/burner.	Replace gas cartridge. Ensure burner is clean and free of debris.
Gas smell detected.	Loose cartridge connection. Damaged cartridge or stove.	Immediately turn off the stove. Check cartridge connection. If smell persists, move to a well-ventilated area and do not use the stove. Contact customer support.

Specifications

Feature	Detail

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Model Name	Camp Bistro 3
Power Output	2200 Watts (2.2 kW)
Fuel Type	Propane (Campingaz CP250 cartridge)
Ignition	Piezo ignition
Gas Consumption	160 g/h
Run Time (approx.)	1 hour 15 minutes (with CP250 cartridge)
Boiling Time (1L water)	5 minutes 30 seconds (approx.)
Pot Support Diameter	Ø 12 cm - 26 cm
Dimensions (L x W x H)	34 x 28 x 13 cm (13.39"L x 11.02"W x 5.12"H)
Weight	1.5 kg (3.3 lbs)
Surface Material	Stainless steel
Case Material	Plastic (100% recycled plastic material for carry case)
Included Components	Stove, Transport Case



Image: A diagram illustrating the dimensions of the Camp Bistro 3 stove, with measurements of 13.39 inches (length), 11.02 inches (width), and 5.12 inches (height).

Warranty and Support

Warranty: The product comes with an EU Spare Part Availability Duration of 1 year. Please retain your proof of purchase for warranty claims.

Support: For technical assistance, spare parts, or inquiries, please refer to the official Campingaz website or contact their customer service. Campingaz maintains an extensive gas cartridge distribution network across Europe. For a full list of dealers and support information, visit campingaz.com/gasfinder.

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