

Cuisinart TOA-70BKS

Cuisinart Air Fryer Toaster Oven with Grill TOA-70BKS Instruction Manual

1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential information for the safe and efficient operation, maintenance, and care of your Cuisinart Air Fryer Toaster Oven with Grill, Model TOA-70BKS. This versatile 1800-watt appliance combines multiple cooking functions, including air frying, toasting, baking, convection baking, broiling, convection broiling, grilling, and warming, offering a comprehensive solution for your culinary needs.

2. IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

Before using the appliance, please read all instructions thoroughly. Always follow basic safety precautions to reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, and injury to persons. This product contains chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm (Proposition 65 warning).

- Do not touch hot surfaces. Use handles or knobs.
- To protect against electric 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 and before cleaning. Allow to cool before putting on or taking off parts.
- Do not operate any appliance with a damaged cord or plug, or after the appliance malfunctions or has been damaged in any manner.
- The use of accessory attachments not recommended by Cuisinart may cause injuries.
- Do not use outdoors.
- Do not let cord hang over edge of table or counter, or touch hot surfaces.
- Do not place on or near a hot gas or electric burner, or in a heated oven.
- Extreme caution must be used when moving an appliance containing hot oil or other hot liquids.
- To disconnect, turn any control to OFF, then remove plug from wall outlet.
- Do not use appliance for other than intended use.
- Oversized foods or metal utensils must not be inserted in a toaster oven as they may create a fire or risk of electric shock.
- A fire may occur if the toaster oven is covered or touching flammable material, including curtains, drapes, walls, and the like, when in operation.

- Do not store any materials, other than Cuisinart's recommended accessories, in this oven when not in use.
- Do not place any of the following materials in the oven: paper, cardboard, plastic, and similar products.
- Do not cover crumb tray or any part of the oven with metal foil. This will cause overheating of the oven.
- Do not clean with metal scouring pads. Pieces can break off the pad and touch electrical parts, creating a risk of electric shock.
- Do not attempt to dislodge food when the oven is plugged into an electrical outlet.
- Do not operate your appliance in an appliance garage or under a wall cabinet.

3. PRODUCT FEATURES

The Cuisinart Air Fryer Toaster Oven with Grill TOA-70BKS is designed for maximum convenience and performance, featuring:

- **Versatile Cooking Functions:** 8-in-1 functionality including Air Fry, Toast, Bake, Convection Bake, Broil, Convection Broil, Grill, and Warm.
- **Spacious Capacity:** Large enough to toast 6 slices of bread, air fry 3 lbs. of chicken wings, bake a 12-inch pizza, or roast a 4-lb. chicken.
- **Superior Operation:** Equipped with an adjustable temperature dial (Warm-450°F), a 60-minute timer with auto-shutoff, and a toast shade selector for precise cooking control.
- **AirAdvantage Technology:** Features a top fan/heater assembly for optimized hot air flow, ensuring fast, crispy results and locking in flavor.
- **Durable Construction:** Modern brushed black stainless steel exterior and stainless steel easy-clean interior.
- **Convenient Design:** Extra-large window with integrated cooking guide and illuminated interior for easy monitoring.

4. INCLUDED COMPONENTS AND ACCESSORIES

Your Cuisinart Air Fryer Toaster Oven with Grill comes with the following accessories:



Reversible Grill/Griddle Plate: A ceramic non-stick plate for searing and griddling. This image shows all four accessories: the reversible grill/griddle plate, the air fryer basket, the baking/drip pan, and the oven rack.

Air Fry Basket: A mesh basket designed for optimal air circulation during air frying, ensuring crispy results.

Baking Pan/Drip Tray: A versatile pan that can be used for baking or as a drip tray to catch crumbs and drippings.

Oven Rack: A standard oven rack for various cooking methods.

5. SETUP

1. **Unpacking:** Carefully unpack the unit and remove all packaging materials.
2. **Placement:** Place the oven on a flat, stable, heat-resistant surface. Ensure adequate clearance (at least 4 inches) on all sides and above the unit for proper ventilation. Do not place under cabinets.

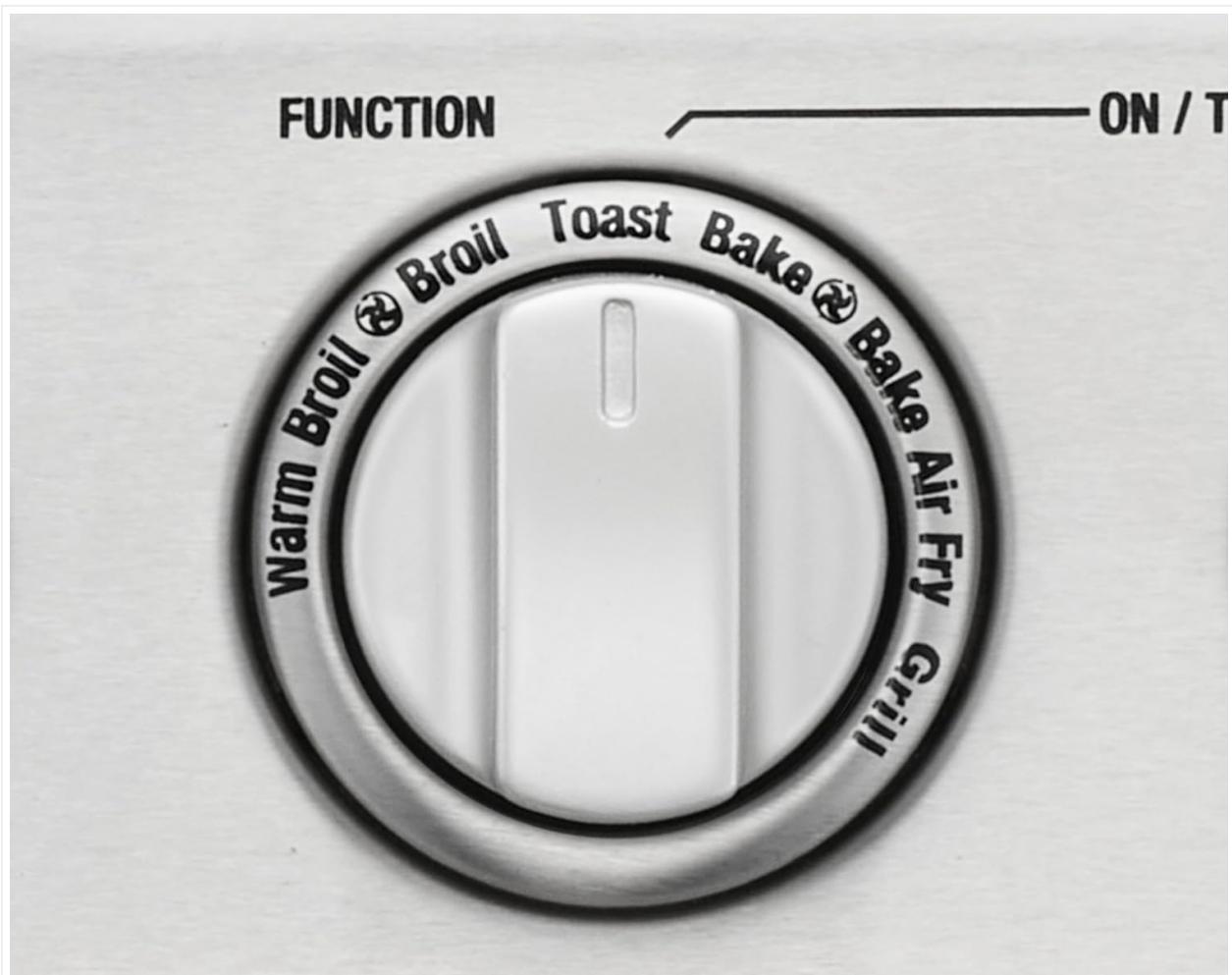
3. **Initial Cleaning:** Before first use, wipe the exterior with a damp cloth. Wash all removable accessories (oven rack, baking pan, air fry basket, grill/griddle plate) in warm, soapy water. Dry thoroughly.
4. **First Use Burn-Off:** It is recommended to run the oven empty for approximately 15 minutes at 350°F (175°C) to burn off any manufacturing oils. A slight odor or smoke may be present, which is normal. Ensure the area is well-ventilated.

6. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

The Cuisinart Air Fryer Toaster Oven with Grill features intuitive dial controls for easy operation.



The control panel features four dials for precise control over cooking functions, temperature, and time.



Air is the perfect way to fry..
roast, toast, bake, broil, grill—enjoy your food, your way.

A close-up of the function dial, highlighting the various cooking modes available.

Controls Overview:

1. **ON/OVEN TIMER Dial:** Sets the cooking time for oven functions (Bake, Broil, Air Fry, Grill, Warm). Turns the oven on when set.
2. **TEMPERATURE °F Dial:** Adjusts the cooking temperature from Warm to 450°F.
3. **FUNCTION Dial:** Selects the desired cooking mode: Warm, Broil, Toast, Bake, Convection Bake, Air Fry, Grill.
4. **ON/TOAST TIMER Dial:** Used specifically for the Toast function to select desired toast shade (Light, Medium, Dark) and activate toasting.
5. **POWER Button:** Illuminates when the oven is powered on.
6. **LIGHT Button:** Toggles the interior oven light on/off for monitoring food.

Cooking Functions:

- **Air Fry:** Ideal for crispy foods like french fries, chicken wings, and vegetables. Use the Air Fry Basket.
- **Toast:** For toasting bread, bagels, and waffles. Use the Oven Rack and Toast Timer.
- **Bake:** For general baking, such as cookies, cakes, and casseroles. Use the Baking Pan or Oven Rack.
- **Convection Bake:** Uses a fan to circulate hot air for faster, more even baking.

- **Broil:** For browning and searing. Use the Oven Rack or Baking Pan.
- **Convection Broil:** Combines broiling with convection for enhanced browning.
- **Grill:** Utilizes the reversible grill/griddle plate for searing meats and vegetables.
- **Warm:** Keeps cooked food warm without further cooking.



Large capacity

Air fry up to 3 lb., toast 6 bagel halves, roast a whole 3 lb. chicken, or make a 12" pizza.

The spacious interior allows for air frying a generous batch of french fries and cooking other items simultaneously, demonstrating its large capacity.



8 COOKING METHODS

AirFry, Convection Bake,
Convection Broil, Bake, Broil,
Warm, Toast and Grill

An illustration showcasing the diverse range of meals that can be prepared using the 8 distinct cooking methods of the appliance, from air-fried wings to baked goods.

7. CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE

Regular cleaning ensures optimal performance and longevity of your appliance.

1. **Always Unplug:** Before cleaning, always unplug the oven from the electrical outlet and allow it to cool completely.
2. **Removable Parts:** The oven rack, baking pan/drip tray, air fry basket, and reversible grill/griddle plate are removable for easy cleaning. Wash these accessories in warm, soapy water. They are not dishwasher safe and should be hand washed.
3. **Crumb Tray:** The bottom drip tray is designed to pull out for easy removal of crumbs and drippings. Clean regularly to prevent buildup.
4. **Interior:** The stainless steel interior is designed for easy cleaning. Wipe down with a damp cloth and mild detergent. Avoid abrasive cleaners or metal scouring pads.
5. **Exterior:** Wipe the exterior with a damp cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners or polishes.

8. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter any issues with your Cuisinart Air Fryer Toaster Oven with Grill, please refer to the following common troubleshooting tips:

- **Appliance Not Turning On:** Ensure the power cord is securely plugged into a working electrical outlet. Check if the timer dial is set to an active cooking time.
- **Food Not Cooking Evenly:** Ensure food is arranged in a single layer in the air fry basket or on the baking pan. Preheat the oven for the recommended time. Adjust rack position as needed.
- **Excessive Smoke:** This may be due to food drippings on the heating elements or crumb tray. Ensure the crumb tray is clean and use the baking pan as a drip tray when air frying fatty foods.
- **Toast Shade Inconsistent:** Adjust the toast shade selector. Different types of bread may require different

settings.

- **Oven Light Not Working:** Check if the light button has been pressed. If the bulb is faulty, contact customer support for assistance.

For further assistance, please contact Cuisinart Customer Service.

9. SPECIFICATIONS

Model Name	Airfryer Convection Toaster Oven
Model Number	TOA-70BKS
Brand	Cuisinart
Product Dimensions	12.25"D x 15.75"W x 13.75"H
Capacity	0.6 Cubic Feet
Material	Stainless Steel
Output Wattage	1800 Watts
Voltage	120 Volts
Max Temperature Setting	450 Degrees Fahrenheit
Control Method	Dial selector
Has Nonstick Coating	Yes (on grill/griddle)
Is Dishwasher Safe	No (Hand Wash Recommended)

Air Fryer Toaster Oven *with Grill*



A visual representation of the appliance's dimensions, showing its width of 15.75 inches, height of 13.75 inches, and depth of 12.25 inches.

10. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Cuisinart offers a 3-year limited warranty for this product, covering defects in materials and workmanship under normal home use. For warranty claims, product support, or to purchase replacement parts, please visit the official Cuisinart website or contact their customer service department.



The main product image of the Cuisinart Air Fryer Toaster Oven with Grill, featuring a prominent 3-year warranty badge, indicating the product's coverage.