

BELLA 17611

BELLA 2 Slice Toaster

Model: 17611

Brand: BELLA

IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

When using electrical appliances, basic safety precautions should always be followed, including the following:

- Read all instructions before operating the toaster.
- Do not touch hot surfaces. Use handles or knobs.
- To protect against electrical shock, do not immerse cord, plugs, or toaster 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 the appliance manufacturer 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.
- Always attach plug to appliance first, then plug cord into the wall outlet. To disconnect, turn any control to 'off', then remove plug from wall outlet.
- Do not use appliance for other than intended use.
- Oversize foods, metal foil packages, or utensils must not be inserted in a toaster as they may create a fire or risk of electric shock.
- A fire may occur if toasters are covered or touching flammable material, including curtains, draperies, walls, and the like, when in operation.
- Do not attempt to dislodge food when toaster is plugged in.
- Do not leave toaster unattended when in use.

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The BELLA 2 Slice Toaster is designed for efficient and convenient toasting of various bread types. Familiarize yourself with its components:



Front view of the BELLA 2 Slice Toaster, showcasing its red exterior and control panel.



Side view of the toaster, highlighting the control panel with buttons and browning dial.

Components:

- **Toasting Slots:** Two extra-wide slots to accommodate various bread sizes, including bagels and thick slices.
- **High-Lift Lever:** Allows for easy retrieval of smaller toasted items.
- **Browning Control Dial:** Adjustable settings from 1 (lightest) to 6 (darkest) for desired toast shade.
- **CANCEL Button:** Stops the toasting cycle at any time.
- **FROZEN Button:** Activates a longer cycle for toasting frozen bread.
- **REHEAT Button:** Warms previously toasted items without further browning.
- **BAGEL Button:** Toasts the cut side of bagels while gently warming the outer side.
- **Removable Crumb Tray:** Located at the bottom for easy cleaning of crumbs.

BEFORE FIRST USE

Before using your BELLA 2 Slice Toaster for the first time, please follow these steps:

1. Unpack the toaster and remove all packaging materials, including any protective films or stickers.

2. Wipe the exterior of the toaster with a damp cloth. Do not immerse the toaster in water.
3. Ensure the crumb tray is properly inserted.
4. For the first use, operate the toaster without bread on the highest setting (6) in a well-ventilated area. This will burn off any manufacturing residues and eliminate initial odors. A slight smoke or odor is normal during this process.
5. Allow the toaster to cool completely before subsequent use.

SETUP

Proper setup ensures safe and effective operation:

1. **Placement:** Place the toaster on a stable, flat, heat-resistant surface, away from flammable materials such as curtains or walls. Ensure adequate ventilation around the appliance.
2. **Power Connection:** Plug the power cord into a standard 240V AC electrical outlet. Ensure the cord is not dangling where it can be pulled or tripped over.
3. **Crumb Tray:** Verify that the removable crumb tray is securely in place before plugging in the toaster.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Follow these steps to operate your toaster:

General Toasting:

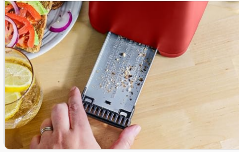
1. Insert slices of bread, bagels, or waffles into the toasting slots. The extra-wide slots accommodate various thicknesses.
2. Select your desired browning level using the browning control dial (1 for lightest, 6 for darkest). Refer to the shade guide image for reference.
3. Press the high-lift lever down until it locks into place. The toasting cycle will begin.
4. Once the selected browning cycle is complete, the toast will automatically pop up, and the toaster will shut off.
5. Use the high-lift lever to safely retrieve smaller items.



Bagels placed in the extra-wide toasting slots, demonstrating capacity.

Convenient presets

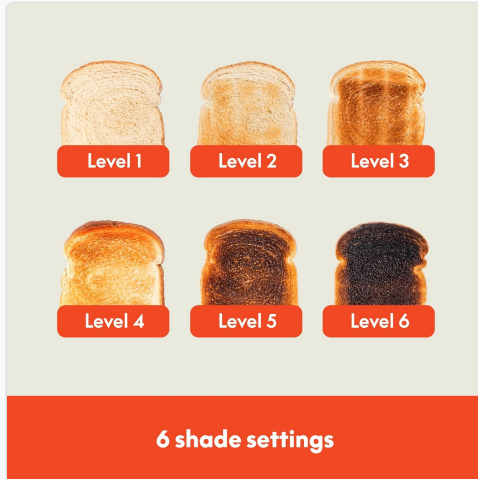
The toaster comes with simple presets, including gluten-free, bagel, and preheat buttons, making it easy to achieve perfect results for different types of bread and toasting needs.



Easy to clean

Keeping your toaster clean is a breeze with the removable slide-out crumb tray. Simply pull out the tray to dispose of crumbs and debris, ensuring your toaster stays tidy and operates efficiently.

The toaster's wide slots are designed to accommodate various bread types, including thicker slices.



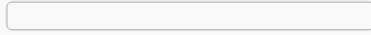
Visual guide illustrating six different browning levels, from light to dark.

Special Functions:

- **CANCEL:** To stop the toasting cycle at any point, press the CANCEL button. The toast will immediately pop up.
- **FROZEN:** For frozen bread, insert the bread, select your desired browning level, press the high-lift lever down, then press the FROZEN button. The indicator light will illuminate, and the toaster will automatically adjust the cycle for frozen items.
- **REHEAT:** To warm already toasted items without further browning, insert the item, press the high-lift lever down, then press the REHEAT button. The indicator light will illuminate, and a short warming cycle will begin.
- **BAGEL:** For bagels, insert the bagel halves with the cut sides facing inwards. Select your desired browning level, press the high-lift lever down, then press the BAGEL button. The indicator light will illuminate, and the toaster will toast the cut side while gently warming the outer side.



Demonstration of the high-lift lever for easy access to small slices and the removable crumb tray for quick cleanup.



The high-lift lever provides convenient access to toasted items, preventing burns from reaching into hot slots.

CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE

Regular cleaning ensures optimal performance and extends the life of your toaster.

1. **Always Unplug:** Before cleaning, ensure the toaster is unplugged from the electrical outlet and has cooled down completely.
2. **Crumb Tray:** Pull out the removable crumb tray from the bottom of the toaster. Discard accumulated crumbs. Wipe the tray with a damp cloth and dry thoroughly before reinserting.
3. **Exterior:** Wipe the exterior of the toaster with a soft, damp cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners or metal scouring pads, as they may scratch the surface.
4. **Interior:** Do not attempt to clean the inside of the toaster with any tools or objects. If food becomes lodged, unplug the toaster and carefully turn it upside down to shake out the food.
5. **Storage:** When not in use, store the toaster in a clean, dry place. The compact design allows for easy storage.

TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your toaster, refer to the following common problems and solutions:

| Problem | Possible Cause | Solution |
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| Toaster does not turn on. | Not plugged in; power outlet malfunction; circuit breaker tripped. | Ensure toaster is securely plugged in. Test outlet with another appliance. Check household circuit breaker. |
| Bread does not toast evenly. | Uneven bread thickness; first use burn-off residue; internal element issue. | Ensure bread slices are of uniform thickness. Run a few cycles without bread to clear residues. If problem persists, contact support. |
| Bread is stuck in the slots. | Oversized bread; mechanical jam. | Unplug the toaster immediately. Allow to cool. Gently dislodge bread using a non-metallic utensil. Do not force. |
| Smoke or burning smell. | Crumbs in toaster; food lodged; first use burn-off. | Press CANCEL, unplug, and allow to cool. Empty crumb tray. If food is lodged, carefully remove it. Initial smoke is normal for first use. |

SPECIFICATIONS

Technical details for the BELLA 2 Slice Toaster (Model 17611):

- **Model Number:** 17611

- **Brand:** BELLA
- **Color:** Red
- **Material:** Stainless Steel
- **Product Dimensions:** 5.82"D x 7.72"W x 9.92"H
- **Wattage:** 900 watts
- **Number of Slices:** 2
- **Special Features:** Automatic Shut-Off, Extra Wide Slots
- **Item Weight:** 1.3 Pounds
- **Voltage:** 240 Volts
- **Number of Settings:** 6 browning levels
- **UPC:** 829486176111



Diagram showing the dimensions of the BELLA 2 Slice Toaster: 9.92"H x 5.82"D x 7.2"W.

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

The BELLA 2 Slice Toaster (Model 17611) comes with a **2-year warranty** from the date of purchase.

For warranty claims, technical assistance, or any product-related inquiries, please contact BELLA customer support. Refer to the product packaging or the official BELLA website for the most current contact information.