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Model: 1505393

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential information for the safe and efficient operation of your Bartscher 1505393 Gas Rice Cooker. Please read these instructions thoroughly before initial use and keep them for future reference. This appliance is designed for commercial use in preparing large quantities of rice.



Image: The Bartscher 1505393 Gas Rice Cooker, a white and black unit with a stainless steel lid and handles.

SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

Always observe the following safety precautions to prevent injury or damage to the appliance:

- **Gas Connection:** Ensure the appliance is connected to a suitable gas supply by a qualified technician. Check for leaks regularly.
- **Ventilation:** Operate the rice cooker in a well-ventilated area to prevent carbon monoxide buildup.
- **Hot Surfaces:** The exterior surfaces and steam vent become very hot during operation. Use heat-resistant gloves and avoid direct contact.
- **Water and Electricity:** Keep the appliance away from water and do not immerse any part of it in liquid.
- **Children and Pets:** Keep children and pets away from the appliance during operation.
- **Maintenance:** Disconnect from the gas supply and allow to cool completely before cleaning or maintenance.
- **Intended Use:** Use the appliance only for its intended purpose of cooking rice.

PRODUCT OVERVIEW AND COMPONENTS

Familiarize yourself with the main components of your Bartscher Gas Rice Cooker:

- **Outer Casing:** The main body of the rice cooker.
- **Inner Pot:** Removable aluminum pot with measurement markings for rice and water.
- **Lid:** Stainless steel lid with a handle to cover the inner pot during cooking.
- **Control Panel:** Located on the front, typically includes ignition and cooking controls.
- **Gas Inlet:** Connection point for the gas supply.
- **Measuring Cup and Serving Spoon:** Included accessories for precise measurement and serving.



Image: The interior of the Bartscher Gas Rice Cooker, showing the removable inner pot with clear measurement lines for capacity.



Image: A detailed view of the aluminum inner pot, highlighting the embossed volume markings (e.g., 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10 liters) on its side.



Image: A clear plastic measuring cup (marked 1000CC) and a white plastic serving spoon, typical accessories for a rice cooker.

SETUP

1. **Unpacking:** Carefully remove all packaging materials. Inspect the appliance for any damage. Retain packaging for potential future transport.
2. **Placement:** Place the rice cooker on a stable, level, heat-resistant surface. Ensure adequate clearance around the appliance for ventilation, especially near the gas inlet and steam vent. Do not place near flammable materials.
3. **Gas Connection:** This appliance must be connected to the gas supply by a certified professional in accordance with local regulations. Ensure the correct gas type and pressure are used.
4. **Initial Cleaning:** Before first use, wash the inner pot, lid, measuring cup, and serving spoon with warm soapy water. Rinse thoroughly and dry completely. Wipe the exterior of the main unit with a damp cloth.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Preparing Rice

1. **Measure Rice:** Use the provided measuring cup to measure the desired amount of rice. Refer to the inner pot markings for maximum capacity.
2. **Wash Rice:** Rinse the rice thoroughly under cold running water until the water runs clear. This removes excess starch.
3. **Add Water:** Place the washed rice into the inner pot. Add the appropriate amount of water. A common ratio is 1 part rice to 1.5-2 parts water, but this can vary based on rice type and desired consistency. The inner pot has water level markings for convenience.



Image: The inner pot of the rice cooker, filled with uncooked rice and water, indicating readiness for the cooking process.

Cooking Process

1. **Place Inner Pot:** Carefully place the inner pot with rice and water into the main unit. Ensure it sits correctly on the heating element.
2. **Close Lid:** Place the lid securely on the inner pot.
3. **Ignite Burner:** Locate the ignition and cooking controls on the front panel. Follow the specific ignition procedure for your model, typically involving pressing and turning a knob or pressing an "IGNITE" button and then a "COOK" button. Refer to the labels on the control panel.
4. **Cooking:** The rice cooker will automatically cook the rice. Once the water is absorbed and the rice is cooked, the appliance will typically switch to a "Keep Warm" mode or turn off the burner.
5. **Resting Period:** For best results, allow the rice to rest in the cooker for 10-15 minutes after cooking is complete before serving. This allows the steam to distribute evenly.
6. **Serving:** Use the provided serving spoon to fluff and serve the rice.



Image: A close-up view of the control panel on the Bartscher Gas Rice Cooker, showing two buttons labeled "FIRST IGNITE" and "THEN COOK", along with a gas inlet connection.

MAINTENANCE AND CLEANING

Regular cleaning and maintenance ensure the longevity and optimal performance of your rice cooker.

1. **Before Cleaning:** Always ensure the appliance is disconnected from the gas supply and has cooled down completely before cleaning.
2. **Inner Pot and Lid:** Wash the inner pot and lid with warm, soapy water after each use. Use a non-abrasive sponge or cloth to prevent scratching the non-stick surface (if applicable) or aluminum. Rinse thoroughly and dry.
3. **Outer Casing:** Wipe the exterior of the rice cooker with a damp cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners or immerse the main unit in water.
4. **Steam Vent:** Ensure the steam vent on the lid is clear of any food debris.
5. **Gas Burner Area:** Periodically inspect the gas burner area for any blockages or debris. Clean gently with a soft brush if necessary, ensuring no water enters the gas components.



Image: The Bartscher Gas Rice Cooker with its inner pot removed, revealing the heating base and internal structure, useful for cleaning and inspection.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Rice not cooking properly (undercooked/hard)	Insufficient water; lid not sealed; gas pressure too low.	Add more water; ensure lid is properly sealed; check gas supply and pressure.
Rice is mushy/overcooked	Too much water; cooked for too long.	Reduce water amount for next batch; ensure appliance switches off or to keep warm mode correctly.
Burner does not ignite	No gas supply; ignition fault; burner clogged.	Check gas valve; contact a qualified technician for ignition repair; clean burner.
Unusual smell during operation	Gas leak; food residue burning.	Immediately turn off gas supply and ventilate area. Do not operate. Contact a qualified technician. Clean appliance thoroughly.

SPECIFICATIONS

Brand	Bartscher
Model Number	1505393
Capacity	10 Litres
Power	8 KW
Material	Aluminum
Dimensions (L x W x H)	60 x 49 x 45.2 cm
Power Source	Gas Powered

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information and technical support, please refer to the documentation provided with your purchase or contact Bartscher customer service directly. Keep your purchase receipt as proof of purchase.

Bartscher Contact Information: Please visit the official Bartscher website for the most up-to-date contact details and service information.

