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Brand: ProfiCook | Model: PC-TA 1251

1. INTRODUCTION AND SAFETY INFORMATION

Thank you for choosing the ProfiCook PC-TA 1251 Stainless Steel 2-Slice Toaster. This manual provides important information regarding the safe operation, maintenance, and care of your appliance. Please read these instructions carefully before first use and keep them for future reference.

Important Safety Instructions:

- Always unplug the toaster from the power outlet when not in use, before cleaning, or in case of malfunction.
- Do not immerse the appliance, cord, or plug in water or any other liquid.
- Ensure the voltage indicated on the appliance matches your local mains voltage before connecting.
- Do not operate the toaster with a damaged cord or plug, or after the appliance malfunctions or has been damaged in any manner.
- Keep the toaster away from children. This appliance is not intended for use by persons with reduced physical, sensory, or mental capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge, unless they have been given supervision or instruction.
- Do not touch hot surfaces. Use handles or knobs.
- Do not place the toaster near hot gas or electric burners, or in a heated oven.
- Do not use the appliance for anything other than its intended use.
- Bread may burn, therefore do not use the toaster near or below combustible material, such as curtains.
- Never try to retrieve food that has become stuck in the toaster slots without first unplugging the appliance.

2. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

Familiarize yourself with the components of your ProfiCook PC-TA 1251 toaster:

- **Toasting Slots:** Two extra-wide slots (40 mm) for various bread types, including bagels.
- **Browning Control Knob:** Continuously adjustable browning levels from 1 (lightest) to 7 (darkest).
- **Function Buttons:** Illuminated buttons for Defrost, Reheat, and Quick Stop.
- **Toasting Lever:** Lowers and raises the bread carriage.
- **Removable Bun Attachment:** For warming buns and pastries.
- **Crumb Tray:** Collects crumbs for easy cleaning.

- **Cable Winding:** For tidy storage of the power cord.
- **Rubberized Feet:** Provide stable and secure placement.



Image: Overview of toaster features including the removable bun attachment, extra-wide slots, crumb tray, and cable winding mechanism.

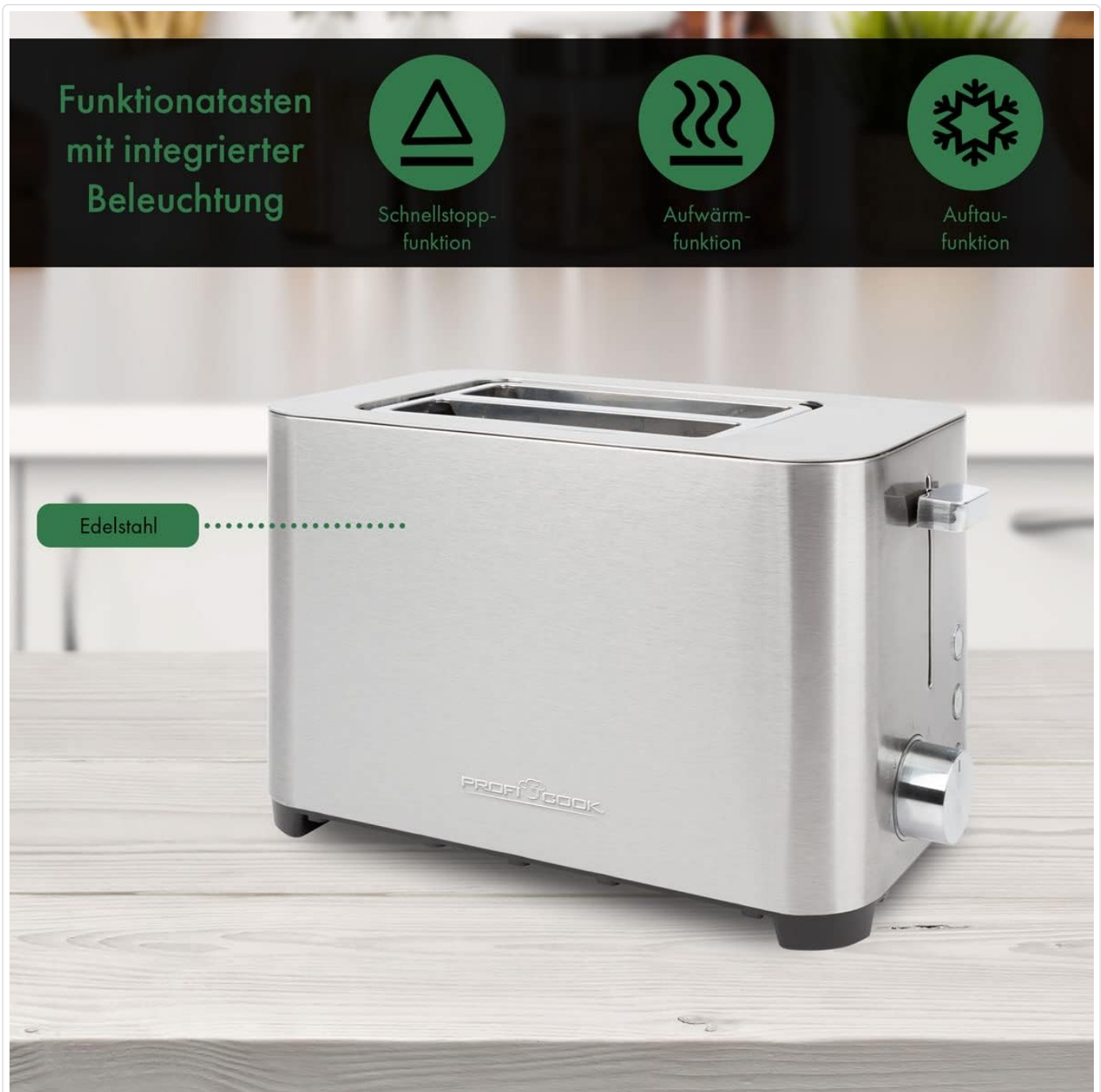


Image: Close-up of the toaster showing the stainless steel finish and the illuminated function buttons for Quick Stop, Reheat, and Defrost.

3. SETUP

3.1 Unpacking

1. Carefully remove the toaster and all accessories from the packaging.
2. Remove any packaging materials, stickers, or protective films from the appliance.

3.2 Placement

- Place the toaster on a stable, flat, and heat-resistant surface.
- Ensure there is sufficient space around the toaster for proper ventilation, especially above the slots, and keep it away from walls, cabinets, and curtains.
- Do not place the toaster directly under a wall cabinet or near flammable materials.

3.3 First Use

Before toasting bread for consumption, operate the toaster a few times without bread to burn off any manufacturing residues. This may produce a slight odor and smoke, which is normal and will dissipate quickly.

- Set the browning control to a medium setting (e.g., 3 or 4).
- Plug the toaster into a suitable power outlet.
- Lower the toasting lever without bread in the slots.
- Allow the cycle to complete. Repeat 2-3 times.
- Unplug the toaster and allow it to cool down before proceeding.

4. OPERATION

4.1 Toasting Bread

1. Ensure the toaster is plugged into a power outlet.
2. Place one slice of bread into each toasting slot. The centering function will automatically position the bread for even browning.
3. Select your desired browning level using the browning control knob (settings 1-7). A lower number results in lighter toast, a higher number in darker toast.

Stufenlos einstellbarer Bräunungsgrad + Zentrierfunktion für gleichmäßige Bräunung



Image: The toaster's browning control knob and a visual representation of browning levels from 1 (light) to 7 (dark).

4. Press the toasting lever down until it locks into place. The toasting cycle will begin.
5. Once the selected browning level is reached, the toast will automatically pop up, and the toaster will switch off.
6. To stop the toasting cycle at any time, press the illuminated Quick Stop button.

4.2 Using Special Functions

The toaster features three illuminated function buttons:

- **Defrost Function:** For toasting frozen bread. Insert frozen bread, select desired browning level, lower the lever, then press the Defrost button. The button will illuminate. The toaster will automatically adjust the toasting time.
- **Reheat Function:** For warming up already toasted and cooled bread without further browning. Insert toast, lower the lever, then press the Reheat button. The button will illuminate.
- **Quick Stop Function:** To interrupt the toasting process at any time. Press this button to immediately stop toasting and eject the bread.

4.3 Using the Bun Attachment

The removable bun attachment is ideal for warming rolls, croissants, or other pastries.

1. Place the bun attachment securely on top of the toaster slots.
2. Place the items to be warmed on the bun attachment.
3. Set the browning control to a low setting (e.g., 1 or 2).
4. Lower the toasting lever to activate the heating elements.
5. Monitor the warming process closely to prevent burning.
6. Once warmed, press the Quick Stop button to turn off the heating elements and carefully remove the items.



Image: The toaster highlighting its extra-wide 40mm slots, suitable for various bread types, and the automatic centering function for even toasting.

5. CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE

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

5.1 Before Cleaning

- Always unplug the toaster from the power outlet.
- Allow the appliance to cool down completely before cleaning.

5.2 Crumb Tray

The crumb tray should be emptied regularly to prevent crumb buildup and potential fire hazards.

1. Pull out the crumb tray located at the bottom of the toaster.
2. Empty the collected crumbs into a waste bin.
3. Wipe the tray with a damp cloth, if necessary, and dry thoroughly.
4. Slide the crumb tray back into its position until it locks securely.



Image: Illustration of how to remove and clean the crumb tray from the toaster.

5.3 Exterior Cleaning

- Wipe the exterior of the toaster with a soft, damp cloth.
- Do not use abrasive cleaners, scouring pads, or harsh chemicals, as these can damage the stainless steel finish.

- Ensure no water or moisture enters the toasting slots or other openings.

5.4 Interior Cleaning

- Never insert any objects into the toasting slots to clean them.
- If food becomes stuck, unplug the toaster and carefully remove the food after the appliance has cooled down.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

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

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Toaster does not turn on.	Not plugged in; power outlet malfunction; circuit breaker tripped.	Check power cord connection; test outlet with another appliance; reset circuit breaker.
Bread does not toast evenly.	Uneven bread thickness; crumbs in slots; browning level too low.	Ensure bread is evenly sliced; clean crumb tray; adjust browning level. The centering function helps, but very irregular bread may still toast unevenly.
Smoke or burning smell.	Crumbs accumulated in the toaster; food stuck in slots; browning level too high.	Unplug and allow to cool. Clean crumb tray thoroughly. Carefully remove any stuck food. Reduce browning level.
Toasting lever does not stay down.	Toaster not plugged in; appliance too hot (safety feature).	Ensure toaster is plugged in. If it has been used continuously, allow it to cool down.

If the problem persists after trying these solutions, please contact customer support.

7. TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Specification
Brand	ProfiCook
Model Number	PC-TA 1251 (501251)
Material	Stainless Steel
Number of Slices	2
Power	750-850 Watts
Voltage	220-240 Volts
Frequency	50/60 Hz
Browning Settings	6 (continuously adjustable)

Feature	Specification
Special Features	Defrost, Reheat, Quick Stop functions, Wide Slots (40mm), Removable Bun Attachment, Crumb Tray, Cable Winding, Centering Function
Product Dimensions (D x W x H)	28 cm x 16 cm x 18 cm
Item Weight	1.37 Kilograms
EAN	04006160125108



Image: Detailed dimensions of the ProfiCook PC-TA 1251 toaster.

8. WARRANTY AND CUSTOMER SUPPORT

Your ProfiCook PC-TA 1251 Toaster comes with a manufacturer's warranty. Please refer to the warranty card included in your product packaging for specific terms and conditions, including the warranty period and coverage details. For technical support, spare parts, or warranty claims, please contact your retailer or the ProfiCook customer service department. Contact information can typically be found on the manufacturer's website or on the product packaging.

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