

Magic Mill MFD-7700 & MFD-1098

Magic Mill Food Dehydrator Replacement Trays MFD-7700 & MFD-1098 Instruction Manual

Model Compatibility: MFD-7700, MFD-1098

1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential information for the proper use and maintenance of your Magic Mill Food Dehydrator Replacement Fruit Leather and Drip Trays. These trays are designed to enhance the functionality of your Magic Mill Food Dehydrator models MFD-7700 and MFD-1098, allowing for the creation of fruit leathers and effective drip collection during the dehydration process.

2. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Magic Mill Replacement Trays are specifically manufactured for compatibility with Magic Mill Food Dehydrator models MFD-7700 and MFD-1098. This package includes four (4) trays, which serve a dual purpose:

- **Fruit Leather Production:** The smooth surface of these trays is ideal for spreading pureed fruits to create homemade fruit leathers.
- **Drip Collection:** When dehydrating items that may release liquids, such as jerky, these trays can be placed beneath the stainless steel mesh trays to catch drips, keeping your dehydrator clean.



Figure 2.1: A set of four white rectangular Magic Mill replacement trays, designed for food dehydration. These trays are stackable and feature a raised edge to contain liquids.

3. SETUP

Before initial use, and after each subsequent use, thoroughly clean the trays. Refer to the "Maintenance & Cleaning" section for detailed instructions.

1. Ensure your Magic Mill Food Dehydrator (MFD-7700 or MFD-1098) is clean and ready for operation.
2. For fruit leather: Prepare your fruit puree. Place a replacement tray onto a standard dehydrator mesh tray. Carefully pour the fruit puree onto the replacement tray, spreading it evenly to your desired thickness, ensuring it does not exceed the tray's raised edge.
3. For drip collection: Place a replacement tray directly onto a standard dehydrator mesh tray, beneath the food items that may drip.
4. Slide the loaded trays into the dehydrator racks.

4. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

These trays are designed to be used within your compatible Magic Mill Food Dehydrator. Follow the operating instructions provided with your specific dehydrator model for temperature and time settings.

4.1. Fruit Leather Preparation

- Use ripe fruit for the best flavor. Wash and prepare the fruit (peel, core, remove seeds as necessary).
- Blend the fruit into a smooth puree. A small amount of water or fruit juice can be added if needed to achieve a smooth consistency.
- Spread the puree evenly on the replacement trays, typically 1/8 to 1/4 inch thick. The raised edges of the tray will help contain the liquid.
- Place the trays in the dehydrator and set the temperature according to your fruit leather recipe or dehydrator manual. Dehydration time can vary based on fruit type, thickness, and humidity.
- Fruit leather is ready when it is pliable, not sticky, and peels easily from the tray.

4.2. Drip Collection

- When dehydrating items like jerky or other moist foods, place these trays on the dehydrator racks directly beneath the mesh trays holding the food.
- The trays will collect any drips, preventing them from falling onto lower trays or the dehydrator base, simplifying cleanup.

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Video 4.1: This video demonstrates the flexibility and non-stick properties of silicone dehydrator sheets, similar to the Magic Mill trays. It shows how fruit puree is spread onto the sheets and then placed into a dehydrator for making fruit leather. The video highlights the ease of peeling off the finished fruit leather from the silicone surface.

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Video 4.2: This video showcases the application of silicone dehydrator sheets for various food items, including desserts and fruit slices. It illustrates the flexibility of the sheets and their ability to contain liquids, making them suitable for diverse dehydration tasks. The video also demonstrates the non-stick quality and ease of cleaning.

5. MAINTENANCE & CLEANING

Proper cleaning ensures the longevity and hygiene of your replacement trays.

- After each use, remove any food residue from the trays.
- Wash the trays with warm, soapy water. A soft sponge or cloth is recommended to avoid scratching the surface.
- Rinse thoroughly with clean water.
- Dry the trays completely before storing them to prevent water spots or mildew.
- *Note:* The product specifications indicate these trays are **not** dishwasher safe. Hand washing is required.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

These trays are simple accessories. Most issues relate to food preparation or dehydrator operation rather than the trays themselves.

- **Food sticking to the tray:** Ensure the food is fully dehydrated. For fruit leathers, they should be pliable and easily peelable. If food consistently sticks, lightly grease the tray with a food-safe oil before spreading the puree.
- **Trays not fitting:** Verify that your dehydrator model is MFD-7700 or MFD-1098. These trays are designed for specific dimensions.

7. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand	Magic Mill
Compatible Models	MFD-7700, MFD-1098
Number of Items	4
Material	Plastic (Leather-like texture)
Color	White
Shape	Rectangular
Item Weight	0.38 Kilograms (13.4 ounces)
Package Dimensions	11.93 x 11.61 x 0.87 inches
Product Care Instructions	Wipe with Dry Cloth (Hand wash recommended, Not dishwasher safe)

8. WARRANTY & SUPPORT

For specific warranty information or product support, please refer to the documentation included with your original Magic Mill Food Dehydrator or contact Magic Mill customer service directly. Contact details can typically be found on the manufacturer's official website or product packaging.