

Crux 17542

CRUX x Marshmello 8.0 QT Digital Air Fryer Instruction Manual

Model: 17542 | Brand: Crux

1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential information for the safe and efficient operation of your CRUX x Marshmello 8.0 QT Digital Air Fryer. This appliance utilizes TurboCrisp Technology to cook food with hot air, offering a method for preparing a variety of meals. Please read all instructions thoroughly before first use and retain this manual for future reference.



Image 1.1: The CRUX x Marshmello 8.0 QT Digital Air Fryer, showcasing its olive green exterior and digital control panel.

2. IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

When using electrical appliances, basic safety precautions should always be followed to reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, and injury. Read all instructions carefully.

- **Read All Instructions:** Familiarize yourself with the appliance's operation before use.
- **Hot Surfaces:** Do not touch hot surfaces. Use handles or knobs. Always use oven mitts or protective gloves when handling hot components.
- **Electrical Safety:** To protect against electric shock, do not immerse the cord, plugs, or the appliance housing in water or other liquids.
- **Children:** Close supervision is necessary when any appliance is used by or near children.
- **Unplug When Not In Use:** Unplug from the outlet when not in use and before cleaning. Allow to cool before putting on or taking off parts.
- **Damaged Cord/Plug:** Do not operate any appliance with a damaged cord or plug, or after the appliance malfunctions or has been damaged in any manner. Contact customer service for examination, repair, or

adjustment.

- **Outdoor Use:** Do not use outdoors. This appliance is for indoor household use only.
- **Heat Sources:** Do not place on or near a hot gas or electric burner, or in a heated oven.
- **Stable Surface:** Always operate the appliance on a stable, heat-resistant surface.
- **Air Vents:** Do not block any air vents. Ensure adequate space around the appliance for proper ventilation.
- **Overfilling:** Do not overfill the cooking basket. Overfilling may cause food to contact the heating element.
- **Hot Oil/Grease:** Extreme caution must be used when moving an appliance containing hot oil or other hot liquids.

3. PRODUCT COMPONENTS

Your CRUX x Marshmello Digital Air Fryer includes the following main components:

- **Main Unit:** The primary housing containing the heating element and control panel.
- **Digital Touch Screen Control Panel:** For setting temperature, time, and selecting presets.
- **Cooking Basket:** The removable container where food is placed for cooking.
- **TurboCrisp Crisping Tray:** Inserted into the cooking basket to allow air circulation and promote crisping.
- **Silicone Liner:** An additional accessory for baking or containing liquids, included with your air fryer.



Image 3.1: Front view of the air fryer, highlighting the cooking basket handle and digital interface.

EASY CLEANING

REMOVABLE DISHWASHER-SAFE CRISPING TRAY AND COOKING BASKET



Image 3.2: The air fryer with its removable cooking basket and TurboCrisp crisper tray, demonstrating ease of access.

4. SETUP AND FIRST USE

1. **Unpack:** Carefully remove all components and packaging materials from the box.
2. **Clean:** Wash the cooking basket, TurboCrisp crisper tray, and silicone liner with warm, soapy water. Rinse thoroughly and dry completely. Wipe the exterior of the main unit with a damp cloth.
3. **Placement:** Place the air fryer on a stable, level, heat-resistant surface, ensuring there is adequate space (at least 6 inches) around the back and sides for proper air circulation.
4. **Power Connection:** Plug the power cord into a standard electrical outlet. The digital display will illuminate.
5. **Initial Run (Optional):** For the first use, it is recommended to run the air fryer empty for about 10-15 minutes at 350°F (175°C) to eliminate any manufacturing odors. A slight odor may be present, which is normal.

5. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Your air fryer features a digital touch screen for intuitive control.

FULL CRISP, ZERO EFFORT

1300 WATT HEATING SYSTEM



Image 5.1: The digital touch screen control panel with icons for different cooking functions and settings.

5.1 Power On/Off

- Press the **Power** icon to turn the appliance on or off.

5.2 Preset Cooking Modes

- The air fryer includes 8 pre-programmed cooking modes for common foods.
- Touch the desired preset icon on the control panel to select it. The default temperature and time for that preset will display.

5.3 Manual Temperature and Time Adjustment

- After selecting a preset or to set custom cooking, use the **Temperature Up/Down** icons to adjust the temperature (range up to 400°F).
- Use the **Time Up/Down** icons to adjust the cooking duration (range up to 60 minutes).

5.4 Start/Pause Cooking

- Press the **Start/Pause** icon to begin or temporarily stop the cooking cycle.

- The air fryer will automatically pause when the cooking basket is removed and resume when reinserted.

5.5 Auto Shut-off

- The air fryer is equipped with a 60-minute auto shut-off timer. Once the set cooking time elapses, the appliance will automatically turn off.

5.6 Memory Option

- The appliance features one memory option to save your preferred cooking temperature and time settings for quick access. Refer to the full user guide for detailed instructions on setting and recalling memory.

6. COOKING GUIDELINES

The CRUX x Marshmello Digital Air Fryer uses TurboCrisp Technology to circulate hot air, cooking food efficiently and achieving a crispy texture.



Image 6.1: Food being air-fried, illustrating the use of the TurboCrisp crisper tray for optimal results.

- **Capacity:** The 8-quart capacity can accommodate up to 6.6 lbs of food, suitable for serving 6-8 people.
- **Preheating:** While not always necessary, preheating the air fryer for 3-5 minutes at the desired temperature can improve cooking results for some foods.

- **Shaking/Flipping:** For even cooking and browning, shake the basket or flip food halfway through the cooking time, especially for smaller items.
- **Oil Usage:** A small amount of oil (1-2 teaspoons) can be added to some foods to enhance crispiness, but it is not always required.
- **TurboCrisp Technology:** This technology is designed to cook food up to 50% faster than traditional ovens, delivering a balance of crispness and moisture.

7. CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE

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



COOK WITH EASE

Cook with precision and create delicious meals with just the touch of a button. The innovative air fryer features a convenient memory option that saves your preferred cooking temperature and time settings, along with 8 preset cooking modes.

ENJOY EFFORTLESS CLEANING

The dishwasher-safe and PFOA-free non-stick cooking basket and crisping tray guarantee comfortable food release, making your cooking experience a breeze while maintaining a pristine and healthy kitchen environment.



Image 7.1: The air fryer's removable components, including the cooking basket and crisper tray, designed for easy cleaning.

1. **Unplug and Cool:** Always unplug the air fryer from the power outlet and allow it to cool completely before cleaning.
2. **Dishwasher Safe Parts:** The cooking basket and TurboCrisp crisper tray are dishwasher safe. They feature a PFOA-free non-stick coating for easy food release and cleaning.
3. **Hand Washing:** For best results and to prolong the life of the non-stick coating, hand washing with warm, soapy water and a non-abrasive sponge is recommended. The silicone liner should also be hand washed.
4. **Exterior Cleaning:** Wipe the exterior of the main unit with a damp cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners or immerse the main unit in water.
5. **Interior Cleaning:** If necessary, gently wipe the interior of the air fryer with a damp cloth. Ensure no food particles are left on the heating element.
6. **Storage:** Ensure all parts are clean and dry before storing the air fryer in a cool, dry place.

8. TROUBLESHOOTING

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

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Air fryer does not turn on.	Not plugged in; power outlet malfunction; appliance malfunction.	Ensure the power cord is securely plugged into a working outlet. Check your circuit breaker. If the issue persists, contact customer support.
Food is not cooked evenly.	Basket is overfilled; food not shaken/flipped; incorrect temperature/time.	Do not overfill the basket. Shake or flip food halfway through cooking. Adjust temperature and time as needed.
White smoke coming from the appliance.	Grease residue from previous use; high-fat food cooking.	Ensure the basket and crisper tray are thoroughly cleaned after each use. For high-fat foods, drain excess fat during cooking.
Food is not crispy.	Not enough oil (for some foods); temperature too low; cooking time too short.	Lightly brush or spray food with oil. Increase temperature or cooking time. Ensure the TurboCrisp crisper tray is used.





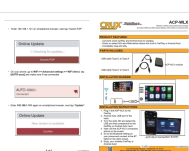
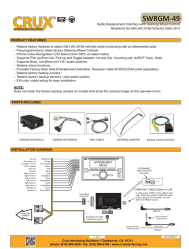
9. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Specification
Brand	Crux
Model Number	17542
Capacity	8 Quarts
Wattage	1750 Watts
Max Temperature Setting	400°F (204°C)
Product Dimensions (DxWxH)	12.51"D x 14.96"W x 12.59"H
Item Weight	12.77 pounds
Material	Aluminum, Plastic, Stainless Steel
Special Features	Automatic Shut-Off, Programmable, Temperature Control, Timer, TurboCrisp Technology, Nonstick Coating
Dishwasher Safe Parts	Cooking Basket, Crisping Tray

10. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information and customer support, please refer to the warranty card included with your product or contact Crux customer service directly. Warranty terms and conditions may vary and typically cover manufacturing defects for a specified period from the date of purchase. Please retain your proof of purchase for warranty claims.

Related Documents - 17542

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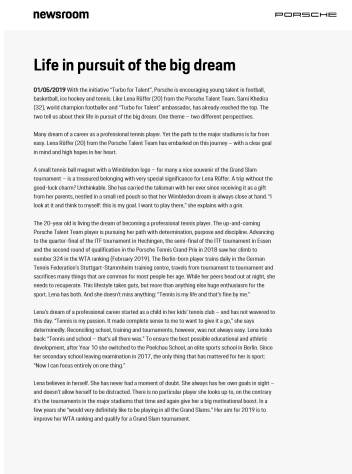


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