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Toaster TM-262AF

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Model: TM-262AF

INTRODUCTION AND IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

Thank you for choosing the Toaster 2.6L Air Fryer. This appliance utilizes rapid air technology to circulate hot air, allowing you to cook a variety of foods with little to no oil, resulting in healthier and delicious meals. Please read this manual thoroughly before first use to ensure safe and optimal operation.

General Safety Information

- Always place the air fryer on a stable, heat-resistant surface, away from walls or other appliances to allow for proper air circulation.
- Do not immerse the main unit, cord, or plug in water or other liquids.
- Supervise children closely when the appliance is in use.
- Do not operate the air fryer if the cord or plug is damaged, or if the appliance malfunctions.
- Unplug the air fryer from the outlet when not in use and before cleaning. Allow it to cool completely before handling.
- Do not block any air vents.
- This appliance is for household use only.



Image: The Toastmaster 2.6L Air Fryer in black, featuring a prominent silver handle for the fry basket and a control dial on the top for temperature and timer settings.

SETUP AND FIRST USE

- 1. Unpacking:** Carefully remove the air fryer and all packaging materials. Ensure all components are present: the main unit, fry basket, and removable cooking plate.
- 2. Initial Cleaning:** Before first use, wash the fry basket and cooking plate thoroughly with hot, soapy water. Rinse and dry completely. Wipe the exterior of the main unit with a damp cloth. Do not immerse the main unit in water.
- 3. Placement:** Place the air fryer on a flat, stable, and heat-resistant surface. Ensure there is at least 6 inches of clear space around the back and sides of the unit for proper ventilation.

4. **Preheating (Optional but Recommended):** For best results, preheat the air fryer for 3-5 minutes before adding food. Plug the unit into a 120V AC outlet. Turn the temperature dial to your desired cooking temperature (e.g., 375°F) and the timer dial to 5 minutes. The indicator light will illuminate. The air fryer will turn off once the timer reaches zero.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Controls and Features

- **Temperature Control Dial:** Adjusts cooking temperature from 175°F to 400°F.
- **60-Minute Timer Dial:** Sets cooking time. The air fryer automatically shuts off when the timer reaches zero.
- **Slide-Out Fry Basket:** The main cooking compartment. It includes a removable cooking plate for easy cleaning and optimal air circulation.
- **Rapid Convection Heat Technology:** Circulates hot air for even and efficient cooking.
- **Safety Switch:** The air fryer will pause operation if the basket is removed during cooking and resume when reinserted.

Thoughtful Design



60-minute timer



Slide out basket



Rapid heat convection



Non-skid feet



Image: A detailed view of the Toastmaster Air Fryer highlighting its key features, including the 60-minute timer, the convenient slide-out fry basket, the rapid heat convection system, and the non-skid feet for stability.

Cooking Process

1. **Prepare Food:** Place your desired food items into the fry basket. Do not overfill the basket; ensure there is enough space for air to circulate. For best results, food should be in a single layer or shaken periodically.

2. **Set Temperature:** Turn the temperature control dial to the recommended temperature for your food (up to 400°F).
3. **Set Time:** Turn the timer dial to the desired cooking time (up to 60 minutes). The air fryer will begin heating.
4. **Shake/Flip (Optional):** For even cooking, especially with smaller items like fries or chicken wings, pull out the basket halfway through the cooking time and gently shake or flip the food. Reinsert the basket to resume cooking.
5. **Completion:** The air fryer will automatically shut off when the timer reaches zero, indicated by an audible bell. Carefully pull out the basket and remove the cooked food.

Oil-free cooking

- Uses rapid convection air
- Ensures even cooking
- 60-minute timer



Image: The Toastmaster Air Fryer with its basket partially pulled out, revealing crispy waffle fries. A graphic highlights the "Safety Switch" feature, which pauses cooking when the basket is removed for inspection or shaking.

Oil-free cooking

✓ French fries

✓ Chicken wings

✓ Veggie chips

✓ Meats

✓ Fish



Image: The Toastmaster Air Fryer positioned on a kitchen counter, surrounded by examples of foods that can be prepared, such as french fries, chicken wings, veggie chips, meats, and fish, emphasizing its versatility for oil-free cooking.

CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE

Regular cleaning will help maintain the performance and longevity of your air fryer.

- 1. Unplug and Cool:** Always unplug the air fryer from the power outlet and allow it to cool completely before cleaning.
- 2. Clean Fry Basket and Cooking Plate:**
 - Remove the cooking plate from the fry basket.
 - Wash both the basket and plate with hot, soapy water and a non-abrasive sponge. Do not use metal scouring pads or abrasive cleaners, as they can damage the non-stick coating.
 - Rinse thoroughly and dry completely before reassembling or storing.
 - *Note: The fry basket and cooking plate are NOT dishwasher safe.*
- 3. Clean Exterior:** Wipe the exterior of the air fryer with a damp cloth. Do not use harsh chemicals or abrasive materials.
- 4. Clean Interior:** If necessary, wipe the interior of the air fryer with a damp cloth. For stubborn residue, a small amount of mild dish soap can be used, followed by wiping with a clean, damp cloth.
- 5. Storage:** Ensure the air fryer is clean and dry before storing. Store it in a cool, dry place.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Air fryer does not turn on.	Not plugged in. Timer not set. Basket not fully inserted.	Ensure the power cord is securely plugged into a working outlet. Turn the timer dial to the desired cooking time. Push the fry basket firmly into the main unit until it clicks into place.
Food is not cooked evenly.	Basket is overcrowded. Food not shaken/flipped.	Cook food in smaller batches. Shake or flip food halfway through cooking time.
White smoke coming from the appliance.	Grease residue from previous use. High fat content food.	Clean the fry basket and cooking plate thoroughly after each use. For high-fat foods, place a piece of aluminum foil under the cooking plate to catch excess grease.

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS

Model: TM-262AF

Capacity: 2.6 Liters (2.75 Quart)

Power: 1000 Watts

Voltage: 120 Volts

Dimensions (D x W x H): 11.97" x 8.98" x 10.98"

Item Weight: 5.7 Pounds

Temperature Range: Up to 400°F

Timer: 60 minutes

Material: Plastic (Exterior), Metal (Inner)

Nonstick Coating: Yes

Dishwasher Safe Parts: No (Fry Basket and Cooking Plate)

Control Method: Dial

UPC: 655772022714

Air Fryer



5.73 POUNDS



1000 WATTS



120 VOLTS

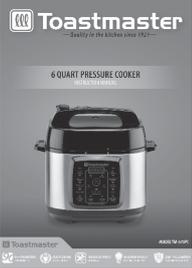
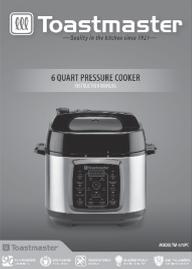
Image: A visual representation of the Toastmaster Air Fryer's dimensions (10.98 inches high, 8.98 inches wide, 11.97 inches deep) and key electrical specifications (5.73 pounds, 1000 watts, 120 volts).

WARRANTY INFORMATION

Toastmaster products are manufactured to high-quality standards. For specific warranty details regarding your TM-262AF Air Fryer, please refer to the warranty card included with your purchase or visit the official Toastmaster website. Keep your purchase receipt as proof of purchase for any warranty claims.

CUSTOMER SUPPORT

If you have any questions, require assistance, or need to report an issue with your Toastmaster 2.6L Air Fryer, please contact Toastmaster customer support. Contact information can typically be found on the product packaging, the official Toastmaster website, or by searching for "Toastmaster customer service" online.

 <p>TOASTERMASTER 11.6 QUART DIGITAL AIR FRYER TM-904AF</p>	<p>ToasterMaster 11.6 Quart Digital Air Fryer TM-904AF User Manual & Warranty</p> <p>Comprehensive user manual and warranty information for the ToasterMaster 11.6 Quart Digital Air Fryer (Model TM-904AF). Includes safety instructions, operating procedures, features, cleaning, maintenance, and warranty details.</p>
 <p>TOASTERMASTER AIR FRYER</p>	<p>ToasterMaster Air Fryer User Manual and Safety Guide</p> <p>Comprehensive guide for operating and maintaining your ToasterMaster Air Fryer, including important safety precautions, usage instructions, cleaning tips, and recipes. Learn how to use your air fryer for various cooking needs.</p>
 <p>TOASTERMASTER 6 QUART PRESSURE COOKER TM-670PC</p>	<p>ToasterMaster TM-670PC 6 Quart Pressure Cooker: Instruction Manual, Safety Guide, and Cooking Tips</p> <p>This document provides comprehensive instructions for the ToasterMaster 6 Quart Pressure Cooker (Model TM-670PC). It includes essential safety precautions, detailed operating procedures, a cooking guide with various modes, troubleshooting advice, care and cleaning instructions, and warranty information.</p>
 <p>TOASTERMASTER 6 QUART PRESSURE COOKER TM-670PC</p>	<p>ToasterMaster 6 Quart Pressure Cooker (Model TM-670PC) - Instruction Manual and Safety Guide</p> <p>Comprehensive instruction manual for the ToasterMaster 6 Quart Pressure Cooker, Model TM-670PC. Includes safety precautions, operating instructions, cooking guide, troubleshooting tips, and warranty information.</p>
 <p>TOASTERMASTER 0.7 CUBIC FOOT MICROWAVE</p>	<p>ToasterMaster 0.7 Cu. Ft. Microwave Instruction Manual</p> <p>Instruction manual for the ToasterMaster 0.7 cubic foot microwave oven (models TM-072EM, TM-073EM). Covers safety, operation, troubleshooting, and warranty. Designed for household use.</p>
 <p>TOASTERMASTER 22 LITER AIR FRYING OVEN TM-220AFO</p>	<p>ToasterMaster 22 Liter Air Frying Oven - User Manual and Warranty</p> <p>User manual and warranty information for the ToasterMaster 22 Liter Air Frying Oven (Model TM-220AFO). Includes important safety precautions, operating instructions for various functions like Air Fry, Bake, Broil, and Toast, care and cleaning guidelines, and a one-year limited warranty.</p>