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Model: EJX017

1. INTRODUCTION

The Elite Gourmet EJX017 Dynamic Masticating Slow Juicer is designed to efficiently extract juice from fruits and vegetables, preserving nutrients and flavor. Its slow-press technology minimizes oxidation, resulting in healthier, longer-lasting juice. This manual provides essential information for the safe and effective operation, maintenance, and troubleshooting of your juicer.

Key features include a 3-inch wide feeding chute for whole fruits and vegetables, a powerful 200-watt motor operating at 40-60 RPM, and a reverse function to prevent clogs. The juicer is constructed with durable, BPA-free Tritan components for longevity and ease of cleaning.



Image: The Elite Gourmet EJJ017 Slow Juicer, showcasing its sleek black design, surrounded by fresh produce like apples, carrots, celery, and kale, with a glass of freshly made green juice.

2. IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

When using electrical appliances, basic safety precautions should always be followed, including the following:

- Read all instructions before operating the juicer.
- Do not touch moving parts. Always wait until the motor has stopped completely before disassembling.
- To protect against risk of electrical shock, do not immerse the motor base, cord, or plug in water or other liquids.
- Close supervision is necessary when any appliance is used by or near children.
- Unplug from outlet when not in use, before putting on or taking off parts, and before cleaning.
- Avoid contact with moving parts.
- Do not operate any appliance with a damaged cord or plug, or after the appliance malfunctions or has been damaged in any manner.
- The use of attachments not recommended or sold by the manufacturer may cause fire, electric shock, or injury.

- Do not use outdoors.
- Do not let cord hang over edge of table or counter, or touch hot surfaces.
- Do not place on or near a hot gas or electric burner, or in a heated oven.
- Always ensure the juicer is properly assembled and the safety lock is engaged before operating.
- Do not push food with fingers or other utensils. Always use the food pusher provided.
- This appliance is for household use only.

3. PARTS AND FEATURES

Familiarize yourself with the components of your Elite Gourmet Slow Juicer:

- **Motor Base:** Contains the powerful 200-watt motor.
- **Feeding Chute:** A 3-inch wide opening designed to accept whole fruits and vegetables, reducing prep time.
- **Auger:** The single auger rotates slowly to compress and squeeze produce, maximizing juice output.
- **Filter/Strainer:** Separates pulp from juice.
- **Juice Bowl:** Collects the extracted juice.
- **Pulp Container:** Collects the separated pulp.
- **Juice Cup:** A 27 oz cup for collecting fresh juice.
- **Food Pusher:** Used to guide produce into the feeding chute safely.
- **Control Switch:** Features ON, OFF, and Reverse (R) functions.
- **Cleaning Brush:** Included for easy cleaning of components.



Image: The Elite Gourmet EJX017 Slow Juicer with key dimensions (height, width, depth) indicated, providing a visual reference for its compact size.

4. SETUP AND ASSEMBLY

Before first use, wash all removable parts (except the motor base) in warm, soapy water, rinse thoroughly, and dry. Ensure all parts are completely dry before assembly.

1. Place the motor base on a stable, flat, and dry surface.
2. Align the juice bowl with the motor base and gently press down until it clicks into place.
3. Insert the auger into the center of the juice bowl, ensuring it is seated correctly.
4. Place the filter/strainer over the auger, aligning the marks.
5. Attach the feeding chute assembly onto the top of the juice bowl, aligning the arrows or indicators. Press down and turn clockwise until it locks securely into place. You will hear a click when it is locked.
6. Position the juice cup under the juice spout and the pulp container under the pulp spout.
7. Ensure the safety lock is engaged. The juicer will not operate if the assembly is not correctly locked.



SAFETY LOCK Feeding Assembly

Press down
& turn to
lock, initiate
power & for
safe use.



Make sure at
locked position

Image: A detailed view of the juicer's safety lock, illustrating the press-down-and-turn motion required to secure the feeding assembly for safe operation.

5. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Follow these steps for optimal juicing results:

1. Prepare your fruits and vegetables. While the 3-inch chute accommodates whole items, it is recommended to cut larger or harder produce into smaller pieces to ease the juicing process and extend the appliance's life. Remove pits, large seeds, and hard peels (e.g., pineapple, melon).
2. Plug the juicer into a standard electrical outlet.
3. Turn the control switch to the "ON" position. The auger will begin to rotate.
4. Slowly feed the prepared produce into the feeding chute. Use the food pusher to gently guide the items down. Do not force the produce.
5. The juicer will separate the juice into the juice cup and the pulp into the pulp container.
6. When finished juicing, turn the control switch to the "OFF" position and unplug the appliance.

Reverse Function

If the juicer becomes clogged or jammed during operation, switch the control to the "R" (Reverse) position. This will rotate the auger in the opposite direction to clear the obstruction. Hold the "R" position for a few seconds, then release and switch back to "OFF" before attempting to juice again. Repeat if necessary.

Reverse Function

Power switch with reverse function to minimize & clear obstructions.



Handy Hint!

In the event that your motor ceases to function and fails to restart...

For safety and to prevent damage, your juicer is equipped with overload & overheating protection. It will automatically shut off after 15-20 minutes of continuous use. Simply turn it off and let it cool for 10 minutes to reset.

Image: A detailed view of the juicer's power switch, highlighting the "R" (Reverse) setting, which is used to clear blockages during operation.

Overload Protection

For safety and to prevent damage, your juicer is equipped with overload and overheating protection. It will automatically shut off after 15-20 minutes of continuous use or if overloaded. If this occurs, simply turn it off and let it cool for 10 minutes to reset before resuming operation.

6. CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE

Regular cleaning ensures optimal performance and longevity of your juicer.

1. Always unplug the juicer from the power outlet before cleaning.
2. Disassemble all removable parts: feeding chute assembly, filter/strainer, auger, juice bowl, juice cup, and pulp container.

3. Rinse all removable parts under running water immediately after use to prevent pulp from drying and sticking.
4. Use the included cleaning brush to remove any stubborn pulp or residue from the filter/strainer and other components.
5. Wash all removable parts with warm, soapy water. Rinse thoroughly.
6. **Note:** Removable parts are dishwasher safe (top shelf only). However, hand washing is recommended to prolong their lifespan.
7. Wipe the motor base with a damp cloth. **Never immerse the motor base in water or any other liquid.**
8. Ensure all parts are completely dry before reassembling or storing the juicer.
9. Store the juicer in a clean, dry place.

7. TROUBLESHOOTING

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

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Juicer does not turn on.	Not plugged in; safety lock not engaged; overheating protection activated.	Ensure plug is securely in outlet. Check that the feeding chute assembly is fully locked. If motor feels warm, unplug and let cool for 10 minutes.
Motor stops during operation or juicer jams.	Too much produce fed at once; hard produce causing blockage; overheating protection activated.	Switch to "R" (Reverse) for a few seconds to clear blockage, then switch to "OFF" and restart. Reduce amount of produce fed at one time. If motor feels warm, unplug and let cool for 10 minutes.
Low juice yield or wet pulp.	Produce fed too quickly; filter/strainer clogged.	Feed produce slowly and steadily. Clean the filter/strainer thoroughly after each use. Ensure produce is fresh.
Excessive vibration or noise.	Improper assembly; hard object in juicer.	Disassemble and reassemble all parts, ensuring they are correctly aligned and locked. Check for any foreign objects.

If the problem persists after attempting these solutions, please contact Elite Gourmet customer support.

8. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Model Name	Elite Gourmet EJX017 Dynamic Masticating Slow Juicer
Model Number	EJX017
Brand	Elite Gourmet
Color	Black
Product Dimensions	5.5"D x 5.5"W x 17.2"H
Item Weight	7.15 pounds
Maximum Power	200 Watts

Feature	Detail
Voltage	120V
Number of Speeds	1
Capacity	27 oz Juice Cup (1.7 Pounds)
Blade Material	Stainless Steel
Finish Type	Uncoated/Polished (Stainless Steel), Glossy/Matte (Tritan and BPA-Free)
Product Care Instructions	Hand Wash Only (Removable parts are top-shelf dishwasher safe)

9. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Elite Gourmet products are manufactured to the highest standards of quality and durability. For specific warranty information regarding your EJX017 Dynamic Masticating Slow Juicer, please refer to the warranty card included with your purchase or visit the official Elite Gourmet website.

If you require assistance, have questions, or need to report an issue, please contact Elite Gourmet customer support. As a trusted brand for 40 years, Elite Gourmet's US-based support team is available to respond quickly to all inquiries.

You can often find contact information on the manufacturer's website or through the retailer where the product was purchased. For general inquiries, you may visit the [Elite Gourmet Store on Amazon](#).

10. OFFICIAL PRODUCT VIDEOS

No official product videos from the seller were found in the provided data to embed in this manual. For visual demonstrations or additional product information, please check the Elite Gourmet official website or product page.