

Mecity T-88A

Mecity T-88A 4-Slice Touch Screen Toaster Instruction Manual

Model: T-88A | Brand: Mecity

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1. INTRODUCTION

Thank you for purchasing the Mecity T-88A 4-Slice Touch Screen Toaster. This appliance is designed to provide efficient and customizable toasting for various bread types. Please read this manual thoroughly before use to ensure safe and optimal operation.

2. IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

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

- Read all instructions.
- Do not touch hot surfaces. Use handles or knobs.
- To protect against electrical shock, do not immerse cord, plugs, or toaster in water or other liquid.
- Close supervision is necessary when any appliance is used by or near children.
- Unplug from outlet when not in use and before cleaning. Allow to cool before putting on or taking off parts.
- Do not operate any appliance with a damaged cord or plug or after the appliance malfunctions or has been damaged in any manner.
- 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.
- Extreme caution must be used when moving an appliance containing hot oil or other hot liquids.
- Do not use appliance for other than intended use.
- Oversize foods, metal foil packages, or utensils must not be inserted in a toaster as they may create a risk of fire or electric shock.
- A fire may occur if toasters are covered or touching flammable material, including curtains, draperies, walls, and the like, when in operation.

- Do not attempt to dislodge food when toaster is plugged in.
- Always attach plug to appliance first, then plug cord into the wall outlet. To disconnect, turn any control to “off,” then remove plug from wall outlet.

3. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Mecity T-88A is a 4-slice toaster featuring dual touch screen control panels, allowing for independent settings for each pair of slots. It is constructed from stainless steel for durability and ease of cleaning.

Components:

- 4 Wide Toasting Slots
- Dual Touch Screen Control Panels
- Dual Toasting Levers
- Removable Crumb Trays (2)
- Power Cord with Storage



Image 1: Front view of the Mecity T-88A 4-Slice Toaster with bread in slots.

4. SETUP

1. **Unpacking:** Carefully remove the toaster from its packaging. Retain packaging for future storage or transport.

2. **Placement:** Place the toaster on a stable, heat-resistant, and dry surface, away from flammable materials. Ensure adequate ventilation around the appliance.
3. **Power Connection:** Plug the power cord into a 120V AC electrical outlet. The touch screens will illuminate, indicating the toaster is ready for use.
4. **First Use:** Before toasting food for the first time, operate the toaster without bread for a few cycles at the highest setting to burn off any manufacturing residues. A slight odor or smoke may be present; this is normal. Ensure the area is well-ventilated.

5. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

The Mecity T-88A toaster features intuitive touch screen controls for precise toasting.

5.1. Basic Toasting Steps:

1. **Insert Bread:** Place up to four slices of bread, bagels, muffins, or waffles into the wide toasting slots. Ensure bread thickness is ≥ 0.5 inch for optimal results.
2. **Select Settings:** Use the touch screen control panel for the desired side of the toaster. You can select:
 - **Browning Level:** Choose from 6 browning levels, ranging from lightest to darkest. Images on the screen illustrate the expected toast shade.
 - **Bread Type:** Select specific presets for Bagel, Gluten Free, White, Waffle, Muffin, or Grain bread. This optimizes toasting time and heat distribution for each type.
 - **Special Functions:**
 - **DEFROST:** For frozen items.
 - **REHEAT:** To warm previously toasted items without further browning.
 - **CANCEL:** To stop the toasting cycle at any time.
3. **Start Toasting:** Push the toasting lever down until it locks into place. The selected settings and a countdown timer will be displayed on the screen.
4. **Completion:** Once the cycle is complete, the toast will automatically pop up, and the timer will reset.

REAL TOUCH CONTROL

6 Browning Levels



6 Bread Types



Extra Functions



Image 2: Close-up of the touch screen control panel with various options.

5.2. Dual Control Panels:

The toaster features two independent control panels, one for each pair of slots. This allows you to toast different types of bread or different browning levels simultaneously. For example, you can toast bagels on one side and white bread on the other, each with its own preferred settings.

Smart Touch Screen Toaster



Image 3: Illustration of different browning levels and bread types.

5.3. Smart Features:

- **Memory Function:** The toaster will automatically remember the last selected setting for each side.
- **Energy Saving:** The toaster enters sleep mode after 10 minutes of inactivity.
- **Smart Management:** Toasting time is adjusted for consecutive cycles to prevent over-browning.

6. MAINTENANCE & CLEANING

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

1. **Unplug:** Always unplug the toaster from the power outlet and allow it to cool completely before cleaning.
2. **Clean Crumb Trays:**
 - Locate the removable crumb trays at the bottom of the toaster.
 - Pull out the trays to remove accumulated crumbs.
 - Discard crumbs and wipe the trays clean with a damp cloth. Dry thoroughly before reinserting.
3. **Exterior Cleaning:** Wipe the exterior of the toaster with a soft, damp cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners or metal scouring pads, as these can scratch the stainless steel finish.
4. **Interior Cleaning:** Do not insert any objects into the toasting slots to clean. If food becomes lodged, unplug the toaster and carefully remove the food after it has cooled.



**Recommended bread
thickness ≥ 0.5 inch**



**Wide Slot & Shelf
Centering Rack**



Crumb Tray



Cord storage

Image 4: View of the toaster's wide slots, removable crumb tray, and cord storage.

7. TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Toaster does not turn on.	Not plugged in; power outage; circuit breaker tripped.	Ensure toaster is securely plugged in. Check power outlet and circuit breaker.
Bread does not toast evenly.	Uneven bread thickness; crumb tray full; incorrect bread type setting.	Ensure bread slices are of uniform thickness. Empty crumb tray. Select the appropriate bread type setting.
Toasting lever does not stay down.	Toaster is not plugged in or not receiving power.	Ensure the toaster is plugged in and the power is on.
Smoke or burning smell.	Crumbs accumulated in the toaster; food lodged in slots.	Immediately unplug the toaster. Allow to cool, then clean crumb trays and remove any lodged food.

8. SPECIFICATIONS

- **Brand:** Mecity
- **Model:** T-88A
- **Color:** Stainless Steel
- **Material:** Stainless Steel
- **Product Dimensions:** 10.4"D x 11.2"W x 7.1"H
- **Specific Uses:** Bagel, Bread
- **Wattage:** 1650 watts
- **Number of Slices:** 4
- **Special Features:** Built-In Timer, Defrost Mode, Rust Proof, Self Centering Rack, Touchscreen
- **Style:** Contemporary
- **Finish Type:** Brushed
- **Voltage:** 120V
- **Number of Settings:** 6
- **Item Weight:** 5.68 pounds
- **UPC:** 679872994474
- **Manufacturer:** Mecity
- **Date First Available:** February 19, 2024

9. WARRANTY & SUPPORT

For warranty information and customer support, please refer to the documentation included with your product packaging or visit the official Mecity website. Keep your purchase receipt as proof of purchase for warranty claims.