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Model: NGDICM2SS6A

#### INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential instructions for the safe and efficient operation, maintenance, and care of your Nostalgia 2-Quart Digital Electric Ice Cream Maker. Please read all instructions thoroughly before first use and retain this manual for future reference.

#### IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

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

- Read all instructions before operating the appliance.
- · Do not touch hot surfaces. Use handles or knobs.
- To protect against electrical shock, do not immerse cord, plugs, or any part of the appliance 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.
- The use of accessory attachments not recommended by the appliance manufacturer may cause injuries.
- · 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.
- Check that the voltage indicated on the appliance corresponds to the main voltage in your home before connecting the appliance.

#### PARTS & ASSEMBLY

Familiarize yourself with the components of your ice cream maker before initial use.



The Nostalgia 2-Quart Digital Electric Ice Cream Maker, shown with two servings of finished ice cream. The unit features a stainless steel exterior, a clear lid with a digital control panel, and a visible churning mechanism.



This image illustrates the dimensions of the ice cream maker: approximately 9.5 inches in height and 8 inches in width. It also highlights the 2-quart capacity and digital control panel.

### **Components:**

- Motor Base (Stainless Steel Housing)
- Freezer Bowl (Double-insulated, non-stick)
- Mixing Paddle
- Transparent Lid with Digital Control Panel and Ingredient Chute

#### SETUP

- 1. **Initial Cleaning:** Before first use, wash all parts that will come into contact with food (freezer bowl, mixing paddle, lid) in warm, soapy water. Rinse thoroughly and dry completely. The motor base should be wiped clean with a damp cloth. Do not immerse the motor base in water.
- 2. **Freeze the Canister:** Place the empty freezer bowl in the freezer for a minimum of 12-24 hours. Ensure your freezer is set to 0°F (-18°C) or colder. The bowl must be completely frozen for optimal results.

3. **Prepare Ingredients:** Prepare your ice cream, gelato, or sorbet mixture according to your recipe. Ensure the mixture is chilled before adding it to the machine.

## **OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS**

Follow these steps to make homemade frozen desserts:



This graphic illustrates the four main steps for using the ice cream maker: 1. Freeze Canister, 2. Set Digital Timer, 3. Add Mixture, and 4. Wait & Enjoy. The arrows indicate the flow of the process.

- 1. **Assemble the Unit:** Place the frozen freezer bowl into the motor base. Insert the mixing paddle into the center of the freezer bowl.
- 2. **Attach the Lid:** Secure the transparent lid onto the motor base, ensuring the mixing paddle is properly engaged with the motor mechanism.
- 3. **Set Digital Timer:** Use the digital control panel to set the desired churning time. Most recipes require 20-40 minutes.
- 4. Start Churning: Press the start button. The mixing paddle will begin to rotate.

- 5. **Add Mixture:** Slowly pour your chilled ice cream mixture through the ingredient chute in the lid while the machine is churning.
- 6. **Add Mix-ins:** Approximately 5 minutes before the churning cycle is complete, you can add solid mix-ins (e.g., chocolate chips, nuts, fruit pieces) through the ingredient chute.



A close-up view of the ingredient chute on the transparent lid, showing sprinkles and chocolate chips being added to the ice cream mixture during churning. This feature allows for easy addition of mix-ins.

The machine will automatically stop when the timer expires. The consistency of the frozen dessert will be soft-serve. For a firmer consistency, transfer the mixture to an airtight container and freeze for an additional 2-4 hours.



This image emphasizes the effortless operation of the ice cream maker, noting that the electric motor handles all churning. It also highlights the non-stick canister for easy cleaning.

## MAINTENANCE & CLEANING

Proper cleaning and maintenance will ensure the longevity of your ice cream maker.

- 1. Unplug: Always unplug the appliance from the power outlet before cleaning.
- 2. Disassemble: Remove the lid, mixing paddle, and freezer bowl from the motor base.
- 3. **Hand Wash Components:** The freezer bowl, mixing paddle, and lid should be hand washed in warm, soapy water. Rinse thoroughly and dry completely. The freezer bowl is non-stick for easier cleaning.
- 4. **Clean Motor Base:** Wipe the exterior of the motor base with a damp cloth. Do not immerse the motor base in water or any other liquid.
- 5. Storage: Ensure all parts are completely dry before storing. Store the unit in a cool, dry place.

#### **TROUBLESHOOTING**

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Ice cream mixture does not freeze or remains too soft.	<ul> <li>Freezer bowl not sufficiently frozen.</li> <li>Mixture was not prechilled.</li> <li>Recipe contains too much sugar or alcohol.</li> <li>Ambient room temperature is too high.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Ensure freezer bowl is frozen for 12-24 hours at 0°F (-18°C).</li> <li>Chill your mixture in the refrigerator for at least 2 hours before churning.</li> <li>Adjust recipe to reduce sugar/alcohol content.</li> <li>Operate the machine in a cooler environment.</li> </ul>
Mixing paddle stops or gets stuck.	<ul> <li>Mixture has become too thick.</li> <li>Paddle not properly engaged.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Turn off the machine, remove the paddle, and check for obstructions. If the mixture is too thick, it may be fully churned.</li> <li>Ensure the paddle is correctly seated in the motor mechanism and the freezer bowl.</li> </ul>
Freezer bowl is difficult to remove from the base.	<ul> <li>Condensation or slight freezing between bowl and base.</li> </ul>	Allow the unit to sit at room temperature for a few minutes, or gently twist the bowl to loosen.

## **SPECIFICATIONS**

• Brand: Nostalgia

• Model Number: NGDICM2SS6A

• Capacity: 2 Quarts

• Material: Stainless Steel

• Special Features: Non-Stick Coating (Freezer Bowl)

• **Item Weight:** 4.11 kg (9.05 Pounds)

• Parcel Dimensions: 34.29 x 27.94 x 26.67 cm

• Operation Mode: Automatic

• Product Care: Hand Wash (for removable parts)

## WARRANTY & SUPPORT

Information regarding product warranty and customer support was not available in the provided product data. Please refer to the product packaging or the manufacturer's official website for details on warranty coverage and how to contact customer support for your Nostalgia appliance.

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