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Model: HL-30WS01

## INTRODUCTION

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Thank you for purchasing the Hoper Layer 3L Portable Non-stick Rice Maker Smart Control Rice Cooker. This appliance is designed to provide convenient and efficient cooking for various dishes, primarily rice, with its smart control panel and non-stick inner pot. Please read this manual thoroughly before first use to ensure safe operation and optimal performance.

## IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

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- Read all instructions before using the appliance.
- Do not touch hot surfaces. Use handles or knobs.
- To protect against electrical shock, do not immerse cord, plugs, or the main unit 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.
- 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.
- Do not use appliance for other than intended use.
- Avoid metal utensils to prevent scratching the non-stick coating of the inner pot.

## PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Hoper Layer rice cooker features a compact and portable design with a user-friendly smart control panel. Key components include the main unit, removable non-stick inner pot, and a hinged lid.



**Figure 1:** Front view of the Hoper Layer 3L Portable Rice Cooker, showcasing its beige color and control panel.



**Figure 2:** Side view of the rice cooker illustrating its compact dimensions: approximately 44 cm (17.32 inches) deep, 30 cm (11.81 inches) wide, and 33 cm (12.99 inches) high.



**Figure 3:** The rice cooker with its lid open, revealing the non-stick inner pot and the steam vent on the lid interior.

## SETUP

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1. **Unpacking:** Carefully remove the rice cooker and all accessories from the packaging. Retain packaging for future storage or transport if needed.
2. **Initial Cleaning:** Before first use, wash the non-stick inner pot, measuring cup, and rice paddle with warm, soapy water. Rinse thoroughly 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 rice cooker on a stable, flat, heat-resistant surface, away from direct sunlight and heat sources. Ensure adequate ventilation around the appliance.
4. **Power Connection:** Ensure the power cord is securely plugged into the rice cooker and then into a compatible electrical outlet.

## OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

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## Basic Rice Cooking

1. **Measure Rice:** Use the provided measuring cup to measure the desired amount of rice. The 3-liter capacity is suitable for 2-6 people.
2. **Wash Rice:** Rinse the rice thoroughly under cold water until the water runs clear.
3. **Add Water:** Place the washed rice into the non-stick inner pot. Add the appropriate amount of water according to the rice type and desired consistency. Refer to the water level markings inside the inner pot or a standard rice-to-water ratio (e.g., 1 cup rice to 1.5-2 cups water for white rice).
4. **Place Inner Pot:** Carefully place the inner pot into the main unit, ensuring it sits correctly.
5. **Close Lid:** Close the lid securely until it clicks into place.
6. **Select Mode:** Plug in the rice cooker. The smart control panel will illuminate. Press the "Menu" button to cycle through available cooking modes such as "White Rice", "Brown Rice", "Porridge", "Soup", or "Slow Cooking".
7. **Start Cooking:** Once the desired mode is selected, press the "Start" button. The indicator light for the selected mode will illuminate, and the cooking process will begin.
8. **Keep Warm:** After cooking is complete, the rice cooker will automatically switch to "Keep Warm" mode. This function maintains the temperature of the cooked food.
9. **Serve:** Use the provided rice paddle to serve. Avoid using metal utensils to protect the non-stick coating.



**Figure 4:** A person serving freshly cooked rice from the Hoper Layer rice cooker into a bowl, demonstrating the ease of serving.

### **Using Other Cooking Modes**

The smart control panel offers versatility beyond just rice. For modes like Porridge, Soup, or Slow Cooking, follow the basic steps for adding ingredients and water, then select the corresponding mode from the menu. The cooker is engineered for fast and even heating across all modes.



**Figure 5:** A person serving soup from the inner pot of the Hoper Layer rice cooker, highlighting its multi-functional capabilities.

## MAINTENANCE AND CLEANING

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Regular cleaning ensures the longevity and optimal performance of your Hoper Layer rice cooker.

1. **Unplug and Cool:** Always unplug the appliance from the power outlet and allow it to cool completely before cleaning.
2. **Inner Pot:** The non-stick inner pot can be washed with warm, soapy water using a soft sponge or cloth. Rinse thoroughly and dry completely. Do not use abrasive cleaners, metal scouring pads, or sharp utensils, as these can damage the non-stick coating.
3. **Lid and Steam Vent:** Wipe the inside of the lid and the steam vent with a damp cloth. Ensure no food particles are lodged in the steam vent.
4. **Exterior:** Wipe the exterior of the main unit with a soft, damp cloth. Do not immerse the main unit in water or any other liquid.

5. **Accessories:** Wash the measuring cup and rice paddle with warm, soapy water and dry them.
6. **Storage:** Store the rice cooker in a dry place when not in use.

## TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Rice is too hard/undercooked.	Insufficient water; lid not properly closed; power interruption.	Add more water next time; ensure lid is sealed; check power connection.
Rice is too soft/mushy.	Too much water.	Reduce water amount next time.
Rice sticks to the bottom.	Not enough water; inner pot not clean; damaged non-stick coating.	Ensure proper water ratio; clean inner pot thoroughly; avoid metal utensils.
Cooker does not turn on.	Not plugged in; power outage; faulty outlet.	Check power cord connection; verify power supply; try a different outlet.
Steam leaking from lid.	Lid not properly closed; seal damaged; food residue on rim.	Ensure lid is securely closed; inspect and clean lid seal; remove any food residue.

## SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand	Hoper Layer
Model Number	HL-30WS01
Colour	Beige
Capacity	3 Litres
Power/Wattage	1200 watts
Item Weight	4.4 kg
Product Dimensions	44D x 30W x 33H centimetres
Power Source	Corded Electric
Non-stick Inner Pot	Yes
Smart Control Panel	Yes, with multiple cooking modes

## WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information or technical support, please refer to the purchase documentation or contact Hoper Layer customer service directly. Keep your proof of purchase for any warranty claims.

For further assistance, you may visit the official Hoper Layer store on Amazon: [Hoper Layer Store](#)

