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Model: EP-325

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential information for the safe and efficient operation, maintenance, and troubleshooting of your Weber SPIRIT 3-Burner Grill EP-325 Liquid Propane. The grill features a powerful Sear Zone, Snap-Jet Ignition, and a digital thermometer for precise temperature control. Its design incorporates stainless steel Flavorizer Bars and a grease management system for enhanced flavor and easy cleaning.

Please read this manual thoroughly before assembly or operation to ensure proper use and to prevent injury or damage.

SAFETY INFORMATION

Always follow these safety guidelines when operating your grill:

- Ensure the grill is placed on a level, non-combustible surface away from flammable materials.
- Do not store or use gasoline or other flammable vapors and liquids in the vicinity of this or any other appliance.
- Keep the area around the grill clear and free from combustible materials, gasoline, and other flammable vapors and liquids.
- Never operate the grill unattended.
- Always open the grill lid before lighting the burners.
- Check for gas leaks regularly using a soap and water solution.
- Keep children and pets away from the grill at all times.
- Wear protective gloves when handling hot components.

SETUP

Assembly

The Weber SPIRIT EP-325 grill requires assembly. Follow the detailed instructions provided in the separate assembly guide. Ensure all components are securely fastened before proceeding. Assembly typically takes approximately 1-2 hours for one person.



Figure 1: Assembled Weber Spirit EP-325 Grill.

Connecting the Propane Tank

Ensure the propane tank valve is closed before connecting it to the grill. Connect the regulator hose to the tank valve, tightening it securely by hand. Do not use tools to tighten the connection, as this may damage the fitting.



Figure 2: Propane tank connection point on the grill.

Initial Burn-Off

Before cooking for the first time, perform an initial burn-off. Open the grill lid, turn on the gas supply, and ignite all burners to their highest setting. Close the lid and allow the grill to heat for 15-20 minutes. This process burns off any manufacturing residues.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Ignition

To ignite the grill, ensure the lid is open. Turn on the gas supply at the tank. Push and turn any burner control knob to the HIGH position. The Snap-Jet Ignition system will automatically light the burner. Once lit, you can ignite additional burners by turning their respective knobs to HIGH.



Figure 3: Using the Snap-Jet Ignition system.

Temperature Control and Sear Zone

The EP-325 features a digital thermometer for easy temperature monitoring. Adjust the burner control knobs to achieve your desired cooking temperature. The two red Boost Burner knobs activate the Sear Zone, providing 40% more power for intense searing.



Figure 4: Digital thermometer display.

Grilling Techniques

Utilize the grill for various cooking methods:

- **Direct Grilling:** For smaller, tender cuts of meat and vegetables that cook in 20 minutes or less.
Cook directly over the lit burners.
- **Indirect Grilling:** For larger cuts of meat, poultry, or delicate foods that require longer cooking times.
Place food over unlit burners, with lit burners on either side.
- **Searing:** Use the Sear Zone for creating flavorful crusts on steaks, chops, and other meats.



Figure 5: Grilling various foods on the main cooking grates.

Weber Works Compatibility

The side tables and rails are designed to integrate with Weber Works accessories (sold separately), such as a Basin with Cutting Board Lid, Prep and Serve Kit, Bottle Holder, and extra Tool Hooks, enhancing your grilling experience.

MAINTENANCE

Grease Management System

The grill features a grease management system with a large drip pan and a removable grease tray. Regularly check and empty the grease tray to prevent flare-ups and ensure proper drainage. The tray slides out for quick and easy cleaning.

Cleaning Grates and Flavorizer Bars

The porcelain-enamedled, cast-iron grates should be cleaned after each use. While the grill is still warm, use a grill brush to remove food residue. The stainless steel Flavorizer Bars also require periodic cleaning to remove accumulated grease and debris.



Figure 6: Accessing Flavorizer Bars for cleaning.

Exterior Cleaning

Clean the exterior surfaces with a mild soap and water solution. For stainless steel components, use a stainless steel cleaner and polish in the direction of the grain.

TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your grill, consider the following common troubleshooting steps:

- **Burners not lighting:** Check propane tank level, ensure gas supply is open, and verify igniter is sparking.
- **Low flame:** This could indicate a gas flow issue. Ensure the propane tank valve is fully open and check for kinks in the hose.
- **Uneven heating:** Clean burner tubes and Flavorizer Bars to ensure even gas distribution.

For more detailed troubleshooting guides and solutions, please refer to the comprehensive manual or visit the official Weber support website.

SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand	Weber
Model Name	Spirit
Item Model Number	EP-325
Product Dimensions	25.5"D x 48.3"W x 46.3"H

Item Weight	98.12 Pounds
Fuel Type	Gas (Liquid Propane)
Main Burner Count	3
Heating Power	19000 British Thermal Units
Cooking Surface Area	360 Square Inches
Material	Porcelain Enamel (Grates), Metal (Frame)
Included Components	Thermometer
Assembly Required	Yes

WARRANTY & SUPPORT

The Weber SPIRIT EP-325 Liquid Propane Grill comes with a 10-year limited warranty, covering various components. For specific warranty details, claims, or technical support, please refer to the warranty card included with your product or visit the official Weber website.

Online Support: For additional resources, FAQs, and customer service, please visit the [Weber Store on Amazon](#) or the official Weber website.