

Gourmia GAF858

Gourmia 7.6 L (8 Qt.) Digital Air Fryer Instruction Manual

Model: GAF858 | Brand: Gourmia

INTRODUCTION

The Gourmia 7.6 L (8 Qt.) Digital Air Fryer with Touchscreen Controls and Pre-Set Cooking Functions is designed to bring convenience and healthier cooking to your kitchen. Utilizing Fryforce 360 Technology, this air fryer circulates heated air evenly to cook meals with significantly less oil, achieving crispy perfection. Its large capacity is ideal for families or meal preparation, and the intuitive touchscreen controls simplify operation with various pre-set cooking functions.

Key features include:

- **Large Capacity:** 7.6 L (8 Qt.) size ideal for families or meal prep.
- **One-touch Cooking Functions:** A variety of dishes are just one tap away.
- **Fryforce 360 Technology:** Circulates heated air evenly for crispy perfection.
- **Large Display:** View temperature and time simultaneously.
- **Preheat Option:** Activate according to your preference.
- **Easy Cleanup:** Dishwasher safe basket and crisper tray.
- **Convenient Cord Storage:** For a neat and clear countertop.

SETUP

Before first use, ensure all packaging materials are removed. Place the air fryer on a stable, heat-resistant surface. For optimal performance and safety, position the unit a few inches away from walls or other appliances to allow for proper airflow, as heat is expelled from the rear of the unit.



Figure 1: Rear view of the air fryer with integrated cord storage.

Plug the air fryer into a grounded electrical outlet. It is recommended to unplug the unit when not in use, especially for appliances with heating elements.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

The Gourmia Digital Air Fryer features intuitive touchscreen controls for easy operation.

Controls and Display

Upon plugging in the unit, the touchscreen display will illuminate. You can control temperature and time independently, offering precise cooking adjustments.



Figure 2: Front view of the air fryer with illuminated touchscreen controls.

Cooking Modes

Select from various pre-set cooking functions including Air Fry, Roast, Broil, Dehydrate, Reheat, Keep Warm, and Bake. While the unit offers multiple modes, its primary strength lies in air frying for quick, crispy results.

Preheat Function

The air fryer comes with a preheat option that, when activated, will heat the unit to the set temperature and then alert you with an audible signal. For many quick-cooking items, preheating may not be necessary due to the rapid heating capabilities of the air fryer. You can typically disable this function if desired.

Turn Reminder

For best results and even cooking, utilize the 'Turn Reminder' feature. This function will alert you halfway through the cooking cycle to turn or shake the food. This ensures all sides of your food are exposed to the circulating hot air, leading to uniform crispness.

Basket and Crisper Tray

The air fryer includes a main basket and a crisper tray. For most air frying tasks, place food in a single layer on the crisper tray within the basket to allow for optimal air circulation. Avoid overcrowding the basket.



Figure 3: Components of the air fryer basket, including the non-stick crisper tray.

An additional wire mesh rack is provided, which can be used for a second layer of food. However, be aware that using this rack may position food too close to the heating element and can sometimes cause food to stick. For most applications, the non-stick crisper tray is sufficient.



Figure 4: Food cooking inside the air fryer basket, demonstrating the viewing window.

When shaking the basket to turn food, pull it out about halfway to prevent jamming the drawer when reinserting. The transparent viewing window allows you to monitor cooking progress without opening the basket.

MAINTENANCE

Regular cleaning ensures the longevity and optimal performance of your air fryer.

Cleaning

The air fryer basket and crisper tray are dishwasher safe, making cleanup easy. For stubborn residue, soak the components in warm, soapy water before cleaning. Wipe down the exterior of the unit with a damp cloth.

TROUBLESHOOTING

If your air fryer experiences issues such as not powering on or unexpected shutdowns, first ensure it is properly plugged into a working outlet. If the unit has been in heavy, continuous use, allow it to cool down

before attempting to restart. For persistent issues, consult the manufacturer's support or consider professional repair.

SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Product Dimensions	13.78"D x 13.78"W x 13.78"H
Color	Black
Capacity	7.6 Liters (8 Quarts)
Brand	Gourmia
Control Method	Touch
Model Name	Fryforce Fryer
Has Nonstick Coating	Yes
Inner Material	Stainless Steel with Non-Stick Coating
Is Dishwasher Safe	Yes
UPC	810002865275
Air Frying Technology	Fryforce 360° technology
Manufacturer	Costco Wholesale Corporation
ASIN	B0DS2XRT28
Item model number	GAF858
Date First Available	January 3, 2025

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information and customer support, please refer to the documentation included with your product or visit the official Gourmia website. Protection plans are available for purchase separately to extend coverage beyond the standard manufacturer's warranty.

- **3-Year Protection Plan:** Available for \$21.99
- **4-Year Protection Plan:** Available for \$29.99
- **Complete Protect:** One plan covers all eligible past and future purchases for \$16.99/month.

The standard return policy allows for refund/replacement within 30 days.

