

Cuisinart ADZ-110

Cuisinart Dual Basket Air Fryer Instruction Manual

Model: ADZ-110 | Capacity: 11 Quarts

Brand: Cuisinart

1. IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

When using electrical appliances, basic safety precautions should always be followed to reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, and/or injury, including the following:

- 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 the main unit in water or other liquids.
- 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.
- Ensure baskets are properly inserted before operation.
- A short power-supply cord is provided to reduce the risks resulting from entanglement or tripping over a longer cord.

2. INTRODUCTION

The Cuisinart Dual Basket Air Fryer offers a versatile cooking experience with its two independent 5.5-quart baskets, totaling an 11-quart capacity. This appliance allows you to prepare two different foods simultaneously, each with its own time and temperature settings. It features four primary cooking functions: Air Fry, Roast, Bake, and Keep Warm, along with intelligent functions like Sync Finish and Sync Settings to streamline your meal preparation.

3. PRODUCT COMPONENTS



Figure 3.1: Main Unit Overview

The Cuisinart Dual Basket Air Fryer with its sleek black finish and digital control panel. The two baskets are shown in their closed position.



Figure 3.2: Dual Baskets and Crisper Plates

Both 5.5-quart cooking baskets are pulled out, revealing the removable ceramic nonstick crisper plates inside. These components are designed for easy cleaning.

Key Components:

- **Main Unit:** Houses the heating element, fan, and control panel.
- **Control Panel:** Digital display with touch controls for functions, time, temperature, and special features.
- **Cooking Baskets (x2):** Two independent 5.5-quart capacity baskets for holding food.
- **Crisper Plates (x2):** Removable, nonstick ceramic-coated plates inserted into each basket to allow air circulation for even cooking.
- **Power Cord:** For connecting the appliance to an electrical outlet.

4. BEFORE FIRST USE

1. **Unpacking:** Carefully remove all packaging materials, labels, and stickers from the appliance.
2. **Cleaning:** Wash the cooking baskets and crisper plates in warm, soapy water. Rinse thoroughly and dry completely. The baskets and crisper plates are dishwasher safe. Wipe the exterior of the main unit with a damp cloth. Do not immerse the main unit in water.

3. **Initial Run (Optional):** It is recommended to run the air fryer empty for about 10-15 minutes at 400°F (200°C) to eliminate any manufacturing odors. Ensure the area is well-ventilated during this process.

5. SETUP

1. **Placement:** Place the air fryer on a stable, heat-resistant, and level surface. Ensure there is adequate space (at least 6 inches) around the appliance for proper air circulation.
2. **Power Connection:** Plug the power cord into a grounded electrical outlet. The appliance will enter standby mode, and the display will illuminate.
3. **Insert Components:** Ensure the crisper plates are correctly seated in the bottom of each cooking basket, and then slide the baskets firmly into the main unit.

6. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

6.1 Control Panel Overview



Toss reminder
Ensures perfect crisp and even cooking.

Figure 6.1: Digital Control Panel

The central digital display and touch controls for setting temperature, time, functions, and special features for each basket.

The control panel features a digital display for each basket, along with touch buttons for power, temperature adjustment, time adjustment, function selection, and special features like Sync Finish, Sync Settings, and Toss Reminder.

6.2 Basic Operation

1. **Power On:** Press the Power button (U) to turn on the appliance.
2. **Select Basket:** The control panel is divided into two sections, one for each basket. Select the basket you wish to program.
3. **Choose Function:** Press the desired cooking function (Air Fry, Roast, Bake, Keep Warm).
4. **Adjust Temperature:** Use the temperature adjustment buttons (up/down arrows) to set the desired temperature (up to 450°F).
5. **Set Time:** Use the time adjustment buttons (up/down arrows) to set the desired cooking time (up to 60 minutes).
6. **Start Cooking:** Press the Start/Pause button (▶/||) for the selected basket to begin cooking.
7. **Auto-Pause:** The cooking cycle will automatically pause if a basket is removed during operation. Reinsert the basket to resume.

6.3 Cooking Functions

- **Air Fry:** Ideal for achieving crispy results with little to no oil. Use for fries, wings, chicken nuggets, etc.
- **Roast:** Suitable for cooking meats, vegetables, and other items that require even cooking and browning.
- **Bake:** For preparing baked goods like cakes, muffins, or casseroles.
- **Keep Warm:** Maintains food at a serving temperature after cooking is complete.

Dual Zone 11-Qt Basket Air Fryer



Figure 6.2: Dual Zone Cooking in Action

Illustrates the ability to cook different food types simultaneously in each basket, such as salmon with green beans and a whole chicken.

6.4 Special Features

- **Sync Finish:** This feature ensures that both baskets complete their cooking cycles at the same time, even if they have different cooking times and temperatures. To use, set the desired function, time, and temperature for each basket, then press the 'Sync Finish' button before starting.
- **Sync Settings:** Easily duplicates the function, time, and temperature settings from one basket to the other. Useful when cooking the same food type in both baskets.
- **Toss Reminder:** An audible alert and display message will prompt you to shake or toss the food in the basket during the cooking cycle, ensuring even cooking and crispiness. This feature can be enabled or disabled.
- **Air Fry Presets:** The control panel includes three dedicated presets for common air-fried foods: Wings, Fries, and Frozen Snacks. Simply select the preset for quick and optimized cooking.
- **Automatic Warm Mode:** After a cooking cycle completes, the appliance may automatically switch to a 'Keep Warm' mode to maintain food temperature.



Adjustable temp and time

Temp up to 450°F, time up to 60 minutes.

Figure 6.3: Interacting with the Control Panel

A user's hand demonstrates pressing a button on the digital control panel, highlighting the touch interface for setting cooking parameters.

7. CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE

1. **Unplug:** Always unplug the air fryer from the power outlet and allow it to cool completely before cleaning.
2. **Baskets and Crisper Plates:** The cooking baskets and crisper plates are ceramic nonstick and dishwasher safe. For manual cleaning, wash them in warm, soapy water using a non-abrasive sponge. Rinse and dry thoroughly.
3. **Main Unit:** Wipe the exterior of the main unit with a damp cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners or scouring pads. Never immerse the main unit in water or any other liquid.
4. **Interior:** If necessary, wipe the interior of the appliance with a damp cloth. Ensure no food debris remains.
5. **Storage:** Store the cleaned and dried air fryer in a cool, dry place.

8. TROUBLESHOOTING

- **Appliance does not turn on:** Ensure the power cord is securely plugged into a working electrical outlet.

Check if the outlet is functional.

- **Food not cooking evenly:** Ensure not to overfill the baskets. Use the 'Toss Reminder' feature or manually shake/toss food halfway through cooking. Verify the crisper plate is correctly installed.
- **White smoke coming from the appliance:** This may indicate that fat from food has dripped onto the heating element. Clean the baskets and crisper plates thoroughly after each use. Ensure no excessive oil or grease is present.
- **Appliance pauses during cooking:** This is normal if a basket is removed. Reinsert the basket firmly to resume the cooking cycle.
- **Display shows an error code:** Refer to the Cuisinart customer support for specific error code interpretations.

9. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Specification
Model Number	ADZ-110
Capacity	11 Quarts (2 x 5.5-quart baskets)
Functions	Air Fry, Roast, Bake, Keep Warm
Wattage	1800 Watts
Temperature Range	Adjustable up to 450°F
Timer	Up to 60 minutes
Control Method	Touch Digital Display
Special Features	Dual Zone, Sync Finish, Sync Settings, Toss Reminder, 3 Air Fry Presets, Automatic Warm Mode, Auto-Pause
Dimensions (D x W x H)	16"D x 17.2"W x 12.2"H
Weight	23.8 pounds
Material	Plastic
Color	Black
Dishwasher Safe Parts	Baskets and Crisper Plates

10. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

This Cuisinart Dual Basket Air Fryer (Model ADZ-110) comes with a limited 3-year warranty from the date of purchase. This warranty covers defects in materials and workmanship under normal household use. For warranty claims, technical assistance, or product support, please contact Cuisinart Customer Service. Keep your proof of purchase for warranty validation.

Cuisinart Customer Service: Please refer to the official Cuisinart website or your product packaging for the most current contact information.

