

OSTBA ZDQ-708

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1. Product Overview

Thank you for purchasing the OSTBA ZDQ-708 Egg Cooker. This appliance is designed to simplify egg preparation, allowing you to cook eggs to your desired consistency with ease. Please read this manual thoroughly before first use to ensure safe and efficient operation.

Important Safety Information:

- Always unplug the appliance from the power outlet when not in use and before cleaning.
- Do not immerse the base unit, cord, or plug in water or other liquids.
- Keep the appliance out of reach of children.
- Do not operate the appliance if the cord or plug is damaged, or if the appliance malfunctions or has been damaged in any manner.
- Use the appliance only for its intended household purpose.



Image 1.1: The OSTBA ZDQ-708 Egg Cooker, featuring a transparent lid and a sleek black base.

2. Setup and First Use

Before using your egg cooker for the first time, follow these steps:

1. **Unpack:** Carefully remove all packaging materials from the egg cooker and its accessories.
2. **Identify Components:** Ensure you have all parts: the main heating base, egg tray, measuring cup, and transparent lid.
3. **Clean:** Wash the egg tray, measuring cup, and lid with warm, soapy water. Rinse thoroughly and dry completely. Wipe the heating base with a damp cloth. Do not submerge the heating base in water.
4. **Placement:** Place the egg cooker on a stable, flat, heat-resistant surface, away from water sources.

3. Operating Instructions

Follow these steps to cook eggs with your OSTBA ZDQ-708 Egg Cooker:

1. **Add Water:** Use the provided measuring cup to add the appropriate amount of water to the heating plate. The measuring cup typically has markings for soft, medium, and hard-boiled eggs. Refer to these markings for desired egg consistency.

2. **Prepare Eggs:** Pierce the large end of each egg with the piercing pin located at the bottom of the measuring cup. This prevents eggs from cracking during cooking.
3. **Place Eggs:** Place the egg tray onto the heating base. Carefully place the pierced eggs onto the egg tray, with the pierced end facing upwards.
4. **Cover:** Place the transparent lid securely over the egg tray and heating base.
5. **Power On:** Plug the power cord into a standard electrical outlet. Press the power button to start cooking. An indicator light will illuminate.
6. **Cooking Process:** The egg cooker will steam the eggs. Once the water has evaporated and the eggs are cooked, the appliance will automatically shut off, and an audible alert may sound.
7. **Cool Down:** Carefully remove the lid (steam will be hot) and the egg tray using oven mitts or a towel. Immediately rinse the cooked eggs under cold water or place them in an ice bath to stop the cooking process and make them easier to peel.
8. **Serve:** Peel and serve your perfectly cooked eggs.

4. Care and Maintenance

Proper care ensures the longevity and performance of your egg cooker:

- **Cleaning After Each Use:** After the appliance has cooled down and is unplugged, wash the egg tray, measuring cup, and lid in warm, soapy water. Rinse and dry thoroughly.
- **Cleaning the Heating Plate:** If mineral deposits (scale) accumulate on the heating plate, fill the heating plate with a mixture of 1 part white vinegar and 2 parts water. Let it soak for 15-30 minutes, then scrub gently with a non-abrasive sponge. Rinse with a damp cloth and dry. Do not use abrasive cleaners or scouring pads.
- **Exterior Cleaning:** Wipe the exterior of the heating base with a soft, damp cloth.
- **Storage:** Store the clean and dry egg cooker in a cool, dry place.

5. Troubleshooting

If you encounter issues with your egg cooker, refer to the following common problems and solutions:

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Eggs are undercooked.	Insufficient water added; lid not properly sealed.	Ensure correct water level for desired doneness; check lid for proper placement.
Eggs are overcooked.	Too much water added.	Use the correct water level indicated on the measuring cup.
Appliance does not turn on.	Not plugged in; power outlet issue.	Check if the power cord is securely plugged in; test the outlet with another appliance.
Eggs crack during cooking.	Eggs not pierced; cold eggs used directly from refrigerator.	Always pierce the large end of the egg; allow eggs to reach room temperature before cooking if possible.
White residue on heating plate.	Mineral deposits from water.	Clean with a vinegar and water solution as described in the Maintenance section.

6. Product Specifications

Feature	Detail
Model Number	ZDQ-708
Brand	OSTBA
Material	Plastic
Color	White (as per product listing, though main image shows black)
Product Dimensions (L x W x H)	8.03" x 6.18" x 6.22"
Item Weight	1.32 Pounds
Power Source	Electric
Included Components	Egg Cooker (main unit, egg tray, measuring cup, lid)

7. Warranty and Customer Support

OSTBA products are manufactured to high-quality standards. For information regarding warranty coverage, please refer to the warranty card included with your purchase or visit the official OSTBA website.

If you have any questions, concerns, or require technical assistance, please contact OSTBA customer support. Contact details can typically be found on the product packaging or the official brand website.