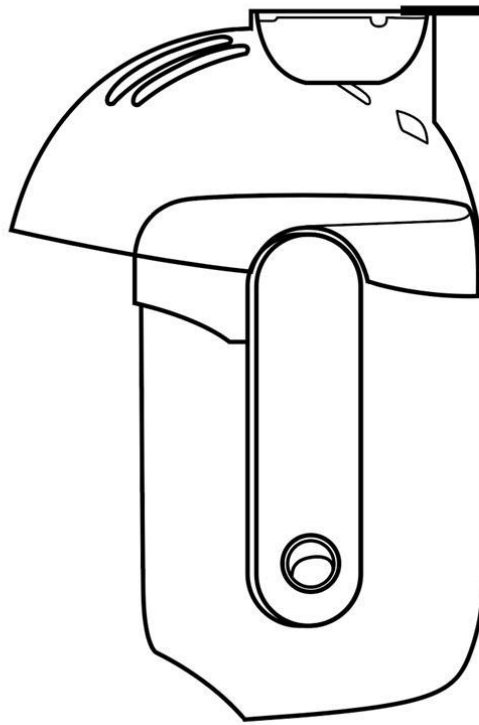


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POPCORN MAKER

Instruction Manual



Model No.: APCM029

To ensure the proper operation of this product, please read this instruction manual carefully before using the product and keep it for future reference.

Important Safeguards



Read all instructions thoroughly before first use, even if you are familiar with this type of product. The safety precautions mentioned in this manual reduce the risk of burns, fire, electric shock, and injury when correctly followed. Keep this manual in a safe place for future reference, along with the purchase receipt and packaging. If applicable, pass these instructions onto the next owner of this product.

Explanation of Symbols



This signal symbol/word designates a hazard with moderate risk, which may result in death or severe injury if not avoided.



This signal symbol/word designates a hazard with low risk, which may result in minor or moderate injury if not avoided.



This signal word warns of possible damage to property.



CAUTION: HOT SURFACE! The surfaces are likely to get hot during use.

READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS

When using an electrical product, to reduce the risk of personal injury or damage to property, basic safety precautions must be observed, including the following:

- Always turn the power off at the power outlet before you insert or remove the plug. Remove by grasping the plug – do not pull on the cord.
- This product is not intended for use by persons (including children) with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge, unless they have been given supervision or instruction concerning the use of the product by a person responsible for their safety. Children shall be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the product.
- Cleaning and user maintenance shall not be made by children unless they are older than 8 and supervised.
- **WARNING!** If the surface is cracked, switch off the product to avoid the possibility of electric shock.
- Additional copies of the Instruction manual are available from Customer Service.
- Keep the product and its cord out of reach of children less than 8 years.
- **CAUTION!** Do not leave the product unattended when in use or when connected to mains power. Keep away from young children.
- This product is only intended to make popcorn, DO NOT use for any other purpose.
- Only connect the product to a power outlet of the same voltage (AC only) as that marked on the rating plate of the product.
- Do not use your product with an extension cord unless this cord has been checked and tested by a qualified technician or service person.
- To protect against the risk of electric shock, do not immerse the cord, plug or base in water or any other liquid.
- Never leave the product unattended while in use.
- Close supervision is necessary when the product is being used by or near children.
- Turn the power off and unplug from the power outlet when not in use and before putting on or taking off parts or before cleaning.
- Do not use the product for any purpose other than its intended use.
- Do not place the product on or near flammable or hot objects.
- Avoid contact with moving parts.
- Do not operate any electrical product if the power cord is damaged or after the product has been dropped or damaged in any way. If damage is suspected, contact Customer Service, for further advice.
- Do not operate the product with wet hands.
- Do not use outdoors.
- Do not let the power cord of the product hang over the edge of a table or touch any hot or sharp surfaces.
- Some products are "sealed" using tamperproof screws to avoid tampering/maintenance by unskilled or unqualified persons and for safety reasons.
- Do not attempt to repair, disassemble or modify the product.
- Do not use chemical, steel wool or abrasive cleaners to clean the product.

- This product is for household, indoor use only.
- Only use the product for domestic purposes.
- A short power supply cord is provided to reduce the risk of becoming entangled or tripped over, which may occur with a longer cord.
- Always operate the product on a flat, level, heat resistant stable surface.
- Do not submerge the product in water or other liquids as this may cause an electrical failure and damage to the motor and other electrical parts.
- Do not place on or a near a hot gas or electric burner, or in a heated oven.
- Oversized foods or metal utensils must not be inserted in the product as they may cause a fire or risk of electric shock.
- Always disconnect the product from the wall socket and allow to cool down before cleaning.
- **WARNING!** Popcorn is usually very dry.
- **WARNING!** Place the Measuring Cup/Spoon in the cavity.
- **WARNING!** Do not add butter, oil or any other ingredients directly into the popping chamber. Butter may only be placed in the measuring spoon on top of the cover, away from the popping chamber.
- Add flavour after the corn is popped in a separate bowl if required.
- For the cleaning process, please refer to section "Cleaning and Maintenance".



Do not cover the product when it is in operation.

NOTE! The first time the product is used a slight odour may develop. This is entirely harmless and will soon dissipate. Ensure there is adequate ventilation when using the product.

- Do not operate the Popcorn maker near curtains, blinds, drapes or in the bathroom.
- To disconnect, grip the plug and pull it from the wall outlet. Never pull by the cord.
- The Popcorn maker should not be operated by means of an external timer or separate remote-control system.
- DO NOT add butter, oil or any other ingredients directly into the popping chamber. Butter may only be placed in the measuring spoon on top of the cover, away from the popping chamber. Use of these substances is hazardous and will damage the product.
- **CAUTION!** Occasionally a hot un-popped kernel may be thrown from the popping chute. To avoid contact with hot kernels, keep children and your body safely away from the product during the popping process.



Modifications to the product by the user/s may cause damage to property or persons and will be deemed as not in accordance with the instructions and no liability for damage/s will be accepted by the manufacturer.



If the supply cord is damaged, it must be replaced by qualified electrical person in order to avoid a hazard.

- The temperature of the accessible surfaces on the Popcorn maker will be high when it is in use. Make sure not to touch hot parts on the Popcorn maker.



HOT SURFACE! The surfaces are likely to get hot during use.

- This product is intended to be used in households and similar applications such as:
 - Staff kitchen areas in shops, offices, and other work environments.
 - Farmhouses.
 - By clients in hotels, motels, and other residential type environments.
 - Bed and breakfast type environments.
- Do not immerse the product in water or any other liquid.
- Disconnect the power cord from the power socket when not in use.
- This product is for indoor use only.
- Not to be used for commercial purposes.

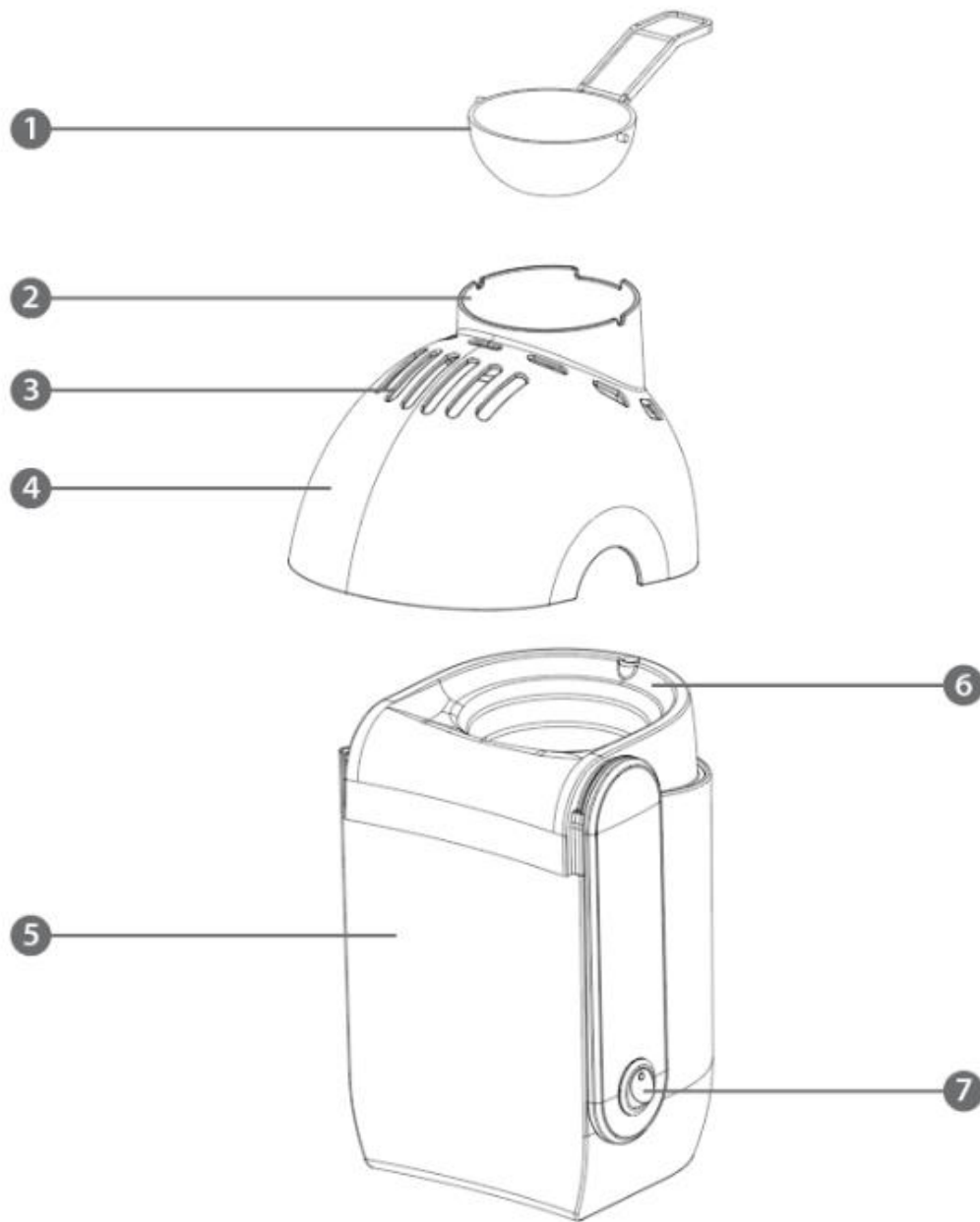
WARNING!

- To reduce the risk of electric shock, do not immerse or expose the product, power cord, and plug to rain, moisture, or any other liquid.
- Do not use the product near baths, basins or other vessels containing water or other liquids, or when standing in or on damp or wet surfaces.
- In the event the product is dropped into water, do not reach into water to retrieve the product, turn OFF the power at the power outlet socket first and remove the plug immediately.

IMPORTANT! DO NOT REACH INTO THE WATER TO RETRIEVE IT UNTIL IT HAS BEEN DISCONNECTED FROM THE POWER SUPPLY.

SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

Parts Guide



1. Measuring cup/spoon
2. Measuring cup/spoon cavity
3. Air vent
4. Cover/spout
5. Body
6. Popping chamber
7. Power switch (O/I)

Instructions

GETTING STARTED

Check the product and parts guide.

NOTE!

Risk of damage!

If opening the packaging with a sharp knife or other pointed object, be careful to avoid damaging the Popcorn maker.

- Proceed carefully with opening the packaging.
- 1. Remove all packaging from the product.
- 2. Check that the Popcorn maker is not missing any parts (see Parts Guide). If the Popcorn maker is damaged or missing parts, return it to place of purchase for replacement.
- 3. Unwind the power cord to its full length and inspect the cord and plug for any damage. Do not use the Popcorn maker if these parts are damaged.
- 4. Place the Popcorn maker on a level, dry and heat-resistant surface ready to use. Ensure you read all instructions carefully and keep them for future reference.
- 5. Wipe the cover on Popcorn maker and measuring cup/spoon with a damp cloth then dry completely.

NOTE: Do not use any abrasive cleaners as these may scratch the surface.

Preheating the Popcorn maker is not necessary.

NOTE: The first time the Popcorn maker is used, a slight odour may develop. This is entirely harmless and will soon dissipate. Ensure there is adequate ventilation during use.

OPERATION

1. Ensure that the power switch is in the off position "O".
2. Fill the measuring cup/spoon with corn kernels.
3. Pour the corn kernels into the popping chamber.
4. Place the cover on top of the chamber, ensuring that the cover lines up correctly.
5. Place the measuring cup/spoon in place on the cover. If required, you can place some butter in the spoon so that the heat from the product will melt the butter while the corn kernels are heating.
6. Place a large bowl under the spout of the cover to catch the popcorn.
7. Connect the power cord into a mains power outlet socket and turn the power ON.
8. Press the Power Switch to the on position "I".
9. The Popcorn maker will start to heat up and spin the corn kernels. The popped corn will dispense through the spout of the cover.

CAUTION! Never touch the product while it is in use. It is extremely hot.

10. Once all of the kernels have been popped, press the power switch to the off position "O".

11. You can now add any desired seasonings to the cooked Popcorn in the bowl.

NOTE: Remove any un-popped corn kernels, do not attempt to pop these again.



DO NOT USE THE POPCORN MAKER FOR MORE THAN 4 MNUTES AT A TIME. IF ADDITIONAL POPCORN IS REQUIRED, ENSURE A 15 MINUTE BREAK BETWEEN POPPING CYCLES. ENSURE THAT THE POPCORN MAKER IS SWITCHED OFF DURING THIS PERIOD.



DO NOT REMOVE THE COVER FOR A FURTHER 2 MINUTES AFTER THE POPCORN MAKER HAS BEEN TURNED OFF. KERNELS MAY CONTINUE TO POP FROM THE RESIDUAL HEAT IN THE PRODUCT.

NOTE: Before starting another batch of Popcorn, remove any un-popped corn kernels from the Popping Chamber.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Yellow popping corn pops better than white corn. Use of organic corn is not recommended on the Popcorn maker.
- Never put any seasoning in the popping chamber. Always season popcorn after it has been popped into a bowl.

Troubleshooting

PROBLEM	SOLUTION
The Popcorn maker does not turn ON.	Check to see that the power cord plug is inserted properly into the mains power outlet socket and switched ON. Check to see that the power outlet is operational.
The Popcorn maker does not pop the corn.	Ensure no oil or seasoning has been placed inside the popping chamber. Ensure either yellow or white popping corn has been used. Do not use organic popping corn.
The Popcorn maker motor is extremely hot.	Ensure you allow 15 minutes break between popping cycles to allow the motor to cool down.

Cleaning and Maintenance

CAUTION! Risk of short circuit!

If water or other liquids enter the housing, they can cause a short circuit.

- Do not immerse the Popcorn maker, power cable or mains plug in water or other liquids.
- Do not let water or other liquids penetrate the Popcorn maker.

CAUTION! Risk of damage!

Improper handling of the product can damage the Popcorn maker.

- Do not use any aggressive cleaners, sharp or metal cleaning utensils such as knives, hard scrapers or similar items. These could damage the surfaces.
- Never wash the Popcorn maker in the dishwasher. This would destroy it and make it electrically unsafe.

Cleaning the Popcorn maker

NOTE: Ensure that the Popcorn maker is disconnected from the mains power outlet socket and cooled down before cleaning.

1. Unplug the Popcorn maker and allow to cool down for at least 15 minutes.
2. Use a slightly damp, non-abrasive sponge, towel or cloth to wipe down the inside and outside of the base, including the popping chamber, then wipe with a non-abrasive towel to dry.
3. Wash the spoon/cup and cover/spout with warm, soapy water and dry it thoroughly.
4. Reassemble the product and store in a cool, dry place.

WARNING! The Popcorn maker and parts are **NOT** Dishwasher Safe.

Storage

All parts must be completely dry before storage.

- Always store the Popcorn maker in a dry and clean area.
- Protect the Popcorn maker from direct sunlight.
- Store the Popcorn maker in safe location so that it is not accessible to young children.

Technical Specifications

Model Number	APCM029
Power Supply	220-240V~ 50-60Hz
Rated Power	1200W

WARRANTY

Your new product is warrantied to be free from defects in materials and workmanship for the period stated above, from the date of purchase, provided that the product is used in accordance with accompanying recommendations or instructions where provided. This warranty is in addition to your rights under the Australian Consumer Law.

For New Zealand customers, this warranty is in addition to statutory rights observed under New Zealand legislation.

We will provide you with your choice of a refund, repair (where possible) or exchange (availability dependent) for this product if it becomes defective within the warranty period. The business will bear the reasonable expense of claiming the warranty.

The warranty will no longer apply where the defect is a result of alteration, accident, misuse, abuse, or neglect.

Please retain your receipt as proof of purchase and contact our Customer Service Centre as listed below, for the entity you purchased this product from, for any difficulties with your product. Warranty claims and claims for expenses incurred in returning this product can be addressed with the respective Customer Service Centre.

Our goods come with guarantees that cannot be excluded under the Australian Consumer Law. You are entitled to a replacement or refund for a major failure and compensation for any other reasonably foreseeable loss or damage. You are also entitled to have the goods repaired or replaced if the goods fail to be of acceptable quality and the failure does not amount to a major failure.

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