

Hand-held blender

Model: HB976BL



PLEASE READ AND SAVE THESE INSTRCTIONS FOR FUTURE REFERENCE.

1. Important Safeguards

When using electrical appliances, basic safety precautions should always be followed including the following:

- . Read all instructions carefully before you use the appliance.
- . Always disconnect the appliance from mains power outlet if it is left unattended and before assembling, disassembling or cleaning.
- This appliance 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 instructions concerning the use of this appliance by a person responsible for their safety.
- Children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the appliance.
- Do not allow children to use the blender without adult supervision.
- If the supply cord is damaged, DO NOT use. For electrical safety, any repairs to the product should only be carried out by a qualified electrical person only or the product must be disposed of.
- . Care shall be taken when handling the sharp cutting blades, emptying the bowl and during cleaning.
- . Switch off the appliance and disconnect from mains power outlet before changing accessories or approaching parts that move in use.
- This appliance is intended to be used in household and similar applications such as:
 - staff kitchen areas in shops, offices and other working environments;

- farm houses;
- by clients in hotels, motels and other residential type environments;
- bed and breakfast type environments.
- . Be careful when blending hot liquids, as it can be ejected out of the appliance due to sudden steaming.
- . Make sure your electricity supply is the same as the one shown on the product rating label before connecting to mains power.
- . DO NOT operate the appliance with a damaged cord or plug or after the appliance malfunctions, or is dropped or damaged in any manner.
 - IMPORTANT! Never put the power handle in water or other liquid or let the power switch, cord or plug get wet, you could get an electric shock.
- . Do not operate the blender with wet hands. Make hands dry with cloth before plugging in.
- . Make sure the blender shaft in place and that the power cord is not damaged before using the appliance every time.
- . Never let the blades face toward anybody while operating the appliance.
- . Take special care when preparing food for babies, the elderly and infirm.
- . Always ensure that the hand blender shaft is thoroughly sterilized by washing it with hot water.
- . Never blend or mix hot oil or fat. Please follow the processing guide.
- . Do not let the power cord hang over edge of the table or counter.
- . Never let anybody trip over the power cord.
- Do not let the power cord touch hot surfaces or hang down where a child could grab and pull on the power cord.

- . Unplug from mains power outlet when it is not in use, before moving the appliance or when adding food for blending.
- . Do not use outdoors.
- . Blades are sharp. Handle carefully.
- . Never touch the blades while the machine is connected to mains power.
- . Never add ingredients while the hand blender is operating.
- •Do not continuously operate the blender too long. The motor may overheat. If the surface of the hand blender gets very hot, it may need time to cool down. After allowing the blender to cool down to room temperature, the appliance can be operated again.
- The continuous operating time without a load must be less than 15 seconds.
- Do not use the blender to mix hard ingredients.
- Do not exceed the quantities and maximum time indicated in the operation guidelines or processing guide.
- . Take the attachments off before cleaning.
- . The use of attachments not supplied with the product may cause a risk of injury to persons.
- . Avoid contacting moving parts.
- . Keep fingers, hair, clothing and utensils away from moving parts.
- . Any repairs to the product should only be carried out by a qualified electrical person only or the product must be disposed.
- . WARNING: To prevent damage to the electric motor, the continuous operating time is 60 seconds. Allow the appliance to rest at least 2 minutes between each cycle. After operating 5 continuous cycles, allow the appliance

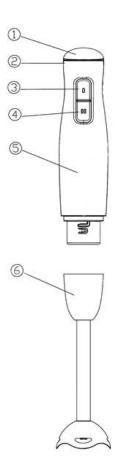
to cool down for 30 minutes before using it again. Never blend hot oil, fat or meat.

. Never misuse this appliance.

IMPORTANT! Keep hands and utensils out of the container which holds the food while blending or cutting to reduce the risk of severe injury to persons or damage to the blender.

2. Description of Parts

- 1) Top cover
- 3) Switch button (I)
- 5) Power handle
- 6) Blender shaft (removable)
- 2) Decorative ring
- 4) Switch button (II)



3. Specifications

. Rating: 220-240V, 50-60Hz, 300W

4. Operation Guidelines

Caution: Blades are sharp. Handle carefully.

Before using for the first time

. Remove all packaging.

To use the hand blender

- . Clean the blender shaft.
- . Fit the power handle inside the blender shaft, turn and lock until you hear a slight click. The marks on the power handle and blender shaft should now be aligned with each other. If this is the case, the blender shaft is locked correctly.
- . Check the blender and power cord for any damages.
- . Make sure your electricity supply is the same as the one shown on the product rating label.
- . Fill the food/ingredients in a suitable container to hold the food for blending.
- . Connect the appliance into a mains power outlet and hold the power handle steady. Switch the appliance ON by pressing and holding the switch button. (the marking of "I" is for the lower speed, "II" for the higher speed.)
- . Gently immerse the blade guard completely in the ingredients.
- . Blend the ingredients by moving the appliance slowly up and down and in circles.
- . After you have completed blending, Release the switch button, then disconnect from mains power outlet.

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Failing to follow the above instructions may cause electrical motor failure.

- . If your blender gets blocked, first stop and disconnect from mains power before clearing.
- . After use, always disconnect from mains power.
- . Always switch OFF and unplug from the mains power outlet before cleaning. Please refer to "care and cleaning" instructions section in this manual

5. Purpose

- . Blending fluids e.g. dairy products, sauces, fruit juices, soups, mixed drinks and shakes.
- . Mixing soft ingredients, e.g. pancake batter or mayonnaise
- . Pureeing cooked ingredients, e.g. for making baby food

6. Processing guide

Food	Suggested operation time	Max. quantity
soups, milk vegetables, mayonnaise	60 seconds	200g
sauces, strawberry		
carrot pieces		500g
(size 15mm x 15mm x	60 seconds	Note: use 200g of Carrot
15mm)		pieces per 300g of water.
Soybeans		90g soybean + 410g water
	60 seconds	Note: before blending, soak
		the 90g of soybean 410g
		water of for 3.5 hours.

7. Care and cleaning

IMPORTANT! Always switch OFF and disconnect the appliance from the mains outlet before cleaning.

- . Remove the attachments.
- . Don't touch the sharp blades.

Caution: Take care when cleaning the blades, they are extremely sharp. IMPORTANT! Do not use any part of the blender in a dishwasher for cleaning.

The power handle and power cord

- . Wipe with a damp cloth, then dry.
- . Never immerse in water or other liquid or use abrasives.

The blender shaft

- . The shaft can be washed in warm water with cleaning liquid.
- . Wash and rinse thoroughly with water, then allow to dry.

Storage

. Store in a cool, dry and ventilating place.

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