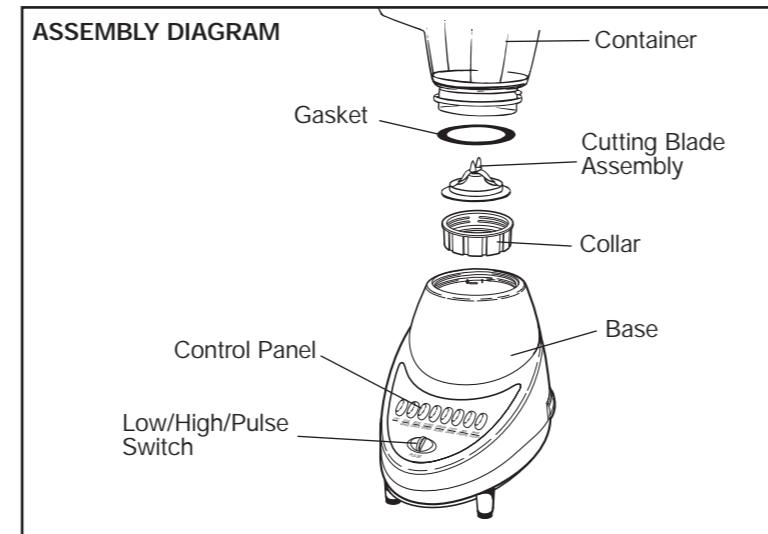
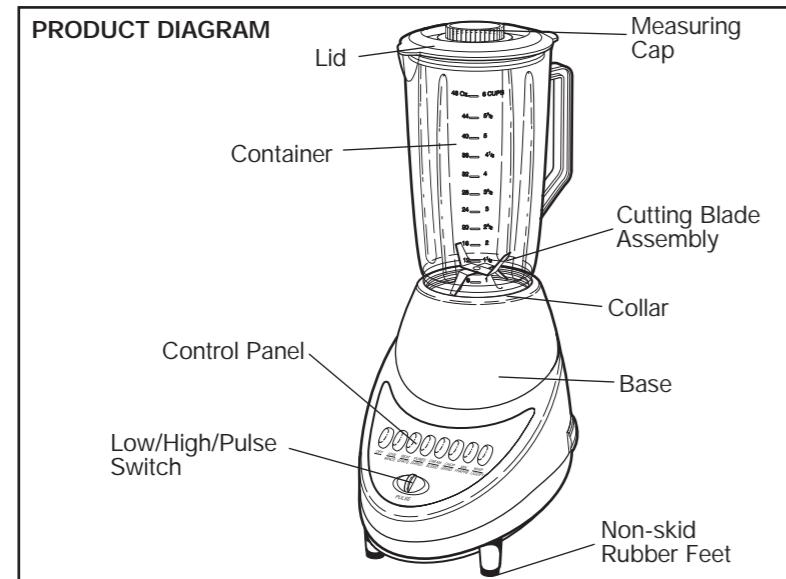


## OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

PRODUCT MAY VARY SLIGHTLY FROM ILLUSTRATIONS



This appliance is for HOUSEHOLD USE ONLY. It may be plugged into any AC electrical outlet (ordinary household current). Do not use any other type of outlet.

### BEFORE INITIAL USE:

Unpack blender and wash lid, measuring cap, container, gasket, cutting blade assembly and collar in hot, soapy water before using. Lid/cap and cutting blade assemblies must be disassembled before washing.

To remove measuring cap from lid: Twist cap until tabs on cap line up with notches on lid, and disengage cap from lid.

To disassemble cutting blade assembly: Unscrew collar from base, and cautiously lift out cutting blade assembly. Remove gasket.

**IF BLENDER COMES WITH PLASTIC CONTAINER, TURN COLLAR CLOCKWISE TO DISASSEMBLE FOR CLEANING.**

**IF BLENDER COMES WITH GLASS CONTAINER, TURN COLLAR COUNTERCLOCKWISE TO DISASSEMBLE FOR CLEANING.**

After washing parts, rinse and dry thoroughly. Wipe the blender base with a damp cloth or sponge to remove any packaging dust. NEVER IMMERSE blender base, cord or plug in water or other liquids. Use only gentle liquid detergents. Do not use harsh detergents or abrasive cleaners on any parts of the blender.

### ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS

1. Place blender base on flat, level surface. **DO NOT PLUG IN UNTIL BLENDER IS COMPLETELY REASSEMBLED.**

2. To reassemble blender: Replace gasket on cutting blade assembly and place cutting blade assembly onto the collar securely on the container, and set assembled container in base. Replace cap in lid and twist to secure. Place lid on top of container.

### HOW TO USE THIS 14-SPEED BLENDER

1. Make sure OFF button is depressed.

2. Plug the cord into any 120-volt 60Hz AC outlet only.

3. Place ingredients into container.

4. Make sure cap is on lid and lid is secure on top of the container.

5. Press button to select the desired function and speed setting.

6. Press button when processing is finished. Before removing the lid or the container from the base, wait for cutting blade to stop rotating. To remove the container from the base, grasp collar and container handle.

**CAUTION:** If container rotates during blending, immediately press the OFF button, then secure by tightening cutting blade assembly on container.

### HOW TO USE THIS BLENDER CONTROL PANEL

Push any one of the 7 buttons for up to 14 speed options and functions. The Low/High/Pulse switch doubles the amount of speeds available.

To ensure precise blending, functions are labeled on each button.

**LOW SPEED:** Slide the Low/High/Pulse switch to Low. Select the desired function and depress the corresponding button. Low-speed functions are labeled on the top line.

**HIGH SPEED:** Slide the Low/High/Pulse switch to High. Select the desired function and depress the corresponding button. High-speed functions are labeled on the bottom line.

**PULSE BLENDING:** Place thumb on the Low/High/Pulse switch, move switch toward Pulse setting, and quickly release it for short bursts of power. Pulse setting is ideal for small quantities or short blending cycles. For example, use the pulse setting to crumb a variety of dry ingredients: cookies, crackers, breads. Also ideal for chopping vegetables and nuts, grating cheese or chocolate.

This blender is not capable of the following functions: Grinding meat, mashing boiled potatoes, kneading dough, whipping egg whites stiff, extracting juice from vegetables and fruits.

**STIR:** Frozen juices, whole eggs, instant puddings, gelatins.

**BEAT:** Thin batters and sauces.

**PUREE:** Cooked fruits and vegetables for baby foods, special diet foods.

**CREAM:** Smooth spreads and dips.

**CHEW:** Fresh fruits, vegetables, nuts, pickles, hard-cooked eggs, cooked meats.

**MIX:** Batters, fillings, sauces, dips, and gravies.

**WHIP:** Mixed drinks, whipped cream.

**MINCE:** Onions, garlic, vegetables, nuts and cooked meats.

**GRATE:** Coconut, citrus peel, hard cheeses, whole spices. Ice (add liquid first). Add cubes one at a time.

**SHRED:** Coarsely chopped vegetables.

**BLEND:** Mayonnaise, nut batters, hollandaise sauce and salad dressings.

**GRIND:** Cheese, cooked meats, coffee, split peas, bread, dry cereal, crackers, cookies and nuts.

**FRAPPE:** Malt, milk shakes, fitness drinks, and smoothies.

**LIQUEFY:** Fruits and vegetables in liquid, desserts, and heavy batters.

**NOTE:** Due to the variations in amount and consistency of some foods processed, a higher or lower speed than suggested may occasionally be preferred.

### FOOD PREPARATION SUGGESTIONS

Consult favorite recipes and prepare a variety of culinary delights with this new blender. Use the blender to create delicious mixed and frozen beverages. Process on FRAPPE for rich and creamy milk shakes and fitness drinks. Add flavorful ingredients, fresh or frozen fruits, chocolate syrup and/or malted powder to a variety of ice creams. Process on LIQUEFY for a refreshing smoothie -- strawberry, orange, banana, peach or create an exotic drink.

**CHOP:** MINCE and GRATE ingredients for homemade salsas.

Make dips and salad dressings with the CREAM or BLEND functions.

**PUREE:** Fruits and vegetables to make baby food, sauces or soup stock. GRIND dry ingredients to make tasty crusts or coatings for oven-baked or fried poultry, meats and fish.

The potential is unlimited!

### HELPFUL HINTS

• It only takes seconds to perform a function, not minutes. Stop the blender after several seconds to check the results. This will help avoid over-processing.

• Always place lid over container before blending.

• Place liquid ingredients into the blender first, unless recipe instructs otherwise.

• Extra ingredients may be added while blending by removing cap on top of lid.

• Stop blender off if blending stops or ingredients stick to the container. Remove the lid and, with a rubber spatula, push the mixture toward the blades. Place lid back on top of the container and resume blending.

• Do not place any utensil in the container - spoon, spatula, knife, etc. - while blender is in operation.

• To reduce wear on the cutting blade assembly, place solid food portions in blender 1/2 cup at a time. Raw fruits and vegetables or cooked meats should be cut in 1" pieces before blending.

• Remove thick mixtures easily through bottom of the container after removing the cutting blade assembly.

• Do not store food in the container.

• When recipes require different speeds for different blend ingredients, blend a portion at a time.

• When crushing ice, add only one cube at a time. Blend ice only when liquid is in the container.

• Always lift container out of base to prevent it from unscrewing from the blade assembly. Grasp collar and handle to avoid content spillage.

### USER MAINTENANCE INSTRUCTIONS

This appliance requires little maintenance. It contains no user serviceable parts. Do not try to repair it yourself. Refer it to qualified personnel if servicing is needed.

**NOTE:** Do not put parts in an automatic dishwasher, as damage may occur due to heat and water pressure. However, container may be placed in dishwasher WITHOUT lid, collar and cutting blade assembly.

• Always unplug the unit before cleaning.

• To clean the container, disassemble the blender by unscrewing collar from base and cautiously remove cutting blade assembly from container.

• Remove cutting blade and gasket from the collar.

• Wash lid, cap, plastic container, gasket, cutting blade and collar in hot, soapy water. Rinse and dry thoroughly.

• Wipe base with a damp cloth or sponge. **NEVER IMMERSE base in water or any other liquids.**

• Re-assemble (see ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS).

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## INSTRUCCIONES IMPORTANTES DE SEGURIDAD

Cuando esté usando aparatos eléctricos, debe seguir siempre medidas básicas de seguridad, incluyendo las siguientes:

1. LEA TODAS LAS INSTRUCCIONES.
2. Para protegerse contra peligros eléctricos, no ponga la parte de abajo del motor del artefacto en agua u otro líquido.
3. Este artefacto no debe ser usado por niños y se debe tener cuidado cuando se use cerca de los niños.
4. Desenchúfelo cuando no lo esté usando, antes de poner o sacar alguna parte y antes de limpiarlo.
5. Evite el contacto con las piezas móviles.
6. No use este artefacto si tiene el cordón o enchufe dañado, después de un mal funcionamiento o si se ha caído o dañado de alguna manera. Devuelva su unidad a un lugar autorizado más cercano para su revisión, reparación o ajuste eléctrico o mecánico.
7. El uso de aditamentos, incluyendo los frascos para almacenar, no recomendados por el fabricante pueden causar lesiones a las personas.
8. No lo use fuera de la casa.
9. No deje el cordón colgando de la mesa o del mostrador.
10. Mantenga las manos y utensilios fuera del recipiente mientras esté licuando para prevenir la posibilidad de severas lesiones personales o daño a la licuadora. Una espátula puede ser usada, pero debe usarse solamente cuando la licuadora no esté funcionando.
11. Las hojas son filudas; manejelas cuidadosamente.
12. Para reducir el riesgo de lesiones, nunca coloque el ensamblaje de las cuchillas en la base sin el envase apropiamente colocado.
13. Haga funcionar siempre la licuadora con la tapa en su lugar.
14. Cuando mezcle líquidos calientes, retire la pieza del centro de la tapa de dos piezas.

## CONSERVE ESTAS INSTRUCCIONES

### ENCHUFE POLARIZADO

Este artefacto tiene un enchufe polarizado (una hoja es más ancha que la otra). Como medida de seguridad, este enchufe sólo debe usarse en un tomacorriente polarizado en un solo sentido. Si no entrara en el tomacorriente, invierta el enchufe y trate nuevamente. Si aún así no entra, busque la ayuda de un electricista calificado. No intente anular este dispositivo de seguridad.

Un cordón de extensión puede ser usado con cuidado; sin embargo la graduación eléctrica deberá ser por lo menos de la misma graduación eléctrica que este artefacto. La extensión no se deberá dejar que cuelgue de la mesa, donde pueda ser jalada por un niño o tropezarse.

### SERVICIOS PARA SEGURIDAD CON EL CORDON

1. Nunca haga fire del cordón o del artefacto.
2. Para introducir el enchufe, sujetelo firmemente y guíelo hacia el tomacorriente.
3. Para desconectar el artefacto, sujete el enchufe y retirelo del tomacorriente.
4. Antes de cada uso, inspeccione el cordón si tiene cortes y/o raspaduras. Si algo fuera encontrado, esto indica que el artefacto deberá ser revisado y el cordón deberá ser reemplazado. Por favor, devuélvalo a nuestro Departamento de Servicio o a un representante de servicio autorizado.
5. Nunca enrolle el cordón ajustadamente alrededor del artefacto, ya que esto podría causar una presión excesiva en el cordón donde éste entra al artefacto y causar desgaste y rotura.

NO HAGA FUNCIONAR EL ARTEFACTO SI EL CORDON MUESTRA  
INTERMITENTEMENTE O DEJA DE FUNCIONAR COMPLETAMENTE.

## IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

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

1. READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS.
2. To protect against risk of electrical shock, do not put motor end of the appliance in water or other liquid.
3. This appliance should not be used by children, and care should be taken when used near children.
4. Unplug from outlet when not in use, before putting on or taking off parts, and before cleaning.
5. Avoid contacting moving parts.
6. Do not operate any appliance with a damaged cord or plug or after the appliance malfunctions or is dropped or damaged in any manner. Return appliance to the nearest authorized service facility for examination, repair or electrical or mechanical adjustment.
7. The use of attachments, including canning jars, not recommended by the manufacturer may cause a risk of injury to persons.
8. Do not use outdoors.
9. Do not let cord hang over edge of table or counter.
10. Keep hands and utensils out of container while blending to reduce the risk of severe injury to persons or damage to the blender. A scraper may be used but must be used only when the blender is not running.
11. Blades are sharp. Handle carefully.
12. To reduce the risk of injury, never place cutter assembly blades on base without container properly attached.
13. Always operate blender with cover in place.
14. When blending hot liquids, remove center piece of two-piece cover.

## SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

### POLARIZED PLUG

This appliance has a polarized plug (one blade is wider than the other). As a safety feature, this plug fits in a polarized outlet only one way. If the plug does not fit into the outlet, reverse the plug and try again. If it still does not fit, contact a qualified electrician. Do not attempt to defeat this safety feature.

An extension cord may be used with care; however, the marked electrical rating shall be at least as great as the electrical rating of this appliance.

The extension cord should not be allowed to drape over the tabletop where it can be pulled on by children or tripped over.

### LINE CORD SAFETY TIPS

1. Never pull or yank on the cord or the appliance.
2. To insert plug, grasp it firmly and guide it into outlet.
3. To disconnect appliance, grasp plug and remove it from outlet.
4. Before each use, inspect the line cord for cuts and/or abrasion marks. If any are found, this indicates that the appliance should be serviced and the line cord replaced. Please return it to our Service Department or to an authorized service representative.
5. Never wrap the cord tightly around the appliance, as this could place excessive strain on the cord where it enters the appliance and cause it to fray and break.

DO NOT OPERATE APPLIANCE IF THE LINE CORD SHOWS ANY DAMAGE, OR IF APPLIANCE WORKS INTERMITTENTLY OR STOPS WORKING ENTIRELY.



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