

**OWNER'S GUIDE** 



It's important to read this Owner's Guide prior to using your new product for the first time.

# IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

**HOUSEHOLD USE ONLY • READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE USE** 

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

# **A WARNING**

- Remove and discard all the packaging material from the unit.
- This appliance can be used by persons with reduced physical sensory or mental capabilities or lack of experience and knowledge if they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance in a safe way and understand the hazards involved.
- Keep the appliance and its cord out of reach of children. **DO NOT** allow the appliance to be used by children used near children.
- 4 This appliance is for household use only. **DO NOT** use this appliance for ng other than its intended use **)T** use in moving vehicles or DO NOT boats. DO NOT use outdoors. Misuse
- 5 Ensure the surface is level, clean and dry. **DO NOT** place the appliance near the edge of a countertop during operation
- 6 ALWAYS ensure the appliance is properly assembled before use.
- When using this appliance, provide at least 6 inches (15.25 cm) of space above and on all sides for air circulation
- 8 DO NOT use an extension cord. A short power-supply cord is used to educe the risk of children grabbing the cord or becoming entangled and to reduce the risk of people tripping over a longer cord.
- To protect against electrical shock DO NOT immerse cord, plugs, or main unit housing in water or other liquid.
- 10 DO NOT use the appliance if there is damage to the power cord or plug. Regularly inspect the appliance and power cord. If the appliance malfunctions or has been damaged ediately stop use and call a Service Center.
- 11 NEVER use outlet below countertop
- 12 DO NOT place appliance and let cord hang over edges of tables, counters or touch hot surfaces.
- 13 Only use recommended accessories included with this appliance or authorized by SharkNinja. The use of accessories or attachments not recommended by SharkNinja may
- 14 Before placing any accessory into the cooker, ensure they are clean and dry.
- 15 DO NOT use the appliance without splatter shield installed.

- 16 ALWAYS ensure hood is fully closed
- DO NOT move the appliance when
- 18 DO NOT cover the air intake vent or routlet vent while unit is operating. Doing so will prevent even cooking and may damage the unit or cause it
- 19 DO NOT touch hot surfaces. Appliance surfaces are hot during and after operation. To prevent burns or personal injury, ALWAYS use protective hot oads or insulated oven mitts and use available handles and knobs.
- 20 DO NOT touch accessories during or mmediately after cooking. The grill grate and basket becomes extremely physical contact while removing the accessory from the appliance. To prevent burns or personal injury ALWAYS use care when interfacing ith product. Recommend use of long handed utensil and protective hot pads or insulated oven mitts.
- 21 DO NOT use this appliance for deep-frying.
- 22 To prevent possible illness, ALWAYS use a thermometer to check that your food is cooked to the recommended temperatures
- 23 Should a grease fire occur or the unit emits black smoke, unplug immediately. Wait for smoking to stop before removing any cooking accessories.
- 24 Please refer to the Cleaning & maintenance of the appliance.
- 25 To disconnect, turn any control to off", then unplug from socket when not in use and before cleaning. Allow to cool before cleaning, disassembly, putting in or taking off parts and for storage.
- 26 DO NOT clean with metal scouring pads. Pieces can break off the pad and touch electrical parts, creating a risk of electric shock.
- 27 Cleaning and user maintenance shall not be made by children.
- 28 DO NOT place on or near a hot gas or electric burner or in a heated oven.
- 29 Extreme caution must be used when moving an appliance containing hot oil or other hot liquids.

#### **TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS**

Voltage: 120V~60H7

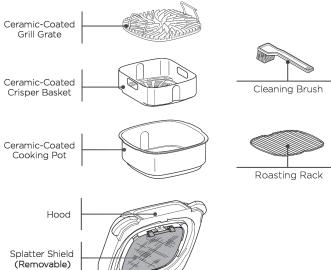
Indicates to read and review instructions to understand operation and use of product. dicates the presence of a hazard that can cause personal injury, death or

ubstantial property damage if the warning included with this symbol is ignored. Take care to avoid contact with hot surface. Always use hand protection to void burns



# **SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS**

**PARTS** 



NOTE: Accessories may vary depending on the model. Refer to quick guide, if available.

The images shown here are for illustrative purposes only and may be subject

NOTE: Recipe book is not included.

# **GETTING TO KNOW YOUR FOODI™GRILL**



The control panel display shows time in an HH:MM format. The display to the left reads 20 minutes

Control

Panel

#### **FUNCTION BUTTONS**

Main Unit

(Power cord

not shown)

Air Intake

Vent

Air Outlet

Grease

Collector

NOTE: Not all functions are included on

GRILL Grill indoors while creating even char, grill marks, and grilled flavor

**AIR CRISP** For crispiness and crunch with

**ROAST** Tenderize meats, roast vegetables, BAKE Use to bake cakes, treats, desserts

and more. **DEHYDRATE** Dehydrate meats, fruits, and vegetables for healthy homemade snacks.

# **OPERATING BUTTONS**

POWER button Once the unit is plugged , press the power  $\odot$  button to turn on the unit. Pressing it during cooking stops the current cooking function and turns

**TEMP arrows** Use the up 

and down ■ TEMP arrows to adjust the cooking erature in any function. When using the Grill function, toggle the GRILL button or use the up and down arrows to adjust cooking temperature.

TIME arrows Use the up 🚹 and down 🔽 arrows to adjust the cook time in any function.

NOTE: To adjust temperature or time during cooking, press the up and down arrows. The unit will then resume at those settings.

START/STOP button After selecting START/STOP button to begin cooking.

#### STANDBY MODE

The unit will power off if cooking is not in process and there has been no interaction with the control panel for 10 minutes.

# **BEFORE FIRST USE**

- 1 Remove all packaging material from the unit.
- 2 Remove all accessories from the package and read this manual carefully. Please pay particular attention to operational instructions, warnings, and important safeguards to avoid any injury or property damage.
- 3 Wash the grill grate, splatter shield, crisper basket, and cooking pot in warm, soapy water, then rinse and dry thoroughly. The grill grate, splatter shield, crisper basket, and cooking pot are also dishwasher safe. **NEVER** clean the main unit in the dishwasher

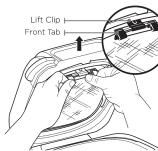
#### **USING YOUR FOODI™ GRILL**

#### SPLATTER SHIELD

Located on the underside of the hood the splatter shield keeps the heating element clean and prevents smoking. The splatter shield is removable for cleaning, but we recommend keeping it in place

### Removing the splatter shield

Remove the splatter shield for cleaning after every use. First allow the splatter shield to cool completely, then remove it by using your thumb to release the front clip by pushing the front clip upward and using your other hand to pull one of the tabs toward you. This will release the splatter shield, allowing you to pull it out of the slot along the back of the hood



#### Installing the splatter shield

To install, gently push the splatter shield into the back of the hood. Insert the back tab on shield with the slot on the back of the hood Then push the splatter shield upward until i clicks into the clip on the front of the hood.



#### **GRILLCONTROL TECHNOLOGY**

Our technology allows you to control the temperature of the grill grate for precise cooking and keep smoke out of the kitchen When using the Grill function, you will need to select the grill grate temperature setting. Below are recommended temperature levels for common ingredients.

	<b>LOW</b>	MEDIUM	HIGH	MAX
	400°F	450°F	500°F	up to 510°F
• 5 • L t	Bacon Bausages Using hick Darbecue auce Calzones	Frozen Meats     Marinated/ sauced meat	Steaks     Chicken     Burgers     Hot dogs	Veggies     Fruit     Pizzas     Fresh/     Frozen     Seafood

NOTE: The unit could create smoke ring the cooking process. For less smoke, we recommend using canola. oconut, avocado, grapeseed, o egetable oil instead of olive oil.

NOTE: The unit may produce smoke hen cooking meats on a hotter setting than what is recommended.

Switching to Grill after using

If the unit is already warm from using a

different function, and the grill grate is at

room temperature when you place it in the

unit, "Add Food" may appear on the screen

immediately. We recommend allowing the grill

grate to heat up for at least 6 minutes before

placing ingredients on it. As the unit continues

to run and the grill grate heats up, "Add Food"

will remain on the screen until you open the

hood and place ingredients on the grate.

When grilling more than two consecutive

batches of food, it is recommended that

you empty the fat/oil from the removable

cooking pot. This will help prevent grease

We also recommend allowing the grill grate

to heat back up for at least 3-5 minutes

between batches to ensure consistent grill

Ensure the unit is plugged in before turning

1 Place the cooking pot in the unit with

the indent on the pot aligned with

the rear bump on the main unit. Then

place the grill grate in the pot with the

handles facing up. Ensure the splatter

shield isin place and close the hood

Press the GRILL button. The default

temperature level will illuminate on

3 Press the up and down TIME arrows

to set the cooking time in one-minute

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the corresponding air temperature will

appear on the display screen. Press the

Grill button or the up and down TEMP

arrows to adjust the temperature setting

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START (D) ROAST BAKE

from burning and causing smoke.

**COOKING FUNCTIONS** 

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another function

**Batch** grilling

marks and char.

**COOKING FUNCTIONS - CONT** 

4 Press the START/STOP button to begin preheating. PRE will appear on the display screen, and the progress bar will begin. It can take about 8 minutes to preheat, depending on the selected emperature setting



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5 When preheating is complete the unit will beep and "Add Food" will flash across on the display screen.



6 Open the hood and place ingredients or the grill grate. Once the hood is closed, cooking will begin and the timer will start counting down

NOTE: During cooking, you can open the hood to check on or flip your food. The timer will pause when the hood is pened and then automatically resume after it is closed.

7 When cook time is complete, the unit will beep and END will appear on the display screen. Keep the hood open after removing your food so the unit will cool down more quickly. The stainless steel wrap on the exterior of the unit will be hot after cooking. If you need to cook your food longer, simply press the TIME up arrow to add more time, then press the START/STOP button

NOTE: If batch cooking, empty the oil rom the removable cooking pot after every 2 batches. This will help prevent grease from burning and causing smoke

#### Air Crisp

1 Place cooking pot in the unit with the indent on the pot aligned with the bump on the main unit. Place the crispe



2 Press the AIR CRISP button. The default temperature setting will display. Use the up and down TEMP arrows to adjust the temperature.

AR CRISP DEHYDRATE



3 Use the up and down TIME arrows to set the cook time in 1-minute increments up to 1 hour.



4 Press the START/STOP button to begin preheating. PRE will appear on the display screen, and the progress bar will begin. It can take up to 3 minutes to preheat, depending on the selected temperature setting.



NOTE: While preheating is strongly mmended for best results, you can skip it by pressing the AIR CRISP button again. "Add Food" will flash across the screen. Open the hood and place ngredients in the crisper basket. Once the hood is closed cooking will begin and the timer will start counting down Skip to step 7 for further instructions.

5 When preheating is complete, the unit will been and "Add Food" will flash across or



6 Open the hood and place ingredients in the crisper basket. Once the hood is closed, cooking will begin and the time will start counting down.



7 For best results, we recommend shaking ingredients frequently. When you open the hood, the unit will pause. Use silicone tipped tongs when tossing your food or oven mitts to shake the basket. When done, replace the basket and close the hood. Cooking will automatically resume after hood is closed.



8 When cook time is complete, the unit will beep and END will appear on the display screen. Keep the hood open after removing your food so the unit will steel wrap on the exterior of the unit will be not after cooking. If you need to cook your food longer, simply press the TIME up arrow to add more time, then press the START/STOP button.

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## **USING YOUR FOODI™ GRILL - CONT.**

1 Place cooking pot in the unit with the indent on the pot aligned with the bump on the main unit, then close the hood.



2 Press the ROAST button. The default temperature setting will display. Use the up and down TEMP arrows to adjust the temperature.



NOTE: To convert conventional oven recipes reduce the temperature by 25°F. Check food frequently to avoid overcooking

3 Use the up and down TIME arrows to set the cook time, in 15-minute increments, up to 4 hours.



4 Press the START/STOP button to begin preheating. PRE will appear on the display screen, and the progress bar will begin. It can take up to 3 minutes to preheat, depending on the selected temperature setting.



NOTE: While preheating is strongly mended for best results, you can skip it by pressing the ROAST button again "Add Food" will flash across the screen. Open the hood and place ingredients in the crisper basket. Once the hood is closed cooking will begin and the timer will start counting down.

5 When preheating is complete, the unit will beep and "Add Food" will flash across on the display screen



6 Open the hood and place ingredients in the not. Once the hood is closed cooking will begin and the timer will start counting down.



**NOTE:** During cooking, you can open the hood to check on your food. The timer wi pause when the hood is opened and ther automatically resume after it is closed.

7 When cook time is complete, the unit will beep and END will appear on the display screen. Keep the hood open after removing your food so the unit will cool down more quickly. The stainless steel wrap on the exterior of the unit will be hot after cooking. If you need to cook your food longer, simply press the TIME up arrow to add more time, then press the START/STOP button.

1 Place cooking pot in the unit so the indent on the pot aligned with the bump on the main unit, then close the hood.



2 Press the BAKE button. The default temperature setting will display. Use the up and down TEMP arrows to adjust the temperature



NOTE: To convert conventional oven recipe: reduce the temperature by 25°F. Check food frequently to avoid overcooking.

3 Use the up and down TIME arrows to set the cook time, up to 2 hours.



4 Press the START/STOP button to begin preheating. PRE will appear on the display screen, and the progress bar will begin. It can take up to 3 minutes to preheat, depending on the selected temperature setting.



NOTE: While preheating is strongly ecommended for best results, you can skip it by pressing the BAKE button agair "Add Food" will flash across the screen. Open the hood and place ingredients in the crisper basket. Once the hood is losed cooking will begin and the timer will start counting down.

#### **USING YOUR FOODI**™ **GRILL -** CONT.

5 When preheating is complete, the unit vill beep and "Add Food" will flash across on the display screen.



6 Open the hood and add ingredients to the pot or set your bake pan directly n the bottom of the pot, and close the hood to start cooking. Once the hood is closed, cooking will begin and the timer will start counting down.



NOTE: During cooking, you can open the pause when the hood is opened and then automatically resume after it is closed.

7 When cook time is complete, the unit will been and END will appear on the display screen. Keep the hood open afte removing your food so the unit will cool down more quickly. The stainless steel wrap on the exterior of the unit will be hot after cooking. If you need to cook your food longer, simply press the TIME up arrow to add more time, then press the START/STOP button

#### Dehydrate

NOTE: The Dehydrate function is not ncluded on all models.

indent on the pot aligned with the bump on the main unit, then add a single layer of ingredients to the bottom of the pot. Place the crisper basket in the not and add a layer of ingredients to the bottom of the basket. Close the hood.



2 Press the DEHYDRATE button. The default temperature setting will display. Use the up and down TEMP arrows to set your desired temperature.



3 Use the up and down TIME arrows to set the dehydration time, in 15-minute increments, up to 12 hours.



4 Press the START/STOP button to begin. The unit does not need to preheat.



NOTE: During dehydration, you can open the hood to check on your food. The timer will pause when the hood is opened and then automatically resume after it is closed.

5 When dehydration time is complete, the unit will beep and END will appear on the display screen. Remove your food and close the hood.

#### CLEANING YOUR FOODI™ GRILL

The unit should be cleaned thoroughly after every use. Always let the appliance cool before cleaning.

- · Unplug the unit from the wall outlet before cleaning. Keep the hood oper after removing your food so the unit will cool down more quickly.
- To clean the main unit, and control panel, wipe them with a damp cloth
- The cooking pot, grill grate, crisper basket, splatter shield, and any other included Ninja Foodi Grill accessories are dishwasher safe.
- Deep clean the splatter shield by putting it in a pot of water and boiling it for 10 minutes. Then rinse, and air dry completely

**NOTE: NEVER** use abrasive tools or cleaners. **NEVER** immerse the main unit in water or any other liquid.

- If hand-washing, use a cleaning brush to help wash the parts. Air-dry or towel-dry all parts after hand-washing.
- If food residue or grease are stuck on the grill grate, splatter shield, or any other removable part, place them in a sink or stack them in the pot and fill with warm soapy water and allow to soak for a couple hours or overnight. After soaking, use a cleaning brush to clean each part.
- Over time, the splatter shield front tabs and frame may accumulate grease buildup Soaking the splatter shield overnight will help soften the baked-on grease. After soaking, use the cleaning brush to remove the grease from the stainless steel frame and front tabs.

## TROUBLESHOOTING GUIDE

# • "Add Food" appears on the control panel display.

The unit has completed its Grill preheating and it is now time to add your ingredients.

# • "Shut Lid" appears on the control panel display.

The hood is open and needs to be closed for the selected function to start.

## • "E" appears on the control panel display.

The unit is not functioning properly. Please contact a service center. Why do blinking lights appear after I press the START/STOP button?

This is a progress bar indicating how far along you are in the preheating cycle

# . Why does the preheat progress bar not start from the beginning?

When the unit is warm from previously being used, it will not require the full preheating time

## • Should I add my ingredients before or after preheating?

Let the unit preheat before adding ingredients.

#### • Why is my unit emitting smoke?

When using the Grill function, always select the recommended temperature

#### • How do I pause the unit so I can check my food?

When the hood is opened during a cooking function, the unit will automatically

#### · My food is burned.

Do not add food until preheating is complete. For best results, check progress throughout cooking, and remove food when desired level of brownness has been achieved. Remove food immediately after the cook time is complete to

#### My food didn't cook when air crisping.

For consistent browning, make sure ingredients are arranged in an even layer on the bottom of the crisper basket with no overlapping. Shake loose ingredients during cooking for consistent crispiness.

## Why is my food blowing around when air crisping?

Occasionally the fan will blow lightweight foods around. To prevent this secure loose food (like the top slice of bread on a sandwich) with toothpicks.

#### Can I air crisp fresh battered ingredients?

Yes, but use the proper breading technique. It is important to coat foods first with flour then with egg and then with bread crumbs. Be sure to press the bread crumbs onto the food so they stick in place. Loose breading may be blown off by the unit's powerful fan.

#### The control panel display is no longer illuminated. The unit is off. Press the power button to turn it back on.

## • Can I cancel or override preheating?

Preheating is highly recommended for best results. skip preheating by selecting the function again after you press the START/STOP button. However, you cannot override preheating when using the Grill function.

# • How can I deep clean the splatter shield?

The splatter shield should be cleaned after each use and is dishwasher safe. Over time, the splatter shield front tabs and frame may accumulate grease buildup. Soaking the splatter shield overnight will help soften the baked-on grease. After soaking, use a cleaning brush to remove the grease from the stainless steel frame and front tabs.

#### REFURBISHED PRODUCT LIMITED NINETY DAYS WARRANTY

The Refurbished Product Service Center offers the following WARRANTY to the ORIGINAL purchaser of a product which we have refurbished

This product that has been refurbished is warranted against any electronic or mechanical defects for a period of NINETY DAYS from the date of the original purchase by the consumer. Since this unit was sold as a refurbished item, the warranty does not apply to any cosmetic appearance items such as scratches. Should a defect occur, the Refurbished Product Service Center will repair or at its option, replace defective unit/ parts with new or rebuilt materials without charge for either parts or labor. Replacement unit/parts will be warranted for the remaining portion of the original warranty period.

This warranty does not cover installation or damage from accident, misuse, abuse, improper wiring, incorrect voltage, operating the unit against the instructions in the owner's manual or any product which has been opened, altered, or tampered with.

This warranty does not cover costs for removal and or installation of the unit for repair. Under no circumstances shall the service center be liable for any special, incidental or consequential damages or for any other expenses incurred by reason of use or sale of this product. This warranty is in lieu of any other warranties expressed or implied warranty of merchantability of fitness for particular use or otherwise

This warranty gives the consumer specific legal rights and they may also have other rights which vary from State to State. Some States do not follow the exclusion or limitation of incidental or consequential damages, hence the above exclusion and limitations may not apply.

> Refurbished Product Service Center 13225 Marquardt Avenue Santa Fe Springs, CA 90670.

#### WARRANTY REPAIR INFORMATION

If you need service on your unit and this product requires repair during the 90 days warranty period; please go to www.ConsumerServiceRefurbish.com or call the Refurbished Product Service Center at 562-946-3531 to obtain the required return authorization (RA) number. Pack the unit properly (the original carton is ideal for this purpose) along with a copy of your purchase receipt and a letter describing the problem. Send the unit freight prepaid and insured to:

#### Refurbished Product Service Center, Att: Customer Service Department 13225 Marquardt Avenue Santa Fe Springs, CA 90670

Your unit will be promptly repaired and returned to you. We will refuse to accept delivery of the returned unit unless the assigned RA number appears on the outside of the shipping carton.

### Owner's Information

(Keep for your permanent records)

NAME: \_\_ \_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP CODE: \_\_\_ PHONE: \_\_\_\_ E-MAIL: SERIAL NO.: \_\_\_ MODEL: \_\_\_

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