

# Hand Held Food Processor

Model FP-10

**Instructions and Warranty** 



## Important Safeguards

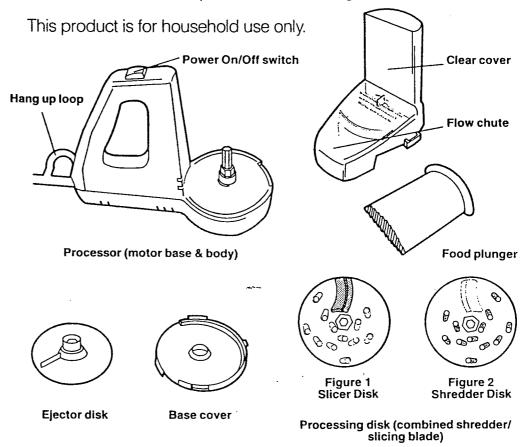
When using electrical appliances, basic safety precautions should always be followed including the following:

- 1. Read all instructions.
- 2. To protect against risk of electrical shock do not put your Hand Held Food Processor (FP-10) in water or any other liquid.
- **3.** Close supervision is necessary when any appliance is used by or near children.
- **4.** Unplug from outlet when not in use, before putting on or taking of parts, and before cleaning.
- 5. Avoid contacting moving parts. Never feed food by hand. Always use completely assembled slicer with food platform and food grip. Blade is sharp. Handle carefully when cleaning.
- 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 for examination, repair or electrical or mechanical adjustment.
- 7. The use of attachments not recommended or sold by Salton/Maxim may cause fire, electric shock or injury.
- 8. Do not use outdoors.
- 9. Do not let cord hang over edge of table or counter.
- **10.** Do not let cord contact hot surface, including the stove.
- 11. Keep hands and utensils away from moving blades or discs while processing food to reduce the risk of severe injury to persons or damage to the food processor. A scraper may be used but must be used only when the food processor is not running.
- **12.** Blades are sharp. Handle carefully.
- **13.** Be certain cover is securely locked in place before operating appliance.
- 14. Never feed food by hand. Always use food plunger.
- 15. Do not attempt to defeat the cover interlock mechanism.

## Save These Instructions

## Operating Instructions

Become familiar with your Hand Held Food Processor attachments and their operation before using them.

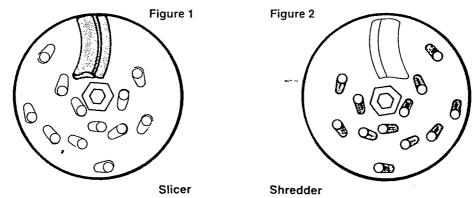


1. Carefully unpack the parts of the food processor from the carton and refer to the above description to learn what each part is called.

#### Be careful — the processing disk is very sharp.

- 2. The processor is packed with the clear cover already in place. To disassemble, place the base of the appliance on a level surface with the handle facing you. Place your hand on top of the clear cover and rotate counterclockwise.
- **3.** The ejector-disk can also be removed in the same way as the clear cover.

- 4. The processor blade has a dual function, it may be used for slicing (see figure 1) or shredding (see figure 2) depending on method of installation.
- Make sure ejector disk is properly located into position prior to placing processor blade onto shaft.
- 6. Reassemble clear cover by reversing step 2.
- 7. Loading the feeder tube with food to be sliced or shredded before turning on allows for better control of finished product.
- 8. Set the food plunger on top of the food in the feeder tube, depress the switch and apply pressure to the plunger until all food is processed. Release switch.



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# Food Preparation Techniques for Slicing Blade

The thickness of the slice varies with the pressure exerted on the food plunger.

light/medium pressure - soft foods medium/firm pressure - firm foods

Use halved or cut foods to fit in the feeder tube. Food that fits to within 3/4" of top of feeder tube will slice more evenly because you will have more control with the food plunger.

Small foods can be dropped into the feeder tube. They will be uniform in thickness, but not in shape.

# Food Preparation Techniques for Shredding Blade

Before shredding, ensure slicing blade is facing down when locked into appliance.

Shredding food in the Hand Held Food Processor produces a fine consistency. For some foods like cabbages for coleslaw, you may prefer to chop with a knife.

When shredding more than 1 pound of some vegetables such as carrots and cabbage, the processed food may become packed between the blade and the ejector disk, this will prevent food from being dispensed out of the flow chute. If this occurs, release switch and wait for motor to stop. Unlock clear cover and remove the food from the ejector plate and blade.

### **User Maintenance Instructions**

- Always unplug the appliance from any electrical outlet before disassembling.
- 2. Remove clear cover by turning it counter-clockwise.
- 3. Remove slicing/shredding blade by carefully lifting the motor shaft. Repeat this for the food ejector disk.
- 4. Simply rinse off blade and ejector disk until clean.
- **5.** Wash clear cover with warm soapy water. Rinse with clear water and wipe dry.
- **6.** Wipe the motor base and main body with a damp cloth.
- 7. Never immerse in liquid.

LIMITED WARRANTY

Machines distributed by Salton/MAXIM Housewares Group are warranted for one year from date of purchase against defects in workmanship and material. During that period these defects will be repaired or the product will be replaced at Salton/MAXIM's option, without charge. This warranty covers normal consumer usage and does not cover damage which occurs in shipment or failure which results from alteration, accident, misuse, abuse, neglect, installation, commercial use or improper maintenance. This warranty is effective only if the product is purchased and operated in the USA, and does not extend to any units which have been used in violation of written instructions furnished by Salton/MAXIM Housewares Group, or to units which have been altered or modified without authorization of Salton/MAXIM Housewares Group, or to damage to products or parts thereof which have had the serial number removed, altered, defaced or rendered illegible.

## Service and Repair

DO NOT attempt to repair your MAXIM FP-10 Hand Held Food Processor. Should the appliance malfunction, you should first call toll free 1-800-233-9054 between the hours of 9:00 am and 5:00 pm Central Standard Time and ask for CONSUMER CUSTOMER SERVICE stating that you are a consumer with a problem. If the problem cannot be resolved, you will be asked to return the machine to the factory for repair. Under no circumstances should you attempt to open the housing and repair the machine. Should you do this, your warranty will be voided.

## To Return for Service

- 1. Securely package and return the product, PREPAID to: Salton/MAXIM Housewares Group, Repair Department, 550 Business Center Drive, Mt. Prospect, IL 60056
- 2. Be sure to enclose:
  - a. Your name, address and phone number.
  - b. The date of purchase (or receipt as a gift).
  - c. An explanation of the malfunction or reason for return.
  - d. Six dollars (\$6.00) Check or Money Order payable to Salton/MAXIM Housewares Group for return postage and handling.
  - e. To insure prompt "In-Warranty" service, be sure to include proof of date of purchase.

We recommend you take the necessary precaution of insuring the parcel.

3. Toll Free Number: 1-800-233-9054.

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