

# EPOQUE

BLENDER & GRINDER

## INSTRUCTION MANUAL



**BEFORE OPERATING THIS UNIT, PLEASE CAREFULLY READ THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS.**

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## **IMPORTANT!**

**Due to sharp parts and potential hazards the appliance is not suitable for the use of children under 8 years old.**

**Even when off please keep the appliance and cord out of the reach of children.**

**Children over 8 must be supervised by an adult at all times when using or cleaning the appliance. **This is not a toy!****

**The appliance can be used by persons with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities if they have been given supervision and instruction and understand the use and hazards involved.**

**Always disconnect the appliance from the mains supply socket if it is left unattended and before assembling, disassembling or cleaning.**

**If the mains cable is damaged, it must be replaced by qualified persons in order to avoid any hazards.**



**FEATURES**

- 1 Lid cap
- 2 Lid
- 3 Grinder cover
- 4 Grinder
- 5 Glass jug
- 6 Rubber sealing ring
- 7 Cutting blade
- 8 Jug base
- 9 Motor block
- 10 Rotary switch
- 11 Assembled blender
- 12 Assembled grinder

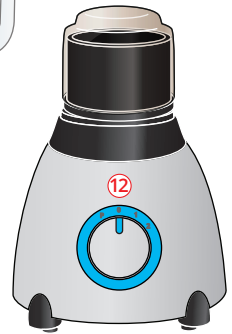
**SPECIFICATIONS**

Rated Voltage: ..... 220-240V~  
 Frequency: ..... 50Hz  
 Rated Power: ..... 500W  
 Glass Jug Capacity: ..... 1.5L  
 Grinder Capacity: ..... 100g approx.



**SHARP BLADES!**

**READ THE INSTRUCTIONS AND  
 KEEP THEM SAFE. REMOVE ALL  
 PACKAGING BEFORE USE.**



## **⚠ IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS**

**WHEN USING ANY ELECTRICAL APPLIANCE, BASIC SAFETY PRECAUTIONS SHOULD ALWAYS BE FOLLOWED, INCLUDING THE FOLLOWING:**

- 1 Read all instructions carefully before using the appliance.
- 2 **This appliance is intended for household use only. It is not suitable for commercial use such as staff kitchen areas and other working environments.**
- 3 Ensure that the appliance is always placed on a firm and flat surface, away from the edge of the work top. **Do not place the appliance onto a metal tray or metal surface whilst in use. Do not place the appliance on, or near, a hot gas or electric burner or in a heated oven. Do not operate the appliance with wet hands or barefoot.**
- 4 Keep the appliance and mains cable away from the edges of work tops and out of reach of children. Route the cable so it does not overhang, and cannot be tripped over or caught.
- 5 Do not let the cable run across an open space, such as between a low socket and a table, or across any hot area, such as cooker. Heat may damage the mains cable.
- 6 The connections on both sides of the mains cable (the appliance and socket) should never be strained. If the mains cable is damaged it must be replaced by qualified person or service to avoid any hazards.
- 7 **Do not use the appliance in a bathroom, near water, or outdoors. Do not immerse any of the parts (appliance, mains cable, plug) in water or other liquids to protect against fire, electric shock and personal injury.**
- 8 **Do not use the appliance if it is damaged or malfunctions. Do not leave the appliance unattended whilst in use. Use and store it out of reach of children.**
- 9 This appliance must not be operated by an external timer or a remote control system.
- 10 SQ Professional Ltd may not be held liable for eventual damages to persons, animals or objects caused by incorrect installation or deriving from improper, erroneous or unreasonable use.
- 11 The top of the jug base ⑧ should always be kept dry. Before washing and drying disconnect the power supply; ensure that the jug base ⑧ is completely dry before you reconnect the appliance to power supply.
- 12 **To reduce the risk of injury, never attach the cutting blade ⑦ directly onto the motor block ⑨ without the glass jug ⑤ properly attached.**
- 13 Ensure the lid ② or grinder cover ③ are securely in place and the glass jug ⑤ is correctly inserted into the motor block ⑨ before operating the appliance.
- 14 Do not switch on the appliance when it is empty. Ensure there is the at least a minimum amount of liquid or solid ingredients in the blender or grinder.
- 15 Always close the lid ② or have the grinder cover ③ in place before you switch the appliance on. **Do not open the lid ② or grinder cover ③ whilst the appliance is running.**
- 16 **Keep hands and utensils out of the glass jug ⑤ while blending to reduce the risk of severe injury to persons or damage to the blender. A scraper may be used but only when the blender is not running.**
- 17 **Blades are extremely sharp. Handle carefully.**
- 18 Switch off the the blender and unplug from the socket before changing attachments or approaching parts that move while in use. Unplug the blender when not in use.
- 19 Ensure that the blender has come to a complete stop before cleaning and storing away. Keep the attachments, motor block ⑨, cable, and plug away from sources of heat. Store in a dry place.
- 20 **Do not use the blender for any other purpose than its intended use.**
- 21 Use the glass jug ⑤ or grinder ④ only with the motor block ⑨ supplied (and vice versa) and do not tamper with the connector in any way.

**SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS FOR FUTURE REFERENCE!**

## BEFORE FIRST USE

**ALL PARTS OF THE BLENDER OR THE GRINDER ARE TO BE THOROUGHLY CLEANED BEFORE BEING USED FOR THE FIRST TIME (SEE SECTION ON CLEANING).**

Ensure that the rotary switch ⑩ is in the position "0". Take out the required length of cable and connect the appliance to the mains supply.

## ASSEMBLY OF THE GLASS JUG OR GRINDER

- 1 Place the rubber sealing ring ⑥ on the cutting blade ⑧ as shown in **IMAGE A**.

**BLADES ARE EXTREMELY SHARP. HANDLE CAREFULLY!**

- 2 Insert the blade unit with the rubber sealing ring ⑥ into the jug base ⑧. **IMAGE B**
- 3 Mount the glass jug ⑤ onto the assembled jug base unit. Turn the jug base unit clockwise until it is securely attached.

**IMAGE C**

## INSERTING THE GLASS JUG OR THE GRINDER

- 1 Make sure that the blender is switched off (turn the rotary switch ⑩ in the '0' setting).
- 2 Place the assembled glass jug ⑤ or grinder ④ on to the motor block ⑨ and align the grooves. Push down until securely engaged. **IMAGE D**

## USING THE BLENDER OR GRINDER

- 1 Assemble the blender or grinder and ensure that the rotary switch ⑩ is turned to '0'. Remove the lid or the grinder cover.
- 2 **BLENDER:** Place the ingredients into the glass jug and attach the lid ② by pressing down firmly. Pour the liquids through the opening in the lid then insert the lid cap ① and turn it anti-clockwise until it is locked.

For best results do not fill the glass jug above the 1L marking, especially if using liquid ingredients.

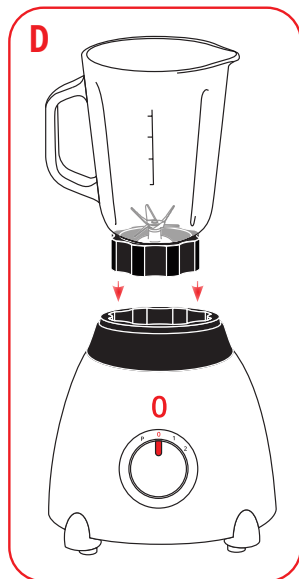
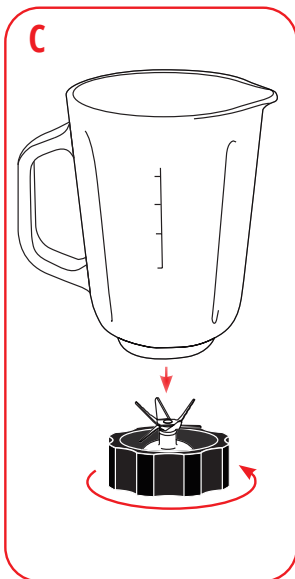
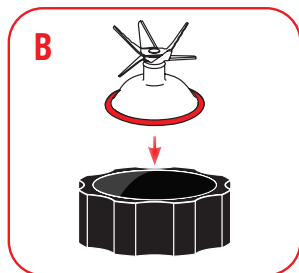
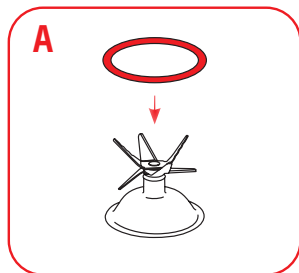
**GRINDER:** attach the grinder cover ③ and turn it counter-clockwise until it locks.

- 3 Turn the rotary switch ⑩ to desired speed to switch the appliance on.

## SPEED SETTING

- 1 **LOW SPEED** - for light blending of liquid ingredients
- 2 **HIGH SPEED** - for heavy blending with solid ingredients and thicker liquids.

**PULSE** SHORT BURSTS OF VERY HIGH SPEED - rough blending of solid ingredients and thicker liquids, ice crushing, grinding and short, powerful impulse movements (the dial does not permanently engage in the 'PULSE' setting. You have to hold the dial or turn it repeatedly in the 'PULSE' setting).



After using the blender or the grinder, always turn the rotary switch ⑩ back to the '0' setting and disconnect the mains cable from the socket. To remove the glass jug just lift it straight up.

**USEFUL TIPS**

- 1 To achieve the best results when pureeing solid ingredients, place small portions into the glass jug one by one instead of placing a large quantity all at once. Do not overload.
- 2 When processing solid ingredients, cut them into small pieces (2-3cm) first.
- 3 When mixing solid ingredients start off first with a small amount of liquid. Gradually add more of the liquid through the opening in the lid.
- 4 If blending warm liquids or ingredients always ensure that they are cooled down before blending. Do not fill the glass jug over 1L / 4 cups mark.
- 5 Always stabilise the blender or grinder by placing your hand on top of the lid when operating the appliance.
- 6 For stirring solids or very thick liquid ingredients we recommend that you use the blender in 'PULSE' mode to prevent the blades from becoming stuck.

**CLEANING**

**MOTOR BLOCK**

**NEVER IMMERSE THE MOTOR BLOCK IN WATER.**

Wipe the motor block ⑨ clean with a damp cloth and dry immediately with a soft cloth to avoid scratches and water marks on the surface.

**LIGHT CLEANING:**

**BLENDER:** empty the glass jug ⑤ and fill it half way with tepid water and a mild detergent. Place the jug on the motor block ⑨ and turn the switch several times into the 'PULSE' setting, holding for a few seconds each time. Empty the glass jug and rinse until clean, then dry.

**GRINDER:** to clean the grinder wipe inside it with a damp cloth or sponge, using a lukewarm water with some washing up liquid, if necessary. Remove any stuck food remains with a small dishwashing brush. Dry immediately with a soft cloth.

**THOROUGH CLEANING:**

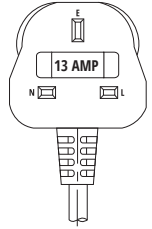
**BE CAREFUL WHEN HANDLING THE CUTTING BLADE INSIDE THE JUG. THE BLADES ARE VERY SHARP.**

**BLENDER:** Ensure that the glass jug ⑤ or grinder ④ is completely empty before you unscrew the assembled jug base ⑧. Carefully detach the cutting blade ⑦ and wash it. To remove the stuck food around the blades you may use a small dishwashing brush.

All parts **except the motor block ⑨** can be washed by hand or in a dishwasher. Do not use harsh scourers and aggressive or abrasive detergents.

**WIRING**

**This appliance is earthed. Should the power cable or the power plug become damaged, arrange for these to be replaced by Customer Service or qualified person before continuing to use the appliance. This appliance is fitted with a 13A BS1362 fuse in a 13A BS 1363 plug.**



**Do not use a non-wireable plug unless the fuse cover is in place.**

**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION**

To avoid environmental and health problems due to hazardous substances in electrical and electronic goods, appliances marked with this symbol must not be disposed of with unsorted municipal waste, but recovered, reused or recycled.



**SERVICE**

The product is not user-serviceable. If it is not working, read the instructions, check the plug fuse and main fuse/circuit breaker. If it is still not working, consult your retailer.

If that does not solve the problem ring Customer Service – they may be able to offer technical advice. Please have the **Model Number** to hand, as they will not be able to help you without it.

If you are advised to return the product to us, pack it carefully, include a note with your name, address, day phone number, and description of the problem.

If under a guarantee, say where and when it was purchased and include a valid VAT receipt. Send it to SQ Professional Ltd.

**GUARANTEE**

THE GUARANTEE FOR THIS PRODUCT IS COVERED BY SQ PROFESSIONAL LIMITED. ANY FAULTS WITH THIS PRODUCT ARISING THROUGH A MANUFACTURER DEFECT WILL BE COVERED FOR 1 YEAR FROM THE DATE OF PURCHASE, SUBJECT TO A VALID VAT RECEIPT BEING PRESENTED. THIS DOES NOT INCLUDE FAULTS OR DAMAGE CAUSED BY MISUSE OF GENERAL WEAR AND TEAR.

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