



coffee, spice and herb  
**electric grinder**



## **Instruction Booklet**

Model: CG1990BK & CG1990WH

# IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

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

1. Read all instructions carefully before use.
2. To protect against electrical hazards, do not immerse cord, plug or appliance in water or any other liquid or place in the dishwasher.
3. Close supervision is necessary when any appliance is used by or near children. Children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the appliance.
4. 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 instruction concerning the use of the appliance by a person responsible for their safety.
5. Avoid contact with 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 manufacturer for examination, repair or electrical or mechanical adjustment. All servicing, other than cleaning, should be performed by an authorized service representative. See Warranty section.
7. The use of accessories or attachments not recommended by the manufacturer may cause fire, electric shock or injury.
8. **DO NOT** use outdoors.
9. **DO NOT** let cord hang over edge of table or counter, or touch hot surfaces.
10. Before using, ensure that there are no foreign objects in the Grinder.
11. Do not place in the dishwasher.
12. Do not use appliance for other than intended use.
13. Do not place on or near a hot gas or electric burner or in a heated oven.

14. Unplug from outlet when not in use, when removing or putting on parts and before cleaning.

**15. IMPORTANT:**

- The Grinder will grind up to 40 grams of coffee beans, enough for approximately 8 cups of coffee, in less than 30 seconds. Grinding coffee beans for longer than 30 seconds will burn the beans.
- As is usual with this type of grinder, the motor should not be run for longer than 30 seconds at a time and then should be allowed to rest for 1 minute.

## **SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS**

### **HOUSEHOLD USE ONLY**

#### **POLARIZED PLUG**

This appliance has a polarized plug (one blade is wider than the other). To reduce the risk of electric shock, this plug will fit in a polarized outlet only one way. If the plug does not fit fully in the outlet, reverse the plug. If it still does not fit, contact a qualified electrician. Do not modify the plug in any way.

#### **Coffee Beans**

The Grinder will grind up to 40 grams of coffee beans at a time. This is enough for approximately 8 cups of coffee.

Experimenting with the Grinder will enable you to get exactly the grind you prefer for your coffee. A fine grind exposes more surface to the water and therefore a more rapid rate of extraction of flavour. A coarser grind, which exposes little surface, is appropriate for the longer brewing cycle of percolators. Check your coffee maker instructions for the type of grind that is best.

For the freshest, most robust cup of coffee, grind only enough coffee for the pot you are making. If you are making a large pot, you may need to grind in two batches. Coffee beans will keep up to 2 months in the freezer (in an airtight container) and can be ground while still frozen. Fresh beans will yield the best flavour and aroma.

## Spices

Herbs and spices take on a fresh, more flavourful taste when freshly ground. Dried herbs can be combined and ground for a few seconds giving them more flavour. Peppercorns, when freshly ground, taste totally different from canned pre-ground pepper. Spices such as allspice, cardamom, celery seed, mustard seed & coriander seed grind very well.

## Not Recommended

The Grinder will grind most dry or brittle substances. It WILL NOT grind anything which is moist, gummy or extremely hard (chocolate, nuts, whole nutmeg, candied ginger, etc.). It will not make pastes of any kind from seeds such as sunflower or sesame.

Grinding cinnamon, cloves and nutmeg is not advised as the oils and hardness can cause the plastic lid to pit, discolor or crack. Grains such as corn, wheat, rice barley and rye may also cause damage to the Lid. Chopping, mincing or pureeing of soft foods is not recommended.

## HOW TO USE

Before using for the first time, wipe the stainless steel bowl, lid and blades with a damp cloth. Make sure it is completely dry.

1. Remove Lid, make sure the Grinder is empty and clean.
2. Place coffee beans or spices (not to exceed 40 grams), into the stainless steel bowl.
3. Plug in the Grinder.
4. Place on a flat, level surface and hold the Grinder with one hand.  
**DO NOT OPERATE WITHOUT THE LID IN PLACE.** If you release the pressure from the 'On/Off' Control, the Grinder will automatically stop.
5. When the desired grind is obtained release the 'On/Off' Control Button. **DO NOT REMOVE THE LID UNTIL THE BLADE COMES TO A COMPLETE STOP.** You may wish to grind in short intervals, then check to see if more grinding is necessary. If more grinding is necessary, replace the lid and grind for a few extra seconds.  
**NOTE:** The Grinder should not be run for longer than 30 seconds at a time and then should be allowed to rest for 1 minute.
6. When the Blades have stopped, unplug the Grinder, remove the Lid and the contents from the Grinding Chamber.

## CARE AND CLEANING

1. Unplug from the wall outlet.
2. Wipe the Blades and Grinding Chamber with a damp cloth or paper towel to remove any excess ground coffee or spices. Use a small dry brush to help dislodge dry particles.

**NEVER IMMERSE THE GRINDER IN WATER OR PLACE IN THE DISHWASHER.**

3. The Lid should be washed in warm soapy water, rinsed and dried.
4. If needed, wipe the exterior with a damp cloth.
5. Make sure to clean the Grinding Chamber completely after each use to prevent flavours from transferring.

**NOTE:** To ensure that the Grinding Chamber is clean and nothing remains under the Blades, turn the Grinder on, for a few seconds, with the Grinding Chamber empty. This will dislodge any stubborn particles. For stubborn odours fill the Grinding Chamber with dry baking soda, place the Lid in position and let stand overnight.

6. All servicing, other than cleaning, should be performed by an authorized service representative. See Warranty section.

A short supply cord is provided to reduce the hazards of becoming entangled in or tripping over a long cord. Extension cords may be used if care is exercised in their use. If an extension cord is used, the marked electrical rating of the detachable power-supply cord or extension cord should be at least as great as the electrical rating of the appliance. If the appliance is of the grounded type, the extension cord should be a grounded 3-wire cord. The extension cord should be arranged so that it will not drape over the counter top or table top, where it can be pulled on by children or tripped over.

**LIMITED WARRANTY**

**\*\*The original sales receipt is the only acceptable proof of purchase\*\***

Salton Canada warrants that this appliance shall be free from defects in material and workmanship for a period of one (1) year from the date of original purchase. Salton Canada, at its sole discretion during this warranty period, will repair or replace a defective product or issue a refund. Any refund to the purchaser will be at a pro-rated value based on the remaining period of the warranty. All liability is limited to the amount of the purchase price. This warranty covers normal domestic usage and does not cover damage which occurs in shipment or failure which results from alteration, accident, misuse, abuse, glass breakage, neglect, improper maintenance, use contrary to the operating instructions or commercial use. This warranty is not available to retailers or other commercial purchasers or owners.

This warranty does not include the cost of shipping, which is to be borne by the customer.

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Contact one of our many Service Centers found on our website  
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or

Securely package and return the appliance to us. Please enclose:

- Original proof of purchase
- The completed form below with a \$12.50 Return Shipping & Handling fee – either a cheque, money order or credit card (A personal cheque will delay return shipping by 2-3 weeks)

For added protection, we suggest that you use an insured delivery service with tracking information when returning your product. Salton Canada will not be held responsible for in-transit damage or for packages that are not received.

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