

LIMITED WARRANTY* ONE (1) YEAR:

Your small kitchen appliance is warranted to the original purchaser to be free from any manufacturing defects under normal use and conditions for one (1) year, cord excluded. During that period, should the appliance fail to operate properly, return the appliance with your sales receipt to the store where purchased. If you use your appliance for household use and according to instructions, it should give you years of satisfactory service. This product warranty covers only the original consumer purchaser of the product.

WARRANTY IS ONLY VALID WITH A DATED PROOF OF PURCHASE.

To guarantee repair or replacement without charge, a dated sales receipt showing purchase within the limited warranty period* must accompany the appliance. Without a sales receipt, warranty will be estimated according to the appliance's manufactured date. A comparable appliance should arrive within 2-3 weeks. However, in case an appliance is not covered by warranty, correspondence offering alternatives will be mailed to you.

During the one-year warranty period, a product with a defect will be either repaired or replaced with a reconditioned comparable model (at our option) when the product is returned to our Service Center. (See the "Returns" section below). The repaired or replacement product will be in warranty for the remaining balance of the one-year warranty period and an additional one-month period.

This limited warranty covers appliances purchased and used within the 48 contiguous states plus the District of Columbia and does **NOT** cover:

- Damages caused by unreasonable use, neglect, normal wear and tear, commercial use, improper assembly or installation of product.
- Damages caused in shipping.
- Damages caused by replacement or resetting of house fuses or circuit breakers.
- Defects other than manufacturing defects.
- Breakage caused by misuse, abuse, accident, alteration, lack of proper care and maintenance, or incorrect current or voltage.
- Lost or missing parts of the product. Parts will need to be purchased separately.
- Damages of parts that are not electrical; for example: cracked or broken plastic or glass.
- Damage from service or repair by unauthorized personnel.
- Extended warranties purchased via a separate company or reseller.
- Consumer's remorse is not an acceptable reason to return a product to our Service Center.

*The consumer is responsible for any delivery charges for all replacement units provided for exchange under the warranty.

RETURNS: Any return of defective merchandise to the manufacturer must be processed accordingly by contacting customer service first to obtain an RA # (Return Authorization Number). We will not accept any returns of merchandise without an applicable RA #.

We cannot assume responsibility for loss or damages to products returned to us during incoming shipment. For your protection, always carefully package the product for shipment and insure it with the carrier. Be sure to enclose the following items with your return: any accessories related to the problem, your full address and daytime phone number, a note describing the problem, a copy of the dated sales receipt or other proof of purchase and a valid RA#.

C.O.D shipments cannot be accepted.

*One Year Limited Warranty valid only in the **48 contiguous states plus the District of Columbia, excluding** Alaska, Hawaii, Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands.

This warranty is effective only if the product is purchased and operated in the USA; product usage which is in violation of the written instructions provided with the unit will void this warranty.

For international warranty, please contact the local distributor.

**Any instruction or policy included in this manual may be subject to change at any time.

Model EPM-400 Elite Popcorn Maker

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DELUXE POPCORN TROLLEY



INSTRUCTION MANUAL

ALWAYS READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE USING

IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

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

1. **READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE USING YOUR POPCORN MACHINE.**
2. Always make sure the popcorn maker is set on a flat and level surface before operating.
3. Keep door closed while operating. Do not touch kettle while operating – this area gets **HOT**.
4. Do not touch hot surfaces. Always use handles or knobs to operate.
5. To avoid any risk of electrical shock, do not immerse cord or plug into water or other liquid.
6. Close supervision is necessary when it is being used by or near children.
7. Unplug main power cord from outlet while not in use and before cleaning.
8. Allow **HOT** parts to cool down before moving.
9. **DO NOT** operate the appliance with damaged cord or plug, malfunction or with any mechanical damages. Send the unit to the nearest authorized service center for examination and repairs. (ONLY technicians should open up the unit)
10. It may cause injury by using any accessory or attachment not provided or recommended by manufacturer.
11. Do not pop kernels with a dry pot (without oil).
12. Do not immerse popping kettle set into water.
13. Kettle surface is **HOT** and should **NOT** be touched during popping or immediately after use.
14. Unplug, clean and store in a dry and safe place if not being used for a long time.
15. Do not leave power cord hanging over edge of table or counter or come in contact with any hot surfaces.
16. Do not place the unit on or near a hot gas or electric burner or in a heated oven.
17. Extreme caution must be paid when moving the appliance containing hot oil or other hot liquids.
18. Always connect the plug to the popping kettle first, and then the main power cord into the wall outlet.
19. Turn ALL switches to “OFF” position before disconnecting power plug from the wall supply outlet.
20. Always position appliance close to a power outlet to avoid tripping over power cord.
21. Not recommended for use outdoors.
22. Do not use appliance for other than indicated usage.
23. The popping kettle should **NOT** be connected to ANY electrical cord not included in this unit.
24. To avoid overheating, always add oil and then kernels before operating.
25. Extreme caution must be paid when emptying popcorn from the kettle to avoid burns from the kettle or from residual oil
26. **KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.**
27. **DO NOT CLEAN USING ANY ABRASIVE MATERIAL.**
28. **NEVER LEAVE UNATTENDED WHILE IN USE.**
29. **NEVER FORCE ANY PARTS OR BRACKETS INTO POSITION.**
30. **NO PARTS ARE INTENDED FOR THE DISHWASHER.**
31. This appliance has a polarized plug (one blade is wider than the other). To reduce the risk of electric shock, this plug is intended to fit into a polarized outlet only one way. If the plug does not fit fully into the outlet, reverse the plug. If it still does not fit, contact a qualified electrician. Do not attempt to modify the plug in any way.”

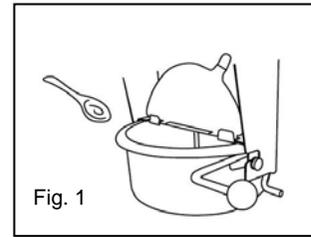
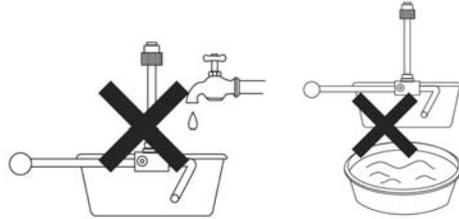


Fig. 1

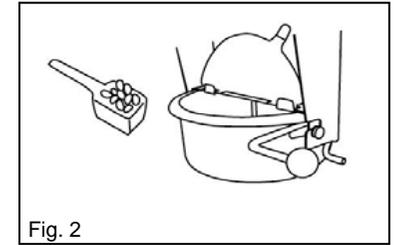


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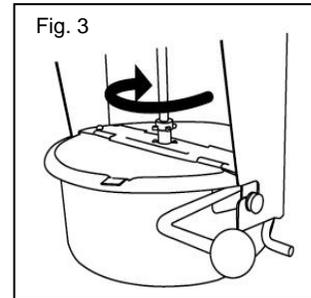


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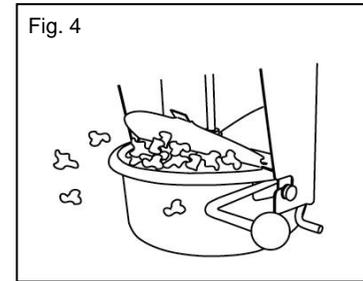


Fig. 4

Cleaning and Maintenance

To avoid burning of excess oils on the bottom of the kettle, frequent cleaning is strongly recommended.

- Let unit cool down before cleaning.
- Use wet towel to clean the kettle surface inside and out.
- With a clean damp cloth, wipe down the glass, acrylic doors and metal surfaces.
- Do not use any acidic, citrus based cleaners or abrasive cleaners on the Acrylic doors as it may scratch or become dull.
- Frequently empty the catch tray of old popcorn kernels and clean with soap and water and dry - thoroughly.

Additional Cleaning recommendations

- Complete basic cleaning as instructed above.
- To thoroughly clean the kettle, turn off the unit and add 1-1/2 to 2 cups of hot water (no detergent is necessary) into the kettle. Turn ON the stirrer and the heater and bring water to boil for 1 to 2 minutes. Place a towel in the bottom of the unit with a large bowl on top (make sure bowl is large enough to pour out the water from the kettle). Turn off stirrer and heater and carefully pour out water into bowl. **CAUTION: Kettle and water will be HOT!**
- Repeat same procedure 2 to 3 times for best results.

Never immerse the kettle into water.

SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

FOR HOUSEHOLD USE ONLY

USING YOUR POPCORN MAKER

TIP: The popcorn maker comes with a handy storage compartment. It is a convenient way for you to store any utensils or non-perishable ingredients right along with your popcorn maker. You will always be prepared and well equipped to make hot, fresh popcorn anytime.

- 1) Make sure the popcorn maker is unplugged before you do any of the following.
- 2) Popcorn Maker is rated at 120 volt. Only plug unit into 120 volt power source to avoid potential damage to unit.
- 3) Clean the internal surface of the kettle pot and main unit surfaces.
- 4) Main unit has 3 function switches as follows:



Spot light and warmer (1)



Stirrer (2)



Stainless steel Pot heater (3)

- 5) Secure the kettle onto the hanger of the main unit.
- 6) Now you can plug in the power cord to the popcorn maker.
- 7) Switch on the light and heater (1 & 3) and fill the kettle with the correct amount of oil (Figure 1) based on popping chart in Figure 5. Do not use butter inside the kettle. Butter will burn.
- 8) Kettle should be pre-heated for 3 to 4 minutes with oil (until steam rises from the pot).
- 9) Measure out corresponding amount of plain popcorn kernels from the chart in Figure 5. Make sure to use plain popcorn kernels with no seasoning or salt as it will cause oil to splatter.
- 10) Lift the lid and then pour in the kernels carefully. (Fig. 2) **Caution: Lid will be HOT!**
- 11) Switch ON the Stirrer switch (2). (Fig. 3)
- 12) Shut the door carefully.
- 13) Popcorn starts popping out through the lid after about 2 to 3 minutes. (Fig. 4)
- 14) Switch OFF the stirrer & heater switches (2 & 3) when popping is complete (No more popping sounds from the pot).
- 15) Rotate handle on kettle counter clockwise to pour out all remaining popcorn from kettle. **CAUTION: Kettle will be HOT!**
- 16) Keep heater switch (3) OFF if the unit is not being continuously used.
- 17) Serve your popcorn with popcorn scoop provided.
- 18) Remove plug from power supply if the unit is not being used for a long period of time.
- 19) Repeat step 7 to 12 for continuous popping.

Figure 5

OIL	POPCORN
1 Tbsp	½ Cup
1.5 Tbsp	¾ Cup
2 Tbsp	1 Cup

Do not exceed 1-cup per batch

INTRODUCTION:

Thank you for purchasing the old fashioned popcorn maker. It will add a touch of nostalgic delight to any recreation room with its great turn of the century vendor style design. Although the popcorn maker may look old fashioned, rest assured that the appliance uses the latest technological advances in kettle popcorn operation. You never have to go without the old fashioned taste of delicious freshly popped popcorn when watching a movie right at home with your family.

Here are some great recipe tips to use with your popcorn maker.

- **Regular Theater Style Popcorn** – Simply add butter and salt to your liking.
- **Southwestern Flare** – Add a teaspoon of powdered ranch dressing mixed with some cayenne pepper.
- **Garlic Gourmet** – ¼ teaspoon of garlic powder and garlic salt and shake it up.
- **Cheesy Cheddar** – ½ teaspoon of powdered cheddar cheese.
- **Muy Caliente** – A touch of cayenne pepper, ½ teaspoon of powdered cheddar cheese, and ½ a cup of jalapeño peppers that have been pat dried.
- **The Works** – ¼ teaspoon of garlic powder, powdered cheese, onion powder, cayenne pepper, and salt and pepper.

- * Make sure to shake or toss well in order to cover all the popcorn with the seasonings from above.
- * All the above are just references and can be adjusted to your own taste.

The popcorn maker is a great excuse to have celebrations or gatherings for no particular reason at all. Simply invite your neighbors or your friends, or gather around with the family.

Here are a few fun ideas for when to use your popcorn maker:

MOVIES:

- A night of Cowboys and Indians movies with Southwestern Flare flavored popcorn.
- An evening of sappy romantic comedies accompanied with Regular flavor or Cheddar flavor. Avoid the Garlic Gourmet or The Works for any romance.

PARTIES & GET-TOGETHERS:

- Birthdays
- 50s, 60s, 70s or 80s music theme night
- Board Games
- Sports Night
- Poker Night
- Karaoke Night

You are now ready to use your popcorn maker. Have fun and enjoy!

Model no. & Specifications:

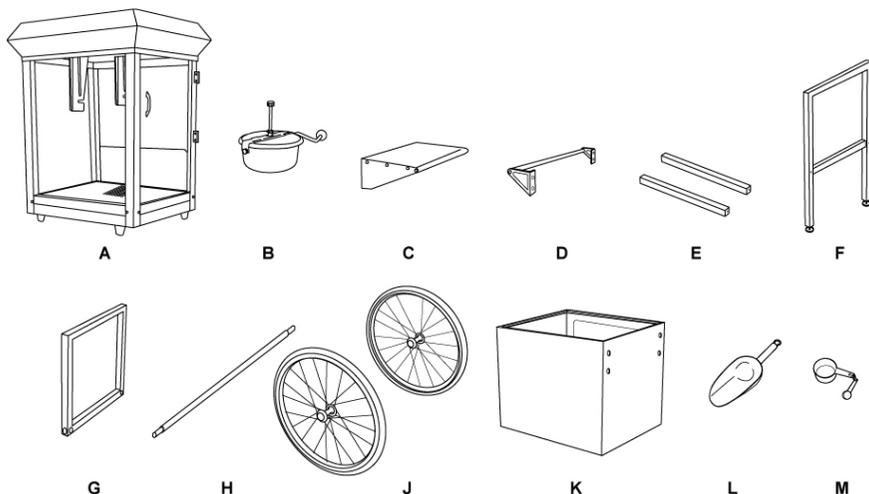
Model no.: EPM-400

Voltage : AC 120V~60Hz

Input Power : 860W

Please read this user manual carefully before assembling and using.

Assembling Parts



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| A. Main unit x 1 pc | B. Popping Kettle pot x 1 pc (Capacity: 8oz.) |
| C. Working platform x 1 pc | D. Hand rail x 1 pc |
| E. Square pole x 2 pcs | F. Long stand x 1 set |
| G. Short stand x 1 set | H. Wheel axis x 1 pc |
| J. Wheels x 2 pcs. | K. Storage cabinet x 1 pc |
| L. Popcorn scoop x 1 pc | M. Measuring Cup & Spoon |
| N. 60 Watt R20 Light Bulb – (not shown) | O. Salt Shaker x 1 pc (not shown) |

Parts x 1 box include:

- (Package A) bolts x 8 pcs. + nuts x 8 pcs. + washers x 8 pcs.
- (Package B) bolts x 8 pcs. + washers x 4 pcs.
- (Package C) nuts with round cap x 2 pcs.
- (Package D) wrench x 2 pcs.

Assembling Instructions:

1. Use bolts & washers (Package B) provided to connect to the Long stand (F) and the 2-pcs of the square poles (E) together.
2. Connect the completed above parts (1) with the short stand (G) by using the bolts & washer in – (Package B).
3. Insert axis (H) into short stand. Place washers from (Package C) onto each side of wheels (J) and fix it with the round cap nuts with wrenches provided in (Package D).
4. Turn the storage cabinet (K) up side down for convenient assembly. Insert both ends of the short (G) and long stand (F) into the bottom of (K) and then affix by bolts in (Package B).
5. Turn the completed unit back to up-right position. Install the handrail (D) onto the left hand & the working platform (C) on the right hand of (K) by bolts & nuts with washers included in (Package A).
6. Place the main unit (A) onto the topside of the storage cabinet (K). Doors on (A) and (K) should face the same direction. (Caution: Power cord outlet should be inserted into the U-shape cutout.)
7. Secure the Kettle Pot (B) onto the hanger. (Caution: Kettle Handle should be on the door side and also check if gears between pot and ceiling are perfectly matched).
8. Connect the power plug from the ceiling with the socket on the bottom of the pot.
9. Open the door of the storage cabinet and release both spring shafts beneath the main unit in order to secure the main unit to the storage base.

Remark: Main unit alone could be used and placed on a stable counter top for operation.

