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	**Read these instruction manual before using the appliance and keep it available at all times!**

This instruction manual contains information about installation, operation and maintenance of the appliance and constitutes an important source of information and reference guide. The knowledge of all operational and safety instructions included in this manual is a prerequisite for safe and proper handling of the appliance.

Read this instruction manual before you use the appliance and particularly before you start the appliance to prevent injury or damage. Incorrect use may cause damage.

All important information contained in the operating instructions must be available to the appropriate staff at all time. The operator shall be responsible for their availability.

In addition to the operating instructions, you must comply with the general, legal and other applicable regulations for occupational safety and environmental protection.

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1 Safety

This appliance has been manufactured in accordance with technical standards currently in force. However, the appliance may be a source of hazards if used improperly or contrary to its intended purpose. All persons using the appliance must consider information included in this instruction manual and observe safety instructions.

1.1 Explanation of Signal Words

Important safety instructions and warning information are indicated in this instruction manual with appropriate signal words. You must strictly follow the instructions, to prevent accidents, personal injuries and property damages.

DANGER!

The signal word **DANGER** warns against hazards that lead to severe injuries or death if the hazards are not avoided.

WARNING!

The signal word **WARNING** warns against hazards that may lead to moderate or severe injuries or death if the hazards are not avoided.

CAUTION!

The signal word **CAUTION** warns against hazards that may lead to light or moderate injuries if the hazards are not avoided.

IMPORTANT!

The signal word **IMPORTANT** indicates possible property damages, which may occur if safety instructions are not observed.

NOTE!

The symbol **NOTE** indicates subsequent information and guidelines for the user on usage of the appliance.

1.2 Safety instructions

Electric current

WARNING! – Danger from electric current

Risk of electric shock. Contact with live parts may result in serious injury or death from electric shock.

- Only connect the appliance to a mains voltage that corresponds to the specifications on the rating plate.
- Keep the appliance dry and protect it from moisture.
- Do not allow any liquids to come into contact with the mains plug, connectors or electrical components.
- Do not operate the appliance if the power cable, mains plug or housing is damaged.
- Unplug the mains plug before cleaning, servicing, maintenance or prolonged periods of non-use.
- Secure the appliance to prevent it from being switched on accidentally.

- Do not touch the mains plug with wet hands.
- Never reach for a device that has fallen into water. Disconnect it from the mains immediately.
- If any faults occur with the switches, Control panel or electrical components, take the device out of service immediately and disconnect it from the mains.
- Repairs and work on electrical components must only be carried out by qualified electricians.
- Do not kink, crush, knot or route connection cables over sharp edges.
- Do not allow connection cables to come into contact with Heat sources.
- Never carry the appliance by its connection cable.
- Always pull the mains plug to disconnect the appliance from the mains supply.
- Check the connection cable regularly for damage.
- Take damaged connection cables out of service immediately and have them replaced.

Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury, fatal electric shock or damage to property.

Flammable Materials

- Never subject the appliance to contact with high temperature sources, e.g.: oven, furnace, open flame, heat generating devices, etc.
- To avoid fire hazard, clean the appliance regularly.
- Do not cover the appliance with, e.g., aluminium foil or cloths.
- Use the appliance only with materials designated to this end and with correct temperature settings. Materials, groceries and left-overs remaining in the appliance may catch fire.
- Never use the appliance near flammable or inflammable materials, e.g.: petrol, spirit, alcohol, etc. High temperature triggers evaporation of these materials, and, as a result of contact with sources of ignition, an explosion may occur.
- In case of fire, disconnect the appliance from the power supply before attempting suitable fire-extinguishing actions.
- Never attempt to extinguish fire with water if the appliance is connected to the power supply. Following extinction of fire, ensure sufficient fresh air inflow.

Hot Surfaces

- Surfaces of the appliance become hot during operation. Burning hazard! High temperature remains for some time after switching the appliance off.
- Do not touch any hot surfaces of the appliance. Use the provided handling elements and holders.
- You may transport and clean the appliance after it cools down entirely.
- It is prohibited to sprinkle hot surfaces with cold water or flammable liquids.

Operator's responsibility

The operator is responsible for complying with the currently applicable laws, regulations, ordinances and existing national regulations on accident prevention, environmental protection, as well as the internal operation, operating and safety instructions that apply at the respective installation site.

Obligations of the operator:

- Operate the appliance and its components only in a technical condition that does not raise any objections, with functional protective and safety elements.
- Prepare risk assessment at work positions.
- Provide instruction and regular staff training. Pay special attention to and observe the section concerning safety and any safety hints.
- Provide suitable personal protective equipment (PPE)
- Observe the intervals of maintenance and cleaning.
- Document training/instructions, replacement of components.

Supervised Usage only

- Only supervised appliance may be used.
- Always remain in an immediate vicinity of the appliance.

Operating Personnel

- The appliance may only be operated by qualified personnel and trained specialist personnel.
- This appliance may not be operated by persons (including children) with limited physical, sensory or mental capabilities, nor by persons with limited experience and/or limited knowledge.
- Children should be supervised to ensure that they are not playing with or switching on the appliance.

Improper Use

- Unintended or prohibited use may cause damage to the appliance.
- The appliance may only be used when its technical condition is flawless and allows for safe operation.
- The appliance may only be used when all connections are executed according to rules of law in force.
- The appliance may only be used when it is clean.
- Use only original spare parts. Never attempt to repair the appliance on your own.
- Do not introduce any changes in the appliance nor modify it.
- Under no circumstances should you continue to operate the device if it has a known or reported fault.
- Under no circumstances should you operate the device if there are malfunctions with the switches or control panel.
- Do not operate any devices for which a repair or service order has already been placed.

1.3 Intended Use

This appliance is only intended for use described in the operating instructions, with the supplied and approved components.

Any other use is considered against the intended purpose. The manufacturer shall not be liable for any damage due to unintended use. In such cases the responsible party shall only be the user/operator.

The following is an intended purpose:

– Preparing burgers, kebabs and sandwiches.

1.4 Unintended Use

An unintended use may lead to personal injuries or property damages caused by hazardous voltage, fire or high temperature. The appliance may only be used to perform tasks described in this instruction manual.

2 General information

2.1 Liability and Warranty

The appliance was built in accordance with the current state of the art and recognized technical safety principles. Nevertheless, during its use, there may be a threat to the health and life of the user or bystanders, or the danger of damage to the device or other assets. Warranty and liability claims for personal injury/property damage as well as defects at work are excluded if they can be attributed to one or more of the following causes:

- Use against the intended purpose
- Failure to follow/disregard the instructions and all related information
- Unauthorized structural or technical changes to the device
- Engaging insufficiently trained and insufficiently qualified personnel
- Operation with defective or incorrectly installed safety and protective devices
- Inadequate maintenance or cleaning
- Faults not fixed
- Use of prohibited media, cleaning agents, etc.
- Use of unauthorised spare parts
- Errors in operation or other misuse
- Disasters caused by foreign objects or force majeure
- Destruction of the type plate and stickers relevant for operation and safety

2.2 Copyright Protection

This instruction manual, and texts, drawings and images included in it, as well as its other components are copyright protected. It is prohibited to reproduce this instruction manual (including its excerpts), in any form and by any means, and to use and/or transfer its content to third parties without manufacturer's written permission. Violation of the above results in obligation to pay compensation. We reserve the right to claim further damages.

2.3 Declaration of Conformity

The appliance meets the currently applicable standards and guidelines of the European Union. We confirm the above in the EC Declaration of Conformity. We may provide relevant Declaration of Conformity upon request.

3 Transport, Packaging and Storage

3.1 Delivery Check

Immediately upon reception, check the delivery for completeness and possible shipping damage. In the case of visible transport damage refuse to accept the appliance or accept it conditionally. Mark and note the scope of damage in shipping documents/consignment list of the shipping company and lodge a complaint. Concealed damage must be reported immediately upon its discovery, as compensation claims may only be filed within applicable time limits.

If you find that parts or accessories missing, please contact our Customer Service Department.

3.2 Packaging

Do not dispose of the appliance cardboard box. It may be used to store the appliance when relocating or when shipping the appliance to our service point in the case of any damages.

The packaging and its elements are made of recyclable materials. Particularly, these are: plastic films and bags, cardboard box.

When disposing of the packaging, observe applicable domestic regulations. Recyclable packaging materials should be recycled.

3.3 Storage

Leave the packaging closed until installation of the appliance; observe external indications concerning method of placing and storage. Store the packaging in the following conditions only:

- in closed rooms;
- in dry and dust-free surrounding;
- away from aggressive agents;
- in a location protected against sunlight;
- in a location protected against mechanical shocks.

In the case of extended storage (over three months), make sure you check the condition of the packaging and the parts regularly. If needed, replace the packaging with a new one.

4 Technical Data

4.1 Technical Specifications

Name:	**Panini Maker MDI UFO**
Art. No.:	**370285**
Material:	stainless steel
Baking trays material:	aluminium, coated
Number of baking units:	1
Diameter of baking tray in mm:	100
Temperature range, min.–max., in °C:	50 - 300
Connected load:	1,3 kW | 220-240 V | 50-60 Hz
Dimensions (W x D x H), in mm:	254 x 515 x 285
Weight, in kg:	9,46

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Subject to technical changes!

Model / Properties

- Colour: silver-grey
- Control unit: MDI push/rotary control knob
- Control lamps: Heating / On/Off
- Temperature control: electronic, in 1 °C increments
- Digital display: yes
- Timer: yes
- ON/OFF switch: yes
- Properties:
  - MDI rotary control knob with digital display for temperature and time
  - Memory function
  - Audible signal when the time has elapsed (0:10 – 9:30 minutes)
- Including: 1 drip tray

4.2 List of Components of the Appliance

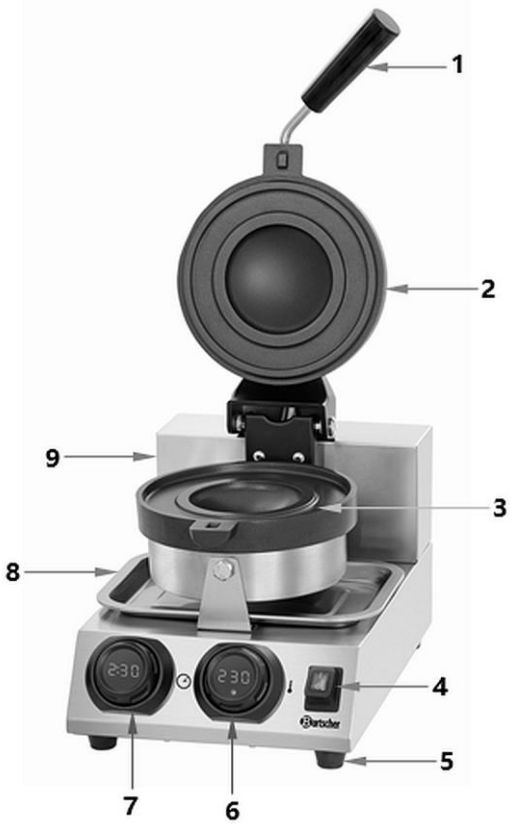


Fig. 1

1. Bow-shaped handle
2. Upper baking plate
3. Lower baking plate
4. ON/OFF switch with integrated power control lamp (green)
5. Feet (4)
6. Push/rotary temperature control knob
7. Push/rotary time control knob
8. Drip tray
9. Housing

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4.3 Functions of the Appliance

The MDI UFO Panini Maker transforms burgers, kebabs, sandwiches and many other types of snacks into perfectly sealed takeaway treats.

The round baking chamber reliably seals the edges of the bread, preventing sauces, cheese and fillings from leaking out, and, together with precise Temperature control up to 300 °C, ensures clean handling and consistently impressive results.

The included drip tray reliably collects any residue and helps keep the work area clean.

5 Installation and operation

5.1 Installation

CAUTION!

Incorrect installation, positioning, operation, maintenance or misuse of the appliance may lead to personal injury or property damage.

Positioning and installation, as well as repairs may be performed by authorised technical service only and in compliance with the applicable national law.

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Unpacking / Positioning

- Unpack the appliance, remove all external and internal packaging elements and shipment safeguards.

CAUTION!

Choking hazard!

Prevent children from accessing packaging materials, for instance: plastic bags and EPS elements.

- If the appliance is covered with a protective film, remove it. Remove the film slowly, so no glue residues are left. Remove any glue residues with the use of a suitable solvent.
- Be careful not to damage the rating plate and warning labels affixed to the appliance.
- **Never** place the appliance in humid or wet environment.

- Place the appliance in a way making the connections easily accessible, so that they may be quickly disconnected if such a need arises.
- When selecting the installation site, please consider the following items:
  - The mounting surface must be even, sufficiently load-bearing, waterproof, dry and resistant to high temperatures.
  - Make sure that the designated escape routes are clear.
  - Ensure a stable position.
  - Allow sufficient space for work, maintenance and cleaning.
  - Leave the supply and exhaust air vents, if any, free.
  - Comply with applicable technical and building regulations.
- Maintain sufficient clearance from table edges. The appliance might turn over and fall down.

- Leave at least 20 cm clearance from flammable walls and items.

Power supply connection

- Verify if technical data of the appliance (see rating plate) correspond with the local electric power grid specification.
- Connect the appliance to a single, properly grounded mains socket with protective contact. Do not connect the appliance to a multi-socket.
- The power cord should be laid in a way preventing anyone from threading on it or tripping against it.

- Do not use the appliance with an external timer or remote control.

5.2 Operation

Before first use

1. Clean the appliance before first use in accordance with the instructions in Section **6.2 'Cleaning**'.
2. Place the drip tray on the housing beneath the appliance's lower baking plate.

Baking residues and crumbs that fall during cooking are collected in the drip tray. Check and empty it regularly.

3. Before using the appliance for the first time, preheat it with the door open for approximately one hour at a temperature setting of 180 °C – 200 °C, without any food inside. Follow the instructions in the Sections **'Settings'** and **'Switching on and preheating the appliance**'.

Due to manufacturing residues, smoke may be produced during preheating. However, this smoke poses no danger to the user and will not occur during subsequent use of the appliance. Ensure there is good ventilation during the first preheating.

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Settings

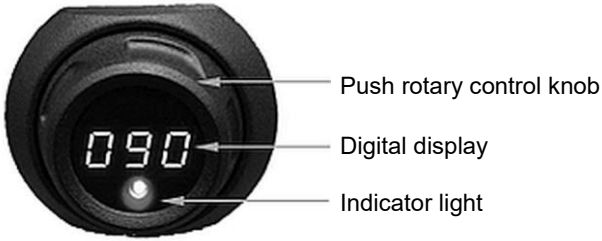
The appliance is controlled with two push/rotary control knobs:

- Push/rotary time control knob
- Push/rotary temperature control knob

The push rotary control knobs are integrated with digital displays that allow reading the most recently set time and temperature.

Indicator lights evidence the operating modes.

Design of the Push/Rotary Control Knobs



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Temperature Setting

The temperature is set with push/rotary control knob. A short press and rotation of the push/rotary temperature control knob you may set the required temperature in the range of 50–300°C and in 1°C increments. Another press of the push/rotary temperature control knob the set value is stored and displayed on digital display. The appliance will be heated up to the set temperature. The red indicator light on the push/rotary temperature control knob is lit during the heating up process. As soon as the set temperature is reached, the indicator light goes off. It takes approx. 10 minutes to heat the appliance to 200°C.

Time Setting

The duration of appliance operation is set with the push/rotary time control knob. A short press and rotation of the push/rotary time control knob you may set the required time in the range of 0:10 - 9:30 minutes and in 1 second increments. Another press of the push/rotary time control knob the set time is stored and the remaining time is displayed on digital display (it is counted down in 1 second increments).

The red indicator light in the push/rotary time control knob blinks. When the time elapses, the acoustic signal is generated. To switch off the signal, press the push rotary time control knob shortly.

NOTE!

When the set time elapses, the appliance does not switch to standby mode — the heating element is still active. The timer has no influence onto the heating function.

The previously set time is displayed again on the digital display and the next snack can be prepared with the use of the same setting. To this end, press the push/rotary time control knob.

The appliance may also be used without the timer if the push/rotary time control knob is not activated through pushing it.

Switch on the appliance and preheat it

WARNING!

Risk of burns!

During operation, the baking plates and outer surfaces of the appliance become very hot.

Do not touch the hot surfaces.

During operation, only hold the appliance by the handle and the designated controls.

1. Close the top baking plate using the bow-shaped handle.
2. Plug the appliance into a suitable single socket.
3. Set the ON/OFF switch to the **'I'** position.

The green control lamp in the ON/OFF switch will light up.

4. Set the desired temperature as described in **the 'Settings'** section to preheat the appliance.

NOTE!

Always preheat the appliance to the desired temperature before preparing snacks to achieve better baking results.

Preparing snacks

WARNING!

Risk of burns!

Touching hot snacks with your bare fingers or hands can cause burns to your hands and fingers.

Only use heat resistant wooden spatulas, plastic spatulas or tongs to remove the cooked snacks.

1. Prepare the ingredients for the snacks you wish to make.
2. Open the preheated appliance using the handle and ensure that the top baking plate is opened as far as it will go.
3. If necessary, add a little vegetable oil to the lower baking plate.



Fig. 2

4. Place the burger bun or slice of toast, topped with your chosen ingredients, into the cooking recess of the preheated lower cooking plate.
5. Close the appliance by pressing the top baking plate down using the handle.
6. Set the desired time using the push/rotary time control knob as described in **the 'Settings'** section.

The burger bun halves or slices of toast will be sealed.

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Fig. 3



Fig. 4

Once the set time has elapsed, a repeating beep will sound until it is acknowledged by pressing push/rotary time control knob.

7. Open the appliance using the bow-shaped handle.
8. Carefully remove the cooked snack using suitable tongs or a spatula.
9. Serve the prepared snacks.

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Switch off the appliance

1. When you have finished preparing the snacks, press the push/turn control knobs and turn it until **‘00’** appears on the digital display.
2. Set the ON/OFF switch to the **‘O’** position and disconnect the appliance from the mains (unplug it!).

6 Cleaning and Maintenance

The operator must ensure that the device and its safety components are kept in good condition. Control and safety systems should be checked for their effectiveness.

Maintenance, cleaning and repairs must only be carried out by suitably trained and specialised personnel.

If the safety devices need to be removed for maintenance, cleaning and repair, they should be reinstalled immediately after completion and their function should be checked.

All maintenance and cleaning work must be carried out in accordance with the operating instructions at the specified intervals.

6.1 Safety Instructions for Cleaning

- Before cleaning, disconnect the appliance from the power supply.
- Leave the appliance to cool down completely.
- Make sure water does not enter the appliance. Do not immerse the appliance in water or other liquids during cleaning. Do not clean the appliance with a pressurized water jet.
- Do not use any sharp or pointed, nor metal implements (knife, fork, etc.). Sharp or pointed implements may damage the appliance, and when in contact with live parts, they may cause electric shock.
- For cleaning, do not use any scouring agents that contain solvents nor corrosive cleaning agents. They may damage the surface.

6.2 Cleaning

1. Clean the appliance daily.
2. Remove the baking left-overs when they are still warm, using a wooden paddle or an appropriate cleaning brush.
3. After cooling down, remove the drip tray from the appliance and empty it.
4. Then wash the drip tray in warm water with a mild cleaning agent.
5. Dry the drip tray thoroughly before re-inserting it in the appliance.
6. Clean the baking trays only when they have cooled down; clean without using water or with a cloth moistened in water.

   ATTENTION!

   Make sure that moisture, oil, nor fat do not enter the appliance. Never wash the appliance in a dishwasher.

   Never immerse the appliance in water or other liquids.

7. Clean the housing with a soft cloth and mild cleaning agent.
8. Wipe all washed surfaces with a clean, damp cloth.
9. Then dry the appliance thoroughly.

6.3 Maintenance

We recommend you to have the appliance serviced at least once a year; if needed, we recommend entering into a service agreement.

7 Possible Malfunctions

The table below contains descriptions of possible causes and solutions to malfunctions or errors during operation of the appliance. The works may only be performed by suitably qualified technical personnel.

When malfunction cannot be removed, contact the technical service. In such a case, provide article number, model and serial number. You will find this information on the rating plate.

Error	Possible Cause	Solution
The appliance is connected to the power supply, switched on, but the digital displays of push/rotary control knobs do not show any values.	Abnormal or interrupted power supply.	Check the power supply and the cable for damage or faults.
	Electric power supply safety fuse damaged.	Check the fuse, connect the appliance to another socket.
	No power supply.	Check the electric power supply.
Appliance is connected to the power supply, switched on, but it does not heat up.	Temperature is not set.	Set the temperature.
	At least one of the heaters is damaged.	Contact the service company.

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8 Disposal

Electrical Appliance

	Electric appliances are marked with this symbol. Electrical appliances must be disposed of and recycled in a correct and environmentally friendly manner. You must not dispose of electric appliances with household waste. Disconnect the appliance from the power supply and remove power cord from the appliance.

Electrical appliances should be returned to designated collection points.

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