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6.5L Sizzle & Stew Digital Slow Cooker

Instruction manual READ AND SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

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## **IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS**

### READ CAREFULLY AND SAVE FOR FUTURE REFERENCE

This appliance can be used by children aged from 8 years and above and persons with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities or lack of experience and knowledge if they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance in a safe way and understand the hazards involved. Children shall not play with the appliance. Cleaning and user maintenance shall not be made by children unless they are older than 8 and supervised. Keep the appliance and its cord out of the reach of children aged less than 8 years.

♠ Parts of the appliance are liable to get hot during use.

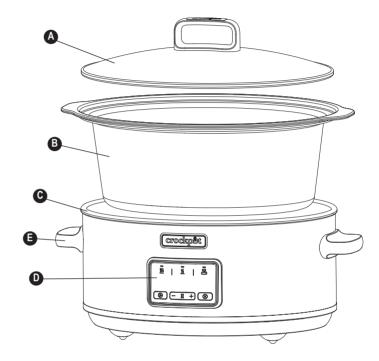
If the supply cord is damaged, it must be replaced by the manufacturer, its service agent or similarly qualified persons in order to avoid a hazard. Never use this appliance for anything other than its intended use. This appliance is for household use only. Do not use this appliance outdoors. Never immerse the heating base, power cord or plug in water or any other liquid.

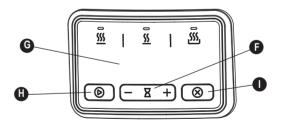
The lid and the aluminium cooking bowl can be washed in the dishwasher or with hot soapy water (See Cleaning Section).

- This appliance generates heat during use. Adequate precaution must be taken to prevent the risk of burns, scalds, fires
  or other damage to persons or property caused whilst in use or during cooling.
- Use oven gloves or a cloth and beware of escaping steam when opening or removing the lid.
- The handles of the cooking bowl may get hot during use, always wear oven gloves or cool down when handling the cooking bowl.
- Always ensure that hands are dry before handling the plug or switching on the appliance.
- Always use the appliance on a stable, secure, dry and level surface.
- The heating base of the appliance must not be placed on or near any potentially hot surfaces (such as a gas or electric hob)
- · Do not use the appliance if it has been dropped, if there are any visible signs of damage or if it is leaking.
- · Ensure the appliance is switched off and unplugged from the supply socket after use and before cleaning.
- · Always allow the appliance to cool before cleaning or storing.
- · Never let the power cord hang over the edge of a worktop, touch hot surfaces or become knotted, trapped or pinched.
- · NEVER attempt to heat any food item directly inside the base unit. Always use the removable aluminium cooking bowl.
- Some surfaces are not designed to withstand the prolonged heat generated by certain appliances. Do not set the
  appliance onto a surface that may be damaged by heat. We recommend placing an insulating pad or trivet under the
  appliance to prevent possible damage to the surface.
- The slow cooker lid is made of tempered glass. Always inspect the lid for chips, cracks or any other damage. Do not use
  the glass lid if it is damaged, as it may shatter during use.

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### **PARTS**





- A Glass lid
- Aluminium cooking bowl with induction safe base
- Heating base
- Control Panel
- Carrying Handles

- Timer buttons
- Time Setting Display
- Start Button
- Cancel Button

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### PREPARING FOR USE

Before you use your Crockpot® slow cooker, remove all packaging and wash the lid and aluminium cooking bowl with warm soapy water and dry thoroughly.

**IMPORTANT NOTES**: Some countertop and table surfaces are not designed to withstand the prolonged heat generated by certain appliances. Do not set the heated unit on a heat sensitive surface. We recommend placing a hot pad or trivet under your slow cooker to prevent possible damage to the surface.

Please use caution when placing your aluminium cooking bowl on a ceramic or smooth glass cook top stove, countertop, table, or other surface. Due to the nature of the aluminium cooking bowl, the rough bottom surface may scratch some surfaces if caution is not used. Always place protective padding or trivet under the aluminium cooking bowl before placing it on a table or countertop.

During initial use of this appliance, some slight smoke or odour may be detected. This is normal with many heating appliances and will not recur after a few uses.

### **HOW TO USE YOUR SLOW COOKER**

- Place the aluminium cooking bowl into the heating base, add your ingredients into the aluminium cooking bowl and
  cover with the lid. You can place the cooking bowl on the hob to sear meat and brown ingredients before slow cooking
  if desired
- 2. Plug in your slow cooker and select the high ((55)) or low ((55)) cooking temperature.
  - **NOTE:** The Warm setting (() is ONLY for keeping food warm that has already been cooked. DO NOT cook on the warm setting. We do not recommend using the warm setting for more than 4 hours.
- 3. Adjust the cooking time using the +/- buttons. The time can be set in increments of 30 minutes up to 20 hours.
- 4. Press the start button (**(b)**) to begin cooking.
- 5. When the cooking time has finished the slow cooker will automatically turn onto the Keep Warm setting.
- 6. To stop cooking, press the cancel button (🔇). To turn your slow cooker off, unplug it from the power socket.

### **USAGE NOTES**

- If desired, you can manually switch to the Warm setting ( ) when your recipe has finished cooking.
- To avoid over or under-cooking, always fill the aluminium cooking bowl ½ to ¾ full and conform to the recommended cooking times.
- Do not overfill the aluminium cooking bowl. To prevent spillover, do not fill the aluminium cooking bowl higher than ¾
  full
- Always cook with the lid on for the recommended time. Do not remove the lid during the first two hours of cooking to allow the heat to build up efficiently.
- We recommend that you use a non-metallic ladle to serve food from the cooking bowl. Don't use a metal utensil as this
  can damage the ceramic coating of the bowl.
- Always wear oven gloves when handling the lid. Beware of escaping steam when opening the lid.
- Unplug when cooking has finished and before cleaning.
- The removable aluminium cooking bowl is ovenproof. The cooking bowl is suitable for use on gas, electric or induction
  hobs. The bowl can be used for searing ingredients on the hob, using a medium heat as the bowl is quick to heat up.
  Searing will be faster than when using a conventional pan. Refer to the chart below.

	Part	Dishwasher safe	Oven safe	Microwave safe	Gas/Electric hob safe	Induction hob safe
	Lid	Yes	No	No	No	No
Alι	uminium cooking bowl	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes

### **GUIDE TO ADAPTING RECIPES**

This guide is designed to help you adapt your own and other recipes for your slow cooker. Many of the normal preparatory steps are unnecessary when using your slow cooker. In most cases all ingredients can go into your slow cooker at once and cook all day. General:

- · Allow sufficient cooking time.
- Always cook with the lid on.
- For best results and to prevent food from drying or burning, always ensure an adequate amount of liquid is used in the
  recipe.

RECIPE TIME	COOK ON LOW (SS)	COOK ON HIGH ( <u>\ssrt{ssr}</u> )	
15 - 30 minutes	4 - 6 hours	1½ - 2 hours	
30 - 45 minutes	6 - 10 hours	3 - 4 hours	
50 minutes - 3 hours	8 - 10 hours	4 - 6 hours	

### PASTA AND RICE:

- For best results, use long grain rice unless the recipe states otherwise. If the rice is not cooked completely after the suggested time, add an extra 1 to 1½ cups of liquid per cup of cooked rice and continue cooking for 20 to 30 minutes.
- For best pasta results, add the pasta to the slow cooker during the last 30 to 60 minutes of cook time.

### BEANS:

- Dried beans, especially red kidney beans, should be boiled before adding to a recipe.
- Fully cooked canned beans may be used as a substitute for dried beans.

### **VEGETABLES:**

- Many vegetables benefit from slow cooking and are able to develop their full flavour. They tend not to overcook in your slow cooker as they might in your oven or on your hob.
- When cooking recipes with vegetables and meat, place vegetables into the aluminium cooking bowl before meat.
   Vegetables usually cook more slowly than meat in the slow cooker and benefit from being partially immersed in the cooking liquid.
- Place vegetables near the sides or bottom of the aluminium cooking bowl to help cooking.

### MILK:

- Milk, cream, and sour cream break down during extended cooking. When possible, add during the last 15 to 30
  minutes of cooking.
- Condensed soups may be substituted for milk and can cook for extended times.

### SOUPS:

Some recipes call for large amounts of water/stock. Add the soup ingredients to the aluminium cooking bowl first then
add water/stock only to cover. If a thinner soup is desired, add more liquid when serving.

### MEATS:

- Trim fat, rinse well, and pat meat dry with paper towels.
- Browning meat beforehand allows fat to be drained off before slow cooking and also adds greater depth of flavour.
   This can be done using the cooking bowl directly on any hob type.
- · Meat should be positioned so that it rests in the aluminium cooking bowl without touching the lid.
- For smaller or larger cuts of meat, alter the amount of vegetables or potatoes so that the aluminium cooking bowl is always ½ to ¾ full.
- The size of the meat and the recommended cook times are just estimates and can vary depending upon the specific
  cut, type, and bone structure. Lean meats such as chicken or pork tenderloin tend to cook faster than meats with more
  connective tissue and fat such as brisket or pork shoulder. Cooking meat on the bone versus boneless will increase
  required cook times.
- Cut meat into smaller pieces when cooking with precooked foods such as beans, or light vegetables such as
  mushrooms, diced onion, aubergine, or finely minced vegetables. This enables all food to cook at the same rate.

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### FISH:

 Fish cooks quickly and should be added at the end of the cooking cycle during the last fifteen minutes to one hour of cooking.

### LIQUID:

It might appear that slow cooker recipes only have a small quantity of liquid in them but the slow cooking process
differs from other cooking methods in that the added liquid in the recipe will almost double during the cooking time. If
you are adapting a recipe for your slow cooker from a conventional recipe, please reduce the amount of liquid before
cooking.

### **CLEANING**

ALWAYS unplug your slow cooker from the electrical outlet, and allow it to cool before cleaning.

CAUTION: Never immerse the heating base, power cord or plug in water or any other liquid.

- The lid and aluminium cooking bowl can be washed in the dishwasher or with hot, soapy water. Do not use abrasive
  cleaning compounds or scouring pads. A cloth, sponge, or rubber spatula will usually remove residue. To remove water
  spots and other stains, use a non-abrasive cleaner or vinegar.
- If the bowl is used on a hob or in a dishwasher the colour may change slightly. This will not affect the overall
  performance of the bowl. Wiping with a soft cloth can help restore the appearance.
- The aluminium cooking bowl and lid will not withstand sudden temperature changes. Do not wash the aluminium cooking bowl or lid with cold water when they are hot.
- The outside of the heating base may be cleaned with a soft cloth and warm, soapy water. Wipe dry. Do not use abrasive cleaners.
- No other servicing should be performed.
- NOTE: After cleaning allow the aluminium cooking bowl to air dry before storing.

### **AFTER SALES SERVICE & REPLACEMENT PARTS**

In the case the appliance does not operate but is under warranty, return the product to the place it was purchased for a replacement. Please be aware that a valid form of proof of purchase will be required. For additional support, please contact our Consumer Service Department at: United Kingdom: 0800 028 7154 | Spain: 0900 81 65 10 | France: 0805 542 055. For all other countries, please call +44 800 028 7154. International rates may apply. Alternatively, e-mail: CrockpotEurope@newellco.com.

### **GUARANTEE**

Please keep your receipt as this will be required for any claims under this guarantee. This appliance is guaranteed for 2 years after your purchase as described in this document.

During this guaranteed period, if in the unlikely event the appliance no longer functions due to a design or manufacturing fault, please take it back to the place of purchase, with your till receipt and a copy of this guarantee.

The rights and benefits under this guarantee are additional to your statutory rights, which are not affected by this guarantee. The exercise of your statutory rights in the event of defects is free of charge.

Only the applicable Newell company set out below ("Newell") has the right to change these terms. Newell undertakes within the guarantee period to repair or replace the appliance, or any part of appliance found to be not working properly free of charge provided that:

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The rights under this guarantee shall only apply to the original purchaser and shall not extend to commercial or communal use.

If your appliance includes a country-specific guarantee or warranty insert please refer to the terms and conditions of such quarantee or warranty in place of this quarantee or contact your local authorized dealer for more information.

Waste electrical products should not be disposed of with household waste. Please recycle where facilities exist. E-mail us at CrockpotEurope@newellco.com for further recycling and WEEE information.

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# **FITTING A PLUG (UK AND IRELAND ONLY)**

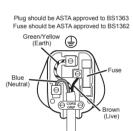
### This appliance must be earthed.

If the plug is not suitable for the socket outlets in your home, it can be removed and replaced by a plug of the correct type.

If the fuse in a moulded plug needs to be changed, the fuse cover must be refitted. The appliance must not be used without the fuse cover fitted.

If the plug fuse requires replacement, a fuse of the same rating as that fitted by the manufacturer must be used. In order to prevent a hazard do not fit a fuse of a lower or higher rating.

If the terminals in the plug are not marked or if you are unsure about the installation of the plug please contact a gualified electrician.



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