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STAND MIXER SAFETY

Your safety and the safety of others are very important.
We have provided many important safety messages in this manual and on your appliance. Always read and obey all safety messages.

This is the safety alert symbol.
This symbol alerts you to potential hazards that can kill or hurt you and others.

All safety messages will follow the safety alert symbol and either the word “DANGER” or “WARNING.” These words mean:

**DANGER**
You can be killed or seriously injured if you don’t immediately follow instructions.

**WARNING**
You can be killed or seriously injured if you don’t follow instructions.

All safety messages will tell you what the potential hazard is, tell you how to reduce the chance of injury, and tell you what can happen if the instructions are not followed.

IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

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

1. Read all instructions. Misuse of appliance may result in personal injury.
2. To protect against risk of electrical shock, do not put Stand Mixer in water or other liquid.
3. 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 hazards involved. Children shall not play with the appliance. Cleaning and user maintenance shall not be made by children without supervision.
4. Unplug Stand Mixer from outlet when not in use, before putting on or taking off parts, and before cleaning.
5. Avoid contact with moving parts. Keep hands, hair, clothing, as well as spatulas and other utensils away from beater during operation to reduce the risk of injury to persons and/or damage to the Stand Mixer.
6. Do not operate Stand Mixer with a damaged cord or plug or after the Stand Mixer malfunctions, or is dropped or damaged in any manner. Return appliance to the nearest Authorized Service Center for examination, repair or electrical or mechanical adjustment.
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7. The use of attachments not recommended or sold by KitchenAid may cause fire, electrical shock, or injury.

8. Do not use the Stand Mixer outdoors.

9. Do not let cord hang over edge of table or counter.

10. Remove flat beater, wire whip, or dough hook from Stand Mixer before washing.

SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS
THIS PRODUCT IS DESIGNED FOR COMMERCIAL USE

Electrical requirements

Volts: 220-240 A.C.
Hertz: 50/60 Hz
Power: 325 W, Recommended operating time: 1-30 minutes with a duty cycle of 10-min. ON/15 min. OFF.

Do not use an extension cord. If the power supply cord is too short, have a qualified electrician or serviceman install an outlet near the appliance.

The wattage rating is determined by using the attachment that draws the greatest load (power). Other recommended attachments may draw significantly less power.

This product is supplied with a Y type power cord. If the power cord is damaged, it must be replaced by the manufacturer or a service agent in order to avoid a hazard.

The acoustic pressure level measured in conformity with the prEN 454-test code is less than 70 dBA.

A * in the model number indicates additional characters that designate machine color and engineering digits for the actual model (e.g., 5KSMC895*).
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PARTS AND FEATURES

- Motor head
- Attachment hub
- Bowl lift lever (not shown)
- Guard
- Beater shaft
- Bowl handle
- Stop switch
- Locating pins
- Bowl support
- 7.6 L (8 qt.) Stainless steel bowl
- Stainless steel flat beater
- Stainless steel spiral dough hook
- 11-wire Stainless steel elliptical whip
- Removable pouring chute
Assembling your Stand Mixer

To attach bowl
1. Turn speed control lever to “0” (OFF).
2. Unplug Stand Mixer or disconnect power.
3. Raise guard.
4. Place bowl lift lever in down position.
5. Fit bowl supports over locating pins.
6. Press down on back of bowl until bowl pin snaps into spring latch.

NOTE: If bowl is not securely snapped into place, the bowl will be unstable and wobble during use.

7. Lower guard.
8. Raise bowl before mixing.

To remove bowl
1. Turn speed control lever to “0” (OFF).
2. Unplug Stand Mixer or disconnect power.
3. Raise guard.
4. Place bowl lift lever in down position.
5. Remove flat beater, wire whip, or dough hook.
6. Grasp bowl handle and lift straight up and off locating pins.

To raise bowl
1. Rotate lever counterclockwise to straight-up position.
2. Bowl must always be in raised, locked position when mixing.
SETTING UP YOUR STAND MIXER

**INSTALLATION:** The Stand Mixer shall be installed on a level and stable surface such as a countertop or work table.

To lower bowl
1. Rotate lever back and down.

To attach flat beater, wire whip, or dough hook
1. Turn speed control lever to “0” (OFF).
2. Unplug Stand Mixer or disconnect power.
3. Raise guard.
4. Slip flat beater on beater shaft and press upward as far as possible.
5. Turn beater to right, hooking beater over the pin on shaft.

To remove flat beater, wire whip, or dough hook
1. Turn speed control lever to “0” (OFF).
2. Unplug Stand Mixer or disconnect power.
3. Raise guard.
4. Press beater upward as far as possible and turn left.
5. Pull beater from beater shaft.

**Speed control lever**

The Soft Start feature minimizes splash-out by starting the Stand Mixer slowly before increasing to the selected speed. To further reduce the potential for splash-out, always begin mixing using Speed 1, then gradually move to higher speeds as needed. See “Speed control guide”.

Removable pouring chute
The removable pouring chute is easily attached to the front of the guard as shown in the illustration above. It provides a convenient way to add ingredients to the Stand Mixer bowl.

Auto-reset motor protection
If the Stand Mixer stops due to overload, slide the speed control lever to “0” (OFF) and unplug the Stand Mixer. After a few minutes, the Stand Mixer will automatically reset. Plug the Stand Mixer back in and slide the speed control lever to the desired speed and continue mixing. If the Stand Mixer does not restart, unplug the Stand Mixer for a longer period of time to allow it to cool, then plug back in and restart the Stand Mixer. If the Stand Mixer does not restart, see “Troubleshooting”.

Stop Switch
If you need to stop the Stand Mixer immediately during use, press the Stop switch. To resume operation, reset the speed control lever to “0” (OFF), and pull out the stop switch. Then, your Stand Mixer is ready to be used normally again.
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Adjusting your beater to bowl clearance

Your Stand Mixer is adjusted at the factory so the flat beater just clears the bottom of the bowl. If, for any reason, the flat beater hits the bottom of the bowl or is too far away from the bowl, you can correct the clearance easily.

1. Turn speed control to “0” (OFF).
2. Unplug Stand Mixer or disconnect power.
3. Raise guard.
4. Lower the bowl to the down position.
5. Turn beater height adjustment screw slightly counter clockwise (left) to raise the flat beater or clockwise (right) to lower the flat beater.
6. Make adjustment with flat beater, so it just clears surface of the bowl. If you over adjust the screw, the bowl lift lever may not lock into place.

NOTE: When properly adjusted, the flat beater will not strike on the bottom or side of the bowl. If the flat beater or the wire whip is so close that it strikes the bottom of the bowl, coating may wear off the flat beater (for coated beaters) or wires on the wire whip may wear. Scraping the sides of the bowl may be necessary under certain conditions regardless of beater adjustment. The Stand Mixer must be stopped to scrape bowl or damage to the Stand Mixer may occur.

USING YOUR STAND MIXER

Using your KitchenAid accessories

Flat Beater for normal to heavy mixtures
(Recommended operating time is 1-10 minutes, depending upon recipe):

- cakes
- creamed frostings
- candies
- cookies
- pie pastry
- biscuits
- quick breads
- meat loaf
- mashed potatoes

Wire Whip for mixtures that need air incorporated
(Recommended operating time is 1-30 minutes, depending upon recipe):

- eggs
- egg whites
- heavy cream
- boiled frostings
- sponge cakes
- angel food cakes
- mayonnaise
- some candies

Dough Hook for mixing and kneading yeast doughs
(Recommended operating time is 1-10 minutes, depending upon recipe):

- breads
- rolls
- coffee cakes
- buns
### USING YOUR STAND MIXER

#### Speed control guide — 10 speed Stand Mixers

All speeds have the Soft Start feature that automatically starts the Stand Mixer at a lower speed to help avoid ingredient splash-out and “flour puff” at start-up, then quickly increases to the selected speed for optimal performance.

<table>
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<th>Speed</th>
<th>Used for</th>
<th>Accessories</th>
<th>Description</th>
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<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>Stirring</td>
<td></td>
<td>For slow stirring, combining, mashing, starting all mixing procedures. Use to add flour and dry ingredients to batter, and add liquids to dry ingredients. Do not use Speed 1 to mix or knead yeast doughs.</td>
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<td>2</td>
<td>Slow Mixing, Kneading</td>
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<td>For slow mixing, mashing, faster stirring. Use to mix and knead yeast doughs, heavy batters, and candies; start mashing potatoes or other vegetables; cut shortening into flour; mix thin or splasy batters.</td>
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<td>4</td>
<td>Mixing, Beating</td>
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<td>For mixing semi-heavy batters, such as cookies. Use to combine sugar and shortening and to add sugar to egg whites for meringues. Medium speed for cake mixes.</td>
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<td>6</td>
<td>Beating, Creaming</td>
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<td>For medium-fast beating (creaming) or whipping. Use to finish mixing cake, doughnut, and other batters. High speed for cake mixes.</td>
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<tr>
<td>8-10</td>
<td>Fast Beating, Whipping, Fast Whipping</td>
<td></td>
<td>For whipping cream, egg whites, and boiled frostings. For whipping small amounts of cream, egg whites or for final whipping of mashed potatoes.</td>
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**NOTE:** Use Speed 2 to mix or knead yeast doughs. Use of any other speed creates high potential for Stand Mixer failure. The PowerKnead Spiral Dough Hook efficiently kneads most yeast dough within 4 minutes.
TIPS FOR GREAT RESULTS

Planetary mixing action

During operation, the flat beater moves around the stationary bowl, at the same time turning in the opposite direction on its own axis.

The diagram shows the complete coverage of the bowl made by the path of the Beater.

Mixing time

Your KitchenAid Mixer will mix faster and more thoroughly than most other electric mixers. Therefore, the mixing time in most recipes must be adjusted to avoid overbeating.

To help determine the ideal mixing time, observe the batter or dough and mix only until it has the desired appearance described in your recipe, such as “smooth and creamy.” To select the best mixing speeds, use the “Speed control guide” section.

Mixer use

⚠️ WARNING

PERSONAL INJURY HAZARD
To avoid personal injury and damage to the beater, do not attempt to scrape bowl while mixer is operating; turn mixer off. Should scraper or other object drop into bowl, turn motor OFF before removing.

Adding Ingredients
Always add ingredients as close to side of bowl as possible, not directly into moving beater. The pouring chute can be used to simplify adding ingredients. Use Speed 1 until ingredients have been blended. Then gradually increase to desired speed.

Adding Nuts, Raisins, or Candied Fruits
Follow individual recipes for guidelines on including these ingredients. In general, solid materials should be folded in the last few seconds of mixing on Speed 1. The batter should be thick enough to keep the fruit or nuts from sinking to the bottom of the pan during baking. Sticky fruits should be dusted with flour for better distribution in the batter.

Liquid Mixtures
Mixtures containing large amounts of liquid ingredients should be mixed at lower speeds to avoid splashing. Increase speed only after mixture has thickened.

NOTE: If ingredients in very bottom of bowl are not thoroughly mixed, then the beater is not far enough into the bowl. See the “Setting up your Stand Mixer” section.
CARE AND CLEANING

WARNING

ELECTRICAL SHOCK HAZARD
ALWAYS BE SURE TO UNPLUG MIXER BEFORE CLEANING TO AVOID POSSIBLE ELECTRICAL SHOCK.

Wipe mixer with a damp cloth. DO NOT IMMERSE IN WATER. Wipe off beater shaft frequently, removing any residue that may accumulate.

TROUBLESHOOTING

WARNING

Electrical Shock Hazard
Unplug before servicing.
Failure to do so can result in death or electrical shock.

Please read the following before calling your service center.

1. The Stand Mixer may warm up during use. Under heavy loads with extended mixing time periods, you may not be able to comfortably touch the top of the unit. This is normal.

2. The Stand Mixer may emit a pungent odor, especially when new. This is common with electric motors.

3. If the flat beater hits the bowl, stop the Stand Mixer. See the “Adjusting your beater to bowl clearance” section.

If your Stand Mixer should malfunction or fail to operate, please check the following:
- Is the Stand Mixer plugged in?
- Is the fuse in the circuit to the Stand Mixer in working order? If you have a circuit breaker box, be sure the circuit is closed.
- Is the stop switch pulled out?
- Turn off the Stand Mixer for 10-15 seconds, then turn it back on. If the Stand Mixer still does not start, allow it to cool for 30 minutes before turning it back on.

The stainless steel bowl, flat beater, wire whip, spiral dough hook, and pouring chute may be washed in an automatic dishwasher. Do not use cleaners with a pH lower than 5. Or, clean them thoroughly in hot sudsy water and rinse completely before drying. Do not store beaters on shaft. The Stand Mixer is not to be cleaned with a water jet or spray hose.