



# **CORDLESS FOOD CHOPPER**

**INSTRUCTION MANUAL** 

## **IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS**

When using electrical appliances especially when children are present, basic safety precautions should always be followed to reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, and/or injury to persons, including the following:

- 1. READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS.
- To protect against fire, electrical shock, or injury to persons DO NOT put charging cord, charger adapter or appliance in water or other liquid.
- 3. This appliance is not intended for use by children or by persons with reduced physical, sensory, or mental capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge. Close supervision is necessary when any appliance is used near children. Children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the appliance.
- 4. Unplug charger adapter from outlet when not in use, before putting on or taking off parts and before cleaning. To unplug, grasp the charger adapter and pull from the outlet. Never pull from the charging cord.
- 5. Avoid contacting moving parts.
- Do not operate or charge the appliance with a damaged charging cord or charger adapter, or after the appliance malfunctions, or is dropped or damaged in any manner. Contact the manufacturer at their customer service telephone number for information on examination, repair, or adjustment.
- 7. The use of attachments not recommended or sold by the appliance manufacturer may cause fire, electric shock or injury.
- Do not use outdoors.
- 9. Do not let charging cord hang over edge of table or counter or touch hot surfaces.
- 10. Do not place on or near a hot gas or electric burner, or in a heated oven.
- 11. Keep hands and utensils out of the container while chopping to prevent the possibility of severe injury to persons or damage to the unit. A scraper may be used but must be used only when the unit is not running.
- 12. Never add to container while appliance is operating.
- 13. To turn the motor housing unit off, release the speed buttons (HI or LOW) located on the top of the unit.
- 14. To reduce the risk of injury with the unit, never place the chopping blade into the motor housing unit. Place the chopping blade into the glass chopping bowl and then assemble chopper collar and then motor housing unit onto the chopping bowl.
- 15. Container must be properly in place before operating the appliance.
- 16. Blades are sharp, are not locked in place and are removable. Handle with care. When handling blades, always hold by the shaft. To avoid a risk of injury, carefully remove the blades before pouring out food contents.

- 17. Do not use an extension cord. Plug charger directly into an electric outlet. Use only with the charger provided with the appliance. Do not attempt to use this charger with any other product. Likewise, do not attempt to charge this appliance with any other charger. Do not use appliance for other than intended use.
- 18. Do not incinerate this appliance even if it is severely damaged. The batteries can explode in a fire.
- 19. Do not use appliance for other than intended use.

## SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

This appliance is for HOUSEHOLD USE ONLY.

The charger may be plugged into an AC electrical outlet (ordinary household current). Do not use any other electrical outlet.

DO NOT USE THE USB CHARGER IF THE LINE CORD OR PLUG SHOWS ANY DAMAGE

Only use Tru Model P12DUSB050200 US charger (Input:100-240VAC, 50/60Hz, 0.3A, Output:5.0VDC, 2.0A) to charge the chopper Model RC-300MC. Do not attempt to charge the motor housing unit with any other charger.

#### CHARGER / USB CORD SAFETY TIPS

- 1. Never pull or yank on charging cord.
- 2. To insert the charger adapter, grasp it firmly and guide it into outlet.
- 3. To disconnect, grasp charger and remove it from outlet. Do not pull on the cord.
- 4. Before each charging, inspect the charging cord for cuts and/or abrasion marks. If any are found, this indicates that the charging cord should be replaced.
- Never wrap the cord tightly around the appliance, as this could place undue stress on the cord where it enters the charger adapter or charging port on the appliance and cause it to fray and break.

#### CORDLESS CHOPPER FEATURES

- 1. High capacity lithium/ion battery
- 2. Light, quiet, convenient and easy to clean
- 3. Easy to charge
- 4. 2 Operation Speeds
- 5. Stainless steel high speed cutting blade
- 6. Glass chopping bowl with storage lid
- 7. Non-skid trivet

#### **PRODUCT COMPONENTS**



- 1. GLASS CHOPPING BOWL
- 5. CHARGER ADAPTER
- 9. HI/LOW SPEED BUTTONS

- 2. CHOPPING BLADE
- 6. NON-SKID TRIVET

- **3**. CHARGING CORD
- 7. MOTOR HOUSING
- **10**. CHOPPER STORAGE LID (NOT PICTURED

- **4**. CHOPPER COLLAP
- **8.** POWER/CHARGE LIGHTS

#### PREPARING FOR USE

- 1. Carefully unpack the motor housing unit and all parts. Remove any tape, labels or packaging materials.
- 2. Wash all product pieces carefully except for the motor housing unit with warm, soapy water. Rinse and dry thoroughly.
- Wipe exterior surfaces of the motor housing with a soft, moist cloth to remove dust particles collected during packing and handling. NEVER IMMERSE THE MOTOR HOUSING, CHARGING CORD OR CHARGER ADAPTER IN WATER OR ANY OTHER LIQUID.
- 4. Be sure all parts are properly assembled and in place before use.

### **HOW TO CHARGE**

- 1. Open the charging port on the motor housing. Attach micro end of charging cord to the motor housing.
- 2. Attach the USB connector (larger end) on the charging cord to the charger adapter.
- 3. Plug the charger adapter into the wall outlet.
- 4. Indicator lights will flash while charging. The lights will stop flashing once the unit is fully charged. See Indicator Light section for details. Note: The unit is shipped with approximately 30% charge in the batteries. One or two lights will be illuminated during use. The unit will operate properly without charging. It is recommended to fully charge before first use for best performance.
- 5. It will take approximately 5 hours to fully charge the unit.

#### **ASSEMBLING THE CHOPPER**

Hold the chopper blade by the shaft and push onto the metal shaft in the bottom of the chopping bowl until secure. Align the U-shape openings on the chopper collar with the U shapes in the chopping bowl and push in place. Align the pins in the chopper collar with the small openings in the motor housing and place the motor housing onto the chopper collar. The motor housing should fit flush with no gaps.

## **HOW TO USE**

This chopper can also be used just like a normal chopper but without the cord!

1. Place chopping blade onto metal shaft in the bottom of the chopping bowl.

- 2. Place the chopping bowl on the non-skid trivet on a level table top surface (see Figure A)
- 3. Place food to be chopped into the bowl. Do not overfill.
- 4. Place the chopper collar and motor housing onto the bowl. The lights will flash on to indicate the unit is ready to use.
- 5. Press the I (low) or II (high) speed button on top of the motor housing.
- 6. Allow the chopper to work through the chopping process. Do not shake or move the chopper while operating.
- 7. When chopping has finished, release the speed button and the unit will stop.
- 8. Ensure the blade has completely stopped before removing the motor housing and chopper collar.
- 9. Remove the chopping blade by grasping the shaft firmly and lift up. Be careful, the blades are sharp!
- 10. After the chopping blade has been removed the ingredients can be removed from the chopping bowl.
- 11. Do not use the chopper for longer than 1 minute continuously. After 1 minute of continuous use, the unit may become over-heated. Allow the unit to rest for at least 5 min before resuming use.
- 12. The lights will extinguish as the battery life reduces. A fully charged unit will show all three lights. When only the lowest light is illuminated and flashing, this incidates that the unit needs to be charged.

If food becomes lodged around the blender blade or chopping blade during use:

- 1. Release the speed button and wait for the blades to stop.
- Remove the motor housing and collar.
- 3. Use a spatula to carefully dislodge the food. Do not use fingers as the blades are sharp.
- 4. After the food has been removed and blades are clear, reassemble the collar and motor housing and continue use.



Figure A

#### **INDICATOR LIGHTS**

The motor housing indicator lights provide feedback for different situations.

## **Battery Life During Use:**

As the motor housing is used and the battery begins to drain during performance, the indicator lights will extinguish in sequence from the top to the bottom to indicate how much battery capacity is left.

66% to 100% of capacity: Lights 1, 2 and 3 will all be illuminated

33% to 65% of capacity: Lights 1 & 2 will be illuminated

20% to 32% of capacity: Light 1 will be illuminated

If < 20% of capacity: Light 1 flashes and the unit needs to be charged

## **Charging Indication:**

Indicator lights will also provide feedback during the charging process:

If battery capacity is less than 33%, Lights 1, 2 and 3 will flash while charging.

If battery capacity is within 33%-65%, Light 1 will illuminate solid and Lights 2 and 3 will flash.

If battery capacity is within 66%-99%, Lights 1 and 2 will illuminate solid and only Light 3 will flash.

If battery capacity is greater than 99%, Lights 1, 2 and 3 will illuminate solid.

## Overloading Indication:

Note: The motor housing has an automatic protection system that will not allow overloading. If the load is too large, the unit will automatically shut off. If the unit senses an overload situation, all 3 lights will flash 5 times and the unit will turn Off. Release the speed button and the lights will turn off. Reduce the load on the blender or the chopper, allow it to rest for more than 15 minutes and then resume use. Do not attempt to charge the unit when it indicates an overload situation. Allow the unit to rest for 15 minutes before charging the unit.

Do not expose a battery pack or appliance to fire or excessive heat. Exposure to fire or temperatures above 265°F/130°C may cause an explosion.

#### **USER MAINTENANCE INSTRUCTIONS**

This appliance contains no user serviceable parts. Do not try to repair it yourself. Have servicing performed by a qualified repair person using only identical replacement parts. This will ensure that the safety of the product is maintained.

Dispose of the appliance at the end of its life span according to local environmental considerations and requirements.

#### TO CLEAN:

**NOTE: DO NOT PUT MOTOR HOUSING OR CHOPPER COLLAR IN DISHWASHER.** Wipe motor housing and chopper collar dry or allow to air dry before storing. Do not use abrasive cleaners or steel wool.

**NEVER IMMERSE MOTOR HOUSING, CHARGER ADAPTER OR CHARGING CORD IN WATER OR ANY OTHER LIQUID.** Do not place motor housing or chopper collar in dishwasher. The chopping blade, blender blade, chopping bowl, blender jar, blender collar and lids can be placed in the dishwasher. Do not use abrasive cleaners or steel wool.

#### TO STORE:

- Be sure all parts are clean and dry before storing. Never store it while it is wet.
- The unit can be stored for up to 3 months with a fully charged state. If storing for longer than 3 months the unit should be charged before next use.
- Store in a dry area in an ambient temperature of 40°F to 95°F.

#### ONE YEAR LIMITED WARRANTY

SELECT BRANDS, INC. warrants, subject to the conditions stated below, that from the date of purchase, this product will be free from mechanical defects for a period of one (1) year. SELECT BRANDS, INC., at its option, will repair or replace this product found to be defective during the warranty period. Should this product become defective by reason of improper workmanship or material defect during the specified warranty period, Select Brands, Inc. will repair or replace the same effecting all necessary parts replacements for a period of one year from the date of purchase.

Transportation charges on parts, or products in whole, submitted for repair or replacement, under this warranty, must be borne by the purchaser.

CONDITIONS: This warranty is valid for the original retail purchaser from the date of initial retail purchase and is not transferable. This warranty does not apply to product sold by third party resellers. Keep the original sales receipt. Proof of purchase is required to obtain warranty service or replacement. Dealers, service centers, or retail stores do not have the right to alter, modify or in any way, change the terms and conditions of this warranty.

Warranty registration is not necessary to obtain warranty on Select Brands, Inc. products. Save your proof of purchase receipt.

ABOUT YOUR PRODUCT WARRANTY: Most warranty repairs are handled routinely, but sometimes requests for warranty service may not be appropriate. For example, warranty service would NOT apply if the product damage occurred because of misuse, lack of routine maintenance, shipping, handling, warehousing or improper installation. Similarly, the warranty is void if the manufacturing date or the serial number on the product has been removed or the equipment has been altered or modified. During the warranty period, the authorized service dealer, at its option, will repair or replace any part that, upon examination, is found to be defective under normal use and service.

NORMAL WEAR: This warranty does not cover normal wear of parts or damage resulting from any of the following: Negligent use or misuse of the product; Improper voltage or current; Use contrary to the operation instructions; Deviation from instructions regarding storage and transportation; Repair or alteration by anyone other than SELECT BRANDS, INC. or an authorized service center. Further, the warranty does not cover Acts of God, such as fire, flood, hurricanes and tornadoes.

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