



# INSTRUCTION MANUAL

## **TWO SLICE STAINLESS STEEL TOASTER**

Item# 1501

Model # TO-6812



**PLEASE READ AND SAVE ALL INSTRUCTIONS TO ENSURE SAFE AND  
EFFECTIVE USE OF THIS APPLIANCE**

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# IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

When using electrical appliances, especially when children are present, basic safety precautions should always be followed including the following:

**1. READ AND SAVE ALL INSTRUCTIONS.**

2. Do not touch hot surfaces. Use handles or knobs.
3. To protect against electrical shock do not immerse cord, plugs, in water or other liquid.
4. Close supervision is necessary when any appliance is used by or near children.
5. Unplug from outlet when not in use and before cleaning. Allow to cool before putting on or taking off parts.
6. Do not operate any appliance with a damaged cord or plug or after the appliance malfunctions or has been damaged in any manner. Return appliance to the nearest authorized service facility for examination, repair, or adjustment.
7. The use of accessory attachments is not recommended by the appliance manufacturer may cause injuries.
8. Do not use outdoors.
9. Do not let 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. Extreme caution must be used when moving an appliance containing hot oil or other hot liquids.
12. Always attach plug to appliance first, then plug cord into the wall outlet. To disconnect, turn any control to "off", then remove plug from wall outlet.
13. Do not use appliance for other than intended use.
14. Oversize foods, metal foil packages, or utensils must not be inserted in a toaster as they may involve a risk of fire or electric shock.
15. A fire may occur if toasters are covered or touching flammable material, including curtains, draperies, walls, and the like, when in operation.
16. Do not attempt to dislodge food when toaster is plugged in.
17. The appliance is exclusive for the use which it has been expressed by the manufacturer. Any other use is to be considered inappropriate and therefore dangerous. The manufacturer cannot be held responsible for eventual damage caused by inappropriate, improper or irresponsible use and/or for repairs made to the product by unauthorized personnel.
18. After having removed the appliance from the packaging, make sure that the product is complete and in perfect condition.
19. The plastic bag in which the appliance was packaged should be kept out of reach of children as it poses a suffocation hazard. In order to remove the dust that may have accumulated on the appliance, simply dust it off with a soft cloth.
20. Before inserting the plug into the electrical outlet, make certain the voltage of the outlet corresponds to the value indicated on the information label, attached to the appliance.
21. The use of an extension cord is not recommended as overheating of the extension cord may occur during the operation of toaster.
22. When the appliance is plugged into the electrical outlet, and moreover, while it is turned on, never place hands into the bread toasting slots.

23. Do not touch the appliance with wet or damp hands.
24. The metal sides of the toaster and the areas surrounding the bread slots become very hot during use: operating the appliance should be carried out using only the plastic dials and handles.
25. Bread is a food which may catch fire. Do not use this appliance under or next to curtains or other combustible material.
26. Never re-toast the same piece of bread at the same setting. If you wish to re-toast the bread, set the toasting control dial to a lower setting and do not leave the toaster unattended. Failure to do so may result in a fire hazard.
27. Do not cover the appliance while it is in use.
28. Unplug the appliance from the electrical outlet when it is not in use.
29. Do not unplug the appliance from the outlet by pulling on the cord.
30. Do not leave the appliance exposed to the elements, rain, direct sunlight, frost, etc.).
31. Before doing any cleaning or operation, unplug the appliance from the electrical outlet.
32. Do not immerse the appliance, the plug, or the electrical cord in water.

**SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS!**

## GENERAL SAFETY RULES



**WARNING!** Read and understand all instructions. Failure to follow all instructions listed below may result in electric shock, fire or serious personal injury. The warnings, cautions, and instruction discussed in this instruction manual cannot cover all possible conditions and situations that may occur. It must be understood by the operator that common sense and caution are a factor which cannot be built into this product, but must be supplied by the operator.

## READ AND SAVE ALL INSTRUCTIONS!

**CAUTION:** A short power supply cord is provided to reduce the risk of personal injury resulting from becoming entangled in or tripping over a longer cord. Extension cords are available from local hardware stores and may be used if care is exercised in their use. If an extension cord is required, special care and caution is necessary. Also the cord must be: (1) marked with an electrical rating of 125 V and at least 13 A., 1625 W., and (2) the cord must be arranged so that it will not drape over the countertop or tabletop where it can be pulled on by children or tripped over accidentally.

### ELECTRIC POWER

If electric circuit is overloaded with other appliances, your appliances may not operate properly. The appliances should be operated on a separate electrical circuit from other operating appliances.

### POLARIZED PLUG

This appliance has a polarized plug (one blade is wider than the other). As a safety feature to reduce the risk of electrical shock, this plug is intended to fit in a polarized outlet only one way. If the plug does not fit fully in the outlet, reverse the plug. If it still does not fit, contact a qualified electrician. Do not attempt to defeat this safety feature.

## SAFETY WARNING



Although your appliance is easy to operate, for your safety, the below warnings must be followed:

1. Do not place the appliance near a heat source.
2. Never leave the appliance unattended while connected to the electrical outlet.
3. To avoid any accidental burns, never put a hand over a steam vent or cover when the appliance is in operation. Always use lid handle.
4. Use the appliance on a stable work surface away from water.
5. Do not unplug the socket by pulling on the supply cord.
6. The appliance must be unplugged:
  - A. Before either filling or emptying
  - B. Before any cleaning or maintenance
  - C. After use
  - D. If it appears to be faulty

THIS PRODUCT IS INTENDED FOR HOUSEHOLD USE ONLY.

## LIST OF MAIN PARTS

1. Control lever
2. Variable browning control dial
3. Defrost button
4. Defrost light
5. Cancel button
6. Power-on light
7. Reheat button
8. Reheat light
9. Variable width toasting slots
10. Slide out crumb tray



## TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS:

Model Number	TO-6812
Rating Voltage	120 Volts
Nominal power	850 Watt

## CONTENTS OF PACKAGING

1. Toaster
2. Instruction Manual

If any of the above items are missing, please contact our service department at 1-888-367-7373 (<http://wwwk.wk-usa.com>) for replacement.

## BEFORE THE FIRST USE

**The first time you use the toaster, you should do so without bread.** This will pre-heat the new element and burn off any dust collected during the storage process. If your toaster is not plugged in and switched on, the control lever (1) will not lock in the down position.

## OPERATION

### INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

1. Ensure control lever (1) is raised.
2. Plug into a suitable outlet and turn the power on.
3. Place up to two slices of bread into toasting slots (9).
4. Turn the variable browning control dial (2) to desired setting (1=lightest, 7=darkest).
5. Press down control lever (1) until it locks. The "Power-On Light" (6) will remain on while toasting.
6. Once the chosen level of browning has been reached, the toast will automatically rise ready for removal from the slots (9).
7. If the first slices are not browned sufficiently, select a higher setting next time.

#### Using the Defrost Button

1. To toast frozen bread, place in the toasting slots (9).
2. Press down control lever (1) until it locks.
3. Press the "Defrost Button" (3) the "Defrost Light" (4) will remain on while the defrost function is in use, and toasting time will be automatically extended.

#### Using the Cancel Button

Should you want to interrupt the toasting process, simply press the Cancel button (5) at anytime.

#### Using the Reheating Button:

1. To reheat cooled bread, place in the toasting slots (9).
2. Press down control lever (1) until it locks.
3. Press the "Reheat Button" (7) the "Reheat Light" (8) will remain on while the reheat function is in use, and bread will be automatically reheated.

#### Crumb tray

The crumb tray (10) should be emptied regularly as a build-up of crumbs could be a potential fire hazard. After toasting, allow the toaster to cool down thoroughly, then slide out the crumb tray (10) and empty.

#### Note:

The toasting slots (9) allow you to use a variety of different bread widths, as well as muffins, tea cakes, crumpets and bagels. However, you should not force items into the slots which are clearly too large. If an item does become jammed, switch toaster off and unplug from outlet immediately. Once cooled, turn toaster upside down and gently shake to remove the lodged item. Do not insert sharp objects such as knives, as this may damage the heating element.



## MAINTENANCE

### CAUTION:

Always be sure that the appliance is switched OFF before cleaning or attempting to store the item. **Never immerse the appliance in water or running water.**

### CLEANING

- Before cleaning: switch off, remove plug from outlet and allow to cool.
- To clean the inside, turn toaster upside down over the sink and gently shake
- Empty crumb tray regularly.
- Use a soft dampened cloth to wipe the outside of the toaster and dry with a soft, dry cloth.

**DO NOT** use metal polish.

**DO NOT** use abrasive powders, hard abrasive scourer or wire wool.

**DO NOT** immerse your toaster in any form of liquid.

**DO NOT** use any sharp or pointed articles for cleaning the inside as this will damage the heating element.

**NEVER** put metal objects or your fingers into the toasting slots. If an item does become jammed, switch toaster off and unplug from outlet immediately. Once cooled, turn toaster upside down and gently shake to remove the lodged item.

### STORING

Allow the appliance to cool completely before storing. Store the appliance in a dry location. Do not place any heavy items on top of appliance during storage as this may result in possible damage of appliance.

## TROUBLESHOOTING

- To remove smaller items such as muffins, crumpets and bagels, the control lever (1) can be lifted approximately ½ inch above the starting position.
- To achieve even browning, we suggest a minimum of 10 seconds between each toasting to allow the control to automatically reset.
- For best results use bread slices of even thickness, size and freshness. Select a lower setting:
  - a) If using stale bread (toasts more quickly than fresh bread)
  - b) If using thin bread (toasts more quickly than thick bread)

## SERVICE CENTER

If you have any question in regards to the operation of this appliance or are in need of a spare part please contact our service center at:

Wachsmuth & Krogmann, Inc.

Tel: 1-888-367-7373

(Business hours Mon-Fri 9:00am - 4:00pm CT)

Website: <http://www.wk-usa.com>



## LIMITED WARRANTY

Thank you for purchasing a top quality **Crofton** product. This **Two-Slice Toaster Item #1501** was tested and meets our stringent quality standards. This product is warranted to be free from manufacturing defects in original materials, including original parts, and workmanship until **February 13<sup>th</sup>, 2006** or 1 year with proof of purchase.

The warranty is void if the defect is due to accidental damage, misuse, abuse, neglect, improper repair or alteration by unauthorized persons or failure to follow operation instructions provided with the product. This warranty does not apply to commercial use.

The warranty is non-transferable and applies only to the original purchase and does not extend to subsequent owners of the product. Liability under this warranty is limited to repair, replacement or refund. In no event shall liability exceed the purchase price paid by the purchaser of the product. Under no circumstances shall there be liability for any loss, direct, indirect, incidental, special or consequential damage arising out of in connection with use of this product. This warranty is valid only in the United States of America. This Warranty gives you specific legal rights. However you may have other rights that vary from state to state. Some states do not allow limitation on implied warranties or exclusion of consequential damages therefore these restrictions may not apply to you.

In case you find the product to be defective please send it within the warranty period to our service center. To avoid transport damages please send the product in the original packaging. In return you will either receive your repaired item, a new product or a refund. Please fill out the Warranty Card and send it together with the product and purchase receipt

To arrange pick-up of the defective item please call our service center:

**Wachsmuth & Krogmann Inc.**

**Tel: 1-888-367-7373 (Business hours Mon-Fri 9:00am-4:00 pm CT)**

**Website: <http://www.wk-usa.com>**

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**WARRANTY INFORMATION**

# WARRANTY CARD



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Please fill in your details below and send it together with the product and purchase receipt. Please read the Limited Warranty conditions mentioned in this instruction manual.

Customer Name	
Street	
City	
State	
ZIP Code	
Purchase Date	
Description of Defect :	

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WARRANTY CARD

PLEASE DETACH THIS SECTION AND RETURN IT WITH YOUR PRODUCT

