

Econo 8

Instruction Manual

Model No. 2388, 2388EX



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SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

	<p>▲ DANGER</p> <p>Machine must be properly grounded to prevent electrical shock to personnel. Do NOT immerse the kettle, warmer, or any other part of this equipment in water. Always unplug the equipment before cleaning or servicing.</p>
	<p>▲ WARNING</p> <p>Any alterations to this equipment will void the warranty and may cause a dangerous situation. NEVER make alterations to the equipment. Make sure all machine switches are in the OFF position before plugging the equipment into a receptacle.</p>
	<p>▲ WARNING</p> <p>To avoid serious burns, do NOT touch the kettle while it is hot.</p>
	<p>▲ WARNING</p> <p>Always wear safety glasses when servicing this equipment.</p>
	<p>▲ CAUTION</p> <p>This equipment is designed and sold for commercial use only. This equipment is not to be used by the consumer in home use. Do not allow direct contact of this equipment by the public when used in food service locations. Only personnel trained and experienced in the equipment operation may operate this equipment. Carefully read all installation instructions before operating the equipment.</p>

NOTE

The information, specifications and illustrations contained in this manual represent the latest data available at time of publication. Right is reserved to make changes as required at the discretion of Gold Medal Products Company without notice.



INSTALLATION AND OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

CHECKING SHIPMENT

Unpack all cartons and check thoroughly for any damage which might have occurred in transit. Damage claims should be filed immediately with the transportation company.

ELECTRICAL REQUIREMENTS

2388: 120V, 60Hz, 1525W
2388EX: 230V, 50Hz, 1525W

If in doubt, your electrician must furnish sufficient power for proper machine operation. We recommend this popper be on a dedicated and protected circuit. Failure to wire properly will void the warranty and may result in damage to the machine. It is Gold Medal® Products Company's recommendation that this machine be plugged directly into a wall outlet. The use of extension cords is not recommended due to safety concerns, and may cause sacrificed and/or reduced performance.



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INSTALLATION

Your *Econo 8 Popper* was adjusted, inspected, and tested before it left the factory. Remove all packing before setting up your new *Econo 8*. Hang the kettle on the hanger assembly attached to the ceiling of your *Econo 8*. Finally, make sure to plug the power cord into the power receptacle located on the ceiling of your popper.

CONTROLS AND THEIR FUNCTIONS

LIGHT AND WARMER SWITCH – Turns on the heat to the bottom corn pan and heat light.

KETTLE MOTOR SWITCH – Turns on the motor which drives kettle agitator shaft.

KETTLE HEAT SWITCH – Turns on the heat element.



AMOUNT OF POPCORN AND OIL

Your new *Econo 8* is equipped with a *corn measuring cup* (Part No.47147).

Corn charge – 8 oz.

Oil charge – 2.4 oz.

Flavacol – 1 1/2 teaspoon

POPPING INSTRUCTIONS

1. Turn *Kettle Heat* and *Kettle Motor* switch on.
2. Make a test pop by putting 3 kernels of corn and 1 oz. (30 ml) of oil into the kettle.
3. When the 3 kernels have popped, load the kettle with corn and oil charge.
4. When corn has popped, dump the kettle.
5. Repeat cycle starting with step number 3 above; always pop 3-5 batches for best popcorn.

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CARE AND CLEANING

KETTLE

1. Each time you finish a series of popping, allow the kettle to cool down and wipe the outside of the kettle with a soft cloth to remove any oil drippings left behind.
2. After you finish popping for the day, allow the kettle to cool until it is not too hot to handle, but still warm.
3. Unplug the kettle and remove it from the machine.
4. With a cloth, wipe out the inside of the kettle, kettle lid, crossbar, outside and underneath of the kettle.

NOTE: DO NOT soak the kettle in water. This will cause damage to the electrical components and will void your warranty.

CABINET

Cleaning the cabinet of your machine is easy. Take a clean cloth and wipe excess grease from the glass. Wipe the outside of the machine also.

NOTE: Never use a glass or plastic cleaner that contains ammonia. It will crack the plastic on the machine.



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MAINTENANCE INSTRUCTIONS



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▲ WARNING

Adequate eye protection must be used when servicing this equipment to prevent the possibility of injury.



▲ CAUTION

THE FOLLOWING SECTIONS OF THIS MANUAL ARE INTENDED ONLY FOR QUALIFIED SERVICE PERSONNEL WHO ARE FAMILIAR WITH ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT. THESE ARE NOT INTENDED FOR THE OPERATOR.



ORDERING SPARE PARTS

1. Identify the worn or broken part by checking it with the illustrations and parts list.
2. When ordering parts, include part number, part name, and quantity required.
3. Include your model name and machine serial number (found on nameplate) with your order.
4. Address orders to:

Parts Department
 Gold Medal® Products Co.
 10700 Medallion Drive
 Cincinnati, Ohio 45241-4807

Or place orders at:

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 (513) 769-7676
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