#### LIMITED WARRANTY\* ONE (1) YEAR:

Your small kitchen appliance is built with precision, inspected and tested before leaving our factory. It is warranted, to the original purchaser to be free from any manufacturing defects under normal use and conditions for one (1) year, cord excluded. During that period, should the appliance fail to operate properly, return the appliance with your sales receipt to the store where purchased. If you use your appliance for household use and according to instructions, it should give you years of satisfactory service. This product warranty covers only the <u>original</u> consumer purchaser of the product.

### WARRANTY IS ONLY VALID WITH A DATED PROOF OF PURCHASE.

During the one-year warranty period, a product with a defect will be either repaired or replaced with a reconditioned comparable model (at our option) when the product is returned to our Service Center. (See the "Returns" section below). The repaired or replacement product will be in warranty for the remaining balance of the one-year warranty period and an additional one-month period.

### This limited warranty covers appliances purchased and used within the 48 contiguous states plus the District of Columbia and does NOT cover:

- Damages caused by unreasonable use, neglect, normal wear and tear, commercial use, improper assembly or installation of product.
- Damages caused in shipping.
- Damages caused by replacement or resetting of house fuses or circuit breakers.
- Defects other than manufacturing defects.
- Breakage caused by misuse, abuse, accident, alteration, lack of proper care and maintenance, or incorrect current or voltage.
- Lost or missing parts of the product. Parts will need to be purchased separately.
- Damages of parts that are not electrical; for example: cracked or broken plastic or glass.
- Damage from service or repair by unauthorized personnel.
- Extended warranties purchased via a separate company or reseller.
- Consumer's remorse is not an acceptable reason to return a product to our Service Center.
- \*The consumer is responsible for any delivery charges for all replacement units provided for exchange under the warranty.

RETURNS: Any return of defective merchandise to the manufacturer must be processed accordingly by contacting customer service first to obtain an RA # (Return Authorization Number). We will not accept any returns of merchandise without an applicable RA #. We cannot assume responsibility for loss or damages to products returned to us during incoming shipment. For your protection, always carefully package the product for shipment and insure it with the carrier. Be sure to enclose the following items with your return: any accessories related to the problem, your full address and daytime phone number, a note describing the problem, a copy of the dated sales receipt or other proof of purchase and a valid RA#. C.O.D shipments cannot be accepted.

\*One Year Limited Warranty valid only in the **48 contiguous states plus the District of Columbia**, **excluding** Alaska, Hawaii, Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands.

This warranty is effective only if the product is purchased and operated in the USA; product usage which is in violation of the written instructions provided with the unit will void this warranty. For international warranty, please contact the local distributor.

\*\*Any instruction or policy included in this manual may be subject to change at any time.

Model DRC-1000B

**Multifunction Stainless Steel 10 Cup Rice Cooker** 

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INSTRUCTION MANUAL

# **IMPORTANT SAFE GUARDS**

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

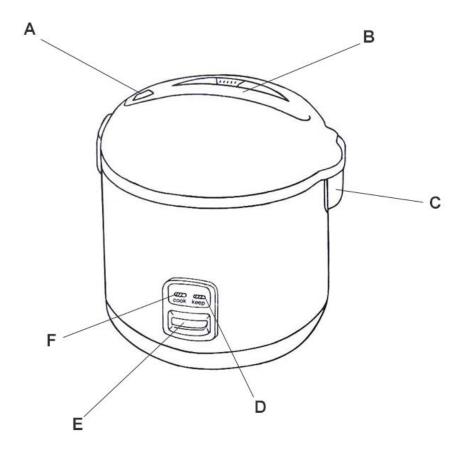
- 1. Read all instructions before operating.
- 2. Do not touch hot surfaces. Use handles or knobs.
- Remove all packaging plastics and other materials from unit before operating.
- 4. Wash all removable accessories before using for the first time.
- 5. Unit should be turned on to MAX temperature for 10 minutes for the first time to burn off any access manufacturing or packaging oils.
- To protect against electrical shock, do not immerse cord, plug or appliance itself in water or other liquids.
- 7. Close supervision is necessary when appliance is used by or near children.
- 8. Unplug from outlet when not in use and before cleaning. Allow to cool before putting on or taking off parts.
- 9. Do not operate any appliance with a damaged cord or plug or after the appliance malfunctions or has been damaged in any manner. Return the appliance to the nearest authorized service facility for examination, repair or adjustment.
- 10. The use of accessory attachments not recommended by the appliance manufacturer may cause injuries.
- 11. Do not use outdoors.
- 12. Do not let cord hang over edge of table or counter or touch hot surfaces.
- Power cord should always be plugged into the appliance first before plugging into a wall outlet.
- 14. Do not place on or near a hot gas or electric burner, or in a heated oven.
- 15. Always attach plug to appliance first, then plug cord into wall outlet. To disconnect, turn any control to OFF position, then remove plug from wall outlet.
- Oversized foods or metal utensils must not be inserted in the appliance as they may cause a fire or risk of electrical shock.
- 17. A fire may occur if the appliance is covered or touching flammable material including curtains, draperies, walls and the like when in operation.
- 18. Do not clean with metal scouring pads. Pieces can break off the pad and touch electrical parts, involving a risk of electrical shock.
- Extreme caution should be exercised when using containers constructed of other material other than metal or glass.
- Do not store any materials other than manufacturer's recommended accessories in this oven when not in use.
- 21. Do not place any of the following materials in the oven: Paper, cardboard, plastic and the like.
- 22. Do not use appliance for other than intended use."

### **SAVE THESE INTRUCTIONS**

### THIS PRODUCT IS FOR HOUSEHOLD USE ONLY!

Please read through all instructions carefully before operation and be sure to keep the manual in a safe place for future reference.

### PARTS DESCRIPTIONS



- A) POP UP LID SWITCH
- B) COVER HANDLE
- C) STEAM COLLECTING RESERVOIR
- D) KEEP WARM INDICATOR LIGHT
- E) ON/OFF SWITCH
- F) COOK INDICATOR LIGHT

**NOTE**: The multifunction automatic electric rice cooker is especially designed that the cooking button can not be switched to ON unless the inner cooking pot is in place.

### **OPERATING DIRECTIONS**

- Measure desired amount of rice with rice cup and pour into a separate bowl or container for washing.
  - Measure rice with rice cup which contains 0.18L
  - Wash rice in other container, otherwise the fluorinated protective layer on the inner cooker would be damaged and the bottom would be deformed, which lead to malfunction.
  - If you steep the rice in the water for approximately 30 minutes before cooking, this will allow the rice to cook evenly and come out fluffy.
- 2) Pour the rice into the inner cooker and add water into the inner cooker according to the level markings in cups or rice capacity (L). Desired level depends on the rice quality and taste preference. **TIP:** Add rice first, then add water until it rises above the rice by 1". For brown rice, rise above 1-1/2".
- 3) Put the inner cooker into the main body of the rice cooker.
  - a. Wipe off any access water that may have dripped onto the outer surface of the inner cooker, thermostat or heater.
  - Gently rotate the inner cooker left and right inside the main body for better contact between inner cooker and heater.
  - c. Do not let the rice pile over the edges and dips down in the center. Make sure that it spreads evenly on the bottom and the surface to avoid any bad cooking results of half-cooked rice.
- 4) Shut and click the outer cover after position the inner cooker. Make sure that the clip hold of inner cover and the outer cover clip is clicked shut and then close tight the cover.
- 5) Plug the power cable to a power outlet only when rice is ready to be cooked. Push the cooking switch down immediately to start the cooking process. If the power cable is left unplugged when the cooking switch is not set, the rice cooker will automatically set itself to Keep Warm mode.
- 6) Do not push the cooking switch down when the inner cooker is empty or the inner cooker is not in place.
- 7) When rice is cooked, the Cooking Indicator will go out and the Keep Warm Indicator will light up automatically. When the cooking indicator has gone out, preserve the heat in the cooker for about 15 minutes before opening the covers so that the rice would be nice for eating. IF you want to eat the rice later, just keep it warm automatically in the cooker (60-80°C).
- 8) CAUTIONS for KEEP WARM:
  - Rice will turn hard if left in the Keep Warm mode for long periods of time. It is recommended to add in small amounts of water to make the rice soft in case of the time duration is prolonged.
  - When putting cooked rice back into the cooker to keep warm, make sure that the rice is loosened evenly and close to the of inner cooker.
  - Be sure that the rice scoop is out and the outer cover is closed tight. Otherwise the water in the rice will evaporate.
  - Without power supply, the rice can not be kept warm.
  - Continuous KEEP WARM for over 12 hours may result in change to the smell
- of rice.

  O) Unplug the power cable when you do not use the unit.

#### STEAMING:

You can also use your rice cooker to steam a variety of foods such as vegetables, fish, and even potatoes.

- 1) Fill the steamer attachment with desired food for steaming.
- 2) Fill the rice cooker half way with room temperature water.
- 3) Set the steamer onto the rice cooker.
- 4) Cover with glass lid.
- 5) Press the switch to "Cook", indicator switch will say cooking has started.
- 6) Be careful when removing the lid for hot steam will rush out.

\*Steaming can also take place at the same time you are using the rice cooker to make rice.

## **CARE AND MAINTENANCE**

Unplug the cable and cool down the unit before cleaning.

 After using, be sure to clean the inner cooker and inner cover with wet soapy soft cloth or sponge. Never use dirt removing agents, sand paper, or abrasive materials to clean the interior of the rice cooker or it may damage the coating.

### REMOVING INNER COVER FROM MOUNT:

2) Hold the edge of inner cover and pull gently outwards.

#### **INSERTING INNER COVER ONTO MOUNT:**

- Align the holes for the inner cover with the pins and push in until it clicks and holds
- 4) When cleaning the main body of the unit and outer cover, use wet soapy soft cloth to wipe down the parts.
- 5) The drip collector should be also taken out for cleaning each time and then replaced.

### REMOVING DRIP COLLECTOR:

6) Hold the drip collector at the sides and pull out towards you.

#### RE-INSERTING DRIP COLLECTOR:

- 7) Place lower section of drip collector into the slot and push in on the top end until clicks and holds in place.
- 8) Cleaning the rice spatula holder: Simply remove by unhooking it from the edge of the unit and clean. To remount, simply hook it back on to the edges of the unit.

# NONMETALLIC FLOURINATED PROTECTIVE LAYER COATED ON INNER COOKER:

- 1) When cleaning, always use a warm wet cloth or sponge with soap. Never use an abrasive material to scrub the layer or will be damaged.
- Always use a separate container to wash the rice in. Never scrape the surface with a metal spoon or spatula.
- 3) Certain wear and tear may occur on the protective layer in the inner cooker after some use, this will not affect is function.