



## COMMERCIAL PANINI/TOASTING GRILLS WITH INTEGRATED TIMER



WFG275TX



WPG250TX

For your safety and continued enjoyment of this product,  
always read the instruction book carefully before using.

# IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

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

1. **READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS.**
2. **Unplug from outlet when not in use, before putting on or taking off parts, and before cleaning.**
3. Always unplug from outlet prior to handling or cleaning.
4. To protect against risk of electrical shock, do not put appliance in water or other liquids.
5. This appliance is not intended for use by persons (including children) with reduced physical, sensory, or mental capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge, unless they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance by a person responsible for their safety.
6. Do not touch surfaces that may be hot. Use handles and knobs provided.
7. Avoid contact with moving parts.
8. Do not operate the Waring® Commercial Panini/Toasting Grill or any other electrical equipment with a damaged cord or plug, or after the unit malfunctions or is dropped or damaged in any manner. Return it to the nearest authorized service center for examination, repair, and/or adjustment.
9. The use of attachments not recommended or sold by Waring may cause fire, electric shock, or injury.
10. Do not use outdoors.
11. Always check that the control is off before plugging cord into wall outlet. To disconnect, turn the control knob to OFF, then remove plug from wall.
12. Do not place near a hot gas or electric burner or heated oven.
13. Do not let cord hang over edge of table or counter, or touch hot surfaces.
14. When ON, the Waring® Commercial Panini/Toasting Grill should always be on a stable countertop or table.
15. Close supervision is necessary when any appliance is used by or near children.
16. Do not use appliance for other than intended use.

# SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

## APPROVED FOR COMMERCIAL USE

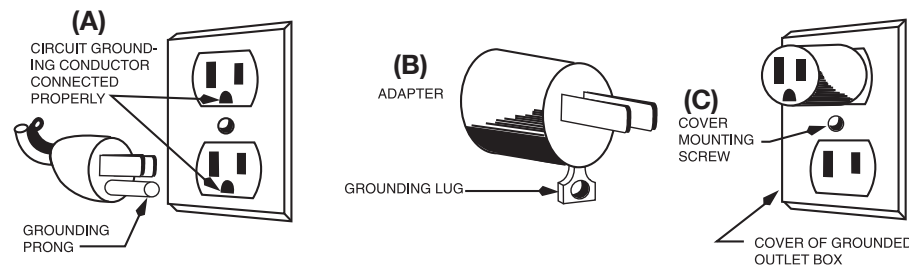
### GROUNDING INSTRUCTIONS

This appliance must be grounded while in use to protect the operator from electrical shock. The appliance is equipped with a 3-conductor cord and 3-prong grounding-type plug to fit the proper grounding-type receptacle. The appliance has a plug that looks like the plug in drawing (A). An adapter, as in drawing (B), should be used for connecting the appliance plug to two-prong receptacles. The grounding tab that extends from the adapter must be connected to a permanent ground such as a properly grounded outlet box as shown in drawing (C) using a metal screw.

**CAUTION:** Before using an adapter, it must be determined that the outlet cover plate screw is properly grounded. If in doubt, consult a licensed electrician. Never use an adapter unless you are sure it is properly grounded.

**NOTE:** Use of an adapter is not permitted in Canada and Europe.

### GROUNDING METHOD





The lightning flash with arrowhead symbol within an equilateral triangle is intended to alert the user to the presence of uninsulated dangerous voltage within the product's enclosure that may be of sufficient magnitude to constitute a risk of fire or electric shock to persons.



The exclamation point within an equilateral triangle is intended to alert the user to the presence of important operating and maintenance (servicing) instructions in the literature accompanying the appliance.

## PARTS



1. Thermo-insulated handles
2. Temperature dial
3. ON/OFF power switch
4. Programmable timer buttons
5. +/- time control buttons
6. Removable drip tray
7. Stainless steel housing
8. Bottom grill plate (ribbed or flat)
9. Top grill plate (ribbed or flat)
10. READY indicator light
11. Cleaning brush/scraper (CAC105)

Model	Description	Voltage	Power	Cooking Surface
WPG250TX	Large Panini Grill with Ribbed Plates	120 Volt	1800 Watt	14.5" x 11"
WFG275TX	Full-Size Panini Grill with Flat Plates	120 Volt	1800 Watt	14" x 14"

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

1. Remove Waring® Panini/Toasting Grill from packaging.
2. Place on a firm and stable surface.
3. Remove all packaging and instruction book.
4. Please read all instructions prior to first use.
5. Keep this instruction book in a safe location for future reference.
6. It is highly recommended that you clean the plates before first use.
7. Warm up unit in closed position for 10 minutes. This will allow all oils and other sediment to burn off.
8. After cleaning (see page 9), the Waring® Panini/Toasting Grill is ready for use.
9. Turn unit on. Allow grill to warm up. Depending on size and model, this could take 10–25 minutes. The READY indicator light will illuminate once temperature is reached.
10. If operating with a timer, see Operation with Timer on next page.
11. Lift the handle to open panini grill.
12. Carefully place food on bottom plate.
13. For double-sided cooking, push handle down; this will press top plate down on food and cook both sides simultaneously.
14. For single-sided cooking, simply keep handle raised in open position.

## TIMER INSTRUCTIONS

### Features

Timers are easy-to-read white LEDs with black backgrounds. The Waring® panini grill offers a number of timing options.

- An adjustable countdown timer that can be set to a maximum of 19 minutes, 59 seconds.
- A count-up timer that goes to 19 minutes, 59 seconds.
- Four programmable timers that let you adapt the grill to your kitchen's needs. These four timers come with factory preset times:

PROG #1: 30 seconds

PROG #2: 1 minute

PROG #3: 2 minutes

PROG #4: 3 minutes

Factory preset times stay as listed above until a user sets a new time for each one (see instructions below). The grill can run five timers simultaneously: the countdown or count-up timer and the four programmed timers.

### Fast Scroll Feature (Programming Mode)

Press the UP and DOWN buttons once to adjust time 1 second at a time, or keep buttons pressed for more than 2 seconds to fast scroll.

### Operation with Timer

1. Flip the power switch to ON. The timer screen will light up and then go off until one of the program buttons is pressed.
2. To start a cycle from the factory presets, press any of the program buttons (#1-4). See above for factory preset times.

### 3. Customizable Programs (PROG #1 – PROG #4)

How to set customizable programs

**NOTE:** Setting a customizable program will override factory presets.

- Press and hold the program button (#1-4) you want to customize for 5 seconds; display will blink, showing the previously programmed time.
- Use the UP and DOWN buttons to scroll to the desired time. Then, either press the program button (#1-4) again or wait for 5 seconds to set the new time.

Starting the timer from a customized program

- After setting your customized program, press your desired program button (#1-4). The countdown timer will start automatically.
- To cancel at any time, press any button.

#### 4. Adjusting the Countdown Timer

##### *Manual adjustment*

- Simultaneously press the UP and DOWN buttons and hold for 5 seconds; buzzer will beep twice, and the previously programmed time will appear on display and blink.
- Use UP and DOWN buttons to set desired time. The time is now set.
- To start the countdown timer, press the DOWN button.

##### *Assisted adjustment*

Not sure what cooking time you need, and want to time a recipe?

- Press the UP button once; the display will start counting from :00.
- When your food is done, simultaneously press the UP and DOWN buttons. Your timer is now set.
- To start the countdown timer, press the DOWN button.

#### 5. Canceling Timer/Silencing Buzzer

- To cancel timer at any time, press any button. Buzzer will beep twice.
- To stop buzzer, press any button.

#### Notes

1. Once timer reaches :00, buzzer will beep 10 times and the display will blink, then go blank.
2. Pressing any button while in countdown mode stops the timer function.

## SAFETY AND TROUBLESHOOTING

Please note that the Waring® Panini/Toasting Grill will be too hot to handle immediately after use.

The toasting/panini grill has a thermal cutoff safety device to avoid overheating. If the panini grill shuts off automatically, unplug it and allow it to cool for 30 minutes in the open position. Plug back in and continue use.

## CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE

For best results, your panini grill must be cleaned thoroughly after each use with warm soapy water. Daily buildup of sediment left over from cooking can affect the performance of the grill plates.

Waring® Panini/Toasting Grills come with a cleaning brush. The cleaning brush features heavy-duty bristles for initial removal of sediment from the cast-iron plates. The brush also features a scraper custom-designed to clean between the ribs as well as the flat surfaces.

The exterior of the unit may be cleaned by carefully wiping with a damp cloth.

Clean plates while the unit is warm, using warm soapy water and the cleaning tool provided. **DO NOT USE COLD WATER ON WARM PLATES.**

To clean the drip tray, carefully remove the tray, wash with warm soapy water, and dry, or you may place the tray in the dishwasher. The tray must be completely dry before putting back into the unit.

## LIMITED ONE-YEAR WARRANTY

Waring warrants every new Waring® Panini/Toasting Grill to be free from defects in material and workmanship for a period of one year from the date of purchase when used with foodstuffs, nonabrasive liquids (other than detergents), and nonabrasive semi-liquids, provided it has not been subject to loads in excess of the indicated rating. Under this warranty, Waring will repair or replace any part that, upon our examination, is defective in materials or workmanship, provided the product is delivered prepaid to any Factory Approved Service Center. This warranty does not a) apply to any product that has become worn, defective, damaged, or broken due to use or due to repairs or servicing by other than the Waring Service Center or a Factory Approved Service Center, or due to abuse, misuse, overloading, or tampering; or b) cover incidental or consequential damages of any kind.

**Warning:** This warranty is void if appliance is used on direct current (DC).

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