

Operating Instructions

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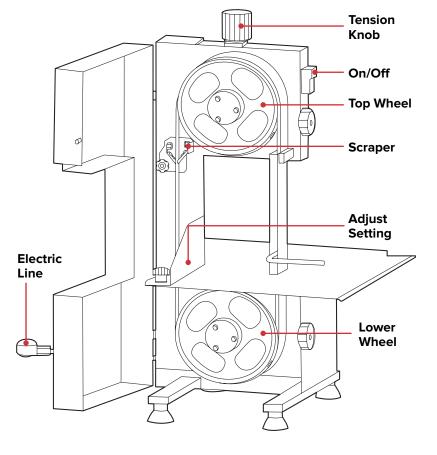
Meat Saw

#177EMBS65SS

Before Installation: Operators and handlers of this equipment should wear cut-resistant gloves to prevent injury.

Installation

- A team lift is required to carefully remove the Avantco Meat Saw from the package.
- **2.** Place the unit on a stable, level surface.
 - Rubber feet on the equipment's bottom can be adjusted accordingly if a level surface is not available.
- Ensure the supplied voltage and power match the voltage and power requirements on the unit's label.
- **4.** The saw comes preassembled with a 4 TPI saw blade.
 - The blade should be changed before operation if necessary, according to food product.
- **5.** Open the upper and lower cavity door.
- **6.** Install blade in the upper and lower cavity over both wheels.
 - a. The blade must be parallel with the edge of the block for optimal use.
 - **b.** Ensure blade is facing the right direction towards the front with the teeth edge of the blade flush with the edge of the wheel.
- 7. Close the machine's door and tighten the hand nut on the side of the machine.
- **8.** Turn the tension knob counterclockwise until it clicks.
- **9.** To start the machine, press the green button. Ensure the machine is working properly before adding food product.
 - The blade should run clockwise when operating properly.
- 10. To stop the machine, press the red button to stop the saw. Then, unplug the machine.





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Operation

- Before operating, make sure all appropriate doors, covers, and guards are closed.
- The scraper should lean against the blade, without touching the teeth of the blade. If the scraper is not in the correct position, adjust it before operating the machine.
- This machine should only be operated when wearing cut-resistant safety gloves.
- **1.** Plug in machine and turn on by pressing the green button.
- 2. Ensure the machine is working properly before adding food products.
 - If running correctly, the blade will run clockwise.
- 3. To adjust the machine blade, use the tension knob.
 - The blade should be vertical and secure to ensure the machine works properly.
- **4.** Use the thickness adjustor to control the thickness of the end meat product.
 - Push the handle of the safety fence evenly and parallel from left to right.
- **5.** To move the meat through the saw, carefully slide the meat product towards the blade until it contacts the safety fence.
- 6. With the handle of the safety fence, slowly press the meat towards the blade.
 - Repeat until all the meat is cut accordingly.
- 7. Using a cut-resistant glove, catch meat product on the other side.
 - When cutting a small amount of meat, make sure the saw blade is transitioned correctly to cut the size and amount.
- 8. If problems occur, such as the meat getting stuck, turn off and unplug the equipment immediately.
 - Once the unit is unplugged, remove the meat product from the blade with cut-resistant gloves.
- 9. Once finished cutting the food product, stop the machine by hitting the red button and unplug the machine.

Safety Features

- Should a power outage or electrical problem occur, the machine will stop running within three seconds.
- The power to the machine will automatically cease if the top or lower cavity door is opened.

Replacing the Blade

- **1.** Before trying to replace the blade, turn off and unplug the machine.
- 2. Open the machine door by loosening the hand nut along the side of the machine.
- 3. Turn the tension knob clockwise to loosen the blade.
- 4. Use cut-resistant gloves to carefully take the blade off both wheels.
- **5.** Put the replacement blade on the wheels. The blade should face the front with the teeth flush with the edge of the wheel.
- 6. Close both the top and bottom cavity doors, securing them with the hand nut.
- **7.** Prior to using the machine with food product, ensure that the blade is vertical and secure. Adjust the tension knob counterclockwise as necessary.