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# coffee & spice grinder

Grind coffee beans, spices, nuts and more



**BM-CG9100**

## **INSTRUCTIONS MANUAL**

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## IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

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

1. Read all instructions.
2. Before using, check that your outlet voltage corresponds to the voltage stated on the rating label of the appliance.
3. Close supervision is necessary when any appliance is used by or near children.
4. Do not leave the unit unattended while it is operating.
5. Unplug from outlet when not in use and before cleaning. Allow to cool before putting on or taking off parts, and before cleaning the appliance.
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 an authorized service facility for examination, repair or adjustment.
7. If the supply cord is damaged, it must be replaced by an authorized service agent or qualified technician in order to avoid a hazard.
8. The use of attachments not recommended by the appliance manufacturer may result in fire, electric shock or injury to persons.
9. Place appliance on flat surface or table. Do not let cord hang over edge of table or counter, or touch hot surface.

10. Do not place on or near a hot gas or electric burner, or in a heated oven.
11. Do not use appliance for other than intended use.
12. To disconnect, remove plug from wall outlet. Always hold the plug and never pull the cord.
13. Do not immerse the motor base in liquid, or place in dishwasher. Damage to the unit will occur if submerged in liquid. Only the transparent top cover may be immersed.
14. Ensure fingers are kept well away from moving parts.
15. Do not remove cover until blade has completely stopped.
16. Do not attempt to operate without the cover being in place.
17. Check grinding bowl for presence of foreign objects before using.
18. Do not use outdoors.

**SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS  
FOR HOUSEHOLD USE ONLY**

**Notes on the plug:**

This appliance has a polarized plug. To reduce the risk of electric shock, this plug is intended to fit into a polarized outlet only one way. If the plug does not fit fully into the outlet, reverse the plug. If it still does not fit, contact a qualified electrician. Do not attempt to modify the plug in any way.

## PARTS AND FEATURES



- 1 - Safety On/Off switch
- 2 - Transparent cover
- 3 - Grinding bowl (with blades inside)
- 4 - Motor base

## **BEFORE FIRST USE AND PREPARATION**

- The appliance is designed for grinding coffee beans and dry spices only.
  - Do not use the appliance to grind any other food. The appliance should be unplugged when not in use.
1. Remove all packaging and stickers and dispose of them accordingly.
  2. Before using the appliance for the first time, carefully clean all parts which come into contact with coffee beans. Please see full details in the "Cleaning and Maintenance" section.
  3. Make sure that the appliance is placed in an upright position and on a stable, flat, clean, dry, and non-slip surface.

## **USING THE COFFEE AND SPICE GRINDER**

- Do not touch the blades with your bare hands.
  - Check the stainless steel bowl for foreign objects before using.
1. Remove the transparent cover.
  2. Assemble the grinding bowl into the motor base, then turn the bowl clockwise until a click sound is heard. When disassembling, turn the bowl anti-clockwise to detach.

3. Pour coffee beans into the grinding bowl. Note that the quantity of coffee beans should not exceed 60g.
4. Fit the transparent cover in the correct position on the grinding bowl and insert the plug into the power outlet.
5. Press and hold the safety on/off switch. The appliance starts operating.
6. View the consistency of coffee grounds through the transparent cover. Once the desired grind has been obtained, release the safety on/off switch to stop the operation.

**NOTE:** To prevent overheating, do not use the grinder continuously for more than 30 seconds at a time. Allow grinder to cool for 3 minutes in between operations.

7. Disconnect the plug from the power outlet.
8. Remove the transparent cover, disassemble the grinding bowl and pour out the coffee grounds.

**IMPORTANT:** Never remove the cover until blades come to a complete stop.

## GRINDING TIPS

1. Coarse grind is generally used for percolators and coffee urns. Medium grind is used for drip coffee makers and steam-type espresso machines. Fine grind is used for espresso machines with an electric pump.



2. Vary the grinding times to suit your taste and type of beans you grind.
3. For the freshest, most flavorful coffee, grind only enough for the pot you are making. Coffee beans keep up to 2 months in the freezer in an airtight container and can be ground while still frozen. Coffee grounds left in your grinder can become stale and affect the flavor of freshly ground coffee.
4. This grinder can only grind dry, brittle foods. It will not grind anything moist, extremely hard, or gummy such as whole ginger, chocolate, sesame seeds or oily spices such as cinnamon, cloves or nutmeg. Do not grind peanuts or grains such as wheat, rice, barley, or dried corn. Attempting to grind any of these foods may damage the unit. Never use it to crush ice cubes.
5. Freshly ground peppercorns have a strong aroma and taste that may affect the flavor of coffee beans ground afterwards. You may want to purchase a separate grinder if you plan to grind peppercorns.

## **CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE**

- Never use solvents, abrasive cleaners, or metal objects and hard brushes to clean the appliance.
- The blades are very sharp! Handle the sharp blades with utmost care in order to avoid injuries.
- Never clean the appliance with your bare hands.

1. Turn the appliance off and disconnect it from the wall socket.
2. Allow the appliance to cool down.
3. Remove the transparent cover.
4. Use a damp soft cloth and some mild detergent to clean the exterior of the appliance.
5. Clean the transparent cover with water and some mild detergent

**Note:**

- Do not immerse the motor base or blades in liquid, or place them in the dishwasher. Only the transparent cover may be immersed.
- Wipe the stainless steel grinding bowl, blades and lid with a lint-free cloth before the next use.