## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS EASTERN DIVISION

JEANNA MARIE GOOTS, an individual,	)		
Plaintiff,	)	Case No.:	1:21-cv-00562
v.	)	DI AINTII	FF DEMANDS
NUWAVE, LLC., an Illinois Limited Liability Company,	)	TRIAL BY	
Defendant.	)		

#### **COMPLAINT**

Plaintiff, JEANNA MARIE GOOTS (hereafter referred to as "Plaintiff"), by and through her undersigned counsel, JOHNSON BECKER, PLLC and TOMASIK, KOTIN & KASSERMAN, LLC, hereby submits the following Complaint and Demand for Jury Trial against Defendant NUWAVE, LLC (hereafter referred to as "Defendant NuWave"), and alleges the following upon personal knowledge and belief, and investigation of counsel:

## **NATURE OF THE CASE**

- 1. Defendant NuWave designs, manufactures, markets, imports, distributes and sells consumer kitchen products, including the subject "NuWave 6Q Nutri-Pot 6Q Digital Pressure Cooker," which specifically includes the Model Number 33101 (referred to hereafter as "pressure cooker(s)") that is at issue in this case.
- 2. Defendant touts the "safety" of its pressure cookers, and states that they cannot be opened while in use. Despite Defendant's claims of "safety," they designed, manufactured,

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See, e.g. NuWave Nutri-Pot® 6Q Digital Pressure Cooker Owner's manual, pgs. 3, 13, 14, 15. A copy of the Owner's manual is attached hereto as "Exhibit A".

marketed, imported, distributed and sold, both directly and through third-party retailers, a product that suffers from serious and dangerous defects. Said defects cause significant risk of bodily harm and injury to its consumers.

- 3. Specifically, said defects manifest themselves when, despite Defendant's statements, the lid of the pressure cooker is removable with built-up pressure, heat and steam still inside the unit. When the lid is removed under such circumstances, the pressure trapped within the unit causes the scalding hot contents to be projected from the unit and into the surrounding area, including onto the unsuspecting consumers, their families and other bystanders. The Plaintiff in this case was able to remove the lid while the pressure cooker retained pressure, causing her serious and substantial bodily injuries and damages including, but not limited to,
- 4. Defendant knew or should have known of these defects, but has nevertheless put profit ahead of safety by continuing to sell its pressure cookers to consumers, failing to warn said consumers of the serious risks posed by the defects, and failing to recall the dangerously defective pressure cookers regardless of the risk of significant injuries to Plaintiff and consumers like her.
- 5. Defendant ignored and/or concealed its knowledge of these defects in its pressure cookers from the Plaintiff in this case, as well as the public in general, in order to continue generating a profit from the sale of said pressure cookers.
- 6. As a direct and proximate result of Defendant NuWave's conduct, the Plaintiff in this case incurred significant and painful bodily injuries, medical expenses, lost wages, physical pain, mental anguish, and diminished enjoyment of life.

#### **PLAINTIFF JEANNA MARIE GOOTS**

7. Plaintiff is a resident and citizen of the city of Thomasville, County of Davidson, State of North Carolina.

8. On or about February 26, 2019, Plaintiff suffered serious and substantial burn injuries as the direct and proximate result of the pressure cooker's lid being able to be rotated and opened while the pressure cooker was still under pressure, during the normal, directed use of the pressure cooker, allowing its scalding hot contents to be forcefully ejected from the pressure cooker and onto Plaintiff. The incident occurred as a result of the failure of the pressure cooker's supposed "Sure-Lock® Safety System," which purports to keep the consumer safe while using the pressure cooker. In addition, the incident occurred as the result of Defendant's failure to redesign the pressure cooker, despite the existence of economical, safer alternative designs.

#### **DEFENDANT NUWAVE, LLC.**

- 9. Defendant NuWave designs, manufactures, markets, imports, distributes and sells a variety of consumer kitchen products including pressure cookers, juicers, coffee makers, and airfryers, amongst others.
- 10. Defendant NuWave boasts that "the Nutri-Pot can easily prepare virtually any meal you can imagine" with the "philosophy" that it is "driven by the pursuit of safe, environmentally friendly products that can improve the quality of life" and "committed to creating superior products that are affordable and make day-to-day life easier and healthier." <sup>4</sup>
- 11. Defendant NuWave is an Illinois limited liability company, with a principal place of business is located at 1795 Butterfield Road, Libertyville, Illinois 60048. At the time of Plaintiff's injuries on June 22, 2019, Defendant's sole member was Mr. Jung S. Moon. Mr. was and is a citizen of the State of Illinois, with an address of 4708 Royal Melbourne Drive, Long Grove, Illinois 60047. At the time of Plaintiff's injuries on June 22, 2019, Mr. Moon operated out

 $<sup>^{2}</sup>$  *Id.* at pgs. 13 - 15.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>https://www.nuwavenow.com/NuWaveNutriPot?rx=1&ref\_version=DIRECT&TM=156951031 3184 (last accessed January 31, 2021)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> https://nuwavenow.com/AboutUs?ref\_version=DIRECT (last accessed January 31, 2021)o

of Defendant's principal place of business at 1795 Butterfield Road, Libertyville, Illinois 60048. Defendant may be served with process by serving its Registered Agent, Mr. Hunsu Son, whose principal place of business is located at 1190 S. Elmhurst Road, Suite 203, Mount Prospect, Illinois 60056.

#### **JURISDICTION AND VENUE**

- 12. Venue is proper in this Court pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1391 all or a substantial part of the events or omissions giving rise to this claim occurred in this district.
- 13. This Court has subject matter jurisdiction over this case pursuant to diversity jurisdiction prescribed by 28 U.S.C. § 1332 because the matter in controversy exceeds the sum or value of \$75,000, exclusive of interest and costs, and there is complete diversity between the parties.
- 14. Jurisdiction in this Court is also proper in that Defendant NuWave is a resident of the State of Illinois and has established sufficient minimum contacts with the State of Illinois through the sale and distribution of its products. Jurisdiction is also proper because at the time of Plaintiff's injuries on July 17, 2018, Defendant's sole member was Mr. Jung S. Moon. Mr. was and is a citizen of the State of Illinois, with an address of 4708 Royal Melbourne Drive, Long Grove, Illinois 60047. At the time of Plaintiff's injuries on July 17, 2018, Mr. Moon operated out of Defendant's principal place of business at 1795 Butterfield Road, Libertyville, Illinois 60048. Accordingly, Defendant NuWave is subject to specific and general personal jurisdiction in this Court.

#### FACTUAL BACKGROUND

- 15. Defendant NuWave is engaged in the business of designing, manufacturing, warranting, marketing, importing, distributing and selling the pressure cookers at issue in this litigation.
- 16. Defendant NuWave aggressively warrants, markets, advertises and sell its pressure cookers as "best in class for performance, features & value" allowing consumers to cook "cook delicious meals quickly" and "infuse your meals with flavor".
- 17. For instance, Defendant NuWave claims that "safety is a core value at NuWave" and that its pressure cookers include "multiple independent safety features."<sup>7</sup>
- 18. To further propagate its message, Defendant NuWave has, and continues to utilize numerous media outlets including, but not limited to, infomercials, social media websites such as YouTube, and third-party retailers. For example, the following can be found on YouTube entitled "NuWave 8-qt Nutri-Pot Pressure Cooker with Pot, Glass Lid, & Rack on QVC":
  - a. "Safe pressure cooking. How simple is this. I'm all about keeping it simple in the kitchen, so what do you do here? You load it with what you're gonna cook; you lock it down, simply enough. It's got a great lid on this. Now this new lid on here gives you a little whistle. You know when that lid is open. It tells you. You lock it; it has a Sure-Lock System. Once this is locked down, it is locked down. You don't have to worry about pressure cooker blowing up or anything like this." 8
  - b. "Lid goes down. This slides over. *There's a Sure-Lock button right here* in the front it is locked down; it's gone back to the warming function."

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup>https://www.nuwavenow.com/NuWaveNutriPot?rx=1&ref\_version=DIRECT&TM=156951031 3184 (last accessed January 31, 2021)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> *Id*.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qR31q6hZ\_QE">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qR31q6hZ\_QE</a> at 0:43 – 1:12. (last accessed January 31, 2021)

<sup>9</sup> *Id.* at 3:25-3:30.

- c. "It will depressurize on its own, taking the fear out of pressure cooking in here." 10
- 19. In a similar video from NuWave's YouTube page entitled "NuWave Cooking Club Hard Boiled Eggs" spokesperson David Oland boasts that the NuWave Nutri-Pot is "one of the best and safest on the market" and "with our Sure-Lock System, we make sure all of this [pressure] is out; and [the Nutri-Pot has] a couple of really good safety features on this unit; if all the steams not out, you're not opening this unit." 11
- 20. According to the Owner's Manual accompanying each individual unit sold, the pressure cookers purport to be designed with a "Sure-Lock® Safety System," which includes the misleading the consumer into believing that the pressure cookers are reasonably safe for their normal, intended use. Said "Sure-Lock® Safety System" includes, but is not limited to, the following:
  - a. **Lid Lock:** The 3-point Lid Lock system locks the lid in place at three independent points. It ensures that the unit will not pressurize unless the lid is completely closed. Once the Nutri-Pot is pressurized the lid will not open.
  - b. **Maintaining Pressure:** The Bottom Pressure Switch monitors the cooking chamber and helps keep the unit at the perfect pressure. The Lower Disc is designed to release pressure automatically if the Nutri-Pot ever becomes over-pressurized.
  - **c. The Food Blocking Cap:** The Food Blocking Cap ensures that the pressure vents smoothly. It covers the inside of the release valve and prevents foods or liquids from clogging the valve.
- 21. By reason of the forgoing acts or omissions, the above-named Plaintiff and/or her family purchased the pressure cooker with the reasonable expectation that it was properly designed and manufactured, free from defects of any kind, and that it was safe for its intended, foreseeable use of cooking.

 $<sup>^{10}</sup>$  Id. at 6:34-6:38.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>11</sup> *Id.* 3:27 – 3:37.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>12</sup> See NuWave Nutri-Pot® 6Q Digital Pressure Cooker Owner's manual, pg, 14.

- 22. Plaintiff used her pressure cooker for its intended purpose of preparing meals for herself and/or family and did so in a manner that was reasonable and foreseeable by the Defendant NuWave.
- 23. However, the aforementioned pressure cooker was defectively and negligently designed and manufactured by Defendant NuWave in that it failed to properly function as to prevent the lid from being removed with normal force while the unit remained pressurized, despite the appearance that all the pressure had been released, during the ordinary, foreseeable and proper use of cooking food with the product; placing the Plaintiff, her family, and similar consumers in danger while using the pressure cookers.
- 24. Defendant NuWave's pressure cookers possess defects that make them unreasonably dangerous for their intended use by consumers because the lid can be rotated and opened while the unit remains pressurized.
- 25. Further, Defendant NuWave's representations about "safety" are not just misleading, they are flatly wrong, and put innocent consumers like Plaintiff directly in harm's way.
- 26. Economic, safer alternative designs were available that could have prevented the Pressure Cooker's lid from being rotated and opened while pressurized.
- 27. Defendant NuWave knew or should have known that its pressure cookers possessed defects that pose a serious safety risk to Plaintiff and the public. Nevertheless, Defendant NuWave continues to ignore and/or conceal its knowledge of the pressure cookers' defects from the general public and continues to generate a substantial profit from the sale of their pressure cookers.
- 28. As a direct and proximate result of Defendant NuWave's intentional concealment of such defects, its failure to warn consumers of such defects, its negligent misrepresentations, its failure to remove a product with such defects from the stream of commerce, and its negligent

design of such products, Plaintiff used an unreasonably dangerous pressure cooker, which resulted in significant and painful bodily injuries upon Plaintiff's simple removal of the lid of the Pressure Cooker.

29. Consequently, the Plaintiff in this case seeks compensatory damages resulting from the use of Defendant NuWave's pressure cooker as described above, which has caused the Plaintiff to suffer from serious bodily injuries, medical expenses, physical pain, mental anguish, diminished enjoyment of life, and other damages.

### **CLAIMS FOR RELIEF**

## COUNT I STRICT LIABILITY

- 30. Plaintiff incorporates by reference each preceding and succeeding paragraph as though set forth fully at length herein.
- 31. At the time of Plaintiff's injuries, Defendant NuWave's pressure cookers were defective and unreasonably dangerous for use by foreseeable consumers, including Plaintiff.
- 32. Defendant NuWave's pressure cookers were in the same or substantially similar condition as when they left the possession of Defendant NuWave.
  - 33. Plaintiff did not misuse or materially alter the pressure cooker.
- 34. The pressure cookers did not perform as safely as an ordinary consumer would have expected them to perform when used in a reasonably foreseeable way.
- 35. Further, a reasonable person would conclude that the possibility and serious of harm outweighs the burden or cost of making the pressure cookers safe. Specifically:
  - a. The pressure cookers designed, manufactured, sold, and supplied by Defendant NuWave were defectively designed and placed into the stream of commerce in a defective and unreasonably dangerous condition for consumers;

- b. The seriousness of the potential burn injuries resulting from the product drastically outweighs any benefit that could be derived from its normal, intended use;
- c. Defendant NuWave failed to properly market, design, manufacture, distribute, supply, and sell the pressure cookers, despite having extensive knowledge that the aforementioned injuries could and did occur;
- d. Defendant NuWave failed to warn and place adequate warnings and instructions on the pressure cookers;
- e. Defendant NuWave failed to adequately test the pressure cookers; and
- f. Defendant NuWave failed to market an economically feasible alternative design, despite the existence of economical, safer alternatives, that could have prevented the Plaintiff' injuries and damages.
- 36. Defendant NuWave actions and omissions were the direct and proximate cause of the Plaintiff's injuries and damages.
- 37. Defendant NuWave risked the safety and well-being of the consumers and users of their pressure cookers, including the Plaintiff to this action, with the knowledge of the safety and efficacy problems and suppressed this knowledge from the public.

## COUNT II NEGLIGENCE

- 38. Plaintiff incorporates by reference each preceding and succeeding paragraph as though set forth fully at length herein.
- 39. Defendant NuWave had a duty of reasonable care to design, manufacture, market, and sell non-defective pressure cookers that are reasonably safe for their intended uses by consumers, such as Plaintiff and her family.

- 40. Defendant NuWave failed to exercise ordinary care in the manufacture, sale, warnings, quality assurance, quality control, distribution, advertising, promotion, sale and marketing of its pressure cookers in that Defendant NuWave knew or should have known that said pressure cookers created a high risk of unreasonable harm to the Plaintiff and consumers alike.
- 41. Defendant NuWave was negligent in the design, manufacture, advertising, warning, marketing and sale of its pressure cookers in that, among other things, it:
  - a. Failed to use due care in designing and manufacturing the pressure cookers to avoid the aforementioned risks to individuals;
  - b. Placed an unsafe product into the stream of commerce;
  - c. Aggressively over-promoted and marketed its pressure cookers through television, social media, and other advertising outlets; and
  - d. Were otherwise careless or negligent.
- 42. Despite the fact that Defendant NuWave knew or should have known that consumers were able to remove the lid while the Ppessure cookers were still pressurized, Defendant NuWave continued to market (and continue to do so) its pressure cookers to the general public.
- 43. Defendant NuWave risked the safety and well-being of the consumers and users of their pressure cookers, including the Plaintiff to this action, with the knowledge of the safety and efficacy problems and suppressed this knowledge from the public.

## COUNT III BREACH OF EXPRESS WARRANTY

- 44. Plaintiff incorporates by reference each preceding and succeeding paragraph as though set forth fully at length herein.
- 45. Defendant NuWave expressly warranted that its pressure cookers were safe and effective to members of the consuming public, including Plaintiff. Moreover, Defendant NuWave expressly warranted that the lid of the Pressure Cooker could not be removed while the unit remained pressurized. For example:
  - a. Lid Lock: The 3-point Lid Lock system locks the lid in place at three independent points. It ensures that the unit will not pressurize unless the lid is completely closed. Once the Nutri-Pot is pressurized the lid will not open. 13
- 46. Members of the consuming public, including consumers such as the Plaintiff were the intended third-party beneficiaries of the warranty.
- 47. Defendant NuWave marketed, promoted and sold its pressure cookers as a safe product, complete with a "Sure-Lock® Safety System."
- 48. Defendant NuWave's pressure cookers do not conform to this express representation because the lid can be removed using normal force while the units remain pressurized, despite the appearance that the pressure has been released, making the pressure cookers not safe for use by consumers.
- 49. Defendant NuWave breached its express warranties in one or more of the following ways:
  - a. The pressure cookers as designed, manufactured, sold and/or supplied by the Defendant NuWave, were defectively designed and placed into the stream of commerce by Defendant NuWave in a defective and unreasonably dangerous condition;

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>13</sup> *Id*.

- b. Defendant NuWave failed to warn and/or place adequate warnings and instructions on their pressure cookers;
- c. Defendant NuWave failed to adequately test its pressure cookers; and
- d. Defendant NuWave failed to provide timely and adequate post-marketing warnings and instructions after they knew the risk of injury from their pressure cookers.
- 50. The Plaintiff in this case and/or her family purchased and used the pressure cooker with the reasonable expectation that it was properly designed and manufactured, free from defects of any kind, and that it was safe for its intended, foreseeable use of cooking.
- 51. Plaintiff's injuries were the direct and proximate result of Defendant NuWave's breach of its express warranties.
- 52. Defendant NuWave risked the safety and well-being of the consumers and users of its Pressure cookers, including the Plaintiff to this action, with the knowledge of the safety and efficacy problems and suppressed this knowledge from the public.

# COUNT IV BREACH OF IMPLIED WARRANTY OF FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE

- 53. Plaintiff incorporates by reference each preceding and succeeding paragraph as though set forth fully at length herein.
- 54. Defendant NuWave manufactured, supplied, and sold their pressure cookers with an implied warranty that they were fit for the particular purpose of cooking quickly, efficiently and safely.
- 55. Members of the consuming public, including consumers such as the Plaintiff, were the intended third-party beneficiaries of the warranty.

- 56. Defendant NuWave's pressure cookers were not fit for the particular purpose as a safe means of cooking, due to the unreasonable risks of bodily injury associated with their use as described herein in this Complaint.
- 57. The Plaintiff in this case reasonably relied on Defendant NuWave's representations that its pressure cookers were a quick, effective and safe means of cooking.
- 58. Defendant NuWave's breach of the implied warranty of fitness for a particular purpose was the direct and proximate cause of Plaintiff's injuries and damages.
- 59. Defendant NuWave risked the safety and well-being of the consumers and users of its Pressure cookers, including the Plaintiff to this action, with the knowledge of the safety and efficacy problems and suppressed this knowledge from the public.

## COUNT V BREACH OF IMPLIED WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY

- 60. Plaintiff incorporates by reference each preceding and succeeding paragraph as though set forth fully at length herein.
- 61. At the time Defendant NuWave marketed, distributed and sold their pressure cookers to the Plaintiff in this case, Defendant NuWave warranted that its Pressure cookers were merchantable and fit for the ordinary purposes for which they were intended.
- 62. Members of the consuming public, including consumers such as the Plaintiff, were intended third-party beneficiaries of the warranty.

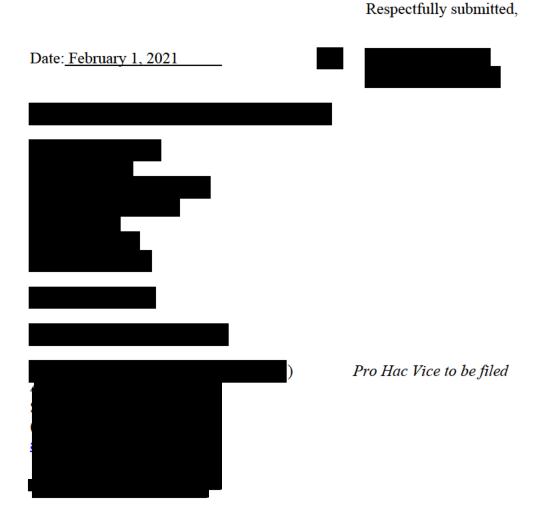
- 63. Defendant NuWave's pressure cookers were not merchantable and fit for their ordinary purpose, because they had the propensity to lead to the serious personal injuries as described herein in this Complaint.
- 64. The Plaintiff in this case and/or her family purchased and used the pressure Cooker with the reasonable expectation that it was properly designed and manufactured, free from defects of any kind, and that it was safe for its intended, foreseeable use of cooking.
- 65. Defendant NuWave's breach of implied warranty of merchantability was the direct and proximate cause of Plaintiff's injury and damages.
- 66. Defendant NuWave risked the safety and well-being of the consumers and users of their pressure cookers, including the Plaintiff to this action, with the knowledge of the safety and efficacy problems and suppressed this knowledge from the public.

#### PRAYER FOR RELIEF

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff demands judgment against the Defendant NuWave for damages, including exemplary damages if applicable, to which they entitled by law, as well as all costs of this action, interest and attorneys' fees, to the full extent of the law, whether arising under the common law and/or statutory law, including:

- a. judgment for Plaintiff and against Defendant NuWave;
- b. damages to compensate Plaintiff for her injuries, economic losses and pain and suffering sustained as a result of the use of the Defendant NuWave's pressure cookers;
- c. post judgment interest at the lawful rate;

- d. that Plaintiff be allowed to amend her complaint to include punitive damages on all applicable Counts as permitted by the law and according to proof;
- e. a trial by jury on all issues of the case;
- f. an award of attorneys' fees; and
- g. for any other relief as this Court may deem equitable and just, or that may be available under the law of another forum to the extent the law of another forum is applied, including but not limited to all reliefs prayed for in this Complaint and in the foregoing Prayer for Relief.



# **EXHIBIT A**

NuWave Nutri-Pot® 6Q Digital Pressure Cooker Owner's Manual





# NuWave Nutri-Pot® 6Q Digital Pressure Cooker



Owner's Manual & Complete Recipe Book



# NuWave Brio® Digital Air Fryer

Super-heated air cooks your food to crispy, tender perfection. The digital touch screen gives you precise temperature control.

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Coated with Duralon Healthy Ceramic Non-Stick for easy cleanup, this versatile cookware is perfect for use in the oven as well as on gas, electric, and even induction cooktops.

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### **IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS**

#### READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS

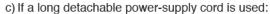
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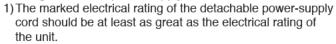
- 1. Do not touch hot surfaces. Use handle.
- To protect against electrical shock, do not immerse cord, plugs, or the unit in water or other liquid.
- 3. Close supervision is necessary when any unit is used by or near children.
- 4. Unplug from outlet when not in use and before cleaning. Allow unit to cool before adding on or removing off parts.
- Do not operate any unit with a damaged cord or plug, after the unit malfunctions or it has been damaged in any manner. In case the unit is malfunctioning, please contact Customer Service at 1-877-689-2838 or via email help@nuwavenow.com.
- The use of other accessories that are not intended to be use with this unit is not recommended. Doing so may damage the unit and can cause accidents.
- 7. NOT INTENDED FOR OUTDOOR USE.
- 8. Do not let cord hang over edge of table or counter, or touch hot surfaces.
- 9. Do not place on or near a hot gas or electric burner and or in a heated oven.
- Extreme caution must be used when moving a unit containing hot oil or other hot liquids.
- 11. Always attach the plug to the unit first, then plug the cord into the wall outlet. To disconnect, turn any control "OFF", then remove plug from the wall outlet.
- 12. Always check the pressure release devices for clogging before use.
- 13. DO NOT place any object above the pressure release valve as this is steam being released from the NuWave Nutri-Pot® Digital Pressure Cooker.
- 14. DO NOT USE THE UNIT FOR OTHER THAN INTENDED USE.

## **IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS (Continued)**

## **A** CAUTION

- a) A short power-supply cord should be provided to reduce risks resulting from becoming entangled in or tripping over a longer cord.
- b) Longer detachable power-supply cord are available and may be used if care is exercised in their use.





- If the unit is of the grounded type, the extension cord should be a grounding type 2-wire cord; and
- 3) The longer cord should be arranged so that it will not drape over the counter top or table top where it can be pulled on by children or tripped over unintentionally.



### **ADDITIONAL SAFEGUARDS**

- If you cook meat with skin, such as sausage, swelling can occur when cooked under pressure. Piercing skin after cooking can lead to bursts of hot liquid.
- Do not lean over the NuWave Nutri-Pot Digital Pressure Cooker at any time while it is cooking.
- The NuWave Nutri-Pot Digital Pressure Cooker should not be used for any medical purposes. It is not designed to reach the required temperature for sterilization.
- 4. The Silicone Gasket creates a pressure seal between lid and pot. Keep the gasket completely clean and free from any cracks or deterioration.
- 5. It is extremely important to fill the NuWave Nutri-Pot Digital Pressure Cooker with liquid prior to operation. Never cook without liquid as doing so can cause it to overheat and damage the safety mechanisms. In case of overheating, never remove the NuWave Nutri-Pot Digital Pressure Cooker from the heat source. Instead, shut it off immediately and let it cool.
- Make sure all parts of the pressure regulator and ventilated pipe are clean and properly assembled.
- 7. Do not alter the safety mechanisms or attempt to repair the NuWave Nutri-Pot Digital Pressure Cooker as this will void the warranty. Please adhere to the Maintenance Instructions specified for use.
- Use only the appropriate replacement parts from NuWave® to maintain proper functionality and safety. Visit www.NuWaveNow.com for replacement parts and pieces.
- Do not place the unit close to flammable materials and heating units or wet environments.
- 10. Height of ingredients that is to be put into inner pot should comply with "Operation Instructions".
- 11. Do not break the Silicone Gasket. Do not replace it with other rubber gaskets, nor use a tension belt to make it seal.
- 12. Check and wash anti-clog filter and pressure release valve regularly to avoid being blocked.
- 13. Do not open the lid when the Floater Valve is down.
- Do not put anything on or use other object to replace the Pressure Release Valve.
- 15. Never use a towel to clog the gap between the lid and edge of the Housing.
- 16. The bottom of the inner pot and heating plate should be kept clean. Do not put the inner pot on other heat sources. Do not replace the inner pot with other containers.

## **ADDITIONAL SAFEGUARDS (Continued)**

- 17. Only use wood or plastic ladle spoons so not to ware the non-stick coating in the inner pot.
- 18. Do not attempt to move the unit while it is cooking. Only after the unit cools down completely can the it be moved. Move the unit using the body handles, do not try to hold in from the lid handle.
- Do not disassemble on your own or try to replace with non-special worn parts.
- 20. Make sure the air/pressure discharges completely before opening the lid.
- 21. Fit on water collection box before use and add clean lid each use.
- 22. You may experience some smoke coming out the unit during the first few uses, this is normal.
- 23. Contact our Customer Service Department at 1-877-689-2838 or via email help@nuwavenow.com for the following:
  - If the main power cord is damaged.
  - In the case the unit emits a continuous amount of smoke while is use.

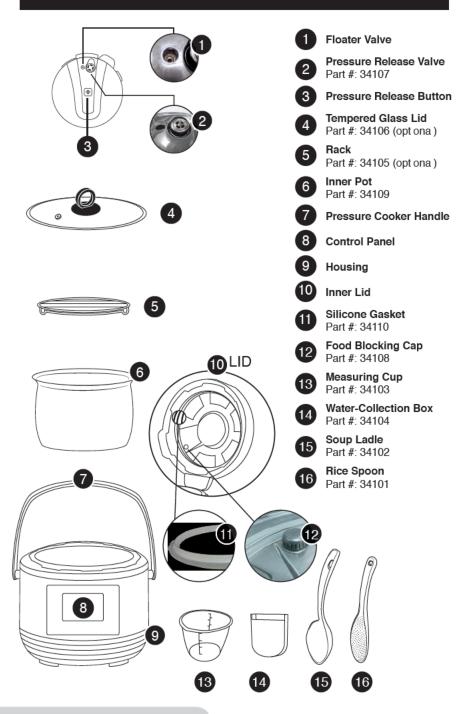
## **CARE & MAINTENANCE**

- Unplug the NuWave Nutri-Pot® Digital Pressure Cooker prior to cleaning.
- Wipe the base and inside of the base, if necessary, with a clean cloth.
   Do not immerse the base in water or spray any water in it.



- Remove and clean the water collection box. Wipe with a wet towel and insert it back to the body of the NuWave Nutri-Pot® Digital Pressure Cooker.
- The lid can be detached from the base. See image on page 9 step 1
  for proper operating instructions. All parts inside the lid can be hand
  washed separately with water and should always be checked to make
  sure they are not damaged or cracked.
- Use a sponge or non-metallic soft brush to clean the inner pot, then wipe the surface with a clean cloth.

## PARTS DESCRIPTION



### **PRODUCT FEATURES**

The **NuWave Nutri-Pot® Digital Pressure Cooker** combines the advantages of a Pressure Cooker, Rice Cooker and Slow Cooker all in one.

The advantages including structure, vanguard shape, enhanced safety settings, multiple functions, easy operation, saving time and energy and lock nutrition of food. It is an ideal unit for any modern home.

#### **Benefits**

The NuWave Nutri-Pot Digital Pressure Cooker consists of a cooking pot and a special lid that locks into place on the top of the pot. When it is heated, steam is sealed inside, which creates pressure. With this high pressure, the internal temperature of the NuWave Nutri-Pot Digital Pressure Cooker is raised above the normal boiling point of water. The cooking process is thus expedited leading to healthier meals made faster.

#### **Multiple Cooking Functions**

Now you can sear, stew, steam, simmer, bake, can, slow cook and keep your foods warm all by the push of a button.

#### Digital

Ingredients are automatically cooked to the right specifications. During operation, the NuWave Nutri-Pot Digital Pressure Cooker will indicate which cooking function it is performing. Once finished, depending on the function, it will automatically switch to the Warm setting until you're ready to eat.

#### **Preset Time Function**

The NuWave Nutri-Pot Digital Pressure Cooker includes a Delay feature so you can start cooking exactly when you want.

#### **Saved Memory**

If the NuWave Nutri-Pot Digital Pressure Cooker is disconnected from its power supply and reconnected within 20 minutes, all programmed settings will be retained.

#### **High Efficiency**

Cooking in the NuWave Nutri-Pot Digital Pressure Cooker saves you time and energy.

#### Perfect Seal

The Silicone Gasket locks in the taste and nutrients of your favorite foods.

#### Easy to Clean

The inner pot is non-stick so it's easy to clean. The stainless steel lid is durable and detachable for easy cleaning.

#### **Innovative Design**

The NuWave Nutri-Pot Digital Pressure Cooker features a user friendly design that releases any excess steam away from the unit, ensuring peace of mind.

## **PRODUCT FEATURES (Continued)**

#### **Faster Cooking**

On average, Pressure Cookers prepare food faster than traditional cooking methods and the NuWave Nutri-Pot Digital Pressure Cooker is no exception.

#### **Tastier Meals**

Pressure cooking allows food to retain its full flavor by cooking quickly and efficiently. With the natural flavor intact, less seasoning is required, enabling you to craft your meals precisely to your taste.

#### **Healthier Results**

More vitamins and minerals are retained in food prepared with the NuWave Nutri-Pot Digital Pressure Cooker compared to conventional stove top cooking. In addition, pressure cooking utilizes water in lieu of additional unhealthy oils or fat, virtually eliminating the need to add extra, unnecessary calories to your diet.

#### Multifunctional

The NuWave Nutri-Pot Digital Pressure Cooker can be used for steaming, simmering and stewing fresh or even frozen foods. You can even use it for canning and baking. Prepare everything from delicate soups and desserts to hearty meat dishes.

#### **MULTIPLE SAFETY DEVICES**

#### Sure Lock™ Technology

The NuWave Nutri-Pot® 6Q Digital Pressure Cooker is equipped with the revolutionary Sure Lock™ technology. It surpasses other pressure cookers in advanced safety features. Sure Lock™ is comprised of multiple independent safety features, such as:

**Lid Lock:** The 3-point Lid Lock system locks the lid in place at three independent points. It ensures that the unit will not pressurize unless the lid is completely closed. Once the Nutri-Pot is pressurized the lid will not open.

**Maintaining Pressure:** The Bottom Pressure Switch monitors the cooking chamber and helps keep the unit at the perfect pressure. The Lower Disc is designed to release pressure automatically if the Nutri-Pot ever becomes over-pressurized.

**The Food Blocking Cap:** The Food Blocking Cap ensures that the pressure vents smoothly. It covers the inside of the release valve and prevents foods or liquids from clogging the valve.

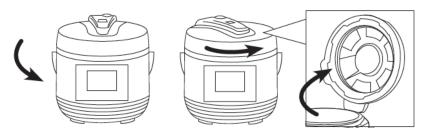
#### **ADDITIONAL SAFETY FEATURES:**

**Pressure Release Safety Device:** If the pressure exceeds the maximum level, the excess pressure will automatically discharge safely via the pressure relief valve.

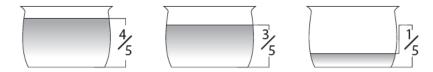
**Temperature Control:** If the inner pot heats up while empty or if it exceeds the maximum temperature limit, the Pressure Cooker will automatically shut off.

**Thermostat:** Once the inner pot exceeds the maximum temperature limit, the NuWave Nutri-Pot Digital Pressure Cooker will automatically shut off.

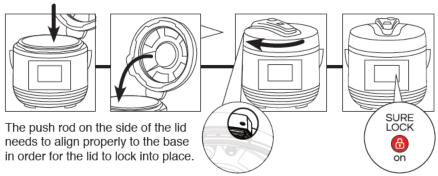
### **OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS**



Open lid: Hold the lid handle. Turn the lid counter clockwise to open position then raise it. (See above)



- Place ingredients and water in the inner pot. Ingredients and water should not exceed 4/5 height of the inner pot. If the ingredients expand easily in water, then the total amount should not exceed 3/5 height of the inner pot. The minimum amount of ingredients and water is normally 1/5 height of the inner pot. (See above).
- Place the inner pot in the Housing. Clean the bottom of inner pot and surface of heating plate before inserting the inner pot. (See below).
- Close lid:
  - · Check that the Silicone Gasket is secured in the lid before closing.
  - Hold the lid handle. Lower the lid, then turn the lid clockwise to close.
     A sound will confirm that the lid has been closed properly. (See below).



Sure Lock™:

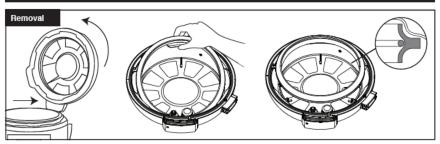
 Once the lid is properly locked in place, the LED panel will display that the Sure Lock™ Safety Feature is activated.

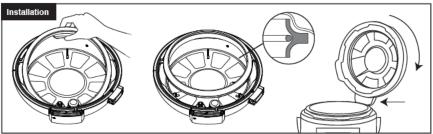
## **OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS (Continued)**

- Once the lid is locked in place the Pressure Release Valve should be level.
- Plug the NuWave Nutri-Pot Digital Pressure Cooker into an electric power supply. The LCD display will show "--:-" and the unit will go into standby mode.



## SILICONE GASKET INSTALLATION





# MAKE SURE THE SILICONE GASKET HAS NO CRACKS OR IS IN ANYWAY DAMAGED.

#### Remove Inner Lid from the Pressure Cooker.

- · Rotate counter clockwise, this will detach the Inner Lid.
- · With one hand holding the Inner Lid down, gently pull the Silicone Gasket up.

#### Installing the Silicone Gasket

- · Line up the Silicone Gasket on top of the metal ring.
- Gently push the Silicone Gasket making sure you see the metal ring is inside the Silicone Gasket's grove. Continue pushing the Silicone Gasket all around.

### **SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS**

- 1. Do not p ace the untcose to flammab e mater as heat ng unts or wet env ronments.
- 2. He ght of ngred ents p aced in the inner pot should comply with the directions sted under "Operation Instructions".
- 3. Do not break the S cone Gasket. Do not replace to with other parts that are not designed specifically for the NuWave Nutri-Pot Digital Pressure Cooker.
- 4. Check and wash ant -c og fi ter and pressure re ease va ve regu ar y to avo d b ockage.
- 5. Do not attempt to open the d when the floater s down.
- 6. Do not put anyth ng on or use other objects to rep ace the pressure re ease va ve.
- 7. Never use a towe to c og the gap between the d and edge of Hous ng.
- 8. The cook ng pot and heat ng p ate shou d a ways be kept c ean.
- 9. Do not put any other cook ng pots on the heat ng p ate. Do not rep ace any parts with other containers.
- Do not use meta utens s w th the coated cook ng pot as th s can damage the surface.
- 11. Keep hands and face away from the vent ng out et or where pressure s be ng
- 12. Depending on the function, when cooking is complete, the NuWave Nutri-Pot Digital Pressure Cooker will automatically go to Warm Mode. Avoid letting ingredients sit in Warm Mode for more than 4 hours as this could affect the taste.
- 13. If a ot of smoke s escap ng from the d dur ng operat on, unp ug the unt mmed ate y and contact customer serv ce.
- 14. Do not move the un t wh e n operat on. On y after the NuWave Nutr -Pot D g ta Pressure Cooker has comp ete y coo ed down shou d you attempt to move t. When mov ng the NuWave Nutr -Pot D g ta Pressure Cooker, use the hand e. Do not ft from the d.
- 15. If any troub es ar se dur ng operat on, any necessary serv ce must be done by NuWave™, LLC or author zed by the manufacturer for repa rs.
- 16. Do not d sassemb e the unt on your own or rep ace any parts.
- 17. If the power cord s damaged, do not attempt to operate the unt. Contact Customer Service Department at help@nuwavenow.com for ass stance.
- 18. Keep the unt out of reach of ch dren when the unt s operating or cooing down.
- 19. Pace the water co ect on box in the NuWave Nutr-Pot Digital Pressure Cooker before every use. Make sure it is a ways cleaned prior to cooking.
- 20. It is normal for some smoke to escape the unit when heating for the first time.

### CONTROL PANEL

#### Main Display Interface

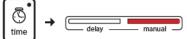




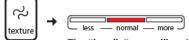
When unit s not cooking, or when no unction has been selected, the LED screen wild splay "--:--" indicating that the unit is not in operation.



The "delay" bar w ght up once the de ay button has been pressed. This function w a low you to de ay the start lime of each preset function.



The "manual" bar w ght up on y when the me button has been pressed or when the cook ng t me has been changed manua y. Th s w a ow you to manua y set your t me for each funct on.



The "less", "normal" and "more" bars ght nd v dua y, nd cat ng your current sett ng. The "texture" funct on app es to these d sp ays w th "normal" be ng the defau t sett ng. "texture" s a funct on that has 3 t mes pre-programmed for se ect presets. Th s a so affects the cons stency of your food.

All functions default to "normal".

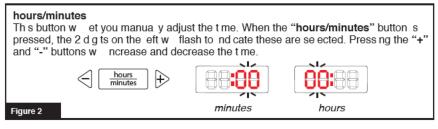
## **CONTROL PANEL (continued)**



Press "rice", t w default to "normal" (00:10) Press "texture" to change to "more" (00:13). Press the "texture" button again to change to "less" (00:07). The bar w ght up nd cating what mode you are in. Press "start/stop" to begin.

#### Note (Applies to all):

- · Press ng the "-" or "+" buttons w sw tch to "manual" mode.
- · Press "start/stop" tw ce to c ear.
- The Pressure Cooker w cear out n 30 seconds f the "start/stop" button s not pressed.



**Preheating:** Whee the unit reaches the appropriate temperature for the function selected, the display will show "PH" indicating that it is preheating. Once the unit reaches the appropriate pressure, it will shift from preheating to the selected preset cooking time. Once pressure has built in side the Pressure Cooker, the PH display will change to P, followed by the amount of time it will remain under pressure.

**Pressure:** The function selected will determine the amount of pressure time. In this example, the display will show "**P0:10**" (pressure time). The colon or ":" will flash to indicate that the Pressure Cooker is under pressure and the timer is counting down.



Refer to the Preset Times Chart on page 21 for default times for each function.

# **CONTROL PANEL (continued)**

**Auto Warm Feature:** When pressure cook ng s comp ete, the NuWave Nutr-Pot® D g ta Pressure Cooker w automat ca y sw tch to the warm funct on. Th s a ows the pressure to natura y re ease wh e your food rema ns warm. The t mes for the presets are sted be ow.

Auto Warm Feature					
Presets	Indefinitely	Auto Shutoff	Time Hours: Minutes		
R ce	<b>Ø</b>				
Mut Gran	<b>Ø</b>				
Soup			04:00		
Meat/Stew			02:00		
Pou try			01:00		
Beans			04:00		
Fsh		<b>Ø</b>			
Steam/Vegg es		•			
Potatoes			01:00		
Bake		<b>Ø</b>			
Cann ng		•			
Warm (Funct on)			04:00		

**Example:** When the "rice" preset s comp ete, the NuWave Nutr -Pot D g ta Pressure Cooker w keep your "rice" warm ndefin te y, unt you press the "start/stop" button.

#### Note:

Food can be prepared at an ear er t me and kept warm ns de the Pressure Cooker us ng the "warm" funct on. Food can be kept warm for up to 4-hours. Additional time may cause a change in flavor, appearance and cause food to spoil.

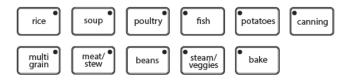
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PRESET GUIDE						
Default Time		Texture			Time 👨 (m nutes & hours)	
Presets & Functions	Hrs:Min	Less	Normal	More	Min.*	Max
Rice	00:10	00:07	00:10	00:13	00:01	01:40
Mut Gran	00:27	00:22	00:27	00:32	00:01	01:40
Soup	00:15	00:10	00:15	00:20	00:01	01:40
Meat/Stew	00:40	00:20	00:40	00:50	00:01	01:40
Pou try	00:20	00:15	00:20	00:25	00:01	01:40
Beans	00:20	00:15	00:20	00:25	00:01	01:40
Fsh	00:08	00:06	00:08	00:10	00:01	01:40
Steam/Vegg es	00:05	00:03	00:05	00:07	00:01	01:40
Potatoes	00:06	00:04	00:06	00:10	00:01	01:40
Bake	00:40	00:30	00:40	00:50	00:01	01:40
Cann ng	00:20				00:01	01:40
De ay 💍					00:05	24:00
Warm ≋	04:00				01:00	24:00
Sear 🔉	00:05				00:01	00:20
S ow Cook 💁	04:00				02:00	09:00
				*M n mum T me		

The NuWave Nutr-Pot D g ta Pressure Cooker s programmed to a set pressure of 70kPa.

kPa as a unit of pressure measurement, is widely used throughout the world instead of the "Pounds per Square Inch, (PSI)" method. kPa to PSI rat o s approx mate y 7kPa to 1PSI.

For example: 2PSI is equal to 14kPa.



- Press a preset button (Ex: "rice"). The mand spay w show the defaut time for this preset (Ex: 00:10). The d g ts to the r ght of the co on (":") d sp ay the m nutes and the d g ts eft of the co on d sp ay the hours. On the man pane, an LED ba w up to nd cate that the preset s on "normal" mode, which is the default.
- To beg n cook ng, c ose the d, then press the "start/stop" button.
- See "hours/minutes" and "texture" sections for instructions on adjusting the time.

### Example:









Follow these simple steps for each preset. On this example P0:10 is the default pressure time. The pressure time will vary depending on the preset you choose.

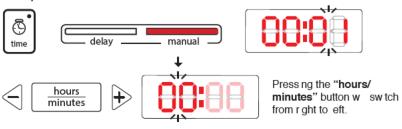
### **FUNCTIONS**

Time: This function lets you manually adjust the cooking time, overriding the presets and functions.

#### Directions:

- 1 Press the "time" button. "manual" bar w ght up and "00:01" w be flash ng. This indicates hat you can change the minutes.
- 2 Press the "+" or "-" button to ncrease or decrease the m nutes.
- 3 To change hours press the "hours/minutes" button aga n. The "00" w be flash ng. This indicates that you can change the hours.
- 4 Press the "+" or "-" button to ncrease o decrease the hours.

#### Example:



Texture: This is a function used to help change the consistency of your foods.

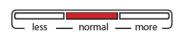
"less", "normal" and "more" are selected guides that increase or decrease the cooking time while under pressure

#### Directions:

- Press a des red preset button. The d sp ay w defau t to "normal" t me. (Ex: Press "rice" and the d sp ay w show 00:10).
- To change the cons stency of the food (ess, norma, more), s mp y press "texture". The appropriate ght widsplay, indicating that the time has been changed. The time in the display will automatically adjust accordingly. (Ex: For the "rice" function, less s 7 minutes, normal is 10 minutes and more is 13 minutes).
- 3 Cose the d and press the "start/stop" but on.
- 4 See page 21 for times for each function.

#### Example:









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## **FUNCTIONS (Continued)**

Delay: This function a lows you to set a specific time you would like to start cooking.



#### Directions:

- Press the "delay" button. The de ay bar w ght up and the first set of "00"s w be flash ng.
- Press the "+" or "-" button to ncrease or decrease the hours.
- 3 To change m nutes press the "hours/minutes" button. The second set of "00"s w be flash ng. This indicates that you can change the minutes.
- Press the "+" or "-" button to ncrease or decrease the m nutes.
- 6 Press the des red funct on button to cont nue your program based on your rec pe.
- 6 Cose the d and press the "start/stop" button.

#### Note:

- When ut z ng the de ay funct on, t w a ways be the first funct on performed.
- · You can adjust the de ay t me n 5-m nu e and 1-hour ncrements.
- The max mum amount of t me to de ay your Pressure Cooker s 24 hours.
- The de ay funct on w not work whe the Pressure Cooker s n operation.

Example:



**Warm:** This function w et you manually adjust the time you would like to keep ≈ your food warm

#### Directions:

- Press the "warm" button, d sp ay w show "04:00".
- Press the "+" or "-" button to ncrease or decrease the time. See "hours/minutes" section for instructions on adjusting the time.
- 3 Press the "start/stop" button to start.

#### Note:

- The defautt me for the wa m function is 4 hours, the min mumitime is 1 hour and the max mumitime is 24 hours.
- · You can adjust the time in 5-m nute and 1-hour increments.

The Pressure Cooker will automatically go to this warm function when a desired preset has completed. Refer to the **Auto Warm Feature** chart on page 20 for default warm times.

Example:











## **FUNCTIONS (Continued)**

Sear: This function lets you "sear" your food before cooking under pressure or before using the Slow Cook function.

#### Directions:

- Press "sear" button. D sp ay w show 00:05.
- 2 Press "start/stop" button to beg n.
- 3 See the "hours/minutes" sect on for nstruct ons on manua y adjust ng the t me.

#### Note:

- · Do not c ose d when us ng "sear" funct on.
- •The m n mum t me s 1 m nute (00:01).
- The max mum t me s 20 m nutes (00:20).
- · When comp ete, the d sp ay w show "End".

#### Example:









Slow Cook: This function lets you cook various recipes slowly at low temperatures.

#### Directions:

- Press "slow" button. D sp ay w show 04:00.
- 2 Press "start/stop" button to beg n.
- 3 See "hours/minutes" sect on for instructions on adjusting the time.

#### Note:

- Do not c ose d when us ng s ow cook funct on.
- · Use the opt ona g ass d when us ng the s ow cook funct on.
- The m n mum t me s 2 hours (02:00).
- ·The max mum t me s 9 hours (09:00).
- · When comp ete, the d sp ay w show "End".

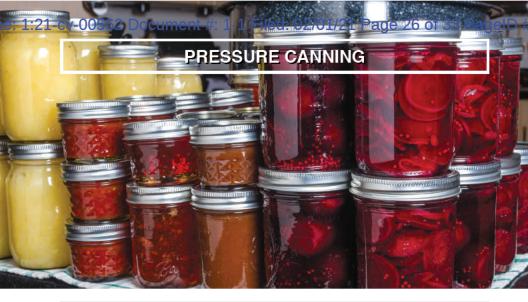
#### Example:











#### Canning

Foods w th ower acd content have a greater potent a for spo age and contam nat on than h gh acd ty foods. Proper pressure cann ng m n m zes the chances of spo age and contam nat on.

id Foods	Low Acid Foods		
Oranges	Asparagus	Mushrooms	
Peaches	Beans	Okra	
Pears	Beets	Peas	
P ck ed Beets	Carrots	Potatoes	
P neapp es	Corn	Seafood	
P ums	Hom ny	Sp nach	
Rhubarb	Meat	W nter Squash	
	Oranges Peaches Pears P ck ed Beets P neapp es P ums	Oranges Asparagus Peaches Beans Pears Beets P ck ed Beets Carrots P neapp es Corn P ums Hom ny	

Never a ter cook ng t mes, temperatures or ngred ents when pressure cann ng. Do ng so can be extreme y dangerous as there s no room for exper mentat on. Fo ow ng the exact cook ng t mes, temperatures and ngred ents sted n the rec pe w ensure that your food s protected from harmfu enzymes, bacter a and mo d. A ter ng the cook ng t me may destroy the food's nutr ents and flavor.

Enzymes found n food may promote growth of yeast and mo d, which in turn causes food to spo. These enzymes can be killed at temperatures 212°F and higher. Other contaminants, such as sa mone a, staphy ococcus aureus, and clostridium botu num, can only be killed at temperatures 240°F. These higher temperatures can only be achieved by pressure canning.

Before pressure cann ng n the NuWave Nutr -Pot D g ta Pressure Cooker, consu t an nstruct ona book wr tten spec fica y for pressure cann ng. The NuWave Nutr -Pot D g ta Pressure Cooker can be used for bas c pressure cann ng, a ong w th the water bath method. Both ow and h gh ac d fru ts and vegetab es are recommended. Meat and seafood are not recommended to be pressure canned.

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## PRESSURE CANNING (Continued)

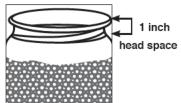
#### Safe Canning Tips:

- Do not use overr pe fru t. Bad qua ty degrades w th storage.
- Do not add more ow-ac d ngred ents (on ons, ce ery, peppers, gar c, etc.) than spec fied n the written recipe. This may lead to an unsafe end result.
- Don't use too many sp ces. Many sp ces tend to conta n h gh eve s of bacter a, wh ch may resu t n unsafe canned goods.
- 4. Do not add butter or fat to the rec pe. Fats do not store we and may cause premature spo age. Never use th ckeners such as flour, starch, pasta, r ce or bar ey.
- 5. Use on y USDA recommended too s and accessor es.
- Do add ac d (emon ju ce, v negar or c tr c ac d) espec a y to tomato products when d rected n the rec pe. If necessary, you can ba ance he tart as e by add ng sugar.

#### The NuWave Nutri-Pot® Digital Pressure Canning Process

Though your exact exper ence may vary depend ng on the spec fic rec pe you are fo ow ng, most rec pes can be prepared by fo ow ng this guide.

- On y fo ow rec pes that have been tested for pressure cann ng. Prepare the necessary ngred ents as nstructed n the rec pe.
- F c ean 16-ounce mason jars to the eve.
   Do not a ow ngred ents to exceed the eve.
   A ways eave no ess than 1 nch of head space.
- Gent y remove any nger ng a r bubb es by press ng a flex b e, nonporous spatu a between the ngred ents and the jar tse f.
- 4. P ace a c ean d onto each jar, then add a screw band. Turn the d c ockw se and t ghten n p ace. NOTE: Never re-t ghten ds after p essu z ng the jars. As the jars coo, the contents w contract, pu ng the d firm y aga nst the jar to form a h gh vacuum and create a sea. If the screw bands are too oose, qu d may escape from the jars dur ng th s process, caus ng the sea s to fa. If the screw bands are too t ght, a r cannot vent dur ng th s process, caus ng food to d sco or wheen n storage. T ghten ng the ds too much may a so cause the ds to



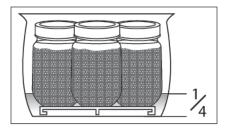


buck e and the jars to break. Screw bands are not needed on stored jars. Remove after jars have coo ed. When removed, washed, dr ed and stored, screw bands may be used many t mes. If eft on stored jars, they become d fficu t to remove, often rust, and may not work proper y aga n.

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## PRESSURE CANNING (Continued)

- 5. P ace the Inner Pot in the base unit. Then put the Wire Rack in the bottom of the Inner Pot. P ace Fied, sea ed Jars on Rack. Unit will hold up to 4-16 oz. jars (max mum).
- 6. Pour hot water over the jars and nto the Inner Pot unt the water eve reaches 1/4 of the way up the s des of the jars. For 4-16oz cans. Th s wou d be about 6 cups of water. When process ng fewer jars, more water wou d be needed.



- After read ng the Owner's Manua, put the d on the base and ock n p ace.P ug the unt nto the wa out et.
- Press the "canning" button, the Pressure Cooker w defaut to 20 m nutes.To change pressure t me, press the "time" button then adjust accord ng y.
- When the cann ng process s comp ete, the untw shut off. Press the Pressure Re ease Button to re ease the pressure. Once a the steam has escaped, carefu y remove the d.
- 10. Us ng cann ng tongs, remove the hot jars and p ace them on a heat res stant surface and a ow to coo to room temperature.
- 11. When jars are thorough y coo, remove the screw bands. The ds should be tight y sea ed to the jars and when pressed in the center they should not have any "give" or spring ing motion. If they do, you cannot safely store this food for future use. It must be reprocessed immediately or refrigerated and used within a few days.
- 12. P ace the fin shed jars on she ves n a coo, c ean, dry atmosphere. Proper y processed food w ast for months and seasons. Jars, ds and screw bands are reusable. Check a carefuly for damage before reuse.

**IMPORTANT:** It is not recommended to use the NuWave Nutri-Pot Digital Pressure Cooker as a canning device at a titudes of 2,000 feet above seal evel or higher.

#### NOTES & TIPS:

- Wh e the jars are coo ng, you w hear the ds emt a fant c ck ng sound.
   This sound indicates that the ds have properly sea ed.
- You can check the sea on flat ds by press ng down w th your thumb after they have coo ed for one hour or more. If the d remains stiff with no movement, then the ds have proper y sea ed.
- If the ds have not proper y sea ed after 2 hours of coo ng, the pressure cann ng process d d not work. Shou d th s happen, refr gerate or freeze the ngred ents and use w th n the standard use-by dates.
- A ways use supp es spec fica y manufactured for the purpose of cann ng. For best resu ts, use mason jars that are no arger than 16 ounces. When pressure cann ng, never stack the jars.

Use chart be ow. The cann no function goes to a default of 20 minutes.

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# PRESSURE CANNING (Continued)

Food	Packing C	Pressure 70kPa	
	Туре	Size (Jar)	Time (hrs:m n)
Asparagus	Hot & Raw	P nts	00:30
Beans (green)	Hot & Raw	P nts	00:20
Beans ( ma, p nto, butter or soy)	Hot & Raw	P nts	00:40
Beets	Hot	P nts	00:30
Carrots	Hot & Raw	P nts	00:25
Corn, Whole-kernel	Hot & Raw	P nts	00:55
Greens	Hot	P nts	01:10
Okra	Hot	P nts	00:25
Peas, Green or English	Hot & Raw	P nts	00:40
Potatoes, White	Hot	P nts	00:35

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TROUBLESHOOTING GUIDE				
PROBLEM	POSSIBLE CAUSE	RESOLUTION		
D fficu ty c os ng d.	S cone Gasket may not be p aced correct y. Foater Va ve may be b ock ng the push rod.	P ace the S cone Gasket correct y. Push the F oater Va ve to the correct post on.		
D fficu ty open ng d.	The F oater Va ve may not be fa ng down proper y. Pot may be st under pressure.	Push the Foater Vave Correct y.		
Gas eakage from cooker d.	Some ngred ents may get stuck to the S cone Gasket. S cone gasket may be broken.	C ean the S cone Gasket.  Make sure that the d s c osed as per nstruct ons on page 16.		
Gas eakage from the Foater Va ve.	Some ngred ents may st ck to the Foater Va ve's sea ng crce. The Foater Va ve's sea ng crce may be broken.	C ean the Ant -C og F ter. The F oater Va ve's sea ng c rc e may need to be rep aced.		
F oater Va ve does not ra se up.	There may not be enough ngred ents/water to generate enough pressure. Gas eakage from d or Pressure Re ease Va ve.	Ingred ents or water need to be at m n mum eve. Un t may need to be sent to the manufacturer.		
Pressure not bu d ng up	The d s not proper y ocked n p ace.	Take the d off and retry. Ho d d, ower t and turn c ockw se to ock. (Refer to nstruct ons on Pg.15.) LED pane w ght up and d sp ay that Sure Lock™ Safety Feature s act vated. Pressure w start bu d ng up after that.		

If the unit needs to be replaced or returned to the manufacturer, please contact our Customer Service Department at: 1-877-689-2838 • help@nuwavenow.com

Contact Costumer Service if any of these errors occur					
Code	E1	E2	E3	E4	
Error	Broken circuit of sensor	Short circuit of sensor	Over heat	Signal switch broken	



## **WARNING**

Please immediately cut off circuit and send unit to our Customer Service Department in case of other problems.

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### WARRANTY

# The NuWave" Nutri-Pot® Digital Pressure Cooker THE MANUFACTURER WARRANTS

The NuWave Nutr-Pot D g ta Pressure Cooker nc ud ng the Pressure Re ease Va ve, Pressure Re ease Button, Tempered G ass L d, Rack, Inner Pot, Pressure Cooker Hand e, Contro Pane, Hous ng, Inner L d, S cone Gasket, Ant -C og F ter, Measur ng Cup, Water-Co ect on Box, R ce Spoon and Soup Lad e are to be free from manufacturer defects.

A eectr ca components are warranted for 1 year from the date of purchase, under norma househod use, and when operated in accordance with the Manufacturer's written instructions. The Manufacturer will provide the necessary parts and abor to repair any part of the NuWave Nutri-Pot Digital Pressure Cooker at NuWave, LLC. Service Department. After the expiration of the warranty, the cost of the abor and parts will be the responsibility of the owner.

#### THE WARRANTY DOES NOT COVER

The L m ted Warranty s vo ded f repars are made by an unauthor zed dea er or the ser a number data p ate s removed or defaced. Norma deteroration of finish due to use or exposure s not covered by this Warranty. This L m ted Warranty does not cover failure, damages or nadequate performance due to accident, acts of God (such as ghtning), fluctuations in electric power, a terations, abuse, misuse, misuse, misuse, corros ve type atmospheres, mproper installation, failure to operate in accordance with the Manufacturer's written instructions, abnormalluse or commercial use.

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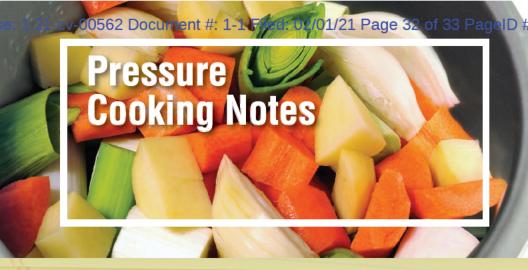
The owner sha have the ob gat on and respons b ty to: Pay for a serv ces and parts not covered by the warranty; Prepay the fre ght to and from Serv ce Department for any part or system returned under this warranty; Carefully package the product using adequate padding materia to prevent damage in transit. The original container is dealfor this purpose. Include in the package the owner's name, address, day time telephone number, a detailed description of the problem, and your "RGA number." e-mail help@nuwavenow.com to obtain the RGA (Return Goods Authorization number). Provide the cooking system mode & serial number and proof of date of purchase (a copy of the receipt) when making claims under this warranty.

#### MANUFACTURER'S OBLIGATION

The Manufacturer's ob gat on under this Limited Warranty is imited to repair ng or replacing any part covered by this Limited Warranty which upon examination is found to be defective under normal use. The Limited Warranty is applicable only within the continental United States and only to the original purchaser of the manufacturer's authorized channes of distribution. The Limited Warranty May Not be altered, varied or extended except By a Written instrument executed by the Manufacturer. The remedy of repair or repair or repair of the manufacturer is authorized that remediately of Repair or Replacement as Provided Under this Limited Warranty is exclusive. In No event shall the Manufacturer be liable for any consequential or incidental damages to any person, whether or not occasioned by negligence of the Manufacturer, including without Limitation, damages for loss of use, costs of substitution, property damage, or other money loss.

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#### PRESSURE COOKING

#### Tip:

The NuWave Nutri-Pot Digital Pressure Cooker will beep to indicate that the cooking time is complete.

**Preheating:** While the unit reaches the appropriate temperature for the function selected, the display will show "**PH**" indicating that it is preheating. Once the unit reaches the appropriate pressure, it will shift from preheating to the selected preset cooking time. Once pressure has built inside the Pressure Cooker, the PH display will change to P, followed by the amount of time it will remain under pressure.

**Pressure:** The function selected will determine the amount of pressure time. In this example, the display will show "**P0:10**" (pressure time). The colon or ":" will flash to indicate that the Pressure Cooker is under pressure and the timer is counting down.

**Auto Warm Feature:** When pressure cooking is complete, the Pressure Cooker will automatically switch to the warm function. This allows the pressure to naturally release while your food remains warm. The times for the presets are listed on page 15.

What is quick release? To quickly release the pressure, simply press the Quick Release Button. This will rapidly release the steam, and when the pressure indicator is down this allows you to safely open your Pressure Cooker. By releasing the steam this way you can quickly open The Pressure Cooker without cooling off the pot and stopping the cooking process.



What is natural release? To naturally release the pressure, simply wait for the pressure indicator to go down, allowing the Pressure Cooker to naturally release steam as it slowly cools. This allows you to finish the cooking process as the Pressure Cooker gradually releases steam. The natural release method takes up to 15 minutes. If the pressure remains in the Pressure Cooker, simply press the Quick Release Button to release any remaining pressure.

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