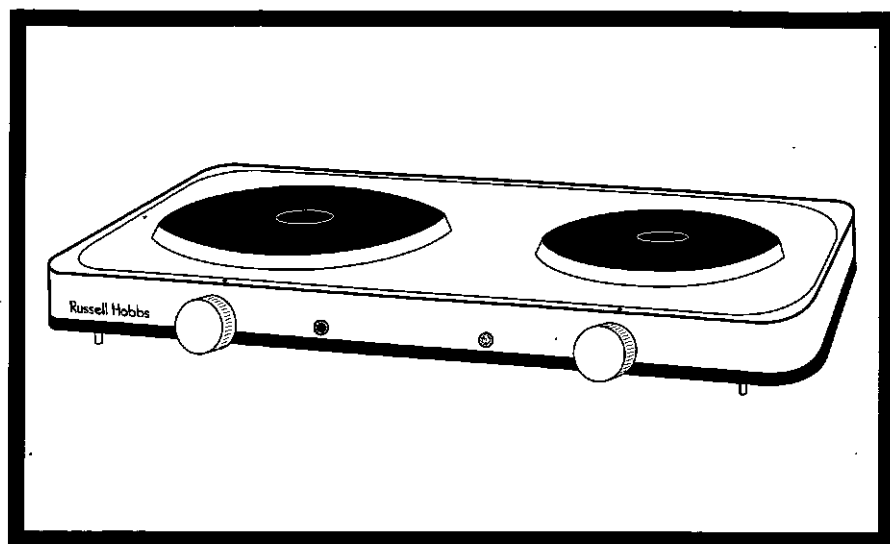


Russell Hobbs



Double Boiling Ring

Instructions & Guarantee

Model No. 9934

Read these instructions before using your Double Boiling Ring and keep them in a safe place for future reference. If you pass the Double Boiling Ring on to anyone else, you should also pass on the instructions. Keep the packaging until you are satisfied that this product is operating correctly.

IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

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

1. In common with other portable electrical appliances, the Double Boiling Ring must never be put in water, used in a bathroom, or used near any source of water. Do not use outdoors.
2. Position the hob on a firm, level work surface, close to a power socket.
3. The work surface must be heat resistant, dry and at least 75cm (30in) above floor level.
4. Do not position the hob beneath cupboards, or near curtains or other combustible materials.
5. Keep the hob away from the edge of the work surface and out of reach of children and anyone insensitive to heat.
6. Position the mains lead so that it does not overhang the work surface as this may be a safety hazard, especially when there are children about.
7. Do not leave the appliance unattended, especially if there are children in the vicinity.
8. Take care when cooking with oil or fat to guard against overheating.
9. Do not let the mains lead touch any part of the appliance itself or any other hot surfaces.
10. The sides and base of the hob will be very hot when in use. Do not touch them.
11. Because of the heat generated, a gap of at least 5cm (2in) must be left all round the appliance.
12. Do not attempt to move the hob until it has completely cooled down, nor whilst it has pans standing on it.
13. Pans should be placed centrally on the hotplates. Handles should be positioned safely out of the way, where they cannot be knocked.
14. Choose pans with bases the same size as the hotplate on which they are to be used, otherwise overheating may occur.
15. Do not use oversized pans (e.g. catering pans) or any pan which covers both hotplates, as this will cause overheating and damage to the hob.
16. After use always switch off and unplug from the power socket. Allow the hob to cool down fully before cleaning or storing away.
17. Do not wrap the mains lead around the hob.
18. Examine the mains lead regularly for signs of damage. If there is any sign of damage, do not use the appliance but return it to our Service Department for replacement as special purpose tools are required (see "AFTER SALES SERVICE").



This appliance is suitable for household use only.

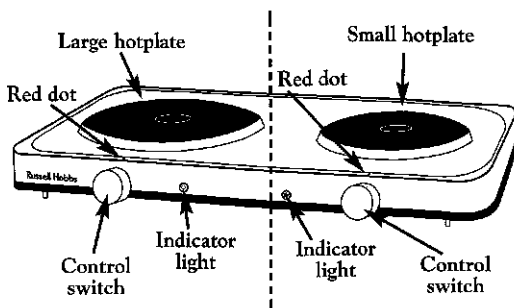
POSITIONING

Position the hob on a firm, level, heat resistant work surface, which must be at least 75cm (30in) above floor level.

Do not use the hob under cupboards, near curtains or near other combustible materials. Keep it away from the edge of the work surface, out of reach of children and anyone insensitive to heat, and route the mains lead so that it does not hang down and cannot be caught accidentally.

OPERATION

The controls are fairly simple. Each hotplate is controlled by the knob directly in front of it. The knobs are marked 0 (off) to 5+ (maximum). They should be turned until the numbers required are opposite the red dots marked on the front edge of the upper surface of the hob.



The indicator light associated with each hotplate will light up as the hotplate heats, and will then cycle on and off as the thermostat operates to maintain the temperature.

BEFORE USING FOR THE FIRST TIME

Before using for the first time, the protective coating must be burned off the hotplates. Ensure the room is well ventilated while doing this, as it may give off an unpleasant smell.

Set the controls for both hotplates to setting 5 and leave switched on for 5 minutes.

Switch off (0 upwards), unplug, and leave to cool down completely.

Wipe any residues off the surfaces of the hob and hotplates (see "CARE AND CLEANING"). The hob is now ready for use.

HOW TO USE

1. Check that both controls are in the "Off" position (0 upwards), then plug into the power socket (switch the socket on, if appropriate).
2. Use heavy-based flat-bottomed pans which will make good contact with the hotplates.
3. The hotplates have a range of temperatures. Use the lower heat settings (1-2) for simmering, medium (3) for rolling boil and the higher settings (4-5) for boiling.
4. Due to the construction of the hob, a certain amount of residual heat will remain after switching off. This may be used to keep food warm for a short period, e.g. to dry off potatoes or rice.

CARE AND CLEANING

Always unplug the appliance and allow it to cool down completely before cleaning.

Mop up any spillages after each use, do not leave them to harden.

Clean the surface of the hob by wiping with a soft cloth and a little household detergent or cream cleaner.

Clean the hotplates with a damp cloth.

The steel hotplate surrounds may be cleaned with a proprietary stainless steel cleaner.

Do not immerse the hob in water or any other liquid.

Do not use harsh or abrasive cleaners.

CONNECTION TO THE MAINS SUPPLY

Check that the voltage marked on the product corresponds with your supply voltage. This product is fitted with a 13A plug complying with BS1363. If this plug is unsuitable or needs to be replaced, please note the following:

WARNING - THIS APPLIANCE MUST BE EARTHED

Important: The wires in the mains lead are coloured in accordance with the following code:


GREEN/YELLOW - EARTH

BLUE - NEUTRAL

BROWN - LIVE

FOR UK USE ONLY - Plug fitting details (where applicable):

As the colours of the wires in the mains lead of this appliance may not correspond with the coloured markings identifying the terminals in your plug, proceed as follows:

The GREEN/YELLOW wire is the EARTH and must be connected to the terminal which is marked with the letter E or by the earth symbol , or coloured GREEN or GREEN/YELLOW.

The BLUE wire is the NEUTRAL and must be connected to the terminal which is marked with the letter N or coloured BLACK.

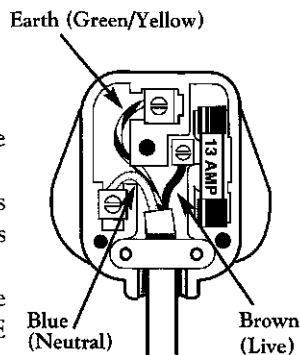
The BROWN wire is the LIVE wire and must be connected to the terminal which is marked with the letter L or coloured RED.

Always ensure that the plug cord grip is fastened correctly.

If a 13A (BS1363) fused plug is used it must be fitted with a 13A fuse conforming to BS1362 and be ASTA approved.

If in doubt consult a qualified electrician who will be pleased to do this for you.

This product conforms to EC Directive 92/31/EEC with respect to Electromagnetic Compatibility.



NON-REWIREABLE MAINS PLUG

If your appliance is supplied with a non-rewireable plug fitted to the mains lead you will find that it incorporates a fuse, the value of which is indicated either on the base of the plug or on the fuse carrier. Should the fuse need replacing, you must use an ASTA approved one (conforming to BS1362) of the same rating. If the fuse cover is lost the plug must not be used until a replacement is obtained from an electrical supplier.

If you need to remove the plug - cut it from the mains lead and immediately dispose of it. Never attempt to re-use this plug or insert it into a socket outlet as there is a very great risk of an electric shock.



AFTER SALES SERVICE

There are no user serviceable parts in this appliance. If the appliance is not operating correctly, please check that:

1. You have followed the instructions correctly.
2. The plug fuse has not blown.
3. The main supply fuse has not blown/circuit breaker has not tripped.

If you need to return the appliance please follow these instructions:

1. Pack it carefully.
2. Enclose your name and address.
3. Give the reason why you are returning it.
4. If within the guarantee period, state where and when purchased and include proof of purchase (e.g. till receipt).
5. For service in the U.K. send it to our Customer Service Department, at the address at the end of this leaflet.

GUARANTEE

This product is guaranteed for a period of one year from the date of purchase or hire purchase against mechanical and electrical defects. It is particularly important that the purchaser should carefully read the instructions provided, in order to get maximum use from this product.

This guarantee is only valid if the appliance is used solely for domestic purposes in accordance with the instructions and provided that it is not connected to an unsuitable electricity supply or dismantled or interfered with in any way or damaged through misuse. Under this guarantee we undertake to repair or replace free of charge any parts found to be defective.

Nothing in this guarantee or the instructions relating to the product excludes, restricts or otherwise affects your statutory rights.

In line with our policy of continuous product development we reserve the right to change the product, packaging and documentation specifications without notice.

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