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WAFFLE & CONTACT GRILL PRO

CONTACT GRILL PRO

Type 7953

User manual



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INTENDED USE

- Only use the appliance as described in this manual.
- This appliance is intended to prepare various types of food by grilling.
- This appliance is intended to be used in household and similar applications such as:
 - staff kitchen areas in shops, offices and other working environments;
 - farm houses;
 - by clients in hotels, motels and other residential type environments;
 - bed and breakfast type environments and not for commercial use.
- This appliance is intended for indoor use only.
- This appliance can be used by children aged from 8 years and above and persons with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities or lack of experience and knowledge if they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance in a safe way and understand the hazard involved. Children shall not play with the appliance. Cleaning and user maintenance shall not be made by children without supervision.
- Any use of the appliance other than described in this manual is regarded as misuse and may cause injury, damage to the appliance and void the warranty.

IMPORTANT SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

General safety instructions

WARNING

- Ensure you have fully read and understood the instructions in this user manual before you install or use the appliance. Keep this document for future reference.
- Do not use the appliance if a part is damaged or defective. Replace a damaged or defective appliance immediately.
- If the power cable is damaged, it must be replaced by the manufacturer, the service agent or similar qualified personnel in order to avoid a hazard.
- Do not disconnect the appliance from the mains by pulling on the cable. Always grasp the power plug and pull.

Safety instructions regarding installation

⚠ WARNING

- Do not drop the appliance and avoid bumping.
- Place the appliance on a stable, flat, heat and moisture resistant surface.
- Keep a minimum safety distance of 20 cm between the appliance and walls, curtains or other materials and objects and make sure that the air around the appliance can circulate freely.
- Do not place the appliance in direct sunlight.
- Before using the appliance, check that the voltage stated on the type plate of your appliance matches your mains voltage. Do not operate the appliance with a multiway plug adapter.
- Never use the appliance with an external timer switch or remote control.
- Do not leave the power cable hanging over table edges to prevent the appliance from being pulled down or knocked over. Make sure that neither the appliance nor the power cord or plug comes into contact with hot surfaces, such as hotplates or a radiator, or that they come into contact with the appliance itself.
- Do not leave the power cable hanging over table edges to prevent the appliance from being pulled down. Make sure that neither the appliance nor the power cord or plug comes into contact with hot surfaces, such as hotplates or a radiator, or that they come into contact with the appliance itself.
- Never place the appliance in such a way that it is at risk of falling into water or coming into contact with water resp. other liquids (e.g. in or near a sink).

- Never reach for an appliance that has fallen into water or other liquids:
 - Always wear dry rubber gloves to unplug the appliance before taking it out of the water.
 - Do not start using the appliance again before having it checked for functionality and safety by Solis or a service center authorized by Solis.
- Do not place the appliance directly under a power outlet.
- Switch off and unplug the appliance before moving the appliance.
- Fully unwind the power cable before use.

Safety instructions regarding use

⚠ WARNING

- Children must be supervised to ensure that they not play with the appliance.
- Do not operate the appliance with wet hands.
- Only use the appliance with the provided accessories or accessories recommended by Solis.
- Parts of the appliance may get hot during use. When the appliance is operating, only touch the control panel and the handle.
- To avoid damage the non-stick coating of the grill plates, never use sharp, pointy or metal kitchen tools. Only use kitchen tools made from heat resistant plastic or wood.
- Do not move the appliance when in use.
- Never cut food directly on the grill plates.
- Always unplug the appliance when not in use.

- Do not touch the plates in the appliance during use. Always allow the appliance and the grill plates to cool down completely before touching them. The plates in this appliance get hot. Contact with the plates can cause burns (see image A).



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Safety instructions regarding maintenance

⚠ WARNING

- Unplug the appliance before service, cleaning and when replacing parts.
- Do not try to open or repair the appliance. It must be serviced by Solis or by a service agent authorized by Solis.
- Let the appliance cool down before cleaning.
- Never immerse the appliance in water or other liquids or place it in a dishwasher.
- Do not use abrasive chemical cleaning agents such as ammonia, acid or acetone when cleaning the appliance. This can damage the appliance.

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Please check the contents of the package:

1x CONTACT GRILL PRO

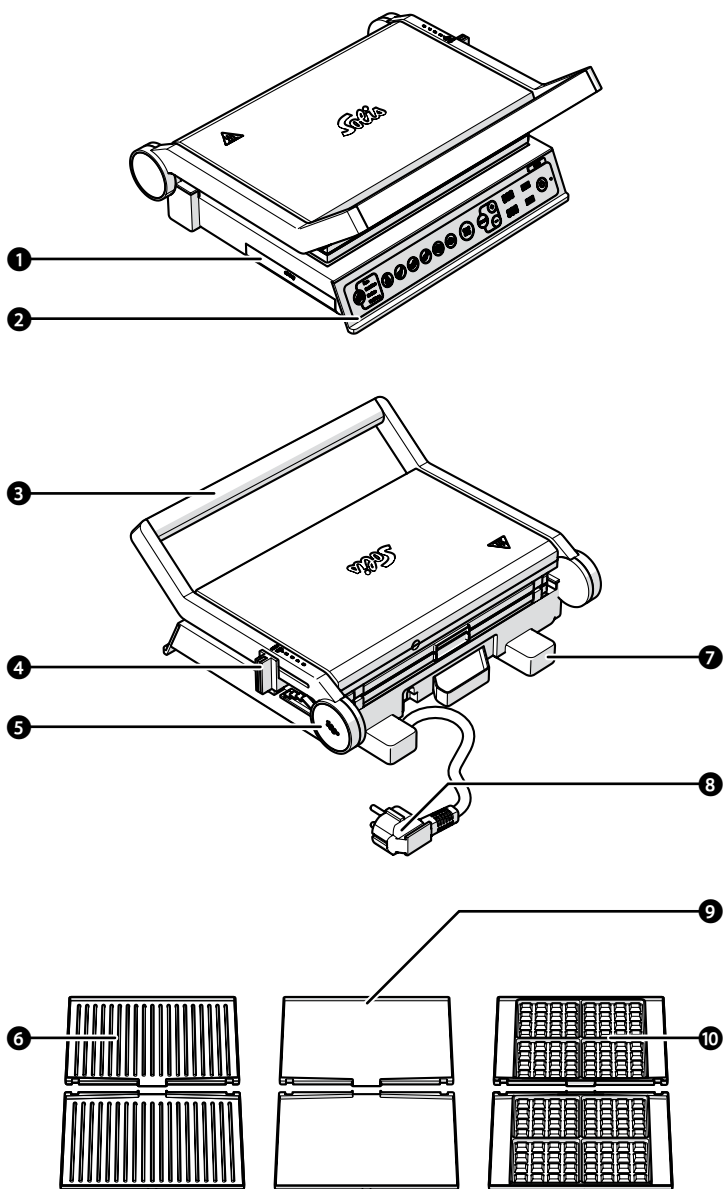
2x Ribbed grill plates

2x Waffle plates (available as an accessory depending on the grill version)

Flat grill plates are available as accessories

APPLIANCE DESCRIPTION

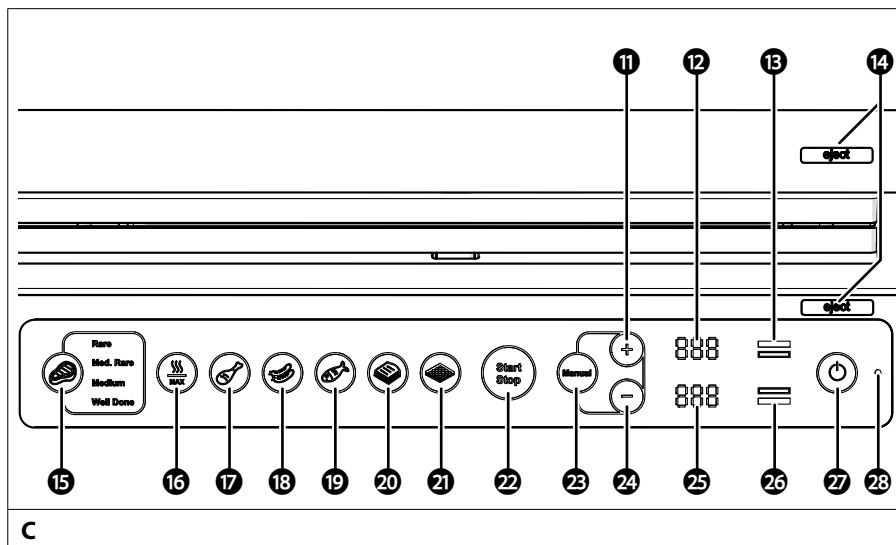
This appliance is a grill that is used to grill various types of food. The grill can be used folded to grill food on both sides, but the grill can also be used as a table grill. With the use of the 180° button, the grill can be fully opened to enjoy a night of grilling together. If you are in need of something sweet afterwards, you can use the appliance as a waffle maker with the waffle plates. Go and explore the many possibilities of the CONTACT GRILL PRO.



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- 1 Drip tray
- 2 Control buttons
- 3 Handle
- 4 Height slider
- 5 180° button
- 6 Ribbed grill plates
- 7 Feet
- 8 Power cable
- 9 Flat grill plates (available as accessories)
- 10 Waffle plates (available as an accessory depending on the grill version)

▲ CONTROL BUTTONS



- 11 Increase button
- 12 Upper plate display
- 13 Upper plate button
- 14 *EJECT* buttons
- 15 Steak program button
- 16 *MAX* button
- 17 Chicken legg program button
- 18 Sausage program button
- 19 Fish program button
- 20 Sandwich program button
- 21 Waffle program button
- 22 *START/STOP* button
- 23 *MANUAL* button
- 24 Decrease button
- 25 Lower plate display
- 26 Lower plate button
- 27 Power button
- 28 Power LED

▲ BEFORE FIRST USE

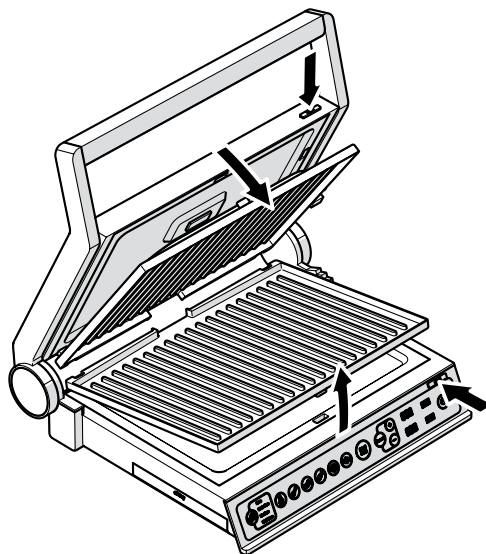
To prepare the appliance before first use:

1. Place the appliance on a flat, stable, and heat and moisture resistant surface.
2. Remove and discard all packaging materials and potential stickers or labels (except for the type plate) before using the appliance for the first time.
3. Set the **height slider** 4 to *OPEN* and open the grill.
4. Wipe the **grill plates** 6 9 10 with a moist cloth. Dry the **grill plates** 6 9 10.
5. Make sure that the **grill plates** 6 9 10 are correctly locked into the grill.
6. Close the grill again.
7. Plug the **power cable** 8 into a power outlet. The **power button** 27 starts blinking.
8. Press the **power button** 27. The **power button** 27 lights up white, the **power LED** 28 lights up green, the **program buttons** 2 light up in sequence.
9. Press the **MAX button** 16. The **MAX button** 16 lights up white and the **START/STOP button** 22 starts blinking.
10. Press the **START/STOP button** 22. The **START/STOP button** 22 lights up white and the upper plate display starts blinking.
11. Wait 5 minutes for the grill to heat up.
12. Press the **START/STOP button** 22 to stop the MAX program.
13. Press the **power button** 27.
14. Unplug the appliance.
15. Let the appliance and the grill plates cool down.
16. Wipe the **grill plates** 6 9 10 with a moist cloth.
17. Dry the **grill plates** 6 9 10 with a dry cloth.

▲ CHANGING THE GRILL PLATES

To change the grill plates:

1. Ensure that the **grill plates** 6 9 10 are cooled down.
2. Open the grill at 105 degrees.
3. Press the **EJECT buttons** 14 and remove the **grill plates** 6 9 10.
4. Slide the desired grill plate under the hooks in the appliance.
5. Press the grill plate towards the appliance until it clicks into place.



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▲ OPENING THE APPLIANCE 180°

To open the appliance 180°:

1. Open the grill 105 degrees with the **handle 3**.
2. Press and hold the **180° button 5** while opening the appliance.
3. Place the **handle 3** on a flat, stable, and heat and moisture resistant surface.

▲ USING MANUAL MODE

With the manual mode, the temperature of the grill plates can be selected manually. The manual mode can be used when the appliance is closed, opened 105 degrees or opened at 180 degrees.

- Closed: The temperature of both plates are the same, only one temperature can be set.
- At 105 degrees: Only the temperature of the lower plate can be adjusted, the upper plate is switched off.
- At 180 degrees: The temperature of both plates can be adjusted or switched off individually.

To use manual mode:

1. Press the **power button** 27. The **power button** 27 lights up white, the **power LED** 28 lights up green.
2. Press the **MANUAL button** 23. The **MANUAL button** 23 lights up white, the **START / STOP button** 22 starts blinking and the **plate display(s)** 12 25 starts / start blinking.
3. Only at 180 degrees: Press the **upper or lower plate button** 13 26 to select the plate of which the temperature should be adjusted. The temperature on the **plate display** 12 25 of the selected plate blinks.
4. Use the **increase and decrease buttons** 11 24 to set the temperature.

 The set temperature is displayed in °C.

5. Press the **START / STOP button** 22 to start the heating of the plates. The **plate displays** 12 25 start blinking.

 If the selected program is not started within 5 seconds, the program will be deselected and the **MANUAL-button** 23 starts blinking again.

The appliance beeps twice when it has reached the set temperature. The plate displays stop blinking.

USING THE AUTOMATIC PROGRAMS

The automatic programs can only be used when the appliance is in the closed position.

To use the automatic programs:

1. Press the **power button** 27. The **power button** 27 lights up white, the **power LED** 28 lights up green.
2. Press one of the blinking **control buttons** 2 except the **MANUAL button** 23 and the **waffle program button** 21 to select one of the automatic programs:

Program		approx. Temperature of the plates	approx. Grilling time Food thickness ≤ 3 cm	approx. Grilling time Food thickness > 3 cm
Steak program button 15	<i>RARE</i>	240 °C ± 15 °C (measured in the centre of the plates)	2:00 minutes	3:00 minutes
	<i>MED. RARE</i>		3:00 minutes	4:00 minutes
	<i>MEDIUM</i>		4:30 minutes	7:00 minutes
	<i>WELL DONE</i>		7:00 minutes	10:00 minutes
MAX button 16		245 °C ± 15 °C	2 + 10 minutes (preheating + max. power)	
Chicken leg program button 17		210 °C ± 15 °C	9:30 minutes	13:30 minutes
Sausage program button 18		230 °C ± 15 °C	8:00 minutes	12:00 minutes
Fish program button 19		210 °C ± 15 °C	6:30 minutes	10:30 minutes
Sandwich program button 20		210 °C ± 15 °C	4:00 minutes	7:00 minutes

- Press the **START / STOP button 22** to start the selected program. The selected program button lights up white. The **upper plate display 12** starts blinking.

i If the selected program is not started within 5 seconds, the program will be deselected and the buttons on the appliance start blinking again.

i The appliance detects the food thickness and automatically adjusts the grilling time.

- Wait until the appliances beeps and *RUN* is displayed on the **upper plate display 12**. The appliance is heated up.

- Open the appliance and place the food on the lower grill plate.

- Close the upper grill plate.

i Adjust the height of the upper grill plate with the height slider. For pressure sensitive foods, set the upper grill plate height so the upper grill is not placed onto the food.

i The timer automatically starts when the grill is closed. Nothing changes on the control panel.

When the program is completed the appliance beeps twice, the appliance stops heating and the program buttons start blinking in sequence again to wait for the next program choice.

7. When the food is grilled, open the upper grill plate with the **handle 3**.
8. Take the food from the grill plate.

▲ MAKING WAFFLES

Waffles can only be made when the **waffle plates 10** are inserted and the appliance is used in the closed position.

To make waffles:

1. Insert the **waffle plates 10** and make sure that the waffle plate marked *WAFFLE LOW* is inserted in the appliance and the waffle plate marked *WAFFLE TOP* is inserted in the lid.
2. Close the appliance with the **handle 3**.
3. Press the **power button 27**. The **power button 27** lights up white, the **power LED 28** lights up green.
4. Press the **waffle program button 21**. The **waffle program button 21** lights up white, the **START / STOP button 22** starts blinking and the **lower plate display 25** lights up.
5. Use the **increase and decrease buttons 11 24** to set the timer to your preference. The default setting is 100 seconds.

i The set time is displayed in seconds.

i If the selected program is not started within 5 seconds, the program will be deselected and the **waffle program button 21** starts blinking again.

6. Press the **START / STOP button 22** to preheat the appliance. The **plate displays 12 25** blink.
7. Wait until the appliance beeps and the upper plate display shows RUN. The appliance is heated up. The timer runs directly after the appliance is heated up.
8. Open the upper grill plate with the **handle 3** and pour the waffle batter on the lower grill plate. The timer stops.
9. Close the appliance with the **handle 3**.
10. Wait until the timer has ended and the appliance beeps. The timer starts to count up. Now you can open the lid and check if the waffles are brown enough. If the waffle is not yet browned enough, close the lid again and check if the waffles are brown enough after a few seconds. Once the desired colour of brown has been reached, you can read the seconds on the display and add them to the originally programmed time for the next cycle.
11. Press the **START / STOP button 22** to stop the timer.
12. Press the **waffle program button 21**. The **waffle program button 21** lights up white, the **START / STOP button 22** starts blinking and the **lower plate display 25** lights up and shows the timer.
13. Use the **increase and decrease buttons 11 24** to adjust the timer if necessary.

14. Press the **START / STOP button** 22 to start the timer.
15. Wait until the timer is done and the appliance beeps. The timer starts to count up
16. Press the **START / STOP button** 22. To make more waffles, start at again at step 12.
17. Open the upper grill plate with the **handle** 3.
18. Take the waffles from the grill plate.

i When waffle plates are inserted, the lid cannot be locked.

▲ SWITCHING OFF THE APPLIANCE

To switch off the appliance:

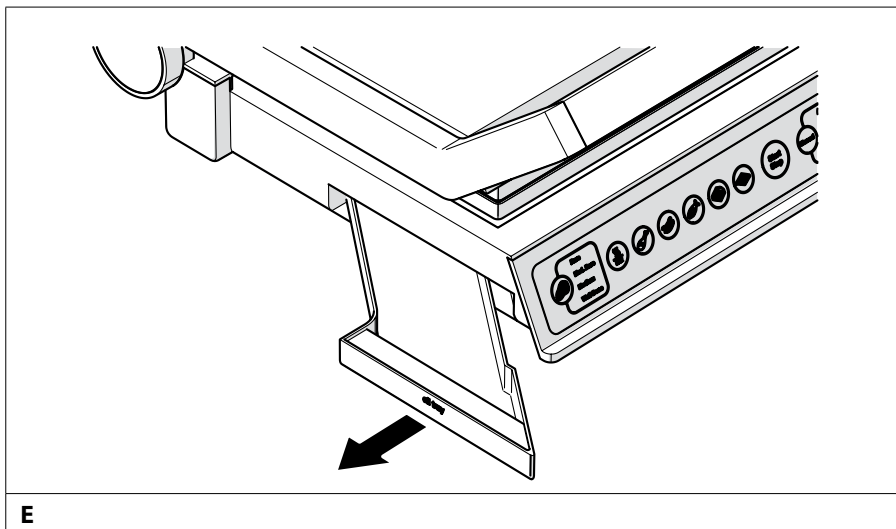
1. Press the **START / STOP button** 22. The selected program stops. The control buttons start blinking in sequence. The **power LED** 28 lights up green.
2. Press the **power button** 27. All lights switch off and the power button blinks.

i Let the appliance cool down.

▲ CLEANING AND CARE

We recommend cleaning the appliance every week. To clean the appliance:

1. Switch off and unplug the appliance.
2. Let the appliance cool down.
3. Clean the outside of the appliance with a damp cloth and a mild detergent.
4. Remove the **drip tray** 1 from the appliance (see image E).



5. Clean the **drip tray** ① in warm water. Use a soft, non-scraping sponge and a mild detergent.
6. Dry the **drip tray** ①.
7. Reinsert the **drip tray** ① into the appliance.

 Do not clean the drip tray in a dishwasher.

8. Wipe coarse food remains from the **grill plates** ⑥ ⑨ ⑩.
9. Wipe the **grill plates** ⑥ ⑨ ⑩ with a damp cloth.

 If the grill plates are very dirty, follow the steps in chapter *Cleaning the grill plates*.

CLEANING THE GRILL PLATES

1. Ensure that the **grill plates** ⑥ ⑨ ⑩ are cooled down.
2. Open the grill at 105 degrees.
3. Press the **EJECT buttons** ⑭ and remove the **grill plates** ⑥ ⑨ ⑩.

 Never use metal or sharp objects to clean the grill plates.

4. Clean the **grill plates** ⑥ ⑨ ⑩ in hot dish water. Use a nylon dish scrubber or a soft, non-scraping sponge.
5. Rinse the **grill plates** ⑥ ⑨ ⑩ with clean water.
6. Dry the **grill plates** ⑥ ⑨ ⑩.
7. Reinsert the **grill plates** ⑥ ⑨ ⑩.

 The grill plates can also be cleaned in a dishwasher.

STORAGE

1. Let the appliance cool down.
2. Store the appliance in a dry and enclosed space.

▲ TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Model-No.	Type 7953
Voltage / frequency	220 – 240 V~ / 50 – 60 Hz
Output (grill mode)	2000 W
Output (waffle mode)	1600 W
Standby power consumption	≤ 0.5 W
Dimensions (W × D × H)	37 × 37 × 17 cm
Weight (without grill plates)	4.1 kg
Timer range (in waffle mode)	10 - 300 seconds

Technical changes reserved.

▲ AVAILABLE ACCESSORIES

Article no.	Article
720.20	Ribbed grill plate (1 piece)
720.21	Flat grill plate (1 piece)
720.22	Waffle plates (top / bottom)

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible cause	Solution
The appliance does not function.	The power connection is not working.	Make sure the power cable is connected to a working power source.
	The appliance is not switched on.	Make sure the power button is pressed.
	The appliance is damaged.	Press any button. If the appliance doesn't switch on, the appliance is damaged. Contact Solis or a Solis authorized service center.
The upper and lower plate displays show ER1, all lights are blinking and the buzzer gives off a warning sound.	The temperature sensor is short circuited.	Remove the power cable from the power outlet. Wait until the appliance is disconnected from the power for at least 3 seconds. The appliance resets the error.
The upper and lower plate displays show ER2, all lights are blinking and the buzzer gives off a warning sound.	The temperature of a grill plate has not been reached within a safe time.	
The upper and lower plate displays show ER3, all lights are blinking and the buzzer gives off a warning sound.	The appliance keeps heating a grill plate after a safe time.	

▲ DISPOSAL



This marking indicates that this product should not be disposed with other household wastes throughout the EU. To prevent possible harm to the environment or human health from uncontrolled waste disposal, recycle it responsibly to promote the sustainable reuse of material resources. To return your used device, please use the return and collection systems or contact the retailer where the product was purchased. They can take this product for environmental safe recycling.

▲ 2 YEAR GUARANTEE

 Only valid with a till receipt.

We provide a guarantee for this appliance, if the defect has demonstrably arisen as a result of faults in the material or construction, and has arisen despite proper handling and care. Glass breakage is not covered by the guarantee. The guarantee starts from the date of sale, as noted on the sales receipt, which must be enclosed with the appliance. For commercial use, the guarantee lasts for 12 months. The detailed guarantee conditions are available at www.solis.com.

▲ SOLIS CUSTOMER SERVICE



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