OPERATING AND MAINTENANCE MANUAL

Professional slicer of model Stresa
220S, 250S, 250HD, 300S, 300HD
INTRODUCTION

• This manual is meant to provide customers with information on the slicer and its specifications and the necessary operating and maintenance instructions in order to guarantee the best possible use of the machine and preserve its efficiency in the long term.
• This manual is to be used by qualified and skilled people well informed about the use of the slicer and its periodical maintenance.

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From time to time pour some oil drops (from the oil phial provided with the slicer) onto the round bar along which the carriage slides back and forth; this operation can be carried out through the hole (OIL) next to the dial knob.

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If for some reason, you decide to put the machine out of service, make sure nobody can use it: disconnect it from mains and eliminate the electrical connections.

8.2 - WEEE Waste of Electric and Electronic Equipment


This symbol, crossed out wheelie bin, on the product or on its packaging indicates that this product must not be disposed of with your other household waste. Separate waste collection of this appliance is organised and managed by the manufacturer. It is the user’s responsibility to contact the manufacturer and follow the waste treatment system the manufacturer has adopted for separate waste collection.

The separate collection and recycling of your waste equipment at the time of disposal will help to conserve natural resources and ensure that it is recycled in a manner that protects human health and the environment.
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The sharpener cleaning operation is carried out by rubbing the grinding moles with a brush; the moles must be placed in the safety position which means that they must be turned towards the side opposite to the blade.

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The two screws (a) locking the deflector must be unscrewed to remove it (see FIG. n°15).

At this stage clean the deflector with hot water and neutral detergent.

**CHAP. 7 - MAINTENANCE**

7.1 - GENERAL FEATURES
Before starting maintenance it is necessary to:
a) disconnect the power supply cord plug from the socket to isolate the slicer from the electric circuit completely.
b) Place the dial knob adjusting the thickness plate in the “0” position.

7.2 - BELT
The belt is not to be adjusted. Generally it must be replaced after 3/4 years; in this case please call your authorized “SERVICE CENTRE”.

7.3 - FEET
Feet may deteriorate and lose elasticity thus reducing the stability of the slicer. In this case they must be replaced.

7.4 - POWER SUPPLY CORD
Periodically check whether the power supply cord is worn-out and, if this is the case, please call the “SERVICE CENTRE” to have it replaced.

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1.1 - GENERAL PRECAUTIONS
• The slicer must be operated only by highly qualified people who are fully aware of the safety measures described in this manual.
• In case of a personnel turnover, training is to be provided in advance.
• Although the slicer is equipped with safety devices in the dangerous points, it is recommended not to touch the blade and the moving components.
• Before starting cleaning and maintenance, disconnect the slicer plug from the supply socket.
• Assess the residual risks carefully when protection devices are removed to carry out cleaning and maintenance.
• Cleaning and maintenance require great concentration.
• A regular control of the electric supply cords is absolutely necessary; a worn-out or damaged cord can expose users to great electric shock hazard.
• If the slicer shows malfunctions, it is recommended not to use it and to abstain from trying to repair it; please call the “SERVICE CENTRE”.
• Do not use the slicer for frozen products, meat and fish with bones and any products other than foodstuffs.
• Do not use the slicer without the help of the meat pusher, when the meat is nearly finished.
• Do not place yourself in a dangerous position, the blade may cause injuries.
• The manufacturer is not liable in the following cases:
  ⇒ if the slicer has been tampered by non-authorized personnel;
  ⇒ if some parts have been substituted by non original spare parts;
  ⇒ if the instructions contained in this manual are not followed accurately;
  ⇒ if the slicer is not cleaned and oiled with the right products.

1.2 - SAFETY SYSTEMS INSTALLED IN THE SLICER
1.2.1 - mechanical safety system
The mechanical safety system of the slicer described in this manual complies with EC directives 2006/42 and regulations EN 1974.
The safety system includes (see 1.3.3):
- blade guard;
- ring;
- cover;
- meat pusher;
- meat pusher knob with ring nut and spacer;
- hand cover on the meat hopper;
- carriage only removable when the thickness gauge is set in the “0” position, at the end of its travel and towards the operating side.

6.2.2 - blade, blade guard and ring cleaning
Unscrew the knob of the tie screw (1) (see FIG. n°13) to release the blade guard (2).

WARNING: the blade cleaning must be carried out with metal gloves (3) and a wet cloth. To clean the blade on the opposite surface, it is necessary to remove the blade (see FIG. n°14).
The blade is to be removed as follows:
1) disassemble the blade cover (see FIG. n°13);
2) remove (a) the sharpener and open the thickness plate with the dial knob to make the blade removal tool (b) adhere to the blade;
3) loosen the 3 or 4 screws (f) (according to the model) that fix the blade;
4) lean the plexiglas blade removal tool on the blade to obtain the coupling of the blade holes with the two screws (e), turn the blade until it reaches the correct position;
5) tighten the screws (e) not excessively.

N.B. The blade guard must be cleaned with hot water and neutral detergent.
CHAP. 6 - ORDINARY CLEANING

6.1 - GENERAL FEATURES
- The slicer cleaning must be carried out at least once a day or more frequently, if necessary.
- Cleaning must be extremely accurate for those parts of the slicer which are directly or indirectly in contact with foodstuffs.
- The slicer must not be cleaned with water-cleaners and high pressure jets of water, but use water and neutral detergent. Do not use other detergents. Tools, brushes and other devices likely to damage the slicer’s surface must not be used.

Before carrying our any cleaning operation it is necessary to:
1) disconnect the power supply plug from the socket to isolate the slicer from the rest of the electric circuit completely;
2) set the dial knob adjusting the plate to the “0” position;

**WARNING:** Pay attention to residual risks due to cutting and/or sharp edges.

6.2 - SLICER CLEANING PROCEDURE

6.2.1 - They should read as follows:
Turn the dial (1) as far as you can clockwise

Unscrew the handwheel (3), (it is completely removable on some models) this will release a spring loaded bolt behind the handwheel.

Slide the carriage towards the control end, so that the bolt locates into the hole in the side of the body (usually with a loud click). This may need a little force as you are working against a spring.

With the bolt locked in the hole, the carriage will now slide upward (B).

To reassemble, slide the carriage back in, all the way, this will then pull the bolt out of the hole and free the carriage.

**PLEASE ALSO NOTE THAT NO PART OF THIS SLICER MUST BE CLEANED IN A DISHWASHER.**

1.2.2 - electrical safety system
The safety system installed to protect users against electrical risks is in compliance with EC directives 2006/95, 2004/108 and regulations EN 60335-1, EN 60335-2-64, EN 55014.

The slicer is equipped with:
- a micro-switch which stops the slicer in case the tie rod for blade guard is removed (see Fig. n°1); the micro-switch prevents from restarting the slicer if the guard has not been set in the switch-off position.
- a relay in the control box which requires the restarting of the slicer when a power cut occurs.

Even though CE professional slicers are provided with electrical and mechanical protections (when the slicer is working and for maintenance and cleaning operations), there are still RESIDUAL RISKS that cannot be eliminated completely; these risks are mentioned in this manual under WARNING. The blade and other parts of the machine can cause cuts and injuries.

1.3 - SPECIFICATIONS OF THE SLICER

1.3.1 - general description
Our firm has designed and manufactured the CE line of professional slicers to cut foodstuffs (as salami and meat) in order to guarantee:
- the highest degree of safety in functioning, cleaning and maintenance;
- the highest hygienic standards due to an accurate choice of materials and a smooth design of the slicer components which come into contact with products so as to obtain easy and total cleaning and easy disassembly;
- the greatest accuracy in cutting foodstuffs thanks to a cam mechanism;
- solidity and stability of components;
- the highest degree of noiselessness due to belt drive;
- great handiness.

1.3.2 - construction features
The professional slicers CE are made of an aluminium alloy (Peraluman Mg5) treated by anodic oxidation. This procedure guarantees high hygienic standards of the parts interested by the cut and resistance to acids, salts and oxidation processes.

The blade is made of chromium plated steel 100Cr6; it is grinded and hardened to guarantee an accurate and sharp cut of products also after it has been resharpened. The other components of the slicer are made of ABS, LEXAN, PLEXIGLAS and stainless steel AISI 430 or 304.
5.3 - SHARPENING OF BLADE (see FIG. n°11 a-b-c)

**WARNING:** Before proceeding with blade sharpening, remain alert to the RESIDUAL RISKS (see §1.2.2) that refer to the hazard of injury if the instructions below are not followed.

The blade must be sharpened periodically and as soon as it becomes blunt; the following detailed instructions are to be carried out:

1. clean the blade accurately with denaturated alcohol to remove grease after the plug has been disconnected from the socket;
2. unscrew the knob (1), lift (a) the sharpener (2) up to the locking position and rotate it 180° (b) (see FIG. n°11a). Then let it move to the end (c) so that the blade is positioned between the two grinding moles. Lock the knob;
3. switch-on the slicer by pushing the button “I” (ON);
4. push the small button (3) (see FIG. n°11b), let the blade rotate against the grinding mole for 30/40 sec. to produce burr on the blade edge;
5. push buttons simultaneously for 3/4 seconds (3 and 4) and then leave them simultaneously (see FIG. n°11c);
6. it is recommended to clean the grinding moles by following the sharpening (see 6.2.3);
7. once sharpening has been completed, return the slicer to its original setting with the reverse procedure.

**NOTE:** Do not prolong the burring operation beyond 3/4 sec. in order to prevent the dangerous twisting of the blade cutting edge.
the deflector (do not touch the blade); the body must be perpendicular to the working surface (see FIG. n°9a).

**WARNING:** Pay the maximum attention: no members of your body should enter in contact with the blade (see FIG. n°9b);
4. push the switch-on button “I”;
5. smoothly push the carriage (meat hopper + meat pusher + stem) towards the blade without exerting pressure on foodstuffs with the meat pusher since they have their own force of gravity which exerts pressure on the thickness gauge. The blade will easily cut foodstuffs and slices will be guided by the deflector onto the collecting plate (see FIG. n°10);
6. do not operate the slicer without foodstuffs;
7. once foodstuffs have been cut, set the dial knob in the “0” position and switch off the machine by setting the switch to the “0” position;
8. resharpen the blade as soon as slices show a rough or frayed surface and the cutting becomes difficult (see 5.3).

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**LEGEND:**

1 - Blade guard  
2 - Hand cover  
3 - Thickness gauge (plate)  
4 - Push-button panel  
5 - Dial knob  
6 - Feet  
7 - Carriage locking knob  
8 - Stem  
9 - Meat press  
10 - Meat hopper  
11 - Sharpener  
12 - Sharpener locking knob  
13 - Tie rod for blade guard  
14 - Power supply cord  
15 - Base  
16 - Rating plate - serial number  
17 - Thickness gauge support  
18 - Blade  
19 - Deflector  
20 - Meat press knob  
21 - Ring  
22 - Hopper push-handle

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**CHAP. 2 - TECHNICAL DATA**

**2.1 - OVERALL DIMENSIONS, WEIGHT, CHARACTERISTICS ...**

FIG. n°2 - Drawings of the overall dimensions
### TAB. n°1 - OVERALL DIMENSIONS AND TECHNICAL CHARACTERISTICS

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**WARNING:** Electrical features of the slicer are shown in the rating plate placed on the back side of the machine; before connecting the slicer to the electric system see § 4.2. Electric connections.

### 4.5 - FUNCTIONING CHECK

Before testing the slicer check that the meat hopper is blocked and then try the functioning according to the following procedure:

1. push the switch-on button “I” (ON) and the switch-off button “0” (OFF);
2. check the sliding of the meat hopper and meat pusher;
3. check the functioning and adjustment of the plate through the dial knob;
4. check the functioning of the sharper (see § 5.3, FIG. n°11 a-b-c);
5. check that the meat hopper can be disassembled only with the dial knob set in the “0” position and that, after disassembling the machine, the knob remains in this position;
6. check that the slicer stops functioning by unscrewing the tie rod for blade guard.

### CHAP. 5 - OPERATING OF THE SLICER

#### 5.1 - CONTROLS

Controls are placed on the left hand side of the base as shown in the picture above.

![FIG. n°8 - Position of controls](image)

1. Switch-on button “I”.
2. Switch-off button “0”.

#### 5.2 - LOADING AND SLICING OF FOODSTUFFS

**WARNING:** Products to be cut must be loaded on the meat hopper only when the dial knob is set to the “0” position and pay attention to the blade and the sharp edges.

The procedure is as follows:

1. once the product has been loaded onto the meat hopper and placed against the plate, stop it with the arm provided with gripping points;
2. adjust the dial knob so as to obtain the desired cutting thickness;
3. to avoid accidents, the person who is cutting has to face the machine and stand correctly: put the right hand on the meat pusher, and then the left one beside...
4.3 - ELECTRIC CIRCUIT ARRANGEMENT

4.3.1 - arrangement of the single-phase electric circuit

FIG. n°6

4.3.2 - arrangement of the three-phase electric circuit

FIG. n°7

CHAP. 3 - SUPPLY OF THE SLICER

3.1 - DISPATCH OF THE SLICER (see FIG. n°3)
Slicers are accurately packed and then dispatched from our warehouses; the package includes:
- a) a strong cardboard box;
- b) the slicer;
- c) two cardboard filling grafts to keep the slicer stable;
- d) blade removal tool;
- e) this manual;
- f) an oil phial;
- g) EC conformity declaration.

FIG. n°3 - Description of the package
3.2 - PACKAGE CHECK UPON ARRIVAL
If no external damage is evident on the package upon its arrival, open it and check that all the components are inside (see FIG. n°3). If the package has suffered from rough handling, bumps or crashes, the carrier must be informed about any damage; moreover a detailed report on the extent of the damage caused to the machine must be filled within three days from the delivery date shown in the shipping documents. Do not overturn the package!! When the package is transported, make sure, the box is lifted by the 4 corners (parallel to the ground)

3.3 - PACKAGING DISPOSAL
The components of the packaging (cardboard box, pallets, plastic straps and polyurethane) are urban solid waste; therefore they can be easily disposed. If the slicer is to be installed in countries where specific regulations are in force, packaging must be disposed in compliance with them.

CHAP. 4 - INSTALLATION

4.1 - SETTING UP OF THE SLICER
The slicer must be installed upon a working table suitable for the slicer’s overall dimensions shown in Table 1 (according to the model); therefore it must be adequately large, well levelled, dry, smooth, resistant, stable and placed at a height of 80 cm from the ground. Moreover the machine must be installed in a room with max. 75% not saline humidity at a temperature between +5°C and 35°C; that is to say in a place that does not provoke the slicer failure.

4.2 - ELECTRIC CONNECTION
4.2.1 - slicer equipped with a single-phase motor
The slicer is equipped with a power supply cord (section of 3x1mm² and length of 1.5m) and a “SHUKO” plug.
Connect the slicer with a 230 Volt - 50 Herz electric circuit by interposing a differential-magnetothermic switch of 10A, ΔI = 0,03A. Check that the earthing is fully operational. Moreover check that features on the rating plate - serial number (FIG. n°4) correspond to the features shown in the consignment and delivery note.

4.2.2 - slicer equipped with a three-phase motor
The slicer is equipped with a power supply cord with a section of 5x1mm² and a length of 1.5m.
Connect the slicer with a 400 Volt - 50 Herz three-phase electric circuit by means of a CEI plug interposing a differential-magnetothermic switch of 10A., ΔI = 0,03A.. Check that the earthing is fully operational. Before connecting the machine to the three-phase power supply circuit, check the direction of blade rotation by pushing the button “I” (ON) (see CHAP. 5.1 FIG. n°8) and immediately afterwards the cut-off button “0” (OFF). The direction of blade rotation must be anti-clockwise looking at the machine from the blade guard side (see FIG. n°5).
If the direction of rotation is wrong, reverse two of the three power supply cords in the plug or in the socket (black and grey).
Three-phase motors installed in CE professional slicers can work with both 230 V.three-phase tension and 400 V tension. Unless otherwise specified, connections are made with 400 V.power supply; call the “SERVICE CENTRE” if matching with the 230 V three-phase circuit. is required.

FIG. n°5 - Sense of blade rotation