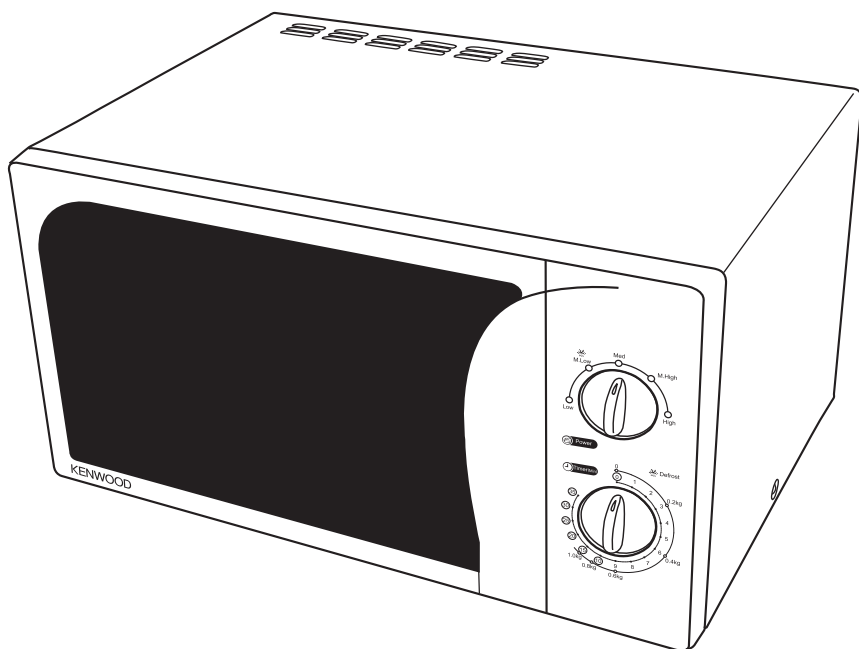


KENWOOD



MW440 series

Please read through these instructions carefully before operating your microwave oven.

ABOUT YOUR KENWOOD MICROWAVE OVEN

Your new Kenwood microwave oven is an 700 watt model with 17 litre capacity. It can be used for defrosting, cooking and reheating.

For your safety and that of those around you, please take care to read the Important Safeguards listed here.

IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

- 1 **IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS. READ CAREFULLY AND KEEP FOR FUTURE REFERENCE.**
- 2 **DO NOT** under any circumstances use this appliance for anything other than its intended domestic purpose.
- 3 **DO NOT** use this appliance if there is any visible sign of damage to the oven, supply cord or door seal or if it has been accidentally dropped.
- 4 **DO NOT** immerse this appliance, the supply cord or the plug in water or any other liquid.
- 5 **DO NOT** let the electrical supply cord hang over the edge of a work surface or allow it to touch hot surfaces such as a gas or electric hob.
- 6 **WARNING:** The appliance is not intended for use by young children or infirm persons without supervision. Only allow children to use the oven without supervision when adequate instructions have been given so that the child is able to use the oven in a safe way and understands the hazards of improper use.
- 7 **WARNING:** Liquids and other foods must not be heated in sealed containers since they are liable to explode. Eggs in their shells and whole hard-boiled eggs should not be heated in a microwave oven since they may explode even after microwave heating has ended.
- 8 To reduce the risk of fire in the oven space you should supervise the oven when in use especially when food is heated or cooked in disposable containers of plastic, paper or other combustible materials.
- 9 If smoke is observed, keep the oven door closed and switch off and disconnect the power supply. Leave well alone until the smoke has ceased.
- 10 **DO NOT** operate the oven when it is empty as this could seriously damage the oven.
- 11 **DO NOT** use the oven space for any type of storage.
- 12 **DO NOT** cook foods such as egg yolks, potatoes, chicken livers etc, without first piercing several times with a fork.
- 13 **DO NOT** cook foods directly on the glass tray. Place food in a suitable dish before placing in the oven.
- 14 **DO NOT** use metal pans or dishes with metal handles. **DO NOT** use anything with a metal trim, or covered metal twist ties in the oven.
Before use, check that the utensils are suitable for use in microwave ovens.

IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

- 15 Only use utensils that are suitable for use in Microwave ovens.
- 16 Always test the temperature of cooked food especially if you are heating or cooking foods or liquids for babies. Foods and liquids should be allowed to stand for a few minutes and stirred to distribute heat evenly. Remember to stir with a non-metal utensil to prevent the food or liquid suddenly bubbling over the container.
- 17 There are certain foods such as jam, mincemeat and Christmas pudding, which heat up very quickly, and care should be taken to check the temperature before consuming.
- 18 When heating or cooking certain foods with a high fat or sugar content do not use plastic containers.
If using a thermometer ensure it is a model specifically for use in microwave ovens.
- 19 **DO NOT** attempt to deep fry food in the microwave.
- 20 Please remember when microwaving liquids that although the container is not hot the liquid inside is, and will release steam or spit as in conventional cooking. Microwave heating of beverages can result in delayed eruptive boiling, therefore care shall be taken when handling the container.
- 21 **WARNING:** If the door or door seals are damaged, the oven must not be operated until it has been repaired by a competent person.
- 22 **WARNING:** It is hazardous for anyone other than a competent person to carry out any service or repair operation which involves the removal of a cover which gives protection against exposure to microwave energy.
- 23 The oven should be cleaned regularly and any food deposits removed.
- 24 Failure to maintain the oven in a clean condition could lead to deterioration of the surface that could adversely affect the life of the appliance and possibly result in a hazardous situation.

before Plugging in

- Before switching on make sure that the voltage of your electricity supply is the same as that indicated on the rating plate.
- This appliance must be earthed.

Note: This appliance complies with European Economic Community Radio Interference Directive 89/336/EEC.

radio interference

Operation of the microwave oven can cause interference to your radio, TV or similar equipment.

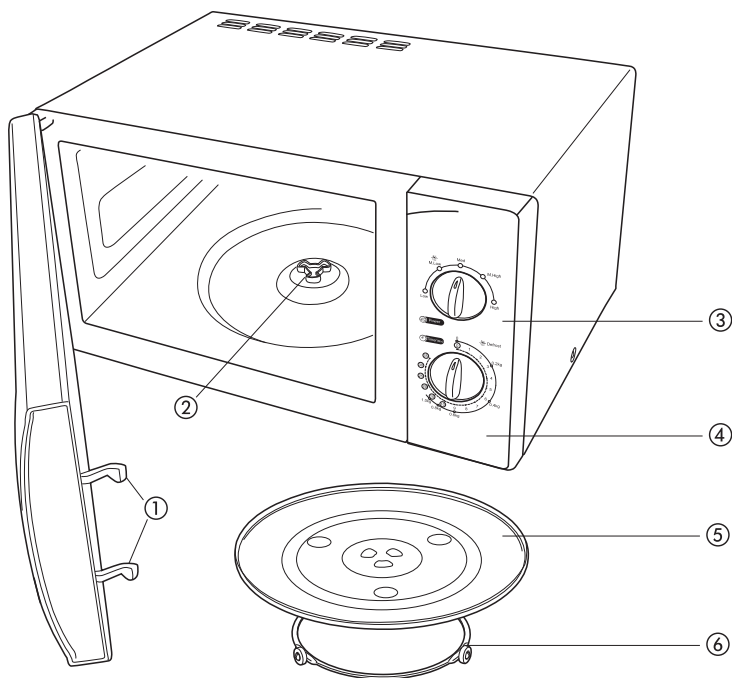
If interference occurs, it can be reduced by taking the following measures:

- a) Clean the oven door and seals.
- b) Move the radio or television antenna.
- c) Relocate the oven away from the receiver.

before using for the first time

1. Remove all labels and any packaging from inside the oven. **Do not attempt to remove the Mica cover that is screwed to the oven cavity, as it is there to protect the magnetron.**
2. Check the oven for signs of damage, such as misaligned or damaged door, dents in the interior cavity or damaged seals. Do not use the oven if damaged.
3. Do not place anything on top of the oven.
4. To ensure adequate ventilation keep at least 7.5cm clear on each side and back of the oven and 30cm above the oven.
5. Fit the roller support and glass tray.

HOW TO USE YOUR MIRCOWAVE OVEN



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| ① door safety lock system | ④ door release button |
| ② shaft | ⑤ glass tray |
| ③ control panel | ⑥ roller ring |

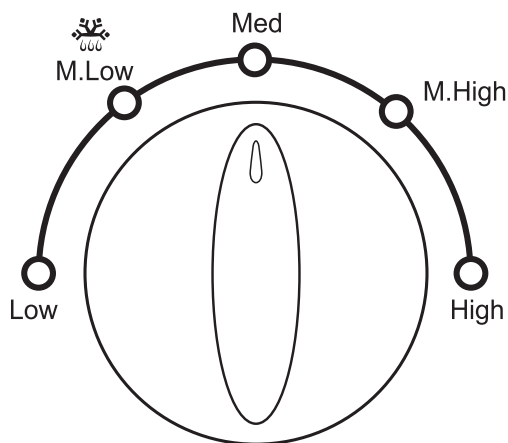
WARNING: Avoiding exposure to excessive microwave energy

- **DO NOT** attempt to operate the oven with the door open as this can result in harmful exposure to microwave energy.
- **DO NOT** tamper with the safety interlocks that keep the door closed.
- **DO NOT** operate the oven if it is damaged in any way. It is particularly important that the oven door is closed properly and that there is no damage to the:
 - i. Door (bent)
 - ii. Hinges and Latches (broken or loose)
 - iii. Door seals.
- The oven should not be adjusted or repaired by anyone other than properly qualified service personnel.

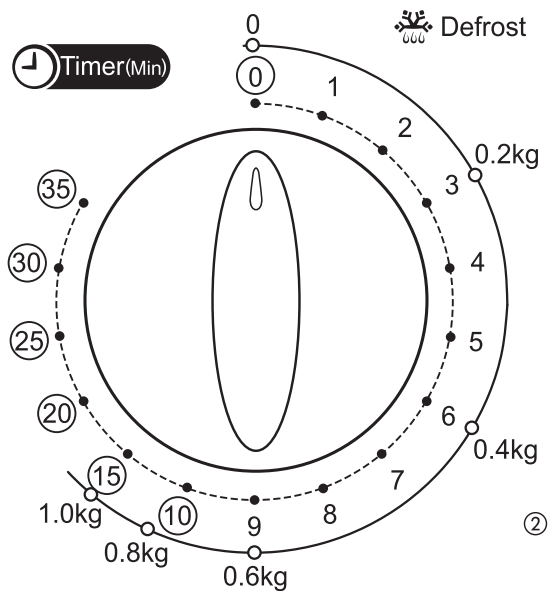
THE CONTROL PANEL

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- ① power level control
- ② 35 minute timer/defrost control



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SETTING THE COOKING TIME & POWER LEVEL

IMPORTANT: Only use heat resistant glass, heat resistant ceramics and microwaveable plastic dishes when microwaving.

- Place the food in the oven and close the door.
- Use the power control dial to select the required power level.

Setting	Power level	Applications
Low	17%	Keep warm, soften icecream
Medium Low	33%	Defrost
Medium	55%	Heat milk, make cakes, cook stews, braise meats
Medium High	77%	Cook rice, fish and seafood, cookies, meats
High	100%	Reheat, heat water, cook vegetable and chicken

- Select the cooking time required by turning the timer dial. This can be anything from 1 minute to 35 minutes. The oven will automatically start cooking once the timer has been set.

CAUTION: ALWAYS RETURN THE TIMER BACK TO THE ZERO POSITION if food is removed from the oven before the set cooking time has elapsed. You must do this by hand. To stop the oven during its cooking cycle, simply pull the door handle to open the door or turn the Timer back to '0'.

Always set the timer to "0" when not in use.

DEFROST

- Place the food in the oven and close the door.
- Turn the power control dial to Medium Low/Defrost.
- Select the defrost time required or to defrost by weight turn the timer to the relevant Kg weight marked on the dial (between 0.2Kg and 1Kg).
- The oven will start defrosting the food immediately.
- When defrosting food in plastic non - microwaveable containers , only defrost until the food can be removed from the plastic and placed in a microwave-safe dish.

COOKING END

At the end of cooking, there is a bell as a reminder that cooking is complete.

CARE AND CLEANING

- ❶ Turn the oven off and remove the plug from the socket before cleaning.
- ❷ Keep the inside of the oven clean by wiping with a damp cloth. If the oven is heavily soiled a mild detergent solution may be used. Do not use harsh or aggressive detergents as this damages the oven. Do not use a knife or any other form of scraper to remove food residues from this oven.
- ❸ The outside of the oven can be cleaned with a warm damp cloth.
- ❹ Keep the control panel free from too much moisture. Clean it with a soft damp cloth only and do not use detergents or abrasives.
- ❺ If condensation accumulates inside or around the outside of the oven door, wipe it clean with a damp cloth. Condensation is quite normal and forms when moisture is present during cooking.
- ❻ Ensure the door seals and adjacent parts are kept clean by wiping with a damp cloth. If the door seals or adjacent parts become dirty wash with warm soapy water; then rinse & dry. If the door seal is damaged in any way the oven must not be used until it has been repaired by a Kenwood Authorised Repairer.
- ❼ It is occasionally necessary to remove the glass tray for cleaning. Wash the tray in warm soapy water, then rinse and dry thoroughly.
- ❽ The roller ring and bottom surface of the oven should be cleaned regularly to avoid excessive noise. Simply wipe the bottom surface of the oven using a mild detergent and dry thoroughly with a soft cloth. The roller ring may be washed in mild soapy water, rinsed and dried thoroughly. Be sure to replace the roller ring in the correct position.
- ❾ Remove odours from your oven by combining a cup of water with the juice and rind of a lemon in a deep microwaveable bowl. Microwave for 1½ minutes and then wipe the inside of the oven with a dry cloth.
- ❿ Inspect the oven regularly for signs of corrosion – particularly around the door. If you find any signs of corrosion, arrange for the appliance to be serviced.
- ⓫ For safety reasons the oven light should only be replaced by a Kenwood Authorised Repairer.

SERVICE

If the oven or supply cord are damaged in any way, or it is necessary to replace the oven light, or repair the oven, the work must, for safety reasons, be carried out by Kenwood or a Kenwood Authorised Repairer.

Before you call for assistance please check the following:

- ❶ If the oven will not work at all and the display does not appear, or disappears - check that the oven is plugged in and switched on. If it is, switch it off and check that the fuse in the plug or fuseboard is OK. If necessary try the appliance in a different socket.
- ❷ If the microwave will not function, check to see that the timer is set. Also check that the door is properly shut so that the safety interlocks are fully engaged. If they are not, the oven will not work.
- ❸ Check to see that the child-proof lock is not on the display. If it is, switch it off.

If none of the above actions rectify the situation, contact:

The shop where you bought the microwave - they will advise you.

SPECIFICATION

Power Consumption:	230V~ 50Hz 1150W
Output:	700W
Oven Dimensions:	440mm (L) x 335mm (W) x 258mm (H)
Oven Capacity:	17 Litres
Cooking Uniformity:	Turntable (245mm)
Net Weight:	Approx.10 kg