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# OWNER'S MANUAL

**FOR USE WITH NATURAL GAS**

**ANSI Z21.58-2015 / CSA 1.6-2015**

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**NOTE TO INSTALLER: THESE INSTRUCTIONS MUST BE LEFT WITH THE CONSUMER.**

**⚠ DANGER**

**IF YOU SMELL GAS:**

1. **SHUT OFF GAS TO THE APPLIANCE**
2. **EXTINGUISH ANY OPEN FLAME**
3. **OPEN LID**
4. **IF ODOR CONTINUES, KEEP AWAY FROM THE APPLIANCE AND IMMEDIATELY CALL YOUR GAS SUPPLIER OR YOUR FIRE DEPARTMENT**

**⚠ WARNING**

1. **DO NOT STORE OR USE GASOLINE OR OTHER FLAMMABLE LIQUIDS OR VAPORS IN THEVICINITY OF THIS APPLIANCE**

**PLEASE RECORD YOUR MODEL NUMBER, SERIAL NUMBER AND DATE OF PURCHASE HERE.**

This information can be found on the black and silver OMC caution sticker on the back or side of your gas grill.

| | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Model Number | | | | | | - | | |
| Serial Number | | - | | | | | | |

Date of Purchase ____ / ____ / ____
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**READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY BEFORE OPERATING YOUR GAS GRILL.**
**RETAIN THESE INSTRUCTIONS FOR FUTURE REFERENCE.**

FOR ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTION, PLEASE SEE YOUR ASSEMBLY MANUAL
OR VISIT www.omcbbq.com TO VIEW OUR ASSEMBLY VIDEOS.


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# SAFETY

Your new OMC gas grill is a safe, convenient appliance when assembled and used properly. As with all gas-fired products, however, certain safeguards must be observed. **Failure to follow these safeguards may result in serious injury or damage.** If you have questions concerning assembly or operation, consult your dealer, gas appliance specialist, Gas Company or our direct customer service line at 1-800-265-2150. / info@omcbbq.com

## CAUTION

- **FOR OUTDOOR USE ONLY.**
- **THIS APPLIANCE MUST NOT BE OPERATED UNATTENDED.**
- **SPECIAL CARE MUST BE TAKEN TO KEEP SMALL CHILDREN AWAY FROM HEATED SURFACES.**

**Use caution when handling or transporting this product. Metal edges can be hazardous. Use appropriate gloves when lifting or handling. Before lifting, remove side shelves, grids and grates.**

## ELECTRICAL CAUTION

1. If any accessory is used on this appliance that requires an external electrical power source, the accessory when installed must be electrically grounded in accordance with local codes. In the absence of local codes, the following standards apply:

   **(U.S.A.) ANSI/NFPA No. 70-Latest Edition and**

   **(Canada) CSA C22.1 Canadian Electrical Code**

2. Do not cut or remove the grounding prong from the plug.
3. Keep the electrical supply cord and fuel supply hose away from any heated surface.

## PROPOSITION 65 WARNING

Handling the brass material on this product exposes you to lead, a chemical known to the state of California to cause cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm. WASH YOUR HANDS AFTER HANDLING THIS PRODUCT.

## WARNING

Fuels used in gas or oil-fired appliances, and the products of combustion of such fuels, contain chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm. “This warning is issued pursuant to California Health and Safety Code Sec. 25249.6”

# INSTALLATION

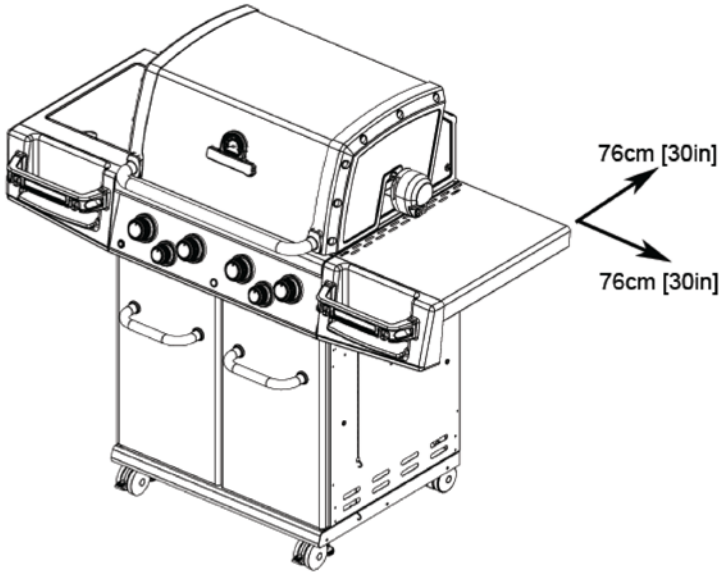
1. In the U.S.A., this appliance must be installed in accordance with the local code and the relevant national code:

**ANSI Z223.1/NFPA 54 - Latest Edition National Fuel Gas Code and Latest Local Codes where Applicable**

2. In Canada, this appliance must be installed in accordance with the local code and the relevant CSA standards:

**CSA-B149.1 Natural Gas and Propane installation Code**

3. The appliance must be located away from combustible surfaces by at least 76cm / 30” from each side, and 76cm / 30” from the rear.




4. Do **not** operate this appliance under any overhead roof construction or foliage.
5. This appliance is for **OUTDOOR USE ONLY, DO NOT** operate in garage, shed, balcony or other such enclosed areas.
6. **DO NOT** restrict the flow of air to the appliance.
7. Keep the area surrounding the appliance free of combustible materials, gasoline, and all flammable liquids and vapors.
8. This appliance is not intended to be installed in, or on, recreational vehicles and/or boats.

# NATURAL GAS

1. This barbecue is designed for use with natural gas. Do not use with liquid propane (bottled gas). The valves, orifices, and hoses are for natural gas only.
2. Do not use with charcoal.
3. A shut off valve must be used on the gas supply piping system.
4. When the appliance is not in use, turn off the natural gas supply at the shut off valve.
5. The appliance is designed to operate at a regulated pressure of 7 inches water column (W.C.).

## STORAGE

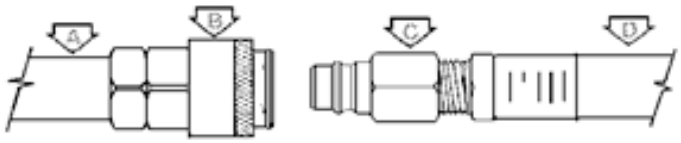
1. The gas must be turned off at the natural gas supply when the barbecue is not in use.
2. When the barbecue is stored indoors, the gas supply must be disconnected.

## GAS SUPPLY TESTING

1. The outdoor gas grill and its individual shutoff valve must be disconnected from the gas supply piping system during any pressure testing of that system at test pressures in excess of 1/2 psig (3.5kPa).
2. The outdoor gas grill must be isolated from the gas supply piping system by closing its individual manual shut off valve during any pressure testing of the gas supply piping system at test pressures equal to or less than 1/2 psig (3.5kPa).

# GAS SUPPLY HOSE

1. On models supplied with an extension hose, the hose assembly is specifically designed for your model. No modifications or additions should be attempted. Hose and hose couplings comply with CGA Standard CAN 1.83.
2. On models equipped with the "quick disconnect" coupling, close "shut off valve" before disconnecting coupling.
3. "Quick disconnect" coupling must be kept clean and free of dirt and debris.
4. Protect the hose from dripping grease and do not allow the hose to touch any hot surface, including the base casting of the barbecue.
5. Inspect the hose at least once per year. If the hose is cracked, cut, abraded or damaged, the appliance must not be used.
6. For replacement of hose assembly, contact your dealer or approved service centre.




A. GAS SUPPLY PIPING
B. QUICK DISCONNECT COUPLING
C. ADAPTER FITTING
D. EXTENSION HOSE ASSEMBLY

# VENTURI TUBES

Always keep venturi tubes clean. Blockages in the venturi tubes caused by spiders, insects and nests can cause a flashback fire. In fact, although the gas grill may still light, the backed up gas can ignite and cause a fire around the venturi tubes at the control panel or the side burner.

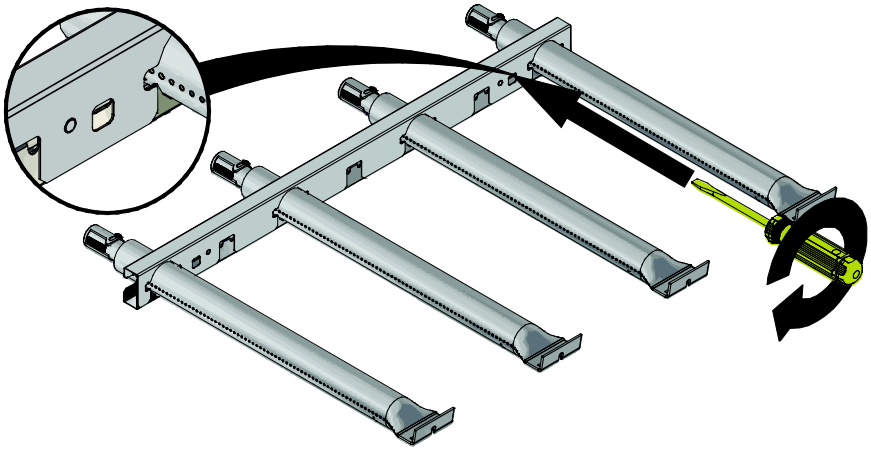
**If a flashback fire occurs, turn off gas at the source immediately**

**Inspect and clean the venturi tubes (main burner, side burner, rear burner) if any of the following symptoms occur:**

1. You smell gas.
2. Your gas grill does not reach temperature.
3. Your gas grill heats unevenly.
4. The burners make popping noises.

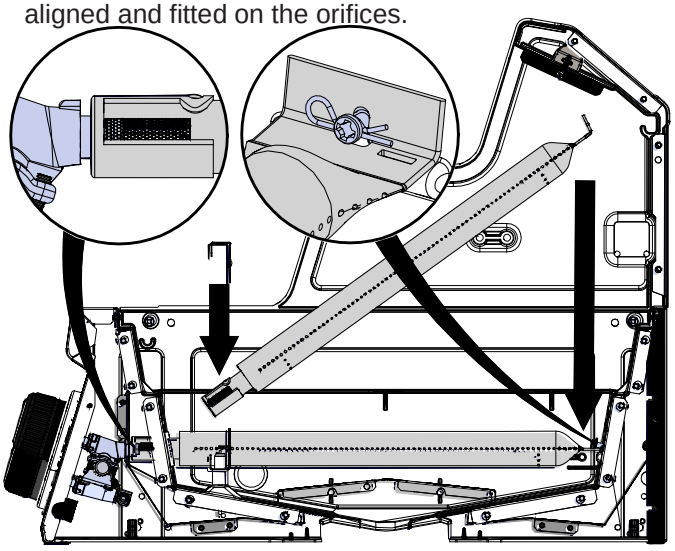
## INSPECTING & CLEANING VENTURI TUBES

1. Turn off gas by closing the propane cylinder valve
2. When gas grill is cool, remove the burner fasteners and the top portion of the collector box. Proceed to lift the burners from the gas grill housing.



3. Clean the venturi tubes with a pipe cleaner or venturi cleaning tool (Accessory #77310 or #18270).

4. Lower the burner into position in the gas grill housing, making sure that the venturi tubes are correctly aligned and fitted on the orifices.



5. Secure burners with burner fasteners. Snap top portion of collector box back in place

# LEAK TESTING

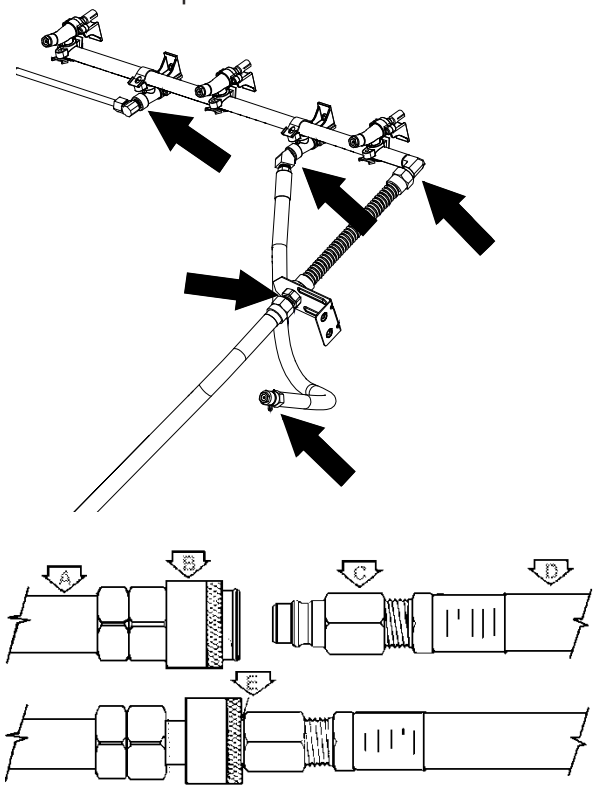
All factory-made connections have been rigorously tested for gas leaks. However, shipping and handling may have loosened a gas fitting.

## AS A SAFETY PRECAUTION:

- **Test all fittings for leaks before using your gas grill.**
- **Test for leaks every time you disconnect and reconnect a gas fitting, at least once per year or after any period of nonuse.**
- **Do not smoke at any time while testing.**
- **Never test for leaks with a lit match or open flame.**
- **Test for leaks outdoors.**

## TO TEST FOR LEAKS:

1. Extinguish any open flame or cigarettes in the area.
2. Be sure that the gas supply and gas grill valves are “OFF.”
3. Prepare a soap solution of one part water, one part liquid detergent.
4. Open gas shut off valve
5. Brush the soap solution on each connection.




A. GAS SUPPLY PIPING
B. QUICK DISCONNECT COUPLING
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D. EXTENSION HOSE ASSEMBLY
E. LEAK TEST HERE

6. A leak is identified by a flow of bubbles from the area of the leak.
7. If a leak is detected, close the gas cylinder “shut-off” valve, tighten the connection and retest.
8. If the leak persists, contact your gas grill dealer for assistance. Do not attempt to operate appliance if a leak is present.

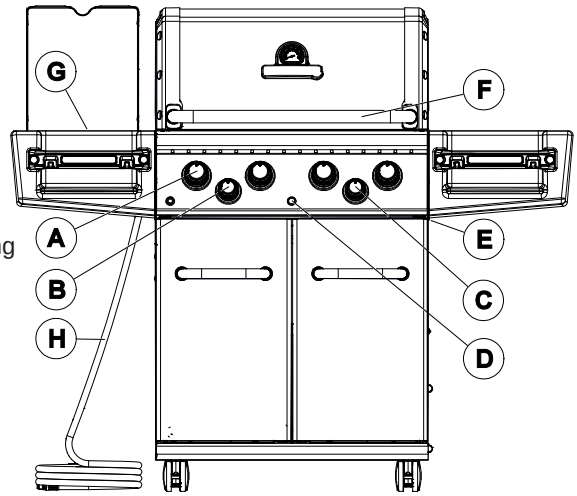
**If your gas grill is equipped with a side burner or rear burner:**

1. Follow steps 1 - 5 above
2. Place fingertip over the opening in the orifice at the end of hose.
3. Turn “SIDE”/”REAR” control to “HIGH.”
4. Brush soap solution on each connection between orifice and control valve.
5. Turn “SIDE”/”REAR” control to “OFF”.

# LIGHTING

## BASIC GAS GRILL COMPONENTS

A. Main burner controls
B. Side burner control
C. Rear burner control
D. Ignitor
E. Manual lighting hole
F. Handle
G. Side burner
H. Gas supply hose




## LIGHTING INSTRUCTIONS

1. The appliance must be assembled as per the assembly instructions.
2. Check that your gas supply is properly connected to the grill.
3. Ensure there are no gas leaks in the gas supply system. See: “Leak Testing.” (Page 5)
4. Ensure that the venturi tubes are properly located over the gas valve orifices. See Venturi diagram. (Page 4)
5. Ensure that both Main Burner and Side Burner ignition wires are connected.
6. Carefully review all instructions on the information plate attached to the gas grill.
7. **WARNING: Always open lid before lighting and do not lean over gas grill while lighting.**
8. Set control knobs to “OFF” and turn on the gas supply.

## LIGHTING THE MAIN BURNER:

a. Open gas grill lid and leave open until lit.
b. Check that the battery has been installed in the electronic ignition.
c. Push and turn one main burner control knob to “HIGH.”
d. Push and hold down the ignitor button or use match to light.
e. Burner should ignite within 5 seconds; turn off gas source immediately if ignition does not occur in this timeframe. To light burner with a match proceed below to step f.
f. Insert lit match through lighting hole located at the bottom right of the cook box.
g. Push and turn right main burner control knob to “HIGH.”
h. Burner should ignite within 5 seconds.
i. After the first burner is lit, push and turn the adjacent main burner control knob to “HIGH” then repeat for other burners; these burners should light automatically without the ignitor.

Note: In windy conditions, ignite each burner individually. Use the match holder to lower a lit match to light each burner.

## LIGHTING THE SIDE BURNER:

a. Push and turn side burner control knob to “HIGH.”
b. Push and hold the ignitor button.
c. Burner should ignite within 5 seconds. **To light burner with a match** proceed below to step d.
d. Apply lit match to burner ports.
e. Push in the side burner control knob and turn to “HIGH.”
f. Burner should ignite within 5 seconds.

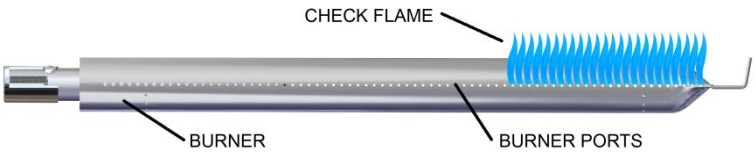
Note: Pots on the side burner must not exceed 9” (23 cm) in diameter or 15 lbs. (7 kg) in weight.

## LIGHTING THE REAR ROTISSERIE BURNER:

Warning: do not operate the main burner simultaneously with the rear burner.

b. **REMOVE THE WARMING RACK.**
c. Push and turn rear burner control knob to “HIGH.”
d. Push and hold the ignitor button.
e. Burner should ignite within 5 seconds. To light burner with a match proceed below to step f.
f. Apply lit match to burner ports.
g. Push in the rear burner control knob and turn to “HIGH.”
h. Burner should ignite within 5 seconds.

**CAUTION: Check your gas grill after lighting.** All burner ports should show a 2.5cm / 1” flame on “HIGH.”




**If any of the following symptoms occur there is probably a blockage in the venturi tubes. Shut off gas at once and clean the venturi tubes. See “Venturi Tubes.” (Page 4)**

1. **You smell gas.**
2. **A flashback fire occurs.**
3. **Your gas grill heats unevenly.**
4. **The burners make popping noises.**

## IF BURNER DOES NOT IGNITE:

1. Push and turn control knob to “OFF.” Wait 5 minutes then try again with control knob set at “MEDIUM.”
2. If any burner will not light, see “Troubleshooting” on page 10. If problem persists, do not attempt to operate the appliance; contact OMC, your dealer or an approved service center.

## SHUTDOWN:

1. Turn off gas supply.
2. Turn control knobs to “OFF.”

# OPERATION

## ⚠ WARNING

**NEVER** cover slots, holes, or passages in the oven bottom or cover an entire rack with material such as aluminum foil. Doing so blocks air flow through the oven and may cause carbon monoxide poisoning.
Aluminum foil linings may trap heat causing a fire hazard.

**First Time Use:** Before cooking on your gas grill for the first time, burn it off to rid it of any odors or foreign matter in the following manner:

1. With cooking grids installed in position, light the gas grill following lighting instructions (see Page 10) and operate the gas grill on **"HIGH"** for **10-15 minutes**. Next, turn gas source off then turn all control knobs to the "OFF" position.
2. When gas grill is cool, thoroughly season cooking grids by spraying or wiping olive or vegetable oil on them. Ensure that the entire surface is generously coated including the corners. For cast iron cooking grids, light seasoning should be done before every usage.
3. You are ready to grill. Proceed to "Preheating."

**Preheating:** Preheat the gas grill on MEDIUM/HIGH with the lid closed for ten minutes. Reduce heat as appropriate for what you are grilling. Firmly but carefully scrub grids with a wire grill brush. Next, brush or spray the grids with vegetable or olive oil to prevent food from sticking.

**Lid Position:** The position of the lid during cooking is a matter of personal preference, but the gas grill cooks faster, uses less fuel, and controls the temperature best with the lid closed. A closed lid also imparts a smokier flavor to meat cooked directly on the grid, and is essential for smoking and convection cooking.

**Vaporization Systems:** Your gas grill is designed for use with the included Flav-R-Wave™ vaporization system. Do not use lava rock, ceramic briquettes or any other vaporization system other than the one that came with the gas grill.

## COOKING TEMPERATURES

**High Setting:** Produces temperatures at the cooking grid of approximately 600 - 650°F (320 - 340° C). Use this setting only for fast warm-up or for burning food residue from the cooking grids after cooking. This setting is also ideal for quickly searing steaks before reducing the temperature. Rarely, if ever, do you use the HIGH setting for extended cooking.

**Medium/High:** Produces temperatures at the cooking grid of approximately 550°F (290 ° C). Use this setting for warm-up and for grilling steaks and chops.

**Medium:** Produces temperatures inside the gas grill of approximately 450° F (230°C) with the lid down. Use this setting for most grilling of chicken, burgers and vegetables as well as for roasting and baking.

**Low:** Produces temperatures inside the gas grill of approximately 310- 350° F (155-175° C). Use this setting for all smoke cooking, large cuts of meat, delicate fish and for dough and pastry such as quesadillas.

**These temperatures are approximate only and vary with the outside temperature and the amount of wind.**

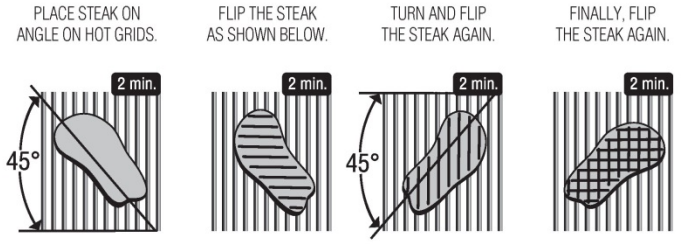
# COOKING TECHNIQUES

## DIRECT GRILLING

The direct grilling method involves cooking the food on grids directly over a lit burner. Direct grilling is the most popular method for most single serving items such as steaks, chops, fish, burgers, kebabs and vegetables.

1. Prepare food in advance to avoid delay and timing problems. If using marinade or spices, they should be applied before placing meat on the cooking grid. If basting with sauces, they should be applied in the last 2-4 minutes of grilling to avoid burning.
2. Organize the area around the gas grill to include forks, tongs, oven mitts, sauces and seasonings to allow you to stay in the vicinity of the gas grill while cooking.
3. Bring meat to room temperature just prior to grilling. Trim excess fat from meat to minimize the "flare-ups" that are caused by dripping grease.
4. Pre-heat the gas grill to the desired temperature with the lid closed.
5. Coat the grids with vegetable or olive oil to prevent food from sticking to the grids.
6. Hold the salt when cooking meats on the gas grill. The meat will stay juicier if the salt is added after cooking.
7. To prevent steaks from "drying out," use tongs rather than a fork and start on "MEDIUM/HIGH" to sear the meat and seal juices in. Reduce the heat and extend cooking times when grilling thicker cuts of meat.
8. Learn to test when the meat is done by time and feel. Meat firms up as it cooks. When the meat is soft it is rare. When it is firm, it is well done.
9. Follow the perfect steak grilling guide for most meat, fish, poultry and vegetables.

### THE PERFECT STEAK GRILLING GUIDE




| Meat Thickness | | Heat Setting | Time Per Side | | | | Total Time |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1½" | 1" | | A | B | C | D | |
| | Rare | High | 1¾ | 1¾ | 1¾ | 1¾ | 7 minutes |
| Rare | Medium/Rare | Med/High | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 8 minutes |
| Medium/Rare | Medium | Med/High | 2¼ | 2¼ | 2¼ | 2¼ | 9 minutes |
| Medium | Well | Med | 2½ | 2½ | 2½ | 2½ | 10 minutes |
| Well | | Med | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 12 minutes |

# COOKING TECHNIQUES

| DIRECT GRILLING GUIDE | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 1" THICK | HEAT SETTING | TIME PER SIDE | TOTAL MINUTES |
| CHICKEN | MED / WELL | MED / LOW | 4 / 4 / 4 / 4 | 16 |
| CHICKEN WINGS | MED / WELL | MED / LOW | 5 / 5 / 5 / 5 | 20 |
| HAMBURGER | MEDIUM | MED / LOW | 3 / 3 / 3 / 3 | 12 |
| HAMBURGERS 3/4" FROZEN | MEDIUM | MED / LOW | 3 / 3 / 3 / 3 | 12 |
| FISH FILLET | MEDIUM | MEDIUM | 2 / 2 / 2 / 2 | 8 – 10 |
| LOBSTER TAILS SPLIT | MEDIUM | MEDIUM | 4 / 4 / 4 / 4 | 16 - 20 |
| **USE SAME TECHNIQUE AS THE PERFECT STEAK GRILLING GUIDE (PAGE 7)** | | | | |

## INDIRECT CONVECTION COOKING

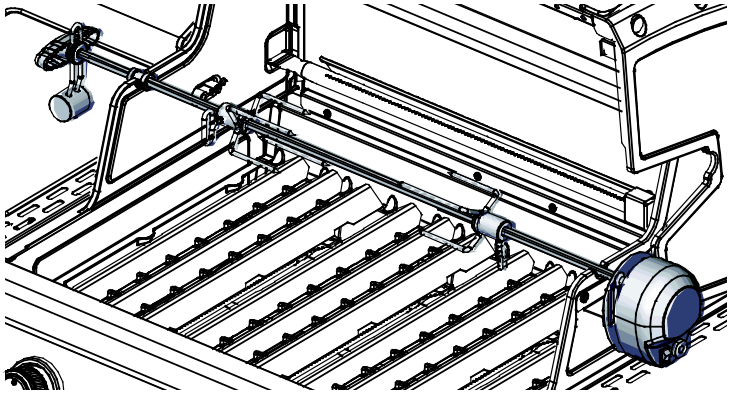
This method is ideal for cooking large cuts of meat such as roasts or poultry. The food is cooked by hot air circulating around it.

1. For most applications of convection cooking with and without a rotisserie, a drip pan is recommended to catch the drippings. Place drip pan on top of the Flav-R-Wave, beneath center of food. Put half to one inch of water in the drip pan. Fruit juice, wine or marinade may also be added to enhance the flavor. Do not let the drip pan run dry.
2. Convection cooking without a rotisserie is best with the lid closed and the heat reduced. All burners can be set to low or the outside burners can be set to medium and the middle burner(s) can be turned off. Turning the center burner off will prevent juices in the drip pan from burning.
3. Prior to placing the meat on the gas grill, baste the meat with vegetable oil. This will enhance browning on the outside of the meat.
4. When cooking without a drip pan, close attention must be paid to avoid the risk of a grease fire and is not recommended.
5. Turn gas grill off and allow it to cool before removing drip pan. The fat drippings are highly flammable and must be handled carefully to avoid injury.
6. For convection cooking roasts and poultry without a rotisserie, put meat in a roasting rack directly on grids.

| INDIRECT CONVECTION AND ROTISSERIE COOKING GUIDE | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| BEEF ROAST | 3 - 6 Lb. | MED / LOW | 2 – 4 HRS |
| BEEF ROAST | 6 - 10 Lb. | MED / LOW | 3 – 5 HRS |
| PORK ROAST | 2 - 5 Lb. | MED / LOW | 2 – 4 HRS |
| PORK ROAST | 6 - 10 Lb. | MED / LOW | 3 – 5 HRS |
| TURKEY OR CHICKEN | 2 - 5 Lb. | MED / LOW | 2 – 4 HRS |
| TURKEY OR CHICKEN | 5 - 10 Lb. | MED / LOW | 3 – 5 HRS |
| **WHEN USING ROTISSERIE BURNER, SET HEAT AT MED / HIGH** | | | |

## ROTISSERIE COOKING

Follow the steps for Indirect Convection Cooking. (See left)



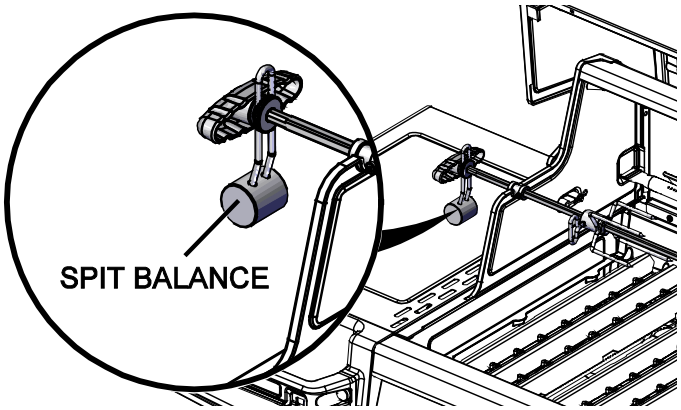
1. The rotisserie can accommodate up to 7 kg (15lb) of meat with the limiting factor of rotating clearance. For best results the meat should be centered on the center line of spit to eliminate an out-of-balance condition.
2. The rotisserie can be used with the cooking grids in place if space allows.
3. Fasten the meat securely on the spit prior to placing it on the gas grill. For poultry, tie the wings and legs in tightly.

## REAR BURNER ROTISSERIE

1. Certain models feature a rear burner for rotisserie cooking. The rear burner rotisserie method is the ultimate for cooking roasts and poultry. With the heat source located behind the food, there is no chance of a flare up caused by fat drippings. A dish or drip pan placed below the spit will collect the juices for basting or for preparing a sauce.
2. The spring loaded rear burner may be easily removed when not in use.
3. To operate your rear burner, see "Lighting the Rear Burner." (Page 6)

| MEAT TEMPERATURE GUIDE | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| | RARE | MED | WELL |
| BEEF / LAMB / VEAL | 130°F / 55°C | 146°F / 63°C | 160°F / 70°C |
| PORK | | 150°F / 65°C | 170°F / 77°C |
| POULTRY | | | 170°F / 77°C |
| HAMBURGER | | | 160°F / 70°C |
| **FOR BEST RESULTS, USE A MEAT THERMOMETER** | | | |

# COOKING TECHNIQUES

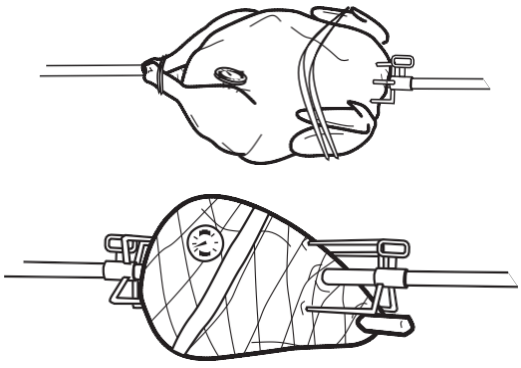



## SPIT BALANCE

1. Loosen the rod handle to allow the balance to turn freely.
2. Set the rotisserie rod in the slots of the gas grill casting. Let the heaviest side of the meat rotate to the bottom.
3. Adjust the balance to the top of the rod, opposite the heaviest side of the meat.
4. Tighten the rod handle. Periodically, check to see if the meat turns smoothly while cooking. Adjust the balancer as necessary. **CAUTION: Use oven mitt when adjusting balancer.**

## HOW TO USE A PROBE THERMOMETER

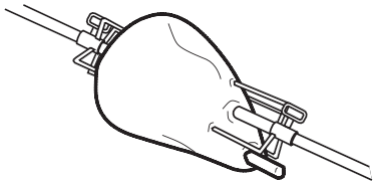
1. The accurate way to determine when a large piece of meat is done is to use a probe thermometer. Insert the thermometer at an angle so the sturdy pointed metal tip rests in the center of the thickest part of the meat. **Be careful that it doesn't touch the spit or the bone, and that the point is not resting in fat (you will notice much less resistance when probing in fat)**.



2. When the thermometer displays the desired temperature the meat is done. Add your sauces during the last few minutes of cooking time and let the meat stand about 15 minutes to firm up. Carve and serve.

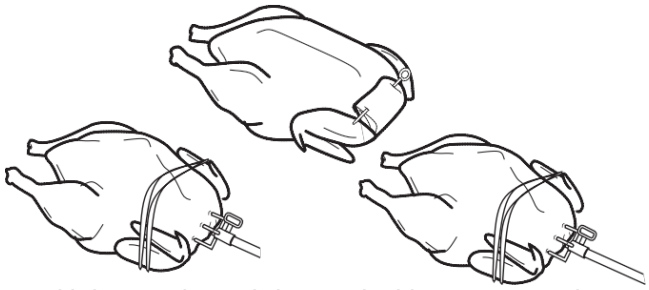
- Poultry: insert the tip of the thermometer in the thickest part of the thigh close to the body.
- Ham or roasts: insert the tip of the thermometer in the center of the heaviest section of the meat.

## USING A SPIT – LEG OF LAMB



1. Have 3" of bone sawed from small end of leg.
2. Leave meat around bone intact to form a flap.
3. Put a spit fork on rod.
4. Fold flap up and run rod through flap and leg.
5. Put second fork on rod and insert forks in each end of leg. Test for balance. Tighten screws.

## USING A SPIT – POULTRY



1. With breast down, bring neck skin up over cavity.
2. Turn under edges of skin; skewer to back skin.
3. Loop twine around skewer and tie.
4. Turn breast side up; tie or skewer wings to body.
5. Put a spit fork on rod. Insert rod in neck skin parallel to backbone and exit just above tail.
6. Put second fork on rod and insert forks in breast and tail. Test for balance. Tighten screws.
7. Tie tail to rod with twine. Cross legs; tie to tail.

## THREE CHICKENS ON A SPIT

1. Tie or skewer wings to body.
2. Put a spit fork on rod. Place chickens on rod as demonstrated in the above diagram.
3. Loop twine around tails and legs; tie to rod.
4. Put second fork on rod and insert forks in chicken. Tighten screws.

# MAINTENANCE

## REGULAR MAINTENANCE

The following components should be inspected and cleaned (as necessary) before every usage of your gas grill to ensure optimal performance, safety and efficiency.

**STAINLESS STEEL COOKING GRIDS**

Brush grids with a long-handled stainless steel grill brush to remove loose debris. Next, perform a Burn-Off (see below). After the Burn-Off and while grill is still hot, brush the grids again to remove any remaining debris. **As the grill is hot, use caution and oven mitts while handling the brush.**

**CAST IRON COOKING GRIDS**

All OMC cast iron cooking grids are coated with a durable porcelain enamel finish to protect the grids and reduce the tendency of food sticking to grids. With all OMC cast iron cooking grids instead of burning off your grill after each usage, we recommend leaving food residue on grids and performing a Burn-Off (see below) before each use; this helps build up a protective layer of oil on the grids and will aid in preventing rust and deterioration.

Cast iron grids should be seasoned before every use by wiping or spraying them with vegetable or olive oil. Ensure that the whole surface of the grid is covered by a light layer of oil. This helps prevent rusting and deterioration. If rusting does occur, scrape it off gently with a scrub pad and season thoroughly. During longer periods of inactivity, grids should be seasoned, wiped dry then stored in a dry place. Before first usage and after periods of storage, grids should be washed (see “Cooking Grids” to right), dried with paper towel then wiped down thoroughly with vegetable shortening or olive/vegetable oil.

**FLAV-R-WAVE™**

If residue accumulates on the Flav-R-Wave™, remove the cooking grids and scrape the residue off the Flav-R-Wave™ with a grill brush.

**GREASE TRAY**

The grease tray is located directly under the drainage hole on the bottom of the gas grill. It is accessible from the side or rear of the appliance and should be cleaned or replaced regularly to avoid grease overflowing onto your patio.

**GENERAL CLEANING**

Perform a Burn-Off (see below). When gas grill is cool, remove grids, scrape the Flav-R-Wave™ clean then remove it. Clean the interior of the gas grill as necessary by scraping the sides and bottom of the cook box and vacuuming.

**BURN-OFF**

Ignite the burners as per “Lighting” (page 6). Operate gas grill on HIGH with lid closed for 10 min. or until smoking stops. Turn the gas source off then turn control knobs to OFF.

## ANNUAL MAINTENANCE

The following components should be inspected and cleaned at least once a year or after any period of storage over 30 days to ensure optimal performance, safety and efficiency.

**BURNER**

Remove burner and inspect for cracks and deterioration. Clean venturi tubes using a pipe cleaner or venturi brush to eliminate any blockages. See “Venturi Tubes.” (Page 4) While the burner is removed, clean the interior of cook box by scraping the sides and bottom of the cook box and vacuuming.

**HOSE**

Inspect and replace if necessary. See “Gas Supply Hose”. (Page 3)

**EXTERIOR FINISH**

If white oxidation spots appear, wash the outside of the cook box with a mild soap and water solution. Rinse the surfaces thoroughly then wipe them with a cloth dipped in cooking oil to restore the luster. For repair of paint scratches and scuffs, use a good quality HIGH temperature (600°F) spray paint for touch-up. Rusting is a natural oxidation process and may appear on cast-iron and steel parts. Rust will not affect short term performance of your grill.

**STAINLESS STEEL**

Wash with soap and water. Use stainless steel cleaner to polish and remove stains or marks. Weathering and extreme heat can cause a stainless steel lid to turn a tan color. This is discoloration and is not considered a manufacturing defect.

**RESIN COMPONENTS AND SIDE SHELVES**

Wash with soap and water.

**REPLACEMENT PARTS**

If a problem is found with the regulator, hose, burner, or control valves, do not attempt repair. See your dealer, approved service center, or contact the factory for repairs or replacement parts. To ensure optimum performance, use only original OMC replacement parts.

**LEAK TEST**

When reconnecting to gas supply, be sure to check for leaks. See “Leak Testing.” (Page 5)

**COOKING GRIDS**

To wash stainless or cast iron grids, use a light detergent and water and then rinse and dry with paper towel; never air dry grids or use a dishwasher. For cast iron grids, thoroughly season (see left: “Cast Iron Cooking Grids”) after washing.

# TROUBLESHOOTING

| PROBLEM | POSSIBLE CAUSE | CORRECTIVE ACTION |
|---|---|---|
| **SMELL OF GAS** | **SHUT OFF GAS SUPPLY AT ONCE.<br>DO NOT USE THE APPLIANCE UNTIL LEAK IS SEALED.** | |
| Leak detected at any connection. | 1. Quick disconnect coupling not seated fully.<br>2. Gas leak in connection.<br>3. Gas leak in hose or control valves | 1. Remove and reconnect coupling<br>2. Tighten connection and "Leak Test".<br>3. See authorized service centre |
| Flames Beneath Control Panel (Flashback Fire) | 1. Venturi blocked. | 1. Remove burner and clean venturi. See “Venturi Tubes” (page 4) |
| Burner Not Lighting | 1. Gas shut off valve closed.<br>2. Ignitor issue.<br>3. Venturi blocked or misaligned with valve orifice.<br>4. Orifice(s) blocked.<br>5. Hose is twisted. | 1. Open gas shut off valve.<br>2. Try manually lighting burner with a match. See “Lighting” (page 6). If burner lights successfully, it is an ignitor issue. See “Ignitor not Working” below<br>3. Remove burner, clean venturi and realign with valve orifice. See page 4 for assistance.<br>4. Remove burner, clean orifices with a pin or fine wire. Do not drill orifices.<br>5. Straighten hose. Keep away from bottom casting. |
| Ignitor Not Working | 1. Ignitor battery is dead<br>2. Ignitor wire(s) not connected<br>3. Electrode misaligned on burner<br>4. Ignitor malfunction | 1. Replace battery<br>2. Ensure main burner and side burner electrode wires are all connected<br>3. Realign electrode and clear any surrounding debris from area<br>4. Use “Match Lighting” procedure. (Page 6) |
| Decreasing Heat, “Popping Sound” | 1. Venturi blocked. | 2. Remove burner, clean venturi. See “Venturi Tubes” (Page 4) for assistance. |
| Hot spots on Cooking Surface | 1. Venturi blocked<br>2. Debris buildup on Flav-R-Wave | 1. Remove burner, clean venturi. See “Venturi Tubes” (page 4) for assistance.<br>2. Scrape off Flav-R-Wave and vacuum |
| “Flare-ups” or Grease Fires | 1. Excessive grease buildup on vaporizer or in gas grill cook box<br>2. Excessive heat. | 1. Thoroughly scrape off Flav-R-Wave and inside of cookbox then vacuum out debris<br>2. Turn burner controls to a lower setting |
| Yellow Flame | 1. Some yellow flame is normal. If it is excessive, the venturi may be blocked.<br>2. Burner ports blocked. | 1. Remove burner, clean venturi. See “Venturi Tubes” (page 4) for assistance.<br>2. Remove burner & clean with soft bristle brush (e.g. toothbrush). |
| Inside of Lid Appears to be Peeling | 1. This is a build-up of grease. The inside of lid is not painted and cannot peel. | 1. Clean with stiff bristle brush or scraper. |
| Cooking Grids Rusting | 1. Porcelain enamel has been chipped | 1. See “Maintenance” (page 10) for help |
| Control panel or oven lights not working | 1. Unit not connected to power.<br>2. Faulty transformer.<br>3. Loose or corroded connections.<br>4. Bulb blown | 1. Connect GFI power cord to appliance. Plug to working power outlet.<br>2. Check transformer output is 12Vac. Replace if required.<br>3. Clean connections and ensure all connectors are pushed together firmly.<br>4. Replace bulbs. |
| **If troubleshooting fails to solve any of these or any other issues, please visit www.omcbbq.com for more information including troubleshooting videos, tricks and tips or call customer service at 1-800-265-2150** | | |

# WARRANTY

The OMC Warranty is effective from date of purchase and is limited to the repair or replacement of parts at no charge which prove to be defective under normal domestic use.

In United States and Canada replacement is FOB Factory.

In all other countries replacement is FOB OMC Distributor (Consult your Dealer for name of OMC Distributor).
All other costs are the responsibility of the owner.
This warranty is extended only to the original purchaser as indicated on the warranty registration and applies only to products sold at retail and only when used exclusively by the purchaser in country where purchased. (Different types of gas used in different countries require appropriate valves, orifices and regulators.)

## WHAT IS COVERED

| | IMPERIAL / REGAL / SOVEREIGN | BARON / SIGNET / MONARCH | CROWN | ROYAL / GEM |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| STAINLESS STEEL LID COMPONENTS | Lifetime | Lifetime | | |
| PORCELAIN STEEL LID COMPONENTS | Lifetime | Lifetime | 2 Years | |
| CAST ALUMINUM COOK BOX COMPONENTS | Lifetime | Lifetime | Lifetime | Lifetime |
| SS COOK BOX | Lifetime | | | |
| PORCELAIN STEEL COOK BOX | | 10 Years | 2 Years | |
| PORCELAIN STEEL GRIDS | | | | 2 Years |
| CAST IRON GRIDS | 2 Years | 2 Years | 2 Years | |
| SS GRIDS | 5 Years | 5 Years | | 2 Years |
| SS FLAV-R-WAVE / HEAT TENT | 5 Years | 3 Years | 3 Years | 2 Years |
| TUBE BURNERS | 10 Years | 10 Years | 5 Years | 5 Years |
| REAR BURNER | 10 Years | 10 Years | | 3 Years |
| SIDE BURNER | 2 Years | 2 Years | | |
| SS CART COMPONENTS | 5 Years | 5 Years | 2 Years | |
| REMAINING PARTS AND PAINT | 2 Years | 2 Years | 2 Years | 2 Years |

## WHAT IS NOT COVERED

Any failures or operating difficulties due to accident, abuse, misuse, alteration, misapplication, vandalism, improper installation or improper maintenance or service, or failure to perform normal and routine maintenance, including but not limited to damage caused by insects within the burner tubes, as set out in the owner's manual.

Deterioration or damage due to severe weather conditions such as hail, hurricanes, earthquakes or tornadoes, discoloration due to exposure to chemicals either directly or in the atmosphere.

Shipping or transportation costs.
Removal or re-installation costs.
Labor costs for installation and repair.
Cost of service calls.
Liability for indirect, or consequential damages.

Gas grills deemed to be used as a communal amenity or gas grills not directly used and maintained by the purchaser

## REPLACEMENT PARTS

"Genuine OMC Gas Grill Parts" must always be used for replacement. Use of any other parts will automatically nullify the above warranty.

## BURNERS

The life of OMC burners (made of stainless steel) depends almost entirely on proper use, cleaning and maintenance. This warranty does not cover failure due to improper use and maintenance. For proper burner maintenance instructions see page 10.

## PORCELAIN-COATED COOKING GRIDS

All OMC cast iron cooking grids are coated with a durable porcelain enamel to assist in cleaning and reduce the tendency of food sticking to the grid. Porcelain is essentially a glass coating. Some chipping may occur if mishandled. This will not affect the use or performance of the grids. The grids are not warranted against chipping or rusting due to mishandling. Consult "Maintenance" (page 10) for proper cooking grid care and cleaning instructions.

## VAPORIZATION SYSTEMS

OMC Gas Grills are designed for use with Flav-R-Wave™ vaporization systems. Use of any other product will nullify the warranty.

## FLAV-R-WAVE™

The Flav-R-Wave™ is warranted against defects in materials or rust through for a period of 3 years on Monarch, Signet, Baron, 5 years on Sovereign, Regal and Imperial and 2 years on all other models from date of purchase. Surface rust will not affect the performance of the Flav-R-Wave™ and is not covered by the warranty. See "Maintenance" (page 10) for proper Flav-R-Wave care instructions.

## FREIGHT

Courtesy shipping is provided for warranty orders during the six (6) months after the original date of purchase. After this period, a freight charge will be applied to all warranty orders.

## REGISTER YOUR GRILL

You can register your grill's warranty online at www.omcbbq.com or by calling 1-800-265-2150.

## WARRANTY CLAIMS

All warranty is handled directly by OMC. Parts must be returned to OMC Warranty Department, shipping charges prepaid, accompanied by Model Number, Serial Number, and if your grill is not registered, proof of purchase (copy of sales slip or invoice). If inspection confirms the defect, OMC will repair or replace such part in accordance with the terms of the warranty.
On receipt of letter or fax (not by phone) OMC may at its option not require part or parts to be returned.

## NON AMERICAN/CANADIAN RESIDENTS

The above warranty is administered by the OMC distributor in your country. Contact your dealer for the name of your OMC distributor.