



# Use And Care

## GUIDE



**STANDARD AND CONTINUOUS-CLEANING  
ELECTRIC BUILT-IN OVENS**

**MODELS RB220PXB RB120PXY  
RB100PXY RB1005XY**

# A Note To You

## **Thank you for buying a Whirlpool® appliance.**

You have purchased a quality, *world-class* home appliance. Years of engineering experience have gone into its manufacturing. To ensure that you will enjoy many years of trouble-free operation, we have developed this Use and Care Guide. It is full of valuable information on how to operate and maintain your appliance properly and safely. Please read it carefully. Also, please complete and mail the Ownership Registration Card provided with your appliance. This will help us notify you about any new information on your appliance.

## **Your safety is important to us.**

This guide contains safety symbols and statements. Please pay special attention to these symbols and follow any instructions given. Here is a brief explanation of the use of each symbol.

### **⚠ WARNING**

This symbol will help alert you to such dangers as personal injury, burns, fire and electrical shock.

### **⚠ CAUTION**

This symbol will help you avoid actions which could cause product damage (scratches, dents, etc.) and damage to your personal property.

## **Our Consumer Assistance Center number, 1-800-253-1301, is toll-free, 24 hours a day.**

If you ever have a question concerning your appliance's operation, or if you need service, first see "If You Need Assistance Or Service" on page 23. If you need further help, feel free to call our Consumer Assistance Center. When calling, you will need to know your appliance's complete model number and serial number. You can find this information on the model and serial number plate (see diagram on page 5). For your convenience, we have included a handy place below for you to record these numbers, the purchase date from the sales slip and your dealer's name and telephone number. Keep this book and the sales slip together in a safe place for future reference.

Model Number \_\_\_\_\_

Dealer Name \_\_\_\_\_

Serial Number \_\_\_\_\_

Dealer Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Purchase Date \_\_\_\_\_

# Important Safety Instructions

**⚠ WARNING**

To reduce the risk of fire, electrical shock, injury to persons, or damage when using the oven, follow basic precautions, including the following:

**General**

- Read all instructions before using the oven.
- Install or locate the oven only in accordance with the provided Installation Instructions. The oven must be installed by a qualified installer. The oven must be properly connected to electrical supply and grounded.
- **CAUTION:** Do not store things children might want above the oven. Children could be burned or injured while climbing on it.
- Do not leave children alone or unattended in area where the oven is in use. They should never be allowed to sit or stand on any part of the oven. They could be burned or injured.
- Do not operate the oven if it is damaged or not working properly.
- Do not use the oven for warming or heating the room. Persons could be burned or injured, or a fire could start.
- Use the oven only for its intended use as described in this manual.
- Do not touch heating elements or interior surfaces of oven. Heating elements may be hot even though they are dark in color. Interior surfaces of an oven become hot enough to cause burns. During and after use, do not touch, or let clothing or other flammable materials contact heating elements or interior surfaces of oven until they have had sufficient time to cool. Other surfaces of the oven, such as the oven vent opening, the surface near the vent opening, the oven door and window, could also become hot enough to cause burns.
- Do not wear loose or hanging garments when using the oven. They could ignite if they touch a hot heating element and you could be burned.
- Use only dry potholders. Moist or damp potholders on hot surfaces may result in burns from steam. Do not let potholder touch hot heating elements. Do not use a towel or bulky cloth for a potholder. It could catch on fire.
- Keep oven vents unobstructed.

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## IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

- Do not heat unopened containers. They could explode. The hot contents could cause burns and container particles could cause injury.
- Do not store flammable materials on or near the oven. The fumes can create an explosion and/or fire hazard.

### When using the oven

- Always position oven rack(s) in desired location while oven is cool. If a rack must be removed while oven is hot, do not let potholder contact hot heating element in oven.
- Use care when opening oven door. Let hot air or steam escape before removing or replacing food.

### Grease

- Grease is flammable and should be handled carefully. Let fat cool before attempting to handle it.
- Do not use water on grease fires. Never pick up a flaming pan. Smother flaming pan by covering with a well-fitted lid, cookie sheet or flat tray. Flaming grease outside of pan can be extinguished with baking soda or, if available, a multipurpose dry chemical or foam-type extinguisher.

### Care and cleaning

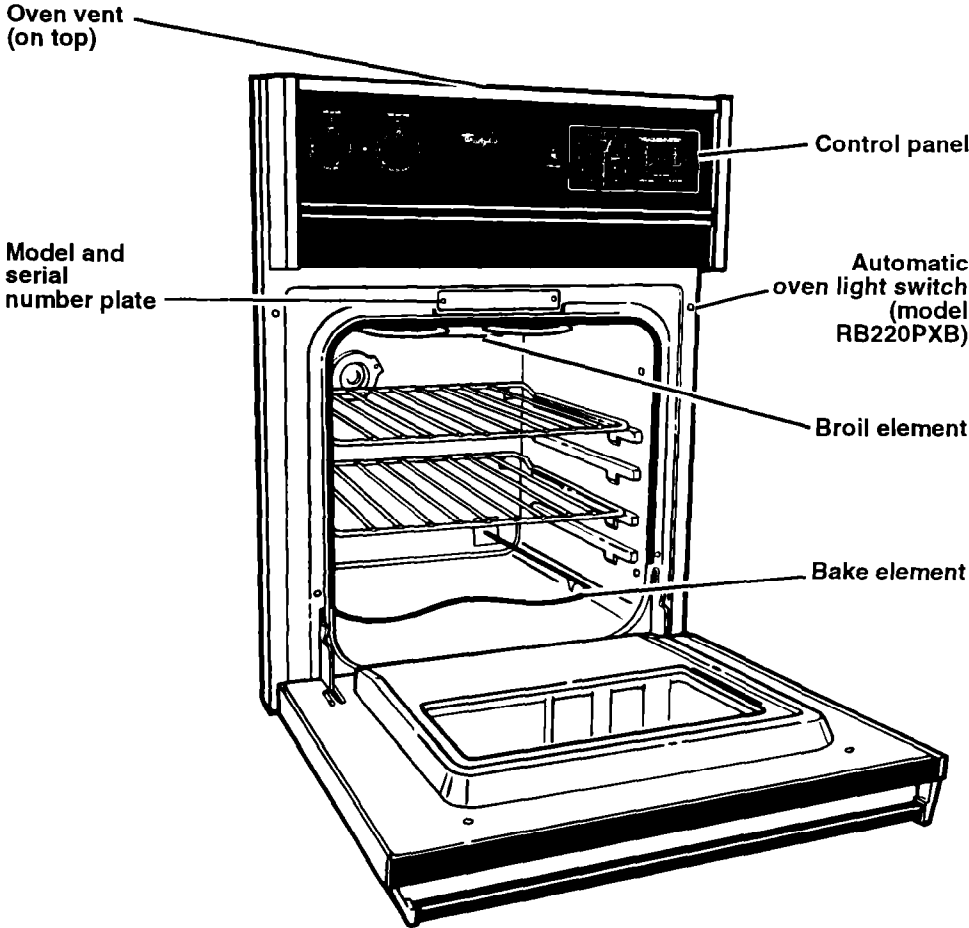


- Do not use oven cleaners in continuous-cleaning oven model. No commercial oven cleaner or oven liner protective coating of any kind should be used in or around any part of the oven.
- Do not clean door heat seal. It is essential for a good seal. Care should be taken not to rub, damage or move the seal. Clean only parts recommended in this Use and Care Guide.
- Do not repair or replace any part of the oven unless specifically recommended in this manual. All other servicing should be referred to a qualified technician.
- Disconnect the electrical supply before servicing the oven.

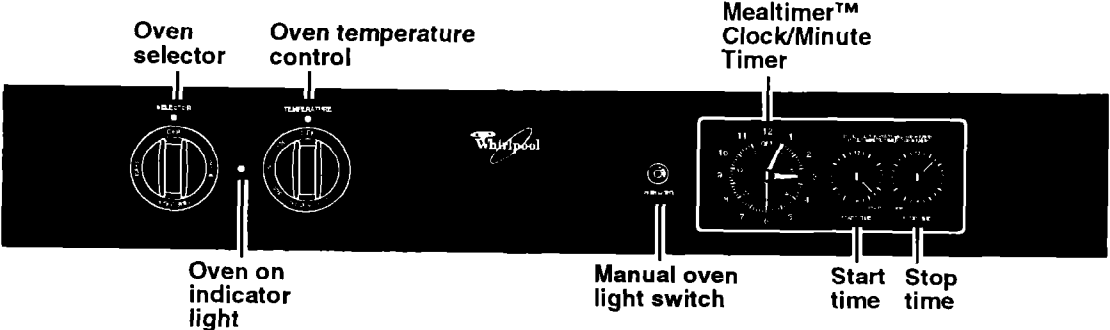
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# Parts And Features

This section contains captioned illustrations of your appliance. Use them to become familiar with the location and appearance of all parts and features.



## Control panel



# Using Your Oven

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To obtain the best cooking results possible, you must operate your oven properly. This section gives you important information for efficient and safe use of your oven.

## Positioning racks and pans

**For baking/roasting with one rack,** place the rack so the top of the food will be centered in the oven.

**Rack placement for specific foods:**

FOOD	RACK POSITION
Frozen pies, large roasts, turkeys	Lowest level or 2nd level from bottom
Angel and bundt cakes, most quick breads, yeast breads, casseroles, meats	2nd level from bottom
Cookies, biscuits, muffins, cakes, nonfrozen pies	2nd or 3rd level from bottom

**When baking on two racks,** arrange racks on bottom and third level from bottom.

**NOTE:** For recommended rack placement when broiling, see "Broiling rack position chart" on page 12.

**⚠ WARNING**

**Personal Injury Hazard**

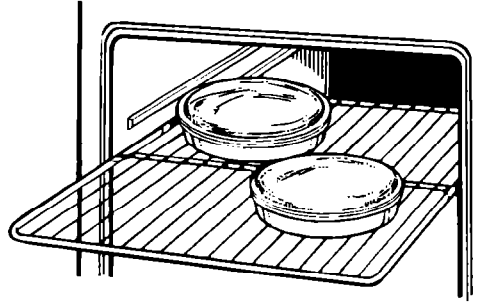
- Always position oven rack(s) in desired location before turning oven on. Be sure the rack(s) is level.
- If rack(s) must be moved while oven is hot, use potholders or oven mitts to protect hands.

Failure to follow the above precautions could result in personal injury.

## For best air circulation

Hot air must circulate around the pans in the oven for even heat to reach all parts of the oven. This results in better baking.

- **Place** the pans so that one is not directly over the other.
- **For best results, allow** 1½ to 2 inches (4-5 cm) of space around each pan and between pans and oven walls. There must be a minimum space of 1 inch (2.5 cm).
- **Use** only one cookie sheet in the oven at one time.



**Use the following as a guide to determine where to place the pans:**

### One pan

Place in the center of the oven rack.

### Two pans

Place in opposite corners of the oven rack.

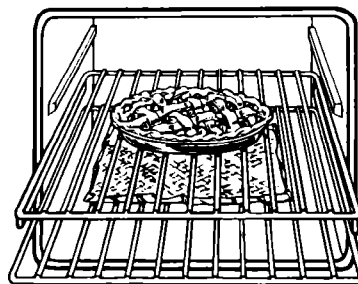
### Three or four pans

Place in opposite corners on each oven rack. Stagger pans so no pan is directly over another.

## Using aluminum foil for baking

**Use aluminum foil to catch spillovers from pies or casseroles:**

- **Place** the foil on the oven rack below the rack with the food. **Turn up** foil edges and **make sure** foil is about 1 inch (3 cm) larger all around than the dish holding the food.
- **Do not cover** the entire rack with aluminum foil. It will reduce air circulation and cause poor cooking results.
- **Do not line** oven bottom or entire oven rack with foil or other liners. Poor baking will result.



### **⚠ WARNING**

#### **Electrical Shock and Fire Hazard**

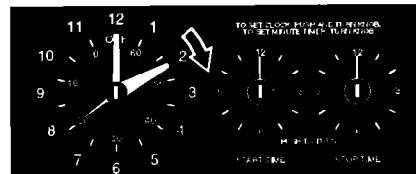
Do not allow foil to touch the heating elements.

Failure to follow this precaution could result in electrical shock or fire hazard and damage to the elements.

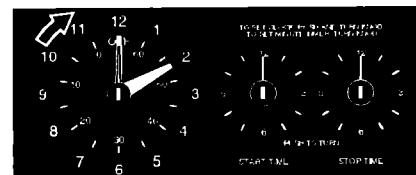
## Setting the clock

Push in and turn the Minute Timer Knob to set the clock.

1. Push in Minute Timer Knob and turn **clockwise** until clock shows the correct time of day.



2. Let the Minute Timer Knob pop out. Turn **clockwise** until Minute Timer hand points to OFF. The clock setting will change if you push in the knob when turning.

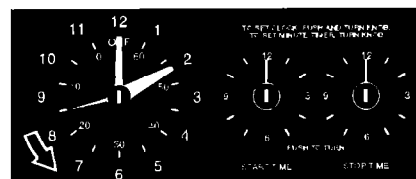


## Using the Minute Timer

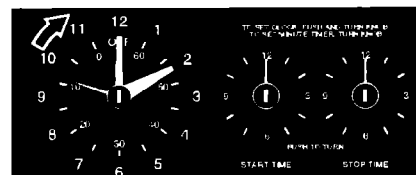
The Minute Timer does not start or stop the oven. It works like a kitchen timer. Set it in minutes up to an hour. You will hear a buzzer when the set time is up.

**NOTE:** Do not push in the knob when setting the Minute Timer or when stopping the buzzer. Pushing in and turning the Minute Timer Knob changes the clock setting.

1. Without pushing it in, turn the Minute Timer Knob **counterclockwise** until the timer hand passes the setting you want.



2. Without pushing it in, turn the knob back to the setting you want. When the time is up, a buzzer will sound. To stop the buzzer, turn the Minute Timer hand to OFF.



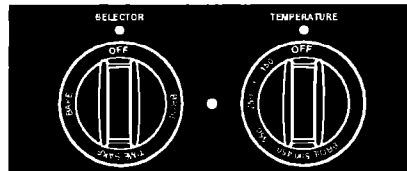
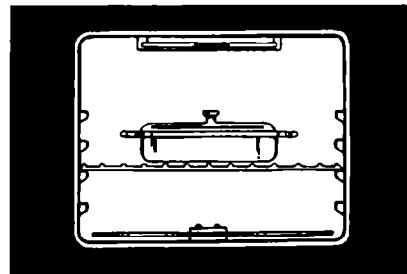
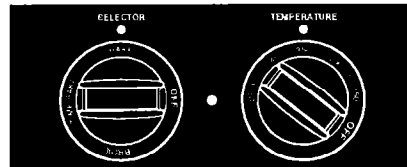


## Baking/roasting

1. **Position** the rack(s) properly before turning on the oven. **To change rack position, lift rack at front and pull out.** For further information, **see** "Positioning racks and pans" on page 6.
2. **Set** the Oven Selector to **BAKE**.
3. **Set** the Oven Temperature Control Knob to the baking/roasting temperature you want. The **OVEN ON** Indicator Light will come on. The oven is preheated when the **OVEN ON** Indicator Light first goes off.
 

**NOTE:** Do not preheat oven when roasting or cooking items such as casseroles.
4. **Put** food in the oven. During baking/roasting, the elements will turn on and off to maintain the temperature setting. The **OVEN ON** Indicator Light will turn on and off with the elements.
 

**NOTE:** The top element helps heat during baking/roasting, but does not turn red.



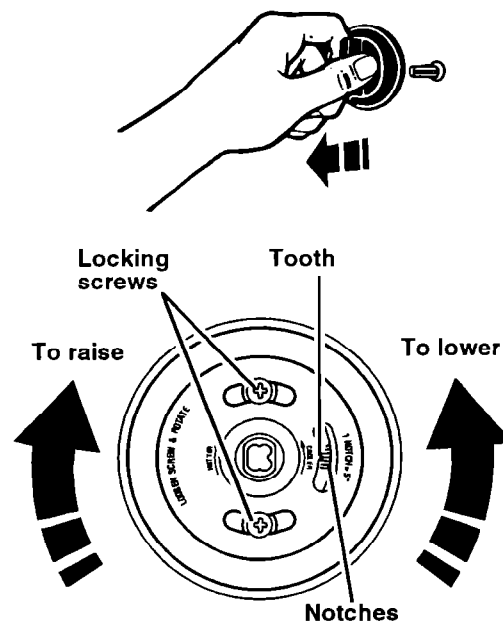
5. **When baking/roasting is done, turn both** the Oven Selector and the Oven Temperature Control Knob to **OFF**. The **OVEN ON** Indicator Light will go off.

### Adjusting the oven temperature control

Oven temperature controls will gradually shift after years of use. So, even though your new oven is properly adjusted to provide accurate temperatures, it may cook faster or slower than your old oven.

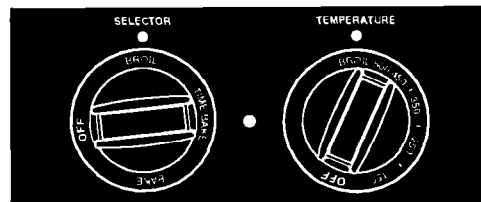
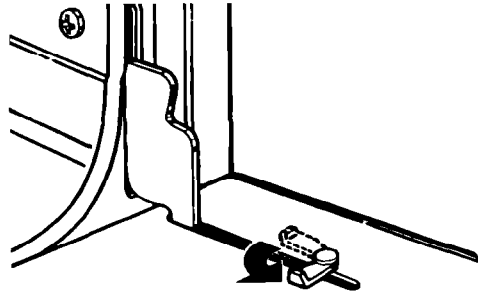
If, after using the oven for a period of time, you are not satisfied with the temperature settings, you can change them by following these steps:

1. **Make sure** the Oven Temperature Control Knob is turned to the off position. **Pull** knob straight off and **flip** it over.
2. **Loosen** the locking screws inside the control knob. **Note the position of the notches.**
3. **To lower the temperature, hold** knob handle firmly and **move** the tooth a notch **counter-clockwise**. Each notch equals about 5°F (2.5°C).
4. **To raise the temperature, hold** knob handle firmly and **move** the tooth a notch **clockwise**. Each notch equals about 5°F (2.5°C).
5. **Tighten** the locking screws and **replace** the control knob.



## Broiling

1. **Position** the rack properly **before** turning on the oven. The oven rack should be positioned so that the surface of the food is at least 3 inches (7 cm) away from the broil element. **See** "Broiling rack position chart" on page 12.
2. **Put** the broiler pan and food on the rack.
3. **Models RB1005XY, RB100PXY and RB120PXY:** **Rotate** the Broil Stop clips over the door hinge slots as shown at right.
4. **Close** the door to the Broil Stop position (open about 4 inches [10 cm]). The door will stay open by itself.
5. **Set** the Oven Selector and Oven Temperature Control Knob to **BROIL**. The **OVEN ON** Indicator Light will come on.  
**NOTE:** Do not preheat oven when broiling.
6. **When broiling is done, turn both** the Oven Selector and Oven Temperature Control Knob to **OFF**. The **OVEN ON** Indicator Light will go off.
7. **Open** the door and **rotate** the Broil Stop clips to uncover the door hinge slots. **Close** the door.



## USING YOUR OVEN

### Custom broil

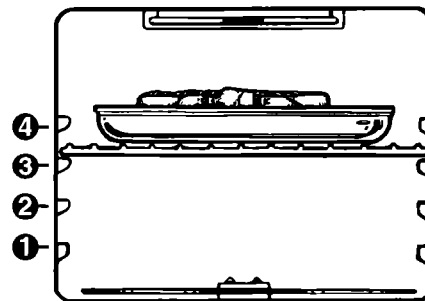
- If food is cooking too fast, turn the Oven Temperature Control Knob **counterclockwise** until the OVEN ON Indicator Light goes off.
- If you want the food to broil slower from the start, set the Oven Temperature Control Knob between 170°F and 325°F (77°C and 163°C). These temperature settings allow the broil heating element to cycle and to slow cooking. The lower the temperature, the slower the cooking.
- **Fish and chicken** are some foods that may cook better if you use lower broiling temperatures.

The Oven Selector must be on **BROIL** for all broiling temperatures.

**NOTE:** Leave the oven door partly open whenever using the oven to broil. This allows the oven to maintain proper temperatures.

### Broiling rack position chart

RACK POSITION FROM BOTTOM	TYPE OF FOOD/DONENESS
4	Hamburger patties and thin steaks, 1/2" thick or less
3	Quickly searing food, rare and medium steaks, medium patties, ham slices, fish steaks, frankfurters
2	Well-done steaks and patties, lamb chops, split chicken, pork steaks and chops, whole fish
1	Not used for broiling.



### Broiling tips

- **Use** the broiler pan and grid for broiling. They are designed to drain excess liquid and grease away from the cooking surface to help prevent spatter, smoke or fire.
- **After broiling, remove** the broiler pan from the oven when you remove the food. Drippings will bake on the pan if you leave it in the heated oven.

### WARNING

#### Fire Hazard

- Place meat the correct distance from the element. Meat placed too close to the element could spatter, smoke, burn or catch fire during broiling.
- To ensure adequate grease drainage, do not use cookie sheets or similar pans for broiling. Also, covering the broiler grid with foil is not recommended. Poor drainage of grease could result in fire. If foil is used, cut slits in foil to line up with all openings in broiler grid. Grease can then drain away and cool in pan.

### Energy saving tips

Although the energy used for cooking is usually a very small percentage of the total energy used in the home, cooking energy can be used efficiently. Here are some tips to help you save energy when using your cooking product:

- **Preheat** only when recommended and for the shortest time possible.
- **“Oven peeking”** may cause heat loss, longer cooking times and unsatisfactory baking results. Rely on your timer to keep track of the cooking time.
- **Bake** cakes, pies or cookies when the oven is warm. Best time to bake is right after a meal has been cooked in the oven.
- **Plan** your meals for the most efficient use of the oven. When using the oven to cook one food, try to cook the rest of the meal in it also.
- **Do not preheat** when broiling, roasting or cooking items such as casseroles.

### Using the MEALTIMER™ clock

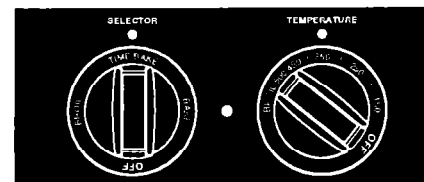
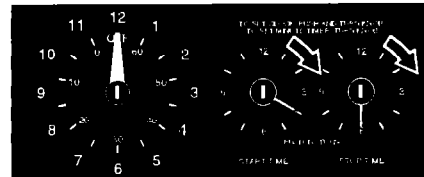
The MEALTIMER clock is designed to turn the oven on and off at times you set, even when you are not around.

Delayed time baking/roasting is ideal for foods which do not require a preheated oven, such as meats and casseroles. **Do not use delayed time cooking for cakes, cookies, etc. – undercooking will result.**

**Before using the MEALTIMER clock, make sure the clock is set to the correct time of day.** (See "Setting the clock" on page 8.)

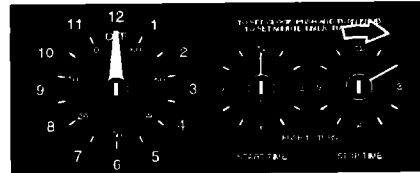
#### To delay start and stop automatically:

1. **Position** the oven rack(s) properly and **place** the food in the oven.
2. **Push in and turn** the Start Time Knob **clockwise** to the time you want baking/roasting to start.
3. **Push in and turn** the Stop Time Knob **clockwise** to the time you want the oven to shut off.
4. **Set** the Oven Selector to TIME BAKE.
5. **Set** the Oven Temperature Control Knob to the baking/roasting temperature you want. The oven will now start and stop automatically. The OVEN ON Indicator Light will come on when the start time is reached.
6. **After baking/roasting is done or to cancel the setting at any time, turn** both the Oven Selector and Oven Temperature Control Knob to OFF.



## To start baking/roasting now and stop automatically:

1. Position the oven rack(s) properly and place the food in the oven.
2. Push in and turn the Stop Time Knob clockwise to the time you want the oven to shut off. **Make sure** the Start Time Knob is not pushed in.
3. Set the Oven Selector to TIME BAKE.
4. Set the Oven Temperature Control Knob to the baking/roasting temperature you want.
5. After baking/roasting is done or to cancel the setting at any time, turn both the Oven Selector and Oven Temperature Control Knob to OFF.



## ⚠ WARNING

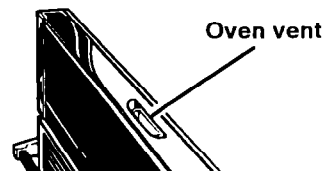
To avoid sickness and food waste when using the MEALTIMER™ control:

- Do not let most UNFROZEN food stand for more than two hours before cooking starts.
- Do not allow food to remain in oven for more than two hours after the end of cooking cycle.

**NOTE:** Do not use foods that will spoil while waiting for cooking to start. Such foods are: dishes with milk or eggs, cream soups, and cooked meats or fish. Also, foods containing baking powder or yeast will not rise properly when cooked using delay start.

## The oven vent

Hot air and moisture escape from the oven through a vent on the top of the control panel. The vent is needed for air circulation. **Do not block the vent.** Poor baking/roasting can result.



# Caring For Your Oven

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Your oven is designed for easy care. Most cleaning can be done with items found around your home. Cleaning your oven whenever spills or soiling occurs will help to keep it looking and operating like new.

**⚠ WARNING**

**Burn and Electrical Shock Hazard**  
 Make sure all controls are off and the oven is cool before cleaning or servicing. Failure to do so could result in burns or electrical shock.

## Removing the oven door

Removing the oven door will help make it easier to clean the oven.

**⚠ WARNING**

**Personal Injury Hazard**

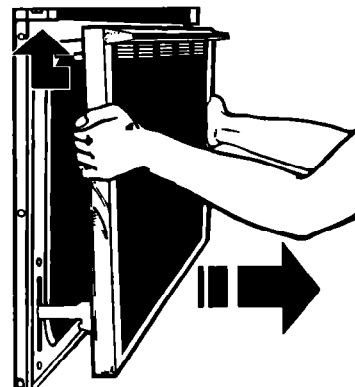
- Oven door is heavy. Use both hands to remove the oven door.
- Grasp only the sides of the oven door. Do not use the handle for lifting.

Failure to properly grasp the oven door could result in personal injury or product damage.

### Models RB1005XY, RB100PXY and RB120PXY:

To remove:

1. **Open** the door and **rotate** the Broil Stop clips over the door hinge slots. (See "Broiling" on page 11.)
2. **Close** the door to the Broil Stop position.
3. **Hold** the door at both sides. **Tip in** the top of the door while lifting slightly, **then pull** door straight out.





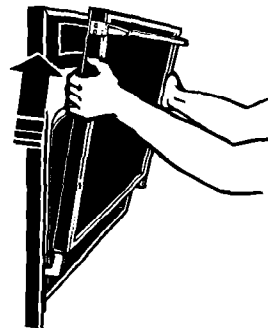
### To replace:

1. **Fit** the door hinges into corner slots on the oven frame.
2. **Push** the hinges straight in while lifting the door slightly.
3. **When hinges snap into place, open** the door and **rotate** the Broil Stop clips to uncover the door hinge slots. **Close** the door.

### Model RB220PXB:

#### To remove:

1. **Open** the door to the first stop position.
2. **Hold** the door at both sides and **lift it at the same angle it is in.**
3. **To replace, fit** the bottom corners of the door over the ends of the hinges. **Push** the door down evenly. The door will close only when it is on the hinges correctly.



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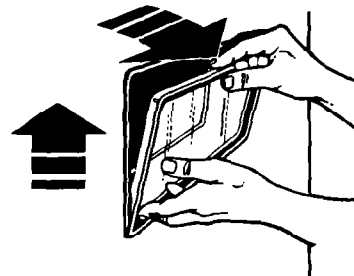
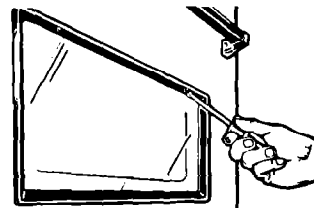
## Removing the oven window

(model RB1005XY)

If your oven has an oven window instead of the black glass door, the outer glass and frame can be removed for cleaning. Do not take apart a black glass door.

### To remove the outer window:

1. **Turn off** all controls. With the door closed, **remove** the screws from the top of the outer window frame.
2. **Slightly tip** the window and frame out from the top.
3. **With both hands, lift up** on both sides of the frame.



### To replace the outer window:

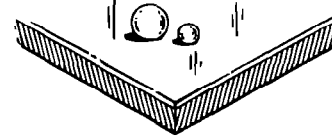
1. **Fit** the bottom tabs of the frame into the bottom of the window opening.
2. **Push** the top of the frame into place while pushing down.
3. **Replace** the screws.

## The continuous-cleaning oven

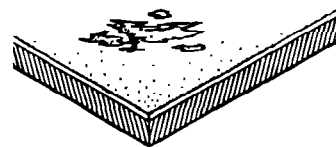
(models RB220PXB and RB120PXY)

Standard-cleaning oven walls are coated with smooth porcelain. Your continuous-cleaning oven walls are coated with a special, rougher porcelain. A fat spatter beads up on the smooth surface, but spreads out on the rougher surface. The bead of fat on the smooth surface chars and turns black. The spread-out fat on the rough surface **gradually** burns away at **medium to high baking temperatures** so the oven can return to a presentably clean condition.

Fat spatter beads up. Turns black. Standard porcelain



Fat spatter spreads out. Burns away. Continuous-cleaning porcelain



### Using foil

Using foil on the oven bottom is recommended to catch sugar and starchy spills from pies and casseroles. **It must be used properly.** Cut foil from a roll of heavy-duty 18-inch (45 cm) aluminum foil, or buy a foil kit (Part No. 241430) from your Whirlpool Appliance dealer.

### **⚠️ WARNING**

#### **Burn and Electrical Shock Hazard**

Make sure all controls are OFF and the oven is cool before using foil. Failure to do so could result in burns or electrical shock.

#### **Product Damage Hazard**

Do not let foil touch the bake element. It could damage the element. Make sure foil is flat on the bottom and away from the bake element.

1. **Turn off** all controls.
2. **Lift** the cool bake element **slightly to lift the feet off the oven bottom.**
3. **Slide the foil under the bake element. Make sure** the foil is centered and long enough to start up both side oven walls without wrinkling. For proper baking, **lower the bake element so all feet rest solidly on the foil.**

## Cleaning tips

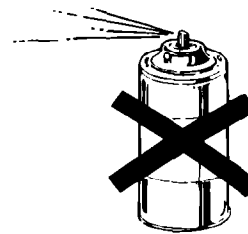
1. The oven window and racks are not coated. **Clean** them by hand.
2. The oven door does not get as hot as the walls. Some hand-cleaning may be needed.
3. If you do more broiling than baking, hand-cleaning may be needed.
4. **Use** aluminum foil on the oven bottom according to instructions. Spillovers may not burn away and could stain the bottom.

## Hand-cleaning

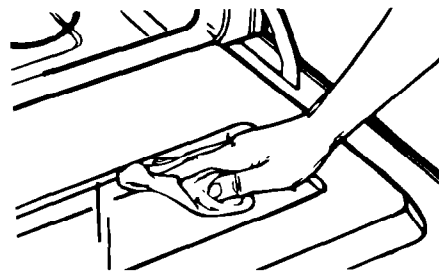
### **⚠ WARNING**

#### **Personal Injury Hazard**

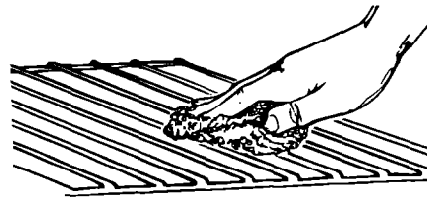
Do not use oven cleaning products. Some could become trapped in the porcelain surface and give off harmful fumes.



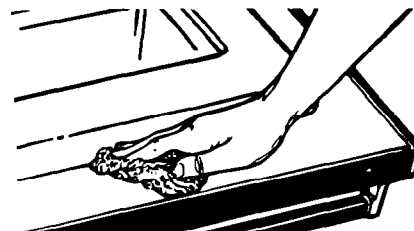
**WINDOW**—Keep clean with warm, soapy water. Use a plastic scrubbing pad for heavily soiled areas. Rinse well. **Do not use steel wool or abrasive cleansers.**



**RACKS**—Use a soapy steel-wool pad for best cleaning results. Rinse well.



**WALLS AND DOORS**—Wash with warm, soapy water. Use a steel-wool pad or plastic scrubbing pad for heavily soiled areas. Rinse well.



## Cleaning chart

Use the following table to help you clean all parts of your oven.

PART	WHAT TO USE	HOW TO CLEAN
<b>Control knobs</b>	Sponge and warm, soapy water	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Turn knobs to OFF and pull straight away from control panel.</li> <li>• Wash, rinse and dry thoroughly. Do not soak.</li> <li>• <b>Do not use steel wool or abrasive cleansers. They may damage the finish of the knobs.</b></li> <li>• Replace knobs. Make sure all knobs point to OFF.</li> </ul>
<b>Control panel</b>	Sponge and warm, soapy water  <b>OR</b> Paper towel and spray glass cleaner	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Wash, rinse and dry thoroughly.</li> <li>• <b>Do not use steel wool or abrasive cleansers. They may damage the finish.</b></li> <li>• Do not spray cleaner directly on panel. Apply cleaner to paper towel.</li> </ul>
<b>Exterior surfaces</b> (other than control panel)	Sponge and warm, soapy water	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Wash, rinse and dry thoroughly.</li> <li>• Use nonabrasive, plastic scrubbing pad on heavily soiled areas.</li> <li>• <b>Do not use abrasive or harsh cleansers. They may damage the finish.</b></li> </ul>
<b>Broiler pan and grid</b> (clean after each use)	Steel-wool pad and warm, soapy water	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Wash, rinse and dry thoroughly.</li> </ul>
<b>Oven racks</b>	Steel-wool pad and warm, soapy water	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Wash, rinse and dry thoroughly.</li> </ul>
<b>Oven door glass</b> (models RB220PXB, RB120PXY and RB100PXY) <b>and oven window</b> (model RB1005XY)	Paper towel and spray glass cleaner  <b>OR</b> Warm, soapy water and a nonabrasive, plastic scrubbing pad	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Make sure oven is cool.</li> <li>• Follow directions provided with the cleaner.</li> <li>• Wash, rinse and dry thoroughly.</li> </ul>

## CARING FOR YOUR OVEN

PART	WHAT TO USE	HOW TO CLEAN
<b>Oven cavity</b> (models RB100PXY and RB1005XY)	Sponge and warm, soapy water  Soapy steel-wool pad for heavily soiled areas  <b>OR</b>  Commercial oven cleaner for heavily soiled areas          Heavy-duty aluminum foil or shallow pan used while cooking	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Remove door for easier access. (See page 16.)</li> <li>• Wash, rinse and dry well.</li> <li>• Remove door for easier access.</li> <li>• Rinse well with water.</li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Remove door for easier access.</li> <li>• Place newspaper on floor to protect floor surface.</li> <li>• Follow directions provided with the oven cleaner.</li> <li>• Rinse well with clear water.</li> <li>• Use in well-ventilated room.</li> <li>• <b>Do not allow commercial oven cleaners to contact the heating elements, heat seal, thermostat or exterior surfaces of the oven. Damage will occur.</b></li> <li>• Place piece of foil or shallow pan, slightly larger than the cooking container, on lower rack to catch spillovers.</li> </ul> <p><b>NOTE:</b> Do not use foil or foil liner to cover the oven floor. Poor baking/roasting results could occur.</p>
<b>Oven cavity</b> (models RB220PXB and RB120PXY)	Steel-wool pad and warm, soapy water          Heavy-duty aluminum foil	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Make sure oven is cool.</li> <li>• Remove door for easier access.</li> <li>• Clean heavily soiled areas or stains. Rinse well with water.</li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Place piece of foil on oven floor to catch spillovers. Make sure the foil is centered and long enough to start up both side oven walls without wrinkling.</li> <li>• <b>DO NOT USE COMMERCIAL OVEN CLEANERS.</b></li> <li>• <b>Most fat spatters on oven walls and floor will gradually reduce to a presentably clean condition during baking.</b></li> </ul>

## The oven light

The oven light will come on when you use the oven light switch on the control panel.

**Model RB220PXB:** The light will also come on when you open the oven door.

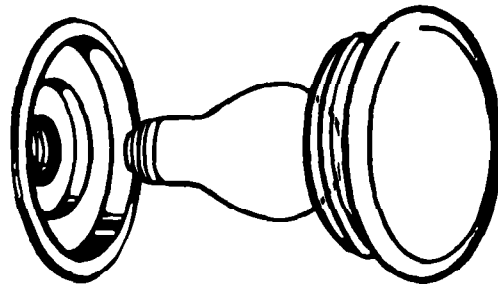
### **⚠ WARNING**

#### **Electrical Shock and Personal Injury Hazard**

- Make sure oven and light bulb are cool and power to the oven has been turned OFF before replacing the light bulb. Failure to do so could result in electrical shock or burns.
- The bulb cover must be in place when using the oven. The cover protects the bulb from breaking, and from high oven temperatures. Because bulb cover is made of glass, be careful not to drop it. Broken glass could cause injury.

### **To replace the oven light:**

1. **Turn off** power at the main power supply.
2. **Remove** the glass bulb cover in the back of the oven by screwing it out counter-clockwise.
3. **Remove** the light bulb from its socket. **Replace** the bulb with a 40-watt appliance bulb.
4. **Replace** the bulb cover by screwing it in clockwise.
5. **Turn power on** at the main power supply.



# If You Need Assistance Or Service

This section is designed to help you save the cost of a service call. Part 1 of this section outlines possible problems, their causes, and actions you can take to solve each problem. Parts 2 and 3 tell you what to do if you still need assistance or service. When calling our Consumer Assistance Center for help or calling for service, please provide a detailed description of the problem, your appliance's complete model and serial numbers and the purchase date. (See page 2.) This information will help us respond properly to your request.

## 1. Before calling for assistance ...

Performance problems often result from little things you can find and fix without tools of any kind. Please check the chart below for problems you can fix. It could save you the cost of a service call.

PROBLEM	POSSIBLE CAUSE	SOLUTION
<b>Nothing will operate</b>	The unit is not wired into a live circuit with proper voltage.  A household fuse has blown or a circuit breaker has tripped.	Wire the unit into a live circuit with proper voltage. (See Installation Instructions.)  Replace household fuse or reset circuit breaker.
<b>The oven will not operate</b>	The Oven Selector is not turned to BAKE or BROIL.  The Oven Temperature Control Knob is not turned to a temperature setting.  The MEALTIMER™ clock is not set correctly.  The Stop or Start Time Knobs for the MEALTIMER clock are not set at the correct time of day.	Turn the Oven Selector to the desired setting.  Turn the Oven Temperature Control Knob to a temperature setting.  Set the MEALTIMER clock correctly. (See "Using the MEALTIMER™ clock" on page 14.)  If a delay start or stop is not desired, the Stop and Start Time Knobs must be turned to the correct time of day. Turn knobs till they pop out.
<b>Soil is visible on continuous-cleaning oven finish</b> (models RB220PXB and RB120PXY)	You broil often.  Soil is on door.  Soil is caused by sugar and starchy spills.	The special finish is designed to <b>gradually reduce oven soil</b> during normal baking or roasting. It is not designed to keep your oven spotless, only presentably clean. If you broil often, you may see oven soil. Follow hand-cleaning tips on page 19.  The door is cooler than the oven walls. Soil will be more visible on the door than other areas in the oven. See hand-cleaning tips on page 19.  Sugar and starchy spills may leave stains. See page 19 for hand-cleaning tips. <b>Keep foil on oven bottom to catch these spills.</b>

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PROBLEM	POSSIBLE CAUSE	SOLUTION
<p><b>Cooking results are not what you expected</b></p>	<p>The oven is not level.</p> <p>The oven temperature seems too low or too high.</p> <p>The oven was not preheated before baking.</p> <p>The recipe has never been tested or is not from a reliable source.</p> <p>The pan is not the type or size recommended in the recipe.</p> <p>There is not proper air circulation around pan when baking.</p>	<p>Level oven. (See Installation Instructions.)</p> <p>Adjust the oven temperature control. (See "Adjusting the oven temperature control" on page 10.)</p> <p>Preheat oven when called for in recipe.</p> <p>Use only tested recipes from a reliable source.</p> <p>Refer to a reliable cookbook for recommended pan type and size.</p> <p>Allow 1½ to 2 inches (4-5 cm) of air space on all sides of pan. There must be a minimum space of 1 inch (2.5 cm).</p>



## IF YOU NEED ASSISTANCE OR SERVICE

### 2. If you need assistance ...

Call Whirlpool Consumer Assistance Center telephone number. Dial toll-free from anywhere in the U.S.A.:

**1-800-253-1301**

and talk with one of our trained consultants. The consultant can instruct you in how to obtain satisfactory operation from your appliance or, if service is necessary, recommend a qualified service company in your area.

If you prefer, write to:

Mr. William Clark  
Consumer Assistance Representative  
Whirlpool Corporation  
2000 M-63  
Benton Harbor, MI 49022

Please include a daytime phone number in your correspondence.

### 3. If you need service ...



Whirlpool has a nationwide network of authorized Whirlpool® service companies. Whirlpool service technicians are trained to fulfill the product warranty and provide after-warranty service, anywhere in the United States. To locate the authorized Whirlpool service company in your area, call our Consumer Assistance Center telephone number (see Step 2) or look in your telephone directory Yellow Pages under:

**• APPLIANCE-HOUSEHOLD-  
MAJOR, SERVICE & REPAIR**

- See: Whirlpool Appliances or  
Authorized Whirlpool Service  
(Example: XYZ Service Co.)

**• WASHING MACHINES &  
DRYERS, SERVICE & REPAIR**

- See: Whirlpool Appliances or  
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### 4. If you need FSP® replacement parts ...

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To locate FSP replacement parts in your area, refer to Step 3 above or call the Whirlpool Consumer Assistance Center number in Step 2.

### 5. If you are not satisfied with how the problem was solved ...

- Contact the Major Appliance Consumer Action Panel (MACAP). MACAP is a group of independent consumer experts that voices consumer views at the highest levels of the major appliance industry.
- Contact MACAP only when the dealer, authorized servicer and Whirlpool have failed to resolve your problem.

Major Appliance Consumer Action Panel  
20 North Wacker Drive  
Chicago, IL 60606

- MACAP will in turn inform us of your action.

# WHIRLPOOL®

## Electric Built-In Oven

### Warranty

LENGTH OF WARRANTY	WHIRLPOOL WILL PAY FOR
<b>FULL ONE-YEAR WARRANTY</b> From Date of Purchase	FSP® replacement parts and repair labor to correct defects in materials or workmanship. Service must be provided by an authorized Whirlpool service company.
WHIRLPOOL WILL NOT PAY FOR	
<p><b>A. Service calls to:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Correct the installation of your oven.</li> <li>2. Instruct you how to use your oven.</li> <li>3. Replace house fuses or correct house wiring.</li> <li>4. Replace owner accessible light bulbs.</li> </ol> <p><b>B. Repairs when your oven is used in other than normal, single-family household use.</b></p> <p><b>C. Pickup and delivery. Your oven is designed to be repaired in the home.</b></p> <p><b>D. Damage to your oven caused by accident, misuse, fire, flood, acts of God or use of products not approved by Whirlpool.</b></p> <p><b>E. Repairs to parts or systems caused by unauthorized modifications made to the appliance.</b></p>	

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