

PRESSURE CANNING METHOD

IMPORTANT: Read your Instruction/Recipe Manual carefully before each use for important operating instructions. Once you have become familiar with how your Presto Precise® Digital Pressure Canner operates, this condensed guide will become a convenient reference tool.

- 1**
Getting Ready
- Select canning recipe from Instruction Manual. Prepare jars, lids, and bands. Prepare food as directed for canning.
 - Place removable pot in canner. Put canning rack in pot.
 - Pour 3 quarts of water into pot, up to bottom fill line.
 - Fully insert power cord and plug into 120VAC wall outlet.
 - **(PRESSURE CAN)** will flash.
 - Press the control knob to select the Pressure Can mode.
 - **0:10** lights up. Rotate control knob adjusting to specific processing time for recipe and jar size being used. **Verify you have set the right program and time.**

- 2**
Jar Warming
- Press **▶**. **INSERT JARS** lights up. Fill jars half full with water and place on canning rack.
 - Remove regulator from canner cover.
 - Place cover on canner and lock. Confirm gasket is on sensor.
 - Lower sensor arm and turn green latch clockwise to lock in place.
 - Press **▶**. **WARM** lights up. Jar warming will take about 20 minutes. At this time, complete food preparation.

- 3**
Fill Jars
- Canner will beep twice and **FILL JARS** lights up.
 - Unlock and lift sensor arm. Remove cover.
 - Lift out one jar at a time. Discard water from jar and immediately fill jar according to canning recipe. Position lid and secure with band.
 - Place filled jar on canning rack and repeat until all jars are filled.

- 4**
Venting
- Place cover on canner and lock. Lower sensor arm and turn green latch clockwise to lock in place. **Confirm that regulator is not on the cover.**
 - Press **▶** and **HEAT** lights up.
 - Once the proper temperature is reached, **VENT** and **0:10** will light up and the timer will begin to count down.
 - When venting time expires, unit will start beeping.
 - **(PUT REGULATOR ON)** will light up. Using a pot holder, place regulator on vent pipe, press down and rotate so regulator lever points to **CAN** position.
 - Press **▶** to advance to canning phase. Beeping will stop.
 - If the air vent/cover lock did not lift during venting, air/steam will continue to release until it lifts.

- 5**
Canning
- **CAN** lights up. The processing time set in phase 1 appears.
 - Once the required pressure canning temperature is reached, the unit will beep twice and **(CANNING)** will light up. Timer begins to count down. Canner is now processing.

- 6**
Cooling
- When processing time expires, canner beeps 4 times.
 - **COOL** lights up. Cooling phase may take about 1½ hours.
 - When **0:10** lights up, the timer begins the final cool down.

- 7**
Done
- When time expires, unit beeps 10 times and **DONE** lights up.
 - Press and hold **⊗** for 3 seconds. Confirm air vent/cover lock has dropped. Unlock and lift sensor arm. Remove cover.
 - Using a jar lifter, carefully remove jars by lifting straight up. Place jars upright on a towel. *Do not retighten bands.* Allow jars to cool naturally. Check seals no earlier than 12 hours, but no later than 24 hours.

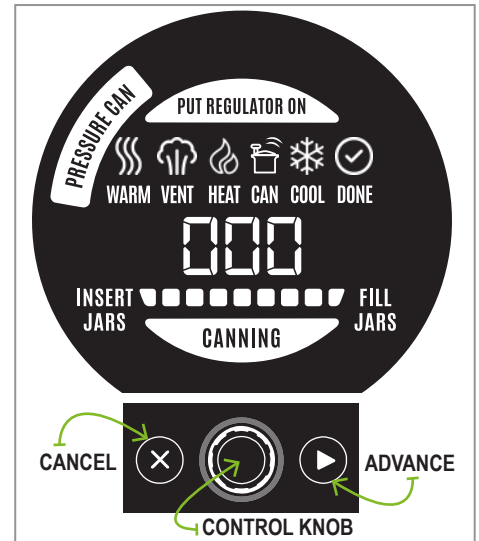
Minimum Mason Jar Capacity: When using the digital canner for pressure canning, use at least 2 quart jars, 4 pint jars, or 8 half-pint jars.

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Maximum Mason Jar Capacity

JAR TYPE	Regular mouth	Wide mouth
Half-pints	10	14*
Pints	8	7
Quarts	5	4

*To properly double-deck, see Instruction Manual.



ERROR CODES Pressure Canning

Reference Instruction Manual for a detailed explanation on how to remedy the following error codes. See Troubleshooting section.

POSSIBLE CAUSE

- E3** Insufficient liquid.
- E10** Regulator was not removed from canner cover in jar warming phase.
- E20** Regulator was not removed from canner cover during venting.
- E21** Regulator was not installed on canner cover after venting.
- ⚠ E50** Canning process was interrupted.
- ⚠ E60** Cooling process was interrupted.

Contact Presto Customer Service for the error codes below. Unplug canner. See Consumer Service Information section in Instruction Manual.

E1 E2 E4 E5