Recommended manufacturer’s Information
to accompany a cookstove

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Summary

This list of items is not a requirement of an ISO standard, but documentation of this information and packing it with the unit will be very helpful to all users. Some of the information is required in order for testing centers to conduct ISO-19867 standard tests on the product, so its inclusion will facilitate testing. Please refer to ISO/IEC Guide 37:2012 for additional guidance in writing instructions for consumers.

On durable nameplate attached to unit:
- Brand name
- Model number
- Serial number
- Mfg. name and address including country of origin

In printed booklet, in the language(s) of the intended end users:
- Photograph or drawing of product
  - One or more photos with different views
- Dimensions for shipping
- Assembly instructions, if required
  - Removal and disposal of packaging
  - List of parts and accessories included
  - Tools required
  - Time required
- Installation instructions
  - Recommended placement
    - If there are options, provide instructions for each
  - Adjustments based on location, if any
  - Mounting space requirements
  - Chimney/duct sizing requirements
  - Templates for vent hole cutting
  - Tools required
  - Time required
  - Parts list
- Safety precautions and warnings
  - Securing for stability
  - Treatment of sharp edges, if any
  - Safe cooking pot placement
  - Avoid combustible materials near cookstove
  - May cookstove be used for space heating or other uses?
  - Protection of children and animals
How to put out a grease fire
Prevention of chimney fire
Suppression of a chimney fire
Recommended fire extinguishers
Recommended first aid for burns
Electricity warnings, if needed
Disposal of ash and char

Operating instructions
Use of controls and adjustments, if any
Settings for low, medium and high power
Recommended cooking vessels and materials
Sample recipes for common foods

Cleaning instructions
Metal surfaces
Painted surfaces
Dust
Food
Chimney residues, creosote etc.
Ash and char

Troubleshooting
How to fix common problems
Power adjustment
Spills on stove surfaces
Emission leaks
Ventilation issues
Handle breakage
Liner breakage

Disassembly/reassembly

Patents (if any)
National certifications, approvals, or ratings
Examples:
US National Fire Protection Association
US National Propane Gas Association
Specifications

Dimensions, H x W x L (US and metric)
  Unit, when assembled
  In shipping package
Shipping weight, kg
Cooking vessel maximum capacity (volume in liters)
Power rating, max. (using ISO-19867 standard)
Efficiency, min. (using ISO-19867 standard)

Specifications for special stove types
  For solar cookers:
    Maximum Intercept area of reflector(s)*
    Vertical angle for maximum input power
    Recommended turning frequency to track sun
    Recommended cooker placement

Replaceable parts (e.g. filters, lights, sensors)
  Removal and installation instructions
  How to get parts

How to contact the manufacturer
  Email, Phone, Web site

* For details on measuring solar cooker specifications, please refer to American Society of Agricultural and Biological Engineers Standard S.580.1.