

nutrichef  
by **PYLE**



**PKTCEC4BL**

**Cooler Box  
USER MANUAL**

## INSTRUCTIONS SYMBOL

Important information for your safety is specially marked. It is essential to comply with these instructions in order to avoid accidents and prevent damage to the machine

## GENERAL NOTES

*Read the operating instructions carefully before putting the appliance into operation and keep the instructions, the receipt and, if possible, the box with the internal packing. If you give this device to other people, please also pass on the operating instructions.*

- The appliance is designed exclusively for private use and for the envisaged purpose. This appliance is not fit for commercial use. Do not use it outdoors. Keep it away from sources of heat, direct sunlight, humidity (never dip it into any liquid) and sharp edges. Do not use the appliance with wet hands. If the appliance is humid or wet, unplug it immediately.
- When cleaning or putting it away, switch off the appliance and always pull out the plug from the socket (pull the plug itself, not the lead) if the appliance is not being used and remove attached accessories.
- Do not operate the machine without supervision. If you leave the room you should always turn the device off. Remove the plug from the socket.
- The device and the mains lead have to be checked regularly for any signs of damage. If any obvious signs of damage is found, the device must not be used.
- Use only original spare parts.
- In order to ensure your children's safety, please keep all packaging (plastic bags, boxes, polystyrene etc.) out of their reach.

## **WARNING:**

**Don't let small children play with foils for danger of suffocation!**

## **SPECIAL SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS FOR THIS MACHINE**

- If the power cord is damaged, it must be replaced by the manufacturer or the manufacturer's Customer Services in order to avoid all risk.
- This appliance can be used by children aged from 8 years and above and persons with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities or lack of experience and knowledge if they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance in a safe way and understand the hazards involved.
- Children shall not play with the appliance.
- Cleaning and user maintenance shall not be made by children unless they are older than 8 years and supervised.
- Keep the appliance and its cord out of reach of children less than 8 years.
- The appliance is not intended to be operated by means of an external timer or separate remote-control system.
- Do not immerse the device into water for cleaning. Please follow the instructions as stipulated in the chapter "Cleaning".

## **CAUTION: RISK OF OVER HEATING!**

### **Keep the ventilation slots free!**

If the heat generated by the operation is not properly dissipated, it can result in overheating and fire.

## **INTENDED USE**

- The appliance is designed for the cooling of pre-cooled or for keeping hot dishes and beverages warm.
- It is intended for use in the household and in similar applications, such as: In personal kitchen areas in shops, offices and other work areas;
- By guests in hotels, motels and other accommodation;
- In bed and breakfast accommodation;
- To use for camping; In motor vehicles.
- **It is not intended for the following use:**
  - In agriculture; In catering and similar wholesale use.
- ▲ **This appliance should not be exposed to the rain.**

## **SUPPLIED PARTS**

1x Cooler Box

1x Power Cord for AC Current 110Volt

1x Car Power Cord for DC 12 Volt

## **UNPACKING THE APPLIANCE**

- Remove the appliance from its packaging.
- Remove all packaging materials such as films, filler material, cable clips and carton.
- Check the contents for completeness.
- Check the appliance for possible transport damage to prevent hazards.

## **CONNECTION**

- Before you plug the power plug into the power outlet, ensure that the mains voltage corresponds with that of the appliance. You can find information about this on the rating plate.
- Only connect the appliance to a properly installed earthed socket.

## **BEFORE FIRST USE**

- ▲ Remove all packaging residues from the device and the connections and clean the device thoroughly!

## INSTRUCTIONS

### GENERAL INFORMATION

- Never place the appliance next to naked flames or other heat sources.
- Do not open the lid more often than required. Do not leave the lid open more often than is necessary. This will influence the duration of the cooling or keeping warm.
- The duration of the cooling or keeping warm is also dependent on the ambient temperature.
- The appliance is not suitable for permanent operation.
- **The appliance can be connected to two different energy sources:**
  - Alternating current 110V~
  - Direct current 12V
- **The respective indicator lamp will indicate the mode:**
  - Green for cooling
  - Red for keeping warm
- Do not switch directly from one operating mode into the other. If you would like to change the operating mode, turn the appliance Off. Wait about 30 minutes before you switch it to the other operating mode.

### COOLING

- You may keep cold foods cold for several hours.
- Turn the switch to the "**COLD**" position
- For best results, only store already cooled food/ beverages in the cooler. Select a place of use that is protected from direct sunlight.

### KEEPING WARM

- You may keep hot food / beverages warm for several hours, maximum 122°F to 140°F
- Set the switch to the "**HOT**" position.
- The peltier element will switch off and on at intervals to maintain the temperature. The red control light will be lit up when the peltier element is in operation and when the fan is running.
- The appliance is not designed for reheating. Cold food will only warm up slightly after about 2 hours.

### CONNECTION TO THE ALTERNATING CURRENT

1. Remove the power cord for the direct current, if necessary.
2. Check to make sure that the mains voltage that you want to use is 110 V~.
3. Plug the power cord for alternating current into the ~AC socket on the appliance.
4. Connect the device to a properly installed earthed socket.
5. Set the switch to **COLD** for cooling and to **HOT** for keeping warm.

## CONNECTION TO THE DIRECT CURRENT

1. Remove the power cord for the alternating current, if necessary.
2. Turn on the engine of the motor vehicle.
3. Plug the power cord for direct current into the **DC** socket on the appliance.
4. Connect the appliance to the cigarette lighter in the motor vehicle.
5. Set the switch to **COLD** for cooling or to **HOT** for keeping warm.

### NOTE:

Save the battery of your motor vehicle. Only run the appliance in the motor vehicle while the engine is running.

## TERMINATING OPERATION

There is no automatic shut-off . The appliance runs permanently while it is connected to a power supply and switched on.

1. Set the switch to the "**OFF**" position.
2. Unplug the power cord from the socket or the cigarette lighter.
3. Unplug the power cord from the appliance.

## CLEANING

### WARNING:

- Always unplug the power cord from the appliance and from the socket / the cigarette lighter!
- Never immerse the appliance in water! Otherwise this might result in an electric shock or fire.

### CAUTION:

- Do not use a wire brush or any abrasive items.
- Do not use any acidic or abrasive detergents.
- Use a moist towel to clean the inside and the outside. You may add a dishwashing liquid to the towel.
- Dry it with a cloth afterwards.
- Fasten the lid back into the holder.

### Storage

- Clean the appliance as described and allow it to dry.
- We recommend that you keep the appliance in the original packaging if it will not be used for long periods.
- Always store the appliance out of the reach of children in a dry, well ventilated place.

## TROUBLESHOOTING

### APPLIANCE IS NOT FUNCTIONING

**Possible cause:**

The switch setting has not been selected correctly.

**Remedy:**

Check the switch setting.

**Possible cause:**

There is no current being supplied to the appliance.

**Remedy:**

Check the connection to the energy source.

- Check the domestic power socket with a different appliance.
- Check the fusebox.
- Is the connector plugged in correctly into the appliance and into the energy source?
- Does the cigarette lighter of your motor vehicle work without a problem?

### APPLIANCE DOES NOT FUNCTION WITH DIRECT CURRENT

**Possible cause:**

The fuse in the plug of the 12V power cord is faulty.

**Remedy:**

Replace the fuse. You can obtain one from a specialized dealer.

**Possible cause:**

The cigarette lighter of your motor vehicle is faulty.

**Remedy:**

Contact a specialist for motor vehicles.

### THE APPLIANCE SHUTS OFF DURING OPERATION

**Possible cause:**

Inadequate ventilation.

**Remedy:**

- Keep the ventilation slots free
- Position the appliance so that the air may circulate freely

### TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

**Model:** PKTCEC4BL

**Power Supply:** 110V~ 60Hz

**Power Consumption Cooling:** 60W

**Keeping Warm:** 55W

**Direct current**

**Power Supply:** 12V

**Power Rating Cooling:** 48W

**Keeping Warm:** 42W

**Climate Class:** N



**VISIT US ONLINE:**

*Have a question?*

*Need service or repair?*

*Want to leave a comment?*

[PyleUSA.com/ContactUs](https://www.PyleUSA.com/ContactUs)

**PYLE**