SMALL SCALE FOOD PROCESSOR ASSOCIATION SUPPORTS INDEPENDENT FOOD PROCESSORS & GROWERS	Document No.: Effective Date: Revision Date:	HUB.E.WI.137 01-June 2022 New
EQUIPMENT – Mixer (Hobart Type)	Revised By: Approved By: Reason for Revision:	MDaskis NRoss New

NAME: (information below is example)

Hobart medium mixer: model # AC10

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If any part of the equipment is not operational or may affect the product quality, Plant Manager and/or QA is to be notified immediately prior to use.

## **SETUP:**

- 1. Make sure machine has been cleaned and sanitized, machine should be assembled.
- 2. Visually check machine:
  - a. To be in good working order
  - b. No parts of equipment should be on machine
  - c. No foreign objects on or near machine (paint chip, rust, screw, etc).
- 3. Be sure to thoroughly wash hands, wear appropriate clothing, ie. gloves, hairnets, beard nets and smocks when working in the mixing room
- 4. Collect operating parts from storage / drying rack, these include:
  - a. mixing blade/whisk blade/kneading blade
  - b. mixing bowl
- 5. Start machine, check all parts are running correctly and guards are all locked into place
- 6. Secure plastic around mixer before mixing. Be sure that nothing catches or rubs.
- 7. Attach bowl by placing bowl on mixer, holes fit over small silver cones
- 8. Turn black handle counter-clockwise to lower bowl, until tight

## **OPERATION:**

- 1. Make sure the mixer is unplugged
- 2. Add ingredients to bowl
- 3. Attach blade to mixer
- 4. If blending powdered ingredients, tape plastic sheet around outside of mixing bowl to keep product from becoming airborne
- 5. Plug in mixer
- 6. To turn machine on, press green button (to increase mixing speed turn speed control switch to the right. Make sure that when mixing powdered ingredients speed should be set to 1.)
- 7. Raise bowl by turning black wheel on side of the mixer clockwise
- 8. Once mixed, press red [OFF] button
- 9. Unplug mixer.

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10. Lower bowl and remove blade, then remove bowl from frame

- 11. Remove ingredients- repeat or clean bowl and blade
- 12. Remove and discard plastic covering and tape, if used.

## **MAINTENANCE**:

- 1. Maintenance Personnel lubricates the mixer when needed.
- 2. Maintenance records should be kept and reviewed by management once a year.
- 3. Visual inspection should be conducted by Production Employees or Maintenance Technician before operation which should include as follows:
  - a. No foreign materials.
  - b. No overloading.
  - c. Shaft: Straight and secure.
  - d. Control: It is On; speed of shaft is normal.
  - e. Bowl: No shaking.