

Frequently Asked Questions

Diesel Cook Top X100



Question 1 – How many hot plates are there to cook with?

There are two areas – one being the main cooking function that is directly above the burner and a second used to simmer.

Note: never place food directly on the ceramic cook top surface.

Question 2 – Does the Cook Top use the same fuel as my diesel vehicle?

Yes, the diesel for the Cook Top can be drawn from the vehicle's main fuel tank by the means of a standpipe. An optional Webasto diesel tank is used for caravans or campers.

Question 3 – Can I integrate my Cook Top with the hot water service and air heater?

No, the Cook Top is an independent system that only cooks and does not supply hot air or water to the vehicle.

Question 4 – Is the Cook Top also an oven?

No, the Cook Top is only a 2 plate stove top

Question 5 – Will any gas or fumes get into the galley area?

As with all our diesel products, as long as the installation guidelines are followed, exhaust fumes will not enter the vehicle. The burner is also covered by the ceramic plate and there is no naked flame. The exhaust from the combustion chamber is routed outside of the vehicle.

Question 6 – Are there different heat settings for the Cook Top?

Yes, there are six (6) heat settings and the maximum cooking power is 1.8kW

Question 7 – How much fuel does the Cook Top use?

0.09 – 0.19L per hour

Question 8 – Can I make toast with the Cook Top?

Yes, there are products on the market that allow you to place a steel “bracket” on the Cook Top to allow you to make toast.

Question 9 – How long does it take to boil water?

As a guide, the Cook Top takes about 15-20 minutes to boil 1L of water.

Providing quality heavy based cookware is used, the performance is similar to a domestic electric ceramic cook top.

Question 10 – How long does the Cook Top take to shut down?

It takes approximately 5 minutes for the Cook Top to shut down.

Note: the plate will take approx. 45-55 minutes to cool completely, the orange indicator lamp will remain on during this time.

Question 11 – Is the Cook Top covered by warranty?

All Webasto products come with a 2 year warranty.

Question 12 – Can I install the Cook Top into my vehicle myself?

Yes, the installation manual is comprehensive and trained Webasto personnel are on hand to support DIY installations by phone or email.

Question 13 – What parts are provided with the unit when I purchase it?

Everything is supplied to install the cooker into a motorhome. An optional fuel standpipe is available to source fuel directly from the vehicles' own fuel tank.

An optional fuel tank is required for a caravan or camper trailer, which can be supplied by Webasto.

Question 14 – What are the dimensions of the unit and does it come in different sizes?

Only one size is available.

Ceran® Hotplate (visible area) = 466 x 316 mm (L x W)

Protective Casing (under bench top) = 565 x 366 x 172 mm (LxWxH)

Question 15 – I have a petrol run vehicle, can I still install a diesel Cook Top?

Yes, with a separate diesel fuel tank fitted to the vehicle.

Question 16 – Can the Cook Top be installed externally?

No

Question 17 – What type of control does the Cook Top have?

A simple to use rotary control heat setting, ON/OFF button and high altitude button (that would not normally be used in Australia or New Zealand) for altitudes above 1800m.

Question 18 – What electrical connections are required?

A positive and negative wire to a reliable 12V power source, such as the house battery, connected by the fuse supplied in the kit.

Question 19 – What is the current draw of the Cook Top?

At start 8 Amps for 4 minutes; 0.3 Amps running.

Question 20 – Is the Cook Top supplied with a fuel pump and fuel filter?

Yes, as part of the kit.

Question 21 – What is the maximum length of fuel line?

8 meters

Question 22 – Where is the combustion air sourced from?

Outside of the vehicle via the combustion air tube.

Question 23 – Where is the exhaust installed?

Under and outside of the vehicle. Emissions are led out through the stainless steel exhaust tube.

Question 24 – What type of glass is used for the cooking surface?

Ceran® Ceramic glass plate

Question 25 – Are there any special cleaning instructions for the Cook Top?

Yes. Remove any foil, plastic, sugar or mixtures containing sugar immediately to avoid damage. To clean the glass plate, use a mild detergent and clean cloth or sponge. Do not use abrasive scouring pads and strong chemical cleaners such as oven cleaners etc.

Question 26 – Can I cook directly on the glass surface?

No, however you can purchase aftermarket BBQ mats which will allow for this (Note: Webasto does not sell the BBQ mats).