

MICROWAVE OVEN

BASIC : SMH1927 MODEL : ME18H704SFS/AC

SERVICE Manual

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1. Precaution

PRECAUTIONS TO BE OBSERVED BEFORE AND DURING SERVICING TO AVOID POSSIBLE EXPOSURE TO EXCESSIVE MICROWAVE ENERGY

- (a) Do not operate or allow the oven to be operated with the door open.
- (b) Make the following safety checks on all ovens to be serviced before activating the magnetron or other microwave source, and make repairs as necessary:
 - (1) Interlock operation,
 - (2) proper door closing,
 - (3) seal and sealing surfaces (arcing, wear, and other damage),
 - (4) damage to or loosening of hinges and latches,
 - (5) evidence of dropping or abuse.

- (c) Before turning on microwave power for any service test or inspection within the microwave generating compartments, check the magnetron, wave guide or transmission line, and cavity for proper alignment, integrity, and connections.
- (d) Any defective or misadjusted components in the interlock, monitor, door seal, and microwave generation and transmission systems shall be repaired, replaced, or adjusted by procedures described in this manual before the oven is released to the owner.
- (e) A Microwave leakage check to verify compliance with the Federal performance standard should be performed on each oven prior to release to the owner.

1. Precaution

Follow these special safety precautions. Although the microwave oven is completely safe during ordinary use, repair work can be extremely hazardous due to possible exposure to microwave radiation, as well as potentially lethal high voltages and currents.

1-1 Safety precautions (**(**)

- All repairs should be done in accordance with the procedures described in this manual. This product complies with Federal Performance Standard 21 CFR.
- 2. Microwave emission check should be performed prior to servicing if the oven is operative.
- **3.** If the oven operates with the door open, instruct the user not to operate the oven and contact the manufacturer and the center for devices and radiological health immediately.
- 4. Notify the Central Service Center if the microwave leakage exceeds 5 mW/cm2.
- 5. Check all grounds.
- 6. Do not power the MWO from a "2-prong" AC cord. Be sure that all of the built-in protective devices are replaced. Restore any missing protective shields.
- 7. When reinstalling the chassis and its assemblies, be sure to restore all protective devices, including: nonmetallic control knobs and compartment covers.
- Make sure that there are no cabinet openings through which people --particularly children--might insert objects and contact dangerous voltages. Examples: lamp hole,ventilation slots.
- **9.** Inform the manufacturer of any oven found to have emission in excess of 5 mW/cm2, make repairs to bring the unit into compliance at no cost to owner and try to determine cause. Instruct owner not to use oven until it has been brought into compliance.
- **10.** Service technicians should remove their watches while repairing a MWO.
- **11.** To avoid any possible radiation hazard,replace parts in accordance with the wiring diagram. Also, use only the exact replacements for the following parts: primary and secondary interlock switches, interlock monitor switch.
- **12.** If the fuse is blown by the Interlock Monitor Switch, replace all of the following at the same time: primary, door sensing switch and power relay, as well as the Interlock Monitor Switch. The correct adjustment of these switches is described elsewhere in this manual. Make sure that the fuse has the correct rating for the particular model being repaired.

- **13.** Design Alteration Warning: Use exact replacement parts only, i.e.,only those that are specified in the drawings and parts lists of this manual. This is especially important for the interlock switches, described above. Never alter or add to the mechanical or electrical design of the MWO. Any design changes or additions will void the manufacturer's warranty. Always unplug the unit's AC power cord from the AC power source before attempting to remove or reinstall any component or assembly.
- Never defeat any of the B+ voltage interlocks. Do not apply AC power to the unit (or any of its assemblies) unless all solid-state heat sinks are correctly installed.
- 15. Some semiconductor ("solid state") devices are easily damaged by static electricity. Such components are called Electrostatically Sensitive Devices (ESDs). Examples include integrated circuits and field-effect transistors. Immediately before handling any semiconductor components or assemblies, drain the electrostatic charge from your body by touching a known earth ground.
- **16.** Always connect a test instrument's ground lead to the instrument chassis ground before connecting the positive lead; always remove the instrument's ground lead last.
- **17.** When checking the continuity of the switches or transformer, always make sure that the power is OFF, and one of the lead wires is disconnected.
- **18.** Components that are critical for safety are indicated in the circuit diagram by shading, \bigwedge or \bigwedge .
- **19.** Use replacement components that have the same ratings, especially for flame resistance and dielectric strength specifications. A replacement part that does not have the same safety characteristics as the original might create shock, fire or other hazards.

NOTE : Connect the oven to a 20A circuit. When connecting the oven to a 15A circuit, make sure that the circuit breaker can operate.

1-2 Special High Voltage Precautions

- 1. High Voltage Warning : Do not attempt to measure any of the high voltages --this includes the filament voltage of the magnetron. High voltage is present during any cook cycle. Before touching any components or wiring, always unplug the oven and discharge the high voltage capacitor (See page 10)
- 2. The high-voltage capacitor remains charged for about 30 seconds after disconnection. Short the negative terminal of the high-voltage capacitor to to the oven chassis. (Use a screwdriver.)
- 3. High voltage is maintained within specified limits by close-tolerance, safety-related components and adjustments. If the high voltage exceeds the specified limits, check each of the special components.



PRECAUTION

There exists HIGH VOLTAGE ELECTRICITY with high current capabilities in the circuits of the HIGH VOLTAGE TRANSFORMER secondary and filament terminals. It is extremely dangerous to work on or near these circuits with the oven energized.

DO NOT measure the voltage in the high voltage circuit including filament voltage of magnetron.

PRECAUTION

Servicemen should remove their watches whenever working close to or replacing the magnetron.

PRECAUTION

Never touch any circuit wiring with your hand or with a uninsulated tool during operation.

2. Specifications

2-1 Features

Items	Numerical Value		
Professional Design	The new Samsung OTR with Stainless Steel, has a professional look and the design matches great with other kitchen appliances, so It provides harmonious kitchen interior and finally completes the total kitchen solution.		
Turbo vent	With a 400CFM ventilation power, the new OTR can keep a comfortable cooking condition by absorbing smoke and odor from the cook-top. Moreover, it provides the silent condition that is an equivalent noise level to other OTR with lower ventilation power. The Strongest power without additional noise! That's the benefit you can feel from the new OTR!		
Big Interior Capacity For Convenience	With the 1.8 cu.ft capacity, it offers enough space to cook. The big capacity combined with 1,000 watts of output achieves superior cooking results.		
Sensor cook	Don't worry about under or overcooking food! The new OTR's sensor technology offers the best dish. Only thing you need to do is just select the cooking menu, and then you will be satisfied with the cooking results by sensor cook.		
LED display	With a more informative LED display, the OTR helps you use all the functions it has with ease.		
One touch easy filter	Samsung One Touch Filter system [™] can be ejected and loaded by One Touch easily. It is also positioned in front of OTR at eye-level. Easy to check the condition of filter frequently without difficulty. It can be cleaned easily with water and soap because its Washable Filter consists of only one piece for your convenience.		
Ceramic coating	The interior is fully coated with Ceramic Enamel that offers a solid surface that never scratches and cracks. So you can enjoy the same new interior even after long use. Moreover, it prevents the bacteria and the smooth surface is easy to clean as well. Significantly higher cooking temperatures and animal protein can cause severe discoloration and cleaning issues. However, the Ceramic Enamel Interior prevents all of them.		

2-2 Accessory

ltem	Description	Code No.	Q'ty
	Glass tray	DE74-20002D	1
	Roller guide ring	DE92-90189V	1
	Top Template	DE68-03843A	1
	Wall template	DE68-03142B	1
	Installation instructions	DE68-04108A	1
	Use and Care Guide	DE68-03970A	1
	Hardware-kit	DE92-90505N	1
	Grease filter (Installed)	DE63-00196A	1
	Charcoal filter	DE63-30016D	1
	Shelf	DE75-00083A	1
	Exhaust adaptor	DE92-90242D	1

2-3 Table of Specifications

	Basic Model	New	Model
ltems	SMH1927S/XAA	ME18H704SFB,W,S/ AA	ME18H704SFB,W,S/ AC
Oven Cavity	1.9cu.ft	1.8cu.ft	1.8cu.ft
TIMER	99 minutes, 99 seconds	99 minutes, 99 seconds	99 minutes, 99 seconds
POWER SOURCE	120VAC, 60Hz	120VAC, 60Hz	120VAC, 60Hz
POWER CONSUMPTION	1,700 Watts	1,700 Watts	1,500 Watts
OUTPUT POWER	1,000 Watts	1,000 Watts	900 Watts
OPERATING FREQUENCY	2,450MHz	2,450MHz	2,450MHz
MAGNETRON	OM75P-21	OM75P-21	OM75P-21
COOLING METHOD	COOLING FAN MOTOR	COOLING FAN MOTOR	COOLING FAN MOTOR
Sensor Cook	Yes	Yes	Yes
Cooking Presets(Auto Cook)	Yes	Yes	Yes
Control Method	Membrane Touch	Membrane Touch	Membrane Touch
Exhaust Vent Capacity	400 CFM	400 CFM	400 CFM
Convection Cook	No	No	No
Door Open Mechanism	Wide Side Control	Wide Side Control	Wide Side Control
MW Distribution Mechanism	Stirrer + Turntable	Stirrer + Turntable	Stirrer + Turntable
Display Type	LED Display (New)	LED Display (New)	LED Display (New)
Cooktop Lamp	Halogen	Halogen	Halogen
Eco Mode (Low standby power 1W)	Yes	Yes	Yes
Display Color	ICE Blue	ICE Blue	ICE Blue
Language Option	No	No	No
Sensor Cooking	Yes	Yes	Yes
Sensor Type	Gas Sensor	Gas Sensor	Gas Sensor
Heat Source	Microwave only	Microwave only	Microwave only
Turntable on/off	Yes	Yes	Yes
Defrost (Auto / Power / Sensor)	Auto Defrost	Auto Defrost	Auto Defrost
Reheat	Sensor Reheat	Sensor Reheat	Sensor Reheat
Simple Clean Filter™	No	No	No
Fit Choice	Yes	Yes	Yes
Rack	No	No	No
Child Lock	Yes	Yes	Yes
OUTSIDE DIMENSIONS	29 _{7/8} (W) x 16 _{1/2} (H) x 15 _{1/8} (D)	29 _{7/8} (W) x 17 _{1/16} (H) x 15 _{9/16} (D)	29 _{7/8} (W) x 17 _{1/16} (H) x 15 _{9/16} (D)
OVEN CAVITY DIMENSIONS	20 _{13/16} (W) x 10 _{13/16} (H) x 14 _{9/16} (D)	20 _{13/16} (W) x 10 _{13/16} (H) x 14 _{9/16} (D)	20 _{13/16} (W) x 10 _{13/16} (H) x 14 _{9/16} (D)
SHIPPING DIMENSIONS	33 _{3/8} (W) x 20 _{3/16} (H) x 19 _{7/16} (D)	33 _{3/8} (W) x 19 _{13/32} (H) x 20 _{5/32} (D)	33 _{3/8} (W) x 19 _{13/32} (H) x 20 _{5/32} (D)
NET WEIGHT	50.49 lbs / SMH1816S : 51.80 lbs	54.9 lbs / ME18H704SFS : 56.0 lbs	54.9 lbs / ME18H704SFS : 56.0 lbs
SHIPPING WEIGHT	59.75 lbs / SMH1816S : 61.29 lbs	62.5 lbs / ME18H704SFS : 63.6 lbs	62.5 lbs / ME18H704SFS : 63.6 lbs

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3. Disassembly and Reassembly

3-1 Tools

ΤοοΙ	Туре	Remark
Screw driver	Use for assembly and disassembly of all screws	
8mm Vox Driver	Use for assembly and disassembly of Magnetron	
Nipper	Nipper	

MAGNETRON, MOTOR ASSEMBLY, VENT BLOWER AND HIGH VOLTAGE TRANSFORMER Oven must be removed from wall. REMOVING OVEN FROM WALL (2 PEOPLE REQUIRED)



Disconnect the power cord from the outlet.

The oven is hooked on the metal tabs of the wall mounting plate that is secured to the wall. It is not necessary to remove this mounting plate to service this unit.

This unit is attached to the cabinet above by two self aligning screws. Support the unit while removing these screws allowing it to hinge downward to disengage the unit from the mounting plate.

Be aware there may also be a connection to the range vent ductwork that is attached to the top or back of the unit through an exhaust adapter/damper.



Remove the oven from the wall

3-2 Replacement of High Voltage Transformer

Parts	Explanation Photo	Explanation
Grill		 Disconnect oven power. Remove Grill. Remove 2 screws Slide the Grill to the left, then pull it straght out.
Panel Outer		3. Remove Panel Outer by pulling it to the rear of the set.

3-2 Replacement of High Voltage Transformer

Parts	Explanation Photo	Explanation
	4. Discharge the High voltage capacitor	
High voltage capacitor		5. Disconnect all the leads.
Base Bottom		6. Remove Base bottom.
HV Trans		7. Take out the HV Trans.

3-3 Replacement of Magnetron

Parts	Explanation Photo	Explanation
Magnetron		 Remove the magnetron including the shield case, permanent magnet, choke coils and capacitors (all of which are contained in one assembly). 1. Disconnect all lead wires from the magnetron.
		 Remove screws (2) securing the magnetron to the wave guide. Take out the magnetron very carefully.
NOTE1: When removing the magnetron, make sure that the antenna does not hit any adjacent parts, or it may be damaged.		
NOTE2: When replacing the magnetron, be sure to remount the magnetron gasket in the correct position and make sure the gasket is in good condition.		
NOTE3: Reconnect the	e lead wire to thermal cutout mounted on the	magnetron, before replacing the magnetron.

PRECAUTION

During replacement, be certain the R.F. anode gasket is in place around the anode stub. **PERFORM MICROWAVE LEAKAGE TEST**

3-4 Replacement of Fan Motor

Parts	Explanation Photo	Explanation
Fan Motor		 Remove Grill and Panel Outer. Disconnect all lead wires from Fan Motor and High Voltage Transformer.
		3. Remove one (1) screw and pull out the fan assembly.
		 Remove Fan Blade. Remove screws (2) securing Fan Motor. Replace Fan Motor with new one.
		 After replacing the Fan Motor and reconnecting lead wires, make sure that the connectors are connected securely on the terminal of Fan Motor by pulling the wires lightly.

3. Disassembly and Reassembly

3-5 Replacement of Door Assembly

Parts	Explanation Photo	Explanation
Removal of		1. Remove the 'Cap-Door'.
Door Assembly		 Insert flat screwdriver into the gap between Door "A" and Door "C" to remove Door "C". Be careful when handling Door "C" because it is fragile. Then remove the door assembly.
Removal of Door C		 3. Insert flat screwdriver into the gap between Door "A" and Door "C" to remove Door "C". Be careful when handling Door "C" because it is fragile.
Removal of Key Door & Spring		 Detach the spring and key door from Door.

3-5 Replacement of Door Assembly

Parts	Explanation Photo	Explanation
Removal of Handle	<image/>	 Remove 2 screws, then handle is detached from Door "A".
		6. Remove 2 screws securing Door 'E'.
Removal of Door "E"		 7. Following the procedure as shown in the figure, insert and bend a thin metal plate between Door "E" and Door "A" until you hear the 'tick' sound. Insertion depth of the thin metal plate should be 0.5mm or less.

PRECAUTION

PERFORM MICROWAVE LEAKAGE TEST

3-6 Replacement of Fuse

Parts	Explanation Photo	Explanation
Fuse	High Power Fuse	 The fuse is located on the noise filter. Disconnect power and remove the grill. Replace the fuse. When the 20A fuse blows due to a failure of interlock monitor switch replace the primary interlock switch, secondary interlock switch, door sensing switch, interlock monitor switch and power relay. When the above four switches operate properly, check if any other part such as the control circuit board, blower motor or high voltage transformer is defective.

3-7 Replacement of Drive Motor

Parts	Explanation Photo	Explanation	
Drive Motor	Drive Motor	 Disconnect power and remove bottom plate screws(5). Remove bottom plate and disconnect the turntable motor drive. Remove turntable motor screws(1) and pull the turntable motor out. When replacing the drive motor, be sure to remount it in the correct position with the coupler. Connect all the leads to the drive motor. 	

3. Disassembly and Reassembly

3-8 Removal of Stirrer



3-9 Replacement of Control Circuit Board

Parts	Explanation Photo	Explanation
Removal of Control Box Assembly	<image/>	 Disconnect power and remove grill. Be sure to ground any static electric charge in your body and never touch the control circuit. Remove a screw securing the control box assembly. Disconnect the connectors from the control circuit board.
Removal of P.C.B Assembly	<image/>	 Pull the lever end of the plastic fastener and remove the Flexible Printed Circuit(FPC) of membrane panel. Remove screws (4) securing the control circuit board. Lift up the control circuit board from the Ass'y control box. When reconnecting the FPC connector, make sure that the holes on the connector are properly engaged with the hooks on the Plastic Fastener. After reconnecting the connectors, make sure that the connectors are connected securely on the terminal of control circuit board by pulling the wires lightly.

3-10 Replacement of Cooktop lamp

When replacing the night light, make sure that you are wearing gloves to avoid injury from the heat of the bulb.



3-11 Replacement of Oven Light

Parts	Explanation Photo	Explanation
Oven Light	<image/>	 Remove the Grill. Remove the COVER LAMP by removing the screw and pull up the lever. Replace the bulb with a 40 watt appliance bulb.



PRECAUTION

- 1. High voltage is present at the high voltage terminals during any cook cycle.
- 2. It is neither necessary nor advisable to attempt measurement of the high voltage.
- **3.** Before touching any oven components or wiring, always unplug the oven from its power source and discharge the high voltage capacitor.

4-1 High Voltage Transformer

- 1. Remove connectors from the transformer terminals and check continuity.
- 2. Normal resistance readings are as follows:

For ME18H704SFB,W,S/AA

SHV-U1870D		
Secondary	Approx. 125.0 Ω + 2%	
Filament	Shows Continuity	
Primary	Approx. 0.390 $\Omega \pm 2\%$ (Hi) Approx. 0.430 $\Omega \pm 2\%$ (Low)	

(Room temperature = 20°C)

For ME18H704SFB,W,S/AC

SHV-U1850A		
Secondary	Approx. 131.0 Ω ± 2%	
Filament	Shows Continuity	
Primary	Approx. 0.440 Ω ± 2% (Hi) Approx. 0.480 Ω ± 2% (Low)	

(Room temperature = 20°C)

4-2 Magnetron

- 1. Continuity checks can indicate only an open filament or a shorted magnetron. To diagnose an open filament or shorted magnetron.
- 2. Isolate the magnetron from the circuit by disconnecting its leads.
- **3.** A continuity check across the magnetron filament terminals should indicate one ohm or less.
- **4.** A continuity check between each filament terminal and magnetron case should read open.



4-3 High Voltage Capacitor

- 1. Check continuity of the capacitor with the meter set at the highest resistance scale.
- 2. Once the capacitor is charged, a normal capacitor shows continuity for a short time, and then indicates 9MΩ.
- 3. A shorted capacitor will show continuous continuity.
- An open capacitor will show constant 9MΩ.
- 5. Resistance between each terminal and chassis should read infinite.



4-4 High Voltage Diode

- 1. Isolate the diode from the circuit by disconnecting its leads.
- 2. With the ohm-meter set at the highest resistance scale, measure across the diode terminals. Reverse the meter leads and read the resistance. A meter with 6V, 9V or higher voltage batteries should be used to check the front-to back resistance of the diode (otherwise an infinite resistance may be read in both directions). The resistance of a normal diode will be infinite in one direction and several hundred K Ω in the other direction.

4-5 Main Relay and Power Control Relay

- 1. The relays are located on the PCB Ass'y. Isolate them from the main circuit by disconnecting the leads.
- 2. Operate the microwave oven with a water load in the oven. Set the power level to high.
- 3. Check continuity between terminals of the relays after the start pad is pressed.

4-6 Adjustment of Primary Switch, Door Sensing Switch and Monitor Switch

PRECAUTION

For continued protection against radiation hazard, replace parts in accordance with the wiring diagram and be sure to use the correct part number for the following switches: primary and secondary interlock switches, and the interlock monitor switch (replace all together). Then follow the adjustment procedures below. After repair and adjustment, be sure to check the continuity of all interlock switches and the interlock monitor switch.

- 1. When mounting the primary switch and interlock monitor switch to the latch body, consult the figure.
- 2. No specific adjustment during installation of Primary switch and Monitor switch to the latch body is necessary.
- 3. When mounting the Latch Body to the oven assembly, adjust the Latch Body by moving it so that the oven door will not have any play in it. Check for play in the door by pulling the door assembly. Make sure that the latch keys move smoothly after adjustment is completed. Completely tighten the screws holding the Latch Body to the oven assembly.
- 4. Reconnect to Monitor switch and check the continuity of the monitor circuit and all latch switches again by following the components test procedures.
- 5. Confirm that the gap between the switch housing and the switch actuator is no more than 0.5mm when door is closed.
- 6. Interlock Switch Replacement When replacing faulty switches, be sure switch mounting tabs are not bent, broken or otherwise deficient in their ability to secure the switches in place.



	Door Open	Door Closed
Primary Interlock switch	∞	0
Monitor switch(COM-NC)	0	∞
Monitor switch(COM-NO)	∞	0
Door Sensing S/W	∞	0
(Secondary Interlock S/W)		

4. Alignment and Adjustments

4-7 Vent Exhaust Blower Motor THIS COMPONENT REQUIRES REMOVAL OF MICROWAVE OVEN FROM INSTALLATION FOR SERVICING.

RUN CAPACITOR

The run capacitor is located behind the top grill above the control area. The capacitor is used for more torque and electrical phasing. Without the capacitor the blower might run but would be much slower.

TO TEST THE CAPACITOR

- 1. Remove grill, discharge capacitor and disconnect one capacitor lead.
- 2. Make appropriate capacitor check (with analog meter needle should rise then fall, cap is charging then discharging).

TO TEST BLOWER WINDINGS:

- 1. Disconnect power and remove grill.
- 2. Open control panel and discharge capacitor.
- 3. Disconnent two wires to run capacitor. Continuity test across the two wires should be approximately 50 ohms of resistance. This test allows you to read across all three windings at the same time.

TO REMOVE VENT BLOWER

- 1. Remove unit from its installation.
- 2. Remove 3 screws securing motor to top and back of unit and lift off. (1 screw is located under damper.)
- 3. Disconnect blower plug.
- **NOTE:** Place blower wires in routing slots to avoid pinching of wires.
- **NOTE:** It's normal that connector bracket bent when reconnecting Hood Blower Motor connector.





4-8 Thermal Cutout (TCO'S)

There are 4 different thermal cutouts in this unit with 4 different purposes. They are :

- 1. Oven thermal cutout (flame sensor), on cavity top.
- 2. Hood thermal cutout, inside control area on duct.
- 3. Bottom thermal cutout, on floor of control area.
- 4. Magnetron thermal cutout, on magnetron.

4-8-1 Oven Thermal Cutout(Flame sensor)

The oven thermal cutout(Cavity TCO) is located on the top side of the oven cavity beside exhaust duct with a temperature rating of 248°F(120°C) and is nonresetable. The cutout is tightly held to the top of the oven cavity under the duct-upper.

4-8-2 Replacement of Flame Sensor

Disconnect oven power. Remove Grill & Panel-outer.

- 1. Disconnect two wire leads.
- 2. Slide the top of the thermal cutout and pull out it





4-8-3 Hood Thermal Cutout

This cutout will protect the touch control from excessive heat by turning the vent fan on at low speed. If the surface units of the range are used for long periods of time heat will build up and could damage the microwave control. In order to prevent this a thermal cutout is installed on the duct behind the control. This cutout will close ($158^{\circ}F/70^{\circ}C$ - vent fan energized)and open ($104^{\circ}F/40^{\circ}C$ - vent fan de-energized) depending on temperatures it sense.

To Remove Hood Thermal Cutout :

- 1. Disconnect power and remove grill.
- 2. Remove control box assembly.
- **3.** Remove two wire leads and unscrew one screw securing cutout on duct.
- **NOTE** : If this cutout were to open it would be difficult to detect. The only time it functions is during an overheat condition. It will be normally open when checked with an ohmmeter.

4-8-4 Bottom Thermal Cutout

During a fire on the stove the heat could be intense enough to close the Hood Thermal Cutout and force the fan to run. At moderate high temperature we do want it to run, however during a fire it is advantageous to NOT have the vent fan running. So if a fire were to start on the stove top the Bottom Thermal Cutout would open at 248°F(120°C) and remove all power to the microwave oven.

This cutout is designed to not be resetable.

To Remove Bottom Thermal cutout :

- 1. Disconnect power and remove grill.
- 2. Remove control box assembly.
- 3. Remove two wire leads and unscrew one screw that secures the cutout on base plate.

4-8-5 Magnetron Thermal Cutout

THIS COMPONENT REQUIRES REMOVAL OF MICROWAVE OVEN FROM INSTALLATION FOR SERVICING.

The magnetron thermal cutout is located above the leads to the magnetron. It is designed to prevent damage to the magnetron if an overheated condition develops in the tube, a cooling fan failure, obstructed air ducts, dirty or blocked air intake. Under normal operation, the magnetron thermal cutout remains closed. However, when abnormally high temperatures are reached within the magnetron, the magnetron thermal cutout will open at $302^{\circ}F(150^{\circ}C)$ causing the oven to shut down. After the temperature drops to $140^{\circ}F(60^{\circ}C)$ it will reset and cooking will be able to resume.

To Remove Magnetron Thermal Cutout :

1. See 'Removing Magnetron'.





4. Alignment and Adjustments

4-9 Output Power of Magnetron

PRECAUTION

MICROWAVE RADIATION

PERSONNEL SHOULD NOT ALLOW EXPOSURE TO MICROWAVE RADIATION FROM MICROWAVE GENERATOR OR OTHER PARTS CONDUCTING MICROWAVE ENERGY.

The output power of the magnetron can be measured by performing a water temperature rise test. Equipment needed :

- Two 1-liter cylindrical borosilicate glass vessel (Outside diameter 190 mm)
- One glass thermometer with mercury column
 NOTE: Check line voltage under load. Low voltage will lower the magnetron output. Make all temperature and time tests with accurate equipment.
- 1. Fill the one liter glass vessel with water.
- 2. Stir water in glass vessel with thermometer, and record glass vessel's temperature ("T1", 10±1°C).
- **3.** After moving the water into another glass vessel, place it in the center of the cooking tray. Set the oven to high power and operate for 41 seconds exactly. (3 seconds included as a holding time of magnetron oscillation:)
- 4. When heating is finished, stir the water again with the thermometer and measure the temperature ("T2").
- **5.** Subtract T1 from T2. This will give you the water temperature rise. (Δ T)
- 6. The output power is obtained by the following formula; Output Power = $\frac{4.187 \times 1000 \times \Delta T + 0.55 \times Mcx(T2 - T1)}{38}$ 41 : Heating Time 42 : Counting Time (sec) 4.187 : Coefficient for Water 1000 : Water (cc) ΔT : Temperature Rise (T2-T1) To : Room Temperature
 - Mc : Cylindrical borosilicate glass weight
- 7. Normal temperature rise for this model is 9°C to 11°C at 'HIGH'.

NOTE 1: Variations or errors in the test procedure will cause a variance in the temperature rise. Additional power test should be made if temperature rise is marginal.

NOTE 2: Output power in watts is computed by multiplying the temperature rise (step 5) by a factor of 91 times the of centigrade temperature.

4-10 Procedure for Measurement of Microwave Energy Leakage

- 1. Pour 275±15cc of 20±5°C(68±9°F) water in a beaker which is graduated to 600cc, and place the beaker in the center of the oven.
- 2. Start to operate the oven and measure the leakage by using a microwave energy survey meter.
- 3. Set survey meter with dual ranges to 2,450MHz.
- 4. When measuring the leakage, always use the 2 inch spacer cone with the probe. Hold the probe perpendicular to the cabinet door. Place the spacer cone of the probe on the door and/or cabinet door seam and move along the seam, the door viewing window and the exhaust openings moving the



probe in a clockwise direction at a rate of 1 inch/sec. If the leakage testing of the cabinet door seam is taken near a corner of the door, keep the probe perpendicular to the areas making sure that the probe end at the base of the cone does not get closer than 5cm to any metal. If it gets closer than 5cm, erroneous readings may result.

5. Measured leakage must be less than 4mW/cm2 , after repair or adjustment.

Maximum allowable leakage is 5mW/cm2 .

4mW/cm2 is used to allow for measurement and meter accuracy

4-11 Check for Microwave Leakage

- **1.** Remove the outer panel.
- 2. Pour 275±15cc of 20±5°C(68±9°F) water in a beaker which is graduated to 600cc, and place the beaker in the center of the oven.
- 3. Start the oven at the highest power level.
- 4. Set survey meter dual ranges to 2,450MHz.
- 5. Using the survey meter and spacer cone as described above, measure near the opening of magnetron, the surface of the air guide and the surface of the wave guide as shown in the following photo.(but avoid the high voltage components.) The reading should be less than 4mW/ cm2.

4-12 Note in Measurement

- **1.** Do not exceed the limited scale.
- 2. The test probe must be held on the grip of the handle, otherwise a false reading may result when the operator's hand is between the handle and the probe.
- **3.** When high leakage is suspected, do not move the probe horizontally along the oven surface; this may cause damage to the probe.
- 4. Follow the recommendation of the manufacturer of the microwave energy survey meter.

4-13 Leakage Measuring Procedure

4-13-1 Record keeping and notification after measurement

1) After adjustment and repair of a radiation preventing device, make a repair record for the measured values, and keep the data.

4-13-2 At least once a year have the microwave energy survey meter checked for accuracy by its manufacturer.



4. Alignment and Adjustments

4-14 Sensor

The Sensor Cooking Function uses a special gas sensor which detects both humidity(steam) and hydrocarbons(food odors) during the cooking process. Before conducting either of the sensor tests below, ensure the unit is plugged into a wall outlet for at least 5 minutes. If already plugged in, proceed. The sensor is a plug-in device located in the vent area at the top left hand corner of the cavity behind the grill.

To Service :

- 1. Disconnect power and remove Panel-outer.
- 2. Separate retainer from receptacle and unplug sensor.

SENSOR TEST (QUICK TEST)

- 1. With 2 fingers touch and hold the following pads at the same time : Auto Defrost and Popcorn
- 2. Observe diagnostic number in display (Numbers approximate).
 - 15-185 (Normal-verify with "detection test")
 - 213 or Higher (Sensor failed to open, sensor unplugged, wiring or smart board.)
 - Less then 6 (shorted sensor, or smart board).
- NOTE : Only heater terminals (H ; Black and Red leads) can be checked with ohmmeter(30 $\!\Omega)$.
- **CAUTION** : DO NOT ATTEMPT TO CHECK SENSOR TERMINALS (White and Orange leads).
 - ♣ CAN DAMAGE SENSOR.







PRECAUTION

- 1. CHECK GROUNDING BEFORE CHECKING FOR TROUBLE.
- 2. BE CAREFUL OF THE HIGH VOLTAGE CIRCUIT.
- 3. DISCHARGE THE HIGH VOLTAGE CAPACITOR.
- 4. WHEN CHECKING THE CONTINUITY OF THE SWITCHES OR TRANSFORMER, DISCONNECT ONE LEAD WIRE FROM THESE PARTS AND THEN CHECK CONTINUITY WITHOUT THE POWER SOURCE ON. TO DO OTHERWISE MAY RESULT IN A FALSE READING OR DAMAGE TO YOUR METER.
- 5. DO NOT TOUCH ANY PART OF THE CIRCUIT OR THE CONTROL CIRCUIT BOARD, SINCE STATIC DISCHARGE MAY DAMAGE IT. ALWAYS TOUCH GROUND WHILE WORKING ON IT TO DISCHARGE ANY STATIC CHARGE BUILT UP.

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5-1 Electrical Malfunction

Oven is dead. (No display and no operation at all.)



Oven does not accept key input (Program)



Timer starts countdown but no microwave oscillation.

(No heat while oven lamp and fan motor turn on.)



Oven can program but timer does not start.



Microwave output is low. (Oven takes longer time to cook food.)



Fan motor turns on when plugged in.



Oven does not operate and return to the plugged in mode.



5. Troubleshooting

Loud buzzing noise can be heard.





5-2 Error Code List

Gas Sensor

Error Code	Cause and conuntermeasure	
-SE-	Key short error(10 sec.). Replace assy control panel or smart board.	
E-11	Sensor open error. Check unplugged sensor, wiring or smart board. If necessary, replace sensor. If error code appears when starting sensor function, replace smart board.	
E-12	Sensor short error. Check shorted sensor or smart board. If necessary, replace sensor. If error code appears when starting sensor function, replace smart board.	

6-1 PCB Diagrams

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No	Parts Number	Parts Name	Function and Rule
1	RY201	Main Relay	Fan, Lamp, T/T Control
2	RY202	Inrush Relay	Inrush Electric Current Decrease
3	RY203	Power High Relay	MW Power Control (High Power)
4	RY204	Power Low Relay	MW Power Control (Low Power)
5	RY205	Night Relay	Turn on Low Light
6	RY206	Bright Relay	Turn on High Light
7	RY207	Turn Table Relay	T/Table Motor Control
8	RY208	Vent Boost Relay	Turn on Boost Ventilation
9	RY209	Vent High Relay	Turn on High Ventilation
10	RY210	Vent Medium Relay	Turn on Medium Ventilation
11	RY211	Vent Low Relay	Turn on Low Ventilation
12	CN101	Power Connector	Conncet Power supply
13	CN102	On Board Writing Connector	When do MICOM revision, connect to MICOM writer.
15	CINTOZ		(No connection at normal times)
14	CN104	Membrane Switch Connector	A terminal for membrane switch
15	15 CN201	Relay Connector	A Terminal for Relay Contact
	CINZOT		(Inrush, Main, T/Table, Vent-Boost, Vent-High, Vent-Medium)
16	CN202	Relay Connector	A Terminal for Relay Contact
	ONLOL		(Vent-Low, Cooktop Lamp(AC Lamp))
17	CN203	Relay Connector	A Terminal for Relay Contact (Cooktop Lamp-Night(LED),
		-	Cooktop Lamp-Bright(LED))
18	CN301	Gas Sensor Connector	A Terminal for Gas Sensor
19	CN401	Sensing Connector	A Terminal for Door switch, TCO
20	CN601	Tact Switch & Encoder Connector	A Terminal for Tact switch and Encoder Module
21	CN701	LED Display Module Connector	A Terminal for LED Display Module
22	CN801	IR Sensor Connector 1	A Terminal for IR Sensor
23	CN802	IR Sensor Connector 2	A Terminal for IR Sensor
24	CN901	SUB Module Connector	A Terminal for SUB Module

6-2 PCB Diagrams

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7-1 Wiring Diagrams

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Wiring Diagrams(cont.)

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WIRING DIAGRAM

WARNING POWER MUST BE DISCONNECTED BEFORE SERVICING THIS APPLIANCE

MODEL NO. : ME18F704SFS/AA



COLOR	SYMBOL
GRAY	GRA
WHITE	WHT
BLACK	BLK
RED	RED
BLUE	BLU
ORANGE	ORG
YELLOW	YEL
GREEN	GRN
PINK	PIN
AZURE	AZU
VIOLET	VIL
BROWN	BRN





NOTE: FOR SERVICING REPLACEMENT USE THE APPROPRIATE THERMOPLASTIC COVERED WIRE EXCEPT FOR HIGH VOLTAGE LEADS OR AS NOTED ON SPECIAL LEADS.

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