High SPEED Baking Oven

Cooks and Browns
like a Gas or Electric Oven In Half the Time

Rev. 3

Reinventing Microwave Cooking

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High Speed Solutions

The Half Time oven is a project developed by Apollo USA to reduce conventional cooking speeds by 50% for the residential markets without sacrificing food quality.

Ease of use

User only needs to enter conventional time and temperature.

No preheat required.

How it was done

These results are achieved by adding Apollo's patented microwave power control system to the product, along with a custom tailored algorithm.











Baking

Apollo has established food items that are sensitive to the high speed process to demonstrate how well the technology works.

Breads are a great test food due to the fact that the bread's cell structure is very sensitive to microwave exposure.

The picture to the right shows one loaf baked in the halftime oven and the other in a standard range. Can you tell which is which?

Markets

Apollo sees market potential in the domestic and international RV, boating markets, and Asian kitchen markets where space is at a premium and electrical power is limited.

History

Thousands of units were sold in one day on QVC

Half Time Oven

French Loaf:

Baked in excess of 50% of conventional time with excellent results.

No Preheat required!



French Loaf:

Mix: Pillsbury French Bread
Outstanding results were achieved.

HTO:

Bake Time: 17 minutes Bake Temp: 325° – 400°F

Conventional Oven:

Bake Time: 28 minutes + Preheat

Bake Temp: 350°F

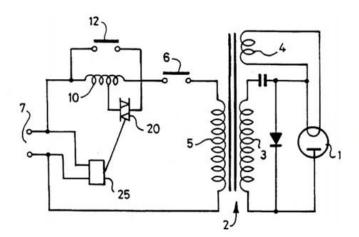


Technology behind the cooking

Apollo's Balanced Energy Invention:

We combine all three energies simultaneously during the cooking cycle.

Convection Heat Radiant heat Microwave



How this is done:

In-Line Impedance:

This system comprises a re-designed high voltage transformer such that a resistive component in series with an inductive section of the high voltage transformer provides a power factor of one and as such maintains control of the magnetron's operation.

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Pizza & Biscuits

Specification

120 / 240v AC 15A / 20A circuit

50 / 60Hz

Result

Baked in excess of 50% of conventional time with excellent results.

Operation

Select "Half Time" Set Temperature

Enter the STANDARD cooking time

Push "START"

Frozen Pizza:



Refrigerated Biscuits:



Apollo Technology

Apollo Customers:

Brother

Belling

Delongi

Electrolux

GE

Maytag

Middleby

RICCAR

Stoves

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Technology:

For the past 40 years, CEO Ken Eke has directed Apollo to become an innovation leader in the field of microwave cooking technology for the residential, commercial and industrial sectors.

Apollo technology has been used by most of the major appliance manufactures world wide.

- With over 75 international patients globally to Apollo's name spanning from automated cooking, microwave power control to best in class energy distribution, we have done it all. Apollo's technology made it possible for Brother Industries to produce the first combination oven in the world back in the mid 1980s. Ultimately Brother went on to sell over 1.2 million products that used Apollo's patented technology. The GE Trivection oven was showcased by Alton Brown and also by Alec Baldwin during a Third Rock episode.
- The first generation of the Half Time Oven has seen considerable success. This product sold thousands of units in one day at QVC. Why has this product had such success? There are three primary reasons. First, the technology works. The food quality is equal to what is expected from a standard radiant oven but in half the time. Second, the user does not have to use special lookup tables or codes. All the user needs to do is input the standard package time and temperature and the oven does the rest. No other oven can claim that level of ease of use, none! Third, all food is cooked in half the conventional time!

Why Invest into the Apollo Half Time Oven (HTO):

- Time: Cooks most foods in 50% of the conventional recipe time.
- Quality: High Quality results, equal to that of conventional ovens.
- Ease of use: User only needs to enter convectional recipe time and temperature.
- Size: Same package size as a standard Convection / Microwave countertop oven.
- Scalable: Technology can be placed in any size Convection / Microwave oven.
- Markets: US / International Kitchen, RV, Boating (where space is at a premium)
- Demand: Proven demand Thousands sold on QVC in one day.
- Delta cost add: \$10 to \$20 USD to place technology on a current production unit.
- No Special Electrical needs: 120 / 220v AC 15A—20A circuits.

