



# Russell Hobbs



instructions

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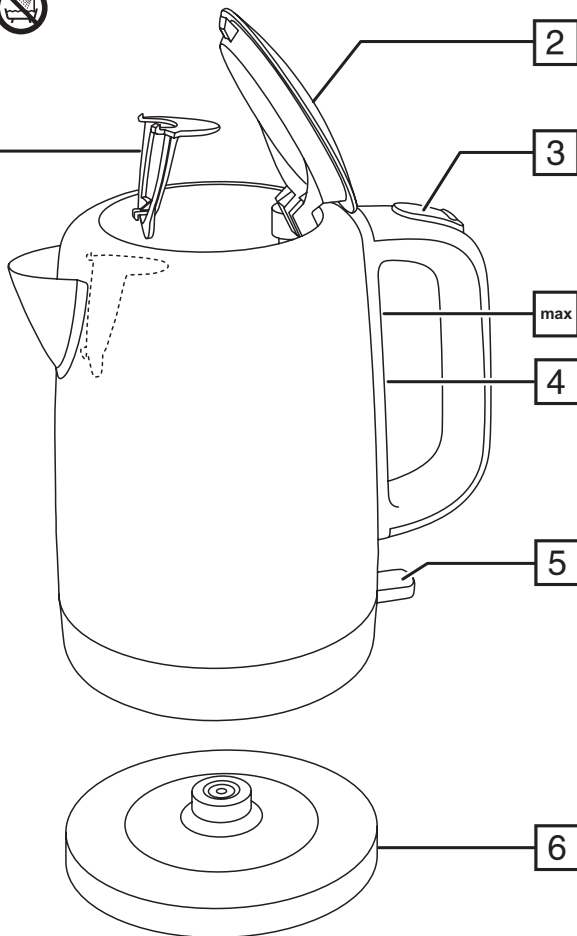
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Read the instructions, keep them safe, pass them on if you pass the appliance on. Remove all packaging before use.

## **IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS**

Follow basic safety precautions, including:


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 and supervised. Keep the appliance and its cord out of reach of children aged less than 8 years.

Don't fill above max, or the kettle may spit boiling water.

Use the kettle only with the stand supplied.

If the cable is damaged, return the kettle, to avoid any hazard.

 The surfaces of the appliance will get hot.

-  Don't put the kettle, stand, cable, or plug in liquid.
- Keep the kettle, stand and cable away from the edges of worktops.
- Unplug the stand when not in use.
- Don't use the kettle without fitting the filter.
- Use the kettle only for heating water.
- Don't use it if it's damaged or malfunctions.

## **HOUSEHOLD USE ONLY**

## PARTS

- |             |                      |
|-------------|----------------------|
| 1. Filter   | 4. Water level gauge |
| 2. Lid      | 5. Switch            |
| 3. Lid lock | 6. Stand             |

## BEFORE USING FOR THE FIRST TIME

Fill to **max**, boil, discard the water, then rinse. Do this twice to remove any manufacturing dust, etc.

## FILLING

7. Press the lid lock to open the lid.
8. Fill with at least 2 cups of water, but don't fill above the **max** mark.
9. If you overfill, the kettle may spit boiling water.
10. Close the lid, and press it down, to lock it closed.
11. Check the lid is closed, or the kettle won't switch off when it boils.

## USING YOUR KETTLE

1. Put the stand on a stable, level surface.
2. Plug the stand into the wall socket.
3. Put the kettle on the stand.
4. Move the switch to the **I** position. The light will come on and the kettle will heat up.
5. When the water boils, the kettle will switch itself off and the light will go out.
6. To switch off manually, move the switch to **O** or lift the kettle off the stand.

## GENERAL

- Remove the kettle from the stand before pouring.
- To avoid the risk of splashing, pour slowly and don't over-tilt the kettle.
- Don't tilt the kettle backwards – water might get on to the control area.
- If this happens, let the kettle dry before use – put it somewhere warm for 12 hours.
- When you lift the kettle, you may see moisture on the stand. Don't worry it's the steam used to switch the kettle off automatically, which then condenses and escapes through vents under the kettle.

## **BOIL DRY PROTECTION**

1. This will shorten the life of the element. A boil-dry cut-out will switch the kettle off.
2. You must then remove the kettle from its stand to reset the cut-out.
3. Sit the kettle on the work surface till it's cold.

## **CARE AND MAINTENANCE**

1. Unplug the stand and let the kettle cool before cleaning.
2. Wipe the kettle, inside and out, with a damp cloth. You may use a little household detergent, but if you do, rinse well to avoid tainting the water.
3. Keep all connectors and sockets dry.
4. Don't put the kettle or stand in liquid.
5. Don't use harsh or abrasive cleaning agents or solvents.

## **CARE AND MAINTENANCE**

1. Check that the kettle is switched off – move the switch to **O**, or lift it off the stand.
2. Unplug the stand (switch the socket off first, if it's switchable), and let the kettle cool down fully.
3. Wipe the kettle, inside and out, with a damp cloth. You may use a little household detergent, but if you do, rinse well to avoid tainting the water.
4. Keep all connectors and sockets dry.
5. Don't put the kettle or stand in liquid.
6. Don't use harsh or abrasive cleaning agents or solvents.

## **DESCALING**

### **Descale regularly, at least monthly**

Descale the appliance at least monthly with a proprietary descaler. Use a descaler suitable for plastic products (all kettles have plastic parts). Follow the instructions on the package of descaler.

Products returned under guarantee with faults due to scale will be subject to a repair charge.

## **WATER FILTER**

Scale particles suspended in the water may give it a cloudy or greasy appearance. The filter will prevent these particles going into your drink. If you see deposits on the filter, clean it, otherwise the performance of your kettle will drop, your drinks may contain scale, and the water inside the kettle may look cloudy.

## **CLEANING THE FILTER**

1. Switch the kettle off and let it cool.
2. Open the lid.
3. Push the top of the filter down and back, into the kettle, to release the hooks on the top of the filter from the rectangular holes at the top of the spout.
4. Lift the filter out of the kettle to disengage the bottom hook from the hole at the bottom of the spout.
5. Rinse the filter under a running tap while brushing with a soft brush.
6. Lower the filter into the kettle, and engage the bottom hook in the hole at the bottom of the spout.
7. Press the top of the filter gently down and towards you, to force the hooks on the top of the filter into the rectangular holes on either side of the spout.
8. Close the lid.





## **ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION**

To avoid environmental and health problems due to hazardous substances in electrical and electronic goods, appliances marked with this symbol mustn't be disposed of with unsorted municipal waste, but recovered, reused, or recycled.

## **CUSTOMER SERVICE**

If you ring, have the Model Number to hand, as we won't be able to help without it. It's on the rating plate (usually underneath the product). The product isn't user-serviceable. If it isn't working, read the instructions, check the plug fuse and main fuse/circuit breaker. If it's still not working, consult your retailer.

If that doesn't solve the problem, ring Customer Service for advice.

If they tell you to return the product to us, pack it carefully, include a note with your name, address, day phone number, and what's wrong. If under guarantee, say where and when purchased, and include proof of purchase (till receipt). Send it to:

Customer Service, Spectrum Brands (UK) Ltd, Fir Street, Failsworth,  
Manchester M35 0HS

email: [support@russellhobbs.com](mailto:support@russellhobbs.com)

telephone: 0845 658 9700 (local rate number)

## **GUARANTEE**

Defects affecting product functionality appearing within two years of first retail purchase will be corrected by replacement or repair provided the product is used and maintained in accordance with the instructions. Your statutory rights are not affected. Documentation, packaging, and product specifications may change without notice.



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