

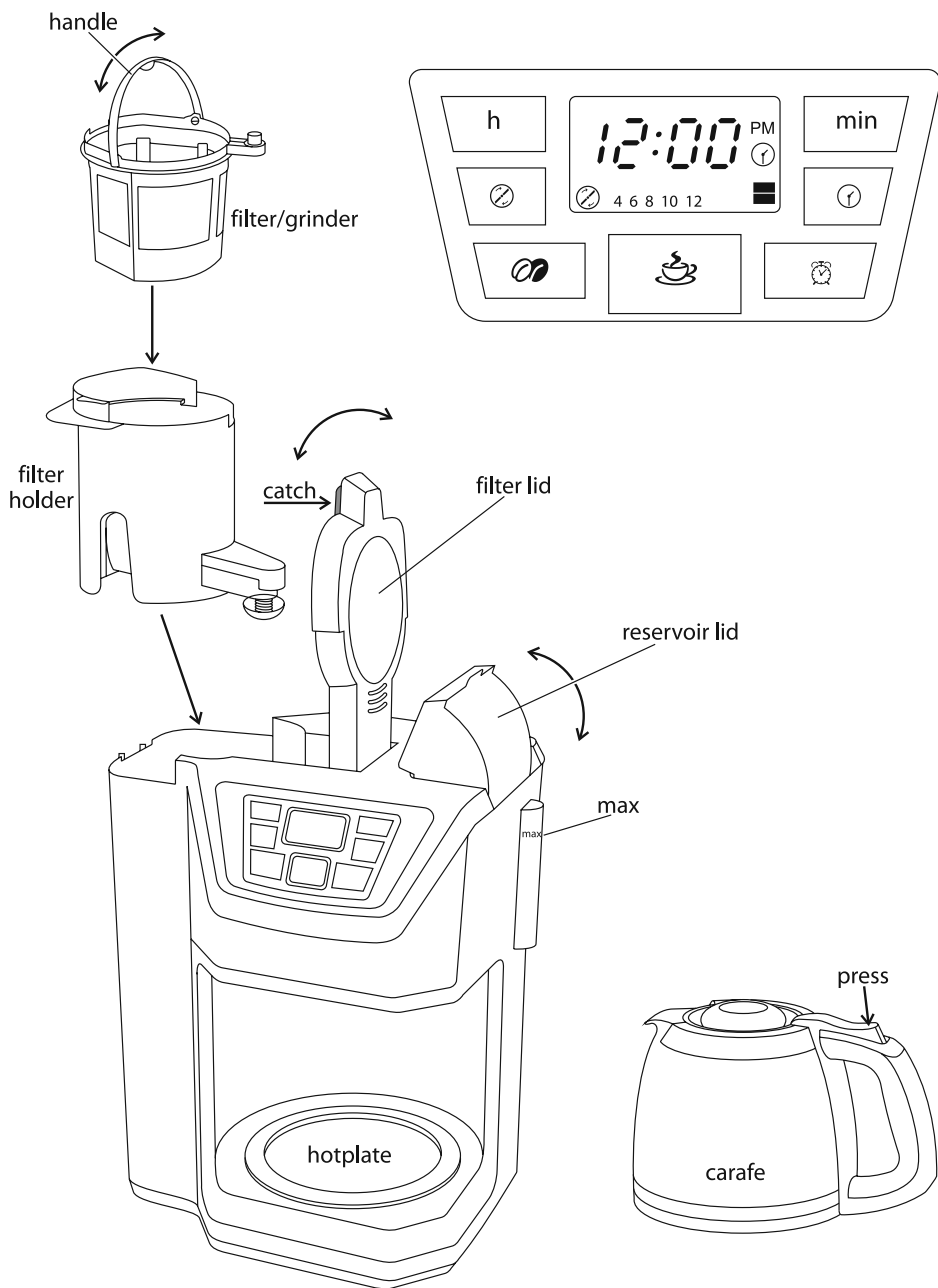


# Russell Hobbs



instructions

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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:

- 1 This appliance can be used by persons with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities or lack of experience and knowledge if they have been supervised/instructed and understand the hazards involved.
  - Children must not use or play with the appliance.
  - Keep the appliance and cable out of reach of children.
-  Don't immerse the appliance in liquid.
-  The surfaces of the appliance will get hot.
- 2 Unplug the appliance before assembly, disassembly, or cleaning.
- 3 Don't leave the appliance unattended while plugged in.
- 4 If the cable is damaged, return the appliance, to avoid hazard.
- 5 Sit the appliance on a stable, level, heat-resistant surface.
- 6 Fill with at least 2 cups of water, but not above the max mark.
- 7 There's a hole in the rear wall of the reservoir, to prevent overfilling.
- 8 Put the carafe on the hotplate before switching the appliance on.
- 9 Let the appliance cool for about 10 minutes before adding water or re-using, to avoid spitting.
- 10 Don't put the carafe in a microwave oven.
- 11 Don't try to adjust the metal band round the carafe, you'll break the glass.
- 12 Don't use accessories or attachments other than those we supply.
- 13 Don't use the appliance for any purpose other than those described in these instructions.
- 14 Don't use the appliance if it's damaged or malfunctions.

### **household use only**



## **BEFORE USING FOR THE FIRST TIME**

- 1 Fill the reservoir to the max mark, and run the appliance without coffee.
- 2 Let it cool, discard the water, then use it normally.



## **GROUND COFFEE**

- 3 If you want to buy ready-ground coffee, medium-ground filter coffee will give you the best results.



## **PREPARATION**

- 4 Sit the appliance on a stable, level, heat-resistant surface.
- 5 Route the cable so it doesn't overhang, and can't be tripped over or caught.
- 6 Don't plug it in yet.



## **FILLING**

- 7 Remove the carafe from the hotplate.

- 8 Open the reservoir lid.
- 9 Fill with the exact amount of water you need
  - a) use at least 2 cups of water if you're using ground coffee
  - b) use at least 4 cups of water if you're using coffee beans
  - c) don't fill above the max mark
- 10 Close the reservoir lid.
- 11 Squeeze the catch into the end of the filter lid, and open it fully.
- 12 Put the exact amount of coffee into the filter/grinder:
  - a) use 1 level tablespoonful of ground coffee for each cup
  - b) use 1 heaped tablespoonful of whole beans for each cup
  - c) The number of tablespoons of coffee must match the number of cups of water
- 13 Close the filter lid, and press down to engage the catch.

## **SWITCH ON**

- 14 Replace the carafe on the hotplate
- 15 Put the plug into the power socket.
  - The display will glow, showing 12:00 blinking and ☉ + 12 (coffee beans/12 cups).

## **COFFEE NOW**


- 16 Ignore the display.
- 17 Use the ☉ button to cycle the bottom of the display to the grind setting you need:
  - ☉ = you're using ground coffee
  - ☉ + 4, 6, 8, 10, or 12 = you're using coffee beans + the number of cups/tablespoons
- 18 Press the ☕ button.
  - If you're using coffee beans, the grinder will operate.
- 19 Shortly afterwards, coffee will start to drip into the carafe.
- 20 When it's done, the hotplate will keep the carafe warm.
- 21 The display will count up, to show how long the keep warm function has been operating. After a set time, the heater will switch off, display will stop glowing, and the appliance will go into standby mode.
  - The default keep warm time is 40 minutes. You may change this – see below.
- 22 After about 40 minutes, chemical changes will affect the flavour. It's best to make a fresh pot.

## **COFFEE LATER**

- 23 Set the clock to the correct time:
  - a) Use the **h** and **min** buttons to set the correct hour and minute.
  - b) It's a 12 hour clock – the display shows PM for afternoon.
  - c) If you overshoot, you can't step back.
  - d) The clock will retain its settings until the appliance is unplugged.
- 24 Set the timer to the time you want to start brewing.
  - a) Press the ⌚ button and hold it for 3 seconds.
  - b) The display will show ⌚ blinking.
  - c) If you don't press anything for 5 seconds, the display will revert to normal – you'll have to press the ⌚ button, and start again.
  - d) Use the **h** and **min** buttons to set the correct hour and minute.
  - e) When you've set the time, wait 5 seconds, and the display will revert to normal

## ACTIVATION

25 Press the  button to activate the timer.

- The display will show , to indicate that the timer is active.

## KEEP WARM TIME

26 The default keep warm time is 40 minutes.

27 To change this, press the , and hold it in for 3 seconds.


- The display will show the current keep warm time.

28 Use the **min** button to choose the keep warm time you want – the options are 00, 20, 30, and 40 minutes after brewing has finished.

29 Press the , to activate your choice.


## BREW STRENGTH

30 Use this feature if you prefer your coffee a bit stronger. It slows the brewing process, lengthening the time the water is in contact with the coffee.

31 Use the  button to choose the setting you want – the setting shows in the bottom right corner of the display:

blank = normal strength(the default setting)

 = stronger

 = even stronger

★ If you want to change these settings, you should do so before making coffee.

## A QUICK CUP

32 If you want a quick cup of coffee before the brewing cycle has finished:

33 You may remove the carafe at any time. The non-drip valve will prevent coffee dripping on to the hotplate.

34 To prevent the filter holder overflowing, replace the carafe on the hotplate within about 20 seconds. This may not sound much, but you'll find it's more than enough time to pour a couple of cups of coffee.

35 Replacing the carafe on the hotplate opens the non-drip valve, to let the coffee flow again.

## CARE AND MAINTENANCE

1 Unplug the appliance and let it cool down before cleaning or storing away.

2 Tip the contents of the filter into the bin.

3 You may clean the carafe, filter, and filter holder in warm soapy water. Rinse thoroughly afterwards, to remove all traces of soap.

4 Clean the outside surfaces of the appliance with a damp cloth.

5 Clean the inside of the coffee mill with a pastry brush.

6 Don't put any part of the appliance in a dishwasher.

9 Don't use harsh or abrasive cleaning agents or solvents.

## DESCALING

10 Scale build-up will cause the element to overheat, reducing its working life. It will also lengthen the brewing time.

11 Descale regularly, at least once a month. If you notice the brewing time getting longer, shorten the time between descalings. In areas of very hard water it may be necessary to descale more often, or to use filtered water instead of ordinary tap water.

- 12 Use a proprietary brand of descaler suitable for use in plastic-bodied products. Follow the instructions on the package of descaler. After descaling, run the appliance twice with fresh water, but without coffee, to rinse out any chemical residues.



Russell Hobbs descaler, formulated specially for our products, is available online (back page).

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





## 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.



## SERVICE

If you ring Customer Service, please have the **Model No.** to hand, as we won't be able to help you without it. It's on the rating plate (usually underneath the product).

The product isn't user-serviceable. If it's not 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 – they may be able to offer technical advice.

If they advise 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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