

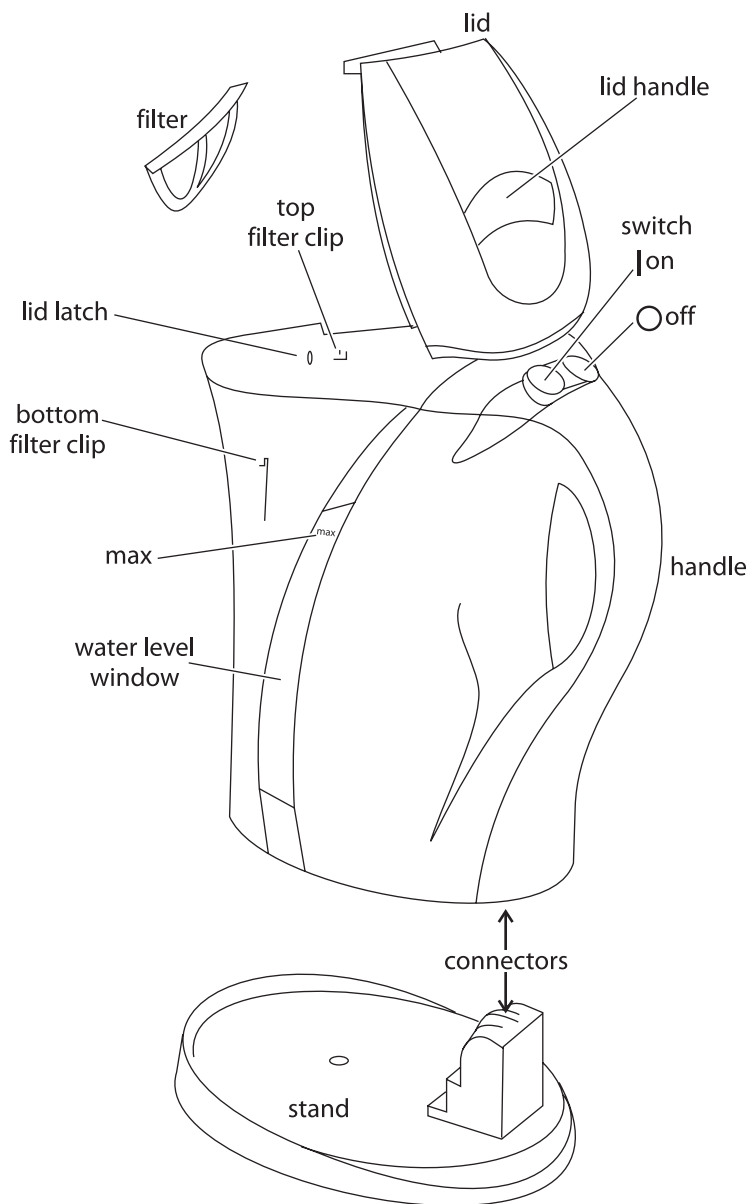


# Russell Hobbs



instructions

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Read the instructions and keep them safe. If you pass the appliance on, pass on the instructions too. Remove all packaging, but keep it till you know the appliance works.

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## **IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS**

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Follow basic safety precautions, including:

- 1 This appliance must only be used by or under the supervision of a responsible adult. Use and store it out of reach of children.
- 2 Don't put the kettle, stand, cable, or plug in any liquid; don't use the kettle in a bathroom, near water, or outdoors.
- 3 Don't touch hot surfaces. Use the handle.
- 4 Don't use the kettle without the filter in place – it may spit boiling water
- 5 Don't open the lid while the water is heating.
- 6 Take care when pouring – pour slowly, and don't over-tilt the kettle.
- 7 The scald hazard lasts long after boiling. Keep the kettle, stand, and cable away from the edges of worktops and out of reach of children.
- 8 Route the cable so it doesn't overhang, and can't be tripped over or caught.
- 9 Unplug the stand when not in use, before moving and before cleaning. Let the kettle cool down before cleaning and storing away.
- 10 Check the lid is fully closed before switching the kettle on, or it may not switch off.
- 11 Check the kettle is properly located on the stand before switching on.
- 12 Don't switch on unless the water coiled part of the element is covered with water.
- 13 Don't fill past **max**, or it may spit boiling water.
- 14 Remove the kettle from its stand before filling or pouring.
- 15 Keep the kettle, stand, cable, and plug away from sources of heat.
- 16 Don't use the kettle for any purpose other than heating water.
- 17 Use the kettle only with the stand supplied (and vice versa).
- 18 This appliance must not be operated by an external timer or remote control system.
- 19 Don't operate the appliance if it's damaged or malfunctions.
- 20 If the cable is damaged, it must be returned, in order to avoid hazard.



### **household use only**

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

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- 1 Fill to **max**, boil, discard the water, then rinse, to remove manufacturing dust, etc.

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## **POSITIONING**

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- 2 Put the stand on a stable, level surface. Route the cable so it doesn't overhang, and can't be caught or tripped over.
- 3 Wind excess cable beneath the stand

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## **FILLING**

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- 4 Remove the kettle from the stand.
- 5 Grip the lid handle and pull the lid up and back.
- 6 Fill with at least enough water to cover the coiled part of the element, but don't fill past **max** on the water level windows.
- 7 If you overfill, the kettle may spit boiling water.
- 8 Close the lid, and press down to lock it.
- 9 Check the lid is closed, or the kettle won't switch off when it boils.

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## SWITCHING ON

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- 10 Plug the stand into the wall socket.
  - 11 Put the kettle on the stand – take care not to spill.
  - 12 Press the left part of the switch “|”.
  - 13 The switch will light up, and the kettle will heat up.
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## SWITCHING OFF

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- 14 When the water boils, the kettle will switch off and the light will go out.
  - 15 To switch off manually, press the right part of the switch “○”.
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## GENERAL

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- 16 Wait till the kettle has switched off automatically, or switch it off manually, then remove the kettle from the stand before pouring.
  - 17 To avoid the risk of splashing, pour slowly and don't over-tilt the kettle.
  - 18 Don't tilt the kettle backwards, water might get into the control area. If this happens, let the kettle dry before use – sit it somewhere warm for 12 hours.
  - 19 When you lift the kettle, you may see moisture on the stand. Don't worry – it's the steam used to switch off automatically, which then condenses and escapes via vents under the kettle.
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## USING WITH INSUFFICIENT WATER

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- 20 Using the kettle with insufficient water will shorten the life of the element.
  - 21 If you switch the kettle on without covering the coiled part of the element with water, a boil-dry cut-out will switch it off.
  - 22 To prevent the kettle cycling on and off, remove the kettle from the stand.
  - 23 Sit it on the work surface till it's cold.
  - 24 Don't fill the kettle till it's cold, or it may spit.
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## CARE AND MAINTENANCE

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- 25 Check that the kettle is switched off, press the right part of the switch “○”.
  - 26 Unplug the stand from the wall socket, and let the kettle cool down fully before cleaning.
  - 27 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.
  - 28 Keep all connectors and sockets dry.
  - 29 Don't put the kettle or stand in any liquid.
  - 30 Don't use harsh or abrasive cleaning agents or solvents.
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## DESCALE REGULARLY

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- 31 **Limescale** may be white, coloured, even rusty-looking, but it's normally visible.
  - 32 **Phosphate** scale isn't generally visible, but it's there, even in soft water areas.
  - 33 **All scale** causes overheating, which reduces the life of the element, and may trigger the boil-dry cut-out. So, even in a soft water area, descale at least monthly, to help keep your kettle in working order.
  - 34 Use a descaler suitable for use in plastic products (most products have plastic parts). Follow the instructions on the descaler, rinse several times, then fill, boil and discard the water, to ensure no residues are left.
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- ★ Products returned under guarantee with faults due to scale will be subject to a repair charge.

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## **WATER FILTER**

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- 35 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.

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## **CLEANING THE FILTER**

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- 36 Check your hands are free from soap, or anything which might leave a taint.  
37 Switch the kettle off, and let it cool.  
38 Open the lid.

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## **RELEASE THE FILTER**

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- 39 Pull the top of the filter back, into the body of the kettle, to pull the filter clear of the top retaining clips, then lift it out of the kettle.  
40 Rinse the filter under a running tap while brushing with a soft brush.  
41 Rinse the kettle, in case scale particles have fallen inside.

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## **REPLACE THE FILTER**

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- 42 Put the bottom of the filter into the bottom clip.  
43 Put one side into one of the top clips, then press the other side firmly into the other top clip.  
44 Close the lid.

**caution** don't use the kettle without the filter in place – it may spit boiling water





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## UK WIRING INSTRUCTIONS

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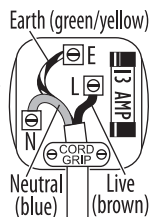
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It has a 13A BS1362 fuse in a 13A BS1363 plug.

To replace the plug, fit the green/yellow wire to  or E, the blue wire to N, and the brown wire to L. Fit the cord grip.

If in doubt, call an electrician.

Don't use a non-rewireable plug unless the fuse cover is in place. If you remove the plug, dispose of it.



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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

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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.



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## SERVICE

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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) Limited, Fir Street, Failsworth, Manchester M35 0HS**

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

telephone: 0845 658 9700 (local rate number)

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## GUARANTEE

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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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