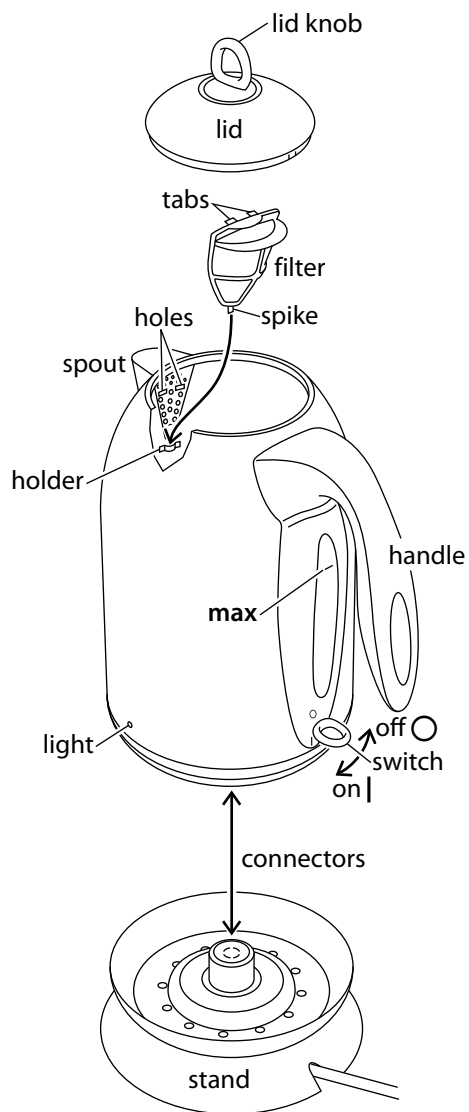




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instructions



Read the instructions and keep them safe. If you pass the kettle on to anyone else, you should also pass on the instructions too.

Remove all packaging before using the kettle, but keep it till you're satisfied that the kettle is working.

important safeguards

When using electrical appliances, basic safety precautions should always be followed, including the following:

- 1 This kettle must only be used by or under the direct supervision of a responsible adult.
- 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 and lid knob.
- 4 Don't open the lid while the water is heating.
- 5 Take care when pouring – pour slowly, and don't over-tilt the kettle.
- 6 Don't connect this kettle to an external timer or remote control system.
- 7 Water can remain hot for a considerable time after boiling and can present a scald hazard. Keep the kettle, the stand, and the cable away from the edge of worktops and out of the reach of children.
- 8 Route the cable so it doesn't overhang, and can't be tripped over or caught accidentally.
- 9 Unplug the stand when not in use, before moving and before cleaning. Let the kettle cool down before cleaning and storing away.
- 10 Don't use the kettle without the filter in place – it may spit boiling water.
- 11 Check the lid is properly closed before switching the kettle on, otherwise it may not switch off.
- 12 Check the kettle is properly located on the stand before switching on.
- 13 Don't switch on unless the kettle contains at least 2 cups of water.
- 14 Don't fill past **max**, or the kettle may spit boiling water.
- 15 Remove the kettle from its stand before filling or pouring.
- 16 Keep the kettle, stand, cable, and plug away from sources of heat.
- 17 Don't use the kettle for any purpose other than heating water.
- 18 Use the kettle only with the stand supplied (and vice versa).
- 19 Don't operate the kettle if it's damaged or malfunctions. If the cable or stand is damaged, replace the stand, in order to avoid hazard.



household use only

before using for the first time

Remove all packaging from the kettle and its stand. Before using the kettle for the first time, or if it has been out of use for a long time, fill to **max**, boil, discard the water, then rinse. Do this three times to remove manufacturing dust, etc.

positioning

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

filling

warning keep clear, steam may escape from the lid.

- 2 Check that the switch is off ○ – flip the switch up.
- 3 Remove the kettle from the stand.
- 4 Use the lid knob to lift off the lid.
- 5 Fill the kettle with at least 2 cups of water, but don't fill above **max**.
- 6 Don't overfill the kettle. If the kettle is overfilled, there is a risk it may spit boiling water.
- 7 Replace the lid.
- 8 Check the lid is closed, otherwise the kettle may not switch off when it boils.

switching on

- 9 Check that the switch is off ○ – flip the switch up.
- 10 Plug the stand into the wall socket. If necessary, switch the socket on.
- 11 Gently position the kettle on the stand – take care not to spill any water.
- 12 Press the switch down to turn the kettle on |. The lights will come on, and the kettle will heat up.

switching off

- 13 When the water has boiled, the kettle will switch off automatically, the switch will return to the off ○ position and the lights will go out.
- 14 The kettle can be switched off at any time before the water boils by flipping the switch up to ○.

general

When you lift the kettle from the stand, you may see moisture on the surface of the stand. This is the steam used to switch the kettle off automatically, which then condenses and is allowed to escape via vents in the underside of the kettle. This is normal, and should be ignored.

You may notice discolouration of the coating on the floor of the kettle. This occurs during bonding of the element to the floor. It's unavoidable, harmless, and should be ignored.

Remove the kettle from the stand before pouring.

When filling or carrying the kettle, don't tilt it backwards, as this may allow water to pass through the steam aperture on to the control area. Should this occur, let the kettle dry before use – sit it somewhere warm for 12 hours.


To avoid the risk of splashing, pour slowly and don't over-tilt the kettle.

insufficient water

Don't switch the kettle on unless it contains 2 cups of water. Misuse of this kind will shorten the life of the element.

If the kettle is accidentally switched on when it doesn't contain sufficient water, a boil-dry device will automatically switch it off. Remove it from the stand and let it cool down fully before filling, as the element will be hot and spitting may occur.

care and maintenance

Switch the kettle off  – flip the switch up, unplug the stand from the wall socket, and let the kettle cool down fully before cleaning. Wipe the kettle, inside and out, with a damp cloth. If necessary, you may use a little household detergent.

If you use detergent inside the kettle, rinse thoroughly afterwards to remove all trace of detergent, to avoid tainting the water.

Keep all connectors and sockets dry.

Don't put the kettle, stand, cable, or plug in any liquid.

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

descale regularly – even in soft water areas

Limescale may be white, coloured, even rusty-looking, but it's normally visible.

Phosphate scale isn't generally visible, but it's there, even in soft water areas.

All scale causes overheating, reduces the kettle's life, and may trigger the boil-dry cut-out.

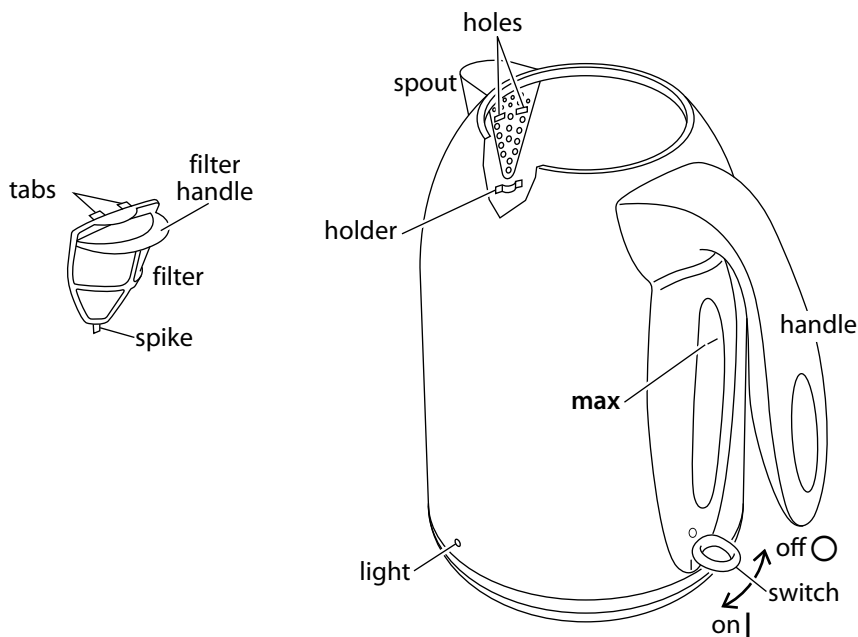
So, even with soft water, descale at least monthly, to help keep your kettle in working order.

Use a descaler suitable for plastic products (all kettles 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.

to minimise scale build-up

Empty the kettle after each use - never leave water in the kettle overnight.

If the water in your area is particularly hard, you may consider the use of filtered water instead of ordinary tap water.



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

Switch the kettle off ○ – flip the switch up, unplug the stand from the wall socket, and let the kettle cool down fully before cleaning.

Check your hands are free from soap, or anything which might leave a taint.

release the filter

Use the lid knob to open the lid.

Push the filter handle down to release the filter, then lift it out of the kettle.

Brush it with a soft brush, under a running tap.

Rinse the kettle, in case any scale particles have fallen inside.

replace the filter

Put the spike into the holder, then push the filter towards the spout till the tabs click into the holes.

Replace the lid.

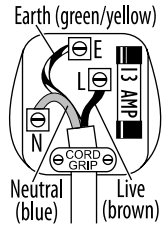
Press the lid down to make sure it's properly closed.

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connection

The product must be earthed. 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/moulded plug unless the fuse cover is in place. If you remove the plug, dispose of it.



service

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:

Pack carefully, with a note of 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 Returns (address below right). They'll give you an estimate for inspection/repair.

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guarantee

Defects affecting product functionality appearing within one year of 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.