









Read the instructions, keep them safe, pass them on if you pass the coffee maker on. Remove all packaging, but keep it in case you ever need to return the coffee maker.

# important safeguards

Follow basic safety precautions, including:

- 1 The coffee maker 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 coffee maker in liquid, don't use it in a bathroom, near water, or outdoors.
- 3 Don't touch hot surfaces (e.g. carafe, hotplate).
- 4 The scald hazard lasts long after boiling. Keep the coffee maker and cable away from the edges of worktops and out of reach of children.
- 5 Sit the coffee maker on a stable, level, heat-resistant surface.
- 6 Route the cable so it doesn't overhang, and can't be tripped over or caught.
- 7 Don't operate the coffee maker via an external timer or remote control system.
- 8 Unplug the coffee maker when not in use, before moving and before cleaning.
- 9 Fill with at least 2 cups of water, but not above the max mark.
- 10 Put the carafe on the hotplate before switching the coffee maker on.
- 11 If you want to stop the coffee maker while it's brewing, press the D button.
- 12 Let the coffee maker cool for about 10 minutes before adding water or re–using, to avoid spitting.
- 13 Don't put the carafe in a microwave oven.
- 14 Don't try to adjust the metal band round the carafe, you'll break the glass.
- 15 Keep the coffee maker and the cable away from hotplates, hobs or burners.
- 16 Don't use accessories or attachments other than those we supply.
- 17 Don't use the coffee maker for any purpose other than those described in these instructions.
- 18 Don't use the coffee maker if it's damaged or malfunctions.
- 19 If the cable is damaged, return the coffee maker, to avoid hazard.

# household use only

# before using for the first time

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

# ground coffee

3 If you buy ready-ground coffee, medium-ground filter coffee will give you the best results. The amount will vary with the type of coffee and your individual taste. We suggest starting with two rounded teaspoons of medium-ground coffee per cup.

# storing coffee

4 Coffee is best kept in an airtight container in a cool dry place, or in the fridge. Exposure to air oxidises coffee and allows the flavour to evaporate.

## bottled water

5 If you use bottled water, check that there are no added ingredients, flavourings, etc., and use still water, not sparkling. The carbon dioxide which gives the sparkle will adversely affect the flavour of your coffee.

#### milk

6 If you like milk in your coffee, use warm or hot milk, to avoid overcooling the coffee. For maximum flavour, coffee should be cool enough not to scald or burn, but hot enough to let the flavour fill the mouth, nose and sinuses, not just the taste buds.

#### taste

- 7 Don't be tempted to reheat coffee in the coffee maker. You'll damage the coffee maker and the coffee will be undrinkable.
- 8 Clean the filter holder, filter, and carafe after each use. Residue from a previous brew will spoil your coffee.

## preparation

- 9 Sit the coffee maker on a stable, level, heat-resistant surface.
- 10 Route the cable so it doesn't overhang, and can't be tripped over or caught.
- 11 Don't plug it in yet.

# filling

- 12 Remove the carafe from the hotplate.
- 13 Use the grip to open the lid, and expose the reservoir.
- 14 Use the carafe to fill the reservoir, to avoid overfilling.
- 15 Press the lever at the rear of the carafe lid, above the handle, to open the carafe lid.
- 16 Fill with at least 2 cups of water, but not above the max mark.
- 17 Put filter-ground coffee into the filter. The amount will vary with the type of coffee and individual taste, but we suggest two rounded teaspoons per cup of water.
- 18 Close the lid.
- 19 Replace the carafe on the hotplate.

#### switch on

- 20 Put the plug into the power socket
  - a) everything will light up, beep, and go out
  - b) the display will flash for a few seconds
  - c) it'll beep, stop flashing, and settle at 12:00 AM

## coffee now

- 21 Ignore the clock.
- 22 If you're making less than 5 cups of coffee, press the 🕩 button, to turn the brew strength feature on. The 🕩 light will glow (see "brew strength 🕩", opposite).
- 23 Press the D button.
- 24 The Dight will come on.
- 25 Shortly afterwards, coffee will start to drip into the carafe.
- 26 When it's done, the coffee maker will enter keep warm mode for up to 2 hours.

# a quick cup

- 27 You can remove the carafe at any time. The non-drip valve will prevent coffee dripping on to the stand.
- 28 To prevent the filter holder overflowing, replace the carafe on the stand 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.
- 29 When you replace the carafe on the stand, the non-drip valve opens, to let any remaining coffee through.

## keep warm

- 30 When the coffee maker has finished brewing, it'll automatically go into **keep warm** mode.
- 31 The plight will flash, and the hotplate will keep the carafe warm for up to 2 hours.
- 32 The display will change to 0:00, then it'll count up , to show you how long the coffee has been sitting.

## auto shut-off

- 33 After 2 hours, it'll turn the coffee maker off.
- 34 We don't recommend leaving coffee for two hours. In our experience, chemical changes in the coffee liquor start to affect the flavour after about an hour.
- 35 While it's probably still drinkable, it's not at its best, so we suggest you pour it away and make a fresh pot.

#### finished?

- 36 When the coffee runs out, or if you decide you don't want any more, press the 

  button the 

  light will go out.
- 37 Unplug, and let the coffee maker and carafe cool down fully before cleaning, or for about 10 minutes before refilling.
- **caution** raising the lid before the coffee maker has cooled down may release steam, creating a scald hazard

# brew strength 4

- 38 Use this feature if you're brewing less than 5 cups of coffee. It slows the brewing process, so your coffee will have the same strength as coffee from a full carafe.
- 39 You may press the brew strength button 🗗 before or during the brewing process, to activate or deactivate the brew strength feature.
- 40 Press the button to activate the brew strength feature, the bight will glow and a "smiley" mug will show in the top left of the display.
- 41 Press the w button again to deactivate the brew strength feature, the will go out, and the "smiley" mug will disappear from the display.

### coffee later

- 42 Check that the Dight is off. If it isn't, press the button to turn it off.
- 43 Initially, the display will show 12:00 AM.
- 44 Set the clock to the correct time.
  - a) the display will show AM for morning, and PM for afternoon
  - b) press the h/min button, and keep it pressed till the display flashes (2 seconds)
  - c) press and release the **h/min** button till the correct hour is shown (hold it down to "fast forward" the display)
  - d) press and release the  $\ \bigcirc$  button the minutes side of the display will flash
  - e) press and release the h/min button till the correct minute is shown
  - f) leave the controls alone for 5 seconds the display will settle at the correct time
- ★ If you overshoot, you can't step back. Either go right round (24 hours or 60 minutes), or unplug the coffee maker, to reset the display to 12:00 AM.
- 45 The clock will retain its settings till the coffee maker is unplugged. It'll reset to 12:00 AM next time you plug it in.

- 46 Set the timer to the time you want to start brewing.
  - a) the display will show AM for morning, and PM for afternoon
  - b) press and release the 4 button
  - c) the display will show -: --
  - d) press and release the **h/min** button till the correct hour is shown (hold it down to "fast forward" the display)
  - e) press and release the 1 button the minutes side of the display will flash
  - f) press and release the h/min button till the correct minute is shown
  - g) leave the controls alone for 5 seconds the display will settle at the correct time
- ★ If you don't press the h/min button within 5 seconds, the coffee maker will revert to "normal", and show the time. Press and release the (1) button, and start again.
- 47 The timer will retain its settings till the coffee maker is unplugged. It'll reset to -: - next time you plug it in.

#### activation

- 48 You've set the clock, you've set the timer now you need to activate it.
- 49 Check that there's water in the reservoir, and coffee in the filter.
- 50 If you're making less than 5 cups of coffee, press the 4 button, to turn the brew strength feature on. The 4 light will glow (see "brew strength", on page 5).
- 51 Press and release the  $\wedge$  button.
- 52 The  $\triangle$  light will come on, and  $\triangle$  will show on the display.
- 53 When the set time is reached, the  $\triangle$  light will go off, the  $\bigcirc$  light will come on,  $\triangle$  will disappear from the display, and brewing will start.
- 54 If you want to cancel the timer before brewing has started, press the  $\bigtriangleup$  button.
- 55 If you want to stop the coffee maker while it's brewing, press the  $\bigcirc$  button.
- 56 After it has brewed, the coffee maker will go into keep warm mode till either:
  - a) you turn it off by pressing the D button
  - b) the auto shut-off function turns it off after 2 hours

#### care and maintenance

- 1 Unplug the coffee maker and let it cool down before cleaning or storing away.
- 2 Use the grip to open the lid.
- 3 Use the handle on the filter holder to lift it out.
- 4 Tip the contents of the filter into the bin don't flush coffee grounds down the sink. They'll build up and cause a blockage.
- 5 You may clean the carafe, filter, and filter holder in warm soapy water rinse thoroughly afterwards, to remove all traces of soap.
- 6 Clean the outside surfaces of the coffee maker with a damp cloth.
- 7 Align the tab at the back of the filter holder with the slot at the back of the coffee maker, and lower the filter holder back into the coffee maker.
- 8 Close the lid.
- 9 Don't put any part of the coffee maker in a dishwasher.
- 10 Don't put the coffee maker in water or any other liquid.
- 11 Don't use harsh or abrasive cleaning agents or solvents.

# descaling

- 12 Scale build-up will cause the element to overheat, reducing its working life. It'll also lengthen the brewing time.
- 13 Descale regularly. 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 as often as once a month, or to use filtered water instead of ordinary tap water.
- 14 Use a proprietary brand of descaler suitable for use in plastic-bodied products. Follow the instructions on the package of descaler. When descaling has finished, empty the carafe and operate the coffee maker twice more with fresh water, but without coffee. Discard the water to ensure that no chemical residues are left in the coffee maker.
- ★ Products returned under guarantee with faults due to scale will be subject to a repair charge.

#### 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 plug unless the fuse cover is in place. If you remove the plug, dispose of it.

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# wheelie bin symbol

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, Russell Hobbs Ltd, Fir Street, Failsworth, Manchester M35 0HS email: service@russellhobbs.com

telephone: 0845 658 9700 (local rate number)

# 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.

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