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Coffee Percolator

Operating Instructions & Trouble Shooting Guideline

* This unit is designed to be used on a single dedicated 20amp circuit.

Operating Instructions

MEASURE WATER – Remove cover and basket assembly. Fill coffeemaker with fresh, cold water to desired fill line. Do not fill coffee maker past top fill line. Never use hot water to make coffee.

MEASURE COFFEE – Measure appropriate amount of coffee (see chart below) into coffee basket and set coffee basket on percolating tube. Position bottom of percolating tube into heating well, but DO NOT FORCE IT INTO PLACE. Place cover on coffee maker and turn to secure in place.

COFFEE MEASURING GUIDE

These are recommended amounts only – coffee strength can be adjusted to personal taste by adding or subtracting from these quantities.

CUPS	GROUND COFFEE
(5oz. serving)	(80z. dry measure)
12-15	3⁄4 cup
20-25	1 1/2 cups
30-36	2 cups
40-45	2 1/2 cups
50-55	3 1/4 cups
60-65	3 3/4 cups
80-85	5 1/2 cups
95-100	6 1/4 cups

1lb. of coffee equals 5 cups.

Allow approximately 1 minute per cup brewing time. Voltage changes or variations in water temperature will affect brewing time. NEVER MAKE LESS THAN THE MINIMUM CAPACITY OR MORE THAN THE MAXIMUM CAPACITY OF YOUR COFFEEMAKER.

TWIST-TO-SECURE COVER – Before brewing, place cover on coffeemaker and turn to secure in handle slots. Note arrows on cover for correct turning. To remove cover, reverse procedure and lift.

BEGIN BREWING – Plug cord into any AC grounded outlet. USE 110-120 VOLT ONLY. On units featuring an ON/OFF switch, select the "ON" position to start brewing. All other models begin brewing as soon as they are plugged in. Coffeemaker stops perking automatically. Signal light glows when coffee is ready to serve. After brewing, coffeemaker automatically switches to low heat and will keep coffee at proper serving temperature until unit is unplugged or the ON/OFF switch is turned to "OFF". Before serving, turn cover to remove. Using a hot pad, remove coffee basket and percolating tube. If coffee basket and percolating tube are

not removed, bitter oils from the extracted grounds will drip into the coffee. Replace cover making sure it is completely secured into handle slots. NEVER plug in coffeemaker without water or liquid coffee in it. This will damage the coffeemaker.

SERVE – Push or pull faucet and hold until cup is filled; release and it shuts off automatically. For continuous pouring (to fill large carafe or server), rotate knob one-half turn in either direction, and pull forward to "lock" into place. Lift knob to stop; rotate knob one-half turn to regular serving position.

Operating Tips

- 1. Do not touch hot surfaces. Use handles or knobs.
- 2. To protect against electrical hazards, do not immerse cord, plugs or coffee maker in water or other liquid.
- 3. Close supervision is necessary when any appliance is used by or near children.
- 4. Unplug from outlet when not in use and before cleaning. Allow to cool before putting on or taking off parts.
- 5. Do not operate any appliance with a damaged cord or plug, or after the appliance malfunctions, or has been damaged in any manner.
- 6. The use of accessory attachments is not recommended and may cause hazards.
- 7. Do not let cord hang over edge of table or counter, or touch hot surfaces.
- 8. Do not place on or near a hot burner, or in a heated oven.
- 9. Caution must be used when moving an appliance containing any hot liquid.
- 10. Always plug cord into wall outlet before turning any control on. To disconnect, turn any control to "OFF", then remove plug from wall outlet.
- 11. Do not use appliance for other than intended use.
- 12. Make sure cover, coffee basket, percolating tube and cord are properly attached before coffeemaker is plugged in. Scalding may occur if lid is removed during brewing.
- 13. Remove and replace cover carefully.

Helpful Hints

*Never make less than the minimum capacity or more than the maximum capacity of your coffeemaker.

*Do not use soft water as flooding of the coffee basket may occur.

*Use regular electric perk grind coffee or coffee ground for all coffeemakers for best results. Do not use drip or finely ground coffee as flooding of the coffee basket can occur. If grinding your own coffee beans, grind to medium coarseness for best results. Do not grind to fine (powder-like) as this can cause coffee basket to flood.

*Remove coffee basket and grounds as soon as the brewing cycle is completed. This also helps maintain coffee flavor. Use coffeemaker cover as a carrying tray when disposing of wet coffee grounds.

*Before brewing a second pot, cool coffeemaker by rinsing it thoroughly with cold water.

*If dripping occurs between the faucet and the coffeemaker body, tighten the nut inside the coffeemaker. If the dripping occurs from the faucet spout, tighten the faucet bonnet.

* Red light on percolator will come on, ONLY after coffee is brewed and finished.