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IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

When using electrical appliances, basic safety precautions should always be followed to reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, and/or injury to persons, including the following:

- Read all instructions before operating the appliance.
- Do not touch hot surfaces. Use handles or knobs.
- To protect against electric shock, do not immerse cord, plugs, or espresso machine in water or other liquid.
- Close supervision is necessary when any appliance is used by or near children.
- Unplug from outlet when not in use and before cleaning. Allow to cool before putting on or taking off parts, and before cleaning the appliance.
- Do not operate any appliance with a damaged cord or plug, or after the appliance malfunctions or has been damaged in any manner. Contact Hamilton Beach customer service for examination, repair, or adjustment.
- The use of accessory attachments not recommended by the appliance manufacturer may result in fire, electric shock, or injury to persons.
- Do not use outdoors.
- Do not let cord hang over edge of table or counter, or touch hot surfaces.
- Do not place on or near a hot gas or electric burner, or in a heated oven.
- Always attach plug to appliance first, then plug cord into the wall outlet. To disconnect, turn any control to "off," then remove plug from wall outlet.
- Do not use appliance for other than intended use.
- Use extreme caution when dispensing hot steam.
- This appliance is intended for household use only.

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Hamilton Beach 15 Bar Espresso Machine (Model 40715) is designed to prepare various espresso-based beverages, including espresso, cappuccino, and lattes. It features a powerful 15-bar pump and a milk frother for café-quality results at home.

Enjoy café-quality espresso drinks at home

Powerful 15 bar pump extracts espresso from fresh-ground beans and soft pods



Image: Front view of the Hamilton Beach 15 Bar Espresso Machine, Model 40715, showing its compact design and key components with dimensions (8.2"D x 13"W x 12.31"H).

Key Features:

- **15 Bar Pump:** Extracts rich espresso from ground coffee or soft pods.
- **Milk Frother:** Adjustable steam control for heating and frothing milk for cappuccinos and lattes.
- **Dual Spouts:** Brews two cups simultaneously.
- **50 oz. Removable Water Reservoir:** Easy to fill and monitor water level.
- **Removable Drip Tray and Parts:** Designed for simple cleaning.

SETUP INSTRUCTIONS

1. Unpacking and Initial Cleaning

1. Remove all packaging materials and labels from the espresso machine.
2. Wash the removable water reservoir, drip tray, cup rest, filter holder, and frothing nozzle in warm, soapy water. Rinse thoroughly and dry.
3. Wipe the exterior of the machine with a damp cloth.

2. Filling the Water Reservoir

1. Ensure the machine is unplugged.
2. Remove the 50 oz. water reservoir from the back of the unit.
3. Fill the reservoir with fresh, cold water up to the MAX line.
4. Replace the reservoir securely onto the machine.



Image: A hand filling the removable 50 oz. water reservoir under a kitchen faucet. The reservoir is clear, showing the water level.

3. Priming the Pump

Before first use or after extended periods of non-use, the pump needs to be primed to ensure proper water flow.

1. Plug the machine into a grounded electrical outlet.
2. Place a cup under the brew head.
3. Turn the control knob to the "Brew" position.
4. Allow water to flow through until it runs smoothly, then turn the control knob to "Off". This process removes any air from the system.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

1. Making Espresso with Ground Coffee

1. Ensure the water reservoir is filled.
2. Select the appropriate filter basket (single or double shot) and place it into the filter holder.
3. Add finely ground espresso coffee to the filter basket. Do not overfill.
4. Tamp the coffee grounds firmly and evenly.
5. Attach the filter holder to the brew head, aligning it correctly and twisting to secure.
6. Place one or two espresso cups on the drip tray under the spouts.
7. Turn the machine ON. Wait for the indicator light to show it's ready (usually green).
8. Turn the control knob to the "Brew" position. Espresso will begin to flow.
9. Turn the control knob to "Off" once the desired amount of espresso is brewed (typically 1-2 oz per shot).
10. Carefully remove the filter holder and discard used grounds.



Image: The espresso machine brewing two shots of espresso simultaneously into clear glass cups, demonstrating its dual-spout capability.

2. Making Espresso with Soft Pods

1. Ensure the water reservoir is filled.
2. Place a soft espresso pod into the appropriate filter basket.
3. Attach the filter holder to the brew head, aligning it correctly and twisting to secure.
4. Place one or two espresso cups on the drip tray under the spouts.
5. Turn the machine ON. Wait for the indicator light to show it's ready.
6. Turn the control knob to the "Brew" position. Espresso will begin to flow.
7. Turn the control knob to "Off" once the desired amount of espresso is brewed.
8. Carefully remove the filter holder and discard the used pod.



Image: A portafilter filled with ground coffee, alongside two white soft espresso pods, illustrating the machine's compatibility with both.

3. Frothing Milk

1. Fill a stainless steel frothing pitcher with cold milk (dairy or non-dairy) to about one-third full.
2. Turn the machine ON and wait for the steam indicator light to illuminate.
3. Position the frothing nozzle just below the surface of the milk.
4. Turn the control knob to the "Steam" position.
5. Move the pitcher slowly up and down to create froth. For heating, immerse the nozzle deeper into the milk.
6. Once desired froth and temperature are achieved, turn the control knob to "Off".
7. Immediately wipe the frothing nozzle with a damp cloth to prevent milk residue from drying.

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Image: A close-up of a hand using the espresso machine's steam wand to froth milk in a stainless steel pitcher, creating a rich foam.

4. Making Cappuccinos and Lattes

After brewing your espresso and frothing your milk, combine them to create your desired beverage.

1. Pour the freshly brewed espresso into your cup.
2. Gently pour the frothed milk over the espresso. For a cappuccino, spoon more foam on top. For a latte, use more steamed milk with a thin layer of foam.
3. Add sugar or flavorings as desired.



Image: A variety of café-style coffee beverages, including espresso, cappuccino, and latte, served with pastries, showcasing the machine's versatility.

CARE AND MAINTENANCE

1. Daily Cleaning

- **Drip Tray and Cup Rest:** Remove and empty the drip tray. Wash it and the cup rest in warm, soapy water. Rinse and dry.
- **Filter Holder and Filter Baskets:** After each use, remove the filter holder, discard grounds/pods, and wash the holder and baskets in warm, soapy water. Rinse thoroughly.
- **Frothing Nozzle:** Immediately after frothing milk, wipe the nozzle with a damp cloth. For a deeper clean, remove the nozzle and wash it. Run steam through the wand briefly to clear any internal milk residue.
- **Water Reservoir:** The 50 oz. removable water reservoir can be easily removed and cleaned with warm soapy water.



Image: A hand cleaning the clear, removable water reservoir with a white cloth and soapy water in a kitchen sink, highlighting the ease of cleaning.

2. Descaling

Mineral deposits from water can build up over time and affect machine performance. Descale your machine regularly (e.g., every 2-3 months, or more often with hard water).

1. Prepare a descaling solution: Mix white vinegar and water in a 1:2 ratio (e.g., 1 cup vinegar to 2 cups water), or use a commercial descaling solution according to its instructions.
2. Fill the water reservoir with the descaling solution.
3. Place a large container under the brew head and steam wand.
4. Turn the machine ON.
5. Run half of the solution through the brew head by turning the control knob to "Brew".
6. Turn the control knob to "Steam" and run the remaining solution through the steam wand.
7. Turn the machine OFF and let it sit for 15-20 minutes.
8. Empty the reservoir, rinse it thoroughly, and refill with fresh water.
9. Run several cycles of fresh water through both the brew head and steam wand to rinse out any remaining descaling solution.

TROUBLESHOOTING GUIDE

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
No water flows from brew head.	• Water reservoir empty. • Pump not primed. • Machine is clogged with mineral deposits. • Coffee grounds too fine or over-tamped.	• Fill water reservoir. • Prime the pump (see Setup section). • Descale the machine (see Maintenance section). • Use coarser grounds or tamp less firmly.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Espresso brews too slowly or drips.	• Coffee grounds too fine or over-tamped. • Machine is clogged.	• Use coarser grounds or tamp less firmly. • Descale the machine.
Espresso brews too quickly or is watery.	• Coffee grounds too coarse or under-tamped. • Not enough coffee grounds.	• Use finer grounds or tamp more firmly. • Increase amount of coffee grounds.
Milk frother produces weak steam or no froth.	• Frothing nozzle is clogged with dried milk. • Not enough steam pressure. • Milk is too warm.	• Clean the frothing nozzle thoroughly. • Ensure machine is fully heated for steam. • Use cold milk.
Water leaks from around filter holder.	• Filter holder not properly secured. • Too many coffee grounds in filter basket. • Seal around brew head is worn.	• Ensure filter holder is twisted firmly into place. • Reduce amount of coffee grounds. • Contact customer support for seal replacement.

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand	Hamilton Beach
Model Name	Hamilton Beach 15 Bar Espresso Machine, Cappuccino, Mocha, & Latte
Model Number	40715
Color	Black
Product Dimensions	8.2"D x 13"W x 12.31"H
Special Feature	Milk Frother, Removable Tank
Coffee Maker Type	Espresso Machine
Operation Mode	Fully Automatic
Voltage	120V
Capacity	50 Fluid Ounces (Water Reservoir)
Coffee Input Type	Ground Coffee, Soft Pods
Included Components	Espresso Machine, Removable Reservoir, Steamer
Item Weight	9 pounds

Feature	Detail
Manufacturer	Hamilton Beach Brands Inc

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

This Hamilton Beach appliance is covered by a limited warranty. For specific warranty details, duration, and terms, please refer to the warranty card included with your product or visit the official Hamilton Beach website.

For technical support, replacement parts, or service inquiries, please contact Hamilton Beach Customer Service:

- **Website:** www.hamiltonbeach.com
- **Phone:** Refer to your product documentation for regional contact numbers.

When contacting support, please have your product model number (40715) and purchase date available.

VIDEO RESOURCES

Product Overview Video

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Video: An overview of the Hamilton Beach 15 Bar Espresso Machine, demonstrating its features and ease of use. This video provides a visual guide to the product's capabilities.

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