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Model: E950-104 | Brand: Melitta

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential instructions for the safe and efficient operation, setup, and maintenance of your Melitta Caffeo Solo E950-104 automatic coffee machine. Please read this manual thoroughly before first use and keep it for future reference.

1. SETUP AND FIRST USE

1.1 Unpacking and Placement

Carefully remove all packaging materials. Place the machine on a stable, level, and heat-resistant surface. Ensure adequate ventilation around the machine. Keep a safe distance from walls and other appliances.





Image: Angled view of the Melitta Caffeo Solo E950-104, showing its compact design suitable for various kitchen placements.

1.2 Initial Cleaning

Before first use, clean the water tank, drip tray, and coffee grounds container with warm water and a mild detergent. Rinse thoroughly and dry all parts.

1.3 Filling the Water Tank

1. Remove the water tank from the left side of the machine.
2. Fill the tank with fresh, cold tap water up to the MAX mark.
3. Reinsert the water tank securely into the machine.

1.4 Filling the Bean Container

1. Open the lid of the bean container located on top of the machine.
2. Fill the container with whole coffee beans. Do not use ground coffee, instant coffee, or caramelized beans.
3. Close the lid securely.

1.5 Priming the System

After filling the water tank and bean container, plug the machine into a suitable power outlet. The machine will perform an initial rinse cycle. Follow any on-screen prompts or indicator light sequences. Place a cup under the coffee spout during this process.

2. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

2.1 Control Panel Overview





Image: Front view of the Melitta Caffeo Solo E950-104, highlighting the control panel and two freshly brewed cups of coffee.

The control panel features intuitive buttons and indicator lights for easy operation:

- **Power Button:** Turns the machine on/off.
- **Coffee Strength Dial:** Adjusts the amount of coffee per serving.
- **Single/Double Cup Buttons:** Selects brewing for one or two cups.
- **Water Quantity Button:** Adjusts the volume of water for your coffee.
- **Indicator Lights:** Provide status information (e.g., water tank empty, bean container empty, descaling required).

2.2 Brewing Coffee

1. Ensure the water tank is filled and the bean container has enough beans.
2. Place one or two cups under the coffee spout. The spout height is adjustable.
3. Select your desired coffee strength using the dial.
4. Press the single or double cup button to start brewing.
5. The machine will grind the beans and brew your coffee.

2.3 Adjusting Coffee Settings

- **Coffee Strength:** Turn the dial on the front panel to increase or decrease coffee intensity.
- **Water Volume:** Use the water quantity button to customize the amount of water for your coffee.
- **Brewing Temperature:** The machine offers programmable brewing temperatures (87°C, 90°C, 93°C). Refer to the full manual for instructions on how to access and change this setting.
- **Grind Fineness:** The grinder fineness can be adjusted using a knob inside the bean container. Adjust this only when the grinder is operating to prevent damage.

3. MAINTENANCE AND CLEANING

Regular cleaning and maintenance are crucial for the longevity and optimal performance of your coffee machine.

3.1 Emptying Drip Tray and Coffee Grounds Container

The machine will indicate when the drip tray and coffee grounds container need to be emptied. Remove the drip tray, empty the coffee grounds, rinse both components with warm water, and dry them before reinserting.

3.2 Cleaning the Brewing Unit

1. Turn off the machine and unplug it.
2. Open the service door (usually on the right side).
3. Press the release buttons and carefully remove the brewing unit.
4. Rinse the brewing unit thoroughly under running warm water. Do not use detergent.
5. Allow it to air dry completely before reinserting.

3.3 Descaling

The descaling indicator light will illuminate when descaling is required. Use a Melitta-approved descaling solution and follow the instructions provided with the descaler or in the comprehensive manual. Descaling removes mineral deposits that can affect machine performance and coffee taste.

3.4 Cleaning the Water Tank

Clean the water tank regularly with warm water and a soft brush to prevent algae or mineral buildup.

4. TROUBLESHOOTING

Refer to the following table for common issues and their solutions. If the problem persists, contact customer support.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
No coffee is dispensed.	Water tank empty, bean container empty, brewing unit blocked.	Fill water tank/bean container. Clean brewing unit.
Coffee is too weak.	Coffee strength set too low, grind too coarse.	Increase coffee strength. Adjust grind fineness (only when grinder is running).
Machine leaks water.	Drip tray full, brewing unit not correctly inserted, internal hose dislodged.	Empty drip tray. Reinsert brewing unit. Contact support if internal hose is suspected.
Descaling indicator light on.	Machine requires descaling.	Perform descaling procedure as per manual.

5. TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

- **Brand:** Melitta
- **Model:** E 950-104
- **Type:** Automatic Bean-to-Cup Espresso Machine
- **Color:** Red (variant specific)
- **Power:** 1400 Watts
- **Voltage:** 240V

- **Water Tank Capacity:** 1.2 Liters
- **Pump Pressure:** 15 Bars
- **Coffee Type:** Whole coffee beans (integrated grinder)
- **Special Features:** Cup warmer, Removable brewing unit, Programmable brewing temperature (87°C, 90°C, 93°C)
- **Material:** Plastic
- **Dimensions (approx.):** 20 cm (Width) x 32.5 cm (Height) x 45.5 cm (Depth)(Note: Depth and Height are estimated based on typical compact machine dimensions and visual inspection, as provided dimensions were ambiguous.)
- **Weight:** 8 Kilograms

6. WARRANTY INFORMATION

Your Melitta Caffeo Solo E950-104 coffee machine comes with a **2-year manufacturer's warranty**. This warranty covers defects in materials and workmanship under normal use. Please retain your proof of purchase for warranty claims. For full terms and conditions, refer to the warranty card included with your product or visit the official Melitta website.

7. CUSTOMER SUPPORT

For further assistance, technical support, or spare parts, please contact Melitta customer service. Contact details can typically be found on the official Melitta website or in the documentation provided with your machine.

Manufacturer: MELITTA

Manufacturer Address: Ringstrasse 99, 32427 Minden

You can also visit the [Melitta Brand Store on Amazon](#) for more information.

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

Always follow basic safety precautions when using electrical appliances to reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, and injury to persons, including the following:

- Read all instructions.
- Do not touch hot surfaces. Use handles or knobs.
- To protect against fire, electric shock, and injury to persons, do not immerse cord, plugs, or appliance 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. Return appliance to the nearest authorized service facility 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.

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