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Model: 502.395.94

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The IKEA VATTENTÄT Whistling Kettle is a durable and easy-to-maintain kitchen appliance designed for efficient water boiling. Constructed from stainless steel, it features a convenient whistling function to indicate when water has reached boiling point. Its robust design ensures resistance to impact, and its compatibility with various hob types makes it a versatile addition to any kitchen.



Figure 1: Front view of the IKEA VATTENTÄT Whistling Kettle. This image displays the kettle's sleek stainless steel body, black handle, and the whistle mechanism on the spout.

SETUP AND FIRST USE

Before using your new IKEA VATTENTÄT kettle for the first time, please follow these steps:

1. **Unpack:** Carefully remove all packaging materials and inspect the kettle for any damage.
2. **Initial Cleaning:** Wash the inside of the kettle with warm soapy water, then rinse thoroughly with clean water. Dry completely before use.
3. **First Boil:** Fill the kettle with fresh water up to the maximum fill line. Bring the water to a boil, then discard it.

Repeat this process once more to ensure cleanliness.

4. **Placement:** Place the kettle firmly on a suitable hob. Ensure the hob size matches the kettle's base for optimal heat distribution.



Figure 2: A person placing the IKEA VATTENTÄT kettle onto a modern induction hob. This demonstrates proper placement for heating.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Follow these instructions for safe and effective use of your kettle:

1. **Filling the Kettle:** Remove the lid by grasping the knob and lifting. Fill the kettle with the desired amount of fresh water. Do not fill above the maximum fill line (2 liters) to prevent overflow during boiling. Replace the lid securely.
2. **Activating the Whistle:** Ensure the whistle mechanism on the spout is in the down position to allow it to whistle when water boils.
3. **Heating Water:** Place the kettle on a suitable heat source (gas, induction, radiant, or electric hob). Turn on the heat. The kettle will emit a whistling sound when the water has reached boiling point.
4. **Pouring:** Carefully remove the kettle from the heat source. To pour, lift the whistle mechanism to open the spout. Hold the handle firmly and pour the hot water slowly and steadily.



Figure 3: A hand is shown filling the IKEA VATTENTÄT kettle through its top opening. This illustrates the process of adding water to the kettle.



Figure 4: A person is pouring hot water from the IKEA VATTENTÄT kettle into a white mug. This demonstrates the pouring action and the kettle's spout design.



Figure 5: A close-up view of the whistle mechanism located on the spout of the IKEA VATTENTÄT kettle. This highlights the design of the whistle.

MAINTENANCE AND CARE

Proper care will extend the life of your kettle. The stainless steel construction makes it easy to clean.

- **Daily Cleaning:** After each use, allow the kettle to cool completely. Wash the inside and outside with warm soapy water and a soft sponge or cloth. Rinse thoroughly and dry immediately to prevent water spots.
- **Dishwasher Safe:** The kettle is dishwasher safe, making cleaning even more convenient. Ensure it is placed securely in the dishwasher.
- **Descaling:** Over time, mineral deposits (limescale) may build up inside the kettle, especially in hard water areas. To descale:
 1. Fill the kettle with a solution of equal parts white vinegar and water, or use a commercial descaling product according to its instructions.
 2. Bring the solution to a boil and let it stand for 30 minutes to an hour, or longer for heavy buildup.

3. Pour out the solution and rinse the kettle thoroughly several times with fresh water to remove any residue and odor.

- **Storage:** Store the kettle in a dry place when not in use.

TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter any issues with your IKEA VATTENTÄT kettle, refer to the following common solutions:

- **Kettle not whistling:**
 - Ensure the whistle mechanism is fully closed and seated correctly on the spout.
 - Check that the lid is securely closed.
 - Verify that there is sufficient water in the kettle (above the minimum fill line).
- **Water not heating efficiently:**
 - Ensure the kettle is placed centrally and firmly on the heat source.
 - Verify that the heat source is set to an appropriate level.
 - Check for excessive limescale buildup, which can reduce heating efficiency. Descale the kettle if necessary.
- **Water tastes metallic or unusual:**
 - Ensure you performed the initial cleaning and first boil steps as described in the "Setup and First Use" section.
 - Rinse the kettle thoroughly after descaling.

SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Model Number	502.395.94
Capacity	2 Liters (approx. 67.6 fl oz)
Material	Stainless Steel, Melamine (handle and knob)
Color	Black (handle and knob), Silver (kettle body)
Hob Compatibility	Gas hob, Induction hob, Radiant hob, Electric hob
Dishwasher Safe	Yes
UPC	300846111039

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