De'Longhi ICM14011J

De'Longhi ICM14011J Drip Coffee Maker Instruction Manual

Model: ICM14011J

1. Product Overview

The De'Longhi ICM14011J is a compact and efficient drip coffee maker designed for ease of use and consistent coffee quality. Its sleek black design with stainless steel accents complements any kitchen.



Image: De'Longhi ICM14011J Drip Coffee Maker in black.

Key Features:

- **Compact Design:** Space-saving dimensions (7.09 x 7.87 x 10.63 inches) make it ideal for smaller kitchens or limited counter space.
- **Paperless Filter:** Equipped with a permanent filter, eliminating the need for disposable paper filters.
- **Aroma Button:** Enhances coffee flavor by slowly saturating the grounds for a richer brew.
- **Auto-Off System:** Automatically turns off the coffee maker 40 minutes after brewing is complete for safety and energy saving.
- **Drip-Stop Function:** Allows you to pour a cup of coffee before the brewing cycle is finished without drips.
- **Keep Warm Plate:** Maintains coffee temperature after brewing.
- **Notification Function:** Alerts you when brewing starts and finishes.

2. Setup

2.1 Unpacking and Initial Cleaning

1. Carefully remove all packaging materials from the coffee maker.
2. Wash the carafe, lid, and permanent filter basket with warm, soapy water. Rinse thoroughly and dry.
3. Wipe the exterior of the coffee maker with a damp cloth.

2.2 Placing the Coffee Maker

- Place the coffee maker on a flat, stable surface near an electrical outlet.
- Ensure there is adequate space around the unit for proper ventilation.

2.3 Water Tank Filling

- Open the top lid of the coffee maker.
- Fill the carafe with fresh, cold water up to the desired number of cups (max 5 cups / 0.65 liters).
- Pour the water from the carafe into the water reservoir. Do not exceed the 'MAX' fill line.

2.4 Filter Placement

- Place the permanent filter into the filter basket. If using a paper filter, ensure it is properly seated.
- Close the top lid securely.



Image: Showing the filter basket with ground coffee, ready for brewing.

3. Operating Instructions

3.1 Adding Ground Coffee

- After placing the filter, add your desired amount of ground coffee into the filter.
- A general guideline is 1 tablespoon of ground coffee per cup (5 oz). Adjust to taste.

3.2 Brewing Coffee

1. Ensure the carafe with its lid is correctly placed on the warming plate.
2. Press the **ON/OFF** button to start brewing. The indicator light will illuminate.
3. To activate the **Aroma** function for a richer coffee, press the Aroma button before starting the brew cycle.
4. The coffee maker will automatically turn off 40 minutes after brewing is complete.



Image: Close-up of the control panel showing the ON/OFF and Aroma buttons.

3.3 Drip-Stop Function

The drip-stop function allows you to temporarily remove the carafe to pour a cup of coffee before the entire brewing cycle is finished. The flow of coffee will stop automatically. Return the carafe to the warming plate within 20 seconds to prevent overflow.



Image: Illustrates the drip-stop mechanism preventing coffee from dripping when the carafe is removed.

3.4 Keep Warm Plate

The warming plate will keep your brewed coffee hot for up to 40 minutes after the brewing cycle is complete. The coffee maker will then automatically shut off.



Image: Close-up of the warming plate on the coffee maker base.

3.5 Notification Function

The coffee maker features an audible notification to indicate the start and completion of the brewing process.



Image: Depicts the coffee maker with an audible note symbol, indicating the notification feature.

3.6 Video Guide: Brewing Process

Video: A user demonstrates the process of adding coffee grounds and water, initiating the brew cycle, and pouring coffee from the De'Longhi ICM14011J Drip Coffee Maker.

4. Maintenance

4.1 Daily Cleaning

- After each use, unplug the coffee maker and allow it to cool.
- Remove the carafe, lid, and permanent filter. Wash them with warm, soapy water and rinse thoroughly.
- Wipe the exterior of the coffee maker and the warming plate with a soft, damp cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners or scouring pads.

4.2 Descaling

Over time, mineral deposits (limescale) can build up in your coffee maker, affecting its performance and coffee taste. Descale your coffee maker regularly, depending on water hardness and frequency of use.

- Use a commercial descaling solution specifically designed for coffee makers, or a solution of white vinegar and water (1:2 ratio).
- Fill the water reservoir with the descaling solution up to the 'MAX' line.

- Place the empty carafe on the warming plate.
- Run a brewing cycle without coffee grounds.
- After the cycle, discard the solution and rinse the carafe thoroughly.
- Run 2-3 cycles with fresh, clean water to rinse out any remaining descaling solution.

Note: The carafe, lid, and permanent filter are **not** dishwasher safe. Hand wash only.

5. Troubleshooting

- **Coffee not brewing:** Ensure the coffee maker is plugged in, the ON/OFF button is pressed, and the water reservoir is filled.
- **Water not hot enough:** Ensure the brewing cycle completes fully. Descaling may be required if mineral buildup is affecting heating performance.
- **Coffee overflowing:** Check that the filter basket is not overfilled with coffee grounds and that the carafe is correctly placed on the warming plate. Ensure the drip-stop function is not engaged for too long if the carafe is removed.
- **Unusual noise during brewing:** This is typically normal during the heating and pumping of water. If the noise is excessive or unusual, ensure the water reservoir is adequately filled.

For more detailed troubleshooting, please refer to the full product manual or contact customer support.

6. Specifications

Brand	De'Longhi
Model Number	ICM14011J
Color	Black
Product Dimensions	7.09 x 7.87 x 10.63 inches
Item Weight	2.64 pounds
Capacity	0.65 Liters (approx. 5 cups)
Coffee Maker Type	Drip Coffee Machine
Special Feature	Jug, Aroma Function, Auto-Off
Power Source	AC adapter
Human Interface Input	Buttons
Is Dishwasher Safe	No (for most parts)

7. Warranty and Support

For warranty information, product registration, or customer support, please refer to the documentation included in your product packaging or visit the official De'Longhi website. Keep your purchase receipt as proof of purchase for any warranty claims.

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