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Model: TWK6A013

1. IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

Please read these instructions carefully before using your Bosch TWK6A013 ComfortLine electric kettle. Keep this manual for future reference.

- **Electrical Safety:** Ensure the voltage indicated on the appliance matches your local mains voltage (120 Volts as per specifications, but verify local standards). Do not operate the kettle with a damaged cord or plug.
- **Burn Hazard:** The kettle body becomes hot during operation. Always use the handle. Avoid contact with steam escaping from the spout or lid.
- **Water Safety:** Do not fill above the maximum level or below the minimum level. Never operate the kettle empty (boil-dry protection is included, but avoid intentional empty operation).
- **Children and Vulnerable Persons:** This appliance can be used by children aged 8 years and above and persons with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities or lack of experience and knowledge if they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance in a safe way and understand the hazards involved. Children shall not play with the appliance. Cleaning and user maintenance shall not be made by children unless they are older than 8 and supervised.
- **Placement:** Place the kettle on a stable, flat, heat-resistant surface, away from edges and heat sources.
- **Triple Protection:** The kettle features automatic shut-off after boiling, boil-dry protection, and automatic shut-off when removed from its base.

2. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Bosch TWK6A013 ComfortLine electric kettle is designed for efficient and safe water heating. Its user-friendly features ensure convenience in your daily routine.

Key Features:

- Triple protection: Automatic shut-off after boiling, boil-dry protection, and automatic shut-off when removed from the base.
- Kettle lid opens with a push button for easy filling.
- Large opening lid for easy cleaning.

- One-Cup function to save time and reduce energy consumption.
- Covered heating element for easy cleaning.

Components:

1. Lid with push-button release
2. Spout
3. Water level indicator (visible on both sides)
4. Handle
5. Power switch with indicator light
6. Base with power cord storage
7. Removable limescale filter



Figure 2.1: Front view of the Bosch TWK6A013 ComfortLine electric kettle, highlighting the clear water level indicators on both sides and the illuminated power switch at the base. The ergonomic handle and lid release button are also visible.

3. SETUP

1. **Unpacking:** Carefully remove the kettle and all accessories from the packaging. Retain packaging for future transport or disposal.
2. **Initial Cleaning:** Before first use, fill the kettle with water to the maximum level. Boil the water and then discard it. Repeat this process twice to remove any manufacturing residues.
3. **Placement:** Place the kettle base on a dry, stable, and level surface. Ensure the power cord is not dangling or in

contact with hot surfaces.

4. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

- Filling the Kettle:** Press the button on the handle to open the lid. Fill the kettle with the desired amount of water, ensuring it is between the minimum (0.3L) and maximum (1.7L) marks on the water level indicator. Close the lid securely until it clicks.
- Placing on the Base:** Place the filled kettle onto its power base. Ensure it is seated correctly.
- Switching On:** Press the power switch downwards. The indicator light will illuminate, signifying that the kettle is heating the water.
- Automatic Shut-off:** The kettle will automatically switch off once the water has boiled. The indicator light will turn off.
- Pouring:** Carefully lift the kettle from its base and pour the hot water.
- One-Cup Function:** For quick heating of a single cup of water, fill the kettle to the 0.3L mark. This function optimizes heating time and energy use.

5. CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE

Regular cleaning and maintenance will prolong the life of your kettle and ensure optimal performance.

- Before Cleaning:** Always unplug the kettle from the mains and allow it to cool completely before cleaning.
- Exterior Cleaning:** Wipe the exterior of the kettle with a soft, damp cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners or harsh chemicals.
- Interior Cleaning/Descaling:** Over time, limescale may build up inside the kettle, especially in hard water areas.
 - To descale, use a commercially available descaling agent suitable for kettles, following the manufacturer's instructions.
 - Alternatively, you can use a solution of white vinegar and water (e.g., 1 part vinegar to 2 parts water). Fill the kettle with the solution, bring it to a boil, and let it stand for an hour before rinsing thoroughly several times with fresh water.
- Filter Cleaning:** The removable limescale filter can be detached for cleaning. Rinse it under running water and gently brush away any deposits. Ensure it is re-inserted correctly before use.
- Covered Heating Element:** The covered heating element simplifies interior cleaning and prevents direct contact with limescale.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

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

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Kettle does not switch on.	No power supply; Kettle not properly seated on base; Power switch not pressed.	Check power outlet and plug; Ensure kettle is correctly placed on the base; Press the power switch firmly.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Water is not heating.	Kettle has already boiled and switched off; Insufficient water (boil-dry protection activated).	Check if the kettle has recently boiled; Ensure water level is above the minimum mark.
Kettle switches off prematurely.	Excessive limescale build-up; Boil-dry protection activated.	Descale the kettle; Ensure water level is above the minimum mark.
Unusual plastic smell during first uses.	Normal for new appliances.	Perform initial cleaning steps (boil and discard water several times). The smell should dissipate with use.

7. TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Detailed specifications for the Bosch TWK6A013 ComfortLine electric kettle.

Specification	Value
Brand	Bosch
Model Number	TWK6A013
Model Name	ComfortLine
Capacity	1.7 Liters
Material	Plastic
Color	Black
Voltage	120 Volts (Please verify local voltage requirements)
Wattage	2400 Watts
Product Dimensions (L x W x H)	22 cm x 14.6 cm x 40 cm
Item Weight	1.4 Kilograms
Special Features	Automatic shut-off, Indicator lights
GTIN	04242002880242



Figure 7.1: Side view of the Bosch TWK6A013 kettle, illustrating its physical dimensions. The kettle measures approximately 22 cm in length, 14.6 cm in width, and 40 cm in height, including the base. The open lid and removable limescale filter are also shown.

8. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Your Bosch TWK6A013 ComfortLine electric kettle comes with a **2-year product warranty** from the date of purchase, covering manufacturing defects.

For warranty claims, technical support, or spare parts, please contact your retailer or the official Bosch customer service in your region. Keep your proof of purchase for warranty validation.

Availability of spare parts in the EU is guaranteed for 2 years.

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