

BRITA OB06

Brita Elite Water Filter Replacement Manual

Model: OB06 | Brand: BRITA

1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides comprehensive instructions for the installation, operation, and maintenance of your Brita Elite Water Filter Replacement. The Brita Elite filter is designed to reduce various contaminants in tap water, providing filtered water for drinking and cooking. It is compatible with most Brita pitchers and dispensers, excluding Brita Stream models.



Figure 1: Brita Elite Water Filter Replacement and Packaging

2. SAFETY INFORMATION

- The Brita Elite filter is intended for use with potable tap water only. Do not use with water that is microbiologically unsafe or of unknown quality without adequate disinfection before or after the system.
- Wash hands thoroughly before handling the filter.
- Keep the filter out of reach of children.

3. PACKAGE CONTENTS

- 1 Brita Elite Water Filter Replacement (Model OB06)

4. SETUP AND FIRST USE

1. **Prepare the Filter:** Wash your hands before unwrapping the filter. Flush the filter under cold tap water for 15 seconds.
2. **Insert Filter:** Insert the filter into the reservoir of your Brita pitcher or dispenser. Align the notch on the filter with the groove in the reservoir and press firmly to ensure a tight seal.
3. **Initial Flushing:** Fill the reservoir with cold tap water. Discard the first three pitchers (or dispenser fills) of filtered water. This initial flushing helps remove any carbon dust and prepares the filter for optimal performance. This water can be used for plants.
4. **Enjoy Filtered Water:** After the initial flushing, your Brita Elite filter is ready for use.

Elite™ | with Advanced Carbon Core Technology™

6 Replace filter every 6 Months† or 120 Gallons

†Approximate timing based on 120 gallon filter life and average family usage of 11 glasses per day.

Advanced Carbon Core Technology™ for Maximum Contaminant Reduction

REDUCES 30 CONTAMINANTS INCLUDING LEAD, BENZENE, MERCURY, CADMIUM, ASBESTOS & MORE

OPTIMIZED SURFACE AREA FOR 3X LONGER FILTER LIFE

FIBROUS MATRIX HOLDS ACTIVE INGREDIENTS FOR NO BLACK FLECKS

FILTER MEDIA ADSORBENTS REDUCE LEAD

Fits in all Brita® Containers

The diagram shows a cross-section of the water filter. It has a cylindrical shape with a wider top section and a narrower bottom section. Blue arrows indicate water flow from the top, through the filter media, and out from the bottom. The filter media is shown as a dense, fibrous material. The bottom section contains a white, U-shaped component, likely a support or a part of the filter's internal structure.

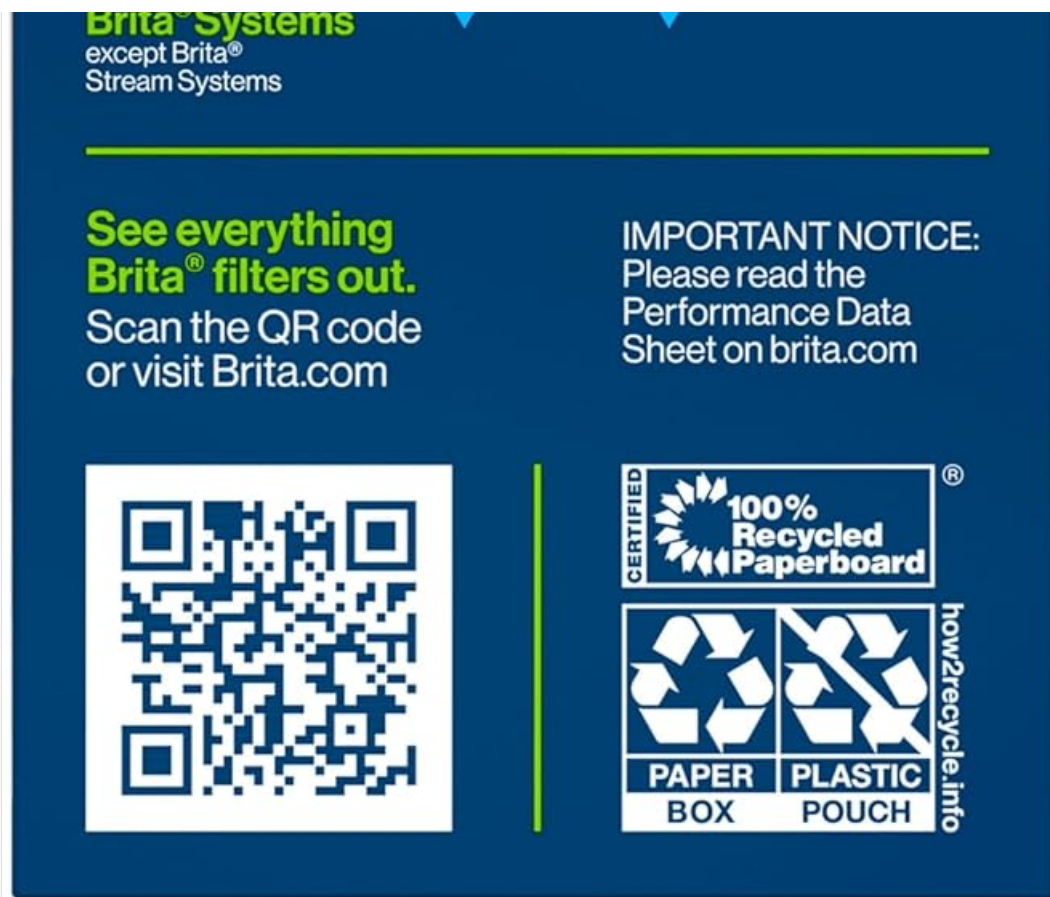


Figure 2: Filter Setup Instructions

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Video 1: This video demonstrates the correct procedure for setting up a new Brita Elite filter, including flushing and initial use.

5. FILTER REPLACEMENT

The Brita Elite filter should be replaced approximately every 6 months or after filtering 120 gallons of water, whichever comes first. Regular replacement ensures optimal filtration performance.

1. **Remove Old Filter:** Gently pull the old filter out of the reservoir.
2. **Prepare New Filter:** Follow step 1 from the 'Setup and First Use' section for the new filter.
3. **Install New Filter:** Follow step 2 from the 'Setup and First Use' section for the new filter.
4. **Initial Flushing (New Filter):** Follow step 3 from the 'Setup and First Use' section for the new filter.
5. **Reset Filter Indicator:** If your Brita pitcher or dispenser has an electronic filter life indicator, press and hold the reset button until the indicator light turns green or resets according to your model's instructions.

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Video 2: This video provides instructions on how to easily replace the Brita Elite filter and reset the filter life indicator.

6. PRODUCT FEATURES

The Brita Elite filter utilizes Advanced Carbon Core Technology to reduce a wide range of contaminants, providing improved water quality.

- Reduces 99% of lead.
- Reduces chlorine (taste and odor), cadmium, mercury, benzene, asbestos, and other contaminants.

- Designed for a longer filter life, lasting approximately 6 months or 120 gallons.
- Maintains a healthy level of fluoride in municipal tap water.
- Fibrous matrix prevents black flecks in filtered water.



Removes 99% of Lead For Safer Tap Water*

*See performance data sheet on Brita website for details. Substances reduced may not be in all users' water.

Figure 3: Lead Reduction Capability

Brita Elite™ Filter

Reduces

5X

Contaminants*



*vs. Brita Original.™ See performance data sheet on Brita website for details. Substances reduced may not be in all users' water

- Chlorine
- Lead
- Microplastics
- Select Pharmaceuticals & Pesticides
- Mercury
- Cadmium

Figure 4: Contaminant Reduction Overview

How Brita Elite™ Filter Works

Adsorbents

help to reduce lead

Pleated Filter

last 3x longer*

Activated Carbon

reduces chlorine
(taste and odor)

Built-in mesh screens

Prevent black flecks



*vs Brita Original Filter

Figure 5: How the Brita Elite Filter Works

7. COMPATIBILITY

The Brita Elite filter is compatible with all Brita pitchers and dispensers, with the exception of Brita Stream models. This includes, but is not limited to, the following models:

- BRITA Amalfi Water Pitcher
- BRITA Aqualux Water Pitcher
- BRITA Atlantis Water Pitcher
- BRITA Capri Water Pitcher
- BRITA Champlain Water Pitcher
- BRITA Chrome Water Filter Pitcher
- BRITA Classic Water Pitcher
- BRITA Color Series Water Pitcher
- BRITA Deluxe Water Pitcher
- BRITA Denali Water Pitcher

- BRITA Everyday Water Pitcher
- BRITA Grand Water Pitcher
- BRITA Huron Water Pitcher
- BRITA Infinity Water Pitcher
- BRITA Lake Water Pitcher
- BRITA Marina Water Filtration Pitcher
- BRITA Metro Water Pitcher
- BRITA Mini Plus Water Pitcher
- BRITA Monterey Water Pitcher
- BRITA Pacifica Water Pitcher
- BRITA Slim Water Filter Pitcher
- BRITA Soho Water Pitcher
- BRITA Space Saver Water Pitcher
- BRITA Stainless Steel Water Pitcher
- BRITA Tahoe Water Pitcher
- BRITA Ultramax Water Dispenser
- BRITA Wave Water Pitcher



Fit All Pitchers & Dispensers

Except Stream

Figure 6: Compatible Brita Pitchers and Dispensers

8. SPECIFICATIONS

Attribute	Detail
Model Number	OB06
Material	Plastic (BPA-Free)
Product Dimensions	2.34"D x 2.34"W x 5.34"H
Item Weight	2.08 ounces
Filter Life	Up to 120 gallons or 6 months
Certifications	NSF/ANSI Standards 53, 42, and 401
UPC	060258362435

9. TROUBLESHOOTING

- **Slow Filtration:** If water filters slowly, ensure the filter is properly seated in the reservoir. If the filter is old, it may be clogged and require replacement.
- **Black Flecks in Water:** A small amount of carbon dust may appear in the first few pitchers of filtered water. This is normal and harmless. Ensure you have completed the initial flushing steps. If flecks persist, re-flush the filter.
- **Unusual Taste:** If filtered water has an unusual taste, ensure the filter is correctly installed and has been flushed. Replace the filter if the taste persists, as it may have reached the end of its life.

10. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For detailed warranty information and customer support, please visit the official Brita website. You can also find performance data sheets for your filter model online.

Official Brita Website: www.brita.com/performance-data