

Severin KA 4497

Severin KA 4497 Filter Coffee Machine Instruction Manual

Model: KA 4497

1. INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing the Severin KA 4497 Filter Coffee Machine. This manual provides essential information for the safe and efficient operation of your appliance. Please read these instructions carefully before first use and keep them for future reference.



Image 1.1: Severin KA 4497 Filter Coffee Machine overview.

Key Features:

- Integrated aroma function for enhanced coffee enjoyment.
- Capacity: Up to 10 cups (1.4 Liters).
- Removable swivel filter holder with drip stop (size 1x4).
- Glass carafe with fresh water scale.
- Control switch with indicator light.
- Automatic shut-off function.
- Warming plate to keep coffee hot.

2. SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

Always observe the following safety instructions to prevent accidents and damage to the appliance:

- This appliance is intended for domestic use only.
- Do not immerse the appliance, cord, or plug in water or other liquids.
- Ensure the voltage indicated on the rating plate matches your mains supply.
- Keep the appliance out of reach of children.
- Unplug the appliance from the mains socket when not in use, before cleaning, and in case of malfunction.
- Do not operate the appliance with a damaged cord or plug.
- Avoid contact with hot surfaces, especially the warming plate and glass carafe during and after operation.
- Only use cold, fresh water for brewing.

3. SETUP

3.1 Unpacking

1. Carefully remove all packaging materials from the coffee machine.
2. Check the appliance for any signs of damage. Do not operate if damaged.

3.2 First Use Cleaning

Before using for the first time, clean the appliance by running two full cycles with cold water only, without coffee grounds. This removes any manufacturing residues.

3.3 Placement

Place the coffee machine on a stable, level, heat-resistant surface, away from water sources and heat-emitting appliances.

4. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

4.1 Filling Water

1. Open the lid of the water tank.
2. Fill the glass carafe with the desired amount of cold, fresh water. Refer to the cup markings on the carafe and the water level indicator on the side of the machine.
3. Pour the water from the carafe into the water tank. Do not exceed the maximum fill level.
4. Close the lid securely.



Image 4.1: Water level indicator for precise filling.

4.2 Adding Coffee Grounds

1. Swivel out the filter holder.
2. Insert a size 1x4 paper filter into the filter holder.
3. Add the desired amount of ground coffee into the paper filter. A general guideline is one level tablespoon of coffee per cup. Adjust to personal preference.
4. Swivel the filter holder back into position until it clicks.



Image 4.2: Inserting the filter basket with coffee grounds.

4.3 Brewing Coffee

1. Place the glass carafe with its lid on the warming plate. Ensure it is correctly positioned to activate the drip stop.
2. Plug the appliance into a suitable mains socket.
3. Press the ON/OFF switch. The indicator light will illuminate, and the brewing process will begin.
4. Once all the water has passed through, the brewing process is complete. The warming plate will keep the coffee hot.



Image 4.3: Brewed coffee in the carafe and the illuminated power button.

4.4 Automatic Shut-off

For safety and energy saving, the coffee machine will automatically switch off approximately 30-40 minutes after the brewing process is complete.

5. MAINTENANCE AND CLEANING

Regular cleaning ensures optimal performance and extends the lifespan of your coffee machine.

5.1 Daily Cleaning

1. Always unplug the appliance and allow it to cool down completely before cleaning.
2. Remove the used paper filter and coffee grounds.
3. Wash the glass carafe and its lid, and the swivel filter holder in warm soapy water. Rinse thoroughly and dry. These parts are generally dishwasher safe (top rack), but hand washing is recommended for longevity.
4. Wipe the exterior of the coffee machine with a damp cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaning agents or immerse the main unit in water.

5.2 Descaling

Depending on water hardness and frequency of use, limescale deposits may form. Descale your coffee machine regularly (e.g., every 2-4 weeks) to maintain brewing performance and flavor.

1. Use a commercially available descaling agent suitable for coffee machines, following the manufacturer's instructions.
2. Alternatively, a mixture of white vinegar and water (1:2 ratio) can be used.
3. Run the descaling solution through the machine as if brewing coffee, without coffee grounds.
4. After descaling, run at least two full cycles with fresh water to rinse out any descaling agent residues.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Coffee does not brew.	Appliance not plugged in; power switch not activated; water tank empty.	Check power connection; press ON/OFF switch; fill water tank.
Coffee tastes weak or too strong.	Incorrect coffee-to-water ratio; coffee too finely/coarsely ground.	Adjust coffee amount; use appropriate grind size.
Water overflows from filter holder.	Too much coffee grounds; filter clogged; carafe not correctly placed.	Reduce coffee amount; clean filter holder; ensure carafe is centered.
Brewing process is slow.	Limescale buildup.	Descale the coffee machine.

7. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand	SEVERIN
Model Number	KA 4497
Color	White / Black
Product Dimensions	17 x 24 x 34 cm
Weight	2.14 Kilograms
Capacity	1.4 Liters (approx. 10 cups)
Power/Wattage	1000 Watts
Material	Glass (carafe)
Special Features	Glass Carafe, Drip Stop, Warming Plate, Automatic Shut-off



Image 7.1: Product dimensions of the Severin KA 4497.

8. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

This product is covered by a manufacturer's warranty. For detailed warranty information, please refer to the warranty card included with your purchase or visit the official Severin website. For technical support, spare parts, or service inquiries, please contact Severin customer service.