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Braun KF7070

Braun BrewSense 12-Cup Drip Coffee Maker

MODEL: KF7070SI

User Instruction Manual

Introduction and Overview

This manual provides essential information for the safe and efficient operation, maintenance, and troubleshooting of your Braun BrewSense 12-Cup Drip Coffee Maker, Model KF7070SI. Please read all instructions carefully before first use and retain this manual for future reference.



Figure 1: Front view of the Braun BrewSense 12-Cup Drip Coffee Maker.

Key Features

- **Sleek Design:** Features a compact footprint and low profile, designed for easy integration into any kitchen space.
- **PureFlavor Technology:** Optimizes brewing temperature, time, and extraction to ensure a consistently balanced and flavorful cup of coffee.
- **Easy-Access Control Panel:** Intuitive controls for straightforward operation.
- **Convenient Cord Storage:** Integrated storage helps keep countertops tidy.
- **Reusable Filter:** Includes a durable, reusable coffee filter, eliminating the need for disposable paper filters.
- **Calc Warning System:** An indicator light illuminates when descaling is necessary to maintain optimal coffee aroma and machine performance.

- **Programmable Timer:** Allows for setting a delayed brew time.



Figure 2: The coffee maker displayed with coffee beans and a mug, highlighting its design.

Setup

1. **Unpack:** Carefully remove all packaging materials and accessories from the box.
2. **Clean Components:** Before first use, wash the carafe, lid, and reusable filter basket in warm, soapy water. Rinse thoroughly and dry.
3. **Position:** Place the coffee maker on a flat, stable, heat-resistant surface near an electrical outlet. Ensure adequate clearance around the unit.
4. **First Brew Cycle (Cleaning):**
    - Fill the water reservoir with fresh, cold water up to the 12-cup mark.
    - Place the empty reusable filter basket into its holder.
    - Close the lid securely.

- Place the empty carafe on the warming plate.
- Press the brew button to run a full cycle without coffee grounds.
- Discard the water from the carafe. This step cleans the internal components.

Operating Instructions

1. **Fill Water Reservoir:** Open the top lid and fill the water reservoir with fresh, cold water to your desired number of cups. The internal water level indicator provides clear markings.
2. **Add Coffee Grounds:** Place the reusable filter into the filter basket holder. Add the appropriate amount of ground coffee for your desired strength (approximately 1 tablespoon per cup, adjust to taste).
3. **Close Lid and Place Carafe:** Close the top lid firmly. Ensure the carafe is correctly positioned on the warming plate.
4. **Brew Coffee:** Press the "Brew" button to start the brewing cycle. The indicator light will illuminate.
5. **Programmable Brewing:** To set a delayed brew time, refer to the detailed instructions in the full user manual (link provided in the Support section).
6. **Keep Warm Function:** The coffee maker automatically keeps coffee warm after brewing. The duration of the keep-warm function can typically be adjusted.



Figure 3: View of the coffee maker with the lid open, showing the reusable filter basket and water reservoir.

Maintenance and Cleaning

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

- **Daily Cleaning:** After each use, discard used coffee grounds. Wash the reusable filter, filter basket, carafe, and carafe lid in warm, soapy water. These parts are generally top-rack dishwasher safe, but hand washing is recommended for longevity.
- **Exterior Cleaning:** Wipe the exterior of the coffee maker with a soft, damp cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners or scouring pads.
- **Descaling (Calc Warning):** The "Calc Warning" light will illuminate when mineral deposits (scale) need to be removed from the heating element. This is crucial for maintaining coffee flavor and machine efficiency.
    - Prepare a descaling solution according to the instructions in the full user manual or use a commercially available descaling agent.

- Run a descaling cycle as per the manual's instructions.
- After descaling, run at least two full cycles with fresh water to rinse the system thoroughly.

Troubleshooting

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Coffee does not brew.	No water in reservoir; power not connected; brew cycle not initiated.	Fill water reservoir; ensure unit is plugged in; press the "Brew" button.
"Calc Warning" light is on.	Mineral buildup in the system.	Perform a descaling cycle as described in the Maintenance section.
Coffee tastes weak or too strong.	Incorrect coffee-to-water ratio; coffee grind too coarse/fine.	Adjust coffee amount; use appropriate grind for drip coffee makers.
Water overflows from filter basket.	Too much coffee grounds; filter clogged; carafe not properly placed.	Reduce coffee amount; clean filter thoroughly; ensure carafe is centered.

Specifications

Attribute	Detail
Brand	Braun
Model Number	KF7070
Coffee Maker Type	Drip Coffee Machine
Capacity	12 Cups
Color	Stainless Steel
Product Dimensions	7.9"D x 7.9"W x 14.2"H
Item Weight	6.2 pounds
Filter Type	Reusable
Voltage	240 Volts
Operation Mode	Fully Automatic

Warranty and Support

For detailed warranty information, product registration, or further assistance, please refer to the official Braun website or contact customer support.
A comprehensive user guide in PDF format is available for download:

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