

## Coleman 2000020942

# Coleman QuikPot Propane Coffee Maker User Manual

Model: 2000020942

Brand: Coleman

## 1. INTRODUCTION

Welcome to the Coleman QuikPot Propane Coffee Maker user manual. This guide provides essential information for the safe and efficient operation, maintenance, and troubleshooting of your new coffee maker. Designed for outdoor use, this propane-powered coffee maker allows you to enjoy fresh-brewed coffee at your campsite or during other outdoor activities. It features Instastart ignition for easy lighting and PerfectFlow technology for consistent performance.

## 2. SAFETY INFORMATION

**WARNING:** This product contains chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm. For more information, go to [www.P65Warnings.ca.gov](http://www.P65Warnings.ca.gov).

Please read all instructions and warnings carefully before using this appliance. Failure to follow these instructions may result in fire, explosion, property damage, personal injury, or death.

- **Outdoor Use Only:** This appliance is designed for outdoor use only. Do not operate indoors or in enclosed spaces.
- **Ventilation:** Ensure adequate ventilation when operating.
- **Propane Safety:** Use only propane fuel. Connect and disconnect propane cylinders outdoors and away from ignition sources. Store propane cylinders in a well-ventilated area, away from direct sunlight and heat.
- **Clearance:** Maintain proper clearance from combustible materials.
- **Children and Pets:** Keep children and pets away from the appliance during operation.
- **Hot Surfaces:** Appliance surfaces will become hot during use. Allow to cool completely before handling.

or storing.

- **Modifications:** Do not modify this appliance. Any modification may be dangerous and will void the warranty.

### 3. PACKAGE CONTENTS

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Upon unpacking, ensure all components are present and undamaged. The package should contain:

- Coleman QuikPot Propane Coffee Maker (Model 2000020942)
- Glass Carafe (10-cup capacity)
- Reusable Filter Basket
- Instruction Manual (this document)



Figure 3.1: Front view of the Coleman QuikPot Propane Coffee Maker with its glass carafe.

## 4. SETUP

Follow these steps to set up your Coleman QuikPot Propane Coffee Maker for first use:

1. **Unpack:** Carefully remove all packaging materials and inspect the coffee maker for any damage.
2. **Clean:** Before first use, wash the glass carafe and reusable filter basket with warm, soapy water. Rinse thoroughly and dry.
3. **Positioning:** Place the coffee maker on a stable, level, non-combustible surface outdoors. Ensure there is

adequate clearance from any flammable materials.

#### 4. Connect Propane Cylinder:



Figure 4.1: Illustration of connecting the propane cylinder to the coffee maker's fuel line.

Attach a 16.4 oz (1 lb) propane cylinder (sold separately) to the coffee maker's fuel connection. Ensure the connection is secure and hand-tighten only. Do not overtighten. Check for leaks using a soapy water solution (bubbles indicate a leak).

5. **Fill Water Reservoir:** Open the lid and fill the water reservoir with fresh, clean water up to the desired level, indicated by the markings on the carafe (up to 10 cups). Do not overfill.
6. **Add Coffee Grounds:** Place the reusable filter basket into its designated slot. Add your desired amount of ground coffee into the filter basket. For best results, use medium-grind coffee.

## 5. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Once set up, follow these steps to brew coffee:

1. **Ignite:** Press the Instastart push-button ignition. You should hear a click and see a flame. If it doesn't ignite on the first try, wait a few seconds and try again.



Figure 5.1: The Instastart push-button ignition for matchless lighting.

2. **Brewing:** The coffee maker will begin brewing. The PerfectFlow technology ensures consistent performance, even in varying outdoor conditions. A full 10-cup carafe typically brews in about 18 minutes.
3. **Pause 'n' Serve:** If you need a cup before the brewing cycle is complete, carefully remove the carafe. The Pause 'n' Serve feature will temporarily stop the coffee flow. Replace the carafe within 20 seconds to prevent overflow.
4. **Serving:** Once brewing is complete, the coffee maker will automatically shut off. Carefully remove the carafe and serve.
5. **Shut Down:** After use, ensure the flame is extinguished. Disconnect the propane cylinder when the appliance is cool to the touch and not in use.

## 6. MAINTENANCE

Regular maintenance ensures the longevity and optimal performance of your coffee maker:

- **Cleaning the Carafe and Filter:** After each use, wash the glass carafe and reusable filter basket with warm, soapy water. Rinse thoroughly and dry.
- **Cleaning the Exterior:** Wipe down the exterior of the coffee maker with a damp cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners or immerse the unit in water.
- **Descaling:** Periodically descale the coffee maker to remove mineral buildup. This can be done by running a cycle with a mixture of water and white vinegar (e.g., 1 part vinegar to 2 parts water), followed by several cycles of plain water to rinse.
- **Storage:** Store the coffee maker in a cool, dry place when not in use. Ensure it is completely cool and clean before storing. Disconnect and store the propane cylinder separately.

## 7. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your Coleman QuikPot Propane Coffee Maker, refer to the following common problems and solutions:

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Coffee maker does not ignite.	No propane, faulty igniter, clogged burner.	Check propane cylinder connection and ensure it's not empty. Press the ignition button firmly. Clean burner area if visible debris.
Coffee brews too slowly or not at all.	Insufficient water, clogged lines, mineral buildup.	Ensure water reservoir is filled. Perform descaling procedure.
Coffee tastes weak or too strong.	Incorrect coffee-to-water ratio, grind size.	Adjust the amount of coffee grounds. Use medium-grind coffee.
Leak detected at propane connection.	Loose connection, damaged O-ring.	Tighten connection (hand-tight only). If leak persists, replace O-ring or cylinder. Do not operate with a leak.

If the problem persists after attempting these solutions, please contact Coleman Customer Support.

## 8. SPECIFICATIONS

Key specifications for the Coleman QuikPot Propane Coffee Maker:

- **Model Number:** 2000020942
- **Brand:** Coleman
- **Color:** Red
- **Product Dimensions (DxWxH):** 7.5"D x 7.5"W x 15.8"H



Figure 8.1: Product dimensions of the Coleman QuikPot Propane Coffee Maker.

- **Coffee Maker Type:** Drip Coffee Machine
- **Coffee Input Type:** Ground Coffee
- **Carafe Capacity:** 10 cups

- **Brew Time:** Approximately 18 minutes for 10 cups
- **Ignition:** Instastart Push-button
- **Technology:** PerfectFlow (consistent performance)
- **Operation Mode:** Manual
- **Filter Type:** Reusable
- **Fuel Type:** Propane (16.4 oz / 1 lb cylinders)
- **Suggested Use:** Outdoor activities (camping, hunting, construction)

## 9. WARRANTY INFORMATION

The Coleman QuikPot Propane Coffee Maker (Model 2000020942) comes with a **3-year limited warranty** from the date of purchase. This warranty covers defects in materials and workmanship under normal use. It does not cover damage resulting from misuse, abuse, accidents, unauthorized repairs, or normal wear and tear. For detailed warranty terms and conditions, please refer to the warranty card included with your product or visit the official Coleman website.

## 10. CUSTOMER SUPPORT

If you have any questions, require technical assistance, or need to make a warranty claim, please contact Coleman Customer Support:

- **Website:** Visit the official Coleman website for FAQs, product registration, and support contact information. [www.coleman.com/support](http://www.coleman.com/support)
- **Phone:** Refer to the contact information provided on the Coleman website or product packaging for phone support.

Please have your model number (2000020942) and proof of purchase ready when contacting support.