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Keurig K-Elite Single Serve K-Cup Pod Coffee Maker

Model: K-Elite | Brand: Keurig

INTRODUCTION

The Keurig K-Elite single serve coffee maker combines premium design with versatile features for personalized beverage creation. Its brushed gold finish and metal accents provide a stylish addition to any kitchen. This coffee maker offers a Strong Brew setting for a bolder taste and an Iced setting for refreshing, full-flavored iced coffee. With five brew sizes (4, 6, 8, 10, or 12oz), you can enjoy a variety of K-Cup pods, including coffee, tea, and hot cocoa. It also provides hot water on demand for instant meals and features a large 75oz removable water reservoir, allowing for multiple brews between refills.



Figure 1: Keurig K-Elite Coffee Maker in Brushed Gold, actively brewing coffee.

SETUP GUIDE

1. **Unpack and Place:** Remove all packaging materials. Place the coffee maker on a stable, level surface.
2. **Clean Reservoir:** Wash the water reservoir and lid with warm, soapy water. Rinse thoroughly and dry.
3. **Install Water Filter:** If included, insert the water filter into the filter handle and place it into the reservoir.
4. **Fill Reservoir:** Fill the water reservoir with fresh water up to the MAX fill line.
5. **Power On:** Plug the coffee maker into a grounded outlet. Press the power button.
6. **Cleansing Brew:** Place a large mug on the drip tray. Lift and lower the handle without inserting a K-Cup pod. Select the largest brew size (12oz) and press the brew button. Discard the hot water. This cleanses the system.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Brewing a Hot Beverage

1. **Power On:** Ensure the coffee maker is plugged in and powered on.
2. **Fill Water:** Check that the water reservoir has sufficient water.
3. **Place Mug:** Place a mug on the drip tray.
4. **Insert Pod:** Lift the handle, insert a K-Cup pod into the K-Cup pod holder, and firmly lower the handle.
5. **Select Brew:** Choose your desired brew size (4, 6, 8, 10, or 12oz). For a bolder taste, press the "STRONG" button before selecting your brew size.
6. **Brew:** The brew button will illuminate. Press it to begin brewing.



STRONG BREW

Brew a stronger,
more intense cup



ICED COFFEE

Brew hot,
enjoy cold —
full-flavored
and delicious



5 CUP SIZES

4, 6, 8, 10, 12oz



<1 MINUTE BREW TIME

for fresh brewed
coffee



ENERGY SAVER

Programmable
auto on/off



Figure 2: Key features of the Keurig K-Elite, highlighting brew options and energy saving.



STRONG BREW

increases the strength and bold taste of your coffee



Figure 3: Detail of the control panel, showing the Strong Brew button for enhanced flavor.

Making Iced Coffee

1. **Fill with Ice:** Fill a large, plastic tumbler (do not use glass) with ice.
2. **Place Tumbler:** Place the ice-filled tumbler on the drip tray.
3. **Insert Pod:** Lift the handle, insert a K-Cup pod, and firmly lower the handle.
4. **Select Iced:** Press the "ICED" button. The coffee maker will automatically select the optimal size and strength for an iced beverage.
5. **Brew:** The brew button will illuminate. Press it to begin brewing.



EASY ICED COFFEE

full-flavored and delicious

Brew delicious iced beverages easier than ever with the **ICED button**

Fill your cup to the top with ice

Press the **ICED button** - the K-Elite™ Coffee Maker selects the optimal size and strength for a perfectly brewed iced beverage



FILL WITH ICE
do not use glass



BREW HOT



ENJOY COLD



Figure 4: Step-by-step guide for preparing iced coffee using the dedicated button.

Hot Water on Demand

1. **Power On:** Ensure the coffee maker is powered on.
2. **Place Mug:** Place a mug on the drip tray.
3. **Select Hot Water:** Press the "HOT WATER" button.
4. **Dispense:** The hot water will dispense into your mug.



HOT WATER ON DEMAND

Press the HOT WATER button for instant soups and oatmeal



Figure 5: The hot water on demand feature is ideal for instant soups or oatmeal.

MAINTENANCE

Cleaning the Drip Tray

The drip tray can accommodate travel mugs up to 7.2 inches tall and holds a full accidental brew for easy cleanup. To clean, simply remove the drip tray, empty any liquid, and wash with warm, soapy water. Rinse and dry thoroughly before replacing.



REMOVABLE DRIP TRAY

Fits a 7.2"
travel mug

Figure 6: The removable drip tray allows for easy cleaning and accommodates taller mugs.

Refilling the Water Reservoir

The large 75oz water reservoir allows you to brew approximately 8 cups before needing a refill, saving time and simplifying your morning routine. The reservoir is removable for easy refilling at your sink.



75oz

Removable
water reservoir



Figure 7: The spacious 75oz water reservoir minimizes the frequency of refills.

Descaling

The brewer maintenance reminder will alert you when it is time to descale your coffee maker. Descaling is an important process that removes built-up calcium deposits, ensuring the best-tasting brew possible and prolonging the life of your machine. Refer to the full user guide for detailed descaling instructions.

TROUBLESHOOTING

For comprehensive troubleshooting, please refer to the official User Guide PDF provided by Keurig. Below are some common issues:

- **"Add Water" Light On:** This indicates the water reservoir is low or empty. Refill the reservoir with fresh water.
- **"Descal" Light On:** This indicates that the coffee maker needs to be descaled to remove mineral buildup. Follow the descaling procedure outlined in the full user manual.
- **No Brew/Partial Brew:** Ensure the water reservoir is properly seated and filled. Check that the K-Cup pod is correctly inserted and the handle is fully lowered.

- **Coffee Tastes Weak:** Try using the "STRONG" brew setting or a different K-Cup pod. Ensure the water filter is not expired or clogged.

SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand	Keurig
Model Name	K-Elite Coffee Maker
Color	Brushed Gold
Product Dimensions	9.9"D x 12.7"W x 13.1"H
Item Weight	8 pounds
Brew Sizes	4, 6, 8, 10, 12oz
Water Reservoir Capacity	75oz (removable)
Special Features	Iced Beverage Setting, Strength Control, Hot Water on Demand, Programmable Auto On/Off
Filter Type	Reusable (water filter)
Voltage	240 Volts



PRODUCT DIMENSIONS

13.1" High
(16.5" High when open)

9.9" Wide

12.7" Deep

Weighs 8.0lbs



Figure 8: Detailed product dimensions for placement and compatibility.

WARRANTY & SUPPORT

For detailed warranty information and customer support, please refer to the official Keurig website or the user guide included with your product. The User Guide (PDF) can also be accessed online via this link: [Keurig K-Elite User Guide](#).