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Model: GX550850

1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential instructions for the safe and efficient operation, maintenance, and care of your KRUPS Precision Burr Coffee Grinder, Model GX550850. Please read all instructions carefully before using the appliance and retain this manual for future reference.

The KRUPS Precision Burr Coffee Grinder is designed to provide consistent, uniform grinding for various brewing methods, from fine espresso to coarse cold brew. Its durable construction and user-friendly features ensure a quality coffee experience.





Image 1.1: KRUPS Precision Burr Coffee Grinder GX550850.

2. IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

When using electrical appliances, basic safety precautions should always be followed to reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, and/or injury to persons, including the following:

- Read all instructions before use.
- Do not touch hot surfaces. Use handles or knobs.
- To protect against fire, electric shock, and injury to persons, do not immerse cord, plugs, or appliance in water or other liquid.
- Close supervision is necessary when any appliance is used by or near children.
- Unplug from outlet when not in use and before cleaning. Allow to cool before putting on or taking off parts.
- Do not operate any appliance with a damaged cord or plug or after the appliance malfunctions or has been damaged in any manner. Return appliance to the nearest authorized service facility for examination, repair, or

adjustment.

- The use of accessory attachments not recommended by the appliance manufacturer may result in fire, electric shock, or injury to persons.
- Do not use outdoors.
- Do not let cord hang over edge of table or counter, or touch hot surfaces.
- Do not place on or near a hot gas or electric burner, or in a heated oven.
- Always attach plug to appliance first, then plug cord into the wall outlet. To disconnect, turn any control to “off,” then remove plug from wall outlet.
- Do not use appliance for other than intended use.
- Ensure the appliance is properly assembled before operation.
- Avoid contact with moving parts.

3. PRODUCT COMPONENTS

Familiarize yourself with the parts of your KRUPS Precision Burr Coffee Grinder:



Image 3.1: Labeled components of the KRUPS Precision Burr Coffee Grinder.

- **8 oz. Coffee Bean Container:** Holds whole coffee beans for grinding.
- **Flat Disc Burrs:** Internal grinding mechanism for consistent results.
- **Grind Setting Selector (Fine to Coarse):** Adjustable slider for 12 grind settings.
- **On/Off Button with Auto Stop:** Initiates grinding and stops automatically when the selected quantity is reached.
- **2 to 12 Cup Selector:** Dial to set the desired amount of coffee to grind.
- **Large Capacity Ground Coffee Container:** Collects the freshly ground coffee.

4. BEFORE FIRST USE

Before using your coffee grinder for the first time, follow these steps:

1. Unpack the grinder and all its components.
2. Wash the removable ground coffee container and its lid with warm, soapy water. Rinse thoroughly and dry completely.

3. Wipe the exterior of the grinder with a damp cloth. Do not immerse the main unit in water.
4. Ensure all parts are dry before reassembling.
5. Place the ground coffee container back into its position in the grinder.

5. OPERATION

5.1 Adding Coffee Beans

Open the lid of the coffee bean container and pour whole coffee beans into it. The container has an 8 oz capacity. For optimal flavor, use fresh, whole beans and avoid overfilling.

5.2 Selecting Grind Size

The grinder features 12 precision settings, allowing you to customize the grind size. Use the slider on the side of the unit to adjust between 'FINE' and 'COARSE'.



Image 5.1: Adjusting the grind setting slider.

- **Fine Grind:** Ideal for Espresso. Use settings 1-3.
- **Medium Grind:** Suitable for Drip Coffee and Pour Over. Use settings 4-8.
- **Coarse Grind:** Recommended for French Press and Cold Brew. Use settings 9-12.



12 SETTINGS



FINE



COARSE

**PERFECT FOR ALL
YOUR COFFEE NEEDS**

Image 5.2: Visual representation of fine and coarse coffee grounds.

5.3 Selecting Coffee Quantity (Cups)

Use the cup selector dial to choose the desired number of cups (2-12) you wish to grind. The grinder will automatically stop once this quantity is reached.

2-12 CUP SELECTOR



AUTOMATICALLY GRINDS & STOPS AT SELECTED AMOUNT

Image 5.3: Setting the desired number of cups using the selector dial.

5.4 Starting the Grinding Process

Once the beans are loaded, the grind size is selected, and the cup quantity is set, press the On/Off button to begin grinding. The grinder will operate until the selected amount of coffee is processed.



Image 5.4: Initiating the grinding process by pressing the On/Off button.

For optimal flavor, grind your beans just before brewing.

6. CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE

Regular cleaning ensures consistent performance and extends the life of your grinder.

1. **Unplug the Grinder:** Always ensure the grinder is unplugged from the power outlet before cleaning.

- 2. **Remove Ground Coffee Container:** Carefully remove the ground coffee container. Empty any remaining grounds. This container can be washed with mild soap and water. Ensure it is completely dry before reassembling.
- 3. **Clean the Top Burr:** The top burr is removable for easy cleaning. Gently twist and lift the top burr out. Use the included cleaning brush to remove any residual coffee grounds from the burrs and the grinding chamber.



Image 6.1: Cleaning the removable top burr with the provided brush.

- 4. **Clean the Bean Hopper:** Use the cleaning brush or a dry cloth to wipe out any remaining beans or residue from the bean hopper.
- 5. **Wipe Exterior:** Wipe the exterior of the grinder with a damp cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners or immerse the main unit in water.
- 6. **Reassemble:** Ensure all parts are dry before reassembling. Place the top burr back into position and secure it. Reinsert the ground coffee container.

Tip: To reduce static cling, clean regularly and gently tap the grinder before opening the lid of the grounds container.

7. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your KRUPS Precision Burr Coffee Grinder, refer to the following common problems and solutions:

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Grinder does not start.	Not plugged in; Lid not properly closed; Grounds container not properly inserted.	Ensure the grinder is plugged into a working outlet. Check that the bean hopper lid is securely closed and the grounds container is fully inserted.
Grinding is inconsistent.	Burrs are dirty or clogged; Overfilling the bean hopper.	Clean the burrs and grinding chamber thoroughly. Avoid overfilling the bean hopper; grind in smaller amounts if necessary.
Excessive static cling in grounds container.	Dry air conditions; Fine grind setting.	Clean the grinder regularly. Gently tap the grinder before removing the grounds container. A very small amount of moisture (e.g., a single drop of water) can sometimes reduce static, but ensure the grinder remains dry.
Grinder stops unexpectedly.	Selected cup quantity reached; Overheating; Safety mechanism activated.	This is normal if the selected cup quantity has been ground. If not, unplug the unit and allow it to cool for 30 minutes. Check for blockages in the burrs.

8. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Model Number	GX550850

Feature	Detail
Brand	KRUPS
Color	Gray
Grind Settings	12 (Fine to Coarse)
Bean Hopper Capacity	8 oz
Cup Selection	2-12 cups
Voltage	110 Volts (AC)
Item Weight	8 ounces
Product Dimensions (L x W x H)	7.28" x 4.41" x 10.35"
Grinding Mechanism	Flat Metallic Burrs



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9. WARRANTY AND CUSTOMER SUPPORT

9.1 Warranty Information

KRUPS backs this Precision Burr Coffee Grinder with a two-year warranty from the date of purchase. This warranty covers defects in materials and workmanship under normal household use. It does not cover damage resulting from misuse, neglect, commercial use, accidents, or unauthorized modifications.

Please retain your proof of purchase for warranty claims.

9.2 Customer Support

For technical assistance, warranty service, or to inquire about replacement parts, please contact KRUPS customer support. Refer to the official KRUPS website or your product packaging for the most current contact information.

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