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MODEL: 47794



The Farberware Classic Stainless Steel Coffee Percolator, 12 Cup, Silver with Glass Blue Knob.

1. Introduction

Thank you for choosing the Farberware Classic Stainless Steel Coffee Percolator. This manual provides essential information for the safe and efficient operation, maintenance, and care of your new coffee percolator. Designed for durability and ease of use, this 12-cup stovetop percolator delivers rich, flavorful coffee. Please read this manual thoroughly before first use and retain it for future reference.

2. Important Safety Information

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.
- 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 percolator 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, and before cleaning the appliance.
- Do not operate any appliance with a damaged cord or plug or after the appliance malfunctions, or has been damaged in any manner.
- 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.

3. Parts List

Your Farberware Classic Stainless Steel Coffee Percolator consists of the following main components:

- **Percolator Body (Pot):** The main vessel for water and brewed coffee.
- **Lid with Glass Blue Knob:** Covers the percolator body and allows observation of the brewing process.
- **Percolator Stem (Pump Tube):** The vertical tube that carries hot water up to the filter basket.
- **Filter Basket:** Holds the coffee grounds.



Image: Internal view of the percolator, highlighting the filter basket and pump tube.

4. Setup and First Use

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

1. Unpack all components and remove any packaging materials.
2. Wash the percolator body, lid, percolator stem, and filter basket thoroughly with warm, soapy water. Rinse well and dry completely.
3. Fill the percolator body with cold water to the desired number of cups. Note that the percolator measures cups in 4 oz increments.
4. Place the percolator stem into the center of the percolator body, ensuring it sits securely at the bottom.
5. Place the filter basket onto the top of the percolator stem.
6. Add your desired amount of coarse-ground coffee to the filter basket. For best results, use coffee specifically ground for percolators.
7. Place the lid securely on the percolator body.

5. Operating Instructions

Follow these steps to brew coffee with your Farberware percolator:

1. After setup (Section 4), place the assembled percolator on a stovetop burner. It is compatible with both gas and electric stovetops.
2. Turn the heat to medium-high. The water will begin to heat and rise through the percolator stem, showering over the coffee grounds in the basket.
3. Observe the blue glass knob on the lid. When the water begins to bubble through the knob, percolation has started.
4. Once percolation begins, reduce the heat to low or medium-low to maintain a gentle percolating action.
5. Allow the coffee to percolate for 5-7 minutes, or longer for a stronger brew, depending on your preference.
6. Carefully remove the percolator from the heat source using the handle.
7. Allow the coffee to settle for a minute or two before serving to ensure all grounds have settled.



Image: The Farberware percolator positioned on a stovetop burner during the brewing process.



Stovetop Percolator

Brew rich, delicious coffee with the classic stovetop percolator

Image: Freshly brewed coffee being poured from the percolator into a coffee cup.

6. Maintenance and Cleaning

Proper cleaning ensures the longevity and performance of your percolator:

- **Daily Cleaning:** After each use, discard coffee grounds. The percolator body and filter basket are dishwasher safe for convenience.
- **Hand Washing:** It is recommended to hand-wash the glass knob and pump tube to preserve their performance and appearance. Use warm, soapy water and a soft cloth or sponge. Rinse thoroughly.
- **Deep Cleaning (Oil Buildup):** Over time, coffee oils may build up inside the percolator, affecting flavor. To deep clean, fill the percolator with water, add a small amount of dishwasher powder (not liquid detergent), and run a percolation cycle without coffee grounds. This will scour the interior clean. Rinse thoroughly multiple times after this process.
- **Drying:** For best results and to maintain the mirror polish, hand-dry the exterior of the percolator immediately after washing to prevent water spots.

7. Troubleshooting

If you encounter issues with your percolator, refer to the following common problems and solutions:

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Weak Coffee	Too coarse a grind, too little coffee, or insufficient brewing time.	Use a finer grind (percolator grind recommended), increase coffee amount, or extend percolation time.
Grounds in Coffee	Coffee grind is too fine, or basket is overloaded.	Use a coarser grind. Do not overfill the filter basket. Consider using a paper percolator filter for extra filtration.
No Percolation	Not enough water, percolator not assembled correctly, or heat is too low.	Ensure water level is above the bottom of the pump tube. Reassemble all parts correctly. Increase heat to medium-high until bubbling begins.
Glass Knob Shattered/Broken	Accidental impact or thermal stress.	Replacement glass knobs are available for purchase. Handle with care, especially when hot.

8. Specifications

- Brand:** Farberware
- Model Name:** Classic
- Model Number:** 47794
- Capacity:** 12 Cup
- Material:** Heavy-duty Stainless Steel
- Color:** Silver with Glass Blue Knob
- Product Dimensions:** 7.28"D x 8.86"W x 10.83"H
- Item Weight:** 2.7 pounds
- Special Features:** Gas Stovetop Compatible, Electric Stovetop Compatible, Permanent Filter
- Operation Mode:** Manual
- Coffee Input Type:** Ground Coffee
- Country of Origin:** China
- UPC:** 631899477941



Image: Dimensional overview of the Farberware Classic Stainless Steel Coffee Percolator.

9. Warranty and Support

For warranty information, product support, or to purchase replacement parts, please visit the official Farberware website or contact their customer service department. Keep your purchase receipt as proof of purchase for any warranty claims.

	<p>Farberware Stovetop Percolator: Safety, Use, and Care Instructions</p> <p>Comprehensive guide for the Farberware Stovetop Percolator, covering essential safety precautions, detailed usage instructions, care and maintenance tips, brewing steps, and warranty information.</p>
	<p>Farberware Stainless Steel Electric Percolator User Manual and Safety Guide</p> <p>Comprehensive guide for Farberware stainless steel electric percolators (models FCP240, FCP280, FCP412), including safety instructions, usage, care, cleaning, and warranty information.</p>
	<p>Farberware FCP240 Coffee Percolator Owner's Manual</p> <p>Owner's manual for the Farberware FCP240 stainless steel coffee percolator, including safety instructions, usage guide, and care information. Provided by Appliance Factory Parts.</p>
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 <p>FARBERWARE MILLENNIUM</p> <p>USE & CARE INSTRUCTIONS 12 CUP CORDLESS PROGRAMMABLE PERCOLATOR FCP512S</p>	<p>Farberware Millennium FCP512S 12-Cup Cordless Programmable Percolator: Use & Care Manual</p> <p>Explore the Farberware Millennium FCP512S 12-Cup Cordless Programmable Percolator with this comprehensive use and care manual. Learn about important safeguards, operating instructions, cleaning, and warranty information for your coffee maker.</p>
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