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INTRODUCTION

This manual provides comprehensive instructions for the safe and efficient use of your De'Longhi Dinamica ECAM353.15.B Fully Automatic Coffee Machine. Please read all instructions carefully before operating the appliance and retain this manual for future reference.

IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

Always follow basic safety precautions when using electrical appliances to reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, and injury to persons.

- Read all instructions.
- Do not touch hot surfaces. Use handles or knobs.
- To protect against fire, electric shock, and personal injury, 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, 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. 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 personal injury.
- 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.
- Extreme caution must be used when moving an appliance containing hot oil or other hot liquids.

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The De'Longhi Dinamica ECAM353.15.B is a fully automatic coffee machine designed to deliver a variety of classic coffee specialties with ease. It features a sensor control panel with backlit touch keys for intuitive operation.



Figure 1: Front view of the De'Longhi Dinamica ECAM353.15.B coffee machine, showcasing the control panel, coffee spout, and two espresso cups on the drip tray.

Key Components:

- **Water Tank:** Removable, 1.8-liter capacity.
- **Bean Hopper:** Located at the top, with an aroma protection lid, capacity for 300g of coffee beans.
- **Grinder:** Integrated extra-silent conical grinder with 13 adjustable grinding levels.

- **Control Panel:** Sensor-based with backlit touch keys for direct selection of Espresso, Coffee, Long Coffee, and Lungo. Includes a "Doppio+" function for an extra energy boost.
- **Coffee Spout:** Adjustable height to accommodate various cup sizes.
- **Drip Tray:** Removable and dishwasher-safe for easy cleaning.
- **Brewing Unit:** Fully removable for simple and hygienic cleaning.
- **Milk Frother:** Classic milk frothing nozzle for manual milk preparation.
- **Hot Water Spout:** For dispensing hot water for tea or infusions.



Figure 2: Angled view of the De'Longhi Dinamica ECAM353.15.B coffee machine, highlighting its compact design and accessible water tank on the side.

SETUP AND FIRST USE

1. **Unpacking:** Carefully remove the machine from its packaging. Remove all protective films and accessories.
2. **Positioning:** Place the machine on a stable, level surface, away from water splashes and heat sources. Ensure adequate space around the machine for ventilation.
3. **Water Tank Preparation:** Remove the water tank from the back of the machine. Rinse it thoroughly with fresh water. If using the De'Longhi water filter (recommended), install it according to its instructions. Fill the tank with fresh water up to the MAX level and reinsert it into the machine.
4. **Bean Hopper:** Open the lid of the bean hopper and pour fresh coffee beans into it. Close the lid to preserve aroma. The machine is also suitable for pre-ground coffee, which should be added directly into the pre-ground coffee funnel only when preparing a drink.
5. **Initial Rinse Cycle:** Plug the machine into a suitable power outlet. Turn on the machine. The machine will perform an automatic rinse cycle. Place a container under the coffee spout and hot water spout to collect the water. Follow any on-screen prompts or indicator lights.
6. **Water Hardness Test:** Perform the water hardness test using the provided strip (if included) and set the machine accordingly to optimize descaling frequency.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Making Coffee from Beans

1. Ensure the water tank is filled and the bean hopper contains coffee beans.
2. Place one or two cups under the coffee spout. Adjust the spout height to prevent splashing.
3. Select your desired coffee beverage from the control panel (e.g., Espresso, Coffee, Long Coffee, Lungo).
4. For a stronger coffee, select the "Doppio+" function if available for your chosen drink.
5. The machine will grind the beans, pre-brew (aromatic pre-brewing system), and dispense the coffee.
6. You can adjust the coffee temperature from low to high via the machine settings.

Using Pre-Ground Coffee

1. Ensure the machine is on and ready.
2. Open the lid of the pre-ground coffee funnel (usually next to the bean hopper).
3. Add one level scoop of pre-ground coffee into the funnel. Do not add more than one scoop to avoid clogging.
4. Place a cup under the coffee spout.
5. Select the pre-ground coffee function on the control panel (refer to specific icon in your machine's display).
6. The machine will dispense the coffee.

Hot Water Function

1. Place a cup under the hot water spout.
2. Select the hot water function on the control panel.
3. The machine will dispense hot water for tea or other beverages.

Milk Frothing (Classic Milk Frother)

1. Fill a pitcher with cold milk (dairy or non-dairy).
2. Position the classic milk frother nozzle into the milk.
3. Activate the steam function on the control panel.

4. Move the pitcher up and down to create desired foam texture.
5. Once frothed, turn off the steam function.
6. **Important:** Clean the milk frother immediately after each use to prevent milk residue from drying.

MAINTENANCE AND CLEANING

Regular cleaning and maintenance ensure optimal performance and longevity of your coffee machine.

Daily Cleaning

- **Drip Tray:** Empty and clean the drip tray daily. The removable drip tray and its insert are dishwasher-safe.
- **Coffee Grounds Container:** Empty the coffee grounds container when prompted by the machine (typically after 14 cups or 72 hours). Rinse it with water.
- **Water Tank:** Rinse the water tank with fresh water daily.
- **Milk Frother:** After each use, wipe the milk frother nozzle with a damp cloth and purge a small amount of steam to clear any milk residue.

Weekly / Bi-Weekly Cleaning

- **Removable Brewing Unit:** The brewing unit should be removed and rinsed under running water at least once a week. Allow it to air dry completely before reinserting. This is crucial for hygiene and machine performance.
- **Coffee Spout:** Clean the coffee spout with a damp cloth.

Descaling

The machine features an automatic rinse and descaling program. The frequency of descaling depends on water hardness and machine usage. The machine will indicate when descaling is required.

1. When the descaling indicator illuminates, prepare the descaling solution according to the manufacturer's instructions (use only De'Longhi descaler).
2. Follow the step-by-step instructions displayed on the machine's control panel.
3. The descaling process typically involves several rinse cycles. Ensure a large container is placed under the spouts.
4. Do not interrupt the descaling cycle.

TROUBLESHOOTING

This section addresses common issues you might encounter with your De'Longhi Dinamica ECAM353.15.B coffee machine. For problems not listed here, please contact customer support.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Machine does not turn on.	Power cord not properly plugged in.	Check if the power cord is securely plugged into both the machine and the wall outlet.
Coffee is not dispensing.	Water tank empty; brewing unit clogged; coffee spout blocked.	Fill the water tank. Clean the brewing unit. Clean the coffee spout.
Coffee is too weak or too strong.	Grinding level incorrect; amount of coffee incorrect; coffee quality.	Adjust the grinding level (finer for stronger, coarser for weaker). Adjust coffee strength settings on the control panel. Use fresh, quality coffee beans.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Milk frother not producing foam.	Milk frother clogged; milk not cold enough; incorrect milk type.	Clean the milk frother nozzle thoroughly. Use cold milk. Ensure milk is suitable for frothing.
Descaling light remains on after descaling.	Descaling cycle not completed correctly.	Repeat the descaling cycle, ensuring all steps are followed and the machine completes all rinse phases.

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Specification
Model Number	ECAM 353.15.B
Dimensions (L x W x H)	429 x 236 x 348 mm
Weight	9.5 kg
Power	1450 W
Voltage	240 V
Water Tank Capacity	1.8 Liters
Bean Hopper Capacity	300 g
Material	Plastic
Special Features	Water filter, Removable brewing unit, Conical grinder (13 levels), Hot water function, Milk frother

WARRANTY AND CUSTOMER SUPPORT

For warranty information, please refer to the warranty card included with your product or visit the official De'Longhi website. If you encounter any issues that cannot be resolved using this manual, please contact De'Longhi customer support for assistance. Keep your proof of purchase for warranty claims.

De'Longhi Official Website: www.delonghi.com