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Model: mdl

1. INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing the Alessi Plisse Electric Kettle. This manual provides essential information for the safe and efficient use, maintenance, and care of your new appliance. Please read these instructions thoroughly before first use and retain them for future reference.

The Alessi Plisse Electric Kettle is designed for boiling water quickly and safely. Its distinctive pleated design is crafted from durable thermoplastic resin, featuring an easy on/auto-off function, a removable spout filter for cleaning, and an insulated base for convenient serving.

2. IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

When using electrical appliances, basic safety precautions should always be followed to reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, and 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 the kettle itself 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. Contact the manufacturer 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.

- Scalding may occur if the lid is removed during the heating cycle.
- Ensure the lid is securely closed before operating.
- This appliance is equipped with a US plug and is designed for use with 120V electrical systems.
- The kettle is made from safe, non-toxic, chemical-resistant thermoplastic resin.

3. PACKAGE CONTENTS

Please check the contents of the package. If any items are missing or damaged, contact your retailer.

- Alessi Plisse Electric Kettle (mdl)
- Power Base with US Plug
- Instruction Manual

4. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

Familiarize yourself with the components of your Alessi Plisse Electric Kettle.



Image 1: Alessi Plisse Electric Kettle. This image displays the black electric kettle from a slight angle, showcasing its distinctive pleated texture, the ergonomic handle, the pouring spout, the lid with a central knob, and the power cord extending from the base.

1. **Kettle Body:** The main container for water, featuring the unique pleated design.
2. **Lid:** Removable lid for filling and cleaning, with a central knob for easy handling.
3. **Handle:** Ergonomically designed for comfortable pouring.
4. **Spout:** Designed for controlled pouring, includes a removable filter.
5. **Power Switch:** Located near the base of the handle, for turning the kettle on. Features an auto-off function.

6. **Power Base:** The separate base that connects to the power outlet and provides power to the kettle. It is insulated for serving at the table.
7. **Power Cord:** Connects the power base to the electrical outlet.

5. SETUP

1. **Unpacking:** Carefully remove all packaging materials from the kettle and its base.
2. **Initial Cleaning:** Before first use, fill the kettle with clean water to the maximum fill line. Boil the water and then discard it. Repeat this process two to three times to remove any manufacturing residues.
3. **Placement:** Place the power base on a flat, stable, heat-resistant surface, away from the edge of the counter. Ensure the power cord is not dangling where it can be pulled or tripped over.
4. **Power Connection:** Plug the power cord into a standard 120V AC electrical outlet.

6. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

1. **Filling the Kettle:**
 - Remove the lid by gently pulling it upwards.
 - Fill the kettle with fresh, cold water. Do not fill below the minimum mark or above the maximum fill line (1.7 L / 1.06 qt) to prevent dry boiling or overflow.
 - Replace the lid securely, ensuring it is properly seated.
2. **Placing on Power Base:** Place the filled kettle firmly onto the power base.
3. **Boiling Water:**
 - Press the power switch located near the base of the handle to the "ON" position. An indicator light (if present) will illuminate.
 - The kettle will begin to heat the water.
 - Once the water has boiled, the kettle will automatically switch off (Auto-Off function), and the indicator light will extinguish.
4. **Serving:** Carefully lift the kettle from its power base by the handle. The insulated base allows you to serve the kettle directly at the table. Pour the hot water slowly and carefully.
5. **Re-boiling:** If the kettle has just boiled, allow a few moments for the internal thermostat to reset before attempting to re-boil.

7. MAINTENANCE AND CLEANING

Regular cleaning and maintenance will ensure the longevity and optimal performance of your kettle.

1. **Before Cleaning:** Always unplug the kettle from the power outlet and allow it to cool completely before cleaning.
2. **Exterior Cleaning:** Wipe the exterior of the kettle with a soft, damp cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners or harsh chemicals, as these can damage the surface.
3. **Interior Cleaning:**
 - The kettle's interior can be cleaned with a soft brush or sponge.
 - **Removable Spout Filter:** The filter located in the spout can be removed for cleaning. Gently pull it out, rinse under running water, and brush away any deposits. Ensure it is dry before reinserting.
4. **Descaling:** Over time, mineral deposits (limescale) may build up inside the kettle, especially in hard water areas.
 - Fill the kettle with a mixture of one part white vinegar and two parts water.
 - Bring the mixture to a boil and then let it stand for at least 30 minutes, or longer for heavy scale.
 - Empty the kettle and rinse thoroughly with fresh water several times to remove any vinegar odor.
 - Alternatively, use a commercial descaling solution designed for electric kettles, following the product's instructions.

5. **Storage:** When not in use, store the kettle and its base in a clean, dry place.

8. TROUBLESHOOTING

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

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Kettle does not turn on.	• Not plugged in. • Power outlet not working. • Kettle not properly seated on base. • Power switch not engaged.	• Ensure the power cord is securely plugged into a working outlet. • Test the outlet with another appliance. • Ensure the kettle is correctly placed on the power base. • Press the power switch firmly to the "ON" position.
Water is not boiling.	• Kettle automatically switched off. • Insufficient water.	• If the kettle recently boiled, allow the thermostat to cool before re-engaging. • Ensure water level is above the minimum fill line.
Kettle switches off too quickly.	• Limescale buildup.	• Descale the kettle as per the "Maintenance and Cleaning" section.
Water leaks from the spout or lid.	• Kettle overfilled. • Lid not properly closed.	• Do not fill above the maximum fill line. • Ensure the lid is securely and correctly seated on the kettle.

9. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Model	mdl
Brand	Alessi
Capacity	1.7 Liters (1.06 Quarts)
Product Dimensions	6 x 5 x 11 inches
Item Weight	3.29 pounds
Material	Thermoplastic Resin
Plug Type	US Plug
Features	Easy On/Auto Off, Removable Spout Filter, Insulated Base

10. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information or technical support, please refer to the documentation provided with your purchase or contact the retailer where the product was acquired. You may also visit the official Alessi website for further assistance.

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