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Alpina Percolator Coffee Maker Instruction Manual

Model: 8711252237091 | Brand: alpina

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides instructions for the safe and efficient use of your Alpina Percolator Coffee Maker. Please read these instructions carefully before first use and retain them for future reference. This percolator is designed for preparing coffee and other hot beverages without electricity, suitable for various heat sources.



Image 1: The Alpina Percolator Coffee Maker shown with a freshly brewed cup of coffee.

PRODUCT COMPONENTS

Familiarize yourself with the parts of your percolator:

- Top Chamber: Collects brewed coffee.
- Lid: Covers the top chamber.
- Heat Resistant Handle: For safe handling.
- Metal Filter: Holds ground coffee.
- Silicon Gasket: Creates a seal between chambers.
- Funnel: Directs water through the coffee grounds.
- Bottom Chamber: Holds water and contains the safety valve.
- Safety Valve: Releases excess pressure.



SETUP AND FIRST USE

- 1. Unpack: Carefully remove all packaging materials.
- 2. Disassemble: Unscrew the top chamber from the bottom chamber. Remove the funnel and metal filter.
- 3. Clean: Wash all parts with warm soapy water before first use. Rinse thoroughly and dry completely.
- 4. **Test Brew (Optional):** For the first use, it is recommended to brew a batch of coffee that will be discarded. This helps to clean any manufacturing residues and season the percolator.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Follow these steps to brew coffee with your Alpina Percolator:

- 1. Fill Water: Fill the bottom chamber with cold water up to the level of the safety valve. Do not overfill past the valve.
- 2. **Add Coffee:** Insert the funnel into the bottom chamber. Fill the metal filter with finely ground coffee. Do not tamp the coffee down.
- 3. **Assemble:** Place the metal filter with coffee into the funnel. Ensure the silicon gasket is properly seated. Screw the top chamber firmly onto the bottom chamber, ensuring a tight seal.
- 4. **Heat:** Place the percolator on a stovetop (gas, electric, or ceramic). Use medium heat.*Note: Not suitable for induction cooktops.*
- 5. **Brew:** As the water heats, pressure will build, forcing water up through the funnel and coffee grounds into the top chamber. You will hear a gurgling sound and see coffee filling the top chamber.
- 6. **Serve:** Once the top chamber is full, remove the percolator from the heat. Allow it to cool slightly before pouring. Serve your freshly brewed coffee.



Image 3: A visual guide demonstrating the process of brewing coffee, from filling water and adding grounds to the final pour.



Image 4: The Alpina Percolator placed on a ceramic stovetop, illustrating its compatibility with various heat sources.



Image 5: A hand pouring freshly brewed coffee from the percolator into a glass cup, ready for consumption.

MAINTENANCE AND CLEANING

Regular cleaning ensures optimal performance and longevity of your percolator.

- After Each Use: Disassemble all parts. Wash with warm water and mild detergent. Rinse thoroughly to remove all soap residue.
- Drying: Dry all components completely before reassembling or storing to prevent water spots and corrosion.
- **Deep Cleaning:** Periodically, you may want to use a descaling solution or a mixture of water and vinegar to remove mineral deposits, especially from the bottom chamber. Follow the product instructions for descaling solutions.
- Gasket Care: Inspect the silicon gasket regularly for wear and tear. Replace if it appears damaged or if you notice leaks during brewing.
- Storage: Store the percolator in a dry place.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Coffee does not brew or brews slowly.	Insufficient water, clogged filter, loose seal, heat too low.	Ensure water is filled to the safety valve. Clean the filter. Tighten the top chamber. Increase heat.
Coffee tastes weak.	Too little coffee, coarse grind, water not hot enough.	Use more coffee. Use a finer grind. Ensure adequate heat.
Coffee tastes bitter.	Too much coffee, fine grind, over-extraction.	Reduce coffee amount. Use a coarser grind. Remove from heat promptly.
Leaking during brewing.	Loose seal, damaged gasket.	Ensure the top chamber is screwed on tightly. Inspect and replace the silicon gasket if damaged.

SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail	
Brand	alpina	
Model Number	8711252237091	
Color	Grey	
Product Dimensions	17 x 19 x 10 cm	
Capacity	270 Milliliters (approx. 1 standard cup)	
Material	Aluminium	
Special Features	Portable	
Weight	320 Grams	
Compatibility	Gas, Electric, Ceramic stovetops (Not for Induction)	
Recommended Use	Camping, Home Use	

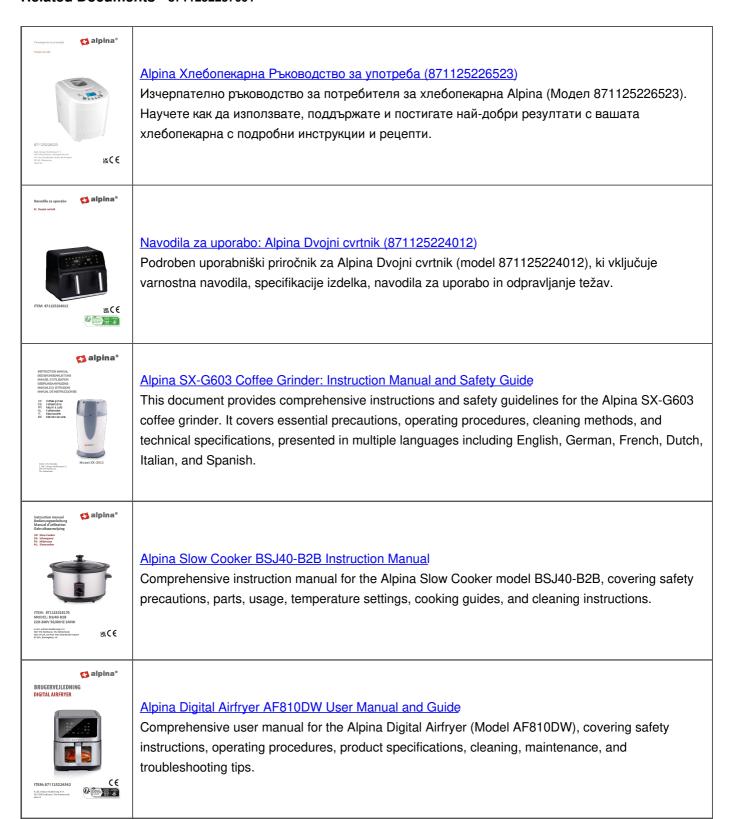


Image 6: The Alpina Percolator with its key dimensions (height, width, depth) indicated.

SAFETY INFORMATION

- Always ensure the safety valve is clear and not obstructed.
- Do not overfill the bottom chamber past the safety valve.
- Use the heat-resistant handle for pouring.
- Allow the percolator to cool before disassembling and cleaning.
- Keep out of reach of children when hot.

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