KOTLIE AC-513HF

KOTLIE Multifunctional 5-in-1 Espresso Machine

Model: AC-513HF

Brand: KOTLIE

Product Overview

The KOTLIE AC-513HF is a versatile 5-in-1 espresso machine designed to cater to various coffee preferences. It supports Nespresso capsules, K-Cup capsules, Dolce Gusto capsules, ground coffee, and 44mm ESE coffee powder bags. Featuring 19-bar pressure, it ensures rich extraction for a flavorful cup every time. The machine offers both hot and cold brew modes, along with a 7-level water volume selection for customized brewing.



The KOTLIE 5-in-1 Espresso Machine, showcasing its compact design and multiple compatible pod adapters.



Detailed view of the machine's compatibility with Nespresso, Dolce Gusto, K-Cup, and ESE/Ground Coffee adapters.



Visual guide on how to prepare a mellow latte or cappuccino using milk and coffee capsules.



Illustration of the hot and cold brew modes, activated by different button presses.

Not only saves space, Also saves money

Suitable for Capsule	Our Coffee Machine	=	KEU* Coffee Machine	+	D&G Coffee Machine	+	NES* Coffee Machine	+	Espresso Machine
For SB*UX Small Capsules 	✓				✓				
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For NES* Original Capsules 	✓						✓		
For DG* Capsules 	✓				✓				
For K*cup Large Capsules 	✓		✓						
For P*eet's Nes*presso 	✓						✓		
Only for L*O*R NES* Original Capsules 	✓						✓		
Espresso Ground Coffee 	✓		✓						✓
44mm ESE Coffee 	✓								

A comprehensive chart detailing the machine's compatibility with different capsule types and ground coffee.

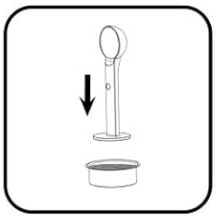


Simplified three-step process for brewing coffee: insert capsule, close handle, select water volume.

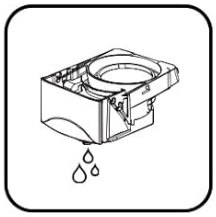
Warm tips:



This machine is a **19Bar** pressure **Espresso Machine**,some noise is normal.



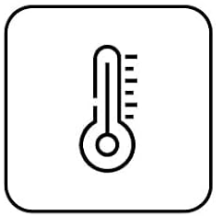
Please choose about **15g Espresso Powder (Fine Salt size)**,and press the coffee powder with Coffee Distributor & Tamper,too coarse will lead to no CREMA, too fine will clog the filter bowl ,causing leaks



Due to the compatibility of a variety of capsules,limited by the space design,can't design the capsule recycling system,when you take out the pods will be dripping,which is understandable!



7 levels of water volume control by the time control,for different capsule coffee,even the same type of capsule, the capacity will have deviation,the machine provides data for reference only



Normally, espresso machine has a brewing temperature of **197-203°F**,outlet temperature of **172-185°F** and cup temperature of **149-167°F**(around 40ml)



Please put hot water to rinse the **pods and S.S filter** before each brewing,which is helpful to improve the temperature of the coffee and the service life of the machine.

Important tips regarding pressure, capsule compatibility, water volume, and temperature for optimal use.



Instructions for adjusting the drip tray height to accommodate different cup sizes.

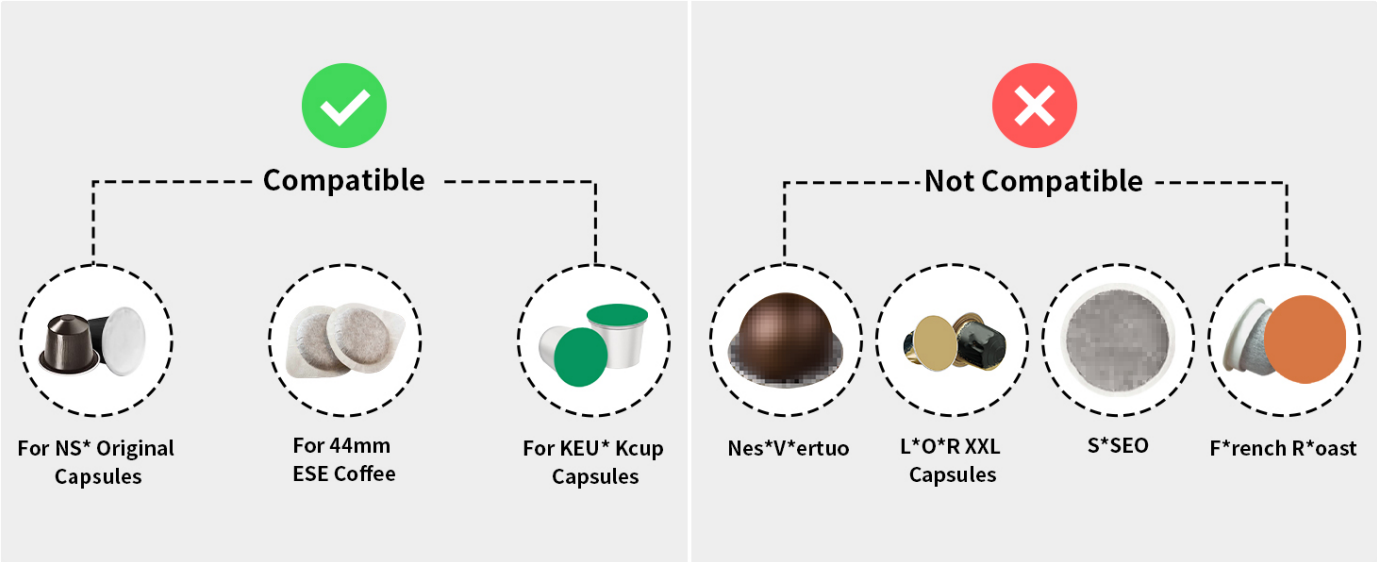
Setup and First Use

1. Drip Tray Installation

The drip tray can be adjusted to accommodate various cup sizes. To install or adjust, remove the drip tray, place the clip on the front of the drip tray level with the notch, then place the clip into the notch. Hold the coffee machine with your left hand, and with your right hand, press the drip tray down to the right, and then to the left. The correctly installed drip tray will be just below the two tabs.

2. Filling the Water Tank

Remove the water tank from the back of the machine. Fill it with purified water. Do not add milk, hot water, or other liquids to the water tank. Place the water tank back onto the machine securely.



Step-by-step visual guide for adding purified water to the machine's reservoir.

3. Initial Rinse Cycle

Before first use, or after prolonged periods of inactivity, perform a rinse cycle. Ensure the water tank is filled. Without any capsule or ground coffee in the adapter, close the handle. Turn on the machine. Once the indicator light stops flashing (indicating preheating is complete), select the maximum water volume setting and press the brew button. Allow the water to flow through to clean the internal pipelines. Discard the water from the drip tray.

4. Official Operation Video

Watch this official video from KOTLIE Direct for a comprehensive guide on setting up and operating your AC-513HF coffee machine.

Operating Instructions

1. Choosing Your Coffee Type

The KOTLIE AC-513HF is compatible with five types of coffee inputs:

- Nespresso Original capsules
- K-Cup capsules
- Dolce Gusto capsules
- Ground coffee (using the included adapter)
- 44mm ESE coffee powder bags

Select the appropriate adapter for your chosen coffee type. For ground coffee, ensure it is fine salt-like coarseness and packed correctly to avoid clogging or poor extraction.



Guidance on selecting and preparing ground coffee for optimal brewing results.

2. Brewing Process

1. Ensure the water tank is filled with purified water.
2. Insert your chosen capsule or ground coffee into the matching adapter and compact it if necessary.
3. Open the handle, insert the loaded pod into the machine, and turn the handle down to lock it.
4. Turn on the machine. Wait for the indicator light to stop flashing (approximately 30 seconds), indicating preheating is complete.
5. Select your desired water volume using the 7-level LED indicator.
6. Press the brew button to start brewing.

Product Model				
Compatibility	For nespresso/kcup/dolce gusto/ESE/coffee powder	For Kcup/coffee Powder	For Nespresso Capsule	For Ground Powder
19 Bar Pressure	19 Bar	5 Bar	15 Bar	15 Bar
Power	1450 W	1000 W	1260 W	1150 W
Making Milk Froth	✓	×	×	✓
Coffee Flavors	Espresso, Americano,Cappuccino, Latte and more	Americano	Espresso, Americano	Espresso, Americano,Cappuccino, Latte and more
Hot & Cold Brewing	✓	×	×	×
Adjustable cup height	Three heights	Two heights	Two heights	Non-adjustable
Water Adjustment	7 levels	2-4 levels	2 levels	2 levels
TEMP-Adjustment	Two temperature adjustments	×	×	×

A visual summary of the simplified brewing steps, from water addition to pressing the brew button.

3. Hot & Cold Brew Modes

- **Hot Brew Setting:** After powering on, the red light will be on for Hot Brew mode.
- **Cold Brew Setting:** Long press the power button for three seconds; the light will change to blue, indicating Cold Brew mode. Note: The machine does not have a cooling function; for cold brew, add ice to your cup.

When switching from hot brew to cold brew mode, the machine must be completely cooled. Alternatively, you can put in an empty pod and select "Max-Water" Clean to cool the machine's boiler completely.



Information on optimal brewing temperatures and tips for preheating the machine and cups.

Care and Maintenance

1. Regular Cleaning

The water tank and piercing needle are made of BPA-free material. For regular cleaning, fill the water tank with water (without capsules), select the maximum water level, and press the coffee button to clean the pipeline. Then, pour out the waste water from the drip tray and clean the water filter tray. Reassemble once dry.



Visual answer to the question: How to clean the coffee maker when I just got it?

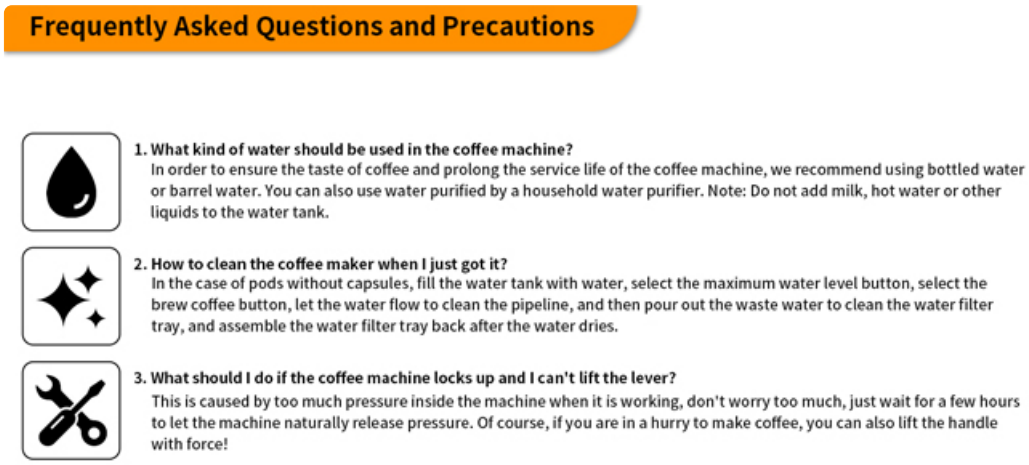
2. Descaling

To prevent coffee scale and limescale buildup, which can clog the machine, regular descaling is essential. Add water and citric acid (or a suitable descaling solution) to the water tank, then press the coffee button to run a cleaning cycle. Refer to the descaling agent's instructions for specific ratios and procedures.

TROUBLESHOOTING

1. Machine Locks Up / Cannot Lift Lever

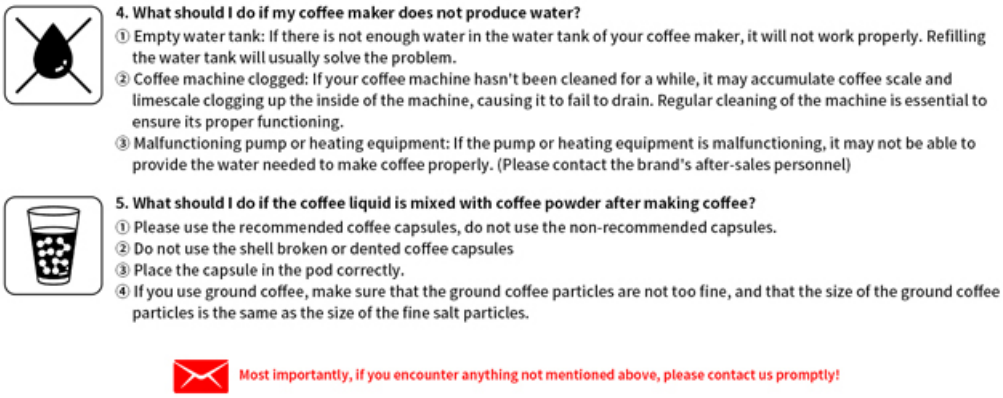
This issue is typically caused by too much pressure inside the machine during operation. Do not worry. Wait for a few hours to let the machine naturally release pressure. If you are in a hurry, you can gently lift the handle with force.



Guidance for resolving a locked machine lever due to internal pressure.

2. Coffee Maker Does Not Produce Water

- **Empty Water Tank:** Ensure there is enough water in the tank. Refilling the tank will usually solve the problem.
- **Machine Clogged:** If the machine hasn't been cleaned for a while, coffee scale or limescale might be causing a clog. Regular cleaning is essential.
- **Malfunctioning Pump/Heating:** If the pump or heating equipment is malfunctioning, it may not be able to provide water. Contact customer support.



Solutions for when the coffee maker fails to dispense water, including tank and clogging issues.

3. Coffee Liquid Mixed with Coffee Powder

- Use only recommended coffee capsules.
- Do not use shell-broken or dented coffee capsules.
- Ensure the capsule is placed correctly in the pod.
- If using ground coffee, ensure the particles are not too fine and are of a fine salt-like size.

Product Specifications

Feature	Detail
Brand	KOTLIE
Model Name	AC-513HF
Product Dimensions	10.62"D x 4.3"W x 10.8"H
Item Weight	8.16 pounds
Coffee Maker Type	Espresso Machine
Special Feature	Portable, Single Cup Brew, Lightweight, Removable Tank
Filter Type	Reusable
Operation Mode	Fully Automatic
Voltage	120 Volts
Coffee Input Type	Ground coffee, Capsules (Nespresso, K-Cup, Dolce Gusto, ESE)
Included Components	Coffee machine, Water tank, Coffee spoon/Inflator pump/piercing Pin, 4 coffee adapters plus 2 Stainless pockets, User manual

Warranty and Customer Support

KOTLIE is committed to providing high-quality products and services. If you have any questions or encounter issues with your KOTLIE coffee maker, please contact the KOTLIE customer support team.

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