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Model: 53921

Brand: Technivorm Moccamaster

INTRODUCTION

This instruction manual provides detailed guidance for the safe and efficient operation and maintenance of your Technivorm Moccamaster KBGV Select 10-Cup Coffee Maker. Please read all instructions carefully before first use and retain this manual for future reference.

IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

- Read all instructions before operating the appliance.
- 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 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.
- 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.
- The carafe is designed for use with this appliance. It must never be used on a range top.
- Do not place a hot carafe on a wet or cold surface.

- Do not use a cracked carafe or a carafe having a loose or weakened handle.
- Do not clean carafe with cleansers, steel wool pads, or other abrasive material.

PARTS IDENTIFICATION

Familiarize yourself with the components of your coffee maker:

1. **Water Reservoir:** Clear container for filling with water. Features measurement markings.
2. **Water Distribution Arm:** Metal arm that dispenses hot water over the coffee grounds.
3. **Brew Basket:** Holds the coffee filter and grounds. Designed to stop coffee flow when removed.
4. **Glass Carafe:** Collects brewed coffee. Sits on the hotplate.
5. **Hotplate:** Maintains brewed coffee at an optimal temperature.
6. **Power Switch:** On/Off control for the appliance.
7. **Brew-Volume Selector Switch:** Allows selection between half or full carafe brewing.



Figure 1: Overview of the Technivorm Moccamaster KBGV Select Coffee Maker.

SETUP

1. **Unpack:** Carefully remove all components from the packaging.
2. **Clean:** Wash the glass carafe, brew basket, and water reservoir lid with warm, soapy water. Rinse thoroughly.
3. **Placement:** Place the coffee maker on a flat, stable surface. Ensure it is near a grounded electrical outlet.
4. **First Use Cycle:** Before brewing coffee, run two full cycles with only water to clean the internal components.



Figure 2: Filling the water reservoir with fresh water.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

1. **Fill Water Reservoir:** Fill the water reservoir with fresh, cold water up to the desired level (max 10 cups / 1.25L).
2. **Insert Filter:** Place a #4 paper filter into the brew basket.
3. **Add Coffee Grounds:** Add your preferred amount of medium-ground coffee to the filter. A general guideline is 2 tablespoons of ground coffee per 6 ounces of water.



Figure 3: The water distribution arm ensures even saturation of coffee grounds.

4. **Place Carafe:** Ensure the glass carafe is correctly positioned on the hotplate.
5. **Select Brew Volume:** Use the brew-volume selector switch to choose between brewing a half or full carafe. This adjusts brewing speed and hotplate temperature for optimal results.



Figure 4: The power switch (left) and brew-volume selector switch (right).

6. **Start Brewing:** Flip the power switch to the "ON" position. The brewing process will begin, typically taking 4-6 minutes for a full carafe.
7. **Serve:** Once brewing is complete, the hotplate will keep the coffee warm. The brew basket automatically stops the flow of coffee if the carafe is removed during brewing, allowing you to pour a cup before the cycle finishes.



Figure 5: The glass carafe on the hotplate, keeping coffee warm.

8. **Auto Shut-Off:** The coffee maker automatically turns off after 100 minutes.

MAINTENANCE

Regular cleaning and descaling are essential for maintaining your coffee maker's performance and longevity.

Daily Cleaning:

- After each use, discard the used coffee filter and grounds.
- Wash the brew basket, water reservoir lid, and glass carafe with warm, soapy water. Rinse thoroughly and dry.
- Wipe down the exterior of the coffee maker with a damp cloth.

Descaling (Every 100 Pots or Quarterly):

To remove mineral buildup, descale your coffee maker regularly. Use a dedicated coffee machine descaling solution, not vinegar.

1. Fill the water reservoir with the descaling solution according to the product's instructions.
2. Place an empty filter in the brew basket and the empty carafe on the hotplate.
3. Run a full brewing cycle.

4. After the cycle, discard the solution from the carafe.
5. Run two full cycles with fresh water to rinse the system thoroughly.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Coffee not brewing.	Power switch off, no water in reservoir, carafe not in place.	Ensure power switch is ON, fill water reservoir, correctly place carafe.
Coffee tastes weak.	Insufficient coffee grounds, coarse grind, incorrect water-to-coffee ratio.	Increase coffee grounds, use a finer grind, check recommended ratio.
Coffee tastes bitter.	Too many coffee grounds, fine grind, machine needs descaling.	Reduce coffee grounds, use a coarser grind, descale the machine.
Slow brewing.	Mineral buildup (scale) in the heating element.	Perform a descaling cycle.

SPECIFICATIONS

- **Model Name:** KBGV Select
- **Item Model Number:** 53921
- **Capacity:** 40 Fluid Ounces (1.25 Liters) / 10-Cup
- **Product Dimensions:** 6.5"D x 12.75"W x 14"H
- **Item Weight:** 6.25 pounds
- **Voltage:** 120 Volts
- **Power Source:** AC adapter
- **Special Feature:** Auto Shut-Off (after 100 minutes)
- **Coffee Input Type:** Ground Coffee
- **Is Dishwasher Safe:** No (for main unit)
- **Manufacturer:** Technivorm Moccamaster

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Your Technivorm Moccamaster coffee brewer comes with a **5-year warranty**, reflecting its quality and durability. For warranty claims, technical support, or service inquiries, please contact Technivorm Moccamaster customer service directly. Retain your proof of purchase for warranty validation.

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