

Bella 90194

Bella Pro Series 12-Cup Programmable Coffee Maker

Model: 90194

1. INTRODUCTION

Thank you for purchasing the Bella Pro Series 12-Cup Programmable Coffee Maker. This appliance is designed to provide hot, perfectly brewed coffee with ease and convenience. Featuring programmable brewing, a digital LED screen, and a pause and serve function, it simplifies your daily coffee routine. Please read this instruction manual thoroughly before first use to ensure safe and optimal operation.

2. IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

WARNING: To reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, or injury, always follow basic safety precautions when using electrical appliances.

- Read all instructions before operating the appliance.
- Do not touch hot surfaces. Use handles or knobs.
- To protect against electric shock, do not immerse cord, plugs, or coffee maker 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.
- Extreme caution must be used when moving an appliance containing hot oil or other hot liquids.

3. PARTS AND FEATURES



The Bella Pro Series 12-Cup Programmable Coffee Maker in stainless steel and black finish, showcasing its digital display and carafe.



A direct front view of the coffee maker, highlighting the control panel and carafe placement.



Included accessories: a reusable coffee filter, a filter holder, and a measuring scoop for precise coffee grounds.



Product dimensions: 10.16 inches deep, 7.48 inches wide, and 12.91 inches high, as indicated by measurement lines.

Key Components:

- **Water Reservoir:** For filling with water. Features a viewable water level indicator.
- **Control Panel:** Digital LED screen with buttons for Hour, Minute, Brew Later, Brew Now, Strong, and Clean.
- **Filter Basket:** Holds the reusable filter or paper filter.
- **Reusable Filter:** Permanent filter for coffee grounds.
- **Glass Carafe:** 12-cup capacity carafe with handle and pouring spout.
- **Warming Plate:** Keeps brewed coffee warm.
- **Measuring Scoop:** For accurate coffee ground measurement.

4. SETUP AND FIRST USE

1. **Unpacking:** Carefully remove all packaging materials and labels from the coffee maker.
2. **Cleaning:** Before first use, wash the carafe, reusable filter, and filter holder in warm, soapy water. Rinse thoroughly and dry. Wipe the exterior of the coffee maker with a damp cloth.
3. **Initial Rinse Cycle:** Fill the water reservoir with cold water up to the 12-cup mark. Do not add coffee grounds. Place the empty carafe on the warming plate. Plug the coffee maker into a standard electrical outlet. Press the "Brew Now" button to run a full brewing cycle with only water. This cleans the internal components. Discard the water from the carafe.
4. **Placement:** Place the coffee maker on a flat, stable, heat-resistant surface, away from the edge of the counter.

5. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Setting the Clock:

- Plug in the coffee maker. The digital display will flash "12:00 AM".
- Press the "HOUR" button to set the hour. The time will advance. Pay attention to AM/PM indicator.
- Press the "MINUTE" button to set the minutes.
- The clock is set automatically after a few seconds of inactivity.

Brewing Coffee:

1. **Fill Water Reservoir:** Open the top lid and fill the water reservoir with cold, fresh water to your desired level, using the water level indicator on the side. Do not exceed the 12-cup MAX line.
2. **Add Coffee Grounds:** Place the reusable filter into the filter holder. Add the desired amount of ground coffee into the filter. A general guideline is one level scoop (provided) per cup of coffee, but adjust to your taste. Close the top lid securely.
3. **Place Carafe:** Ensure the empty glass carafe is correctly positioned on the warming plate.
4. **Select Brew Strength (Optional):** Press the "STRONG" button if you prefer a bolder coffee. The indicator light above "STRONG" will illuminate.
5. **Start Brewing:** Press the "BREW NOW" button. The indicator light will illuminate, and brewing will begin.
6. **Pause & Serve:** The coffee maker features a pause and serve function, allowing you to temporarily remove the carafe to pour a cup before the brewing cycle is complete. Replace the carafe within 20 seconds to prevent overflow.
7. **Keep Warm:** Once brewing is complete, the coffee maker will automatically switch to the "Keep Warm" mode, maintaining the coffee's temperature for a set period (typically 2 hours). The freshness timer on the display will show how long the coffee has been warming.
8. **Turn Off:** To turn off the coffee maker manually, press the "BREW NOW" button again. It will also automatically shut off after the warming cycle.



Illustrates the pouring of freshly brewed coffee from the carafe into a glass, demonstrating the ease of use.

Programming Brew Later:

1. Follow steps 1-3 from "Brewing Coffee" above (fill water, add grounds, place carafe).
2. Press the "BREW LATER" button. The indicator light will flash.
3. Use the "HOUR" and "MINUTE" buttons to set your desired delayed brew time.
4. Press the "BREW LATER" button again to confirm the setting. The indicator light will remain illuminated, and the coffee maker will begin brewing at the programmed time.

6. MAINTENANCE AND CLEANING

Regular cleaning ensures optimal performance and taste.

- **Daily Cleaning:** After each use, unplug the coffee maker and allow it to cool. Remove the carafe, reusable filter, and filter holder. These parts are dishwasher-safe (top rack only) or can be washed by hand with warm, soapy water. Wipe the exterior of the coffee maker with a soft, damp cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners or scouring pads.
- **Descaling (Cleaning Cycle):** Mineral deposits from water can build up over time and affect performance. The "CLEAN" indicator light will illuminate when descaling is recommended.

- To descale:
 - a. Mix 4 cups of white vinegar with 8 cups of cold water in the carafe.
 - b. Pour the mixture into the water reservoir.
 - c. Place the empty carafe on the warming plate.
 - d. Press the "CLEAN" button. The indicator light will illuminate, and the cleaning cycle will begin.
 - e. Once the cycle is complete, discard the vinegar solution.
 - f. Run 2-3 full brewing cycles with fresh, cold water only to rinse out any remaining vinegar taste.
- **Storage:** When not in use, store the coffee maker in a clean, dry place.

7. TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Coffee does not brew.	Coffee maker not plugged in; power outage; "Brew Now" or "Brew Later" not selected; water reservoir empty.	Ensure unit is plugged in; check power supply; press "Brew Now" or ensure "Brew Later" is set correctly; fill water reservoir.
Coffee is too weak/strong.	Incorrect coffee-to-water ratio; "Strong" brew setting not used (for strong coffee).	Adjust coffee grounds amount; use the "Strong" brew setting for a bolder flavor.
Coffee overflows from filter basket.	Too much coffee grounds; carafe not properly seated; filter basket clogged; carafe removed for too long during brewing.	Reduce coffee grounds; ensure carafe is fully pushed back; clean filter basket; replace carafe quickly if using pause & serve.
"CLEAN" light illuminates.	Mineral buildup (hard water).	Perform a descaling cycle as described in the Maintenance section.

8. SPECIFICATIONS

- **Brand:** Bella
- **Model Name:** Bella Pro Series 12 Cup Coffee Maker
- **Model Number:** 90194
- **Capacity:** 12 Cups
- **Color:** Silver
- **Product Dimensions:** 10.16"D x 7.48"W x 12.91"H
- **Special Features:** Dishwasher Safe parts, Programmable, Pause & Serve, Freshness Timer
- **Filter Type:** Reusable
- **Operation Mode:** Semi-Automatic
- **Included Components:** Coffee Maker, Measuring scoop, Reusable Filter, Filter Holder, Glass Carafe
- **UPC:** 829486901942

9. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information, product registration, or technical support, please refer to the warranty card included with your

purchase or visit the official Bella website. Keep your purchase receipt as proof of purchase for warranty claims.

Customer Service: For further assistance, please contact Bella customer support. Contact details can typically be found on the manufacturer's website or on the product packaging.

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