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Model: BEA203WLW0ZNA1

1. INTRODUCTION

The Breville Distributor Duo is a versatile 2-in-1 tool designed to enhance your espresso preparation by ensuring even distribution of coffee grounds in your portafilter. This tool combines a WDT (Weiss Distribution Technique) function with adjustable leveling blades, promoting consistent extraction and improved espresso quality. Crafted with a durable stainless steel body and a walnut handle, it offers both functionality and an elegant aesthetic.

This manual provides detailed instructions for the proper setup, operation, and maintenance of your Distributor Duo.



Image 1.1: The Breville Distributor Duo 2-in-1 Espresso Distribution Tool, featuring a walnut handle and a 54mm stainless steel base.

2. PRODUCT COMPONENTS

Your Breville Distributor Duo includes the following components:

- **Distribution Tool Base:** Stainless steel base with adjustable angled blades for leveling.
- **WDT Pin Assembly:** Integrated pins for breaking up coffee clumps.
- **Walnut Handle:** Ergonomically designed handle for comfortable use.
- **Replacement WDT Wires:** Spare wires for maintenance.



Image 2.1: The Breville Distributor Duo shown with its protective base cap, highlighting the tool's compact design.

3. SETUP AND ADJUSTMENT

Before first use, familiarize yourself with the adjustment mechanisms of the Distributor Duo.

3.1 Adjusting Distribution Depth

The depth of the leveling blades can be adjusted to suit your portafilter and desired coffee dose. Locate the adjustment ring on the base of the tool. Rotate this ring to raise or lower the blades. A scale is typically marked on the side to assist with consistent depth settings.



Image 3.1: A close-up view of the 54mm base, showing the depth adjustment markings for precise setting.

3.2 Configuring WDT Pins

The WDT pins can be configured for either an angled or straight arrangement based on your preference for breaking up coffee clumps. Gently pull or push the pins to adjust their orientation within the assembly. Ensure all pins are securely in place before use.



Image 3.2: An exploded view illustrating the WDT pins extended from the handle, ready for configuration or use.

4. OPERATION

Follow these steps for optimal espresso puck preparation:

1. **Grind Coffee:** Grind your fresh coffee beans directly into your 54mm portafilter basket. Ensure the basket is filled with enough coffee for your desired dose.
2. **WDT (Clump Breaking):** Place the WDT pin assembly over the portafilter. Gently rotate the tool to allow the pins to break up any clumps in the coffee grounds. This helps to eliminate channeling during extraction.

3. **Leveling:** Flip the tool to engage the angled distribution blades. Place the tool onto the portafilter basket, ensuring it rests evenly on the rim. Rotate the tool clockwise several times to evenly distribute and level the coffee grounds. The adjustable blades will ensure a flat surface.
4. **Tamp:** After distribution and leveling, proceed with tamping your coffee grounds using a separate tamper.



Image 4.1: The Breville Distributor Duo positioned with other essential espresso tools, demonstrating its role in the coffee preparation workflow.

5. MAINTENANCE AND CARE

Proper care will ensure the longevity and performance of your Distributor Duo.

- **Cleaning:** After each use, gently wipe the stainless steel base and WDT pins with a soft, damp cloth to remove any coffee residue. Avoid abrasive cleaners or harsh chemicals that could damage the finish.
- **Walnut Handle Care:** The walnut handle should be wiped clean with a dry or slightly damp cloth. Do not submerge the handle in water or place it in a dishwasher, as this can damage the wood. Periodically, a food-safe wood conditioner can be applied to maintain the wood's appearance.
- **Storage:** Store the tool in a dry place away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures.

- **WDT Wire Replacement:** If any WDT wires become bent or damaged, carefully remove them and replace with the provided spare wires.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your Distributor Duo, consider the following:

- **Uneven Distribution:** Ensure the tool's depth is correctly set for your portafilter and coffee dose. Rotate the tool slowly and consistently during the leveling process. Check your coffee grind consistency; an inconsistent grind can lead to uneven distribution.
- **WDT Pins Not Effective:** Ensure the pins are clean and free of coffee buildup. Adjust the pin configuration if necessary to better break up clumps.
- **Tool Sticking:** If the tool feels sticky or difficult to rotate, ensure it is clean and free of coffee oils. A light wipe with a damp cloth should resolve this.

7. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Specification
Brand	Breville
Model Name	BEA303WLW0ZNA1
Item Model Number	BEA203WLW0ZNA1
Product Dimensions	2.49"D x 2.49"W x 4.34"H
Item Weight	13 ounces
Material	Stainless Steel, Walnut Wood
Compatibility	54mm Portafilters

8. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information or product support, please contact Breville directly.

Manufacturer Contact Information:

Breville Customer Service
Markham, Ontario, L3R 5Z6, Canada

Please refer to the official Breville website or your product packaging for the most current contact details and warranty terms.