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Model: KKECMEAT | Brand: Koolatron

INTRODUCTION

Welcome to the comprehensive user manual for your Kenmore Elite Semi-Automatic Espresso Machine. This guide provides essential information for setting up, operating, maintaining, and troubleshooting your new appliance. Designed for both beginners and experienced users, this machine offers a versatile and convenient way to enjoy barista-quality coffee beverages at home.



**MESS-FREE
AUTOMATIC TAMP**

The Kenmore Elite Espresso Machine, a semi-automatic coffee maker designed for home use.

SETUP

Before first use, ensure all packaging materials are removed and the machine is placed on a stable, level surface. Clean all removable parts with warm, soapy water and rinse thoroughly.

Unpacking and Initial Cleaning

- Carefully remove the espresso machine and all accessories from the packaging.
- Wash the water tank, portafilter, filter baskets, milk frothing pitcher, and drip tray with mild detergent and warm water. Rinse and dry completely.
- Wipe the exterior of the machine with a damp cloth.



All included components: 1-cup & 2-cup filter baskets, backflush disk, 58 mm portafilter, tamper install/removal tool, stainless steel frothing pitcher, accessory storage tray, cleaning brush, and cleaning pin.

Water Tank and Filter Installation

1. Fill the water tank with fresh, cold water.
2. If using the charcoal water filter cartridge, install it into the water filter holder as per the filter instructions and place it in the water tank.
3. Place the filled water tank securely back into the machine.

Bean Hopper Setup

1. Ensure the bean hopper is clean and dry.
2. Pour fresh whole coffee beans into the bean hopper.

3. Adjust the grind size setting using the dial on the hopper. There are 30 grind size settings available, from coarse to fine, to suit your preference.

BUILT-IN CONICAL BURR GRINDER



30 GRIND SIZES FROM COARSE-FINE

The built-in conical burr grinder allows for precise dose control with 30 grind size settings.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Powering On and Preheating

1. Plug the machine into a grounded power outlet.
2. Press the power button to turn on the machine. The machine will begin to preheat.
3. Wait for the machine to reach optimal brewing temperature, indicated by the temperature gauge.



Press the power button to turn on the machine and begin the preheating process.

Grinding Coffee

1. Insert the portafilter into the grinding cradle.
2. Select your desired grind amount (single or double shot) using the controls.
3. The integrated conical burr grinder will dispense the precise amount of freshly ground coffee directly into the portafilter.

PRECISION DOSE CONTROL



HANDS-FREE AUTOMATIC TAMPING

Freshly ground coffee in the portafilter, ready for auto-tamping.

Auto-Tamping

After grinding, the integrated tampers automatically press and polish the ground coffee into a dense, even puck. This hands-free process ensures consistent results and eliminates mess.



The machine features hands-free automatic tamping for a perfectly prepared coffee puck.

Brewing Espresso

1. Secure the portafilter into the group head by twisting it firmly to the right.
2. Place your cup(s) on the drip tray beneath the portafilter.
3. Select your desired shot volume (single or double) using the one-touch buttons.
4. The 15-bar Italian water pump will deliver low-pressure pre-infusion, then increase pressure for optimal extraction, ensuring a rich, flavorful espresso with a great layer of crema.

CUSTOMIZABLE SHOT VOLUME



PID TEMPERATURE REGULATION

Customizable shot volume and PID temperature regulation ensure perfect espresso extraction.

Milk Texturing (Frothing)

1. Fill the stainless steel frothing pitcher with cold milk.
2. Position the 360° swiveling steam wand into the milk.
3. Activate the steam function using the dedicated button. The dual heating system with a separate steam boiler provides powerful steam on demand.
4. Texture the milk to your desired consistency for velvety microfoam, ideal for latte art.
5. After frothing, wipe the steam wand immediately with a damp cloth to prevent milk residue buildup.

MICROFOAM MILK TEXTURING



SINGLE OR DOUBLE SHOTS

Create microfoam for lattes and cappuccinos using the powerful steam wand.

MAINTENANCE

Regular cleaning and maintenance will ensure the longevity and optimal performance of your espresso machine.

Daily Cleaning

- **Drip Tray:** Empty and clean the detachable drip tray daily.
- **Portafilter & Filter Baskets:** Rinse after each use.
- **Steam Wand:** Wipe immediately after each use with a damp cloth. Purge steam briefly to clear any milk residue from inside the wand. Use the cleaning pin for stubborn blockages.
- **Exterior:** Wipe down the exterior with a soft, damp cloth.

Weekly Cleaning / Backflushing

Perform a backflush using the backflush disk and cleaning brush to clean the group head and remove coffee oils.

Descaling

The machine will indicate when descaling is required. Follow the instructions in the full manual for the descaling process using a suitable descaling solution. Regular descaling prevents mineral buildup and maintains brewing performance.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
No coffee dispenses.	Water tank empty; clogged filter basket; machine not preheated.	Refill water tank; clean filter basket; allow machine to preheat fully.
Espresso flows too slowly or not at all.	Grind is too fine; too much coffee in filter basket; machine needs descaling.	Adjust grind to be coarser; reduce coffee dose; descale the machine.
Espresso flows too quickly.	Grind is too coarse; too little coffee in filter basket.	Adjust grind to be finer; increase coffee dose.
Milk not frothing properly.	Steam wand clogged; insufficient steam pressure; milk not cold enough.	Clean steam wand; allow machine to build steam pressure; use fresh, cold milk.
Machine leaks water.	Water tank not seated correctly; drip tray full; seal issues.	Reseat water tank; empty drip tray; contact customer support if problem persists.

For more detailed troubleshooting, please refer to the complete user manual or contact customer support.

SPECIFICATIONS

Brand: Koolatron

Model Name: Espresso Machine with Grinder

Item Model Number: KKECMEAT

Color: Silver and Black

Product Dimensions: 12.7"D x 13.1"W x 16.8"H

Item Weight: 20.5 pounds

Voltage: 120 Volts

Operation Mode: Semi-Automatic

Coffee Input Type: Whole Beans

Special Features: Auto-Tamping, Integrated Conical Burr Grinder (30 settings), Milk Frother, User-Friendly

Design, 15 Bar Italian Water Pump, PID Temperature Control, Dual Heating System.

Included Components: 1-cup & 2-cup filter baskets and backflush disk, 58 mm portafilter and tamper install/removal tool, Espresso machine with grinder and accessory tray, stainless steel frothing pitcher and charcoal water filter cartridge, water filter holder, cleaning brush, cleaning pin.

DIMENSIONS



Product dimensions: 12.7 inches deep, 13.1 inches wide, and 16.8 inches high.

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Your Kenmore Elite Espresso Machine comes with a comprehensive **5-year warranty**, providing peace of mind and assurance of its quality and durability. This extended warranty reflects the manufacturer's confidence in the product and ensures long-term satisfaction.

For warranty claims, technical support, or any inquiries, please contact Koolatron customer service. Refer to your product packaging or the official Koolatron website for the most up-to-date contact information.

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