

SAKI SKT1AN-BK

SAKI Turkish Tea Maker Machine Pro SKT1AN-BK User Manual

Model: SKT1AN-BK (Turkish Tea Maker Pro)

Brand: SAKI

1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential instructions for the safe and efficient operation of your SAKI Turkish Tea Maker Machine Pro. Please read this manual thoroughly before first use and retain it for future reference. This appliance is designed to simplify the traditional Turkish tea brewing process, offering precise temperature control and convenient features.

2. IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

When using electrical appliances, basic safety precautions should always be followed to reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, and/or injury to persons, including the following:

- Read all instructions.
- 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 the appliance base 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. Contact SAKI customer support for examination, repair, or adjustment.
- 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 water.
- This appliance is for household use only.

3. PACKAGE CONTENTS

Please check the package for the following items:

- SAKI Turkish Tea Maker Pro Power Base
- Lower Kettle (Water Boiler)
- Upper Teapot (Tea Brewer)
- Magnetic Tea Infuser
- Lid for Upper Teapot
- User Manual (this document)

4. PRODUCT OVERVIEW AND COMPONENTS

Familiarize yourself with the parts of your SAKI Turkish Tea Maker Pro.





Figure 4.1: Fully assembled SAKI Turkish Tea Maker Machine Pro, showing the lower kettle, upper teapot, and power base.





Figure 4.2: Angled view of the tea maker, highlighting the matte black finish and the design of the handles and spouts.



Figure 4.3: Close-up of the power base with its digital display, power button, and control knob for settings adjustment.

- **Power Base:** Features a full-color LCD screen for displaying temperature, altitude, and hold settings. Includes controls for operation.
- **Lower Kettle:** The larger pot, primarily used for boiling water. Constructed from stainless steel.
- **Upper Teapot:** The smaller pot, designed for brewing concentrated tea. Features a magnetic tea infuser.
- **Magnetic Tea Infuser:** Attaches securely to the lid of the upper teapot for stable steeping and easy cleaning.
- **Lid:** Fits the upper teapot, securing the infuser during brewing.
- **Handles:** Ergonomically designed for safe handling of hot pots.
- **Spouts:** Designed for drip-less pouring.

5. SETUP AND FIRST USE

5.1 Unpacking

1. Carefully remove all components from the packaging.
2. Remove any protective films or stickers from the appliance.
3. Retain packaging materials for future storage or transport, if desired.

5.2 Initial Cleaning

Before using your tea maker for the first time, it is recommended to clean all parts that will come into

contact with water or tea.

1. Wash the lower kettle, upper teapot, magnetic tea infuser, and lid with warm, soapy water.
2. Rinse thoroughly with clean water.
3. Dry all parts completely before assembly.
4. Wipe the power base with a damp cloth. Do not immerse the power base in water.

5.3 Assembly

1. Place the power base on a stable, flat, heat-resistant surface.
2. Ensure the power cord is not dangling where it can be pulled or tripped over.
3. Place the empty lower kettle onto the power base.
4. Place the empty upper teapot onto the lower kettle.
5. Insert the magnetic tea infuser into the upper teapot, ensuring it attaches securely to the lid.

6. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

The SAKI Turkish Tea Maker Pro is designed for precise and convenient tea brewing.

6.1 Basic Tea Brewing

1. **Fill the Lower Kettle:** Fill the lower kettle with fresh, cold water up to the maximum fill line. Do not overfill.
2. **Add Tea to Upper Teapot:** Place your desired amount of loose-leaf Turkish tea into the magnetic tea infuser. Secure the infuser to the lid and place the lid on the upper teapot.
3. **Assemble:** Place the upper teapot onto the lower kettle, and ensure the lower kettle is securely seated on the power base.
4. **Power On:** Plug the power cord into a standard 120V electrical outlet. Press the power button on the base. The LCD screen will illuminate.
5. **Select Brewing Mode/Preset:** Use the control knob to navigate through the available brewing presets (e.g., SAKI Classic, Extra Hot, Mediterranean) or to manually set your desired temperature and hold time. The LCD screen will display your selections.
6. **Start Brewing:** Confirm your selection. The appliance will begin heating the water in the lower kettle. Once the water boils, a portion will be transferred to the upper teapot to steep the tea.
7. **Keep-Warm Function:** After brewing, the tea maker will automatically enter a keep-warm mode, maintaining the tea at an optimal serving temperature for the selected duration (30, 60, 90, or 120 minutes). You can also disable this function.
8. **Serve:** Pour the concentrated tea from the upper teapot into your glass, then dilute with hot water from the lower kettle to your preferred strength.

6.2 Advanced Settings

- **Temperature Control:** The LCD screen allows for precise, to-the-degree temperature adjustments for both boiling and keep-warm functions.
- **Altitude Calibration:** The tea maker features altitude calibration to adjust the boiling point according to your environment, ensuring consistent brewing results regardless of elevation. Refer to the on-screen menu for calibration options.
- **Hold Time:** Customize the duration for which the tea maker keeps your tea warm, with options for 30, 60, 90, or 120 minutes.

6.3 Auto Shut-Off and Boil-Dry Protection

For safety and energy efficiency, the appliance is equipped with:

- **Automatic Shut-Off:** The tea maker will automatically turn off after the brewing cycle and selected keep-warm period are complete, or if left inactive for an extended time.
- **Boil-Dry Protection:** If the lower kettle is accidentally switched on without sufficient water, the boil-dry protection system will automatically turn off the heating element to prevent damage to the appliance.

7. MAINTENANCE AND CLEANING

Regular cleaning ensures optimal performance and longevity of your SAKI Turkish Tea Maker Pro.

7.1 Daily Cleaning

1. Always unplug the appliance and allow it to cool completely before cleaning.
2. Remove the upper teapot, magnetic infuser, and lid. Discard used tea leaves.
3. Wash the lower kettle, upper teapot, magnetic infuser, and lid with warm, soapy water. A soft brush may be used for the infuser.
4. Rinse all parts thoroughly and dry completely.
5. Wipe the exterior of the power base with a soft, damp cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners or immerse the base in water.

7.2 Descaling

Mineral deposits from water can build up over time, affecting performance. Descale your tea maker regularly, depending on water hardness in your area (e.g., monthly or every few months).

1. Fill the lower kettle with a solution of equal parts white vinegar and water, or use a commercial descaling agent designed for kettles.
2. Bring the solution to a boil and let it sit for at least 30 minutes, or as directed by the descaling agent's instructions.
3. Empty the kettle and rinse thoroughly several times with fresh water to remove any residue and odor.
4. Perform a boil cycle with fresh water to ensure all descaling solution is removed before brewing tea.

8. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your tea maker, refer to the following common problems and solutions.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Appliance does not power on.	Not plugged in; power outlet malfunction; appliance malfunction.	Ensure the power cord is securely plugged into a working outlet. Test the outlet with another appliance. If the issue persists, contact customer support.
Water is not heating.	Boil-dry protection activated; insufficient water; heating element malfunction.	Check water level in the lower kettle. Ensure it is above the minimum fill line. Unplug and allow to cool, then restart. If problem continues, contact support.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Tea tastes weak or too strong.	Incorrect tea-to-water ratio; incorrect brewing time/temperature; altitude setting.	Adjust the amount of tea leaves. Verify selected brewing preset or manually adjust temperature and steeping time. Check altitude calibration.
LCD display is not working correctly.	Temporary electronic glitch; damage to display.	Unplug the appliance for a few minutes, then plug it back in. If the display remains faulty, contact customer support.
Appliance leaks.	Overfilling; improper assembly; damaged pot.	Do not fill above the MAX line. Ensure pots are correctly seated. Inspect pots for cracks or damage.

For issues not listed here, or if troubleshooting steps do not resolve the problem, please contact SAKI customer support.

9. SPECIFICATIONS

Brand	SAKI
Model Name	Turkish Tea Maker Pro
Item Model Number	SKT1AN-BK
Color	Matte Black
Capacity	1.75 Liters (Lower Kettle)
Voltage	120V
Material	Stainless Steel (interior), Glass (power base accent)
Special Features	Automatic Shut-Off, Boil Dry Protection, Built-In Magnetic Infuser, Digital Display, Drip-Less Spout, Altitude Calibration, Keep-Warm Function (up to 120 min)
Included Components	Tea Strainer (Magnetic Infuser)
Item Weight	7.48 pounds
Package Dimensions	15 x 10 x 9.5 inches
UPC	850015186417

10. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

10.1 Product Warranty

The SAKI Turkish Tea Maker Machine Pro SKT1AN-BK comes with a **2-year warranty** from the date of purchase. This warranty covers defects in materials and workmanship under normal household use. It does not cover damage resulting from misuse, accident, alteration, neglect, or unauthorized repair.

10.2 Customer Support

For technical assistance, warranty claims, or any questions regarding your SAKI Turkish Tea Maker, please contact our dedicated support team. Our team is available to provide reliable service and answers to your inquiries.

Please refer to the SAKI official website or your purchase documentation for the most current contact information.