

# **GASTROBACK 42721 Espresso Machine Instruction Manual**

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# **Specifications**

• Product Name: Design Espresso Piccolo Pro

• Model Number: 42721

• Manufacturer: Gastroback

• Website: www.gastroback.de

• Product Type: Espresso Machin

### **Product Description**

The Design Espresso Piccolo Pro is a versatile espresso machine that can grind coffee, prepare coffee specialities and teas, boil water, and froth milk. It is designed for private use and is not intended for professional operation. The appliance should only be used indoors and according to the instructions provided in this manual. Improper use may result in damage to the appliance, property, or personal injury. Please read all instructions carefully before using the appliance.

### **Safety Warnings**

It is important to adhere to the safety instructions provided in this manual to ensure your safety and prevent any damage to the appliance. Please pay close attention to all figures and illustrations provided.

# **Electrical Safety**

Before connecting the appliance to the power supply, ensure that:

- 1. The power cord is in good condition and not damaged.
- 2. The voltage of the power supply matches the voltage indicated on the appliance.
- 3. The power supply is grounded to prevent electrical shocks.

### The Appliance

- Before using the appliance for the first time, remove all packaging materials.
- The appliance should be placed on a dry and level surface.
- Ensure that the water tank is filled with clean water up to the MAX mark.

# The appliance features the following components:

- · Steam button
- Double cup button
- · Single cup button
- · Power button
- Drip tray
- · Drip tray cover

#### **Before First Use**

Before using the appliance for the first time, follow these steps:

- 1. Remove all packaging materials.
- 2. Fill the water tank with clean water up to the MAX mark.
- 3. Place a cup or container under the coffee outlet.
- 4. Press the power button to turn on the appliance.
- 5. Wait for the appliance to heat up. The heating process may take a few minutes.
- 6. Once the appliance is heated, press the single cup or double cup button to start brewing espresso.
- 7. The brewed espresso will flow into the cup or container placed under the coffee outlet.

### **Usage Instructions – Making Espresso**

To make espresso using the Design Espresso Piccolo Pro, follow these steps:

- 1. Ensure that the water tank is filled with clean water up to the MAX mark.
- 2. Place a cup or container under the coffee outlet.
- 3. Press the power button to turn on the appliance.
- 4. Wait for the appliance to heat up. The heating process may take a few minutes.
- 5. Select the desired cup size by pressing the single cup or double cup button.
- 6. The brewed espresso will flow into the cup or container placed the coffee outlet.

### Cleaning

After each use, it is important to clean the appliance to maintain its performance. Follow these steps for cleaning:

- 1. Turn off the appliance and unplug it from the power supply.
- 2. Empty and rinse the drip tray and drip tray cover.
- 3. Remove and clean the coffee filter and coffee holder.
- 4. Wipe the exterior of the appliance with a damp cloth.

#### **FAQ**

Problem: No water.

#### Possible solutions:

- Check if there is water in the water tank.
- Make sure the water tank is properly attached.
- · Reinsert the water tank if necessary.

#### Problem: No steam.

Possible solutions:

- · Check if there is water in the water tank.
- Make sure the steam regulator is set to OFF.

### Problem: Insufficient steam.

Possible solutions:

- Wait for the preheating process to complete.
- Ensure that there is enough water in the water tank.

#### Problem: Coffee is too cold.

Possible solution:

Check if the filter is properly positioned in the filter holder. It should be raised slightly above the notch.

### **Disposal Instructions**

Please refer to local regulations for proper disposal of the appliance.

### Information and Service

For more information and customer service, please visit the manufacturer's website: www.gastroback.de/en/

# **DESCRIPTION**

- This appliance is only intended for grinding coffee, preparing coffee specialties and teas, boiling water and frothing milk.
- The appliance is intended for private use and not for professional operation.
- The appliance is intended for indoor use only. Use the appliance only as described in this manual. Any other
  use might lead to damage of the appliance, property or personal injury.
- No liability will be accepted for damage resulting from improper use or non-compliance with this manual.

# **SAFETY WARNINGS**

IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS! READ CAREFULLY AND KEEP FOR FUTURE REFERENCE! PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO ALL FIGURES ON THE ILLUSTRATION PAGE!

 Read this instruction manual carefully before using the appliance. Familiarise yourself with the operation, adjustments and functions of switches. Internalise and follow the safety and operation instructions in order to avoid possible risks and hazards.



· Remove all packaging materials.



• **WARNING** – DANGER OF SUFFOCATION! Packaging materials are not toys. Children should not play with the packaging materials, as they pose a risk of swallowing and suffocation!



• **WARNING!** Switch the appliance off, disconnect it from the power supply and let it cool down completely before replacing attachments, moving the appliance, cleaning work and when not in use.



• WARNING – RISK OF ELECTRIC SHOCK! Protect the appliance and its electrical parts against moisture. Do not immerse the appliance and its electrical parts in water or other liquids to avoid electrical shock. Never hold the appliance under running water. Pay attention to the instructions for cleaning and care.



• Do not operate the appliance with wet hands or while standing on a wet floor. Do not touch the power plug with wet hands.



• **WARNING** – HOT SURFACE! The surfaces are liable to get hot during use. Especially do not touch the metal surfaces of the filter holder, filter or steam wand or hold your hands under them. Only touch the steam wand by its plastic surfaces.



• This appliance is classified as protection class I and must be connected to a protective ground.



· Only use in dry indoor rooms.







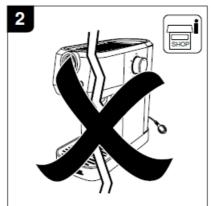
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- This appliance can be used by children aged from 8 years and above if they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance in a safe way and if they understand the hazards involved.
   Cleaning and user maintenance shall not be made by children unless they are older than 8 and supervised.
   Keep the appliance and its cord out of reach of children aged less than 8 years.
- 2. Children shall not play with the appliance.
- 3. This appliance can be used by persons with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities or lack of experience and knowledge if they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance in a safe way and if they understand the hazards involved.
- 4. Regularly check the power plug and power cord for damage. If the supply cord is damaged, it must be replaced by the manufacturer, its service agent or similarly qualified persons in order to avoid a hazard.
- 5. This appliance is only intended to be used in household applications.
- 6. Regarding the instructions for cleaning surfaces in contact with food, please refer to chapter "After use".

- 7. Regarding information on operating times for accessories, please refer to chapter "Operation".
- 8. **WARNING!** Misuse may lead to injury. Use this appliance solely in accordance with these instructions. Do not attempt to modify the appliance in any way. Care shall be taken when handling the sharp cutting blades, emptying the bean hopper and during cleaning.
- 9. WARNING! The heating element surface is subject to residual heat after use.
- 10. Always disconnect the appliance from the supply if it is left unattended and before assembling, disassembling or cleaning.
- 11. Switch off the appliance and disconnect from supply before changing accessories or approaching parts that move in use.
- 12. **CAUTION:** Never fill the appliance above the maximum level since hot foaming coffee or other liquids (e.g. milk) might overflow during heating.
- 13. **DANGER OF ELECTRIC SHOCK!** Do not attempt to repair the appliance yourself. In case of malfunction, repairs are to be conducted by qualified personnel only.
- 14. Do not pull the power plug out of the electrical outlet by the power cord and do not wrap the power cord around the appliance.
- 15. Never use accessories which are not recommended by the manufacturer. They could pose a safety risk to the user and might damage the appliance. Only use original parts and accessories.
- 16. Connect the mains plug to an easily accessible socket, in order to quickly disconnect the appliance from the mains supply in an emergency.
- 17. If you use an extension cord or a multi-socket unit, it must have an appropriate power rating.
- 18. Always turn the appliance off before disconnecting the power plug.
- 19. Always place and operate the appliance on an even, stable, heat-resistant and dry surface.
- 20. WARNING! The appliance shall not be placed in a cabinet when in use.
- 21. Never fill the water tank with warm or hot water, carbonated water or with other liquids such as milk. Use cold drinking water only.
- 22. Never fill substances other than coffee powder into the filter. This could cause serious damage.
- 23. **RISK OF SCALDING!** Do not open the cover of the water tank or remove the water tank or filter holder while the appliance is operating.
- 24. Make sure that the appliance has sufficient space around it and does not come in contact with flammable material. The appliance must not be covered.
- 25. **RISK OF SCALDING!** Do not overfill the appliance.
- 26. Do not operate the appliance without water in the water tank to avoid damaging the pump. Ensure the water level is between MIN and MAX marking.
- 27. **RISK OF SCALDING!** Beware of escaping hot steam and liquids during operation. When hot water and steam are dispensed, do not direct the water or steam jets towards others or towards yourself.
- 28. **RISK OF INJURY!** Make sure to turn and lock the filter holder correctly before operation. Otherwise, it may be expelled by the steam pressure.
- 29. Do not leave the appliance unattended during operation.
- 30. Always turn off the appliance and unplug the power plug from the power outlet before filling the tank with water.
- 31. Do not try to lift the appliance by grasping the water tank or trip tray. Only lift the appliance by grasping its body.
- 32. Do not expose the appliance to temperatures below 0°C, as water deposits inside the appliance might freeze and cause damage to the appliance.
- 33. RISK OF SCALDING! If water does not come out of the filter holder, the filter may be clogged. In this case,

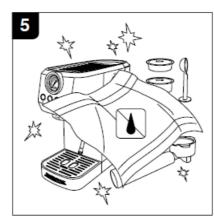
- remove and disconnect the filter slowly because any remaining pressure can cause spillage or splashing. Then clean as explained in this manual.
- 34. Never take the filter holder off while the appliance performs a brewing process or steams milk. The appliance is pressurized!
- 35. Only cups and the tamper may be placed on the cup plate. Do not place any other items on the appliance.
- 36. CAUTION: After prolonged use, the cup plate gets so hot that you might scald yourself by touching it!
- 37. Oils or lubricants must not be used with this appliance.

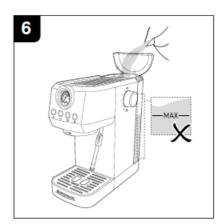


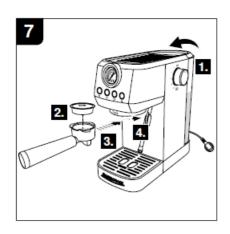


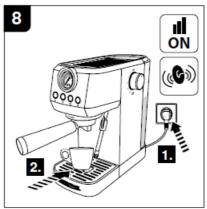


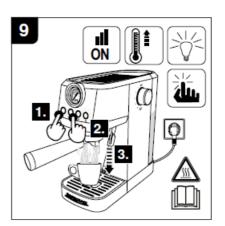


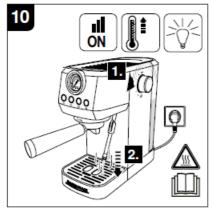


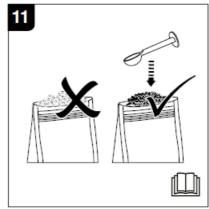


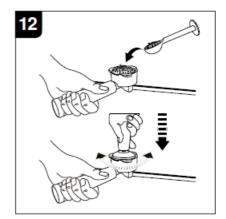


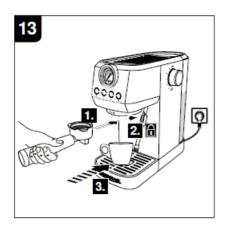


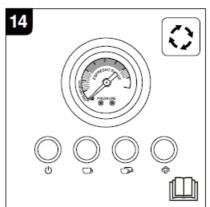


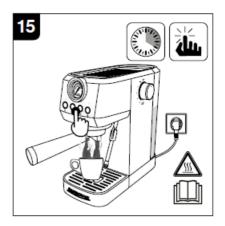


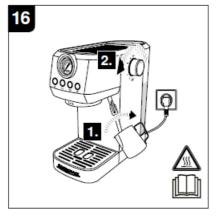




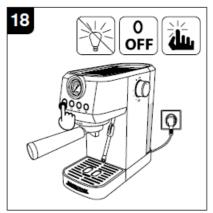


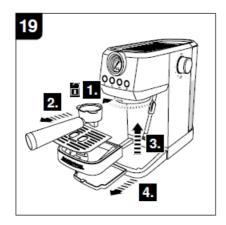




















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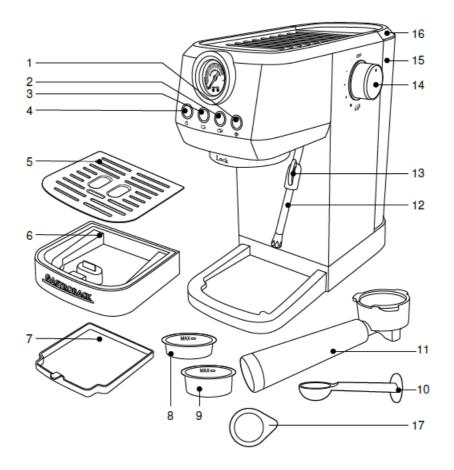
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# **ELECTRICAL SAFETY**

- 1. Ensure the rated voltage shown on the rating label corresponds with the voltage of the power supply.
- 2. Do not operate any appliance with a damaged power cord or plug, when the appliance malfunctions or has been damaged in any manner.
- 3. Protect the power cord against damages. Do not let it hang over sharp edges, do not squeeze or bend it. Keep the power cord away from hot surfaces and ensure that nobody can trip over it.
- 4. Do not open the housing under any circumstances. Do not insert fingers or foreign objects in any opening of the appliance and do not obstruct the air vents.
- 5. Protect the appliance against heat. Do not place close to open flames or heat sources such as stoves or heating appliances.

# THE APPLIANCE



- 1. Steam button
- 2. Double cup button
- 3. Single cup button
- 4. On/off button
- 5. Drip plate
- 6. Drip tray
- 7. Internal drip tray
- 8. Single cup filter
- 9. Double cup filter
- 10. Measuring spoon with tamper
- 11. Filter holder
- 12. Steam wand
- 13. Steam wand handle
- 14. Steam knob
- 15. Water tank
- 16. Water tank lid
- 17. ESE pod

# **BEFORE FIRST USE**

## **INITIAL CLEANING**

- Carefully remove the appliance from the packaging and remove all packaging materials.
- Remove all accessories from the packaging and from the appliance.

- · Remove the water tank.
- Clean the water tank and its lid, the measuring spoon and the filters as well as the filter holder with warm water and some mild dish-washing liquid. After that, rinse with clear water and dry with a soft dry cloth.
- Wipe the body of the appliance and the drip tray with drip plate using a soft, damp cloth and dry all parts with a soft dry cloth.
- Never clean any of the appliance's parts in the dishwasher.

### **INITIAL USE**

- 1. Fill the water tank with cold water up to the MAX marking.
- 2. Connect the power plug to an electrical outlet with suitable voltage.
- 3. Press the on/off button. The operating light lights up and the appliance starts preheating automatically. Once preheating is finished, all the button indicators light up continuously. The preheating process takes approx. 2 minutes.
- 4. Place a cup under the steam wand. Turn the steam knob to the steam/hot water setting. Let the hot water flow out of the steam wand for approx. 8 seconds, then turn the steam knob to the OFF setting. This process allows the water to flow into the empty pump for the first use.
  - **NOTE** There will be a loud noise and little shake when the appliance is operating for the first time. It's normal for a 20bar pump. The noise will be weaker during future usage.
- 5. Insert a filter into the filter holder.
  - **NOTE** The filter might be a little tight and hard to take out from filter holder. You can use the other filter to pry it out.
- 6. Insert the filter holder without ground coffee into the brewing head with a 45° movement to the left and turn it to the right to lock it in place. The filter holder must be perpendicular to the appliance or slightly tilted towards the right.
- 7. Place an empty cup on the drip plate and press the single or double cup button to start operation.
- 8. After the brewing cycle has finished, discard the water.
- 9. The appliance is now ready to be used.

### **OPERATION**

#### NOTE

Always make sure that there is enough water in the water tank and that the water tank is properly attached to the appliance. The water level should be between the MIN and MAX level.

# PREPARING ESPRESSO

#### **NOTE**

A cold filter holder, filter and cup can reduce the extraction temperature enough to significantly affect the quality of your espresso. We recommend to run a brewing cycle without coffee grounds to preheat all parts before extraction.

- 1. Place the desired filter in the filer holder and fill the filter with ground coffee using the provided measuring spoon. We recommend 7-9g for a single cup and 13-15g for a double cup. The amount will vary depending on your preferences and the ground coffee you use.
- 2. Tamp the ground coffee with the tamper. The coffee must be pressed evenly to obtain a well-levelled and flat surface. Remove any coffee residue from the edge of the filter holder.

- 3. Insert the filter holder into the brewing head with a 45°movement to the left and turn it to the right to lock it in place. The filter holder must be perpendicular to the appliance or slightly tilted towards the right.
- 4. Make sure the steam knob is in the OFF setting.
- 5. Place pre-warmed cup(s) on the drip plate.
- 6. Press the single or double cup button for the desired amount. The appliance starts operating.

### **NOTE**

- The coffee flavor will depend on many factors, such as the type of coffee beans, degree of roast, freshness, coarseness or fineness of the grind, dose of ground coffee, and tamping pressure. Experiment by adjusting these factors just one at a time to achieve the preferred taste.
- There will be noise during the operating process. This is normal for a 20bar pump.

#### RELEVANCE OF EXTRACTION PRESSURE

- The gauge needle indicates the extraction pressure.
- A pressure within the "ESPRESSO RANGE" highlighted in grey on the gauge is ideal.
- When the gauge needle is below the "ESPRESSO RANGE" during extraction, this indicates the espresso has been extracted with insufficient pressure. This can happen when the water flow through the ground coffee is too fast, resulting in an under-extracted espresso that is watery, cold and lacks crema and flavor. Possible causes for under-extraction include the grind being too coarse, insufficient coffee in the filter, insufficient tamping, or a combination of any of these. To resolve this:
  - Select a finer coffee grind and retry.
  - · Increase the amount of coffee and retry.
  - Increase the tamping pressure and retry.
- When the gauge needle is beyond the "ESPRESSO RANGE" during extraction, this indicates the espresso has
  been extracted with too much pressure. This can happen when the water flow through the ground coffee is too
  slow, resulting in an over-extracted espresso that is very dark and bitter with a mottled and uneven crema.
   Possible causes for over-extraction include the grind being too fine, too much ground coffee in the filter, over
  tamping or a combination of any of these. To resolve this:
  - Select a coarser coffee grind and retry.
  - Decrease the amount of coffee and retry.
  - Decrease the tamping pressure and retry.

# SETTING THE VOLUME OF SINGLE AND DOUBLE CUP

- Setting the volume of single cup:
  - Keep the single cup button pressed for approx. 3 seconds. An acoustic signal sounds 3 times and the appliance starts the brewing process.
  - Press the single cup button again once the desired volume of espresso has been extracted. An acoustic signal sounds 3 times to indicate the new single cup volume has been set.

### · Set the volume of double cup:

 Keep the double cup button pressed for approx. 3 seconds. An acoustic signal sounds 3 times and the appliance starts the brewing process.  Press the double cup button again once the desired volume of espresso has been extracted. An acoustic signal sounds 3 times to indicate the new double cup volume has been set.

**NOTE** The selected brewing time must be between 8-60 seconds. Otherwise, the setting fails to work.

# · Resetting to default single cup and double cup volumes:

Keep both the single and double cup button pressed for approx. 5 seconds. An acoustic signal sounds 3 times and all button indicators flash 5 times. The appliance is now reset to its original default settings.

#### **FROTHING MILK**

**NOTE** To prepare a traditional cappuccino or latte, we recommend using cold, fresh whole milk. The density of the frothed milk depends on the milk's fat content. Use a stainless steel, circular, rounded milk jug, narrower at the top, with a spout, in order to make decorations with the froth.

- 1. Before starting to froth milk, slightly move the steam wand outwards in order to be able to insert a jug directly under it and facilitate the movements required to froth the milk correctly.
- 2. Press the steam button. The steam indicator starts flashing if the temperature is not high enough to make steam. Once the preheating is finished, the steam indicator lights up continuously.
- 3. Turn the steam knob slightly counter-clockwise to eliminate any condensation from the steam wand, then turn the knob to the OFF setting again.
- 4. Place a jug, half-filled with cold milk, under the steam wand.
- 5. Place the tip of the steam wand just below the surface of the milk. If it is inserted too deep, the milk won't be frothed; if it is not inserted deep enough, big bubbles will be produced and then disappear immediately. It is important to keep the steam wand not at the center but close to the edge of the jug, with an appropriate angle to produce a stronger vortex.
- 6. Turn the steam knob to the steam/hot water setting. Steam is released from the steam wand.
- 7. To froth the milk correctly, the steam wand must always be in contact with the milk and not with the froth. Therefore, as the layer of froth increases, the jug must be slightly raised, albeit without the steam wand touching the bottom of the jug.
- 8. Once the desired frothing has been achieved, the steam wand must be pushed deeper to heat the milk well. Keep a hand on the rounded part of the jug to feel the temperature of the milk.
- 9. Once the desired result has been achieved, turn the steam knob to the OFF setting to stop releasing steam. Press the steam button to quit the steam mode.
  - **NOTE** The entire operation should last no longer than 3 minutes. The appliance automatically stops releasing steam after 3 minutes of continuous operation.
- 10. Remove the jug. To make the froth more compact, lightly tap the jug on a flat surface after frothing. Pour the frothed milk into the coffee.
- 11. Turn the steam knob to the steam/hot water setting to eliminate any milk residue from the steam wand. Then turn the knob to the OFF setting again.

### **NOTE**

- The steam wand is very hot during and after use. To avoid bums, move it only by placing your fingers on the steam wand handle.
- Do not make espresso immediately after frothing milk. The temperature of the appliance is too high, and thus it is under overheating protection. In this state, the single and double cup indicators flash if you press either of

the buttons. Either let the appliance cool down completely, or proceed as follows to cool it down quickly:

- Turn the steam knob to the steam/hot water position to dispense hot water in order to cool down the appliance.
- Once the temperature of the appliance is down, all the button indicators light up continuously.
- Return the knob to the OFF setting. The appliance is now ready for the next brew.

### **DISPENSING HOT WATER**

- 1. Press the on/off button and wait until all button indicators up.
- 2. Place a cup under the steam wand.
- 3. Turn the steam knob to the steam/hot water setting. Hot water is dispensed from the steam wand.
- 4. Once the desired amount of hot water has been dispensed, turn the steam knob to the OFF setting.

### **NOTE**

- The entire operation should last no longer than 40 seconds. The appliance automatically stops dispensing hot water after 40 seconds of continuous operation. If you want more hot water, run the cycle again.
- The steam wand is very hot during and after use. To avoid bums, move it only by placing your fingers on the steam wand handle.

### **AFTER USE**

### **CLEANING**

**NOTE** Clean the appliance regularly to keep it in a safe and hygienic working condition and to ensure that the coffee taste is not impaired.

- Before cleaning, unplug the appliance and let it cool down completely. Then empty the water tank and filter holder, if necessary.
- Do not clean the appliance with steel wool, strong chemicals, alkali, abrasive or disinfecting agents as they
  may damage its surface.
- Do not immerse the appliance in water or other liquids to clean it. Make sure that the electrical parts do not become wet or damp.
- Never clean any of the appliance's parts in the dishwasher.
- Regularly empty the drip tray. When the drip tray's floater is visible from the drip plate, the drip tray is full and needs to be emptied.
- Remove the filter from the filter holder. The filters and the filter holder can be cleaned in warm water, using a
  soft sponge. Dry with a dry soft cloth. If you notice malfunctions when brewing coffee, immerse the filter in
  boiling water for 10 minutes and then rinse with running water.
- Immediately after frothing milk, turn the steam knob to the steam/hot water setting to purge out any residual milk from the steam wand.
- Clean the steam wand with a damp cloth. To clean it more thoroughly, you can unscrew it and wash it under running water. If the hole of the steam wand becomes blocked, use a pin to unblock the hole.
- Regularly remove any residual coffee grounds from the brewing head using a brush, and wash with hot water following the steps below:
  - Insert the filter holder into the brewing head without ground coffee.

- Place an empty cup on the drip plate.
- Press the double cup button and let the water fill the cup.
- Remove the filter holder from the brewing head and clean the brewing head with a dry cloth.

#### WARNING

Do not try to disassemble the brewing head. It will damage the brewing Head and lead to leakage.

- Clean the body of the appliance with a soft damp cloth. Wipe with a dry soft cloth.
- The appliance may only be used again after it is dried completely.

### **DESCALING**

- To make sure the appliance operates efficiently, to clean the internal pipes, and to preserve the flavor of your coffee, the appliance needs to be descaled regularly.
- Additionally, after 500 brewing cycles, a descaling reminder will be displayed (the on/off button flashes 5 times).
   The descaling reminder will appear everytime you turn on the appliance if you do not run a descaling cycle.
- Proceed as follows to descale the appliance:
  - 1. Fill water with descaling agent (4 parts water to 1 part descaling agent) into the water tank up to the MAX marking.
    - **NOTE** Also refer to the instructions on the descaling agent. Only use a regular household descaling agent or citric acid; in the latter case, use 100 parts water to 3 parts of citric acid.
  - 2. Place a cup or other suitable receptacle on the drip plate and keep both the double cup and steam button pressed for approx. 5 seconds. The appliance starts the descaling cycle. The cycle takes approx. 7 minutes and stops automatically.
  - 3. Repeat the previous steps until the water with descaling agent/citric acid is used up.
  - 4. Repeat the whole process two more times using only clean tap water without any descaling agent.

### **STORAGE**

- Before storage, always make sure that the appliance is completely dry and cooled down.
- Ensure that the water tank and drip tray are empty and clean.
- Store the appliance in a cool, dry place, protected from moisture and out of the reach of children.
- Preferably store the appliance in its original packaging.

### **TROUBLESHOOTING**

#### **WARNING**

In case of dysfunctions, immediately turn off the appliance and unplug the power cord from the power outlet.

Only perform the steps described in this instruction manual! All further inspection, maintenance and repair work must be performed by an authorized service center or a similarly qualified specialist.

Problem	Possible cause	Solution
No water.	No water in the water tank.	Add an appropriate amount of water into the wate r tank.
	Water tank not attached properl y.	Reassemble the water tank.

Problem	Possible cause	Solution
No steam.	Steam wand is blocked.	Poke the steam wand with a thin iron wire.
	No water in the water tank.	Add an appropriate amount of water into the wate r tank.
	Water tank not attached properl y.	Reassemble the water tank.
Too little steam.	Preheating not completed.	Press the steam button and wait until the indicato r light changes from flashing into being on continu ously.
	Steam function was started whe n the appliance was cold.	Operate the double cup coffee brewing function o r wait until preheating is finished in steam mode b efore milk frothing.
	Steam knob not set to steam/ hot water setting.	Slowly turn the steam knob until the steam is disp ensed for milk frothing. Adjust the amount of steam slowly after a few seconds, depending on your preference.
Poor milk froth.	No whole milk used.	Use whole milk.
	Used milk was not refrigerated.	Refrigerate milk to 2-5°C.
	Steam wand is not inserted dee p enough into the milk.	Insert the steam wand 1cm into the milk.
Too little crema.	Coffee powder is too coarse.	Replace the coffee powder.
	Coffee powder is not compacted.	Compact the coffee powder with an appropriate p ressure.
	Coffee was made right after frot hing milk.	Make sure the appliance is completely cooled do wn before using.
Coffee overflow in the filt er holder.	Coffee was made right after frot hing milk.	Make sure the appliance is completely cooled do wn before using.
	Coffee powder not removed reg ularly.	Clean the coffee powder on the edge of the filter holder with a brush or by hand after filling it in.
	Too much coffee powder.	The coffee powder should not be too coarse or to o fine, should be in standard quality and quantity (1 measuring spoon for one cup and 2 measuring spoons for two cups).

Coffee is brewed slowly	Ground coffee is too fine.	Use special coffee powder for espresso machines . Ensure that it is not too fine.
or in small quantities.	No water in the water tank.	<ol> <li>Add an appropriate amount of water into the water tank.</li> <li>Turn on the appliance and turn the steam knob to the steam/hot water setting to let water flow out of the steam wand.</li> </ol>

Problem	Possible cause	Solution
Single or double cup filte r stuck in the appliance.	The bump of the filter is not far enough from the filter holder not ch.	Insert the filter holder into the appliance and turn i t left and right until the filter falls down. Or use the filter holder to push the filter down. Check whethe r the bump is far enough from the notch each time before inserting the filter holder.
Coffee is too cold.	Coffee was brewed in low brewing temperature mode.	<ol> <li>Brewing temperature mode selection:</li> <li>Press the on/off button, the appliance starts to preheating.</li> <li>After preheating is finished, keep the steam bu tton pressed for approx. 6-10 seconds. 3 acou stic signals sound, indicating the appliance has entered the brewing temperature mode selecti on. One of the below button lights flashes:         <ol> <li>Single-cup button light = Low brewing te mperature mode</li> <li>Double cup button light = Medium brewing temperature mode (Default mode)</li> </ol> </li> <li>Steam button light = High brewing temperature mode</li> <li>Depending on which brewing temperature mode you want to set, keep the corresponding button pressed for approx. 5 seconds. An acoustic signal sounds, indicating that the brewing temperature mode was set successfully. The appliance returns to standby.</li> <li>Note: If there is no operation within approx. 15 seconds, the appliance exits the brewing temperature mode selection and returns to standby.</li> </ol>
	Coffee brewed before preheatin g while appliance was still cold.	Operate the double cup coffee brewing function ( without coffee powder in the filter) or wait until pr eheating is finished before brewing coffee.
	No water in the water tank befor e preheating.	<ol> <li>Add an appropriate amount of water into the water tank.</li> <li>Turn on the appliance and turn the steam knob to the steam/hot water setting to let water flow out of the steam wand.</li> </ol>

 Dispose of the appliance and packaging must be effected in accordance with the corresponding local regulations and requirements for electrical appliances and packaging. Please contact your local disposal company.



• Do not dispose of electrical appliances as unsorted municipal waste, use separate collection facilities. Contact your local government for information regarding the collection systems available. If electrical appliances are disposed of in landfills, dumps, or refuse incineration, hazardous substances can leak into the groundwater or can be emitted into air, thus getting into the food chain, and damaging your health and well-being as well as poisoning flora and fauna. When replacing old appliances with new once, the vendor is legally obligated to take back your old appliance for disposal at least for free of charge.

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- Please check www.gastroback.de for further information.
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- Please refer to our home page for a copy of these operating instructions in PDF.

### WARRANTY

We guarantee that all our products are free of defects at the time of purchase. Any demonstrable manufacturing or material defects will be to the exclusion of any further claim and within 2 years after purchasing the appliance free of charge repaired or substituted. There is no Warranty claim of the purchaser if the damage or defect of the appliance is caused by inappropriate treatment, over loading or installation mistakes. The Warranty claim expires if there is any technical interference of a third party without a written agreement. The purchaser has to present the sales slip in assertion-of-claim and has to bear all charges of costs and risk of the transport.

# **NOTE**

- Customers from Germany and Austria: For repair and service, please send GASTROBACK® products to the following address:
- GASTROBACK GmbH, Gewerbestr. 20, D-21279 Hollenstedt, Germany.
- Customers from other countries: Please contact your dealer.

Please agree that we cannot bear the charge of receipt. Submission of appliances: Please ensure packing the appliance ready for shipment without accessories. Add the sales slip and a short fault description. The processing time after receipt of the defective appliance will be approx. 2 weeks; we will inform you automatically. After the warranty period, please send defective appliances to the given address. You will get a free quotation and, thereafter, can decide, whether we shall repair the appliance to the costs possibly accrued, send back the defective appliance for free of charge, or dispose of the appliance for free of charge.

The appliance is intended for household use only and NOT suited for commercial usage. Do not attempt to use this appliance in any other way or for any other purpose than the intended use, described in these instructions. Any other use is regarded as unintended use or misuse, and can cause severe injuries or damage. There is no warranty claim of the purchaser if any injuries or damages are caused by unintended use.

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# **Documents / Resources**



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# References

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