ELECTRIC GLASS KETTLE

Model Number: KE7981B, KE7981R, KE7981T
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Customer Assistance
1-855-451-2897 (US)

Please consider the option to recycle the packaging material and donate any appliance you are no longer using.
IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

When using electrical appliances, basic safety precautions should always be followed, including the following:

- **Read all instructions before use.**
- Do not touch hot surfaces. Use handles or knobs.
- To protect against fire, electric shock and injury to persons do not immerse cord, plug, kettle or base unit in water or other liquid.
- Close supervision is necessary when any appliance is used by or near children.
- Unplug from wall outlet when the appliance is not in use, before putting on or taking off parts, and before cleaning. Allow to cool before handling, putting on or taking off parts.
- Do not operate any appliance with a damaged cord or plug, or after the appliance malfunctions or has been damaged in any manner. Call our toll-free customer assistance number for information on examination, repair, or adjustment.
- The use of accessory attachments not recommended by the appliance manufacturer may result in fire, electric shock or injuries to persons.
- Do not use outdoors or in a damp area.
- Do not let power 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.
- Extreme caution must be used when moving an appliance containing hot water.
- Always place the kettle on the base unit first, before plugging the plug in the wall outlet. To disconnect, switch the appliance off then remove the plug from the wall outlet.
- To turn the appliance off, place the ON/OFF switch in the OFF position.
- Do not use the appliance with the lid open. Ensure the lid is closed securely before using the appliance.
- Only use the base unit included in the delivery for the operation of this appliance. Do not attempt to use any other base unit or try to operate the kettle via other means.
- Do not use appliance for other than intended use.
- Scalding may occur if the lid is opened during the boiling cycles.
- Do not immerse the appliance or any electrical components in water or any other liquids.

SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS
**ADDITIONAL SAFEGUARDS**

This appliance is for **HOUSEHOLD USE ONLY**.

**DO NOT OPERATE THIS APPLIANCE, IF THE POWER CORD SHOWS DAMAGE OR IF APPLIANCE WORKS INTERMITTENTLY OR STOPS WORKING ENTIRELY.**

**Extension cords**
- A short power-supply cord is to be provided to reduce the risk resulting from becoming entangled in or tripping over a longer cord.
- Extension cords are available and may be used if care is exercised in their use.
- If an extension cord is used:
  - The marked electrical rating of the extension cord should be at least as great as the electrical rating of the appliance.
  - The longer extension cord should be arranged so that it does not drape over the countertop or table top where it can be pulled on by children or tripped over unintentionally.

**Polarized plug**
- This appliance has a polarized plug (one blade is wider than the other). To reduce the risk of electric shock, this plug is intended to fit into a polarized outlet only one way. If the plug does not fit fully into the outlet, reverse the plug. If it still does not fit, contact a qualified electrician. Do not attempt to modify the plug in any way.

**PARTS**

1. Lid
2. Lid handle
3. **ON/OFF** switch
4. Handle
5. Water level marking
6. Power indicator
7. Base unit
8. Power cord with plug
9. Power cord cut-out
10. Cord storage
11. Heating element
12. Kettle
13. Spout
14. Water filter
Before first use

- Remove all packaging materials, labels and/or stickers from your appliance.
- Check package contents for completeness and damage. Do not operate the appliance if package content is incomplete or appears damaged. Return it immediately to the dealer.

CAUTION: Danger of suffocation! Packaging materials are not toys. Always keep plastic bags, foils and Styrofoam parts away from babies and children. Packaging material could block nose and mouth and prevent breathing.

NOTE: Always use the appliance with the lid (1) closed, unless filling with water.

- Place the base unit (7) on a clean, flat and heat resistant surface.
- Place the kettle (12) properly on the base unit (7). Ensure the appliance is switched off.
- Connect the plug (8) to a suitable wall outlet.

NOTE: The appliance may produce an odor when switched on for the first time, as residues from the production process are eliminated. This is normal and does not indicate a defect or hazard.

- When using the appliance for the first time, it is recommended to boil and discard fresh water at least two times before boiling water for consumption, as the kettle (12) may contain manufacturing residue. Allow the appliance to cool down between each boiling cycle.
- Let the appliance cool completely.
- Clean the appliance (→ Cleaning).

Using the appliance

Use the appliance to boil fresh, cool water only. Do not add ingredients or attempt to boil other liquids.

NOTE: The appliance has a rated power of 1500W. Before plugging it into the wall outlet, ensure that the electrical circuit is not overloaded with other appliances. This appliance should always be operated on a separate 120V~ 60Hz wall outlet.

NOTE: Make sure the appliance is switched off before connecting it to a wall outlet.

CAUTION: Danger of burns. Always pay special attention when handling the appliance. Escaping steam and touching the kettle can cause burns. Do not touch the kettle (12) during or immediately after use.

- Place the power cord (8) in the power cord cut-out (9) in the base unit (ill. C 6).
- Place the base unit (7) on a clean, flat and heat resistant surface.
- Open the lid (1) by pulling the lid handle (2) backwards (ill. C 5).
- Fill the kettle (12) with fresh water (ill. C 7). Do not fill the kettle above the 1.7L/max marking or below the 0.5L/min marking (ill. C 7).
- Close the lid (ill. C 5).
- Ensure the on/off switch (3) is in the OFF position and place the kettle on the base unit (7) (ill. C 7 & C 8).
- Insert the plug (8) into a suitable wall outlet (ill. C 7).

NOTE: To avoid steam damage, place the appliance with the spout away from walls and cupboards. When using the appliance on wooden furniture, use a coaster to protect the wood from damages.

CAUTION: Never use the appliance with the lid (1) open (ill. C 7). Never use the appliance without the water filter (ill. C 7).

CAUTION: Do not touch the appliance during or after use (ill. C 4). Only handle the appliance by its handle (4).

CAUTION: Never let the power cord (8) come in contact with the appliance during use (ill. C 4).

CAUTION: Do not operate the appliance empty (ill. C 4).

CAUTION: Never leave the appliance unattended during operation.

CAUTION: Always take care when handling the kettle (12). It is made of glass and can easily break.

- Press the on/off switch (3) to switch the appliance on. The power indicator (6) turns on (ill. C 8).
- Once the water has reached boiling point, the appliance switches off automatically and the power indicator (6) turns off.

CAUTION: The appliance will not turn off automatically if the on/off switch (3) is obstructed or if the lid (1) is left open.

NOTE: To stop the boiling cycle prematurely, press the on/off switch (3).

- Lift the kettle from the base unit (7) and pour the boil water out via the spout (13).

CAUTION: Carefully pour the boiling water. Do not open the lid after the boiling process, as hot steam can escape and cause burns (ill. C 4).

NOTE: Allow the appliance to cool down before using it again.
**OPERATION**

- Disconnect the plug (8) from the wall outlet, if the appliance is no longer in use (III. 3).

**Boil-dry function**

The appliance is equipped with boil-dry function, which automatically switches the appliance off in case it was switched on without any water in the kettle. If this occurs, allow the appliance to cool down completely before using it again.

**HINTS AND TIPS**

- It is recommended to always only boil the required amount of water; as this will reduce boiling times.
- It is recommended to regularly clean the kettle inside, to reduce the buildup of mineral deposits.
- It is recommended to descale the kettle and water filter regularly to ensure continuous performance. A buildup of mineral deposits can cause the appliance to switch off before the boiling point has been reached or prolong the boiling process.

**CLEANING**

Proper maintenance will ensure many years of service from your appliance. Clean the appliance after every use. The appliance contains no user-serviceable parts and requires little maintenance. Leave any servicing or repairs to qualified personnel.

**CAUTION:** Always turn the appliance off and disconnect the plug from the wall outlet (III. 3). Allow all parts of the appliance to cool down completely.

**NOTE:** Do not immerse cord, plug, kettle or base unit in water or any other liquid. Do not use abrasive cleaners, steel wool or scouring pads (III. 9-11). Dry all parts thoroughly after cleaning, before using or storing the appliance. Ensure that no water enters the base unit.

- Wipe the outside of the kettle with a sponge or cloth and some mild detergent if needed.
- Wipe the base unit with a slightly damp cloth.

**NOTE:** Dry all parts and surfaces thoroughly before use. Make sure that all parts and surfaces are completely dry before connecting the appliance to a wall outlet.

**MINERAL DEPOSITS**

Mineral deposits in tap water may cause the kettle interior to discolor. To remove this buildup, use liquid descaler (follow the manufacturers’ instructions). Alternatively, follow the steps below:

**NOTE:** Do not use abrasive cleaners, steel wool or scouring pads (III. 9).

- Fill the kettle with 3 cups of white vinegar and top up with water to the 1.7L/max marking. Allow to stand overnight. Do not boil. Do not overfill (III. 6).
- Empty the kettle. Any remaining stains can be removed using a damp cloth.
- Fill the kettle with fresh, clean water and bring it to the boil. Discard the water and repeat.
- The appliance is now ready for normal operation.

**WATER FILTER**

**NOTE:** The water filter can be removed for easy cleaning.

**NOTE:** Do not use abrasive cleaners, steel wool or scouring pads (III. 9).

- Open the lid.
- Remove the water filter from the lid of the appliance by pulling it away from the lid (III. 7).
- Clean the water filter with a damp cloth and some mild detergent.
- Place the water filter back in the lid, by pushing it in place (III. 8).

**STORAGE**

- Before storage, always make sure the appliance is completely cool, clean and dry.
- The power cord can be stored in the cord storage (10) underneath the base unit (7) (III. 1).
- It is recommended to store the appliance in a dry place.
- Store the appliance on a stable shelf or in a cupboard, preferably in its original packaging. To avoid accidents, ensure that both the appliance and its power cord are beyond reach of children and pets.
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### TECHNICAL DATA

- **Rated voltage:** 120V–60Hz
- **Rated power input:** 1500W min., 0.5L (17oz) max., 1.7L (57oz)
- **Rated current:** 12.5A
- **Capacity:**

### CUSTOMER ASSISTANCE

If you have a claim under this warranty, please call our Customer Assistance Number. For faster service, please have the model number and product name ready for the operator to assist you. This number can be found on the bottom of your appliance and on the front page of this manual.

- **Model Number:** Customer Assistance Number 1-855-451-2897 (US)
- **Product Name:**
- **Two-year limited warranty**
  - **What does your warranty cover?**
    - Any defect in material or workmanship.
  - **For how long after the original purchase?**
    - Two years.
  - **What will we do?**
    - Provide you with a new one.
    - For those items still under warranty but no longer available, WAL-MART reserves the right to replace with a similar FARBERWARE branded product of equal or greater value.
  - **How do you make a warranty claim?**
    - Save your receipt.
    - Properly pack your unit. We recommend using the original carton and packing materials.
    - Return the product to your nearest WAL-MART store or call Customer Assistance at 1-855-451-2897 (US).
  - **What does your warranty not cover?**
    - Parts subject to wear, including, but not limited to, glass parts, glass containers, cutter/stainer, blades, seals, gaskets, clutches, motor brushes, and/or agitators, etc.
    - Commercial use or any other use not found in printed directions.
    - Damage from misuse, abuse, or neglect, including failure to clean product regularly in accordance with manufacturer’s instructions.
  - **How does state law relate to this warranty?**
    - This warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may also have other rights which vary from state to state or province to province.
    - This warranty is in lieu of any other warranty or condition, whether express or implied, written or oral, including, without limitation, any statutory warranty or condition of merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose.
    - WAL-MART, FARBERWARE and the product manufacturer expressly disclaim all responsibility for special, incidental, and consequential damages or losses caused by use of this appliance. Any liability is expressly limited to an amount equal to the purchase price paid whether a claim, however instituted, is based on contract, indemnity, warranty, tort (including negligence), strict liability, or otherwise. Some states or provinces do not allow this exclusion or limitation of incidental or consequential losses, so the foregoing disclaimer may not apply to you.
  - **What if you encounter a problem with this product while using it outside the country of purchase?**
    - The warranty is valid only in the country of purchase and if you follow the warranty claim procedure as noted.

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