FOR HOUSEHOLD USE ONLY
IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

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:

1. Read all instructions and information in this instruction book and any other literature included in this carton referring to this product before operating or using this appliance.
2. Do not touch hot surfaces. Use handles or knobs.
3. To protect against fire, electric shock and personal injury do not immerse cord, plugs or appliance in water or other liquid.
4. Close supervision is necessary when any appliance is used by or near children.
5. 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.
6. Do not operate any appliance with a damaged cord or plug or after the appliance malfunctions or has been damaged in any way. Return appliance to the nearest authorized service centre for examination, repair or adjustment.
7. The use of accessory attachments not recommended by the appliance manufacturer may result in fire, electric shock or personal injury.
8. Do not use outdoors.
9. Do not let cord hang over edge of table or counter, or touch hot surfaces.
10. Do not place on or near a hot gas or electric burner, or in a heated oven.
11. Always turn appliance “OFF”, then plug cord into the wall outlet. To disconnect, turn switch to “OFF”, then remove plug from wall outlet.
12. Do not use appliance for other than intended household use.
13. Use extreme caution when using hot steam.

SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

CAUTION

This appliance is for household use. Any servicing, other than cleaning and user maintenance, should be performed by an authorized service centre. Do not immerse base in water. To reduce the risk of fire or electric shock, do not disassemble the base. There are no user serviceable parts inside. Repair should be done by authorized service personnel only.

1. Check voltage to be sure that the voltage indicated on the nameplate agrees with your voltage.
2. Never use warm or hot water to fill the water tank. Use cold water only.
3. Keep your hands and the cord away from hot parts of the appliance during operation.
4. Never clean with scouring powders or hard implements. Simply use a soft cloth dampened with water.
5. To avoid your coffee maker scaling up, use purified or bottled water.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE POWER SUPPLY CORD

A. A short power-supply cord is provided to reduce risks of getting tangled up or tripping over a longer cord.
B. Longer extension cords are available and may be used if care is exercised in their use.
C. If a long extension cord is used:
   1. the marked electrical rating of the extension cord should be at least as great as the electrical rating of the appliance.
   2. if the appliance is of the grounded type, the extension cord should be a grounding type
   3. the cable does not hang from the table to avoid the risk of getting caught up in it.
GENERAL INFORMATION

This coffee machine is ideal for preparing espresso coffee either with coffee beans or preground coffee and also features a device for dispensing steam and hot water. This elegantly styled machine is designed for household use only. It is not suitable for continuous professional-type use.

Warning. The manufacturer shall accept no liability for damage or injury caused by:
- improper use or use for other than the intended purposes;
- repairs carried out by anyone other than an authorised service centre;
- tampering with the power cord;
- tampering with any machine component;
- use of spare parts and accessories other than those supplied by the manufacturer.

The warranty will be invalidated in such cases.

TO FACILITATE INTERPRETATION

A warning triangle draws attention to the instructions that are important for user safety. Please carefully abide by these instructions to avoid serious injury!

HOW TO USE THESE OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Keep these operating instructions in a safe place and make them available to anyone else who should use the coffee machine. For further information or an explanation of problems not completely or sufficiently addressed in these instructions, contact an authorised service centre.

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

- Voltage rating: See rating plate on appliance
- Power rating: See rating plate on appliance
- Casing material: Metal
- Size (w x h x d) (mm): 285 x 375 x 400
- Weight (Kg): 11
- Cord length (mm): 1200
- Control panel: Front
- Water tank (lit.): 2 - Extractible
- Power supply: See rating plate on appliance
- Pump pressure (bars): 15
- Boiler: Stainless steel
- Coffee container capacity (g.): 300 of coffee beans
- Rapid Steam: Steam ready in a few seconds
- Grinders: Ceramic
- Quantity of ground coffee: 8 g
- Dreg drawer capacity: 13
- Safety devices: Boiler pressure safety valve, safety thermostat

Subject to engineering and manufacturing changes as warranted by technological developments.

**SAFETY RULES**

**IN THE EVENT OF AN EMERGENCY**
Immediately unplug the appliance.

**THE APPLIANCE MAY ONLY BE USED**
- In a closed place.
- To prepare coffee, dispense hot water, froth milk or heat beverages using steam.
- For household use.
- By adults in full possession of their physical and mental capacities.

**NEVER USE THE APPLIANCE**

for purposes other than those indicated above to avoid hazards. Never place any substances in the containers other than those specified in the instruction manual. When you fill a container, make sure all nearby containers are closed. Fill the water tank only with fresh drinking water: hot water and/or other liquids may damage the machine. Do not use carbonated water. The coffee grinder may be adjusted only while it is running. Do not introduce your fingers or any material other than coffee beans into the coffee grinder. Before attempting to access the inside of the coffee grinder, switch OFF the machine and remove the plug from the electric socket. Do not put coffee beans or instant coffee into the ground coffee container.

**MAINS CONNECTION**
Connect the coffee machine to a suitable electric socket. The voltage must match the voltage specified on the appliance rating plate.

**INSTALLATION**
- Choose a perfectly level supporting surface. Do not place on a hot surface!
- Maintain a distance of 10 cm from walls and electric or gas burners.
- Do not keep at temperatures below 0 °C; the appliance may be damaged by freezing.
- The electric socket must be accessible at all times.
- The power cord must not be damaged, secured with clamps, placed on very hot surfaces etc.
- Do not let the power cord hang loosely (Warning: danger of tripping or of causing the appliance to fall).
- Do not use the power cord to carry or pull the coffee machine.

**HAZARDS**
- The appliance must not be used by children or by individuals unacquainted with the operating instructions.
- The appliance is dangerous for children. If left unattended it must be switched off.
- Do not leave the materials used to pack the appliance within children’s reach.
- Do not direct a jet of hot steam and/or hot water toward yourself or others: danger of scalding.
- Do not introduce any objects through the openings in the appliance (Electrical hazard!).
- Do not touch the plug when your hands or feet are wet. Do not unplug the appliance by yanking at the power cord.
- Warning: contact with hot water, steam or hot water/steam nozzle may cause burns.

**FAULTS**
- Do not use the appliance if it malfunctions or you suspect damage, e.g. after a fall.
- Repairs must be performed by an authorised service centre.
- Do not use an appliance with a defective power cord. Should the power cord be damaged, it must be replaced by the manufacturer or his customer service department. (Electrical hazard!).
- Switch off the appliance before opening the service door. Danger of burns!

**CLEANING / DESCALING**
- Before cleaning the appliance, unplug it and allow it to cool down.
- Avoid exposing the appliance to splashes of water. Do not immerse it in water.
- Do not dry machine components in a conventional or microwave oven.

**SPARE PARTS**
To guarantee safety, you should use only original spare parts and accessories.

**DISPOSAL**
- The packing materials can be recycled.
- Appliance: unplug the appliance and cut the power cord.
- Deliver the appliance and power cord to a service centre or public waste disposal facility.
FILL THE COFFEE BEAN CONTAINER WITH COFFEE BEANS.

THE “AQUA PRIMA” FILTER CAN BE INSTALLED (SEE PG. 27).

FILL THE TANK WITH FRESH DRINKING WATER.

INSERT THE PLUG INTO A Suitable ELECTRIC SOCKET.

Move the ON/OFF switch to “I” to turn on the machine.

SEE RATING PLATE

Place a container beneath the steam tube.

Turn the knob counterclockwise to start loading the circuit.

Wait until a steady stream of water flows out from the nozzle.

Turn the knob clockwise to terminate the circuit-loading process.

When the circuit needs loading, the machine indicates that.

The machine is warming up; lights are flashing.

When the indicator lights are fixed, the machine is ready for use.

Note: You must load the circuit before starting up the machine for the first time, if it has been inoperative for a lengthy period or if the water tank has been completely emptied. The circuit must also be loaded each time the light flashes:

Remove the container.
For machines provided with SBS only. - To adjust the strength and consistency of brewed coffee. The adjustment can also be made while brewing the coffee. This adjustment will have an immediate effect on the coffee brewed.

**Adjustment may be made only while the coffee grinder is operating.**

Use coffee bean blends for espresso coffee makers. If you do not obtain the desired result, try using a different coffee blend. Store coffee in a cool place, in a hermetically sealed container. You will note a change after dispensing 1 - 2 coffees.

If you set the grinder on too fine a grind (knob turned all the way anticlockwise) and the SBS control on “strong” (toward the right), coffee may flow out in a slow trickle or not at all.

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**COFFEE GRINDER ADJUSTMENT**

The fineness of the grind may be adjusted using the knob.

- **Coffee flows out slowly.** Press and turn.
- **Coffee flows out quickly.** Press and turn.

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**SBS**

Café crème  Espresso coffee  Strong black coffee

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**COFFEE IN CUPS**

To adjust the quantity of coffee dispensed to the size of your cups.

Place a cup beneath the brew unit, press the button corresponding to the type of coffee desired and keep it pressed while coffee is being dispensed.

When the cup has filled to the desired level, release the button; the machine is now programmed to dispense the quantity of coffee you have chosen.

**Big cups**

To place the brew unit again in its position, pull it until it fits in.

**Big cups**

To use big cups, press the button and push the brew unit until the end.

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**COFFEE IN CUPS**

Or

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**COFFEE IN CUPS**

Or
Warning! Hot water and steam may cause burns! Direct the steam tube toward the drip tray.

**COFFEE BEANS**

- Make sure that the machine is ready.
- Position a warm coffee cup or cups beneath the brew unit.
- Press the button of the type of coffee desired. Once for 1 coffee
- Twice for 2 coffees.
- When the machine stops making the coffee, remove the cup or cups.

**PREGROUND COFFEE**

- Position a warm coffee cup beneath the brew unit.
- Select the product “Pre-ground coffee”.
- Introduce ground coffee using the coffee measure. MAX 1 MEASURE
- Press the button of the type of coffee desired.
- When the machine stops making the coffee, remove the cup.

**HOT WATER**

- Place a container beneath the steam tube.
- Press the button to dispense water.
- Turn the knob counterclockwise to start dispensing. Close the knob when finished.
- Remove the container.
- Press the button to restore the machine to normal operation.
**Warning!** Hot water and steam may cause burns! Direct the steam tube toward the drip tray.

**Cappuccino**

- Fill a cup to 1/3 with cold milk.
- Place a container beneath the steam tube. Open the knob to discharge any residual water.
- When only steam comes out, close the knob. Remove the container.
- Position the cup containing milk beneath the steam tube.
- Open the knob to release steam.

- Move the cup in a circular fashion to heat the milk evenly.
- After frothing the milk, close the knob.
- Remove the cup and position it beneath the brew unit.
- Wipe the nozzle clean with a damp cloth to prevent milk encrustations.
- Dispense coffee into the cup to prepare a delicious cappuccino.

**Steam**

- Open the knob to discharge any residual water. Close the knob.
- Place the cup beneath the steam tube. Open the knob.
- Heat by moving in circles.
- Close the knob.
- Remove the container.
Warning! Never use vinegar as a descaling agent. You can use any commercially available non-toxic, non-harmful descaling product for coffee machines. We recommend using a Saeco descaling agent.

Descaling is necessary every 3-4 months, when there is a reduction in the water capacity. The machine must be on; it automatically controls the distribution of the descaling solution.

**DESCALING**

When the machine needs descaling, the indicator light will flash. Press the button for 5 seconds.

Fill the water tank with the descaling solution. Place a large receptacle beneath the steam tube.

Open the knob. The solution will be discharged at intervals. The lights will flash to signal when descaling is over.

Close the knob. Remove the container. Rinse out the tank and fill it with fresh drinking water.

Open the knob to rinse. When no water is left, turn the knob to close the valve. Remove the container.

If the descaling cycle is interrupted, the water tank and internal machine circuits must be rinsed.

When descaling is over, fit the cartridge filter back in place.
Press the button and keep it pressed; when the indicator light is flashing, release the button.

⚠️ The filter must be replaced when signalled by the machine. See “Page 31”.

⚠️ Before descaling, remove the filter from the tank.

**INSTALLATION**

1. Remove the filter from the packing container. Adjust the dater to the current month.
2. Insert the applicator and turn it clockwise to secure it to the filter.
3. Check where the filter positioning and reference mark is.
4. Put the filter into the empty tank. The reference must be positioned in correspondence with the groove.
5. Press until the end limit. Turn the applicator counter-clockwise and remove it from the tank.
6. Fill the tank with fresh drinkable water.
7. Position a container beneath the steam tube and turn the machine on. Press the button to dispense water.
8. Open the knob and dispense water.
9. Empty the water tank out at intervals.
10. When the tank is empty, fill it again with fresh drinkable water.
11. Press the button and keep it pressed; when the indicator light is flashing, release the button.
12. You can now use your coffee machine.

It is possible to use the machine without filter. Saeco suggests its use. If filter is not used, the machine must be descaled more frequently. Adjust the water hardness (see “programming the machine functions”).
CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE

Do not dry the machine and/or its components in a microwave and/or conventional oven.

Do not immerse the machine in water and do not place any of its components in a dishwasher.

**BASIC CLEANING**

- Turn the machine off. Unplug the machine.
- Wash the water tank. Wash the filter inside it.
- Remove the drip tray, empty it out and wash it.
- Remove the dregs drawer, empty it out and wash it.
- Remove the "pannarello" attachment.

**Use the brush to clean the ground coffee dispenser.**

**BREW GROUP**

- Press the PUSH button to release the brew group.
- Unscrew the upper filter by the special wrench and wash it.
- Fit the filter back in place when clean.
- Wash the unit, dry it and fit it back in place. Do not press the "PUSH" button.
- Set all machine components back in position. Close the door.

The machine, its components and the brew group must be cleaned at least once a week.
The user can change some machine operating parameters to suit his/her personal needs.

**WATER HARDNESS**

The hardness of tap water may vary depending on the region. For this reason, the appliance can be set according to the water hardness in the place where it is to be used, expressed on a scale of 1 to 4.

The appliance is factory set on a hardness value of 3*. The setting should be adjusted according to the level of water hardness in the local area.

If the “Aqua Prima” filter has been installed in the machine, set the machine according to these indications. The degree of hardness will be signalled by the indicator lights.

If the “Aqua Prima” filter has NOT been installed, set the machine according to these indications. The degree of hardness will be signalled by the indicator lights.

Procedure for accessing machine programming mode.

Press the buttons together. Keeping the buttons pressed down, turn on the machine.

Turn the machine off.

Dip the strip in water for 1 second.

Check how many squares change colour.

Press the button to program the water hardness.
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<td>With the pre-brewing process the coffee is slightly moistened before actual brewing. This brings out the full aroma of the coffee and lends it an excellent flavour. It is possible to choose either “enabled” or “disabled”.</td>
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<td>Press the button to set the function.</td>
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<td><strong>RINSING</strong></td>
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<td>When this function is enabled, the internal machine circuits will be rinsed immediately after the warming-up phase to ensure that coffee is prepared with fresh water only.</td>
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<td>In all new appliances this function has already been enabled in the factory.</td>
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<td>Press the button to set the function.</td>
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<td><strong>END PROGRAMMING</strong></td>
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<td>This procedure serves to activate all the settings made.</td>
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<td>Turn the machine off.</td>
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The control panel display guides users and helps them to use the machine correctly.

1. **Descale the machine**
2. **The machine is in the heating phase; wait until the machine has finished this operation.**
3. **Fill the water tank with fresh drinking water.**
4. **Load the circuit (Starting up)**
5. **Fill the coffee bean container with coffee beans.**
6. **Open the door, remove the dregs drawer and empty the used coffee grinds into a suitable container.**
7. **Fit the brew unit, drip tray and dregs drawer correctly into place. Close the front door.**
8. **Coffee grinder motor jammed. Brew unit motor jammed. Contact an Authorised Service Centre.**

Important note: the dregs drawer may be emptied only when the machine is on. The drawer must be removed for at least 5 seconds. If you empty the drawer with the machine off, you will not be able to dispense coffee the next time you switch the machine on.

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FOR CORRECTLY USING THE “AQUA PRIMA” FILTER.**

Please follow these simple instructions to correctly use the “Aqua prima” filter:
1. Keep the “Aqua prima” filter cool and away from sunlight; the room temperature should be between +5°C and +40°C;
2. Do not use the filter in temperatures over 60°C.
3. If the coffee machine is not used for 3 days, we recommend washing the “Aqua prima” filter;
4. If the coffee machine is not used for more than 20 days, it is advisable to replace the filter.
5. To store an already opened filter, seal it in a nylon bag and keep in the fridge; do not store it in the freezer to avoid damaging the filter properties.
6. Before using the filter, leave it to soak in the water tank for 30 minutes.
7. Once it is taken out of its pack, do not keep the filter in the open air.
8. The filter must be replaced 90 days after opening the packing or after treating 60 litres of drinking water.
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<td>The machine is not connected to the power supply.</td>
<td>Move the main switch to ON.</td>
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<td>Check the plug and the connection</td>
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<td>The coffee is not hot enough.</td>
<td>The cups are cold.</td>
<td>Warm up the cups.</td>
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<td>Only water is dispensed when you select “preground coffee”.</td>
<td>No preground coffee has been introduced.</td>
<td>Dispense again after introducing preground coffee.</td>
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<td>No hot water or steam is dispensed.</td>
<td>The tube nozzle is clogged.</td>
<td>Clean the nozzle opening with a needle.</td>
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<td>The machine takes a long time to warm up.</td>
<td>Excessive scale has built up.</td>
<td>Desccale the machine.</td>
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<td>The brew unit cannot be removed.</td>
<td>The unit has stopped in the wrong position.</td>
<td>Close the door and switch on the machine; the brew unit will move back into position.</td>
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<td>Coffee flows out in slow trickle or not at all.</td>
<td>Excessively fine grind and SBS control turned to the right.</td>
<td>Adjust to a coarser grind (turn the knob clockwise).</td>
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⚠️ **During this operation, the knob must be closed and the machine must be off.**