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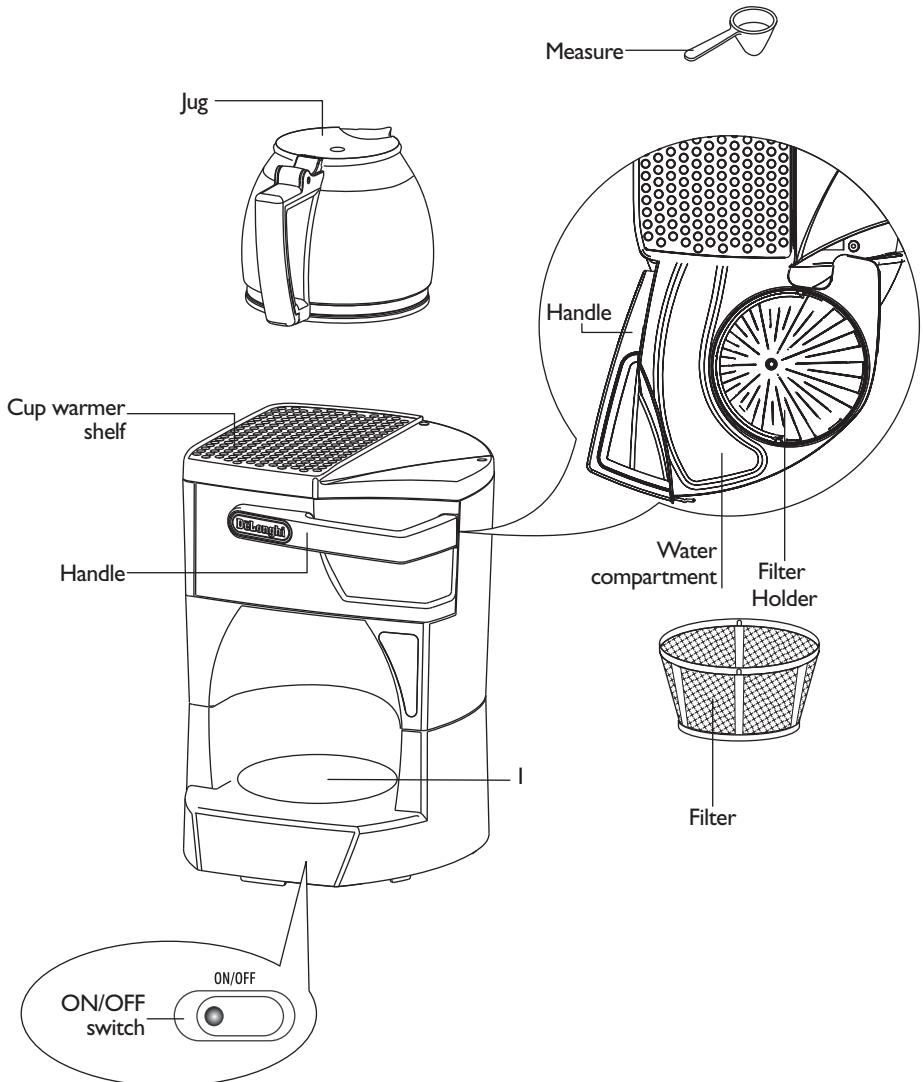


# Filter Coffee Maker

## ICM30



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**Thank you for choosing this De'Longhi coffee machine. To get the best result out of your new coffee machine please read these instructions carefully before use. This should ensure optimum results and maximum safety.**

## **Safety Warnings**

- This appliance is designed to make coffee. Take care during use to avoid burns caused by the water or steam jets or improper use of the appliance itself.
- When the appliance is in use, do not touch any of the machine's hot surfaces.
- After unpacking, make sure that the machine is complete and undamaged. In case of doubt, do not use the appliance and seek the advice of a qualified service professional.
- Packaging materials (plastic bags, foam polystyrene, etc.) should not be left within the reach of children as this could be a potential source of danger.
- This appliance is to be used for domestic use only. Any other use is to be considered improper and therefore, dangerous.
- The manufacturer takes no responsibility for damage derived from improper use.
- Never touch the appliance with wet or damp hands.
- Never immerse the appliance in water.
- The appliance is not intended for use by persons (including children) with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge, unless they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance by a person responsible for their safety. Children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the appliance.
- In the event of breakdown or malfunctioning, turn the appliance off immediately and do not touch. For repairs, please contact a Service Centre authorised by the manufacturer. Failure to observe the above points may affect the safe use of the appliance.
- The power cable must never be replaced by the user. If the power cable is damaged, it must be replaced by the manufacturer or an authorised service centre in order to eliminate all risk.
- When the appliance is not in use, turn off and disconnect the plug from the socket.
- As with any electrical appliance, whilst the instructions aim to cover as many eventualities as possible, caution and common sense should be applied when operating your appliance, particularly in the vicinity of young children.
- Materials and accessories coming into contact with food conform to EC regulation 1935/2004.

## **Electrical connection**

### **Important - Uk only**

- The wires in the cord are coloured as follows:  
Green and Yellow = Earth  
Blue = Neutral  
Brown = Live.
- The appliance must be protected by a 13A approved (BS1362) fuse.
- **Warning: this appliance must be earthed.**

### **Note:**

- For non-rewireable plugs the fuse cover MUST be refitted when replacing the fuse. If the fuse cover is lost then the plug must not be used until a replacement can be obtained. The correct fuse cover is identified by colour and a replacement may be obtained from your De'Longhi Authorised Repairer.
- If a non-rewireable plug is cut off it must be destroyed immediately. An electric shock hazard may arise if an unwanted non-rewireable plug is inadvertently inserted into a 13A socket outlet.
- This appliance complies with European Economic Community Directive 89/336/EEC.

## **Using for the first time**

Before using the machine for the first time, wash all the accessories in warm soapy water and rinse. For the best tasting coffee the internal circuits must be flushed through at least twice. To do this, follow the instructions in the paragraph "How to prepare the filter coffee" without using ground coffee.

## **Installation**

- After removing the packaging, make sure the product is complete.
- If in doubt, do not use the appliance and seek the Customer Service authorised by the manufacturer.
- The packing elements (plastic bags, polystyrene foam, etc.) should be kept out of reach of children as they are a safety hazard.
- Place the appliance on a work surface far away from water taps, basins and sources of heat.
- After positioning the appliance on the work top, leave a space of at least 5 cm between the surfaces of the appliance and the side and rear walls and at least 20 cm above the coffee maker.
- Never install the appliance in environments where the temperature may reach 0°C or lower (the appliance may be damaged if the water freezes).
- Make sure the mains voltage corresponds to the voltage indicated on the appliance rating plate.  
Connect the appliance to an efficiently earthed socket with a minimum current rating of 10A only.  
The manufacturer may not be considered liable for possible incidents caused by the failure to adequately earth the mains.
- If the power socket does not match the plug on the appliance, have the socket replaced with a suitable type by a qualified professional.

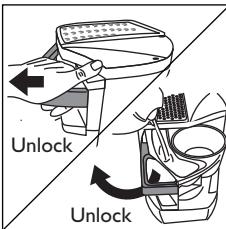


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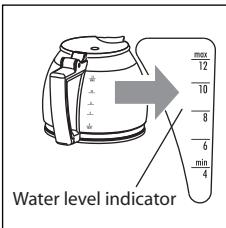


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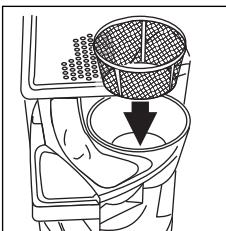


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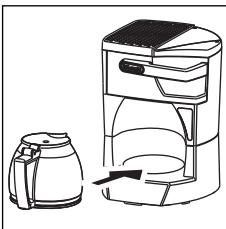


fig. 5

## How to prepare the filter coffee

- Open the frontal door by pulling the handle (fig. 1) and, by using the jug, pour fresh water into the water compartment up to the level corresponding to the number of cups you want to make. Check the water level viewer and it is suggested to use the provided carafe as the measure, as the maximum volume of the carafe corresponds to those of the water tank (fig. 2).
- Place the permanent filter in the filter holder (fig. 3).
- Place the ground coffee in the filter, using the measuring spoon supplied, and level evenly (Fig. 4). As a general rule, use a level measuring spoon of ground coffee (around 7 grams) for each cup (for example, 8 spoons to make 8 cups). Never use more than 15 level spoons. The quantity of ground coffee used will vary according to personal taste. Use good quality, medium ground coffee, packaged for filter coffee makers.
- Close the lid and place the jug on the plate with the lid on (fig. 5).
- Press the "ON/OFF" switch (Fig. 6). The light on the button comes on to indicate that the drip coffee maker is operating.
- The coffee will start to come out after a few seconds. **It is completely normal for the appliance to release a little steam while the coffee is filtering.**
- If you leave the ON/OFF button pressed after percolation has finished, the plate will keep the coffee at the ideal temperature.

**Attention: removing the jug before all the coffee is made does not interrupt production of the coffee, but merely blocks flow into the jug. If you want to pour out a little coffee immediately, you are recommended to do so as rapidly as possible in order to avoid the coffee overflowing in the filter holder.**

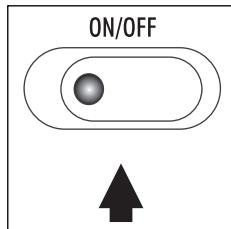


fig. 6

## **Cleaning and maintenance**

Before performing any cleaning or maintenance operations, turn the machine off, unplug it from the power socket and allow it to cool down.

1. When cleaning the coffee maker, do not use solvents or abrasive detergents. A soft, damp cloth is sufficient.
2. Never immerse the coffee maker in water: it is an electrical appliance.

## **Descaling**

If the water in your local area is hard, lime scale will form over time. These deposits may affect the correct operation of the appliance.

It is suggested to descale the appliance after 300 uses.

The descaling process may be performed using special commercially-available scale removers for filter coffee makers. Follow the instructions provided with these products. The descaling process may be performed using special commercially-available scale removers for filter coffee makers.

1. Dilute the descaler in the carafe, following the directions on the packaging of the descaler.
2. Pour the descaling solution in the water compartment;
3. Place the jug on the warming plate, do not put any ground coffee in the filter holder;
4. Press the filter coffee ON/OFF switch, filter the equivalent of one cup and then switch off the appliance;
5. Let the solution work for 15 minutes, then repeat steps 4 and 5.
6. Switch the coffee maker back on and filter the rest of the solution;
7. To rinse the machine, operate it with water and without ground coffee at least 3 times (3 complete tanks of water).

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When the "ON/AUTO/OFF" button flashes, proceed with descaling. The descaling process may be performed using special commercially-available scale removers for filter coffee makers.

Alternatively, white wine vinegar can be used as follows:

1. Remove the chlorine filter.
2. Pour 2 cups of white wine vinegar and 3 cups of water into the tank. Place the tank in the coffee maker;
3. Place the jug on the warming plate, do not put any ground coffee in the filter holder;
4. Press the filter coffee ON/OFF switch, filter the equivalent of one cup and then switch off the appliance;
5. Leave the vinegar to act for one hour;
6. Switch the coffee maker back on and filter the rest of the solution;
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## **Problem solving**

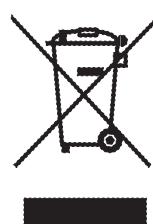
Problem	Possible causes	Solution
<i>The filter coffee takes a long time to filter through.</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The filter coffee maker needs to be descaled</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Descale as described in the paragraph "Descaling"</li></ul>
<i>The coffee has an acid flavour</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The coffee maker has not been rinsed sufficiently</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Rinse the appliance as described in the chapter "Descaling"</li></ul>

### **Important information for correct disposal of the product in accordance with EC Directive 2002/96/EC.**

At the end of its working life, the product must not be disposed of as urban waste.

It must be taken to a special local authority differentiated waste collection centre or to a dealer providing this service.

Disposing of a household appliance separately avoids possible negative consequences for the environment and health deriving from inappropriate disposal and enables the constituent materials to be recovered to obtain significant savings in energy and resources. As a reminder of the need to dispose of household appliances separately, the product is marked with a crossed-out wheeled dustbin.



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