

L U M E N S

# 1.7 Litre Cordless Kettle

USE AND CARE GUIDE  
MODEL TLK17B



# IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

When using electrical appliances, basic safety precautions should always be followed, 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 appliance 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 Consumer Service 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.
- ◆ To disconnect, lift the ON/OFF Switch to OFF position, then remove plug from wall outlet.
- ◆ Do not use appliance for other than intended use.
- ◆ Be certain Lid is securely in place before operating appliance.
- ◆ Scalding may occur if the Lid is opened during heating.

# SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

For Household Use Only

# ADDITIONAL IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

**WARNING: This appliance generates heat and escaping steam during use. Proper precautions must be taken to prevent the risk of burns, fires, or other injury to persons or damage to property.**

- ◆ All users of this appliance must read and understand this Use and Care Guide before operating or cleaning this appliance.
- ◆ The cord to this appliance should be plugged into a 120V AC electrical outlet only.
- ◆ Use **water only** in this appliance! Do not put any other liquids or food products in this appliance. Do not mix or add anything to the water placed in this appliance, except as instructed in the User Maintenance Instructions to clean the appliance.
- ◆ Be sure Kettle is filled with water to at least the MIN marking level. Do not operate appliance without water or with an insufficient amount of water.
- ◆ Do not fill above the MAX water level. If the Kettle is over-filled, there is a risk that boiling water may be ejected.
- ◆ To avoid accidental scalding or burns, use extreme caution while moving this appliance when it contains hot water, and while pouring hot water from this appliance.
- ◆ Keep appliance at least 4 inches away from walls or other objects during operation. Do not place any objects on top of appliance while it is operating. Place the appliance on a surface that is resistant to heat.
- ◆ If this appliance begins to malfunction during use, immediately unplug the cord. Do not use or attempt to repair the malfunctioning appliance.
- ◆ If this appliance falls or accidentally becomes immersed in water or any other liquid, unplug it immediately. **Do not reach into the water! Do not use this appliance after it has fallen into or has become immersed in water.** Contact Consumer Service for examination and repair.
- ◆ Do not leave this appliance unattended during use.
- ◆ Always pour water into Kettle before plugging in and heating up the appliance. Never pour water into heated Kettle.
- ◆ Do not block the steam from emitting from the Spout during use.
- ◆ Do not use this appliance if it is cracked or damaged. Contact Consumer Service for examination and repair.
- ◆ Do not place this appliance in a microwave oven.

# 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 in 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.

# Short Cord Instructions

A short power-supply cord is provided to reduce the risk resulting from becoming entangled in or tripping over a longer cord.

Do not use an extension cord with this product.

# Plasticizer Warning

**CAUTION:** To prevent Plasticizers from migrating from the finish of the countertop or tabletop or other furniture, place **NON-PLASTIC** coasters or placemats between the appliance and the finish of the countertop or tabletop.

**Failure to do so may cause the finish to darken, permanent blemishes may occur or stains can appear.**

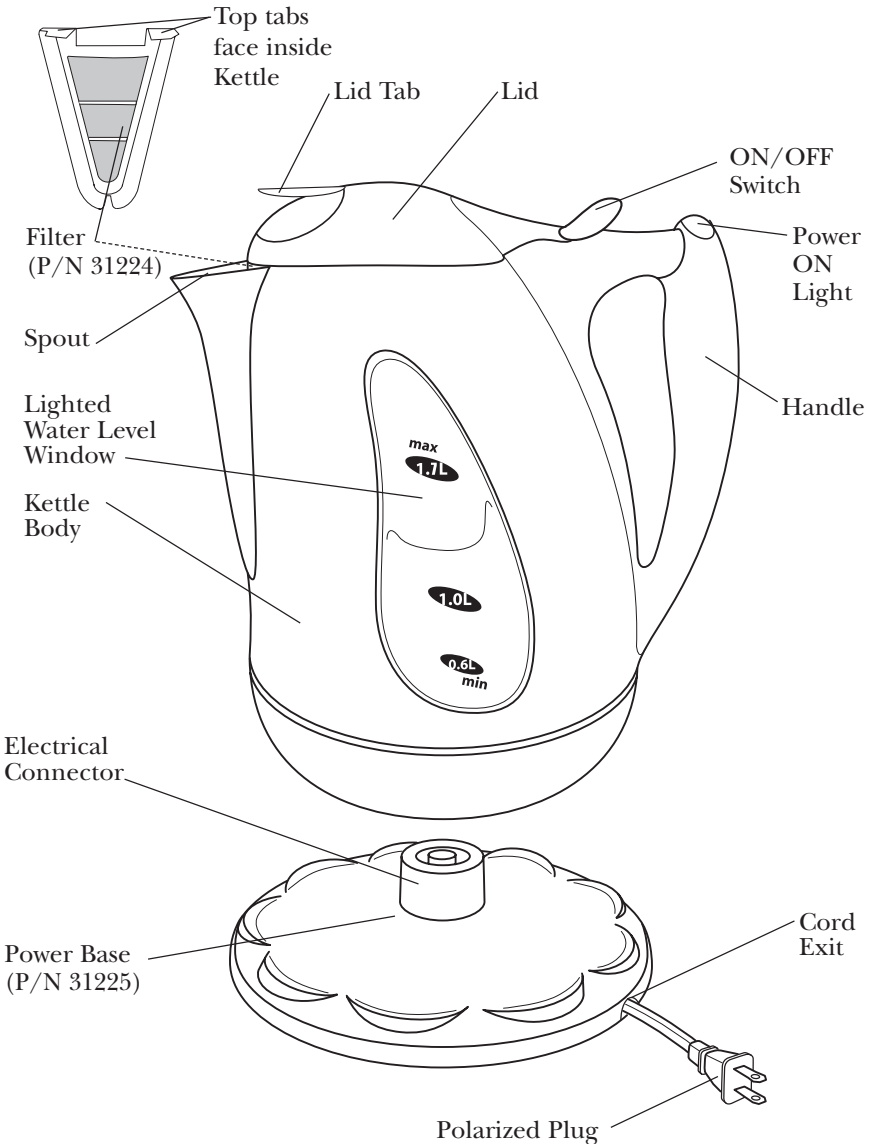
# Electric Power

If the electrical circuit is overloaded with other appliances, your appliance may not operate properly. It should be operated on a separate electrical circuit from other appliances.



# Getting To Know Your Lumens® 1.7L Cordless Electric Kettle

PRODUCT MAY VARY SLIGHTLY FROM ILLUSTRATIONS



# Before Using for the First Time

Boil a Kettle of water following the Operating Instructions below.  
Discard the water.

## Operating Instructions

**CAUTION: Do not immerse Power Base, power cord, or plug in water or any other liquid.**

1. Position the Power Base on a stable, level surface near an electrical outlet. Unwind the power cord from the cord storage Area located beneath the Power Base. Make sure the cord exits through the cord exit slot on the side of the Power Base.
2. Check that the ON/OFF Switch is in the OFF (up) position.
3. Remove the Kettle from the Power Base. Using the Lid Tab, open the Lid to its fully open position. Fill with fresh, cold water to the desired level (see markings on Water Level Window). The Kettle yields up to 1.7 Liters of water. Use at least 2 cups of water, but do not fill above the MAX water level. Wipe excess water off the Kettle.

**CAUTION: Do not fill above the MAX water level. This could cause boiling water to splatter out.**

**NOTE: If the Kettle is accidentally switched ON without sufficient water, a boil-dry protection device will automatically turn the unit OFF. (See boil-dry protection explanation.)**

4. Make sure the Filter is in place before use. Boiling water may splatter without the Filter in place.
5. Close the Lid and press down gently until it snaps into position to ensure it is fully closed. Otherwise the Kettle may not turn OFF after boiling.

**CAUTION: To avoid the risk of splashing while pouring hot water, make sure the Lid is securely closed onto the Kettle before operation.**

6. Place the Kettle on the Power Base, taking care not to spill any water.

7. Plug the power cord into a 120V AC electrical outlet. Press the ON/OFF Switch down to the ON position. The Power ON Light located on the top of the Handle will illuminate. The lighted Water Level Window will glow blue and the water will begin heating immediately.
8. Watch the blue lighted Water Level Window as the water bubbles and comes to a boil. When a rolling boil is reached, the lighted Window will then automatically turn off; the ON/OFF Switch will lift automatically and the Kettle will turn OFF.

**NOTE: The Kettle can be turned OFF any time during the heating process by lifting the ON/OFF Switch up.**

**WARNING: This appliance generates heat and escaping steam during use. Proper precautions must be taken to prevent the risk of burns, fires, or other injury to persons or damage to property. Keep hands and face clear of the area above the Kettle.**

9. Grasp the Handle and carefully lift the Kettle from the Power Base before pouring.

**CAUTION: Always make sure the Kettle is OFF before removing it from the Power Base.**

**CAUTION: To avoid a risk of splashing, make sure the Lid is securely closed onto the Kettle before operation. Pour slowly and don't over tilt the Kettle.**

**CAUTION: Do not touch hot surfaces! When you lift the Kettle from the Power Base you may notice moisture on the Power Base surface. This is the steam used to switch the Kettle OFF automatically, which then condenses and escapes through the vents in the underside of the Kettle. This is normal and should be ignored.**

10. To reheat, check the water level to ensure it is above the MIN water level. If necessary, add more water before returning the Kettle to the Power Base.
11. Press the ON/OFF Switch down to the ON position.
12. When not in use unplug the Power Base from the wall outlet. Allow the unit to cool completely before cleaning. Empty the Kettle after each use. Do not leave water in the Kettle overnight. See User Maintenance Instructions.

# Boil-Dry Protection

A safety thermostat will automatically operate should your Kettle be accidentally plugged in without any water, or if the Kettle is without sufficient water, or if the Kettle is allowed to boil dry. To reset the boil-dry protection device you must remove the Kettle from the Power Base and allow it to cool before refilling with water.

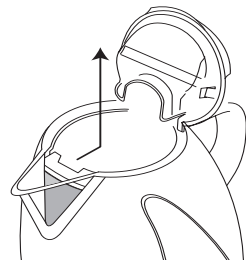
## User Maintenance Instructions

The Lumens® Electric Kettle requires little maintenance. It contains no user-serviceable parts. Do not try to repair it yourself. Any servicing requiring disassembly other than cleaning must be performed by a qualified appliance repair technician.

### CLEANING

**CAUTION: Always unplug Kettle and allow to cool before cleaning. Never immerse Kettle, Power Base, cord, or plug in water or other liquids. Never use scouring pads or harsh cleansers to clean your Kettle as they may damage the surface.**

1. Make sure the Kettle is unplugged and completely cool.
2. Grasp the Handle and remove the Kettle from the Power Base. If necessary, wipe the inside and outside of the Kettle with a soft, damp cloth and wipe dry.
3. To remove the Filter, first raise the Lid. Firmly push the top of the Filter forward to release it, then pull it straight up and out. Rinse the Filter under running water. If necessary, use a soft brush to loosen any scale deposits. Heavier deposits may require soaking in a water/vinegar solution. Do not wash in dishwasher.
4. To reinstall the Filter, turn the Filter so that the top tabs are facing inside the Kettle. Align the slot on the bottom of the Filter with the inside slot below the spout. Press down on the Filter and press it forward firmly into the spout, allowing it to snap in place.
5. Wipe the Power Base with a damp cloth.
6. Make sure both the Power Base and Kettle are completely dry after cleaning and before use.
7. Wrap the Power Cord around the Cord Storage Area beneath the Power Base for storage purposes.





## LIMITED ONE-YEAR WARRANTY

**Warranty Coverage:** This product is warranted to be free from defects in materials or workmanship for a period of one (1) year from the original purchase date. This product warranty is extended only to the original consumer purchaser of the product and is not transferable. For a period of one (1) year from the date of original purchase of the product, our Repair Center will, at its option, either (1) repair the product or (2) replace the product with a reconditioned comparable model. These remedies are the purchaser's exclusive remedies under this warranty.

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