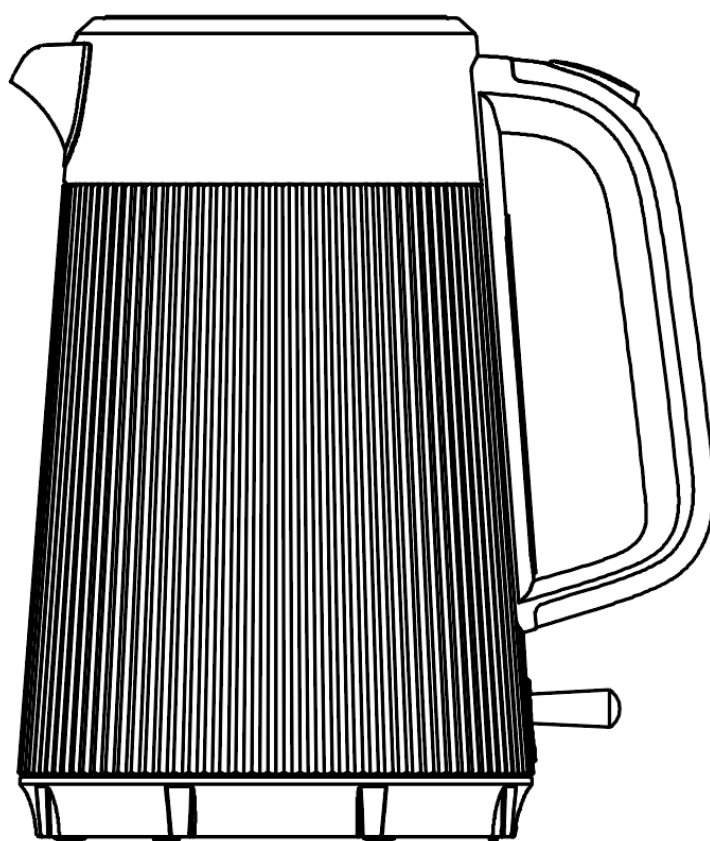




**Water Kettle**  
**K218QN**  
**User Manual**



PLEASE READ AND SAVE THESE  
INSTRUCTIONS FOR FUTURE REFERENCE

# IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

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

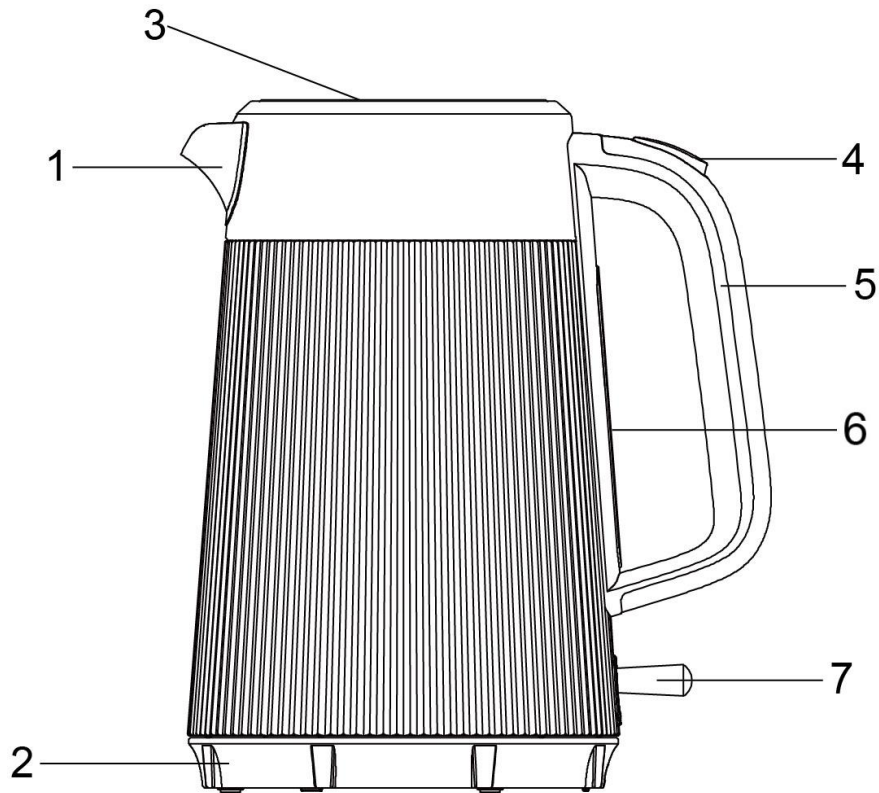
## READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS

1. Before connecting the kettle to the mains supply, check that the voltage indicated on the appliance (underside the kettle & base) matches the mains voltage in your home. If this is not the case, do not use the kettle.
2. Do not let the power cord hang over the edge of the table or counter.
3. Do not place the kettle on or near a hot gas or electric burner or in a heated oven.
4. **CAUTION! Do not operate the kettle without filling with water to avoid damage to the heating element.**
5. Ensure that the kettle is used on a stable flat surface, this will prevent the kettle from overturning and avoid damage or injury.
6. Keep the appliance and its cord out of reach of children.
7. To protect against a fire, electric shock or personal injury, do not immerse the supply cord, plug or kettle in water or other liquids.
8. Avoid contacting with steam from the spout when the water is boiling or just after it has switched off.
9. Always take care to pour boiling water slowly and carefully without tipping the kettle too quickly.
10. This 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.
11. Children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the appliance.
12. Do not touch hot surfaces. Use the handle when moving the kettle.
13. The power base supplied is for use with this kettle only.
14. Extreme caution must be used when moving the kettle with hot water.
15. The appliance is not a toy. Do not let the children play it.
16. The kettle is for household use only, not designed for commercial use. Do not use outdoors.
17. The use of accessories, which are not recommended by the appliance manufacturer, may result in fire, electric shock or personal injury.
18. **IMPORTANT! Unplug the kettle from mains power outlet when not in use and before cleaning.**
19. Allow the kettle to cool thoroughly before putting on or taking off parts, and before cleaning the appliance.

20. To disconnect the kettle, switch "OFF" the power switch on the kettle first, then remove the plug from the mains power outlet.
21. If the supply cord is damaged, it must be replaced by a qualified electrician in order to avoid a hazard or the product must be disposed of.
22. Do not use the appliance for other than intended use.
23. The kettle is only to be used with the base stand provided.
24. **CAUTION! If the kettle is overfilled, boiling water may spill out.**
25. Always ensure the kettle lid is closed and do not lift it while the water is boiling. Scalding may occur if the lid is opened when water is still boiling.
26. The appliance must not be immersed in water or other liquids.
27. Avoid liquid spillage on the electrical connectors.
28. This appliance is intended to be used in household and similar applications such as:
  - Staff kitchen areas in shops, offices and other working environments;
  - Farm houses;
  - By clients in hotels, motels and other residential type environments;
  - Bed and breakfast type environments.
29. The kettle base and outer surface is subject to residual heat after use.
30. Misuse may cause injury or property damage.
31. **CAUTION: The heating element surface is subject to residual heat after use.**
32. **CAUTION: Do not operate the kettle on an inclined plane. Do not operate the kettle without filling it with water above the Min level. Do not move while the kettle is switch ON.**
33. **CAUTION: To prevent damage to the appliance, do not use alkaline cleaning agents when cleaning, use a soft cloth and mild detergent.**
34. For cleaning, please refer to section "CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE".

**SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS  
FOR HOUSEHOLD USE ONLY**

## KNOW YOUR ELECTRIC KETTLE



1. Spout with filter
2. Power Base
3. Lid
4. Lid release button

5. Handle
6. Water level indicator
7. On/Off switch with indicator light

## BEFORE USING YOUR KETTLE

If you are using the kettle for the first time, it is recommended that you should clean your kettle before use by boiling with Max. capacity of water and then discarding the water. Repeat this process twice. Wipe the surface with a soft damp cloth.

**NOTE:** The Max. capacity of the kettle is 1.7L.

## USING YOUR ELECTRIC KETTLE

1. Place the kettle on a flat surface.
2. To fill the kettle, remove it from the power base and open the lid by pressing the lid release button, then fill the kettle with the desired amount of water and close the lid. The water level must be within the Min. (0.5L) and the Max. (1.7L) level marks. Too little water will cause the kettle to switch OFF before the water has fully boiled.

**NOTE:** Do not fill the water over the Max. level mark, as water may spill out of the spout when boiling. Ensure that the lid is firmly in place before connecting to mains power.

3. Position the kettle on the power base.
4. Connect the supply cord plug into a mains power outlet. Press the On/Off switch on the kettle, the indicator will light up showing the kettle is operating.
5. When water has boiled the kettle will turn off automatically and the indicator light will turn off.
6. The kettle may now be safely removed from its base and poured out the boiled water.
7. To re-boil, press the switch again. If the water is very hot, it may be necessary to wait approximately 30 seconds until the switch resets.
8. Always ensure the lid is firmly closed and never lift the kettle while it is boiling or there is risk of scalding.

**NOTE:** Ensure the On/Off switch is free of obstructions and the lid is firmly closed. The kettle will not turn OFF automatically if the switch is constrained or if the lid is opened.

**CAUTION:** Be careful when pouring the water from your kettle as boiling water may result in scalding. Do not open the lid while the water in the kettle is hot.

9. The kettle may be put on the power base when not in use.

**NOTE:** Always disconnect from mains power outlet when not in use or when storing.

## BOIL-DRY PROTECTION

The kettle is fitted with a safety device which switches the kettle OFF if the appliance is operated with insufficient water or without water. If this occurs, the kettle should be disconnected from mains power supply and allow the kettle to cool thoroughly before refilling with cold water.

## CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE

Always disconnect the appliance from the power outlet and let it cool down completely before cleaning.

1. Never immerse the kettle, power cord or power base in water, or allow moisture to contact these parts.
2. Wipe the outside body on the kettle with a soft damp cloth. Never use abrasive cleaners.
3. Remember to clean the filter at regular intervals. For easier cleaning, detach the filter by pressing down the tab of the filter inside the kettle and then replacing it after cleaning.

**CAUTION: To prevent damage to the finish on the kettle, do not use chemical, steel, wooden or abrasive cleaners to clean the outside of the kettle.**

4. When not in use or during storing, the power cord may be wound under the bottom of kettle power base.
5. Remove all water in kettle and allow it to cool down before storage.

## REMOVAL OF MINERAL DEPOSITS

Your kettle should be periodically descaled as mineral deposits in tap water may form scale on the bottom of kettle. You can use commercially available descaling solution and follow the instructions on the bottle/packaging. Alternatively, you may follow the instructions below and use white vinegar.

1. Fill the kettle with 3 cups of white vinegar, then add water until it covers the bottom of kettle completely or up to the Min. level mark on the water level indicator window. Leave the solution in the kettle overnight.
2. Then discard the mixture in the kettle, then fill the kettle with clean water to the maximum capacity. Boil and then discard the water. Repeat several times until the odor of vinegar has been flushed away. Any stains remaining inside the spout can be removed by rubbing them with a damp cloth.

## TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION

Voltage: 220-240V~ 50-60Hz

Power: 1850-2200W

## 12 MONTH WARRANTY

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Your new product is warranted to be free from defects in materials and workmanship for the period stated above, from the date of purchase, provided that the product is used in accordance with accompanying recommendations or instructions where provided. This warranty is in addition to your rights under the Australian Consumer Law.

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