BALMUDA The Kettle



Electric Kettle (For Household Use Only)

K02H Series

Instruction Manual **Limited Warranty**

Thank you for purchasing BALMUDA The Kettle.

Important

Be sure to read this manual before use.
Keep in a safe place for future reference.
For information on warranty policy, please refer to the BALMUDA website (https://us.balmuda.com).

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IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

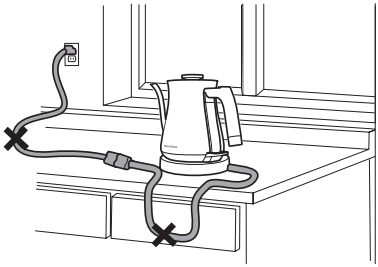
1. Read all instructions carefully and thoroughly.
2. Do not touch hot surfaces. Always hold the handle or knob.
3. To protect against fire, electric shock and injury to persons, do not immerse the cord, plug, kettle itself or power base in water or other liquids.
4. Close supervision is necessary when the appliance is used by or near children.
5. Unplug the appliance from the outlet when not in use and before cleaning. Let it cool down before putting on or taking off parts, and before cleaning the appliance.
6. Do not operate the appliance with a damaged cord or plug or after the appliance malfunctions, or has been damaged in any manner. Send the appliance to the BALMUDA Support Center for examination, repair or adjustment.
7. The use of accessory attachments not recommended by BALMUDA may result in fire, electric shock or injury to persons.
8. Do not use outdoors.
9. Do not let the cord hang over the edge of a table or counter, or touch hot surfaces.
10. Do not place the appliance on or near hot gas or an electric burner, or in a heated oven.
11. Do not use the appliance for anything other than its intended use.
12. Close the lid firmly until it clicks or the automatic OFF function may not work.
13. Hold the handle when removing the lid. Be careful not to touch the hot surface of the kettle body or the nozzle after boiling water.
14. Do not remove the lid during the boiling cycle. Doing so may result in scalding (or burns).
15. Before unplugging the appliance, always turn off the switch.
16. When unplugging the appliance, hold the power plug itself. Do not pull the power cord.
17. Do not fill the appliance with water while it is on the power base. Before placing it onto the power base, dry the bottom of the kettle.
18. To prevent the risk of scalding (or burns), close the lid firmly.
19. Take care not to scald yourself.
    • Steam is emitted from the steam vent or the spout during or after boiling.
    • Steam is emitted when opening the lid.
20. Use the appliance on a flat and heat-resistant surface. Do not use it on top of other electrical products.
21. Do not wash the appliance or the power base in a dishwasher. Never use detergent.
22. Do not insert any foreign objects in slots or gaps of the appliance.
23. Do not try to disassemble or repair the appliance, or try to replace the power cord yourself.
24. The appliance is for household use only.

SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS.

SHORT CORD INSTRUCTIONS

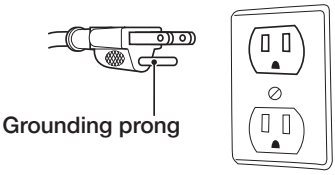
- A short power-supply cord is provided to reduce risks resulting from becoming entangled in or tripping over a longer cord.
- Extension cords may be used if care is exercised in their use.
- If an extension cord is used:

1) The marked electrical rating of the extension cord should be at least as high as the electrical rating of the appliance.
2) This appliance is equipped with a grounded plug. The extension cord should be a grounding type 3-wire cord.
3) The extension cord should be arranged so that it does not drape over the counter top or table top where it can be pulled on by children or tripped over.



About the plug

- This appliance has a grounded type plug for safety purposes. This plug is only compatible with 3-pin outlets.
- In order to avoid disabling this safety function, connect it to correctly grounded outlets only.
- Do not remove the grounding prong.
- Failing to connect the grounding conductor correctly may cause electric shock. If it is unclear whether the outlet is correctly grounded, consult a qualified electrician.



Safety Precautions

Read the Safety Precautions carefully before use to ensure correct operation. The precautions described in this manual must be followed to ensure safe use of this appliance and prevent hazards to you and other people, as well as damage to the appliance and your home or property.

- These symbols indicate the degree of harm or damage that may be caused by improper use.

⚠ **WARNING**	Indicates **actions that may cause death or serious injury**.
⚠ **CAUTION**	Indicates **actions that may cause minor injury**.

- These symbols indicate requirements during use of this appliance.

⃠	Indicates **prohibited** actions that must not be performed.
❗	Indicates **required** actions that must be performed.
⚠	Indicates **risk of electric shock**.
⚠	Indicates **risk of scalding or burns**.
⚠	Indicates **general risk**.

Using the appliance

⚠ WARNING

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Those in the following categories should not use the appliance without supervision and guidance from others: Individuals with physical disabilities or handicaps; Individuals with mental disabilities; Individuals who lack the appropriate experience and knowledge; Children.
Doing so may cause scalding (or burns), injury, or electric shock.

Do not spray water onto or submerge the appliance.
Doing so may cause fire, electric shock, or malfunction.

Do not touch the metal part of the kettle connector or the power base connector, and do not insert pins or other metal objects into the hole.
Doing so may cause scalding (or burns) or electric shock.

Do not look directly into the spout or turn the spout towards others.
Doing so may cause scalding (or burns) or injury.

Do not disassemble or modify the appliance.
Doing so may cause fire or electric shock.

Do not use in other countries than the U.S.
This may cause fire or malfunction.

Do not use anything other than the dedicated power base.
Doing so may cause fire, scalding (or burns), or electric shock.

Do not drop or subject the appliance to impacts.
Doing so may cause fire, scalding (or burns), electric shock, injury, or malfunction.

Do not use the appliance for any purpose other than those recommended in this instruction manual and by BALMUDA.
Doing so may cause accidents such as fire or electric shock. BALMUDA accepts no responsibility in case of improper use or failure to follow these instructions.

Close the lid tightly.
Failure to do so may cause the automatic OFF function not to work properly. This prevents the power from turning off automatically after boiling, and will cause fire. Failing to close the lid may also cause the lid to come off, hot water to leak, and scalding (or burns).

Keep the appliance out of reach of infants and children.
Failure to do so may cause fire, scalding (or burns), electric shock, or injury.

Use only the repair services offered through the BALMUDA Support Center (P.11).
Failure to do so may cause fire, scalding (or burns), electric shock, injury, or malfunction.

Stop using the appliance if cracks appear on it, or if the handle becomes loose.
Failure to do so may cause damage to the appliance, resulting in water leakage, causing scalding (or burns) or electric shock.

⚠ CAUTION

Do not touch any surface other than the handle (including the outer surface, lid, and nozzle) when boiling water or for some time after boiling water.
Doing so may cause scalding and burns.

Do not place your face or hands near the steam vent or spout when boiling water or for some time after boiling.
The escaping steam may cause scalding.

Do not move the appliance holding any part (lid, nozzle, etc.) other than the handle.
Doing so may cause the appliance to fall, resulting in scalding (or burns), injury, or malfunction.

Do not hit or subject the nozzle to any form of impact.
Doing so may cause hot water to leak from the joint of the nozzle, resulting in scalding (or burns).

Do not put any substance other than water inside.
Doing so may cause the fluid to spew out, resulting in scalding (or burns).

Do not tilt the appliance at an extreme angle, and do not tilt in the opposite direction of the spout.
Doing so may cause hot water to leak from the steam vent or the bottom of the appliance, resulting in scalding (or burns).

Do not block the steam vent when boiling water.
Doing so may cause hot water to spew out from the spout, resulting in scalding (or burns).

Fill the appliance with the appropriate amount of water paying close attention to the rated capacity (up to 0.6 L).
Using too little water may cause the appliance to dry out, resulting in malfunction. Using too much water may cause hot water to overflow, resulting in scalding (or burns).

Stop using the appliance if the nozzle becomes loose.
Failing to do so may cause water to leak, resulting in scalding (or burns) or electric shock.

Place the appliance in a location which is not accessible to pets or near curtains.
Failure to do so may cause the appliance to fall over, resulting in scalding (or burns) or injury.

Power supply and power cord

⚠ WARNING

Do not replace the power cord yourself. Doing so may cause fire or electric shock. Please contact the BALMUDA Support Center if the power cord is damaged.

Do not sharply bend, wind, pull, or pinch the power cord.
Doing so may cause fire, burns, or electric shock.

Do not insert or remove the power plug with wet hands.
Doing so may cause electric shock.

Do not leave the power plug in the outlet for extended periods.
Doing so may cause fire due to accumulation of dust.

Do not touch the metal parts of the power plug or the power base with wet hands.
Doing so may cause electric shock.

Never use a damaged power plug/cord.
Doing so may result in a fire or electric shock.

Use an outlet that meets the appliance rating (10 A /1200 W). Do not plug other electrical devices into the outlet when using the appliance.
Using the appliance with an outlet that does not meet the appliance rating, or on a shared outlet with other devices, may cause overheating, resulting in fire.

Installing the appliance

⚠ WARNING

Do not place the appliance close to any high-temperature objects such as stoves or toasters.
Doing so may cause electric shock due to deformation or breakage.

Do not place the appliance on any kind of range, stove, cooktop or any sort of heater.
Doing so may cause fire or malfunction.

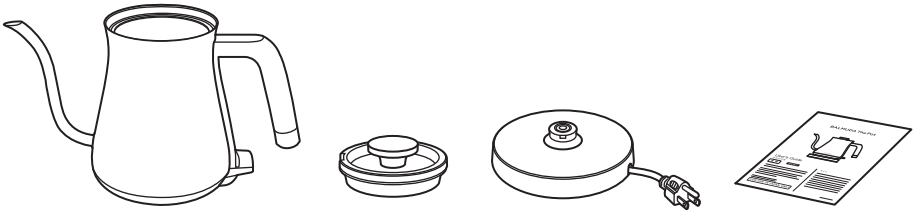
Do not heat the kettle over an open flame.
Doing so may cause fire or malfunction.

Do not use the appliance outside or in humid environments.
Doing so may cause condensation and other circumstances which lead to electrical shock.

⚠ CAUTION

Do not place the appliance in an unstable location.
Doing so may cause the appliance to fall over, resulting in scalding (or burns) or injury.

■ Contents of the package



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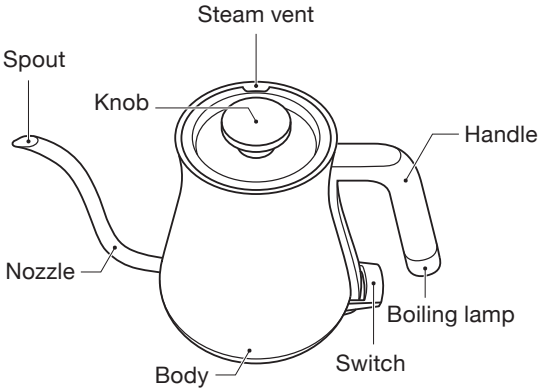
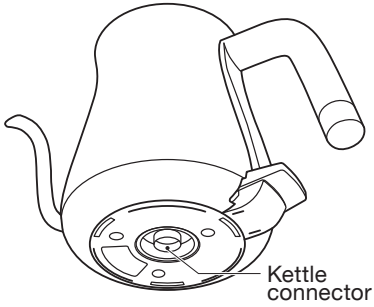
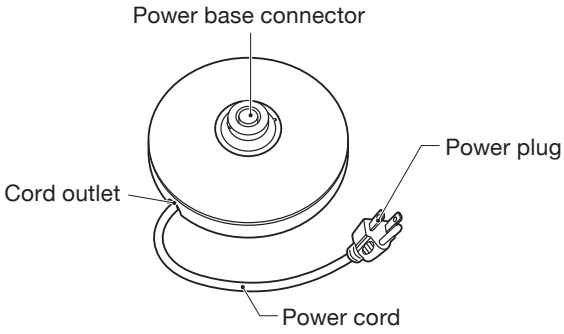
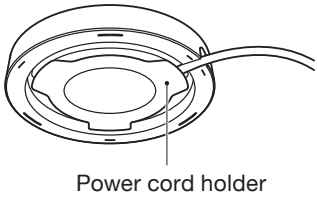
■ Names of parts









■ Before using the appliance

Perform the following procedure more than twice to clean the appliance before using.

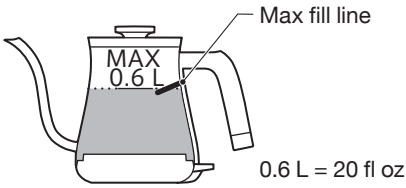
1. Remove the cap on the spout and rinse out the inside of the appliance.
2. Fill the appliance with 0.6 L of water (to the MAX level).
3. Boil the water.
4. Discard the boiled water.

■ Using the appliance

⚠ **While or shortly after using the appliance, its surface, the spout, the area around the steam vent of the lid and the power base is hot. Do not touch these parts.**
Doing so may cause scalding (or burns). Hold the handle when using the appliance.

1 **Remove the lid and fill the appliance with water (up to 0.6 L).**

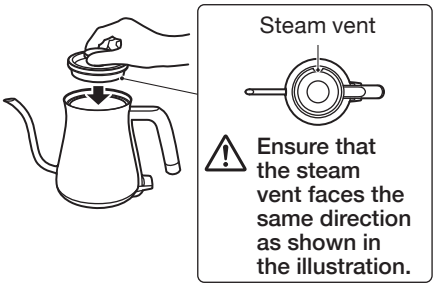


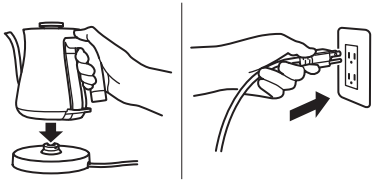


⚠ **Do not fill the appliance with anything other than water.**
Doing so may cause the substance to spurt out, causing scalding (or burns).

⚠ **Do not overfill.**
Do not boil more than 0.6 L of water. Filling above the max fill line may cause boiling water to overflow and spurt out of the spout and cause scalding (or burns).

2 **Close the lid firmly, place the appliance onto the power base, and insert the power plug into the outlet.**

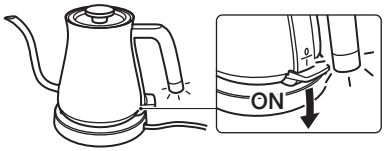


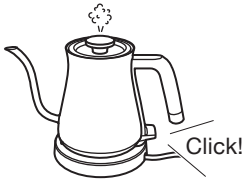


⚠ **Close the lid firmly.**
When the lid is not properly closed, the automatic OFF function may not work and cause the water to dry out. This may cause the appliance to emit smoke and catch fire.

⚠ **Place the power base on a flat and secure surface.**
Failure to do so may cause scalding (or burns) or injury.

3 **Lower the switch to turn on the power.** (The boiling lamp lights up and boiling starts.)
When water has boiled, the power automatically turns off and the boiling lamp goes off. To turn off the power midway, raise the switch or remove the appliance from the power base.



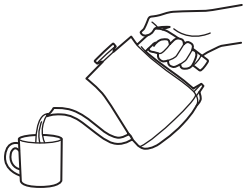


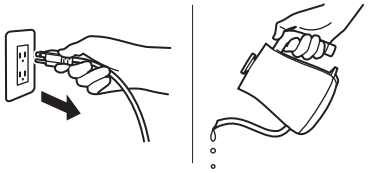
⚠ **Do not open the lid while boiling.**
Hot water may spurt out and cause scalding (or burns) or injury.

⚠ **Do not leave the appliance unattended while boiling.**
If someone touches the appliance without realizing that it is in use, they may scald themselves.

⚠ **Do not place your face or hand near the steam vent while boiling.**
Doing so may cause scalding (or burns).

4 **Pouring hot water.**

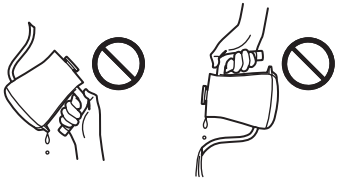


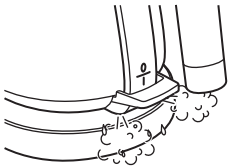


⚠ **Do not over-tilt the appliance while pouring.**
Hot water may leak out of the steam vent, causing scalding (or burns).

After use, unplug and empty the appliance.
Failure to do so may cause discoloring and corrosion inside the appliance.

■ Precautions for use

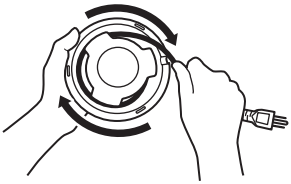




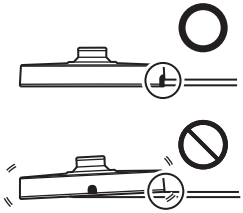
⚠ **Do not over-tilt the appliance.**
Doing so may cause scalding (or burns) due to hot water leaking out of the switch area or steam vent.

Condensation may appear around the switch area. This is not a defect. The appliance will automatically turn off when it detects steam from the switch area.

■ Using the power cord holder



Adjust the cord to a suitable length and store the rest of the cord in the bottom of the power base.



Be sure to line the cord so that it emerges from the indent of the power base and ensure that the power base is used on a flat surface.

■ Cleaning the appliance

Cleaning each part

Kettle (outside) · · · · · · · · · · · · Wipe the kettle with a tightly wrung soft cloth.
Kettle (inside) · · · · · · · · · · · · Rinse the inside of the kettle with water only.
Power supply base · · · · · · · · · Wipe the power base with a tightly wrung soft cloth.

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Be sure to unplug the power cord.
Failure to do so may cause electric shock.

Cool and unplug the appliance before cleaning.
Failure to do so may cause electric shock or scalding (or burns).

Do not submerge the kettle, power base, power cord or power plug in water.
Doing so may cause electric shock or the appliance to emit smoke or catch fire.

Do not use detergent to clean the appliance.
Residue from detergent may lead to malfunction or overflow and cause scalding (or burns) or injuries.

When cleaning the appliance, do not use abrasive detergent, polishing pad or metal brush.
Doing so may peel the surface coating or deteriorate the resin, resulting in smoke emission or fire.

- **Do not use cleanser, benzine, thinners or metal brush to clean the appliance.**
  Doing so may scratch or deform the appliance.
- **Do not wash the whole appliance.**
  Doing so may cause malfunction.
- **Clean and dry all parts before storing the appliance.**
  Store the appliance in a box or in a clean and dry place.
  Store the power cord in the cord holder. Do not wrap the cord around the kettle or the power base.

Descaling

To clean off stains inside of the kettle, follow the procedure below.

Procedure							
	Vinegar (1 to 2 tsp) + Water (0.6 L) (Full) ▶	Start boiling and then leave the kettle for an hour ▶	Empty the kettle ▶	Water (0.6 L) (Full) ▶	Start boiling again ▶	Empty the kettle	
	Cleaning			Rinse			

Frequently Asked Questions

Issue	● Points to check / ▶Solutions
The power does not turn on.	● Is the power plug fully inserted in the outlet? ● Is the kettle placed correctly on the power base? ● Automatic OFF function is in use. ▶ Remove the kettle from the power base to cool, then try again.
The kettle is boiling over.	● Have you filled water exceeding the maximum amount (0.6 L)? ▶ Water amount should not exceed 0.6 L. ● Have you filled the kettle with something other than water? ▶ Do not pour any liquid into the kettle other than water.
The power does not turn off even after the water has boiled.	● Is the lid firmly closed? ▶ Automatic OFF function does not work when the lid is not closed tightly. Close the lid tightly when boiling water.
Water drops are observed on the power base.	▶ While boiling, steam may leak from the switch area and cause condensation. This is not a defect.
The power supply base floods with water.	● Have you filled water exceeding the maximum amount (0.6 L)? ▶ Water amount should not exceed 0.6 L.
The appliance is hot.	▶ This is normal. The appliance reaches very high temperatures. Do not touch any parts of the appliance other than the handle while it is hot.

Warranty Policy and Privacy Policy

For information on warranty and privacy policies, please refer to the BALMUDA website (https://us.balmuda.com).

Product Specifications

Model	K02H Series
Power supply	AC 120 V 60 Hz
Rated power consumption	1200 W
Unit weight	Approx. 2 lb
Unit dimensions	W 10.6 in. × D 5.6 in. × H 7.6 in.
Rated capacity	0.6 L (20 fl oz)
Length of power cord	Approx. 2.5ft
Purpose	Household use, indoor use

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