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## COOL TOUCH ELECTRIC WATER KETTLE

MODEL:SWK-1701DB

### USER INSTRUCTIONS

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Seamless Stainless Steel Interior-Healthy Water  
Cool Touch Exterior-Safe To Use

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# Welcome

Congratulations on purchasing our SECURA COOL TOUCH ELECTRIC WATER KETTLE. Each unit is manufactured to ensure safety and reliability. Before using this appliance for the first time, please read the instruction manual carefully and keep it for future reference.

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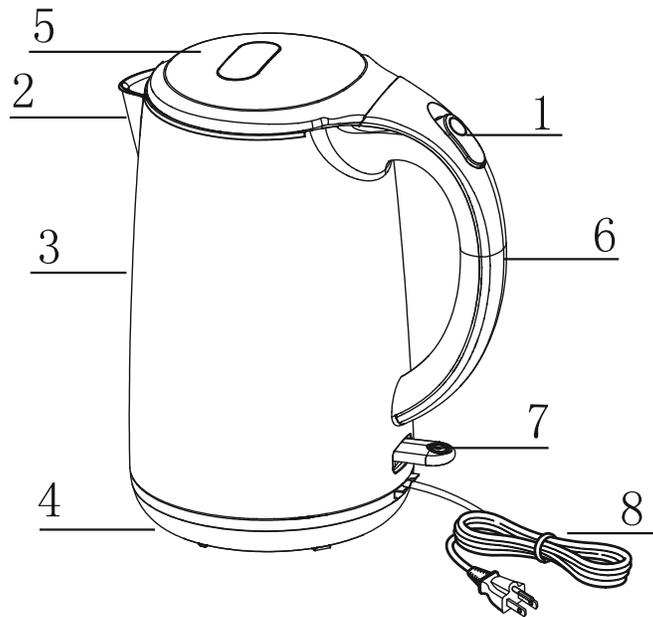
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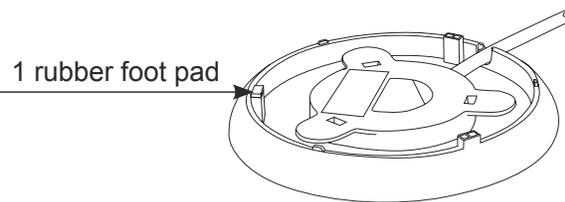
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## PARTS DESCRIPTION



- 1.Lid open button
- 2.Spout
- 3.Kettle body
- 4.Power base (Cord wrap under base)
- 5.Upper lid
- 6.Handle
- 7.Illuminating NO/OFF switch
- 8.Power cord with plug



## IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

When using any electrical appliance, basic safety precautions should always be followed.

Please read and observe the following:

1. Please read the instructions carefully before using this appliance.
  2. Verify the power voltage conforms to the kettle voltage marks on the label.
  3. Use the kettle on flat stable surface, away from any heat source (flame, cooktop, and microwave).
  4. **Do not place the kettle on a wet area or in water – do not operate it with wet hands.**
  5. Only use this kettle to heat water. Never fill kettle with any liquid other than water. Use indoors only. Not for outdoor use.
  6. Do not fill the kettle above the MAX water level (1.7L/7 cups), otherwise boiling water may overflow.
  7. Do not turn ON unless the kettle contains at least 0.5L / 2 cups of water.
  8. Only fill the kettle with cold water.
  9. Do not open the lid while the kettle is in use. **Escaping hot vapour will cause scalding.**
  10. Check that the lid is securely closed before you turn the kettle on, otherwise it may not trigger the auto shut-off and will cause over-heating. (This will start the auto “cut-off protection).
  11. Check to make sure the kettle is securely placed on the power base before it is turned on. Only use the base provided.
  12. **Do not leave this appliance unattended during use. And don't allow unsupervised children near the kettle while in use.**
  13. A short cord is provided to reduce the accidents. Ensure that the cord is safely placed where it can not accidentally get entangled and drag the kettle over.
  14. Be sure the cord not to touch hot surfaces and is away from stove and burners.
  15. Keep the device and cable away from heat, direct sunlight, moisture, sharp edges and anything that can cause damage.
  16. Unplug the unit when not in use. Confirm it is disconnected before you clean it.
  17. Never immerse the unit in water or a dishwasher for cleaning purposes.
- \* Do not allow liquid to get into the electrical parts of this kettle and cord.

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18. Remove the plug from the socket by holding and pulling the connector. Never pull on the cord.
19. DO NOT carry the appliance by the power cord.
20. Use of an extension cord with this appliance is not recommended. However, if a longer extension cord is used:
  - a. The marked electrical rating of the extension cord should be at least as great as the electrical rating of the appliance.
  - b. The longer cord should be arranged so that it will not drape over the countertop or tabletop where it can be pulled by children or tripped over unintentionally.
21. Ensure that the switch is in the "OFF" position after each use.
22. This appliance must not be operated by an external timer or remote control system.
23. The manufacturer does not accept responsibility for any damage or injury caused by incorrect use or repair carried out by unauthorised personnel.
24. In case of technical problems, turn off the machine and do not attempt to repair it yourself.

**Note: This appliance is for household use only.**

## OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Carefully remove your kettle from the box. You may wish to retain the packaging for further use.

### CLEANING BEFORE USING

- Before first use, fill the kettle with cold water to the MAX water level mark, bring to boil and discard the boiling water – do this twice.

This will ensure that any residues left over from the manufacturing process are completely removed.

### POSITIONING THE KETTLE

- Find a flat sturdy surface near a wall outlet, safe from any direct heat source.  
The underside of the power base is fitted with a cable storage feature. This is where you wind and unwind the cord before and after use.
- Unwind the length of the power cable required to reach the wall socket.
- Ensure the power cable does not hang over the work surface edge.

### FILLING THE KETTLE

- Remove the kettle from the power base.
- Open the lid by pressing the lid open button.
- Fill the kettle up to the MAX markings on the water level indicator with cold water. Fill at least 0.5L / 2 cups of water.
- Close the lid and place the kettle back on the power base. Make sure the lid is securely closed before boiling.

**Note:** Always remove the kettle from the power base before filling to ensure water does not get into the electrical circuitry of the base. Do not fill the kettle above the MAX mark.

**Note:** If there is water residue on the housing or the bottom of the kettle, wipe it dry before placing it on the power base.

**Note:** Use purified/deionized water when possible for best taste and to minimize mineral build-up in the kettle.

**Note:** Never fill kettle with any liquid other than water.

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## OPERATING YOUR KETTLE

- Connect the power cord into a 120V power outlet.
- Turn your kettle ON by pressing ON/OFF switch down. The LED will light up, indicating that the heating and boiling process has begun.
- The kettle's "auto shut-off" function will launch after the water has boiled. You can stop the boiling process at any time by lifting up the ON/OFF switch to the "OFF" position or simply lifting the kettle off the base (use care when handling kettle filled with hot water).
- Unplug the kettle after use.
- Remove the kettle from the power base.
- Carefully pour the water.
- Return the kettle to the base.

## OVER HEATING AND SAFETY CUT-OFF

If there is no water or insufficient water in the kettle, a safety cut-off will automatically disconnect the power supply if heating element overheats. This safety mechanism can protect the kettle from being damaged by overheating.

- If the above situation happens, please turn off the power supply, unplug the kettle and wait 10 minutes for it to cool down. Once this is cooled down, the temperature controller reconnects and the kettle will operate normally again.

**Warning:** Do not add cold water in the kettle in an attempt to cool it down quicker – this will reduce the life span of the kettle's heating plate.

## Tips and Notes:

- Unibody Seamless stainless steel interior and cool touch exterior
- The kettle's interior is made of seamless high quality 18/10 stainless steel for healthy and quick boiling. The stainless steel housing is then wrapped by one thick layer of cool touch exterior which makes the kettle safe to touch even with a pot of hot water inside.
- Wide opening at the top, easy for reaching the bottom to clean the interior build-up.
  - Always remove the kettle from the base before pouring.
  - To avoid the risk of splashing, pour slowly and do not over-tilt the kettle.
  - When you lift the kettle, you may see moisture on the base. Do not worry – it's the steam used to switch the kettle off automatically, which then condenses and escapes via vents under the kettle.
  - You may see some discolouration on the bottom of the kettle interior. Again, do not worry – it is due to the bonding of the element to the kettle floor. Clean the kettle interior using "Bar Keeper's Friend". Refer to Cleaning and Maintenance section of this manual.

## CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE

**NOTE:** Unplug the base from the wall socket, and let the kettle cool down before cleaning.

### **Exterior Cleaning:**

- Use a soft damp cloth wipe the exterior. Do not use any abrasive cleansers or scouring pads as this will damage or scratch the surface of the device.
- Clean the base with a damp cloth.
- Keep all connectors and sockets dry.

### **Interior Cleaning:**

The interior of Secura water kettle is made of high quality stainless steel. There is no plastic in contact with hot water, which provides you with safe daily use. There are no coatings and this ensures that your water kettle will enjoy a substantially longer life and will operate at higher levels of efficiency. Cleaning is something that should be done regularly. We suggest that owners rely on “Bar Keeper's Friend Stainless Steel Cleaner and polish” to keep the stainless steel interior in top condition. We also recommend the use of purified or deionized water for the best results.

- To remove stubborn spots/marks, wipe the surfaces with a cloth slightly dampened and Bar Keeper's Friend (follow closely to the instructions on the bottle of the cleaner) or other mild non-abrasive cleaner. Rinse and wipe with a clean, dry, soft cloth.
- Do not use harsh or abrasive cleaning agents or solvents.
- Do not open, change or service any parts by yourself.

When water is boiled, minerals dissolved in water start to form deposits on the bottom of the kettle. We recommend that you descale your kettle regularly, even in soft water areas. Lime scale may be white, coloured, or even rusty-looking, but it is normally visible. Phosphate scale is not generally visible, but there is always a build-up, even in soft water areas. Any build-up of scale may cause overheating, which reduces the life of the heating element, and may trigger the boil-dry protection. So, even in a soft water area, descale at least monthly, to help keeping your kettle in working order.

## STORE YOUR APPLIANCE

- Unplug the unit from the wall outlet and clean all the parts as instructed above. Ensure that all parts are dry before storing.
- Store the appliance in its box or in a clean, dry place.
- Never store the appliance while it is still wet or dirty.
- Never wrap the power cord around the appliance.

## SPECIFICATIONS

<b>Model #</b>	SWK-1701DB
<b>Voltage</b>	120V 60Hz
<b>Wattage</b>	1500W
<b>Capacity</b>	1.7 Liter /1.8 Quart
<b>Product Dimension</b>	9" x 6.5" x 11" / 23cm x 16cm x 28cm
<b>Package Dimension</b>	8.1" x 7.5" x 10.5" / 20.3cm x 18.8cm x 26.7cm

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## *Manufacturer's Limited Warranty*

The Manufacturer of the product warrants to the original purchaser of this product from an authorized reseller or distributor that this product will be free from defects in material and workmanship under normal use and service for 2 year after date of purchase. Manufacturer will, at its option, repair or replace with new or refurbished product. The manufacturer reserves the right, before having any obligation under this limited warranty, to inspect the damaged product, and all costs of shipping the damaged product for inspection and warranty service shall be borne solely by the purchaser.

The manufacturer's limited warranty is valid only in accordance with the following conditions:

1. The product is purchased directly from manufacturer or an authorized reseller. The warranty is not transferable, only the original purchaser is covered by this warranty.
2. This warranty is void when the product is used in a commercial or institutional use.
3. This warranty is void if the product has been subject to misuse, abuse, negligence, unauthorized modification or repair, or accident. Normal wear and tear are not covered by this warranty.
4. Purchaser must present acceptable proof of original receipt for the product.
5. This warranty does not affect any other legal rights you may have by operation of law.

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