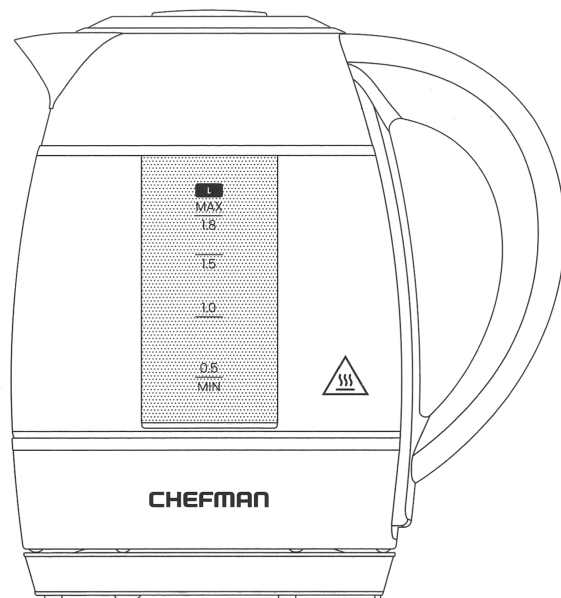


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## Custom-Temp 1.8L Digital Kettle



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### READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE USE

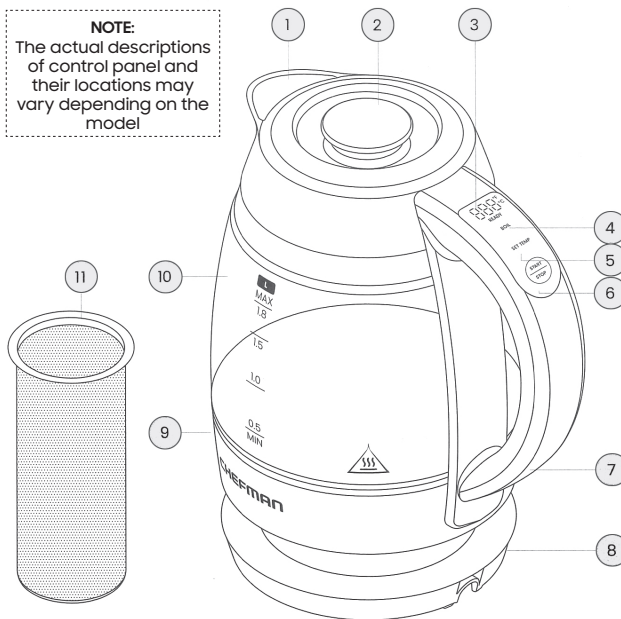
For your safety and continued enjoyment of this product, always read the instruction manual before using.

## Get to Know Your Kettle

1. Drip-free spout (with filter)
2. Removable lid
3. Temperature display
4. BOIL button
5. SET TEMP button
6. START | STOP button
7. Stay-cool handle
8. 360° swivel power base
9. Tricolor LED indicator lights
10. Borosilicate glass kettle (with water-level markings)
11. Tea infuser (attaches to lid)

Accessory type and quantity may vary depending on the model.

**NOTE:**  
The actual descriptions of control panel and their locations may vary depending on the model



**NOTE:** In order to ensure the highest possible standard for refurbished items, all units are thoroughly inspected as part of the process. For this item, water may be used during the refurbishing process and so; you may notice some condensation in the water reservoir. It is recommended to rinse the water reservoir with fresh water prior to its first use.

## SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS & IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

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

1. Read all instructions.
2. **Do NOT** touch hot surfaces. Use handles or knobs.
3. To protect against fire, electrical shock, and injury to persons, do not immerse the cord, plug, charging base, or unit in water or other liquids.
4. Close supervision is necessary when any appliance is used by or near children.
5. Unplug from the outlet when not in use and before cleaning. Allow to cool before putting on or taking off parts, and before cleaning the appliance.
6. **Do NOT** operate any appliance with a damaged cord or plug, or after the appliance malfunctions or has been damaged in any manner. If this should occur, contact a service center.
7. The use of accessory attachments not recommended by Chefman may result in fire, electrical 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 unit near or on any type of heat source, such as a gas or electric burner, stove, or oven, even if not on. Do not use near an open flame or flammable materials.

12. Do not use the appliance for other than its intended use.
13. Scalding may occur if the lid is opened during the heating cycle.
14. Ensure the lid is securely closed before serving any beverages.
15. **Do NOT** set a hot container on a wet or cold surface.
16. **Do NOT** use a cracked container or a container having a loose or weakened handle.
17. **Do NOT** clean the container with cleansers, steel wool pads, or other abrasive materials.

## SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS FOR HOUSEHOLD USE ONLY

## SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS & IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

**WARNING:** This appliance has a polarized plug (one blade is wider than the other). This plug is intended to fit into a polarized outlet only one way. If the plug does not fit fully into 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 or force it into the outlet. This could result in injury or electrical shock.

### Short Cord Instructions

A short power-supply cord is provided to reduce the hazards of entanglement or tripping over a longer cord. Longer detachable power-supply cords or extension cords are available and may be used if care is exercised in their use. If a longer detachable power-supply extension cord is used:

1. The marked electrical rating of the extension cord should be at least as great as the electrical rating of the appliance.
2. The longer cord should be arranged so that it will not drape over the countertop or tabletop where it can be pulled on by children or tripped over.

### Power Cord Safety Tips

1. Never pull or yank on the cord or the appliance.
2. To insert the plug, grasp it firmly and guide it into the outlet.
3. To disconnect the appliance, grasp the plug and remove it from the outlet.
4. Never use the product if the power cord shows signs of abrasion or excessive wear. Contact a service center.
5. Never wrap the cord tightly around the appliance, as this could place undue stress on the cord where it enters the appliance and cause it to fray and break.

**DO NOT OPERATE THE APPLIANCE IF THE POWER CORD SHOWS ANY DAMAGE OR IF THE APPLIANCE WORKS INTERMITTENTLY OR STOPS WORKING ENTIRELY.**

**California Proposition 65:**  
(Applicable for California Residents only)  
**WARNING:** Cancer and Reproductive Harm  
[www.P65Warnings.ca.gov](http://www.P65Warnings.ca.gov)



Do not place the appliance on a stovetop or any other heatable surface, even if stovetop is not on. Doing so is a fire hazard.



## Before First Use



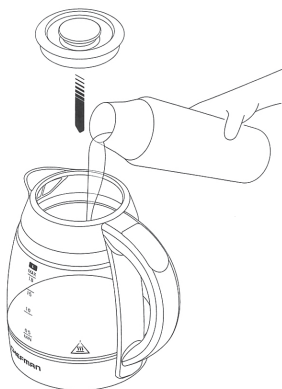
To rinse the pot of any packing debris, "brew" a pot of plain water without tea. To do so, follow the directions below.

1. Remove all packing materials. Be sure that all parts are included before discarding any packaging.
2. Pull out the power cord from the compartment under the base, and place the base on a flat surface. (Make sure the power cord comes out of the opening in the base so the unit can sit level.)
3. To rinse the pot of any manufacturing residue, "brew" a pot of plain water without tea. To do so, lift off the lid and fill the kettle with water to the **MAX** line.
4. Put the lid with the infuser attached (but empty) back on the kettle. Place the kettle on the base unit, and plug it into a power outlet.
5. To switch between Fahrenheit and Celsius, if desired, press and hold the **SET TEMP** button for 3 seconds. Turn the kettle on by pressing **START | STOP**. The red LED lights inside the kettle will illuminate to indicate the water is heating.
6. Once the kettle boils, empty it (discarding the water), then rinse it with fresh water.

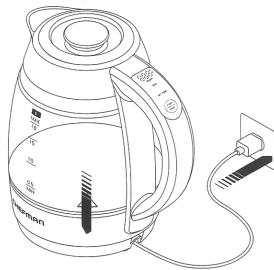
## Quick Start: How to Use the Kettle

### How to make tea with the infuser

1. Place the base on a flat surface.
2. Remove the kettle's lid. Remove the infuser from the lid by twisting it and sliding it in the direction indicated on the lid.
3. Fill the kettle to at least the **MIN** line (0.5 litres) and not above the **MAX** line (1.8 litres) with cold, fresh water. Return just the lid to the pot.

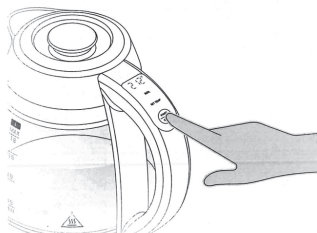


4. Set the kettle on its base and plug in the unit. The kettle will beep once and the LED ring near the kettle's base will light up in white, meaning it's in Standby mode.

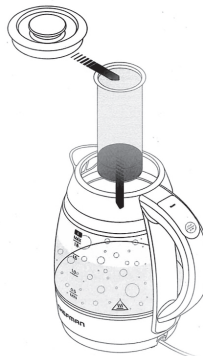


5. After 2 seconds, the default temperature of 212°F will display on the screen (after first use, the kettle will default to your previously used temperature). To choose a different temperature, press the **SET TEMP** button repeatedly to toggle through the available choices (see table on p. 12). You can also press the **BOIL** button to quickly jump to 212°F (full boil). To switch between Fahrenheit and Celsius, press and hold the **SET TEMP** button for 3 seconds.

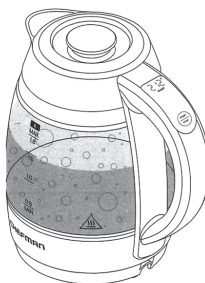
6. When your desired temperature displays on the screen, press **START | STOP** to begin heating. The LED ring at the base will turn red, to indicate it's heating. During heating, the water's current temperature will display on the screen.
9. Carefully lift off the kettle lid. Slide the tea-filled infuser onto the underside of the lid (a slight twist helps), insert it into the kettle, and press the lid to close.



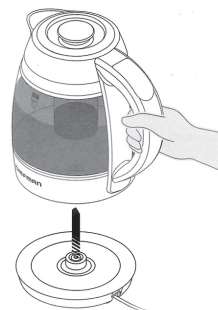
7. Meanwhile, add tea to the infuser. Use loose tea (about 2 teaspoons per cup) or tea bags based on the amount of water you're heating. (Wait to insert the infuser until the desired temperature has been reached.)
10. Let tea steep according to directions or as you like. When finished steeping, remove from the base and serve.



8. When the kettle reaches the desired temperature, the kettle will beep three times, **READY** will display in green on the panel, and the LED ring at the kettle's base will turn green.



11. If you would like to remove the infuser and return the lid to the pot, carefully lift off the lid, then let the infuser cool (you can run it under water). Carefully twist/pull the infuser off, and return the lid to the kettle.



### How to heat water without making tea

Follow the directions for making tea with the infuser but leave the tea and infuser out of the kettle. Use hot water as desired.

### Boil-dry protection

The kettle comes equipped with boil-dry protection. While you should never heat the kettle without water at least to the **MIN** line (0.5 litres), should the unit go dry or start without water, it will automatically shut off completely to avoid damaging the heating element. It will not come back on, even if you replace it on the base, until it has cooled down.

### Automatic Keep Hot function

As soon as the kettle comes to a boil, its LED lights switch from red to green, indicating that it is in Keep Hot mode. The kettle will keep your water or tea hot for up to 1 hour. Lifting the kettle from its base will turn the Keep Hot function off.

### Mute function

To mute the kettle's beeps, press and hold the **BOIL** button for 5 seconds. To turn the sound back on, simply press and hold the same button again for 5 seconds.

### Brewing Temperature Guide

The chart below is intended as a starting point for brewing your perfect cup of tea. You may need to vary the amount of tea and steeping times based on the kind of tea, the size of the leaves, and your personal preference. The kettle also heats water to the perfect temperature for pour-over coffee (use a pour-over decanter and filter setup; do not put coffee in the tea infuser).

| Beverage Type | Recommended Temperature (°F) |
|---------------|------------------------------|
| Delicate      | 160–165°F                    |
| Green         | 175°F                        |
| White         | 185°F                        |
| Oolong        | 195°F                        |
| Coffee        | 205°F                        |
| Herbal        | 212°F                        |
| Black         | 212°F                        |

## Keep It Clean

1. Unplug the kettle and allow it to cool completely before cleaning.
2. Clean the interior of the kettle as needed by removing the infuser and carefully washing the inside with soapy water. Rinse the inside of the kettle thoroughly. Wipe the outside of the kettle and power base with a damp cloth. **WARNING:** Never immerse the kettle or power base in water or wash in the dishwasher; doing so will damage the unit.
3. To clean the spout filter, rinse it under hot water while gently rubbing it with a clean cloth or brush. Do not remove the filter from the spout.
4. Wash the tea infuser in warm, soapy water and rinse thoroughly; the infuser is not dishwasher safe.

**NOTE:** Reheating tea in your kettle may result in a bronze-colored tea stain on the kettle. This is caused by tea residue that adheres when reheated at high temperatures. To avoid tea-staining, do not reheat the same pot of tea twice, and always rinse the inside of your kettle before each brew. To remove the bronze-colored staining, add a small amount of food-grade white vinegar to a fresh kettle full of water and boil. After boiling, allow the kettle to cool, discard the water, and thoroughly wash and dry the kettle before your next use.

### Decalcifying

Due to minerals in water, deposits may form on the base of the kettle and cause discoloration. To get the best performance from your kettle, decalcify it from time to time. Frequency will depend on the hardness of your water and how often you use the kettle. You can either use a commercial descaler (following the package directions) or use vinegar and water, and follow the directions below:

1. Fill the kettle with enough white vinegar to cover the bottom by about 13 mm (½ inch). Heat the vinegar to a boil.
2. Repeat this process with fresh vinegar until all deposits are removed.
3. When the descaling process is complete, empty the kettle and rinse it out several times with clean water.

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