

POINTBLACK

MACCHINA CAFFÈ SISTEMA POINT
POINT SYSTEM COFFEE MACHINE

Manuale d'uso e manutenzione
User Manual



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SPECIFICATIONS

Model	POINT BLACK - 3A-C231E-PE
Power	1200 W
Voltage	AC220-240 V
Frequency	50-60 Hz
Water tank capacity	750 ml
Used capsules container	15 pieces capacity
Approximate weight	3.85 kg
Product dimensions	L332 X W150 X H267 mm



SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS



Read these instructions carefully, because they contain important information about safety of installation, use and maintenance. Keep this booklet carefully for consulting when you need it.

- In case of an emergency: immediately remove the plug from the power socket.
- Children can never use the appliance without close adult supervision.
- Check that the voltage quoted on the rating plate is as same as your mains voltage.
- Connect your appliance only to an earthed power sockets.
- The use of incorrect connections voids the warranty!

This appliance must be used by children aged from 8 years and above if they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance in a safe way and if they understand the hazards involved. Cleaning and user maintenance must not be made by children unless they are older than 8 and supervised. Keep the appliance and its cord out of reach of children aged less than 8 years.

The appliances must not be used by persons with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities or lack of experience and knowledge if they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance in a safe way and understand the hazards involved.

Children must be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the appliance.

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.

This appliance shall not be placed in a cabinet when in use.



Packing materials (cardboard, cellophane, metal staples etc.) could cut or cause injury if not handled carefully or if used incorrectly; keep them out of the reach of children or unskilled persons.

- Before using the appliance, check that the mechanical and other parts of the appliance are intact. The body of the appliance, water tank cover, tank and brewing unit must never be broken or cracked. The sheath and plug of the power cord must never be cracked or broken. If this should occur, disconnect the plug immediately and must take the appliance to an authorized dealer for checking.
- Before using, remove all protective films from the outside walls of its body.

- The electrical safety of this appliance is only assured when it is connected to an efficient earth system, in accordance with the safety regulations in force. Have this important requirement checked by a qualified person. The manufacturer can not be held responsible for damage caused by lack of an earth.
- Flying leads or non-approved extensions must not be used for supplying electricity to the appliance.
- Never immerse the appliance, cable, or plug in water or any liquid.
- Never leave the cable near or in contact with hot parts of the appliance, a source of heat, or a sharp edge.
- Never place the appliance on a hot surface, e.g. a heating plate.
- Place the appliance on a flat, stable, heat resistant surface away from water splashes.
- The first time the appliance is used there might be some smell caused by the insulating materials and the heating elements. This disappears after a few minutes.
- Do not use or put the appliance out of doors or near water or around an open flame.
- Do not use the appliance with bare feet and wet hands.
- Do not move the appliance while it is working.
- Do not place anything on top of the appliance while it is working.
- Do not touch the hot parts while it is working.
- Be aware of possible splashes of hot coffee while it is working.
- Do not open handle while brewing coffee.
- The power plug must always be easy to get at in case the appliance has to be disconnected while it is working.
- Do not disconnect the appliance by pulling the power cord.
- Do not leave the machine without water in the tank.
- Do not leave the machine in rooms where the temperature is 0°C or lower.
- If you are planning not to use the machine for a fairly long time, leave no water in the tank.
- Remove the plug from the main socket if you will not be using the appliance for an extended time (holidays).
- Before cleaning and servicing, remove the plug from the main socket and let the appliance cool down.
- This appliance is designed for making coffee. It must not be used for other purposes and must not be altered or tampered with for any reason. Use for any other purpose is considered improper and therefore dangerous. The manufacturer can not be held responsible for any damages resulting from improper, erroneous or unreasonable use.



The manufacturer states that the product referred to in this booklet was manufactured in compliance with the Community Directives as shown in the declaration of conformity attached to this booklet.

**SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS
FOR HOUSEHOLD ONLY**



KNOW YOUR COFFEE MACHINE

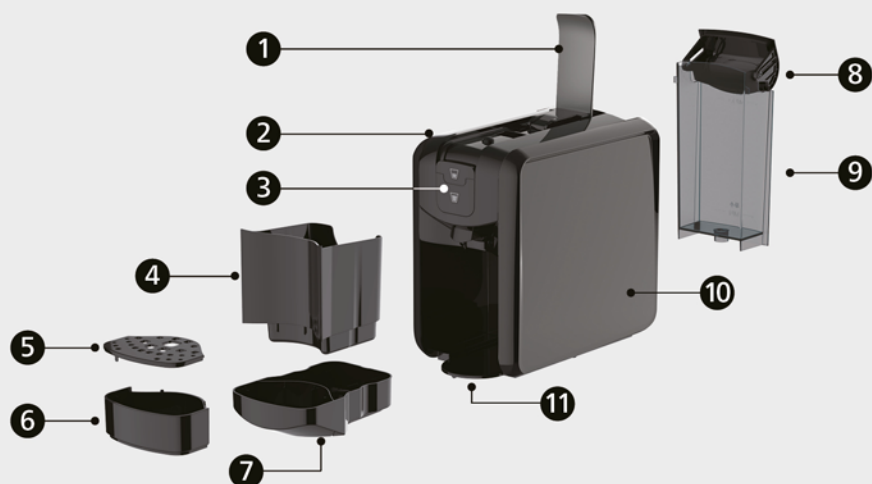


Fig.1: Components

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|----------------------|-------------------|
| 1 Handle | 7 Under Drip Tray |
| 2 Top Panel | 8 Water Tank Lid |
| 3 Coffee Buttons | 9 Water tank |
| 4 Used Pod Container | 10 Side Panels |
| 5 Drip Tray Lid | 11 Base |
| 6 Upper Drip Tray | |



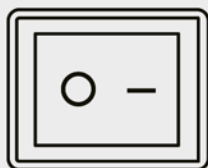
COFFEE BUTTONS (Front)



A Espresso button

B Lungo button

POWER BUTTON (Back)



C Power button



OPERATE YOUR COFFEE MACHINE

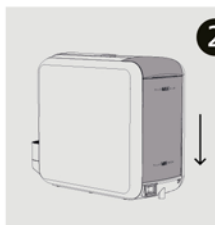
BEFORE FIRST USE

- Before first use, ensure you have all parts and accessories-the body of the machine, water tank lid, water tank, used pod container, drip tray lid and drip trays.
- Place the machine on the flat and stable surface, away from water, flames and heat sources.
- Make sure the used pod container, the drip trays and the water tank are in the proper positions.

FIRST USE OR AFTER A LONGER PERIOD OF NON-USE



- 1** Remove the water tank and fill it with approx. 750ml fresh water.



- 2** Reinsert the water tank correctly to the machine.



- 3** Take out the plug cable and put it into socket.



- 4** Turn on the machine by pressing the power button on the back of the machine.



- 5 Preheating:**
The "Espresso" and "Lungo" buttons start to flash with white lights simultaneously.



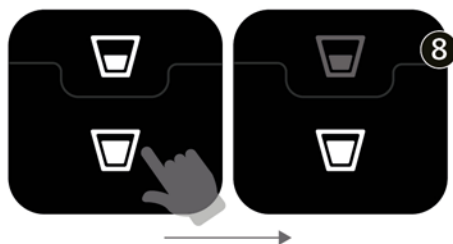
- 6 Ready to Use Mode**
When the lights stay white, it's in Ready to Use Mode.



OPERATE YOUR COFFEE MACHINE



Remove the upper drip tray and place a glass under the coffee spout.



Cleaning Coffee Tube

- Press the "Lungo" button to clean coffee tube.
- It will stop automatically when it reaches the Pre-set volume.

NOTE: Make sure the handle is down without pod in the machine.



The water level should be lower than the MAX. level and higher than the MIN. level. If the handle is open when turn on the machine, it will appear a "handle not close" alarm: the "Espresso" button and "Lungo" button flash with orange lights simultaneously. You must close the handle, or the machine will not work.

EXTRACTING COFFEE



In Ready to Use Mode, raise the handle all the way up. Insert a coffee pod into the pod window according to the shape of the hole.



Lower the handle all the way down.



Small Cup
Place a cup under the coffee spout.



Big Cup
If your cup is high, remove the upper drip tray and place the cup under the coffee spout.

**"Espresso"**

- Press the "Espresso" button to extract coffee.
- It will stop automatically when it reaches the Pre-set volume.

**"Lungo"**

- Press the "Lungo" button to extract coffee.
- It will stop automatically when it reaches the Pre-set volume

NOTE: You can also stop it by pressing any extraction button.



Never insert fingers or objects into the pod window.
Never open the handle while the machine is extracting.



PRE-SET THE VOLUME OF THE COFFEE

PRE-SET THE "ESPRESSO" BUTTON (15-40 seconds)



In Ready to Use Mode, press and hold the "Espresso" button for more than **3 secs.**



It starts to extract coffee. The "Espresso" button starts to flash with a white light and the "Lungo" button stays on.



When it reaches the desired volume, press the "Espresso" button again to stop extracting. The machine will memorise and work with the new volume.



The machine automatically turns to Ready to Use Mode.

- NOTE:
- If you press the "Espresso" button to stop extraction before the volume reaches 15 seconds, the pre-set volume will be rounded up to approximately 15 seconds.
 - If you don't press the "Espresso" button to stop extraction, it will automatically stop when the volume reaches approximately 75 seconds.

PRE-SET THE VOLUME OF THE COFFEE

PRE-SET THE "LUNGO" BUTTON (30-60 seconds)



1 In Ready to Use Mode, press and hold the "Lungo" button for more than **3 secs.**



2 It starts to extract coffee. The "Lungo" button starts to flash with a white light and the "Espresso" button stays on.



3 When it reaches the desired volume, press the "Lungo" button again to stop extracting. The machine will memorise and work with the new volume.



4 The machine automatically turns to Ready to Use Mode.

NOTE:

- If you press the "Lungo" button to stop extraction before the volume reaches 15 seconds, the pre-set volume will be rounded up to approximately 15 seconds.
- If you don't press the "Lungo" button to stop extraction, it will automatically stop when the volume reaches approximately 75 seconds.



RESET FACTORY SETTING

RESET FACTORY SETTING



1 In Ready to Use Mode, raise the handle all the way up.



2 Simultaneously press and hold the "Espresso" and "Lungo" buttons for more than **3 secs.**



3 Both extraction buttons flash with white lights for **3 times** to indicate the resetting has done.



4 The machine automatically turns to Ready to Use Mode.

NOTE:

- The Espresso default volume: approx. 35 seconds
- The Lungo default volume: approx. 50 seconds



ALARMS AND MALFUNCTION

HANDLE NOT CLOSE ALARM



If the handle is open when turn on the machine or during pre-heating, it will appear a "handle not close" alarm:

- The "Espresso" button and "Lungo" button flash with orange lights simultaneously.
- **The machine does not work.**

You must close the handle, and the alarm disappears.

NTC MALFUNCTION



When there is a malfunction in NTC, it appears a NTC MALFUNCTION:

- The "Espresso" and "Lungo" buttons stay orange.
- **The machine does not work.**

You must turn off the machine and turn it back on after 2 minutes. If the problem persists, please contact **Customer Service**.



CUSTOMER SERVICE CENTER: To request information about the customer service center, please contact Agostani srl at the telephone number: **0341/530409** or by email: **info@caff eagostani.com**



DESCALING

It is recommended to descale every 6 months or after 500 extractions. Please do the descaling as follows:



Empty the tank and fill it with a decalcification product dissolved in water as specified on the decalcification package.



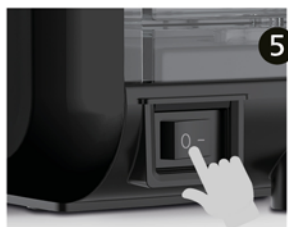
Raise and lower the handle to let the used capsule drop into the used capsules container.



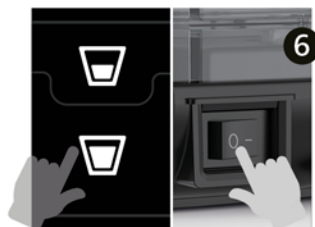
Empty the inner used capsule drawer. Turn on the machine and place a container under the spout.

 DESCALING

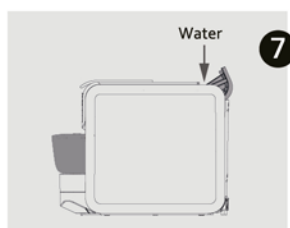

Press the "Lungo" coffee dispenser button and fill a cup-ful.



Turn off the machine, let it sit for 3 - 5 minutes.



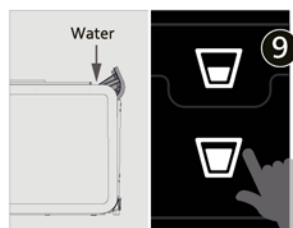
Turn on and repeat operations [4] and [5] until the tank is empty.



Remove the tank, wash and fill it up with fresh drinking water, then fit the tank back into place and put a container below the supplying device.



Wait until the machine heats up, press the "Lungo" coffee dispenser button and let it run until the tank is empty.



Repeat steps [7] and [8] described above.

N.B. If the decalcifier instructions provide for a greater amount than two tanks of this machine for rinsing, repeat steps [7] and [8] again.

NOTE: To decalcify the machine, you will have to use a decalcifier (of the non-toxic and non-harmful type) available on the market, expressly intended for coffee machines and guaranteed in compliance with the standards and regulations in force.



Never use vinegar as a decalcifying agent. Do not swallow or cause any other person to swallow the decalcifier. Burning hazard, the decalcifying solution will be supplied at high temperatures.



STANDBY



In Ready to Use Mode, if the machine is not operated for more than 10 minutes, it will enter the Standby Mode and all buttons turns off.

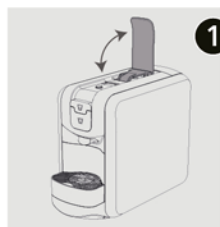
You can press any extraction button to activate the machine.



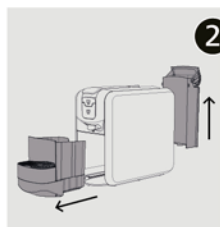
CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE

NOTE:

- Ensure the machine is unplugged before cleaning.
- To avoid electric shock, do not immerse the lead, plug or machine in water or any other liquid.
- Do not use abrasive or solvent-based cleaning agents.
- Do not use metal objects to remove encrustations or coffee deposits as they could scratch metal or plastic surfaces.



1
Raise and lower the handle to let the used pod drop into the used pod container.



2
Remove and empty the drip trays, used pod container and water tank.



3
Rinse them in water and dried with a soft clean cloth.



4
Clean the outer surfaces of the machine body with a damp cloth.

NOTE:

Empty the used pod container regularly (every 15 extractions of extractions) to prevent damage to the machine and poor functioning.



WASTE DISPOSAL

The appliance is made of high-quality materials that can be reused or recycled.

Please take the appliance to a designated collection point.

Local authorities provide information on disposal.



TROUBLE SHOOTING

If the machine is not working properly, please make the simple checks set out as follows:

PROBLEM	POSSIBLE CAUSE	SOLUTION
No light indicator after pressing the buttons.	The machine is not connected electrically.	Check the power button, power outlet, plug and voltage.
	Turn on the machine too quickly after turning off.	Please wait for at least 10 secs to turn on the machine after turning off. If it still exists, please contact Customer Service.
Coffee is not hot enough.	The cup and machine are not warmed up before extraction.	Warm up the cup, and (or) warm up the machine without pod by pressing any button before extraction.
	Scale builds up in the machine.	Descale if necessary. Please refer to Descaling instruction.
Coffee flows very slow.	Excessive resistance in the machine.	Clean and descale if necessary. Please refer to Cleaning and Descaling instructions. If it still exists, please contact Customer Service.
No coffee comes out.	The water tank is lack of water.	Refill the water tank.
	The water tank is wrongly positioned.	Remove and replace the water tank.
	Scale builds up in the machine.	Descale if necessary. Please refer to Descaling instruction. If it still exists, please contact Customer Service.
Water leaks from the base.	The drip tray overflow	Empty the drip tray. If it still exists, please contact Customer Service

NOTE:

If the problem is not among those listed or if it still exists after you follow the instructions given, please contact Customer Service.



WARRANTY

Agostani Srl warrants this product against any defects in workmanship or materials for a period of two years from the date of purchase. During this period (legal warranty), Agostani Srl, at its discretion, will repair or replace the appliance free of charge if a defect is found.

Replaced products or repaired components will be warranted only for the unexpired portion of the original warranty or for the subsequent six months, whichever is longer.

To the extent permitted by applicable law, this warranty does not apply to defects caused by damage, improper use, inadequate maintenance, or normal wear and tear.

The terms of this warranty do not exclude, reduce, or modify any provisions of applicable law applicable to the sale of the product to consumers.

If you believe the product is defective, please contact the Agostani Srl customer service center at +39 0341 530409 or by email at info@caffeagostani.com



The company will not be responsible for any damages in the following cases:

- incorrect use and not in conformity with the intended purpose;
- repairs made by other than an authorised service facility;
- tampering with the power cable;
- tampering with any part of the machine;
- use of spare parts and accessories other than the originals;
- failure to decalcify or descaling with vinegar as a descaler;
- storage in a place at a temperature below 4°C;
- use below 5° C;
- use over 40° C;
- use of capsules other than those indicated.

The guarantee is no longer valid in these cases.



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