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DESCALING:

- Ensures that your coffee always has the best taste possible
- Allows your machine to function optimally for longer
- Prevents blocking, reduces risk of damage and ensures an optimal temperature

You should maintain your coffee machine by descaling at least every 3 months, or up to once a month if you live in an area where the water is hard.

DILUTION RATIOS:

- URNEX LIQUID DESCALER: 1/3 of the bottle into 1L of cold water
- URNEX DEZCAL: 1 packet in 1L of lukewarm water, well dissolved
- CAFETTO RESTORE: 1 packet in 1L of lukewarm water, well dissolved
- CAFETTO LOD GREEN: 200mL of product in 1L cold water

WARNINGS:

- Always use a descaling agent formulated for use with coffee and espresso machines. The use of other products can cause damage, blockages, and leave undesirable odors inside your machine.
- If your machine has an aluminum boiler (ex: Gaggia), check that the selected product is safe for that material.
- Always read product safety notices on the packaging before use.
- In case of blockage during the descaling procedure, turn off the machine, rinse the water tank, and contact your service center.
- It is not recommended to descale dual boiler or heat exchanger machines at home. Using filtered water to limit calcium build up and having a professional cleaning done every 2-5 years is sufficient.

IMPORTANT: In case of major differences, always follow your machine's user manual when it comes to cleaning procedures.

DESCALING A FILTER COFFEE MAKER:

- 1. Dilute product according to packaging instructions.
- 2. Pour the diluted solution in the water tank of the coffee maker and fill to max level.
- 3. Activate the brewing cycle to pass the solution through the heating element, into the empty carafe.
- 4. Discard solution. Rinse all pieces. Repeat step 2 three times using fresh water.

DESCALING A THERMOBLOC ESPRESSO MACHINE:

- 1. Dilute product according to packaging instructions.
- 2. Pour the diluted solution in the water tank of the machine.
- 3. Draw half the solution into an empty container through the steam or hot water spout, as hot water. Do not activate steam thermostat.
- 4. Draw the other half of the solution into the container through the coffee group. Do not leave the portafilter in place during this process.
- 5. Discard solution. Rinse the water tank and fill with fresh water. Draw half the water through the steam or hot water wand and the other half through the coffee group.
- 6. Repeat step 5 three times with fresh water.

DESCALING A SINGLE BOILER ESPRESSO MACHINE:

- 1. Dilute product according to packaging instructions.
- 2. Pour the diluted solution in the water tank of the machine.
- 3. Draw half the solution into an empty container through the steam or hot water spout, as hot water. Do not activate steam thermostat.
- 4. Let the product sit inside the boiler for 30 minutes, to dissolve bigger calcium particles.
- 5. 30 minutes later, draw the other half of the solution into the container through the steam or hot water spout, as hot water. Do not activate steam thermostat.
- 6. Discard solution. Rinse the water tank and fill with fresh water. Draw half the water through the steam or hot water wand and the other half through the coffee group.
- 7. Repeat step 6 three times with fresh water.

DESCALING A DUAL BOILER OR HEAT EXCHANGER ESPRESSO MACHINE:

Do not use descaling agents in these types of machines. Use filtered water to limit calcium buildup and bring the machine in for a professional maintenance every 2-5 years, depending on use.