



# INSTRUCTION MANUAL

## **ELECTRIC WATER KETTLE**

**Model No. XB6168**

**Item # 5942-05**



**PLEASE READ AND SAVE ALL INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY TO ENSURE  
THE SAFE AND EFFECTIVE USE OF THIS APPLIANCE.**

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## IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

When using electrical appliances, the following basic safety precautions should always be followed.

**1. Read and Save all instructions.**

2. Before use, check that the voltage power corresponds to the one shown on the appliance nameplate.
3. Unplug from outlet when not in use and before cleaning. Allow kettle to cool before cleaning the appliance.
4. Do not let cord hang over edge of that table or counter, or touch hot surface.
5. To protect against electric shock, do not immerse cord, plug, power base and kettle in water or other liquid.
6. Close supervision is necessary when any appliance is used by or near children.
7. Do not touch hot surface. Use handle.
8. Do not operate any appliance with a damaged cord or plug or after the appliance malfunctions. Return the appliance to the nearest authorized service center for examination, repair or adjustment.
9. If the supply cord is damaged, it must be replaced by the manufacturer or its service agent or a similarly qualified person in order to avoid a hazard.
10. Do not use outdoors.
11. Do not use the appliance for other than intended use.
12. The kettle can only use with the stand provided.
13. If the kettle is overfilled, boiling water may be ejected.

**SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS!**

## GENERAL SAFETY RULES



**WARNING!** Read and understand all instructions. Failure to follow all instructions listed below may result in electric shock, fire or serious personal injury. The warnings, cautions, and instructions discussed in this instruction manual cannot cover all possible conditions and situations that may occur. It must be understood by the operator that common sense and caution are a factor which cannot be built into this product, but must be supplied by the operator.

## SAVE ALL INSTRUCTIONS!

**CAUTION:** A short power supply cord is provided to reduce the risk of personal injury resulting from becoming entangled in or tripping over a longer cord. Extension cords are available from local hardware stores and may be used if care is exercised in their use. If an extension cord is required, special care and caution is necessary. Also the cord must be: (1) marked with an electrical rating of 125 V, and at least 13 A., 1625 W., and (2) the cord must be arranged so that it will not drape over the countertop or tabletop where it can be pulled on by children or tripped over accidentally.

### ELECTRIC POWER

If electric circuit is overloaded with other appliances, your appliances may not operate properly. The appliances should be operated on a separate electrical circuit from other operating appliances.

### POLARIZED PLUG

This appliance has a polarized plug (one blade is wider than the other). As a safety feature to reduce the risk of electrical shock, this plug is intended to fit in a polarized outlet only one way. If the plug does not fit fully in the outlet, reverse the plug. If it still does not fit, contact a qualified electrician. Do not attempt to defeat this safety feature.

### SAFETY WARNING

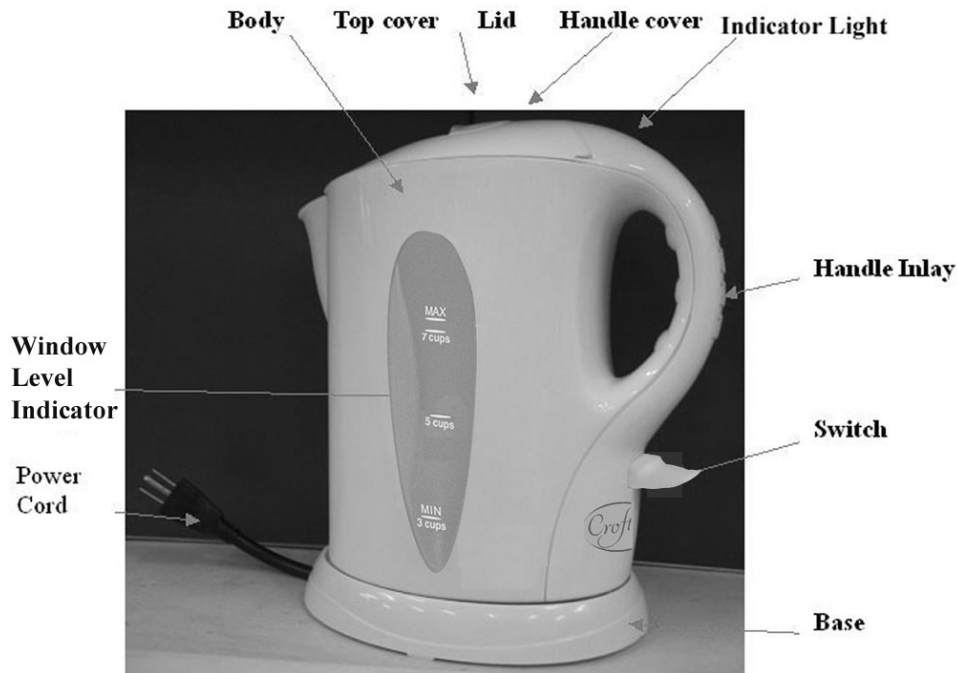


Although your appliance is easy to operate, for your safety, the below warnings must be followed:

1. Do not place the appliance near a heat source.
2. Never leave the appliance unattended while connected to the electrical outlet.
3. To avoid any accidental burns, never put a hand over a steam vent or cover when the appliance is in operation. Always use lid handle.
4. Use the appliance on a stable work surface away from water.
5. Do not unplug the socket by pulling on the supply cord.
6. The appliance must be unplugged:
  - A. Before either filling or emptying
  - B. Before any cleaning or maintenance
  - C. After use
  - D. If it appears to be faulty

THIS PRODUCT IS INTENDED FOR HOUSEHOLD USE ONLY.

## LIST OF MAIN PARTS



### Features:

- Water kettle with 7.5 cups capacity
- Safety lid lock
- Dual water level indicator
- Indicator Light automatically switches off with over-heat protection
- Cord storage with anti-pull feature

## TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS:

Model Number	XB6168
Rating Voltage	120V/60Hz Volts
Power	1500 Watt
Capacity	7.5 cups

## CONTENTS OF PACKAGING

- a. Water Kettle
- b. Base
- c. Detachable Filter

If any of the above items are missing, please contact our service department at 1-888-367-7373 (<http://wwwk.wk-usa.com>) for replacement.

## BEFORE THE FIRST USE

It is recommended that the water kettle be rinsed with water prior to use to remove any material or dust in the appliance from the manufacturing process.

## OPERATION

1. Open the top cover lid by pulling the lid upwards and fill water into the kettle. **Do not overfill.** If the kettle is overfilled there is a risk of spillage or spitting of boiling water. The water level indicator will assist you to measure correct amount of water. Caution: The filled water level must be between the Max and Min level as indicated on the housing. Too less water will do damage to the heating element.
2. Replace the kettle on the base and connect to power supply. Position the kettle so that the spout of kettle is facing away from you.
3. Turn on kettle by pressing down the switch. Once switch is pressed down the lamp will be illuminated and water will begin to heat up. Do not remove the lid while the water is boiling.
4. Once water is boiled the switch will flip up, the light indicator will turn off and the power will turn off automatically.
5. The boiling process can be terminated at any time by lifting the kettle off the base.
6. Unit should be unplugged when not in use.

## MAINTENANCE



### CAUTION:

Always be sure that the appliance is switched OFF before cleaning or attempting to store the item.

### CLEANING

**Remove the plug from wall outlet and let the appliance cool down before cleaning.**

1. **Do not immerse power cord, kettle and base in water.**
2. Wipe the exterior and top cover lid of kettle with a soft damp cloth or sponge. Remove stubborn spots with a cloth moistened with mild liquid detergent. Do not use abrasive scouring pads or powders.
3. From time to time, depending on the nature of your water, mineral deposits can build up on the inside of your kettle. You can remove this buildup by filling the kettle half way with water. Add 1 fluid oz. of white vinegar to the water. Boil the mixture and allow to stand for 30 minutes. Re-boil the mixture and allow to stand for 30 seconds. Repeat procedure for a third time. Empty, rinse well and continue to use in the normal way as described under OPERATION.
4. Do not attempt to dismantle the kettle or base. No user serviceable parts are inside the kettle and base. For any problem, contact the authorized service facility for help.

### STORING

Allow the appliance to cool completely before storing. Store the appliance in a dry location. Do not place any heavy items on top of appliance during storage as this may result in possible damage of appliance.

## **SERVICE CENTER**

If you have any question in regards to the operation of this appliance or are in need of a spare part please contact our service center at:

Wachsmuth & Krogmann, Inc.

Tel: 1-888-367-7373

(Business hours Mon-Fri 9:00am - 4:00pm CT)

Website: <http://www.wk-usa.com>



## **ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION**

If the appliance should no longer work at all, please make sure that it is disposed in an environmentally friendly way, by handing it into a public collection point. Please do not put it with your household waste.

## LIMITED WARRANTY

Thank you for purchasing a top quality **Crofton** product. This **Electric Water Kettle** item #5942-05 was tested and meets our stringent quality standards. This product is warranted to be free from manufacturing defects in original materials, including original parts, and workmanship until **Oct 24, 2007 or 2 year with proof of purchase.**

The warranty is void if the defect is due to accidental damage, misuse, abuse, neglect, improper repair or alteration by unauthorized persons or failure to follow operation instructions provided with the product. This warranty does not apply to commercial use.

The warranty is non-transferable and applies only to the original purchase and does not extend to subsequent owners of the product. Liability under this warranty is limited to repair, replacement or refund. In no event shall liability exceed the purchase price paid by the purchaser of the product. Under no circumstances shall there be liability for any loss, direct, indirect, incidental, special or consequential damage arising out of in connection with use of this product. This warranty is valid only in the United States of America. This Warranty gives you specific legal rights. However you may have other rights that vary from state to state. Some states do not allow limitation on implied warranties or exclusion of consequential damages therefore these restrictions may not apply to you.

In case you find the product to be defective please send it within the warranty period to our service center. To avoid transport damages please send the product in the original packaging. In return you will either receive your repaired item, a new product or a refund. Please fill out the Warranty Card and send it together with the product and purchase receipt

To arrange pick-up of the defective item please call our service center:

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**Tel: 1-888-367-7373 (Business hours Mon-Fri 9:00am-4:00 pm CT)**

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**1800 Nicholas Blvd.**

**Elk Grove Village, IL 60007**

**USA**

**WARRANTY INFORMATION**



# WARRANTY CARD



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This Electric Water Kettle was tested and meets our stringent quality standards. This product is warranted to be free from manufacturing defects in original materials, including original parts, and workmanship until Oct 24. 2007 or 2 year with proof of purchase.

Please fill in your details below and send it together with the product and purchase receipt. Please read the Limited Warranty conditions mentioned in this instruction manual.

<b>Customer Name</b>	
<b>Street</b>	
<b>City</b>	
<b>State</b>	
<b>ZIP Code</b>	
<b>Purchase Date</b>	
<b>Description of Defect :</b>	

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PLEASE DETACH THIS SECTION AND RETURN IT WITH YOUR PRODUCT



WARRANTY CARD