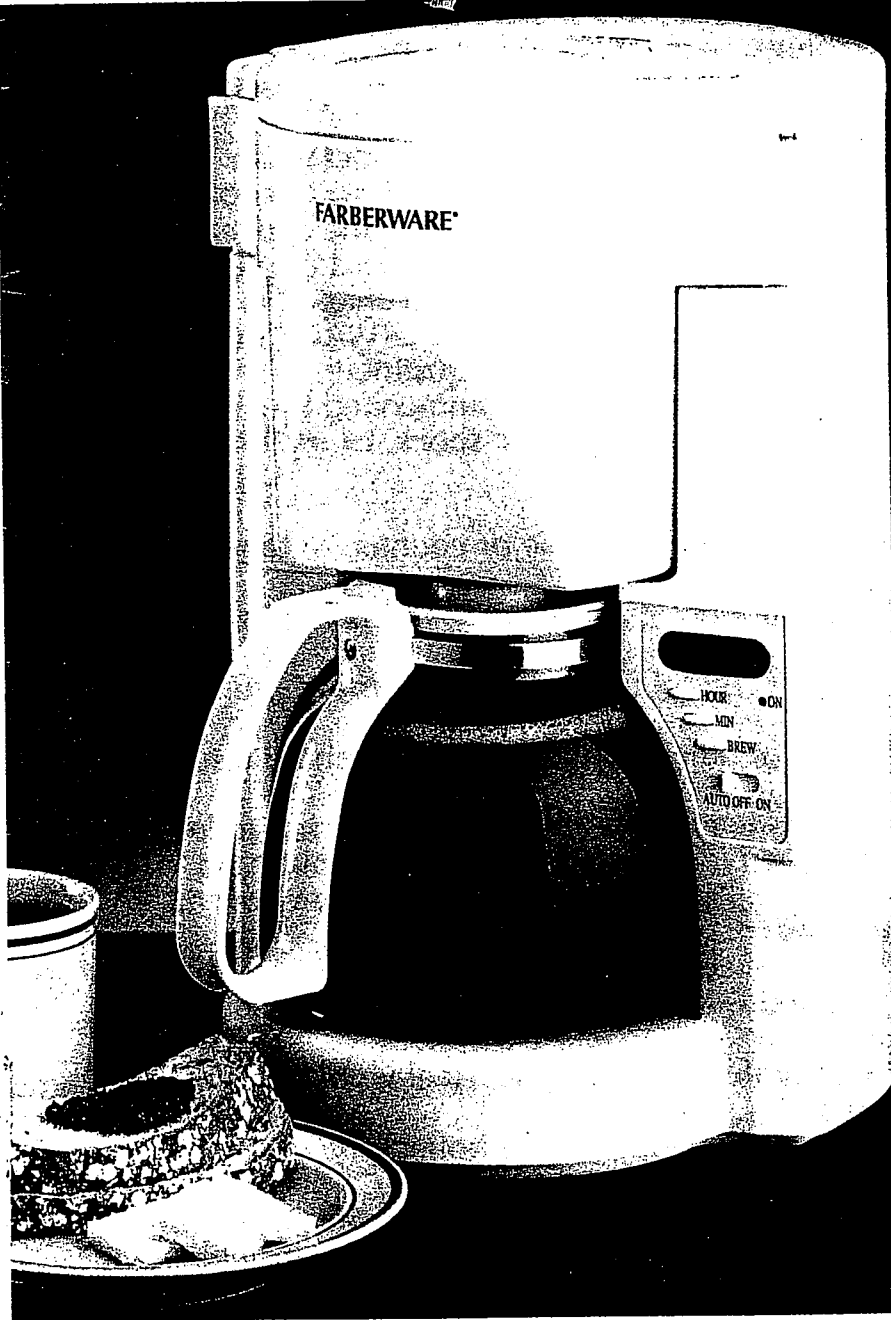


# FARBERWARE®

## SELECT SERIES



**USE & CARE INSTRUCTIONS**  
**10 CUP PROGRAMMABLE DIGITAL COFFEEMAKER**

FCM103

# IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

When using electrical appliances, basic safety precautions should always be followed to reduce the risk of electric shock, and/or injury to persons, including the following:

1. Read all instructions.
2. Do not touch hot surfaces. Use handles or knobs.
3. To protect against fire, electric shock and injury to persons, do not immerse cord, plugs, or machine in water or other liquid.
4. Close supervision is necessary when any appliance is used by or near children.
5. Turn Control Switch to "OFF" and unplug from outlet when Coffeemaker is 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. Return appliance to the nearest **FARBERWARE®** authorized service facility for examination, repair or adjustment.
7. The use of accessory attachments not recommended by **FARBERWARE®** may result in fire, electric shock, or injury to persons.
8. Do not use outdoors.
9. Do not let cord hang over edge of table or counter, or touch hot surfaces.
10. Do not place on or near a hot gas or electric burner, or in a heated oven.
11. To disconnect, turn any control to "OFF," then remove plug from wall outlet.
12. Do not use appliance for other than intended household use.
13. **Carafe Use and Care:**
  - Breakage may occur if the following instructions are not followed:***
  - a. This Carafe is designed for use with your Coffeemaker and therefore must ***never*** be used on a rangetop or in any oven, ***including a microwave.***
  - b. Do not set a hot Carafe on a wet or cold surface.
  - c. Do not use a cracked Carafe or a Carafe having a loose or weakened handle.
  - d. Do not clean the Carafe with cleansers, steel wool pads, or other abrasive materials.
  - e. Discard Carafe immediately if it is ever boiled dry.
  - f. Avoid sharp blows, scratches or rough handling.
14. **WARNING: To reduce the risk of fire or electric shock, do not remove any service covers.** No user serviceable parts inside. Repair should be performed by authorized personnel only.

**FOR HOUSEHOLD USE ONLY**  
**SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS**

## POLARIZED PLUG

This appliance has a **polarized plug** (one blade is wider than the other): To reduce the risk of electric shock, this plug is intended to fit into 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 modify the plug in any way.

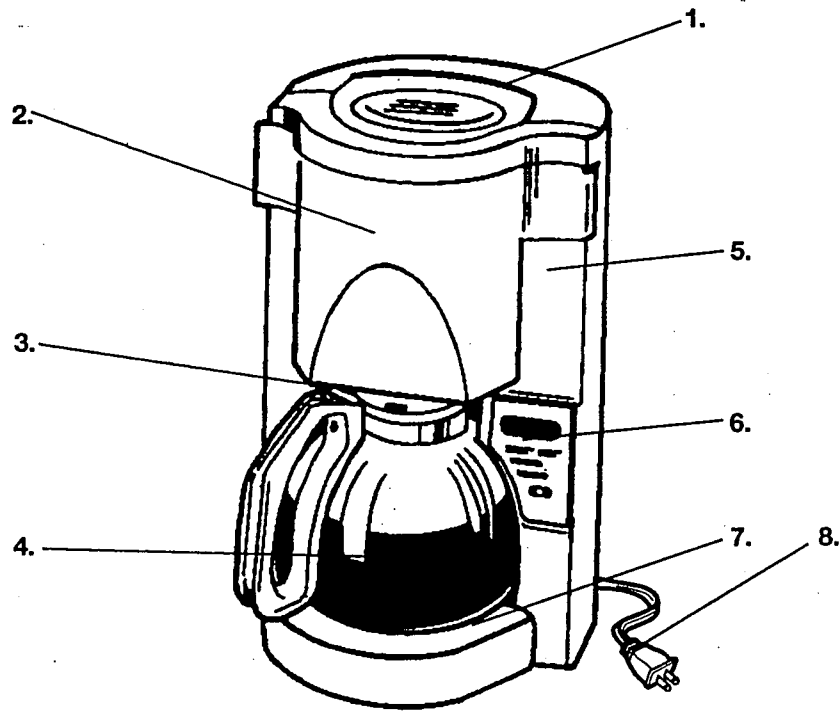
## SHORT CORD INSTRUCTIONS

A short power-supply cord is provided to reduce the risk resulting from becoming entangled in 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.

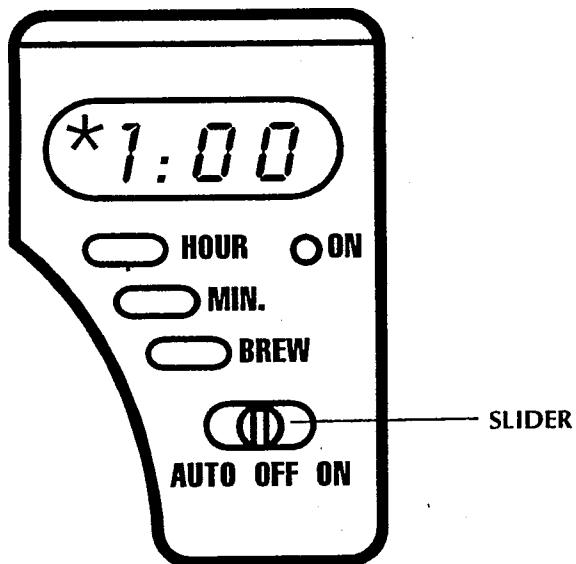
If a longer detachable power-supply cord or extension cord is used, (1) the marked electrical rating of the extension cord should be at least as great as the electrical rating of the appliance, and (2) the longer cord should be arranged so that it will not drape over the counter top or table top where it can be pulled on by children or tripped over unintentionally.

# GETTING TO KNOW YOUR **FARBERWARE®** FCM103 COFFEEMAKER



- 1. Water Reservoir Lid
- 2. Swing-out Filter Basket
- 3. Carafe Lid
- 4. Carafe

- 5. Water Reservoir
- 6. Timer Panel
- 7. Warming Plate
- 8. Power Cord



FCM103 CONTROL PANEL

# INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

## ***BEFORE BREWING COFFEE FOR THE FIRST TIME***

1. After unpacking from carton, the inside of your Coffeemaker and Carafe must be cleaned.
2. Brew 10 cups of fresh water only. Follow the instructions under BREWING COFFEE Section but do not add coffee grounds to the paper filter.
3. When all the water has brewed into the Carafe, turn the Coffeemaker off.
4. Wait 10 minutes, discard the water from the Carafe, then repeat steps 2 and 3.
5. Wash and dry the Filter Basket, Carafe and Carafe Lid.

## ***BREWING COFFEE IN YOUR FARBERWARE® PROGRAMMABLE COFFEEMAKER***

1. Remove the Carafe Lid. Fill the Carafe with cold water to the level for the desired number of cups. Open the Water Reservoir Lid, and pour the water from the Carafe into the Water Reservoir. Close the Water Reservoir Lid.
2. Swing out the Coffee Filter Basket and place a #4 paper coffee filter in it.
3. Put coffee grounds in the filter, using one level tablespoon of drip grind coffee for each cup of brewed coffee. (See Figure A)
4. Be sure the Filter Basket is pushed all the way into the unit.
5. Place the Carafe on the Warming Plate, making sure the Carafe Lid is on the Carafe.
6. Plug the appliance into the wall socket.
7. 12:00 will appear on the display with the dots blinking (Figure B). (Make sure that the Slider is in the "OFF" position.

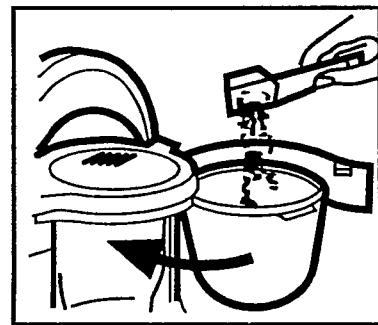


FIGURE A



FIGURE B

## BREWING COFFEE *(Continued)*

- Set the Timer to the correct time of the day by pushing the "HOUR" and the "MIN" buttons.

**Note:** *The LED in the upper-left corner of the display indicates the P.M. hours (Figure C).*

- Push the "BREW" and the "HOUR" buttons simultaneously and then the "BREW" and "MIN" buttons to set the start-up time of the appliance.

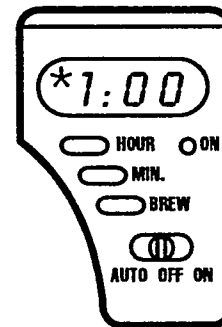


FIGURE C

**Note:** *Once the "BREW" button is released, the exact time of the day will be shown. To see the start-up time press the "BREW" button.*

- Move the Slider to the "AUTO" position. The LED "OFF" in the lower-right corner will turn off. (Figure D)  
At the programmed time the appliance will switch on.
- Coffee will begin flowing into the Carafe.

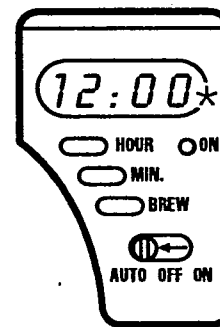


FIGURE D

**Note:** *The amount of coffee in the Carafe may be slightly less than the amount of water placed in the Water Reservoir, since some of the water is absorbed by the coffee grounds.*

- To serve coffee, remove the Carafe from the Warming Plate. Always keep the Carafe Lid on the Carafe when pouring.
- To keep the coffee hot, place the Carafe back on the Warming Plate when not serving.

## BREWING COFFEE *(Continued)*

14. The Timer will automatically shut-off the appliance 3 hours after the switching on of the appliance to avoid wasting energy. If you want to have coffee at the same time the next day, move the Slider to the "OFF" and then to the "AUTO" position. By doing so, the next day the appliance will automatically switch "ON" at the programmed time.

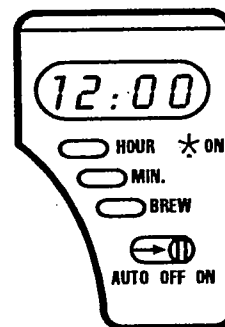


FIGURE E

15. If you want to make coffee without setting the Timer (manual function), set the Slider on the "ON" position (Figure E). The "ON" pilot lamp will turn on.
16. If you want to switch off the Coffeemaker, set the Slider on the "OFF" position.

***The Timer is an electric clock and, as such, only operates when the appliance is plugged in. Whenever the plug is removed or there is a power failure, the program set will be lost and it will be necessary to set the time and program again.***

## DRIP STOP FEATURE

This **FARBERWARE®** Coffeemaker has an automatic Drip Stop feature. During the brewing cycle, the Carafe can be removed to pour a cup of coffee from the Carafe.

***IMPORTANT: The Carafe must be replaced under the brew basket in less than a minute to prevent the brew basket from overflowing.***

# USER MAINTENANCE INSTRUCTIONS

## ***CARING FOR YOUR CARAFE***

A damaged Carafe may result in possible burns from hot liquid. To avoid breaking a Carafe:

1. Do not allow all liquid to evaporate from Carafe while on the Warming Plate. Do not heat Carafe when empty. If this happens, discard Carafe.
2. Discard Carafe if damaged in any manner. A chip or crack could result in breakage.
3. Never use abrasive scouring pads or cleansers as they will scratch and weaken the glass.
4. Do not place the Carafe on or near a hot gas or electric burner, in a heated oven, or in a microwave.
5. Avoid rough handling and sharp blows.

## ***CLEANING AFTER BREWING COFFEE***

***Note: Do not place anything other than water or the cleaning solution specified in this book into the Water Reservoir.***

1. To clean your Coffeemaker after brewing coffee, be sure the Coffeemaker is turned "OFF" and is cool. Discard the paper filter.
2. Wipe Coffeemaker with soft, damp cloth and dry. Do not use abrasive soaps or scouring pads.
3. Hand wash Carafe and Lid in hot, sudsy water.

**DO NOT PLACE IN DISHWASHER.**



## MINERAL DEPOSITS AND DECALCIFYING

Your **FARBERWARE®** Coffeemaker must be cleaned when you begin to notice excessive steaming or the brewing time increases considerably. This condition is caused by a buildup of lime and mineral deposits from your water. If the pumping action stops before all the water has been pumped out of the machine, then the appliance requires decalcification.

The frequency of decalcification depends on the hardness of water used. The following table gives the suggested decalcification intervals:

### ***SUGGESTED DECALCIFICATION INTERVAL***

| Type of water | Frequency of decalcification |
|---------------|------------------------------|
| Soft water    | every 80 brewing cycles      |
| Hard water    | every 40 brewing cycles      |

### ***HOW TO DECALCIFY YOUR COFFEEMAKER***

1. Pour one quart of undiluted white household vinegar into your Coffeemaker.
2. Place a paper filter into the Filter Basket and slide the Filter Basket into place.
3. Place the empty Carafe on the Warming Plate and turn the Coffeemaker **"ON"**. When three cups have flowed through, turn the Coffeemaker **"OFF"** and let stand for 1/2 hour.
4. After 1/2 hour, pour the vinegar back into the Coffeemaker.
5. Place the empty Carafe on the Warming Plate. Turn the Coffeemaker **"ON"** and let all the vinegar flow through.
6. Discard the vinegar and the paper filter.
7. **To flush out all the traces of vinegar**, pour a Carafe full of tap water into the Coffeemaker. Turn it on, and allow it to cycle through.
8. Discard the water and turn the Coffeemaker **"OFF"**. Repeat steps 7 and 8.

## DECALCIFYING *(Continued)*

### ***DECALCIFYING YOUR CARAFE***

Hard water can leave a whitish mineral deposit inside your Carafe. Coffee discolours these deposits, sometimes leaving a brownish stain inside the Carafe. To remove these stains, follow these simple steps:

1. Use a solution of equal parts white vinegar and hot water.
2. Let solution stand in Carafe for about 20 minutes and then discard.
3. Wash and rinse your Carafe thoroughly using a soft cloth. Do not use harsh abrasive cleaners. These may cause scratches which can lead to breakage.



# **FARBERWARE®**

## **ONE-YEAR LIMITED WARRANTY**

This FARBERWARE® product warranty extends to the original consumer purchaser of the product.

**Warranty Duration:** This product is warranted to the original consumer purchaser for a period of one (1) year from the original purchase date.

**Warranty Coverage:** This product is warranted against defective materials or workmanship. This warranty is void if the product has been damaged by accident, in shipment, unreasonable use, misuse, neglect, improper service, commercial use, repairs by unauthorized personnel or other causes not arising out of defects in materials or workmanship. This warranty is effective only if the product is purchased and operated in the USA, and does not extend to any units which have been used in violation of written instructions furnished, or to units which have been altered or modified or to damage to products or parts thereof which have had the serial number removed, altered, defaced or rendered illegible.

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### **Important Notice**

If any parts are missing or defective, return this product to the place of purchase or contact our Consumer Service Department for assistance.

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