



YOU-RISTA (+MILK MASTER)



Descaling

You will need:

- 🕒 about 45 minutes
- ✓ 2 Qbo descaling tablets
- ✓ 1 container (at least 1000 ml)
- ✓ fresh, cold water
- ✓ the MILK MASTER (if you have one)
- 🔄 descale your YOU-RISTA about once or twice a year

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Read the safety warnings carefully before using and only use the product as described in these instructions to avoid accidental injury or damage.



WARNING — danger to health due to descaling tablets

Take care not to interrupt the descaling process, as otherwise residue from the descaling tablets may stay in the machine. If the descaling process is interrupted for whatever reason, the machine must be thoroughly rinsed before being used again in order to avoid health risks. Follow the instructions as displayed to do so. The machine will not be able to brew coffee again until the process is completed.

CAUTION — damage to the machine due to limescale deposits

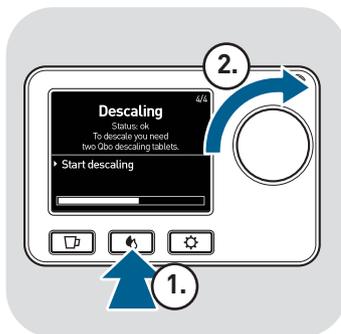
- Descale your machine as soon as a notification to do so is displayed. This prolongs its service life and saves energy.
- Use only original Qbo descaling tablets. Other products could potentially damage the materials in the machine and/or have no effect.

Why do I need to descale my machine?

Limescale deposits build up inside the machine during normal use, which need to be removed regularly. The Qbo descaling tablets remove these limescale deposits. Doing so will prolong the service life of your machine, save energy and maintain a constant coffee brewing temperature.

When should I descale my machine?

After about 40-60 liters, depending on how often you use your Qbo machine and the water hardness selected in your machine's settings. You can find out the "Descaling status" of the machine in the maintenance menu:



- ▷ Press the maintenance menu button  (1.).
- ▷ Select the menu option **Descaling** (2.).

From here you can start the descaling process manually. However, this is generally not necessary as the machine will automatically notify you in the display when it needs to be descaled.

The maintenance menu button  will also light up red. If you do not start descaling then, the machine will remind you to do so each time it is switched on.

The longer you wait to descale, the more insistent the notifications will become.



Descaling required =

Descal the machine within the next few days.



Descaling urgent =

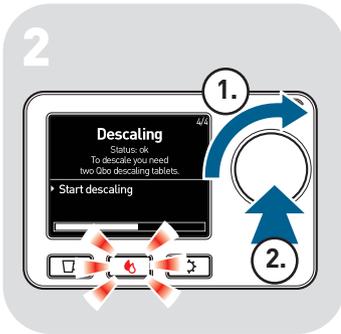
The machine should be descaled immediately. Further use of the machine could damage it if not descaled.



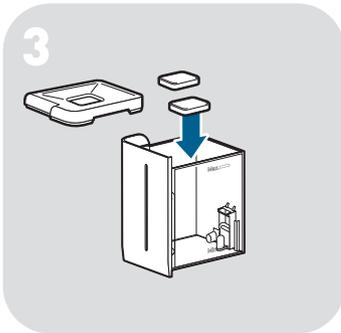
- Have the Qbo App remind you to descale – activate the App's push notification.
- If the water tank is not filled up to the max. mark, you may have to refill it during the descaling process. Follow the instructions as displayed.
- The drip tray needs to be emptied before starting the descaling process. If the drip tray fills up, you will have to empty it again during the descaling process. Follow the instructions as displayed.
- If the container does not have a capacity of at least 1 liter, this will also have to be emptied during the descaling process.
- The Qbo descaling tablets are phosphate-free.



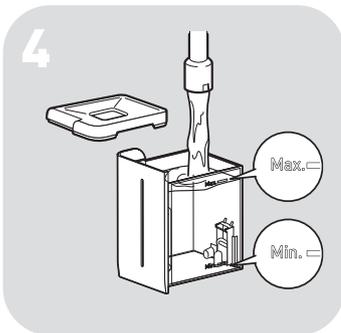
- ▷ Press the maintenance menu button  (lit up red).



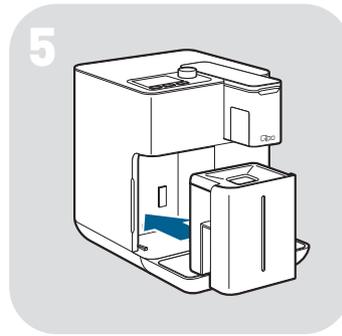
- ▷ Select the menu option **Descaling** (1.).
- ▷ Press the dial (2.) to select **Start descaling**.



- ▷ Place two Qbo descaling tablets in the empty water tank.



- ▷ Fill the water tank with fresh, clear tap water up to the max. mark.



- ▷ Slide the water tank back into the machine as far as it will go.

If you have the MILK MASTER, proceed with step 6.

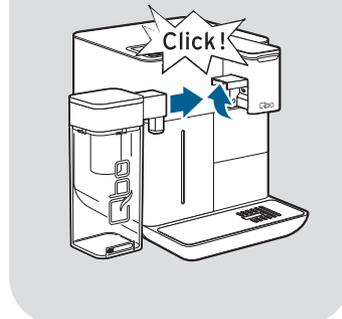
If you DO NOT have the MILK MASTER, proceed with step 7.



If you are using the MILK MASTER with your Qbo machine, connect it now:

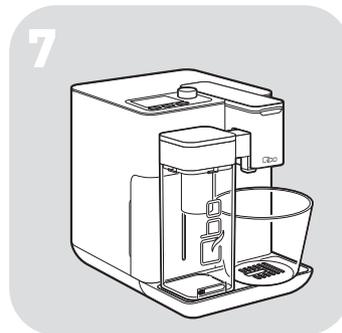
- ▷ Fold up the panel for the MILK MASTER connection socket as far as it will go and hold it there.

- ▷ Insert the MILK MASTER into the connection socket as illustrated as far as it will go. You should hear and feel the panel click into place in the MILK MASTER.



-  The MILK MASTER must be pushed in all the way. Only then will the machine automatically proceed to the next step.

- ▷ If you would prefer not to descale the MILK MASTER (not recommended), press the dial to select **Skip**.



- ▷ Place a large container (min. 1 liter) under the coffee spout. Please note that the descaling process cannot be interrupted!

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- ▷ Press the dial to start the descaling process.

The machine pumps a small amount of water through the system. Then it takes about a 5-minute pause, which gives the Qbo descaling tablets time to dissolve.

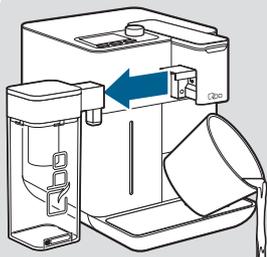
The machine will then pump the descaling solution through the system multiple times in 2-minute intervals.

The descaling process will be followed by a rinsing phase. This will rinse all remaining residue from the descaling tablets out of the system.

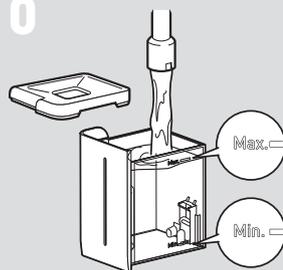
For the rinsing phase:

- ▷ Remove the MILK MASTER if you have connected it.
- ▷ Empty the container.

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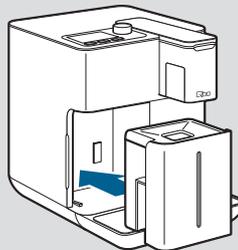


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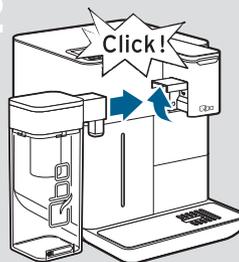
- ▷ Empty the water tank and wash it in warm water with a mild washing-up liquid. Then rinse it out with clear water.
- ▷ Next, fill the water tank with fresh, clear tap water up to the max. mark.

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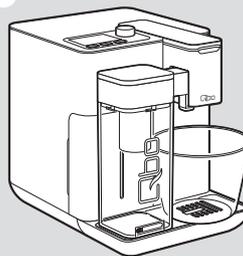
- ▷ Slide the water tank back into the machine as far as it will go.

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- ▷ If you are using the MILK MASTER, reconnect it now.

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- ▷ Place a large container (min. 1 liter) under the coffee spout. Please note that the descaling process cannot be interrupted!

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- ▷ Press the dial to start the rinsing cycle.

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As soon as “Descaling completed” is displayed, the descaling process is finished. The red maintenance menu button  goes out.

- ▷ To return to the drinks menu, press the dial or wait about 3 seconds.