

Breville No-Pressure Troubleshooting Guide

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Safe fixes you can try yourself

1 Adjust grind and dose

Go finer and fill the basket to restore puck resistance.

2 Clean the group head

Brush the shower screen and run a cleaning cycle with a tablet.

3 Descale the machine

Clear mineral scale from the boiler and lines with a descaler.

4 Prime the pump

Run water with no portafilter to clear an air lock.

Leave these to a technician

1 No pressure after cleaning

Persistent low pressure usually means a pump or valve fault.

2 Loud straining pump

A pump that strains with little water output needs a bench check.

3 Leaks or electrical faults

Water on the electrics, tripping power, or burning smells: unplug and call.

4 Hard-water prevention

Use filtered water and descale on a schedule to protect the pump and boiler.

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