

Not even the humble kettle is safe from the advances brought about by the Internet of Things-customers can soon get the iKettle, a wifi-connected kettle one can control via iOS or Android app.

Described as "the world's first wifi kettle," the iKettle does exactly what it says on the box. It boils water, with the magic of app control allowing functionality such as remote control and a Wake mode (switches the kettle on together with a morning alarm).

It even allows temperature control for the more fussy of hot-drink makers, with four heating settings suited for different beverages. Did you know green tea is to be served at 80°, and coffee at 95°? You do now!

The iKettle comes in a stainless steel design with a soft-touch handle and LED backlit control panel, and should be available by end November 2013.

Go iKettle