



User Guide

Refrigerator

THANK YOU for purchasing this high-quality product. Register your refrigerator at www.whirlpool.com. In Canada, register your refrigerator at www.whirlpool.ca.

For future reference, please make a note of your product model and serial numbers. These numbers can be found inside your refrigerator.

Model Number _____

Serial Number _____

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SAFETY

Your safety and the safety of others are very important.

We have provided many important safety messages in this manual and on your appliance. Always read and obey all safety messages.



This is the safety alert symbol.

This symbol alerts you to potential hazards that can kill or hurt you and others.

All safety messages will follow the safety alert symbol and either the word "DANGER" or "WARNING."

These words mean:

⚠ DANGER

You can be killed or seriously injured if you don't immediately follow instructions.

⚠ WARNING

You can be killed or seriously injured if you don't follow instructions.

All safety messages will tell you what the potential hazard is, tell you how to reduce the chance of injury, and tell you what can happen if the instructions are not followed.

IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

WARNING: To reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, or injury when using your refrigerator, follow these basic precautions:

- Plug into a grounded 3 prong outlet.
- Do not remove ground prong.
- Do not use an adapter.
- Do not use an extension cord.
- Disconnect power before servicing.
- Replace all parts and panels before operating.
- Remove doors from your old refrigerator.
- Connect to a potable water supply only.
- Use nonflammable cleaner.
- Keep flammable materials and vapors, such as gasoline, away from refrigerator.
- Use two or more people to move and install refrigerator.
- Disconnect power before installing ice maker (on ice maker kit ready models only).
- Use a sturdy glass when dispensing ice (on some models).
- Do not hit the refrigerator glass doors (on some models).
- This appliance is not intended for use by persons (including children) with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge, unless they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance by a person responsible for their safety.
- Children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the appliance.

SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

State of California Proposition 65 Warnings:

WARNING: This product contains one or more chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer.

WARNING: This product contains one or more chemicals known to the State of California to cause birth defects or other reproductive harm.

Proper Disposal of Your Old Freezer or Refrigerator

⚠ WARNING

Suffocation Hazard

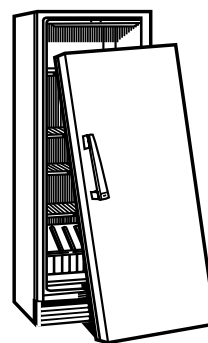
Remove doors or lid from your old freezer or refrigerator.

Failure to do so can result in death or brain damage.

IMPORTANT: Child entrapment and suffocation are not problems of the past. Junked or abandoned freezers or refrigerators are still dangerous — even if they will sit for “just a few days.” If you are getting rid of your old refrigerator or freezer, please follow these instructions to help prevent accidents.

Before You Throw Away Your Old Freezer or Refrigerator:

- Take off the doors or lid.
- Leave the shelves in place so that children may not easily climb inside.



Important information to know about disposal of refrigerants:

Dispose of refrigerator in accordance with Federal and Local regulations. Refrigerants must be evacuated by a licensed, EPA certified refrigerant technician in accordance with established procedures.

INSTALLING YOUR REFRIGERATOR

Unpacking

⚠ WARNING

Excessive Weight Hazard

Use two or more people to move and install refrigerator.

Failure to do so can result in back or other injury.

Remove Packaging Materials

- Remove tape and glue residue from surfaces before turning on the refrigerator. Rub a small amount of liquid dish soap over the adhesive with your fingers. Wipe with warm water and dry.
- Do not use sharp instruments, rubbing alcohol, flammable fluids, or abrasive cleaners to remove tape or glue. These products can damage the surface of your refrigerator. For more information, see the "Safety" section.

When Moving Your Refrigerator:

Your refrigerator is heavy. When moving the refrigerator for cleaning or service, be sure to cover the floor with cardboard or hardboard to avoid floor damage. Always pull the refrigerator straight out when moving it. Do not wiggle or "walk" the refrigerator when trying to move it, as floor damage could occur.

Clean Before Using

After you remove all of the packaging materials, clean the inside of your refrigerator before using it. See the cleaning instructions in the "Caring For Your Refrigerator" section.

Important information to know about glass shelves and covers:

Do not clean glass shelves or covers with warm water when they are cold. Shelves and covers may break if exposed to sudden temperature changes or impact, such as bumping. Tempered glass is designed to shatter into many small, pebble-size pieces. This is normal. Glass shelves and covers are heavy. Use both hands when removing them to avoid dropping.

Location Requirements

⚠ WARNING



Explosion Hazard

Keep flammable materials and vapors, such as gasoline, away from refrigerator.

Failure to do so can result in death, explosion, or fire.

Ventilation and Clearance

- Keep flammable materials and vapors, such as gasoline, away from refrigerator.
- Do not cover the refrigerator with items such as blankets, sheets, tablecloths, etc. This reduces air circulation.
- Allow at least 1" (2.5 cm) between the back of the refrigerator and the wall. If the refrigerator is to be next to a fixed wall, leave extra space on the hinge side so the door can open wider.

Temperature

Your refrigerator operates most efficiently when located in an area where the temperature will not fall below 40°F (5°C). Place your refrigerator in a location where the temperature will not fall below this recommended temperature.

Upon Moving to Final Location

NOTE: This refrigerator may be installed side by side with another freezer or refrigerator. Allow for a 1" (2.54 cm) space behind the refrigerator and a 1/4" (6.4 mm) clearance between the appliances.

Electrical Requirements

⚠ WARNING



Electrical Shock Hazard

Plug into a grounded 3 prong outlet.

Do not remove ground prong.

Do not use an adapter.

Do not use an extension cord.

Failure to follow these instructions can result in death, fire, or electrical shock.

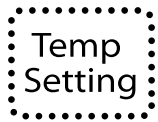
Before you move your refrigerator into its final location, it is important to make sure you have the proper electrical connection.

Recommended Grounding Method

A 115-volt, 60 Hz., AC-only, 15- or 20-amp fused, grounded electrical supply is required. It is recommended that a separate circuit serving only your refrigerator be provided. Use an outlet that cannot be turned off by a switch. Do not use an extension cord.

NOTE: Before performing any type of installation, cleaning, or removing a light bulb, press and hold TEMP SETTING for 3 seconds to turn off cooling, and then disconnect the refrigerator from the electrical source.

Over Temp Reset



Cooling On/Off
Hold 3 Sec

Refrigerator Door

Tools Needed: $\frac{5}{16}$ " hex-head socket wrench, $\frac{3}{8}$ " hex-head socket wrench, flat 2" putty knife

IMPORTANT:

- Depending on the width of the opening, you may need to remove the handle or door to move the refrigerator into the house.
- All graphics referenced in the following instructions are included later in this section after "Final Steps." The graphic may be reversed if door swing is reversed.
- Before you begin, turn the control off and remove food and adjustable door or utility bins from door.

Remove and Replace the Handle

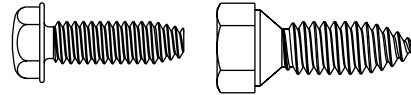
To Remove the Handle:

1. Loosen the setscrews located on the side of handle at each end. See "Handle" graphic.
2. Remove the handle from the grommets.

To Replace the Handle:

1. Place the handle onto the grommets, making sure the grommets are fitted into the handle holes.
2. Tighten the upper and lower setscrews with the hex key provided. See "Handle" graphic. Do not over-tighten the setscrews.

Remove Door and Hinges



Hinge screws

1. Unplug refrigerator or disconnect power.
2. Keep the refrigerator door closed until you are ready to lift it free from the cabinet.
NOTE: Provide additional support for the door while the hinges are being moved. Do not depend on the door magnets to hold the door in place while you are working.
3. Remove the parts for the top hinge as shown in "Top Hinge" graphic.
4. Lift the refrigerator door free from the lower hinge and cabinet and set aside.
5. Remove the 4 hex-head hinge screws and bottom hinge assembly. See "Bottom Hinge" graphic.

Replace Door and Hinges

NOTE: Graphic may be reversed if door swing is reversed.

1. Replace the parts for the bottom hinge as shown and tighten screws. See "Bottom Hinge" graphic. Replace the refrigerator door.

NOTE: Provide additional support for the door while the hinges are being moved. Do not depend on the door magnets to hold the door in place while you are working.

2. Assemble the parts of the top hinge as shown in the "Top Hinge" graphic. Do not tighten the screws completely.

Final Steps

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Electrical Shock Hazard

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Do not remove ground prong.

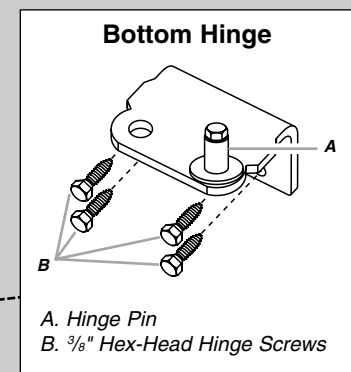
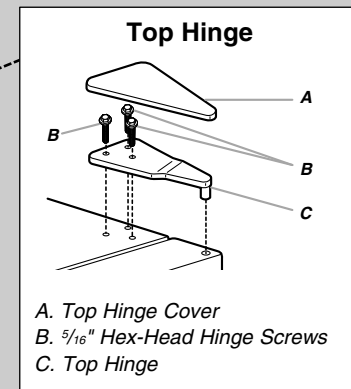
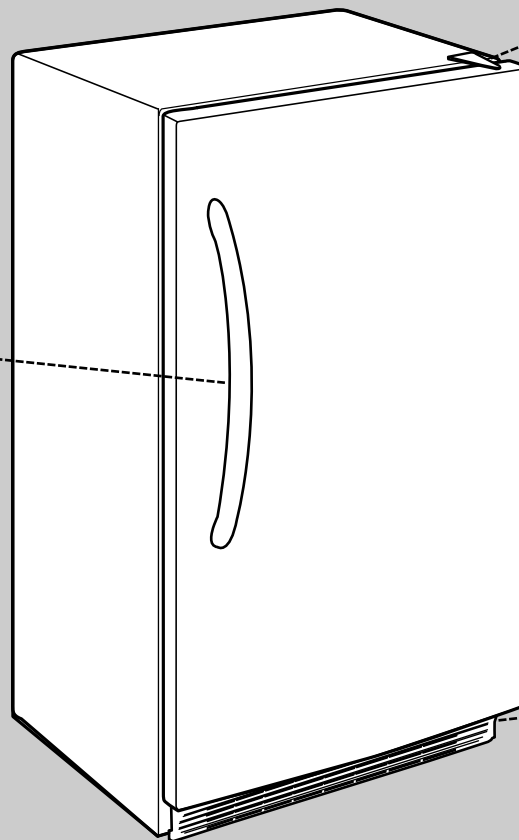
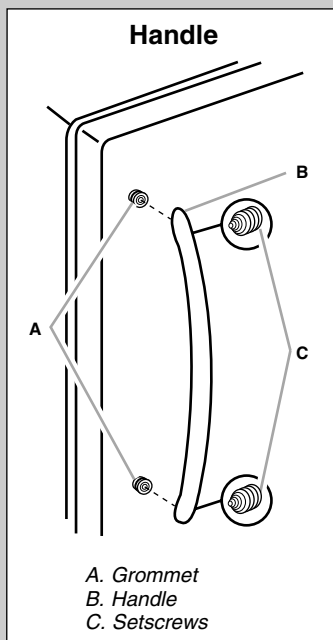
Do not use an adapter.

Do not use an extension cord.

Failure to follow these instructions can result in death, fire, or electrical shock.

1. Plug into a grounded 3 prong outlet.
2. Reset the control. See "Using the Control."
3. Return all removable door parts to door and food to refrigerator.

Door Removal and Replacement



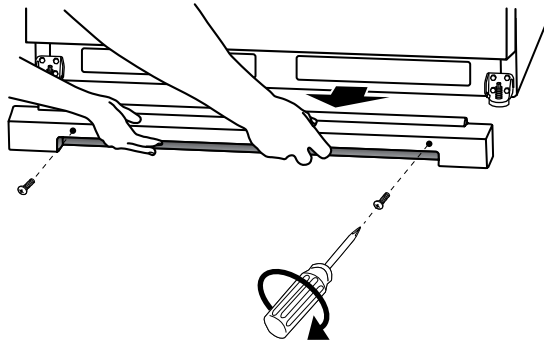
Refrigerator Leveling and Door Closing

Your refrigerator has two front adjustable legs — one on each side. The back of the refrigerator rests on two fixed rollers. The base grille covers the adjustable brake feet and roller assemblies located at the bottom of the refrigerator below the refrigerator door. Before making any adjustments, remove the base grille and move the refrigerator to its final location.

Tools Needed: 1/4" hex driver, Phillips screwdriver

1. Remove the base grille screws. Grasp the grille firmly and pull it toward you. Open the refrigerator door to access the brake feet.

NOTE: To allow the refrigerator to roll more easily, raise the brake feet by turning them counterclockwise. The front rollers will be touching the floor.



2. Move the refrigerator to its final location.
3. Lower the brake feet, by turning them clockwise, until the rollers are off the floor and both brake feet are snug against the floor. This keeps the refrigerator from rolling forward when opening the refrigerator door.

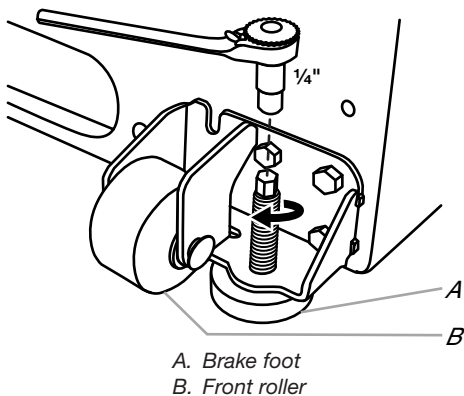
IMPORTANT: If you need to make further adjustments involving the brake feet, you must turn both brake feet the same amount to keep the refrigerator level.

4. Make sure the door closes easily. If you are satisfied with the door opening and closing, skip the next section. If, however, the door does not close easily or the door pops open, adjust the tilt.

To Adjust the Cabinet Tilt:

NOTE: Having someone push against the top of the refrigerator takes some weight off the brake feet. This makes it easier to turn them.

- Open the refrigerator door. Use a 1/4" hex driver to turn both brake feet clockwise the same amount. This will raise the front of the refrigerator. It may take several turns to allow the door to close more easily.



5. Make sure the refrigerator is steady. If the refrigerator seems unsteady or rolls forward when the door is pulled open, adjust the brake feet.

To Steady the Refrigerator:

- Open the refrigerator door. Using a 1/4" hex driver, turn both brake feet clockwise the same amount until the brake feet are snug against the floor. Check again. If not satisfied, continue to adjust the brake feet by half turns of the screw until the refrigerator does not roll forward when the door is opened.
6. Replace the base grille by aligning the ends of the grille with the leveling assemblies on each side and snapping the grille into place. Reinstall the Phillips screws.

Normal Sounds

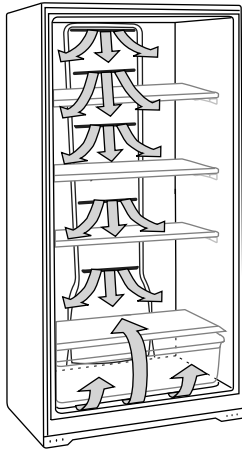
Your new refrigerator may make sounds that your old one didn't make. Because the sounds are new to you, you might be concerned about them. Most of the new sounds are normal. Hard surfaces, like the floor, walls, and cabinets, can make the sounds seem louder. The following describes the kinds of sounds and what may be making them.

- Your refrigerator is designed to run more efficiently to keep your food items at the desired temperatures and to minimize energy usage. The high-efficiency compressor and fans may cause your refrigerator to run longer than your old one. You may also hear a pulsating or high-pitched sound from the compressor or fans adjusting to optimize performance.
- You may hear the evaporator fan motor circulating air through the refrigerator compartment. The fan speed may increase as you open the doors or add warm food.
- Rattling noises may come from the flow of refrigerant or items stored on top of the refrigerator.
- Water dripping on the defrost heater during a Defrost cycle may cause a sizzling sound.
- As each cycle ends, you may hear a gurgling sound due to the refrigerant flowing in your refrigerator.
- Contraction and expansion of the inside walls may cause a popping noise.
- You may hear air being forced over the condenser by the condenser fan.
- You may hear water running into the drain pan during the Defrost cycle.

OPERATING YOUR REFRIGERATOR

Ensuring Proper Air Circulation

In order to ensure proper temperature, you need to permit proper airflow in the refrigerator. As shown in the illustration, cool air enters from the refrigerator wall and moves down. The air then recirculates through the vent near the bottom.



Do not block any of these vents with food packages. If the vents are blocked, airflow will be restricted and temperature and moisture problems may occur.

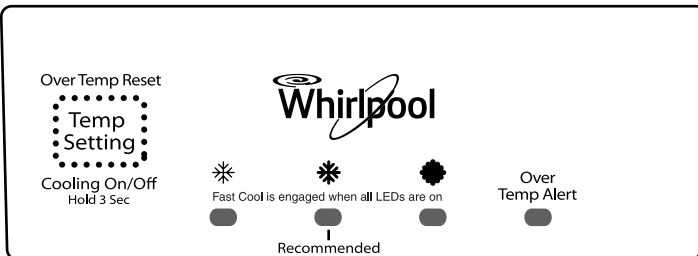
IMPORTANT: To avoid odor transfer and drying out of food, wrap, or cover foods tightly.

Using the Control

The temperature control is located at the top front of the refrigerator compartment.

Temperature Control

For your convenience, the temperature control is preset at the factory. When you first install your refrigerator, check that the control is still set to the recommended setting as shown.



Recommended setting is the center snowflake.

IMPORTANT:

- The recommended setting is designed to maintain the temperature at or near 37°F (3°C) under normal operating conditions.
- Wait 24 hours before you put food into the refrigerator. If you add food before the refrigerator has cooled completely, your food may spoil.
NOTE: Adjusting the temperature set point to a colder-than recommended setting will not cool the refrigerator any faster.
- If the temperature is too warm or too cold in the refrigerator, first check the air vents to be sure they are not blocked before adjusting the control.

- The preset temperature setting should be correct for normal household usage. The control is set correctly when milk or juice is as cold as you like.
- When the refrigerator is first started, the compressor will run constantly until the refrigerator is cooled. It may take up to 6 or 8 hours (or longer), depending on room temperature and number of times the refrigerator door is opened. After the refrigerator is cooled, the compressor will turn on and off as needed to keep the refrigerator at the proper temperature.
- The outside of your refrigerator may feel warm. This is normal. The refrigerator's design and main function is to remove heat from packages and air space inside the refrigerator. The heat is transferred to the room air, making the outside of the refrigerator feel warm.

Adjusting Control

If you need to adjust the temperature in the refrigerator compartment, press TEMP SETTING to display the desired temperature setting from the snowflake on the left (least cold) to the snowflake on the right (coldest).

NOTE: Except when starting the refrigerator, do not adjust the control more than one setting at a time. Wait 24 hours between adjustments for the temperature to stabilize.

Cooling On/Off

Your refrigerator will not cool when cooling is turned off.

To turn cooling off, press and hold TEMP SETTING for 3 seconds. In the Off condition, none of the lights on the control panel will be illuminated. The main refrigerator light bulb will still operate.

To turn cooling on, press and hold TEMP SETTING for 3 seconds. When cooling is ON, the control panel lights will be illuminated.

Fast Cool

Use this feature to assist with periods of high refrigerator use, full grocery loads or temporarily warm room temperature.

To activate Fast Cool, press TEMP SETTING until all the snowflake positions are illuminated simultaneously.

The refrigerator will remain in the Fast Cool setting for 24 hours after the extra-low temperature is reached. Once the time has expired, the refrigerator will return to the previous temperature setting. Fast Cool may be manually turned off by pressing the TEMP SETTING button to select the desired temperature setting from the snowflake on the left (least cold) to the snowflake on the right (coldest).

Over-Temperature Alert (on some models)

The Over Temperature Alert lets you know if the refrigerator temperature has risen to 54°F (12°C) or higher. This alert feature will sound a continuous alert tone and repeatedly flash a red light on the control panel.

The tone can be turned off by pressing TEMP SETTING on the control panel once. As you press TEMP SETTING, the red light will then also change from flashing to continuously illuminated. The red light will remain illuminated until the refrigerator temperature falls below 54°F (12°C).

NOTE: If the red light on the control panel is repeatedly flashing, but the alert tone is not sounding, this means that an over temperature condition has occurred but the refrigerator temperature has since returned to below 54°F (12°C). To turn off the red light indicator for this condition, press TEMP SETTING on the control panel once.

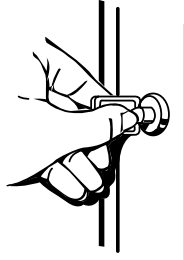
Door Ajar Alarm (on some models)

The Door Ajar alarm lets you know when the refrigerator door has been open for 5 minutes or longer and the cooling is turned on. This alarm feature will sound an alert tone that will repeat every 2 minutes. Close the door to turn off the tone. The feature is reset and will reactivate when the door is again left open for 5 minutes.

NOTE: To mute the alert tone while keeping the door open, such as while cleaning the inside of the refrigerator, press TEMP SETTING on the control panel. The alert tone will be temporarily turned off.

Key Eject Lock (on some models)

To lock or unlock the refrigerator, you must hold the key in the lock while turning. The lock is spring loaded, so the key cannot be left in the lock.



If the key is lost, contact your dealer for a replacement. Always give the model and serial number of your refrigerator when requesting a replacement key.

NOTE: Keep the key out of the reach of children. Do not keep the key close to the refrigerator.

Refrigerator Features

Important information to know about glass shelves and covers:

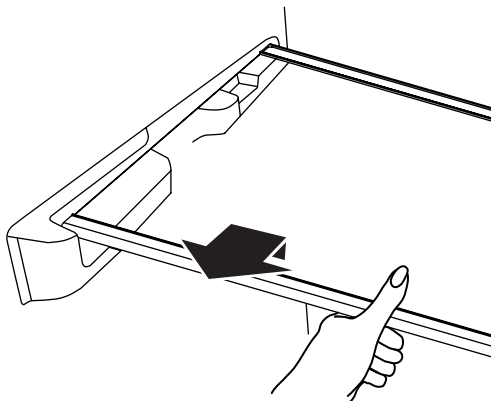
Do not clean glass shelves or covers with warm water when they are cold. Shelves and covers may break if exposed to sudden temperature changes or impact, such as bumping. Tempered glass is designed to shatter into many small, pebble-size pieces. This is normal. Glass shelves and covers are heavy. Use both hands when removing them to avoid dropping.

Refrigerator Shelves

Store similar foods together and adjust the shelves to fit different heights. This reduces the time the refrigerator door is open and saves energy.

To Remove and Replace a Shelf:

1. Remove the shelf by lifting straight up and pulling the shelf out.



2. Replace the shelf by lowering the shelf onto the supports on the side wall.

Crisper Drawers

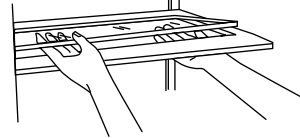
To Remove and Replace a Drawer:

1. Slide drawer straight out to the stop. Lift the front of the drawer and slide it out the rest of the way.
2. Replace a drawer by sliding it back in, fully past the stop.

Crisper Cover

To Remove the Crisper(s) Cover:

1. Remove crisper(s). Hold the glass, insert firmly with one hand, and press up in the center of the glass insert until it rises above the plastic frame. Slowly slide the glass insert forward to remove.
2. Lift the cover frame and remove it.



To Replace Crisper Cover:

1. Fit the back of the cover frame into the supports on the side walls of the refrigerator. Lower the front of the cover frame into place.
2. Slide the rear of the glass insert into the cover frame and lower the front into place.

Crisper Humidity Control (on some models)

You can adjust the amount of humidity in the moisture-sealed crisper using the settings between "+" and "-".

"-" (open) lets moist air out of the crisper for best storage of fruits and vegetables with skins.

- Fruit: Wash, let dry, and store in refrigerator in plastic bag in crisper. Do not wash or hull berries until they are ready to use. Sort and keep berries in original container in crisper.
- Vegetables with skins: Place in plastic bag or plastic container and store in crisper.

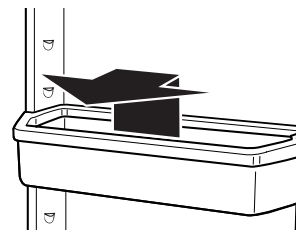
"+" (closed) keeps moist air in the crisper for best storage of fresh, leafy vegetables.

- Leafy vegetables: Wash in cold water, drain, and trim or tear off bruised and discolored areas. Place in plastic bag or plastic container and store in crisper.

Door Bin

To Remove and Replace the Bin:

1. Remove the bin by tipping the front of the bin forward and sliding out.
2. Replace the bin by sliding it in above the desired support and tilting it back into place.



CARING FOR YOUR REFRIGERATOR

Cleaning Your Refrigerator

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Explosion Hazard

Use nonflammable cleaner.

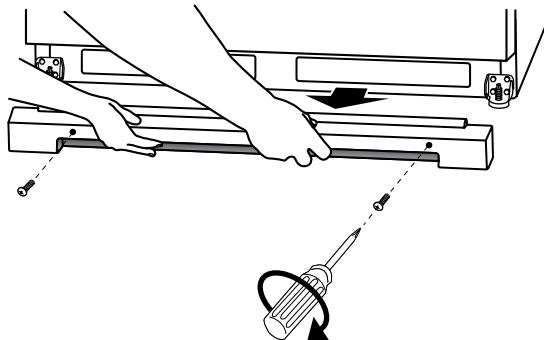
Failure to do so can result in death, explosion, or fire.

Clean the refrigerator about once a month to keep odors from building up. Wipe up spills immediately.

To Clean Your Refrigerator:

1. Press and hold TEMP SETTING for 3 seconds to turn off cooling.
2. Unplug refrigerator or disconnect power.
3. Remove all removable parts from inside, such as shelves, crispers, etc.
4. Hand wash, rinse, and dry removable parts and interior surfaces thoroughly. Use a clean sponge or soft cloth and a mild detergent in warm water.
 - Do not use abrasive or harsh cleaners such as window sprays, scouring cleansers, flammable fluids, cleaning waxes, concentrated detergents, bleaches, or cleansers containing petroleum products on plastic parts, interior and door liners, or gaskets. Do not use paper towels, scouring pads, or other harsh cleaning tools. These can scratch or damage materials.
 - To help remove odors, you can wash interior walls with a mixture of warm water and baking soda (2 tbs to 1 qt [26 g to 0.95 L] of water).
5. Replace removable parts.
6. Use the appropriate cleaning method for your exterior finish.

Painted Metal: Wash exteriors with a clean sponge or soft cloth and a mild detergent in warm water. Do not use abrasive or harsh cleaners or cleaners designed for stainless steel. Dry thoroughly with a soft cloth.
7. Clean the condenser coils regularly. Coils may need to be cleaned as often as every other month. This may help save energy.
 - Open the refrigerator door and remove the base grille by removing 2 Phillips-head screws and pulling the grille toward you.

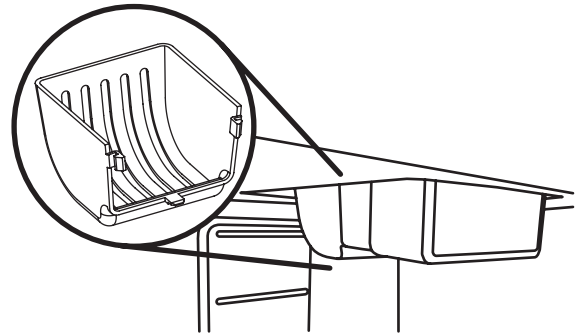


- Use a vacuum with an extended attachment to clean the condenser coils when they are dusty or dirty.
 - Replace the base grille by aligning the ends of the grille with the leveling assemblies on each side and snapping the grille into place. Reinstall the screws.
8. Plug in refrigerator or reconnect power.
 9. Set temperature control to desired setting. See "Using the Control."

Changing the Light Bulb

NOTE: Not all appliance bulbs will fit your freezer. Be sure to replace the bulb with an appliance bulb of the same size, shape, and wattage.

1. Unplug refrigerator or disconnect power.
2. Remove the light shield by squeezing the lens from the sides, pushing back and pulling down.



3. Replace bulb with a 40-watt maximum appliance bulb or an LED bulb rated for wet/damp locations.

NOTE: Some LED replacement light bulbs are not recommended for wet/damp environments. Refrigerator fresh food and freezer compartments are considered wet/damp environments. Read and follow all instructions on the LED packaging when replacing the factory-installed LED bulb. A replacement LED bulb can be purchased from an authorized dealer.

4. Replace the light shield.
5. Plug in refrigerator or reconnect power.

Power Interruptions

If the power will be out for 24 hours or less, keep the door closed to help food stay cold and frozen.

If the power will be out for more than 24 hours, consume or can perishable food at once.

REMEMBER: If the condition of the food is poor, dispose of it.

Vacation and Moving Care

Vacations

If you choose to leave the refrigerator on while you're away, use up any perishables and freeze other items.

If you choose to turn the refrigerator off before you leave, follow these steps.

1. Remove all food from the refrigerator.
2. Turn the control to the Off position. See "Using the Control."
3. Clean refrigerator, wipe it, and dry well.
4. Tape rubber or wood blocks to the tops of both doors to prop them open far enough for air to get in. This stops odor and mold from building up.

Moving

When you are moving your refrigerator to a new home, follow these steps to prepare it for the move.

1. Remove all food from the refrigerator.
2. Turn the control to the Off position. See "Using the Control."
3. Unplug refrigerator.
4. Empty water from the defrost pan.
5. Clean, wipe, and dry thoroughly.
6. Take out all removable parts, wrap them well, and tape them together so they don't shift and rattle during the move.
7. Tape the doors shut and the power cord to the refrigerator cabinet.

When you get to your new home, put everything back and refer to "Installing Your Refrigerator" for preparation instructions.

TROUBLESHOOTING

First try the solutions suggested here. If you need further assistance or more recommendations that may help you avoid a service call, refer to the warranty page in this manual and scan the code there with your mobile device, or visit www.whirlpool.com/product_help for recommendations that may help you avoid a service call. In Canada, visit <http://www.whirlpool.ca>.

Contact us by mail with any questions or concerns at the address below:

In the U.S.A.:

Whirlpool Brand Home Appliances
Customer eXperience Center
553 Benson Road
Benton Harbor, MI 49022-2692

In Canada:

Whirlpool Brand Home Appliances
Customer eXperience Centre
200 – 6750 Century Ave.
Mississauga ON L5N 0B7

Please include a daytime phone number in your correspondence.

Refrigerator Operation

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Electrical Shock Hazard

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- Do not remove ground prong.
- Do not use an adapter.
- Do not use an extension cord.
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Explosion Hazard

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- Failure to do so can result in death, explosion, or fire.

PROBLEM	RECOMMENDED SOLUTIONS
Refrigerator Will Not Operate	<p>Check that it is plugged into a grounded 3 prong outlet.</p> <p>Check that the temperature control is turned on.</p> <p>Check that the refrigerator is not running an automatic Defrost cycle.</p> <p>Replace the fuse or reset the circuit breaker.</p> <p>NOTE: If problems continue, contact an electrician.</p>
Lights Do Not Work	<p>Check that it is plugged into a grounded 3 prong outlet.</p> <p>Check that the light bulb is tight in the socket and is not burned out.</p>
Water in Defrost Drain Pan	<p>It is normal for water to drip into the defrost drain pan when refrigerator is defrosting.</p> <p>When humidity is high, it is normal for water in the defrost pan to take longer to evaporate.</p>

PROBLEM	RECOMMENDED SOLUTIONS
Motor Seems to Run Too Much	<p>Check that door closes properly.</p> <p>Adding a large amount of food warms the refrigerator, causing the unit to run longer to cool back down. If this is the situation, wait approximately 6 to 8 hours to allow the refrigerator to reach the correct temperature.</p> <p>Get all items out at one time, keep food organized and close door as soon as possible.</p> <p>Check that the condenser coils are clean.</p> <p>Check that space around refrigerator meets air circulation requirements. See “Location Requirements.”</p> <p>Warmer-than-normal room temperature will cause the motor to run longer.</p> <p>NOTE: If none of the above, your new refrigerator will run longer than your old one due to its high-efficiency motor.</p>
Temperature Is Too Warm	<p>Check that air vents are clear. See “Ensuring Proper Air Circulation” for air vent locations.</p> <p>Get all items out at one time, keep food organized, and close door as soon as possible.</p> <p>Adding a large amount of food warms the refrigerator, causing the refrigerator to run longer to cool back down.</p> <p>Check that the temperature control is set correctly for surrounding conditions.</p>
The Door Will Not Close Completely or Is Difficult to Open	<p>Check that there are no food packages blocking the door.</p> <p>On some models, check that the crisper covers, pans, shelves, bins, and baskets are in the correct position.</p> <p>Check that gaskets are clean. See the “Caring for Your Refrigerator” section.</p> <p>Check that the refrigerator is stable. See “Refrigerator Leveling and Door Closing.”</p>
Noisy	<p>The sounds may be normal. See “Normal Sounds.”</p>
Refrigerator Makes Loud Buzzing/Clicking Sound	<p>If the refrigerator has recently been plugged in or turned on following a defrost or product move, or if there has been an extended power failure, turn off the temperature alarm for the next 24 hours.</p> <p>Adding a large amount of food warms the refrigerator. It can take several hours for the refrigerator to return to normal temperature. Turn the temperature alarm off for the next 24 hours.</p>

WHIRLPOOL® MAJOR APPLIANCE LIMITED WARRANTY

ATTACH YOUR RECEIPT HERE. PROOF OF PURCHASE IS REQUIRED TO OBTAIN WARRANTY SERVICE.

Please have the following information available when you call the Customer eXperience Center:

- Name, address and telephone number
- Model number and serial number
- A clear, detailed description of the problem
- Proof of purchase including dealer or retailer name and address

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2. All warranty service is provided exclusively by our authorized Whirlpool Service Providers. In the U.S. and Canada, direct all requests for warranty service to:

Whirlpool Customer eXperience Center

In the U.S.A., call 1-800-253-1301. In Canada, call 1-800-807-6777.

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Guide d'utilisation

Réfrigérateur

Nous vous REMERCIONS d'avoir acheté ce produit de haute qualité. Enregistrer le réfrigérateur sur www.whirlpool.com.
Au Canada, enregistrer le réfrigérateur sur www.whirlpool.ca.

Pour référence ultérieure, consignez par écrit les numéros de modèle et de série de votre produit. Vous trouverez les numéros de modèle et de série à l'intérieur du réfrigérateur.

Numéro de modèle _____

Numéro de série _____

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SÉCURITÉ

Votre sécurité et celle des autres est très importante.

Nous donnons de nombreux messages de sécurité importants dans ce manuel et sur votre appareil ménager. Assurez-vous de toujours lire tous les messages de sécurité et de vous y conformer.



Voici le symbole d'alerte de sécurité.

Ce symbole d'alerte de sécurité vous signale les dangers potentiels de décès et de blessures graves à vous et à d'autres.

Tous les messages de sécurité suivront le symbole d'alerte de sécurité et le mot "DANGER" ou "AVERTISSEMENT". Ces mots signifient :

⚠ DANGER

Risque possible de décès ou de blessure grave si vous ne suivez pas immédiatement les instructions.

⚠ AVERTISSEMENT

Risque possible de décès ou de blessure grave si vous ne suivez pas les instructions.

Tous les messages de sécurité vous diront quel est le danger potentiel et vous disent comment réduire le risque de blessure et ce qui peut se produire en cas de non-respect des instructions.

IMPORTANTES INSTRUCTIONS DE SÉCURITÉ

AVERTISSEMENT : Pour réduire les risques d'incendie, de choc électrique ou des blessures lors de l'utilisation du réfrigérateur, prendre quelques précautions fondamentales, y compris les suivantes :

- Brancher l'appareil sur une prise à 3 alvéoles reliée à la terre.
- Ne pas enlever la broche de liaison à la terre.
- Ne pas utiliser un adaptateur.
- Ne pas utiliser un câble de rallonge.
- Débrancher la source de courant électrique avant l'entretien.
- Replacer pièces et panneaux avant de faire la remise en marche.
- Enlever les portes de votre vieux réfrigérateur.
- Raccorder à la canalisation d'arrivée d'eau potable uniquement.
- Utiliser un produit de nettoyage ininflammable.
- Garder les matériaux et les vapeurs inflammables, telle que l'essence, loin du réfrigérateur.
- Utiliser deux ou plus de personnes pour déplacer et installer le réfrigérateur.
- Débrancher le réfrigérateur avant l'installation de la machine à glaçons (seulement pour modèles prêts à recevoir une machine à glaçons).
- Utiliser un verre robuste pour prendre des glaçons (sur certains modèles).
- Ne pas heurter les portes en verre du réfrigérateur (sur certains modèles).
- Cet appareil ne convient pas à une utilisation par des personnes (y compris des enfants) à capacités physiques, sensorielles ou mentales réduites, ou possédant un manque d'expérience et de connaissances, à moins qu'elles ne soient placées sous supervision ou qu'elles aient reçu des instructions concernant l'utilisation de l'appareil par une personne responsable de leur sécurité.
- Les enfants doivent être placés sous surveillance afin de s'assurer qu'ils ne jouent pas avec l'appareil.

CONSERVEZ CES INSTRUCTIONS

Avertissements de la proposition 65 de l'État de Californie :

AVERTISSEMENT : Ce produit contient au moins un produit chimique connu par l'État de Californie pour être à l'origine de cancers.

AVERTISSEMENT : Ce produit contient au moins un produit chimique connu par l'État de Californie pour être à l'origine de malformations et autres déficiences de naissance.

Mise au rebut de votre vieux congélateur ou réfrigérateur

⚠ AVERTISSEMENT

Risque de suffoquer

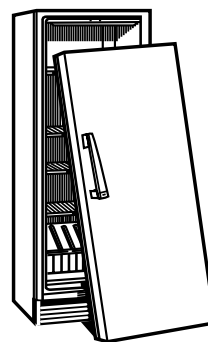
Enlever les portes ou le couvercle de votre vieux congélateur ou réfrigérateur.

Le non-respect de cette instruction peut causer un décès ou des lésions cérébrales.

IMPORTANT : Encore de nos jours, des enfants peuvent rester pris ou s'étouffer à l'intérieur d'un appareil comme celui-ci. Les réfrigérateurs jetés ou abandonnés sont encore dangereux, même s'ils sont abandonnés pendant "quelques jours seulement". Si vous vous débarrassez de votre vieux réfrigérateur, veuillez suivre les instructions suivantes pour aider à éviter les accidents.

Avant de jeter votre vieux réfrigérateur ou congélateur :

- Enlever les portes.
- Laisser les tablettes en place de sorte que les enfants ne peuvent pas facilement se glisser à l'intérieur.



Renseignements importants à propos de la mise au rebut des fluides réfrigérants :

Mettre le réfrigérateur au rebut conformément à la réglementation fédérale et locale. Les fluides réfrigérants doivent être évacués par un technicien certifié et agréé par l'EPA conformément aux procédures établies.

Déballage

AVERTISSEMENT

Risque du poids excessif

Utiliser deux ou plus de personnes pour déplacer et installer le réfrigérateur.

Le non-respect de cette instruction peut causer une blessure au dos ou d'autre blessure.

Enlèvement des matériaux d'emballage

- Enlever le ruban adhésif et la colle des surfaces du réfrigérateur avant de le brancher. Frotter une petite quantité de savon liquide pour la vaisselle sur l'adhésif avec les doigts. Rincer à l'eau tiède et essuyer.
- Ne pas utiliser d'instruments coupants, d'alcool à friction, de liquides inflammables ou de nettoyants abrasifs pour enlever le ruban adhésif ou la colle. Ces produits peuvent endommager la surface de votre réfrigérateur. Pour plus de renseignements, voir la section "Sécurité".

Déplacement de votre réfrigérateur :

Votre réfrigérateur est lourd. Lors du déplacement de votre réfrigérateur pour le nettoyage ou un entretien ou réparation, veiller à recouvrir le plancher avec du carton ou un panneau de fibres dures pour éviter qu'il ne subisse tout dommage. Toujours tirer le réfrigérateur tout droit lors de son déplacement. Ne pas incliner le réfrigérateur d'un côté ou de l'autre ni le "faire marcher" en essayant de le déplacer car le plancher pourrait être endommagé.

Nettoyage avant l'utilisation

Après avoir enlevé tous les matériaux d'emballage, nettoyer l'intérieur du réfrigérateur avant de l'utiliser. Voir les instructions de nettoyage dans la section "Entretien du réfrigérateur".

Importants renseignements à savoir au sujet des tablettes et des couvercles en verre :

Ne pas nettoyer les tablettes ou couvercles en verre avec de l'eau tiède quand ils sont froids. Les tablettes et les couvercles peuvent se briser s'ils sont exposés à des changements soudains de température ou à un impact tel que coup brusque. Le verre trempé est conçu pour éclater en d'innombrables pièces minuscules. Ceci est normal. Les tablettes et les couvercles en verre sont lourds. Les saisir à deux mains lors de leur dépose afin d'éviter de les faire tomber.

Exigences d'emplacement

AVERTISSEMENT



Risque d'explosion

Garder les matériaux et les vapeurs inflammables, telle que l'essence, loin du réfrigérateur.

Le non-respect de cette instruction peut causer un décès, une explosion ou un incendie.

Ventilation et dégagement

- Garder les matériaux et les vapeurs inflammables, tels que l'essence, loin du réfrigérateur.
- Ne pas couvrir le réfrigérateur avec des articles tels que couvertures, draps, nappes de table, etc. Ceci réduit la circulation d'air.
- Laisser un espace d'au moins 1" (2,5 cm) entre l'arrière du réfrigérateur et le mur. Si le réfrigérateur est installé contre un mur, laisser un espace supplémentaire du côté des charnières pour une plus grande ouverture de la porte.

Température

Le réfrigérateur fonctionne à son efficacité maximale lorsqu'il se trouve dans un endroit où la température ne descend pas en dessous de 40 °F (5 °C). Installer le réfrigérateur dans un endroit où la température ne descend pas en dessous de cette température recommandée.

En cas de déplacement à son emplacement final

REMARQUE : Ce réfrigérateur peut être installé côte à côte avec un autre réfrigérateur ou congélateur. Laisser un dégagement de 1" (2,54 cm) à l'arrière du réfrigérateur et un dégagement de 1/4" (6,4 mm) entre les appareils.

Spécifications électriques

⚠ AVERTISSEMENT



Risque de choc électrique

Brancher sur une prise à 3 alvéoles reliée à la terre.

Ne pas enlever la broche de liaison à la terre.

Ne pas utiliser un adaptateur.

Ne pas utiliser un câble de rallonge.

Le non-respect de ces instructions peut causer un décès, un incendie ou un choc électrique.

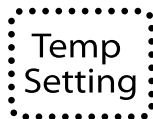
Avant de placer le réfrigérateur à son emplacement final, il est important de vous assurer d'avoir la connexion électrique appropriée.

Méthode recommandée de mise à la terre

Une source d'alimentation de 115 volts, 60 Hz, type 15 ou 20 ampères CA seulement, protégée par fusibles et adéquatement mise à la terre est nécessaire. Il est recommandé d'utiliser un circuit distinct pour alimenter uniquement votre réfrigérateur. Utiliser une prise murale qui ne peut pas être mise hors circuit à l'aide d'un commutateur. Ne pas employer de rallonge.

REMARQUE : Avant de procéder à tout type d'installation, de nettoyage ou de changement d'une ampoule, appuyer sans relâcher sur TEMP SETTING (réglage de la température) pendant 3 secondes pour désactiver le refroidissement, puis déconnecter le réfrigérateur de la source de courant électrique.

Over Temp Reset



Cooling On/Off
Hold 3 Sec

Porte du réfrigérateur

Outils nécessaires : clé à douille à tête hexagonale de $\frac{5}{16}$ "
clé à douille à tête hexagonale de $\frac{3}{8}$ "
couteau à mastic de 2"

IMPORTANT :

- En fonction de la largeur de l'ouverture, il faudra peut-être retirer la poignée ou la porte pour pouvoir introduire le réfrigérateur dans le domicile.
- Toutes les illustrations mentionnées dans les instructions suivantes sont incluses plus loin dans cette section après "Étapes finales." Si on inverse le sens d'ouverture de la porte, considérer l'image symétrique.
- Avant de commencer, tourner la commande à la position d'arrêt et retirer les aliments et tout balconnet réglable ou compartiment utilitaire des portes.

Retrait et réinstallation de la poignée

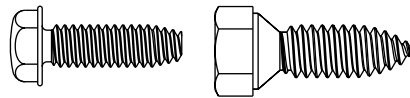
Retrait de la poignée :

1. Desserrer les vis de blocage situées sur le côté de la poignée à chaque extrémité. Voir l'illustration de la poignée.
2. Retirer la poignée des œillets.

Réinstallation de la poignée :

1. Placer la poignée sur les œillets en s'assurant que les œillets sont bien installés dans les trous de la poignée.
2. Serrer les vis de blocage supérieures et inférieures à l'aide de la clé à tête hexagonale fournie. Voir l'illustration de la poignée. Ne pas serrer excessivement les vis de blocage.

Démontage - Porte et charnières



Vis de charnière

1. Débrancher le réfrigérateur ou déconnecter la source de courant électrique.
2. Laisser la porte du réfrigérateur fermée jusqu'à ce que vous soyez prêt à la soulever pour la dégager de la caisse.
REMARQUE : Prévoir un support additionnel de la porte pendant le déplacement des charnières. La force d'attraction des aimants de porte ne suffit pas à la maintenir en place.
3. Enlever les pièces de la charnière supérieure - voir l'illustration de la charnière supérieure.
4. Soulever la porte du réfrigérateur pour la séparer de la charnière inférieure et de la caisse et la conserver à part.
5. Retirer les 4 vis de charnière à tête hexagonale et la charnière inférieure. Voir l'illustration de la charnière inférieure.

