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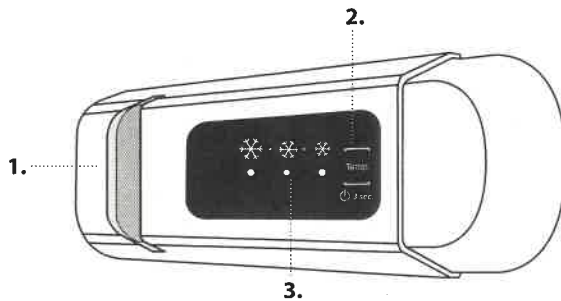
Before using the appliance carefully read the Safety Instruction.

FIRST TIME USE

Wait at least two hours, after the installation, before connecting the appliance to the power supply. Connect the appliance to the power supply it starts the operation automatically. The ideal storage temperatures for the food are preset in the factory.

After turning the appliance on, you must wait for 4-6 hours for the correct storage temperature to be reached for a normally filled appliance. Position the antibacterial anti-odour filter in the fan as demonstrated in the filter packaging (if available). If the audible signal sounds, it means that the temperature alarm has intervened: press the button to switch off the acoustic alarms.

CONTROL PANEL



1. LED Light
2. On/Stand-by
3. Freezer and refrigerator compartment temperature button

ON/STAND-BY

Press the button for 3 seconds to turn the appliance off. In Stand-by mode the light in the refrigerator compartment does not turn on. Press the button again briefly to reactivate the appliance.

Note: this does not disconnect the appliance from the power supply.

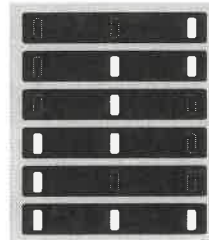
FREEZER AND REFRIGERATOR COMPARTMENT TEMPERATURE

The three LED indicators indicate the refrigerator compartment set temperature. It is possible to set a different temperature of the appliance with the button.

Recommended setting: MEDIUM

The following adjustments are possible:

LEDs lit



Set temperature

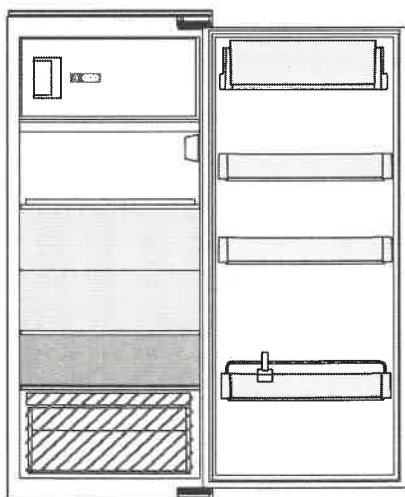
- High (less cold)
- Medium-high
- Medium
- Medium-low
- Low (colder)
- Fast cool



To avoid food waste, please refer to the recommended setting and storage times found in the online user manual.

HOW TO STORE FRESH FOOD AND BEVERAGES

** For models with "0 ° ZONE" COMPARTMENT * the "coolest area" is the one highlighted in the legend



Legend

- TEMPERATE ZONE**
Suggested for storage of tropical fruit, cans, drink, eggs, sauces, pickles, butter, jam
- COOL ZONE**
Suggested for storage of cheese, milk, daily food, delicatessen, yoghurt
- COOLEST AREA**
Suggested for storage of cold cuts, desserts, meat and fish
- FRUIT & VEGETABLE DRAWER**

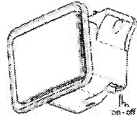
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REFRIGERATOR COMPARTMENT

FAN*

The Fan improves temperature distribution inside the product, allowing better preservation of stored food and reduction of excess humidity.

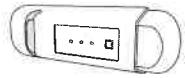
You can turn the fan on/off by pressing the button on the base (as shown in the figure). If the ambient temperature exceeds 27°C, or if drops of water are present on the glass shelves, it is essential that the fan is on to ensure the proper preservation of the food. Deactivation of the fan allows energy consumption to be optimised.



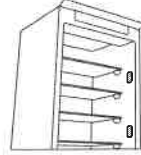
Light system (depending on model)



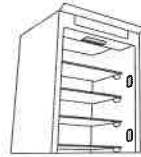
This product contains a light source of energy efficiency class G



This product contains a light source of energy efficiency class G



This product contains 4 lateral light sources of energy efficiency class A



This product contains 4 lateral light sources of energy efficiency class A and a top light source of energy class G



This product contains a top light source of energy efficiency class G

FREEZER COMPARTMENT

Freezing fresh food

1. It is advisable to set the temperature colder or turn on the Fast Freeze/ Fast Cool* at least four hours before removing the food from the freezer compartment, to prolong the preservation of the food during the defrosting phase.
2. To defrost, unplug the appliance and remove the drawers. Leave the door open to allow the frost to melt. To prevent the water from escaping during the defrost, it is advised that you place an absorbent cloth on the bottom of the freezer compartment and wring it out regularly.
3. Clean the inside of the freezer compartment and dry it carefully.

4. Turn the appliance back on and put the food back inside. To remove the frost on the STOP FROST* accessory, follow the CLEANING.

Ice cubes*

Fill 2/3 of the ice tray with water and put it back in the freezer compartment. Do not, under any circumstances, use sharp or pointed objects to remove the ice.

The quantity of fresh food that can be frozen in a specific time period is indicated on the rating plate.

Load limits are determined by baskets, flaps, drawers, shelves etc. Make sure that these components can still close easily after loading.


GENERAL INFORMATION

The drawers, baskets and shelves should be kept in their current position unless otherwise specified in this quick guide. The light system inside the refrigerator compartment uses LED lights, allowing for better lighting than

with traditional light bulbs, as well as for very low energy consumption. Doors and lids of the refrigeration appliance should be removed before disposal in the landfill, to avoid children or animals getting trapped inside.

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TROUBLESHOOTING

What to do if...	Possible reasons	Solutions
The control panel is switched off, the appliance does not work.	There may be an appliance power supply problem.	Check that: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • there is not a power outage; • the plug is properly inserted in the socket and any bipolar power switch is in the correct position (this enables the power supply to the appliance); • the household electrical system protection devices are efficient; • the power cable is not damaged.
	The appliance could be in On/stand by mode.	Turn the appliance on by briefly pressing the  button (see On/Stand-by function).
The inside light does not work.	The light may need to be replaced. Malfunction of a technical component.	Disconnect the appliance from the power supply and contact the Technical Assistance Service if you need a replacement.
The inside light flashes.	Door alarm active. It is activated when the refrigerator compartment door remains open for a prolonged period of time.	To stop the alarm, close the refrigerator door. On reopening the door, check the light works.
The temperature inside the compartments is not low enough.	There could be various causes (see "Solutions").	Check that: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the door closes properly; • the appliance is not installed near a heat source; • the set temperature is adequate; • the circulation of air through the vents at the bottom of the appliance is not obstructed (see installation section).
There is water on the bottom of the refrigerator compartment.	The defrost water drain is blocked.	Clean the defrosting water drain (see section "Cleaning and Maintenance").
Excessive amount of frost in the freezer compartment.	The door to the freezer compartment is not closed properly.	Check that there is nothing preventing the door from closing properly. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Defrost the freezer compartment. • Make sure the appliance has been correctly installed.
The front edge of the appliance that the door gaskets seal against is hot.	This is not a defect. It prevents condensation from forming.	No solution is necessary.
One or more green symbols are flashing continuously and it is not possible to change the temperature set.	Malfunction alarm. The alarm indicates a fault in a technical component.	Contact Technical Assistance Service.
The temperature of the refrigerator compartment is too cold.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The set temperature is too cold. • A large amount of fresh food may have been placed in the freezer compartment. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Try to set a less cold temperature. • If fresh food has been placed in the freezer compartment, wait until it has fully frozen. • Turn off the fan (if present) following the procedure described in the paragraph "FAN".

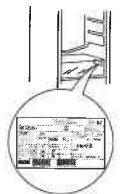
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Note: If the chiller declaration is present in the rating plate (see image below), the declaration applies only to standard EN 62552:2013 valid until February 28th, 2021.



Policies, standard documentation and additional product information can be found by:

- Visiting our website docs.hotpoint.eu
- Using QR Code
- Alternatively, **contact our After-sales Service** (See phone number in the warranty booklet). When contacting our After-sales Service, please state the codes provided on your product's identification plate.
- The model information can be retrieved using the QR-Code reported in the energy label. The label also includes the model identifier that can be used to consult the portal of the registry at <https://eprel.ec.europa.eu>



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SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

IMPORTANT TO BE READ AND OBSERVED

Before using the appliance, read these safety instructions. Keep them nearby for future reference.

These instructions and the appliance itself provide important safety warnings, to be observed at all times. The manufacturer declines any liability for failure to observe these safety instructions, for inappropriate use of the appliance or incorrect setting of controls.

⚠ Very young children (0-3 years) should be kept away from the appliance. Young children (3-8 years) should be kept away from the appliance unless continuously supervised. Children from 8 years old and above and persons with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities or lack of experience and knowledge can use this appliance only if they are supervised or have been given instructions on safe use and understand the hazards involved. Children must not play with the appliance. Cleaning and user maintenance must not be carried out by children without supervision. Children aged from 3 to 8 years are allowed to load and unload refrigerating appliances.

PERMITTED USE

⚠ CAUTION: The appliance is not intended to be operated by means of an external switching device, such as a timer, or separate remote controlled system.

⚠ This appliance is intended to be used in household and similar applications such as: staff kitchen areas in shops, offices and other working environments; farm houses; by clients in hotels, motels, bed & breakfast and other residential environments.

⚠ This appliance is not for professional use. Do not use the appliance outdoors.

⚠ The bulb used inside the appliance is specifically designed for domestic appliances and is not suitable for general room lighting within the home (EC Regulation 244/2009).

⚠ The appliance is designed for operation in places where the ambient temperature comes within the following ranges, according to the climatic class given on the rating plate. The appliance may not work properly if it is left for a long time at a temperature outside the specified range.

Climatic class ambient temperatures:

SN: From 10°C to 32°C ; N: From 16°C to 32°C

ST: From 16°C to 38°C ; T: From 16°C to 43°C

⚠ This appliance does not contain CFCs. The refrigerant circuit contains R600a (HC).

Appliances with Isobutane (R600a): isobutane is a natural gas without environmental impact, but is flammable. Therefore, make sure the refrigerant circuit pipes are not damaged, especially when emptying the refrigerant circuit.

⚠ WARNING: Do not damage the appliance refrigerant circuit pipes.

⚠ WARNING: Keep ventilation openings, in the appliance enclosure or in the built-in structure, clear of obstruction.

⚠ WARNING: Do not use mechanical, electric or chemical means other than those recommended by the Manufacturer to speed up the defrost process.

⚠ WARNING: Do not use or place electrical devices inside the appliance compartments if they are not of the type expressly authorised by the Manufacturer.

⚠ WARNING: Ice makers and/or water dispensers not directly connected to the water supply must be filled with potable water only.

⚠ WARNING: Automatic ice-makers and/or water dispensers must be connected to a water supply that delivers potable water only, with mains water pressure between 0.17 and 0.81 MPa (1.7 and 8.1 bar).

⚠ Do not store explosive substances such as aerosol cans and do not place or use gasoline or other flammable materials in or near the appliance.

⚠ Do not swallow the contents (non-toxic) of the ice packs (provided with some models). Do not eat ice cubes or ice lollies immediately after taking them out of the freezer since they may cause cold burns.

⚠ For products designed to use an air filter inside an accessible fan cover, the filter must always be in position when the refrigerator is in function.

⚠ Do not store glass containers with liquids in the freezer compartment since they may break.

Do not obstruct the fan (if included) with food items.

After placing the food check that the door of compartments closes properly, especially the freezer door.


⚠ Damaged gaskets must be replaced as soon as possible.

⚠ Use the refrigerator compartment only for storing fresh food and the freezer compartment only for storing frozen food, freezing fresh food and making ice cubes.

⚠ Do not store unwrapped food in the refrigerator or freezer compartments to avoid direct contact with internal surfaces.

Appliances could have special compartments (Fresh Food Compartment, Zero Degree Box,...). Unless differently specified in the specific booklet

of product, they can be removed, maintaining equivalent performances.

 C-Pentane is used as blowing agent in the insulation foam and it is a flammable gas.


The most appropriate compartments of the appliance where specific types of food are to be stored, taking into account different temperature distribution in different compartments in the appliance, are as follows:


- 1) Upper area of the refrigerator compartment & door - temperature zone: Store tropical fruit, cans, drinks, eggs, sauces, pickles, butter, jam
- 2) Middle area of the refrigerator compartment - cool zone: Store cheese, milk, dairy food, deli food, yoghurt
- 3) Lower area of the refrigerator compartment - coldest zone: Store cold cuts, desserts, meat and fish, cheesecake, fresh pasta, sour cream, pesto/salsa, home-cooked food, pastry cream, pudding and cream cheese
- 4) Fruit & vegetable drawer at the bottom of the refrigerator compartment: Store vegetables and fruits (excluding tropical fruits)
- 5) Chiller compartment: Only store meat and fish in the coldest drawer

To avoid food contamination, please observe the following:


- Opening the door for long periods can cause a significant increase of the temperature in the compartments of the appliance.
- Regularly clean surfaces that may come into contact with food and accessible drainage systems.
- Clean water tanks if they have not been used for 48 h; flush the water system connected to a water supply if water has not been drawn for 5 days.
- Store raw meat and fish in suitable containers in the refrigerator, so that it does not come into contact with or drip onto other food.
- Two-star frozen food compartments are suitable for storing pre-frozen food, storing or making ice cream and ice cubes.
- Do not freeze fresh food in one, two or three-star compartments.
- If the refrigerating appliance is left empty for long periods, switch off, defrost, clean, dry, and leave the door open to prevent mould developing inside the appliance.


INSTALLATION


 The appliance must be handled and installed by two or more persons - risk of injury. Use protective gloves to unpack and install - risk of cuts.

 Installation, including water supply (if any), electrical connections and repairs must be carried out by a qualified technician. Do not repair or replace any part of the appliance unless specifically stated in the user manual. Keep children away from

the installation site. After unpacking the appliance, make sure that it has not been damaged during transport. In the event of problems, contact the dealer or your nearest After-sales Service. Once installed, packaging waste (plastic, styrofoam parts etc.) must be stored out of reach of children - risk of suffocation. The appliance must be disconnected from the power supply before any installation operation - risk of electrical shock. During installation, make sure the appliance does not damage the power cable - risk of fire or electrical shock. Only activate the appliance when the installation has been completed.


 Be careful not to damage the floors (e.g. parquet) when moving the appliance. Install the appliance on a floor or support strong enough to take its weight and in a place suitable for its size and use. Make sure the appliance is not near a heat source and that the four feet are stable and resting on the floor, adjusting them as required, and check that the appliance is perfectly level using a spirit level. Wait at least two hours before switching the appliance on, to ensure that the refrigerant circuit is fully efficient.


 **WARNING:** When positioning the appliance, ensure the supply cord is not trapped or damaged.


 **WARNING:** To avoid a hazard due to instability, positioning or fixing of the appliance must be done in accordance with the manufacturer instructions. It's forbidden to place the refrigerator in such way that the metal hose of gas stove, metal gas or water pipes, or electrical wires are in contact with the refrigerator back wall (condenser coil).


All dimensions and spacing needed for installation of the appliance are in the Installation Instruction booklet.

ELECTRICAL WARNINGS

 It must be possible to disconnect the appliance from the power supply by unplugging it if plug is accessible, or by a multi-pole switch installed upstream of the socket in accordance with the wiring rules and the appliance must be earthed in conformity with national electrical safety standards.

 Do not use extension leads, multiple sockets or adapters. The electrical components must not be accessible to the user after installation. Do not use the appliance when you are wet or barefoot. Do not operate this appliance if it has a damaged power cable or plug, if it is not working properly, or if it has been damaged or dropped.

 If the supply cord is damaged, it must be replaced with an identical one by the manufacturer, its service agent or similarly qualified persons in order to avoid a hazard - risk of electrical shock.


 **WARNING:** Do not locate multiple portable socket-outlets or portable power supplies at the rear of the appliance.

CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE


⚠ WARNING: Ensure that the appliance is switched off and disconnected from the power supply before performing any maintenance operation. To avoid risk of personal injury use protective gloves (risk of laceration) and safety shoes (risk of contusion); be sure to handle by two persons (reduce load); never use steam cleaning equipment (risk of electric shock). Non-professional repairs not authorised by the manufacturer could result in a risk to health and safety, for which the manufacturer cannot be held liable. Any defect or damage caused from non-professional repairs or maintenance will not be covered by the guarantee, the terms of which are outlined in the document delivered with the unit.

⚠ 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.

DISPOSAL OF PACKAGING MATERIALS

The packaging material is 100% recyclable and is marked with the recycle symbol . The various parts of the packaging must therefore be disposed of responsibly and in full compliance with local authority regulations governing waste disposal.

DISPOSAL OF HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCES

This appliance is manufactured with recyclable or reusable materials. Dispose of it in accordance with local waste disposal regulations. For further information on the treatment, recovery and recycling of household electrical appliances, contact your local authority, the collection service for household waste or the store where you purchased the appliance. This appliance is marked in compliance with European Directive 2012/19/EU, Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment (WEEE) and with the Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment regulations 2013 (as amended). By ensuring this product is disposed of correctly, you will help prevent negative consequences for the environment and human health. The  symbol on the product or on the accompanying documentation indicates that it should not be treated as domestic waste but must be taken to an appropriate collection center for the recycling of electrical and electronic equipment.

ENERGY SAVING TIPS

To guarantee adequate ventilation follow installation instructions. Insufficient ventilation at the back of the product increases energy consumption and decreases cooling efficiency.

Frequent door opening might cause an increase in Energy Consumption. The internal temperature of the appliance and the Energy Consumption may be affected also by the ambient temperature, as well as location of the appliance. Temperature setting should take into consideration these factors. Reduce door opening to minimum.

When thawing frozen food, place it in the refrigerator. The low temperature of the frozen products cools the food in the refrigerator. Allow warm food and drinks to cool down before placing in the appliance.

Positioning of the shelves in the refrigerator has no impact on the efficient usage of energy. Food should be placed on the shelves in such way to ensure proper air circulation (food should not touch each other and distance between food and rear wall should be kept).

You can increase storage capacity of frozen food by removing baskets and, if present, Stop Frost shelf.

Do not worry about noises coming from the compressor which are normal operation noises.



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