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## INSTRUCTION MANUAL

### WINE CELLAR

MODELS AWC18X, AWC2X, AWC45X, AWC165X AWC166X



To ensure proper use of this appliance and your safety, please read the following instructions completely before operating this appliance.

# 1. IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

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## **WARNING**

Before the appliance is used, it must be properly positioned and installed as described in this manual. So read the manual carefully. To reduce the risk of fire, electric shock or injury when using the appliance, follow basic precautions.

## **SAFETY PRECAUTIONS**

- Carefully inspect the appliance. If you discover any faults, stop the installation and contact the vendor.
- In the event that the appliance is damaged on delivery, contact the supplier immediately.
- The packaging material is recyclable and is marked with a recycling symbol. For disposal, follow the local regulations. Packaging materials (plastic bags, polystyrene parts, etc.) must be kept out of the reach of children, because they present a possible source of danger.
- When disconnecting the appliance, pull on the plug, not on the cable.
- Any repairs and work on the appliance should only be carried out by the customer service department, as unauthorized work could prove highly dangerous for the user. The same applies to changing the power cable.
- Do not stand on the base, drawers or doors or use them to support anything else.
- Do not allow flames or sources of ignition to enter the appliance. When transporting and cleaning the appliance, ensure that the refrigerant circuit is not damaged. In the event of damage, make sure that there are no ignition sources nearby
- Keep the room well ventilated.
- 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 initial 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.
- Do not store explosives or sprays using combustible propellants such as butane, propane, pentane, etc., in the appliance.
- Electrical components might cause leaking gas to ignite. You may identify such sprays by the printed contents or a flame symbol.

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- Do not use electrical devices inside the appliance.
- Before you throw away your old appliance: Take off the door. Leave the parts in place so that children may not easily climb inside.
- When disposing of your appliance, please choose an authorized disposal site.
- This appliance is equipped with a power cord having a grounding wire with a grounding plug. The plug must be plugged into an outlet that is properly installed and grounded
- Do not under any circumstances cut or remove the third (ground) prong from the power cord.
- Do not use an adapter plug with this appliance.

## 2. INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

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### ATTENTION

If the appliance is transported in a horizontal position, the oil from the compressor may leak into the cooling circuit. For this reason, allow the appliance to rest in a vertical position for 12 hours before turning it on, so that the oil flows back into the compressor.

Remove the external packaging, remove the protective plastic film from the surface of the appliance (if used) and clean the external parts of the appliance with a cleaner designed for this purpose. Do not use steel wool or any coarse agents, which could irreparably damage the surface of the appliance.

### IMPORTANT

This unit can be installed as either built-in or free-standing unit. For free-standing installation, allow at least 4" of clearance at the back, sides and top of the unit to permit the proper air circulation to cool the compressor and condenser. For built-in installation, certain clearances are necessary for optimal operation. In this case, allow 3/16" on both sides, 2" at the rear and 1/16" at the top to ensure proper ventilation. Take care that the air vent at the front of the appliance is never covered or blocked in any way.

### BEFORE INSTALLATING OF YOUR APPLIANCE

- The placement of the appliance must meet the requirements in the section operating conditions and must include a stable floor with a load-bearing capacity corresponding to the weight of the appliance.
- Level the appliance using the adjustable feet. Ensure there is a gap between the bottom edge of the appliance and the ground, so that there is sufficient circulation of air. This will ensure the optimal performance of the cooling system.
- Check whether any coolant circulation pipes have been damaged during the installation.
- Use the appliance only for the purposes for which it has been designed.
- The appliance must be located on a rigid and even surface. In this way you will ensure free circulation of the coolant and effective operation of your appliance.
- If possible, place the appliance in a cool, well ventilated and dry room.
- Do not locate the appliance in direct sunlight or in a room with a high ambient temperature, or in the vicinity of any sources of direct heat, such as a radiator or oven. This would cause the compressor to work harder, resulting in a substantially higher power consumption level.

## 3. OPERATING YOUR APPLIANCE

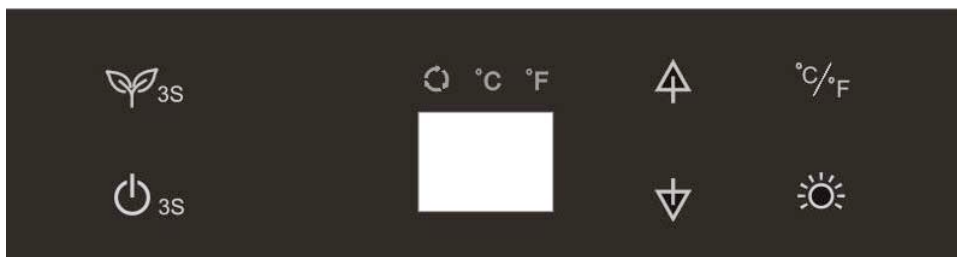
## OPERATING CONDITIONS

Proper operation of the appliance is guaranteed only if the following conditions are met:

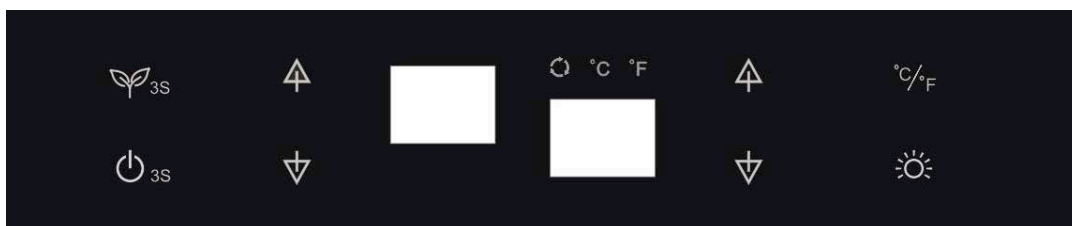
- The temperature in the room where the appliance is located conforms to the climate class stated on the appliance's rating label.
- Maximum ambient relative humidity: RH75%.
- The appliance must be placed at a sufficient distance from heat sources ( e.g., ovens, central heating, direct sunlight, etc.).
- The appliance must be located in such a place that it is protected against the effects of weather.
- Regular maintenance is performed according to the instructions in this user's manual.
- The ventilation openings on the appliance must not be covered.
- Correct installation (e.g. leveling, the capacity of the system corresponds to the specifications on the rating label of the appliance).



## COMMANDS

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- “” button to turn the unit ON and OFF, press and hold this button for approximately 3 seconds.
- “” button Energy conservation button: Pressing this button for 3 seconds will turn the energy conservation mode ON or OFF. In this mode, the LED light and

display will turn off, and the °C/°F light will be on.

- “” indicator light: shows that the compressor is in operation.
- “” button: It is used to increase (warm) the temperature in steps of 1°F (or 1°C).
- “” button: It is used to decrease (cool) the temperature in steps of 1°F (or 1°C).
- “°C/°F” button : press this button to switch the indicator light between °C/°F.
- “” button: turns the interior light ON and OFF. If you use this button, the light is no longer controlled by the switch, and remains ON. (Light button is useless when Energy conservation button is on ) LED display Display screen shows the temperature setting.

## WINE STORAGE

If you are storing wine for long periods of time, it should be stored at a temperature of between 10°C and 14°C (50°F and 57°F). The following drinking temperatures are recommended for the various types of wine:

Red wines: 57°F to +64°F (+14°C to +18°C)





Rosé wines: 50°F to +54°F (+10°C to +12°C)

White wines: 46°F to +54°F (+8°C to +12°C)

## TEMPERATURE SETTINGS

The zone temperature may have a difference of +/- 5°F (+/- 3°C) from the setting depending on loading and ambient conditions. For example, placing your unit in extreme cold or hot conditions may cause interior temperatures to fluctuate.

### TO SET THE TEMPERATURE:

- Use the / buttons to set the desired temperature. Each time the / buttons are pressed, the temperature will increase / decrease by 1°F (or 1°C).
- When you press the button once, the temperature will increase or decrease by 1°F (or 1°C). If you try to go beyond the minimum/maximum value that can be established, the display will jump to the lowest/highest adjustable temperature value automatically. If a button is not pressed for 5 seconds, the LED will stop flashing and the setting mode will be exited.
- You can set the temperature in the range of 39°F to 64°F (or 4°C to 18°C) .

## FUNCTIONS

### TEMPERATURE MEMORY FUNCTION

If the power is suddenly lost, the set temperature will be saved by the unit. Once the power is back on, the unit will be at the same set temperature.

### “CLOSE DOOR” REMINDER FUNCTION

When you forget to close the door or the door is not fully closed, there will be warning alarm after 5 minutes.

### TEMPERATURE ALARM FUNCTION

If the interior temperature is higher than 73°F (23°C), “HI” is shown on the display panel and the buzzer alarm sounds continuously after one hour. This indicates that the inner temperature is too high, and you should look for the reason. If the inner temperature is lower than 32°F (0°C), “LO” is shown on the display panel; the alarm and the malfunction indicator light go on at the same time.

## NOTES

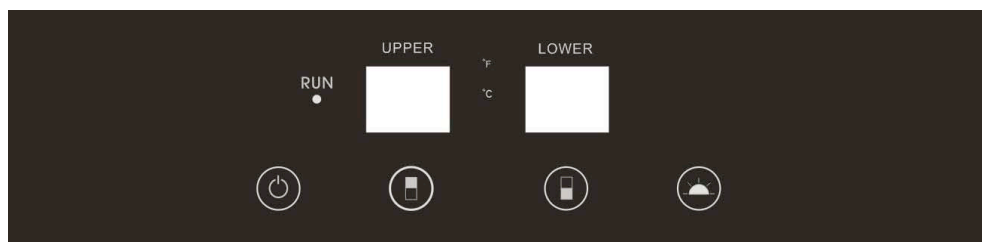
If too many bottles are put in at once or the door has not been closed tightly, the unit will display the “HI” signal on the display panel. This is normal. Please wait 5 minutes after closing the door and “HI” will disappear.

It is normal that the cabinet shows “HI” or “LO” from time to time. If it occurs frequently or lasts for a long time, you can restart the unit by unplugging it, then re-plugging after 5 minutes. If the problem occurs again after restarting, please contact customer service.

Before reconnecting the power, wait 3 to 5 minutes. Otherwise you could damage your appliance. If you attempt to start the appliance before the end of this time delay, the appliance will not turn on.

If you turn on the appliance for the first time or after a restart, or after it has been out of operation for a long time, there may be a temperature difference between the temperature inside the appliance and that on the LED display. This is a normal event caused by the duration of the activation period. Leave the appliance turned on for several hours and the temperatures will stabilize during operation.

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This wine cooler has a temperature range from 5°C to 18°C. The upper zone has a temperature range of 5°C to 12°C, the lower zone has a temperature range of 12°C to 18°C

### SELECTOR BUTTONS



**POWER BUTTON:** Press and hold down for three seconds to power your unit on, once pressed the “Run” indicator light will illuminate to indicate the unit is on and running. Press and hold for three seconds again and the unit will power off and the “Run” Indicator light will turn off .



**UPPER ZONE TEMPERATURE:** It is used to decrease (cool) the temperature in steps of 1°F (or 1°C) for upper department



**LOWER ZONE TEMPERATURE:** It is used to decrease (cool) the temperature in steps of 1°F (or 1°C) for lower department



**INTERIOR LIGHT:** Press this button to turn on the interior LED light. Press again to turn the light off .



When lit, the unit is in cooling mode.



This unit can be displayed in Fahrenheit or Celsius. To change between press and hold the upper and lower zone temperature buttons at the same time for five seconds. A sound will then beep and the indicator light will illuminate next to desired temperature setting.

### SHELVES

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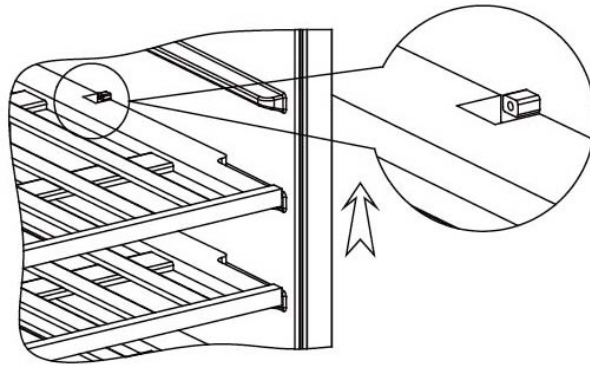
Open the door completely.

If necessary, make sure you remove all the contents sitting on the shelf.

Pull the shelf forward until the notch aligns with the metal post on each side of the shelf track.

Lift the shelf until both notches pass through the posts.

Continue to pull the shelf forward until it is completely removed from the inner compartment.



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To prevent damaging the doors or gasket seals, open the doors wide when removing the shelves.

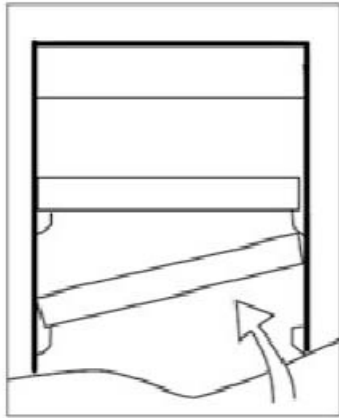
When removing any of these shelves out of the rail compartment, you must lift (from the rear)

and pull it towards you. To re-install, ensure the shelf is resting securely on the support brackets

and push shelf inward until it locks into place.

**IMPORTANT:** Do not cover the gap of glass shelves with aluminum foil or any other TYPE OF

material that will prevent adequate air circulation within the cabinet.



## 4. CARE AND MAINTENANCE

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### **CLEANING YOUR WINE CELLAR**

- Turn off the power, unplug the appliance, and remove all items including shelves and rack.
- Wash the inside surfaces with warm water and baking soda solution. The solution should be about 2 tablespoons of baking soda with a quart of water.
- Wash the shelves with a mild detergent solution.
- Wring excess water out of the sponge or cloth when cleaning area of the controls, or any electrical parts.
- Wash the outside cabinet with warm water and mild liquid detergent. Rinse well and wipe dry with a clean soft cloth.

### **POWER FAILURE**

Most power failures are corrected within a few hours and should not affect the temperature of your appliance if you minimize the number of times the door is opened. If the power is going to be off for a longer period of time, you need to take the proper steps to protect your contents.

### **VACATION TIME**

- Short vacations: Leave the Wine Cellar operating during vacations of less than three weeks.
- Long vacations: If the appliance will not be used for several months, remove all items and turn off the appliance. Clean and dry the interior thoroughly. To prevent door and mold growth, leave the door open slightly: blocking it open if necessary.


### **MOVING YOUR WINE CELLAR**

- Remove all items.
- Securely tape down all loose items (shelves) inside your appliance.
- Turn the adjustable leg up to the base to avoid damage.
- Tape the door shut.
- Be sure the appliance stays secure in the upright position during transportation. Also protect outside of appliance with a blanket, or similar item.

## 1. Troubleshooting guide

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You can solve many common appliance problems easily, saving you the cost of a possible service call. Try the suggestions below to see if you can solve the problem before calling the servicer.

Problem	Possible cause
Appliance does not operate.	Not plugged in. The appliance is turned off. Tripped circuit breaker or blown fuse.
Appliance is not cold enough.	Check the temperature control setting. External environment may require a higher setting. The door is opened too often. The door is not closed completely. The door gasket does not seal properly.
Turns on and off frequently.	The room temperature is higher than normal. A large amount of contents has been added to the appliance. The door is opened too often. The door is not closed completely. The temperature control is not set correctly. The door gasket does not seal properly.
The light does not work.	Not plugged in. Tripped circuit breaker or blown fuse. The bulb has burned out. The light button is OFF. Or  Energy conservation button is on.
Vibrations.	Check to be sure the appliance is level.
The appliance seems to make too much noise.	The rattling noise may come from the flow of the refrigerant, which is normal. As each cycle ends, you may hear gurgling sounds caused by the flow of refrigerant in your appliance. Contraction and expansion of the inside walls may cause popping and crackling noises. The appliance is not level.
The door will not close properly.	The appliance is not level. The door was reversed and not properly re-installed. The gasket is dirty. The shelves are out of position.



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