

# OWNER'S MANUAL BOTTOM FREEZER REFRIGERATOR

Please read this manual carefully before operating your set and retain it for future reference.

Model Name/Nombre de Modelo  
GM-B208ST

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## IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

### SAFETY MESSAGES

#### BASIC SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

This guide contains many important safety messages. Always **read and obey** all safety messages.



This is the safety alert symbol. It alerts you to safety messages that inform you of hazards that can kill or hurt you or others, or cause damage to the product. All safety messages will be preceded by the safety alert symbol and the hazard signal word DANGER, WARNING, CAUTION. These words mean:

#### DANGER

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

#### WARNING

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

#### CAUTION

Indicates an imminently hazardous situation which, if not avoided, **may** result in minor or moderate injury, or product damage only.

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

### DANGER: RISK OF CHILD ENTRAPMENT

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



#### **BEFORE YOU THROW AWAY YOUR OLD REFRIGERATOR OR FREEZER**

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

### CFC DISPOSAL

Your old refrigerator may have a cooling system that used CFCs (chlorofluorocarbons). CFCs are believed to harm stratospheric ozone.

If you are throwing away your old refrigerator, make sure the CFC refrigerant is removed for proper disposal by a qualified servicer. If you intentionally release this CFC refrigerant, you can be subject to fines and imprisonment under provisions of environmental legislation.

## ⚠ WARNING

- Repair or replace immediately all electric service cords that have become frayed or otherwise damaged. Do not use a cord that shows cracks or abrasion damage along its length or at either the plug or connector end.
- When moving your refrigerator away from the wall, be careful not to roll over or damage the power cord.
- Keep fingers out of pinch point areas; clearances between the doors and cabinet are necessarily small. Be careful closing doors when children are in the area.
- This refrigerator must be properly installed in accordance with the Attention Installer Instructions that were taped to the front of the refrigerator.
- Don't touch the lamp, in case of light on the long time, Because it can be very hot.

# SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

## REQUIREMENTS FOR GROUND CONNECTION

**IMPORTANT:** Please read carefully.

### TO CONNECT ELECTRICITY

#### ⚠ WARNING

##### ELECTRICAL SHOCK HAZARD

**FOR YOUR PERSONAL SAFETY**, this appliance must be properly grounded. Have the wall outlet and the circuit checked by a qualified electrician to make sure the outlet is properly grounded.

### RECOMMENDED GROUNDING METHOD

The refrigerator should always be plugged into its own individual properly grounded electrical outlet rated for 230-240 Volts, 50 Hz, AC only, and fused at 9 or 10 amperes.

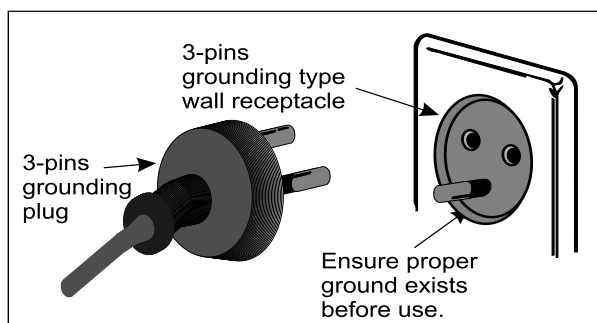
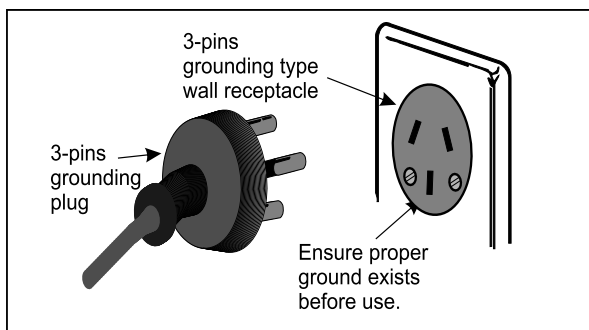
This provides the best performance and also prevents overloading house wiring circuits which could cause a fire hazard from overheated wires. It is recommended that a separate circuit serving only this appliance be provided.

Use a receptacle which cannot be turned off with a switch or pull chain. Do not use an extension cord.

Where a standard two-prong wall outlet is encountered, it is your personal responsibility and obligation to have it replaced with a properly grounded three-prong wall outlet.

**Do not, under any circumstances, cut or remove the third (ground) prong from the power cord.**

**NOTE:** Before performing any type of installation, cleaning, or removing a light bulb, turn the control (Thermostat, Refrigerator Control or Freezer Control, depending on the model) to OFF and then disconnect the refrigerator from the electrical source. When you are finished, reconnect the refrigerator to the electrical source and reset the control (Thermostat, Refrigerator Control or Freezer Control, depending on the model) to the desired setting.



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### Don't use an extension cord

If possible, connect the refrigerator to its own individual electrical outlet to prevent it and other appliances or household lights from causing an overload that could cause a power outage.

### Accessibility of Supply Plug

The refrigerator-freezer should be so positioned that the supply plug is accessible for quick disconnection when accident happens.

### Supply Cord Replacement

If the supply cord is damaged, it must be replaced by the manufacturer or its service agent or a similarly qualified person in order to avoid a hazard.

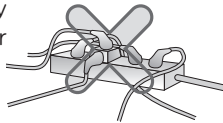
## WARNING

To reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, or injury to persons when using your product, basic safety precautions should be followed, including the following.  
**Read all instructions before using this appliance.**

### 1. When connecting the power

**The dedicated outlet should be used.**

- Using several devices at one outlet may cause fire.
- The electric leakage breaker may damage food and the dispenser may be leaked.

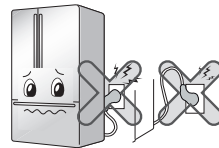


**Prevent the power cord from being squeezed or imprinted if the refrigerator is pushed in after the power plug is extracted during the installation.**

**When moving your appliance away from the wall, be careful not to roll over the power cord or to damage it in any way.**

It becomes the cause of fire or electric shock.

**Do not allow the power plug to face upward or to be squeezed at the back of the refrigerator.**  
Water may be flown into or the plug may be damaged, which causes fire or electric shock.

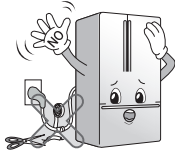


**Do not allow the power cord bent or pressed by the heavy object to be damaged.**  
It may damage the power cord to cause fire or electric shock.

## ⚠ WARNING

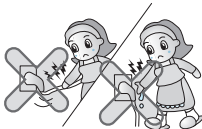
**Do not extend or modify the length of the power plug.**

It causes electric shock or fire by the electric damage of the power cord or others.



**Do not pull out the cord or touch the power plug with wet hands.**

It may cause electric shock or injury.

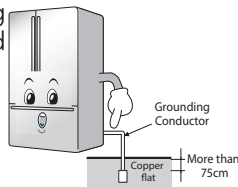


**Unplug the power cord from the power outlet for cleaning or other requirements.**

It may cause electric shock or injury.

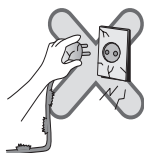
**Make sure of grounding.**  
**Consult a qualified electrician or service person if the grounding instructions are not completely understood, or if you have doubts on whether the appliance is properly grounded.**

The incorrect grounding may cause breakdown and electric shock.



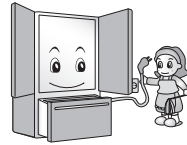
**When the power cord or the power plug is damaged or the holes of the outlet are loosed, do not use them.**

It may cause electric shock or short circuit to make fire.



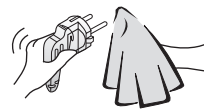
**Unplug the power plug when cleaning, handling the refrigerator.**

• It may cause electric shock or injury.



**Remove water or dust from the power plug and insert it with the ends of the pins securely connected.**

Dust, water or unstable connection may fire or electric shock.



**Pull out the power plug not by grasping the cord but the plug of its end.**

It may cause electric shock or short circuit to fire.



**Be sure to use grounded exclusive proper voltage consent for the power plug.**

**Be sure to use grounded extension consents when extension consents are used.**

It becomes the cause of fire.

**Wait for 5 minutes or longer when reconnecting the plug.**

It may cause the operation of the freezer to fail.



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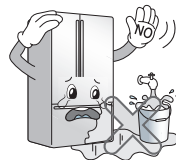
### 2. When using the refrigerator

**Do not place the heavy object or the dangerous object (container with liquid) on the refrigerator.**

It may be dropped to cause injury, fire or electric shock when opening or closing the door.

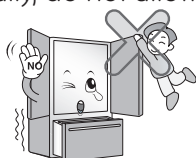


**Do not install the refrigerator in the wet place or the place which water or rain splashes.**  
Deterioration of insulation of electric parts may cause electric leakage.



**Do not cling to the door or the shelves of the door or the home bar of the freezer or the cool chamber.**

It may make the refrigerator fallen down or damage the hands. Especially, do not allow the children to do the above.



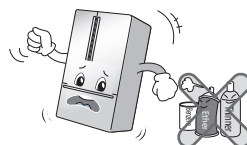
**Prevent children from entering the product.**

It may endanger the life of a child if the child enters the refrigerator.



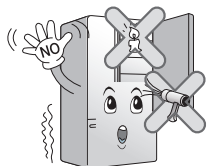
**Opening and closing the door of the refrigerator vigorously may cause the stored food in the refrigerator basket to fall by shock and hurt the foot, so take precautions.**

**Do not use or store inflammable materials ether, benzene, alcohol, medicine, LP gas, spray or cosmetics near or in the refrigerator.**  
It may cause explosion or fire.



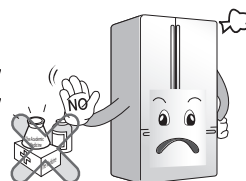
**Do not use drier to dry the inside, nor light a candle to remove odor.**

It may cause explosion or fire.



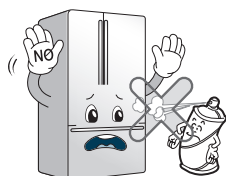
**Do not store the medicine or the academic materials at the refrigerator.**

When the material with the strict temperature control is stored, it may be deteriorated or it may make an unexpected reaction to cause any risk.



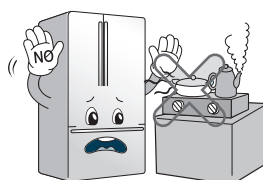
**Do not use the combustible spray near the refrigerator.**

It may cause fire.



**Install in places away from the fire such as the place where flammable gas is leaked.**

It may cause fire.



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**Do not place flower vase, cup, cosmetics, medicine or any container with water on the refrigerator.**

It may cause fire, electric shock or injury by dropping down.



**Use the submerged refrigerator after checking it.**

It may cause electric shock or fire.

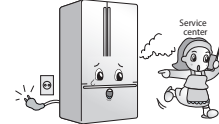


**In case of thunder and lightning, or not in use for a long period of time, detach the power plug.**

There is a danger of electric shock or fire.

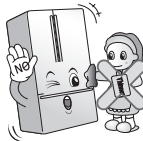
**When any strange smell or smoke is detected from the refrigerator, power plug get rid of electric outlet immediately and contact to the service center.**

It may cause fire.



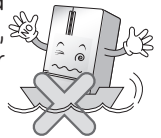
**Do not spray water at the outside or the inside of the refrigerator or do not clean it with benzene or thinner.**

Deterioration of insulation of electric parts may cause electric shock or fire.



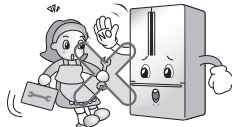
**Do not use the refrigerator for non-domestic purpose (storing medicine or testing material, using at the ship, etc.).**

It may cause an unexpected risk such as fire, electric shock, deterioration of stored material or chemical reaction.



**Do not allow any person except the qualified engineer to disassemble, repair or alter the refrigerator.**

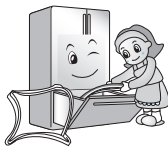
It may cause injury, electric shock or fire.



**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.**

**When disposing the refrigerator, remove the packing materials from the door or take off the doors but leave the shelves in place so that children may not easily climb inside.**

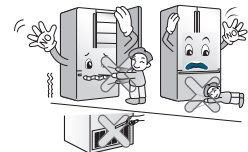
It may cause to lock out the child.



**Children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the appliance.**

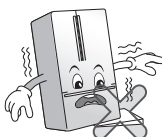
**Do not insert the hands or the metal stick into the exit of cool air, the cover, the bottom of the refrigerator, the heatproof grill (exhaust hole) at the backside.**

It may cause electric shock or injury.



**Install the refrigerator on the solid and level floor.**

Installing it on the unstable place may cause death by falling down the refrigerator when opening or closing the door.





## ⚠ CAUTION

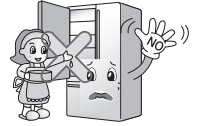
Violating this direction may cause injury or damage house or furniture. Always be careful, please.

### **Do not place the food in disorder inside the refrigerator.**

The food may fall during opening and closing the door of the refrigerator and hurt people.

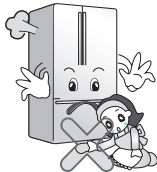
### **Do not touch food or containers at the freezer with wet hands.**

It may cause frostbite.



### **Do not insert the hands into the bottom of the refrigerator.**

The iron plate of the bottom may cause injury.



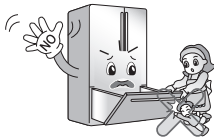
### **Do not put bottle in the freezer.**

It may freeze the contents to break the bottle to cause injury.



### **Because opening or closing the door of the refrigerator may cause injury to the person around it, be careful, please.**

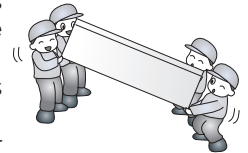
Opening or closing the door may cause feet or hands to be caught in the chink in door or the child to be get hurt by the corner.



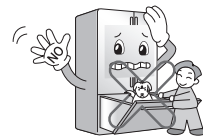
### **Carry the refrigerator with the handle bar at the bottom of the front and the top of the rear.**

Otherwise, your hands may be slipped to cause injury.






Because the product is heavy, carrying it alone may hurt people or accidents may occur.



### **Do not put any living animal in the refrigerator.**

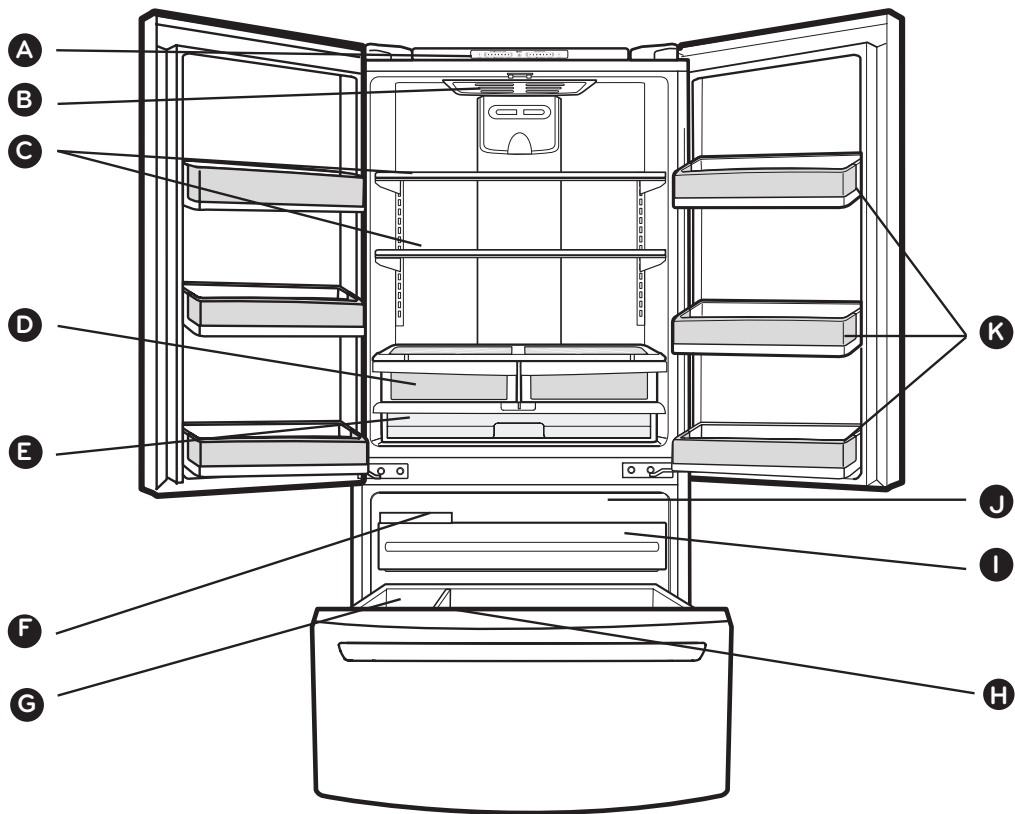


### **WARNING**

-  Keep ventilation openings, in the appliance enclosure or in the built-in structure, clear of obstruction.
-  Do not use mechanical devices or other means to accelerate the defrosting process, other than those recommended by the manufacturer.
-  Do not damage the refrigerant circuit.
-  Do not use electrical appliances inside the food storage compartments of the appliance, unless they are of the type recommended by the manufacturer.
-  The refrigerant and insulation blowing gas used in the appliance require special disposal procedures. When disposal, please consult with service agent or a similarly qualified person.

## PARTS AND FEATURES

### Drawer Model



Read this section to familiarize yourself with the parts and features of your new refrigerator.

**NOTE:** This guide covers different models. Your refrigerator could have some or all of the features and parts listed below. The location of some of the parts may not correspond to that of your model.

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|--|------------------------|
| <b>A</b> Refrigerator Temperature Control                              | <b>I</b> Freezer Light |
| <b>B</b> Refrigerator Light  | <b>J</b> Door Racks    |
| <b>C</b> Shelves   | <b>K</b> Freezer Light |
| <b>D</b> Optibin Crisper<br>Keeps fruits and vegetable fresh and crisp |                        |
| <b>E</b> Glade 'N' Serve *   |                        |
| <b>F</b> Durabase  |                        |
| <b>G</b> Durabase divider  |                        |
| <b>H</b> Pull Out Drawer   |                        |

\* On some models

## REFRIGERATOR INSTALLATION

### **⚠ 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.

### **UNPACKING YOUR REFRIGERATOR**

Remove tape and any temporary labels from your refrigerator before using. Do not remove any warning-type labels, the model and serial number label, or the TechSheet that is attached to back wall of the refrigerator.

To remove any remaining tape or glue, rub the area briskly with your thumb. Tape or glue residue can also be easily removed by rubbing 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 **Important Safety Instructions** section. Refrigerator shelves are installed in the shipping position

### **⚠ WARNING**

#### **When Moving Your Refrigerator**

Your refrigerator is heavy. When moving the refrigerator for cleaning or service, be sure to protect the floor. 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.

### **⚠ 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.

Please reinstall shelves according to your individual storage needs.

• To reduce the risk of electric shock, do not install the refrigerator in a wet or damp area.

**⚠ CAUTION:** Avoid placing the unit near heat sources, direct sunlight or moisture.

## **INSTALLATION**

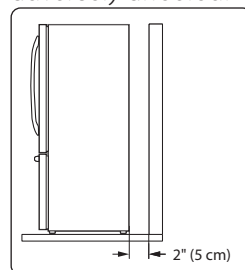
• To minimize noise and vibration, the refrigerator **MUST** be installed on a solidly constructed floor.  
• Carpeting and soft tile surfaces are not recommended.

• Never install the refrigerator on a platform or weakly supported structure.

1. To avoid vibration, the unit must be level. If required, adjust the leveling screws to compensate for unevenness of the floor. The front should be slightly higher than the rear to aid in door closing. Leveling screws can be turned easily by tipping the cabinet slightly. Turn the leveling screws clockwise (➡) to raise the unit, counterclockwise (↩) to lower it.

2. Install this appliance in an area where the temperature is between 13°C and 43°C. If the temperature around the appliance is too low or high, cooling ability may be adversely affected.

3. Too small a distance from adjacent items may result in lowered freezing capability and increased electricity consumption charges.  
Allow at least 24 in. (61 cm) in front of the refrigerator to open the doors



## **NEXT**

1. Clean your refrigerator thoroughly and wipe off all dust accumulated during shipping.

2. Install accessories such as ice cube bin, drawers, shelves, etc., in their proper places. They are packed together to prevent possible damage during shipment.

3. Let your refrigerator run for at least 2 or 3 hours before putting food in it. Check the flow of cold air in the freezer compartment to ensure proper cooling. Your refrigerator is now ready for use.

### **⚠ WARNING:**

• Take care when working with the hinges, base cover and stops, etc. You may injure yourself.

• **DO NOT** place your hands or any tools in the air vents, the base cover or in the bottom of the refrigerator. This may cause injury or electrical shock.

## **BASE COVER**

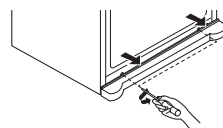
### **To remove the base cover**

1. Open the Freezer Drawer. (Drawer not shown for clarity.)

2. Once drawer is open there is sufficient clearance to remove screws on top of cover.

### **To replace base cover:**

• Place cover into position and insert and tighten screws.



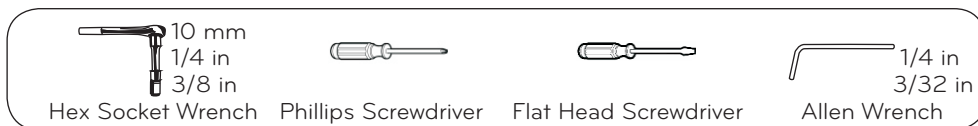
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## HOW TO REMOVE AND INSTALL THE REFRIGERATOR DOORS

For moving the refrigerator through a house door, it might be necessary to remove refrigerator and freezer door handles.

**IMPORTANT:** Before starting, turn off and unplug the refrigerator. Remove all food and the racks from the doors.

### TOOLS YOU MIGHT NEED OR USE

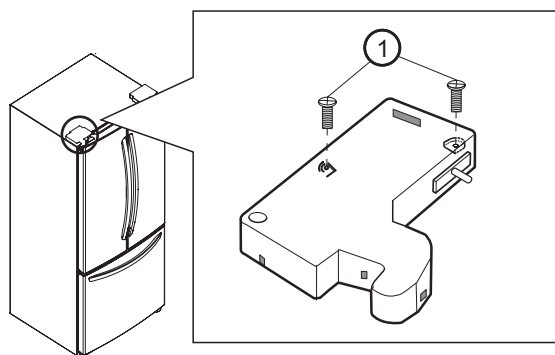


### 1. Removing Refrigerator Door

**NOTE:** The appearance of the handle, hinge and cover hinge might be different. Also the screws quantity used in cover hinge might vary according to your model specification. THE APPEARANCE VARIATION DOES NOT AFFECT REMOVING OR INSTALLING DOORS.

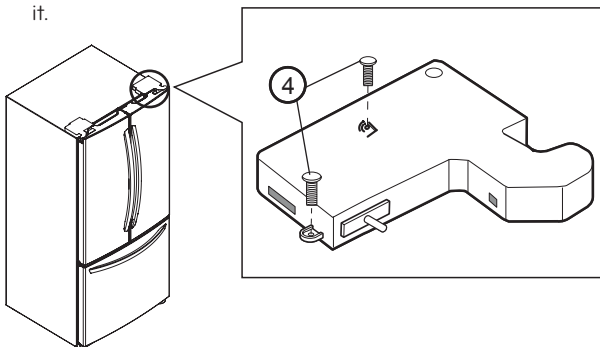
#### Left Door

- With the Phillips screw driver, loose the screw from the upper lid (1) remove it after that.

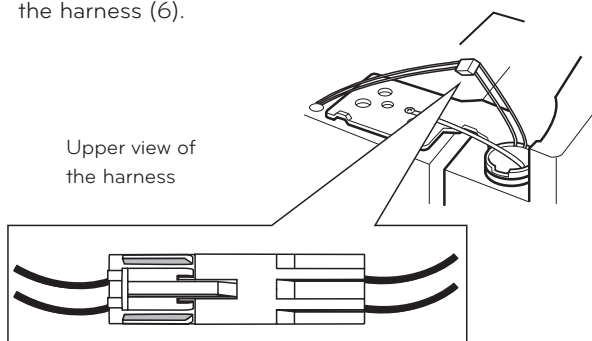


#### Right Door

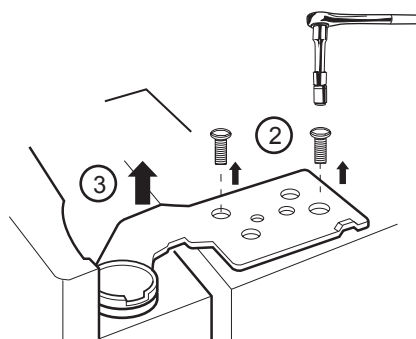
- Loose both screws from the upper lid (4) and remove it.



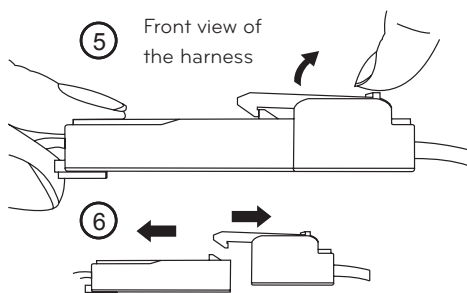
- Unplug the cable harness pulling up the hook located in the upper part of it (5) and separate both parts of the harness (6).



- With the 10 mm socket wrench, loose the two pins from the hinge (2) and remove it (3).

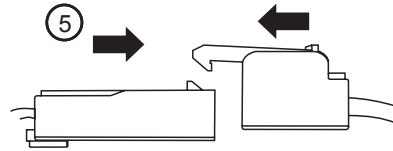
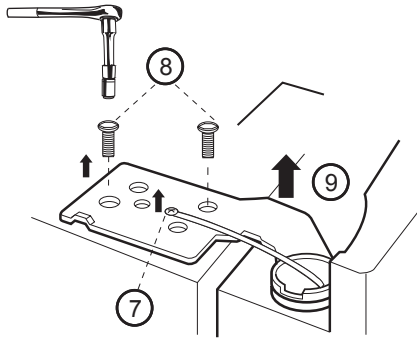


- Place the door with the inner face over the surface so it won't scratch.

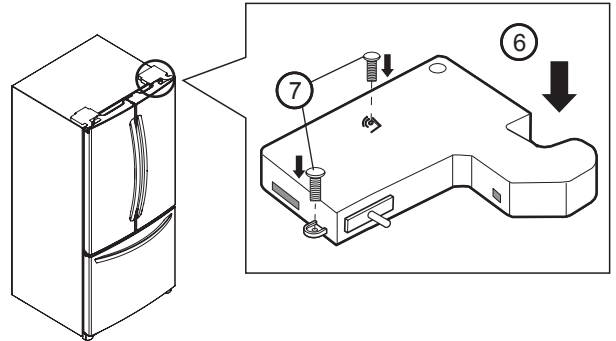


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- Loose the grounding screw (7) and the pins (8) located over the hinge, after, lift the hinge and remove it (9).



- Place the hinge lid (6) and install both screws (7). Be sure the door is correctly assembled.

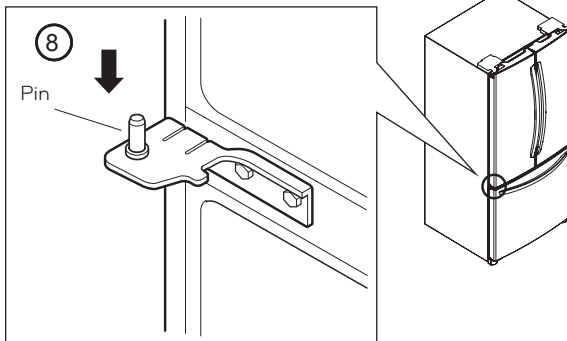


- Remove the door and place it over its inner face to avoid scratching.

## 2. To install the refrigerator doors

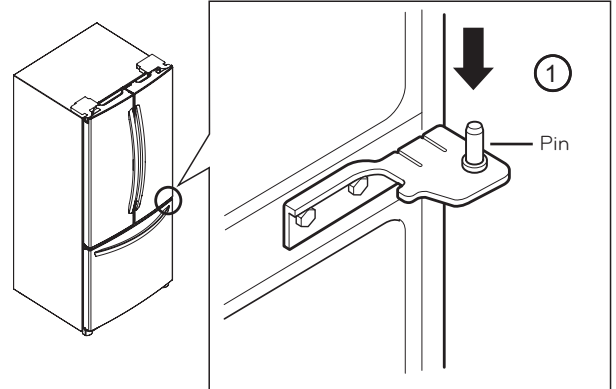
### Left Door

- Take the left door and place it over the hinge (8).

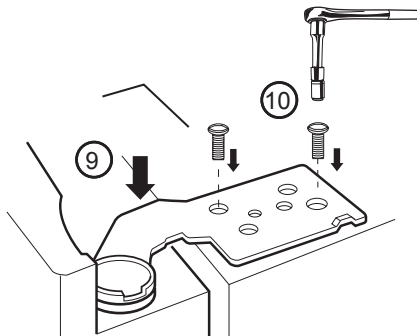


### Right Door

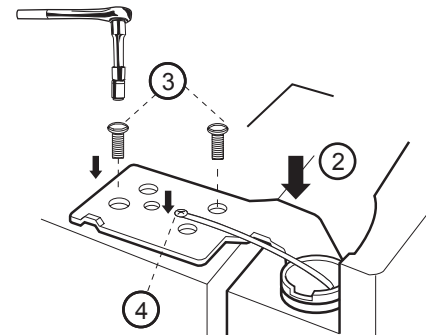
- Take the door and place it gently over the pin of the hinge (1).



- Place the hinge in its original position (9) and place the two screws (10).



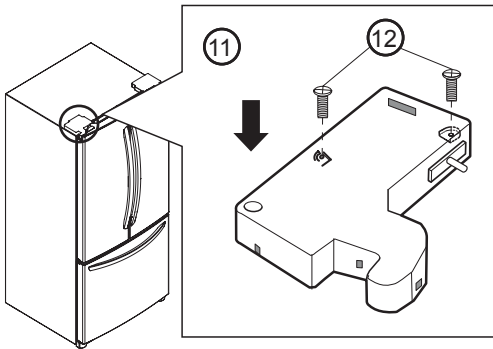
- Place the hinge in its original position (2) assembly the two pins (3) and the ground screw (4)..



- Plug the cable harness (5).

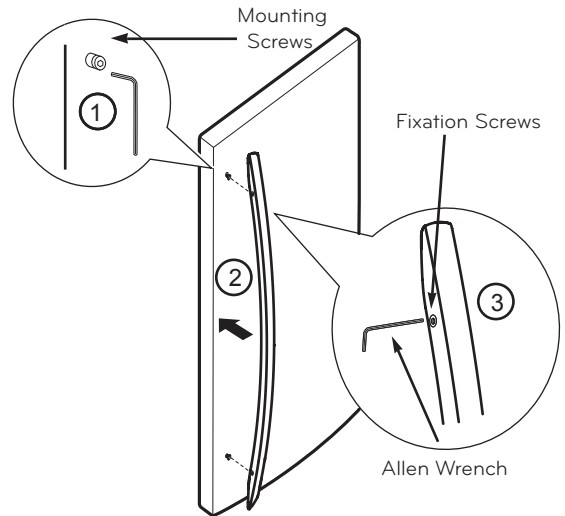
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- Place the hinge's lid (11) and screw the two screws (12). Check that the door is well installed.



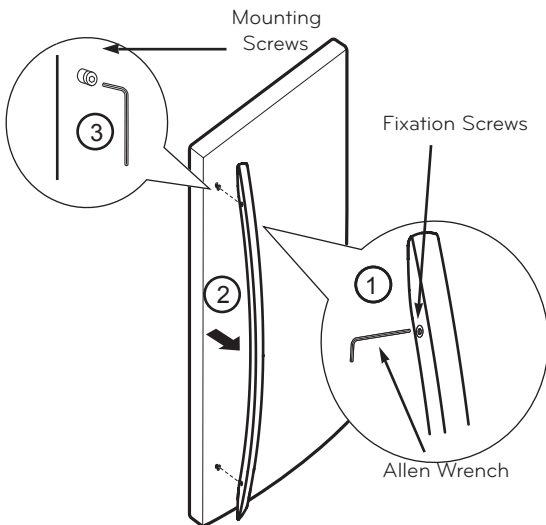
## 4. To install the handle of the refrigerator

- Install the mounting screws over the door (1) place the handle over them (2) and tight the screws up (3).



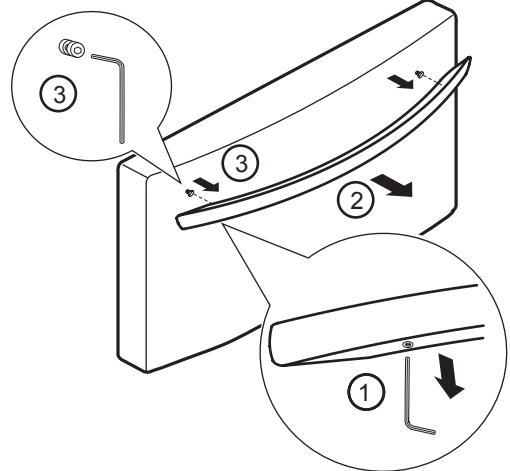
## 3. To remove the refrigerator handle

- Loose the screws (1) with the Allen tool 3/32" and remove the handle (2).
- Remove the mounting screws with the 1/4" Allen tool (3).



## 5. To remove the freezer handle

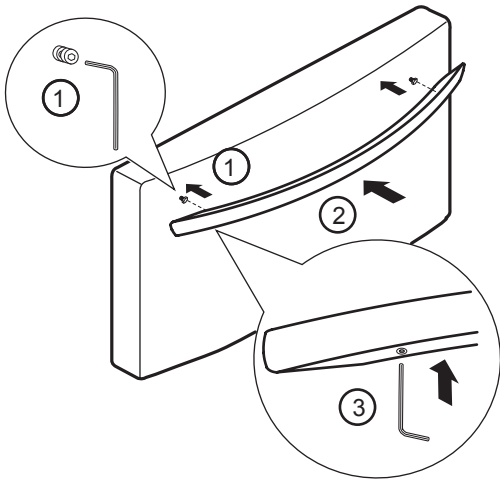
- With an 3/32" Allen tool, loose the screws (1) located the bottom of the handle, remove it (2) remove the screws on from the door (3) with an 1/4" Allen tool.



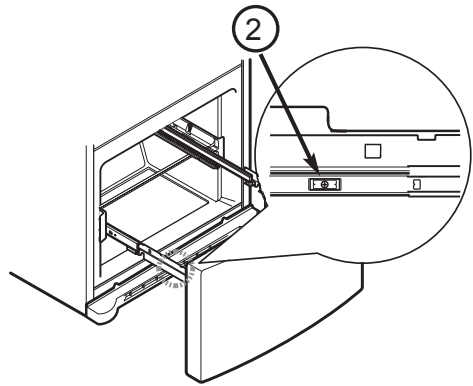
## REFRIGERATOR INSTALLATION

### 6. To install the freezer handle

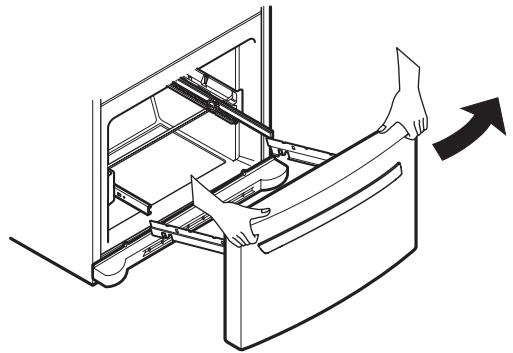
- Install the mounting screws over the door (1) place the handle over them (2) and tight the screws up (3).



- Remove the screws (2) from both sides of the rail track.



- With both hands, hold both sides of the door and pull up to separate it.

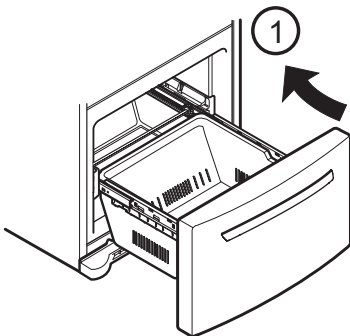


### HOW TO REMOVE AND INSTALL THE PULL OUT DRAWER

**IMPORTANT:** To avoid possible injury or damage to the product or your property, please use two people to perform the following instructions:

#### 1. Removing the Pull Out Drawer

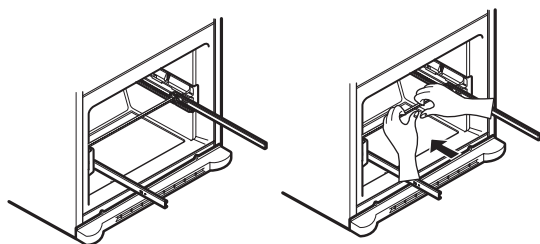
- Pull the drawer out to maximum extension. Remove the bottom rack (1) by tilting it back a little and then lifting it off the railing tracks.



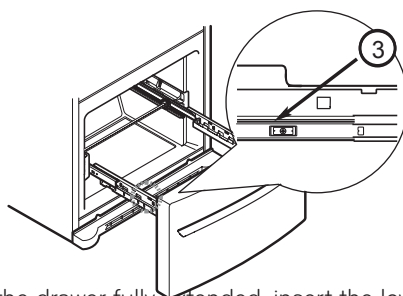


## REFRIGERATOR INSTALLATION

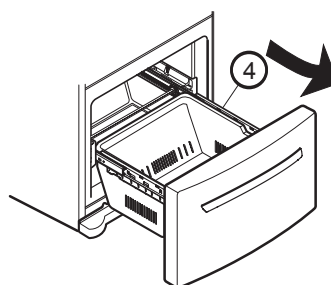
- With both hands, hold the center of the bar and push it in so that it is fit to both rails simultaneously.



- Push the drawer down into position and tighten the screws (3).



- With the drawer fully extended, insert the lower basket over the front part of the rail assembly and then the back part (4).



- ⚠ WARNING:** To prevent entrapment risk and accidental child or animal suffocation, DO NOT permit them to play inside of the drawer.

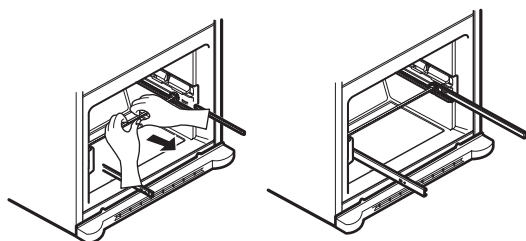
- ⚠ WARNING:** DO NOT step or sit on the Freezer Door.

- ⚠ CAUTION:** When removing the drawer, do not hold the handle. If it comes off, it could cause personal injury.

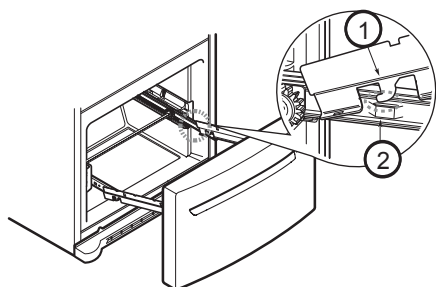
- ⚠ CAUTION:** To place the drawer on the floor, take care not to damage the floor or hurt your feet with the sharp edges on the side with the hinges.

### 2. Installing the Pull Out Drawer

- With both hands, hold the center of the bar and pull it outward so that the two rails extend out at the same time.



- Mount door supports (1) into the tabs on the railing track (2), starting in the back first and then connecting the part in the front last, as shown in the figure.



# REFRIGERATOR INSTALLATION

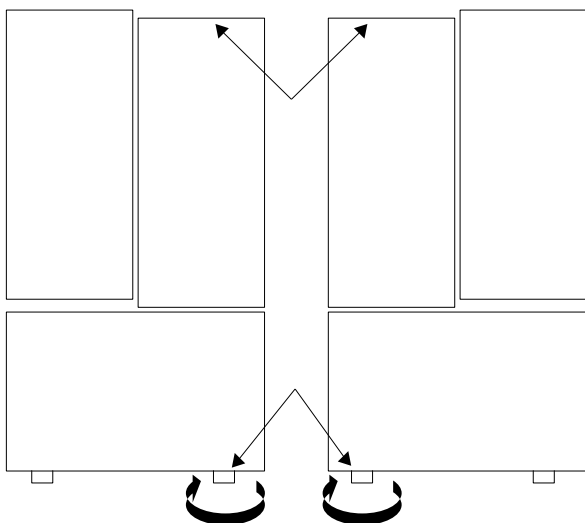
## CLOSING AND ALIGNING THE DOORS

### Closing the Doors

Your refrigerator has two front leveling screws, one on the right and one on the left. If your refrigerator seems unstable or if you would like the doors to close more easily, simply adjust the inclination of the refrigerator by following the instructions below:

1. Plug the refrigerator into a 3 prong grounded outlet. Move the refrigerator into its final position.
2. Remove the base grille (Refer to the section on "Installation of Base Grille").
3. Use a flat head screwdriver to adjust the leveling screws, turning clockwise to raise the side of the refrigerator and counter-clockwise to lower it. It may take several turns to adjust it to the inclination you would like.

**NOTE:** Having someone push against the top of the refrigerator takes some weight off the leveling screws. This will make it easier to adjust the screws.



4. Open both doors again and check to make sure that they close easily. If not, slightly tilt the refrigerator further back by turning both leveling screws clockwise. It may take several more turns. Make sure that you turn both leveling screws the same amount.

5. Ensure that the refrigerator is even by using a level.

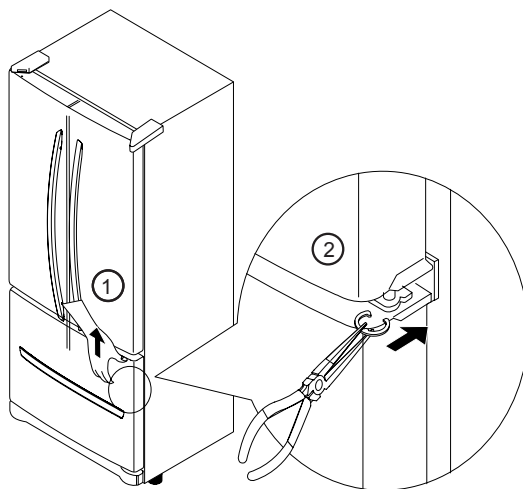
6. Replace the base grille.

**NOTE:** Your new refrigerator is uniquely designed with two fresh food doors. Either door can be opened or closed independently of one another. You may have to exert slight pressure on doors to get them to close completely.

### Aligning the Doors

If the spacing between the doors is uneven, follow the instructions below to align them:

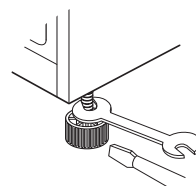
1. With one hand, lift up the door you want to raise at middle hinge.
2. With other hand, use pliers to insert snap ring as shown.
3. Insert additional snap rings until the doors are aligned (Three snap rings are provided per unit).



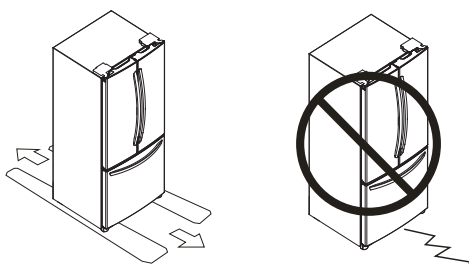
### When moving your refrigerator

**Note:** Your refrigerator is extremely heavy. When moving the refrigerator for installing, cleaning or service be sure to follow the next instructions.

1. Adjust leveling legs up.



2. Cover the floor with cardboard or hardboard to avoid floor damage.
3. Always pull or push the refrigerator straight out when moving it. Do not wiggle or "walk" the refrigerator when trying to move it, as floor damage could occur.



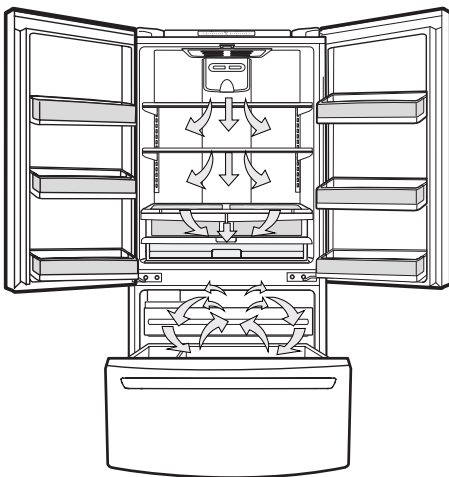
## USING YOUR REFRIGERATOR

### ENSURING PROPER AIR CIRCULATION

In order to obtain stable temperature, the air must flow between the freezer and refrigerator sections. As shown in the illustration below, the cold air enters through the bottom part and circulates upward. This air returns below the freezer floor and the rest of the air enters the refrigerator section through the top vent.

### MULTI FLOW

- The cooling fan operates more powerful and effective than when in normal operation. This is especially noticeable when new food is placed in the refrigerator compartment.
- If the lining is damaged, water or other substances could enter through the cool air vent causing decreased efficiency.



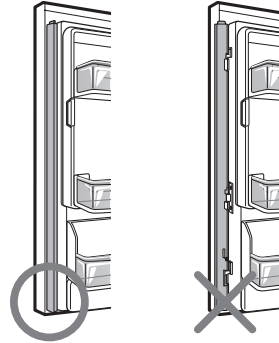
**Do not** block any of these vents with packages of food. This can interrupt the flow of air and cause temperature and moisture problems.

**IMPORTANT:** Because air circulates between both sections, any odors formed in one section will transfer to the other. You must thoroughly clean both sections to eliminate odors. To prevent odor transfer and drying out of food, make sure you wrap or cover foods tightly (See the **"Food Storage Guide"** section for details).

### DOOR ALARM

With this feature you will hear an alarm when the freezer or refrigerator door is ajar for more than 1 minute. These tones will repeat every 30 seconds. The alarm is cancelled when the door is properly shut.

### CAUTION WHEN CLOSING THE DOOR



### ⚠ CAUTION

To reduce the risk of door scratches, please make sure that the refrigerator door mullion is always folded in.

### ADJUSTING THE CONTROLS

- Your refrigerator has two controls that allow you to regulate the temperature the freezer and refrigerator compartments.
- Initially set the REFRIGERATOR CONTROL and the FREEZER CONTROL at position number "4". Leave it on these settings for 24 hours (one day) in order to stabilize the refrigerator. After this you may adjust the compartments to your desired temperature.
- **Refrigerator Control: Position 1 to 7 (0°C to 8°C)**

The lower the degree, the colder the refrigerator compartment will become.



- **Freezer Control: Position 1 to 7 (-21°C to -13°C)**

The lower the degree, the colder the freezer compartment will become. Despite this, the compartment of the refrigerator will be less cold because air flows in smaller quantities.

#### • Ice Plus

Press the button Ice Plus. The LED light will turn on. This function will remain activated for 24 hours and intensify the cooling speed of the freezer and increase ice production.



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### ADJUSTING CONTROL SETTINGS

Give the refrigerator time to cool down completely before adding food. It is best to wait 24 hours before adding food to the refrigerator. The mid-settings indicated in the previous section should be correct for normal household refrigerator usage. The controls are set correctly when milk or juice is cold to your liking and ice cream is firm.

The refrigerator control functions as the thermostat for the entire appliance. The higher the number setting, the longer the compressor will run to keep the temperature colder. The freezer control adjusts the cold air flow from the freezer to the refrigerator. Setting the freezer control to a lower temperature keeps more cold air in the freezer compartment to make it colder.

If you need to adjust the temperature in the refrigerator or freezer, begin by adjusting the refrigerator first. Wait 24 hours after the refrigerator adjustment to check the freezer temperature. If it is too warm or too cold, then adjust the freezer control as well.

Use the settings listed in the table below as a guide.

CONDITION/REASON:	RECOMMENDED ADJUSTMENT:
<b>REFRIGERATOR section is too warm</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Opening the door often</li> <li>• Adding a large amount of food</li> <li>• Room temperature is very warm</li> </ul>	<b>Adjust the REFRIGERATOR setting to the next highest number and wait 24 hours, then check.</b>
<b>FREEZER section is too warm/ ice is made too slowly</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Opening the door often</li> <li>• Adding a large amount of food</li> <li>• Room temperature is very low (not cycling often enough)</li> <li>• Using ice frequently</li> <li>• Air vents blocked by objects</li> </ul>	<b>Adjust the FREEZER setting to the next highest number and wait 24 hours, then check.</b>  <b>Remove any objects blocking air flow.</b>
<b>REFRIGERATOR section is too cold</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Controls not set correctly for your conditions</li> </ul>	<b>Adjust the REFRIGERATOR setting to the next lowest number and wait 24 hours, then check.</b>
<b>FREEZER section is too cold</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Controls not set correctly for your conditions</li> </ul>	<b>Adjust the FREEZER setting to the next lowest number and wait 24 hours, then check.</b>

### FOOD STORAGE GUIDE

ITEMS	HOW TO STORE
<b>Storing Fresh Food</b>	Wrap or store food in the refrigerator in airtight and moisture-proof material unless otherwise noted. This prevents food odor and taste transfer throughout the refrigerator. For dated products, check date code to ensure freshness.
<b>Butter or margarine</b>	Store opened butter in a covered dish or in a closed compartment. When storing a larger quantity, wrap in freezer packing and freeze.
<b>Cheese</b>	Store in original packaging until you are ready to use it. Once opened, tightly rewrap with plastic wrap or aluminum foil.
<b>Vegetables with skins (carrots, peppers)</b>	Place in bags or plastic containers inside the crisper.
<b>Fruit</b>	Wash and let dry; store in plastic bags in the refrigerator. Do not wash or pit berries until you are ready to eat them. Berries should be selected and kept in their original packaging (if there is any) or in a paper bag closed halfway and set on a shelf.
<b>Leafy Vegetables</b>	Remove original packaging and trim any dirty or discolored parts. Wash in cold water and drain. Place in a plastic bag or plastic container and store in the crisper.
<b>Fish</b>	Consume fish or seafood the same day purchased.
<b>Chef Fresh</b>	Store any meat in original airtight, moisture-proof packaging. Rewrap if necessary.
<b>Leftovers</b>	Cover leftovers with plastic wrap or aluminum foil. Plastic containers with airtight lids can also be used.

### STORING FROZEN FOOD

**NOTE:** For more information on how to prepare food to be frozen such in a way to see the period they can be stored consult a frozen food guide or cook book.

#### Packaging

A great freezing depends on how great you package the food. When you seal the package make sure you remove all excess air and do not allow humidity. A package that is incorrectly sealed will result in the transmission of bad odors, contaminants inside your refrigerator and will cause your foods to dry.

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### Packaging Recommendations:

- Use sealed plastic containers.
- Use plastic containers with a smooth surface.
- Package with aluminum foil of high resistance.
- Wrap with paper layered with plastic.
- Use water proof plastic.
- Use recommended plastic bags to store frozen foods.

Follow these packaging or container instructions in order to reach the best freezing

### Do not use:

- Bread Wrapping.
- Plastic container not safe for storing.
- Containers without lids or seals.
- Waxed paper or waxed plastic.
- Thin wrapping paper or not water proof.

### Freezing

**⚠ CAUTION:** Do not keep beverage cans or plastic food containers in the freezer compartment. They may break if it freezes.

For the maximum use of your freezer do not store excess food. Do not introduce a large amount of unfrozen foods that cannot be frozen within 24 hours (no more than 2 – 3 pounds or ,91 kg - 1,36 kg of food per square inch of space in the freezer). Sufficient space must be left in order for the air to circulate properly around the packages. Leave enough space in order to close your refrigerator with out difficulty.

Storage times can vary depending on the type and quality of the food, the way its package, or packaging container used, (in comparison to air and humidity), and the temperature it being stored in. Ice crystals formed inside your package are normal it indicates the air and humidity inside your package have condensed.

**NOTE:** Let warm foods cool off at room temperature for approximately 30 min, then wrap accordingly with the methods mention above and freeze. By letting your warm foods cool off before you introduce them to your freezer it will save you energy.

### ⚠ WARNING

#### SUFFOCATING DANGER

Adequate ventilation is required when using dry ice. Dry ice is Carbon Dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). When it evaporates it produces oxygen, causing dizziness, slight headaches, unconsciousness or death. Do not inhale these vapors and properly ventilate the room while you use dry ice.

## REFRIGERATOR SECTION

### REFRIGERATOR SHELVES

The shelving of your refrigerator can be adjusted to comply with your storage necessities; Depending on the model you have in can include glass shelving or wired shelving. The storing of your foods together and adjusting the shelving to different heights will ease to help you locate what you need. This also helps your refrigerator to stay shut longer which will save you energy.

**IMPORTANT:** While your refrigerator glass shelving are cold do not clean with hot or warm water. The glass shelving may break if exposed to rapid temperature changes or hard impacts. For your safety the glass shelving are made out of tempered glass so when at breaking they will fracture into tiny fragments.

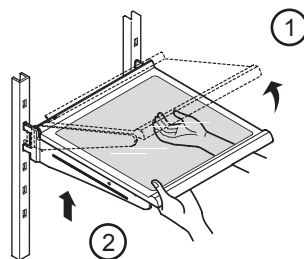
**NOTE:** Be careful while moving or relocating the shelves they are heavy. If moving the shelves is required keep in mind to locate them in a safe environment to prevent them from breaking.

### Adjusting Shelves

Remove the shelves and adjust them to your convenience.

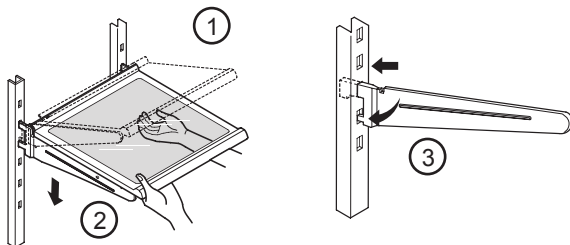
#### • Removing Shelves

Incline the front of the shelf in the direction indicated by figure 1 and lift in the direction indicated by figure 2. Pull the shelf towards you.



#### • Replacing Shelves

Incline the frontal part of the shelf (1) and guide the shelf hooks towards the openings at the height desired. Then lower the front of the shelf (2) so the hooks can be inserted (3) in the shelf supports.



**NOTE:** Make sure that the shelf is installed in the horizontal manner. If not secured it can cause the shelves to fall, which will cause your stored food to spill.

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### Sliding Shelves (in some models)

You can slide some of the shelves in your refrigerator towards inside or outside like explained below.

- To slide the shelf towards the outside: Pull towards you, figure A.
- To slide the shelf towards the inside: Push until it stops, figure B.

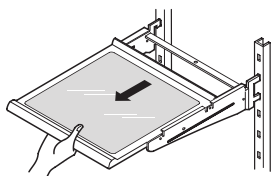


Figure A

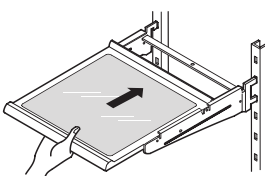


Figure B

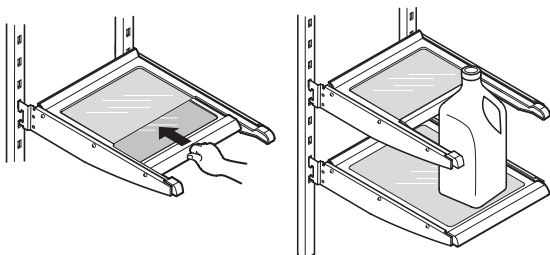
### In order to remove a shelf from a metal frame

- Pull the shelf until it stops.
- Incline the front of the shelf towards the top and pull forward.
- Lift the shelf in the manner it moves across the support openings.

To put back into place just reverse these steps.

### Functional Shelves (Folding Shelves, in some models)

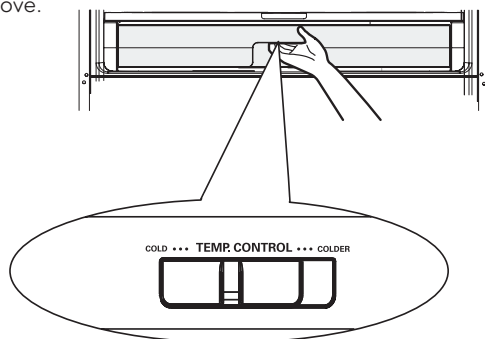
You can store tall articles like gallons or bottles just by simply folding the shelf in half.



### GLIDE'N'SERVE (in some models)

For storage of meat or fresh food. Adjust the control to desired temperature by moving from COLD to COLDER.

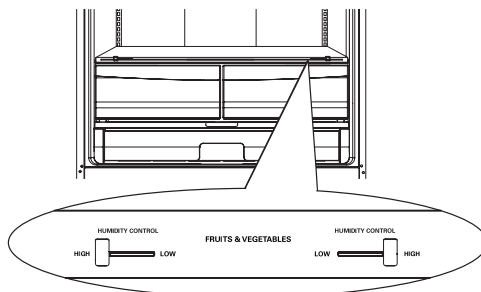
Pull forward to open. Lift slightly and pull it out to remove.



### CRISPER HUMIDITY CONTROL (in some models)

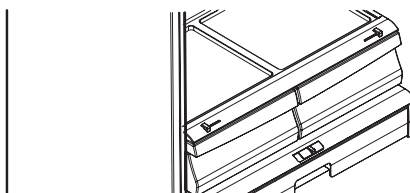
You can control the amount of humidity in the moisture-sealed crispers. Adjust the control to any setting between HIGH and LOW.

- **"High"**: keeps moist air in the crisper for best storage of vegetables.
- **"Low"**: lets moist air out of the crisper for best storage of fruits.



### To remove the crisper:

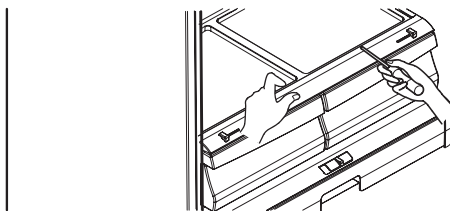
- Slide crisper straight out to the stop.
- Lift the front of the crisper, then pull it out to remove.
- Replace the crisper by sliding it back in fully past the drawer stop.



**CAUTION:** Be careful when you handle the glass cover because it could loose.

### To remove the glass:

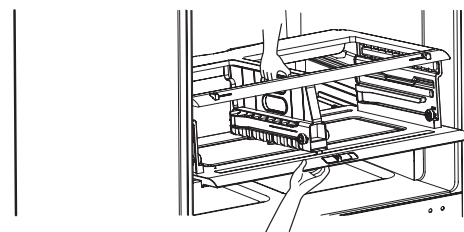
- Lift up the glass after inserting a screwdriver under the crisper cover.
- Pull glass cover up and out.



### To remove the crisper cover support:

**NOTE:** Remove glass before removing the crisper cover support.

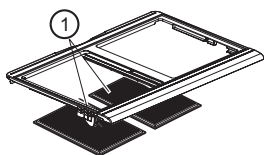
- While holding the crisper cover support with both hands (as shown in the image below). Pull forward and slightly lift the front part.



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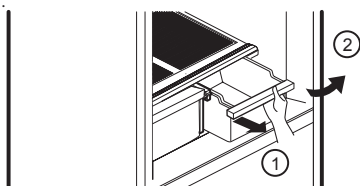
### OPTIBIN CRISPERS (in some models)

The OptiBin crisper maintains fruits and vegetables fresh allowing you to easily control the humidity inside the drawers. The Optibin crispers include 1) a front humidity control and 2) a system that allows you to preserve or avoid humidity.



#### Removing the Vegetable Drawer / Crisper

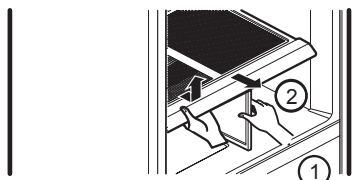
- Slip out the drawer towards the outside until it stops (1).
- Slightly lift the front part and pull the rest (2), in order to completely remove the drawer.
- To relocate the drawer slip out towards the front until it stops.



### CRISPER COVER WITH INTERIOR LATTICE (in some models)

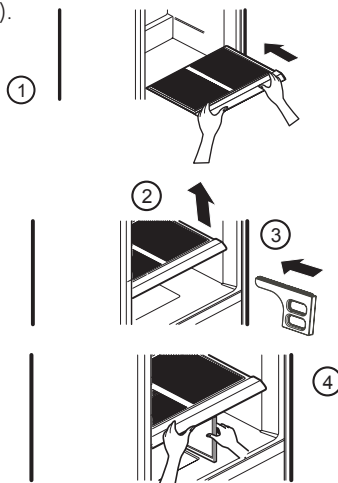
#### Removing the Vegetable Drawer Cover

- Remove both drawers (see "Removing the Vegetable Drawer/Crisper").
- Hold onto the support (1) and pull towards the top and then towards the outside (2).



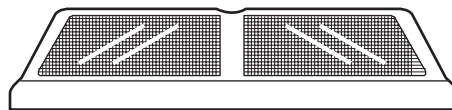
#### Installing the Vegetable Drawer Cover

- Put the cover over the supports (1).
- Slightly lift the cover (2) while introducing it to the support (3).
- Put the inferior piece of the cover in the superior support (4).

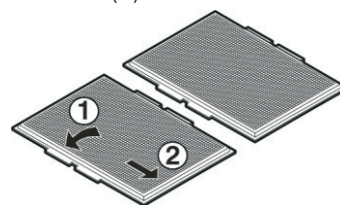


- ⚠ CAUTION:** Be careful when you handle the glass cover because it could loose.

#### Removing the Interior Lattice

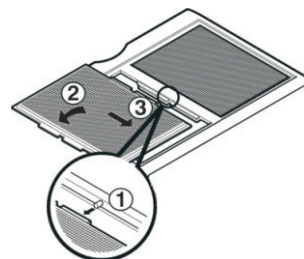


- Remove the cover (See "Removing the Vegetable Drawer Cover").
- Hold the glass and spin the drawer cover (1).
- Hold the rack and pull the sides of the drawer cover out to take them off (2).



#### Replacing the Interior Lattice

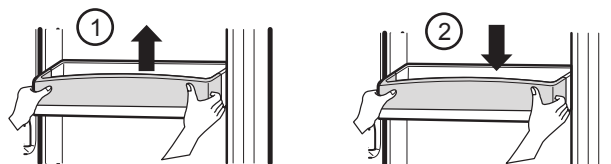
- For each rack insert the central edge 1 (near the glass cover) and pull the cover sides to insert it.



### DOOR RACKS

The door racks are removable for easy cleaning and adjusting.

- To remove the rack, simply lift the rack up and pull straight out (1).
- To replace the rack, slide it in above the desired support button and push down until it stops (2).



- ⚠ WARNING:** Somebody can be hurt if door racks are not firmly assembled.

- ⚠ CAUTION:** DO NOT allow children to play with baskets. Sharp corners on baskets could cause injury.

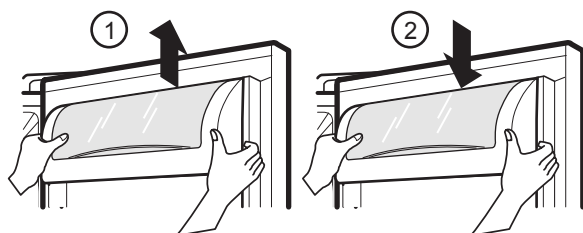
**NOTE:** DO NOT adjust a rack that is loaded with food.



## USING YOUR REFRIGERATOR

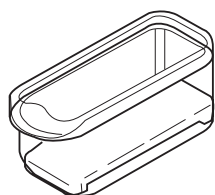
### DAIRY COMPARTMENT (in some models)

- To remove the dairy compartment, simply lift it and pull straight out (1).
- To replace the dairy compartment, slide it in above the desired location and push down until it stops (2).



### EGG COMPARTMENT (in some models)

Keep the eggs compartment in an interior shelf, not in a door rack.

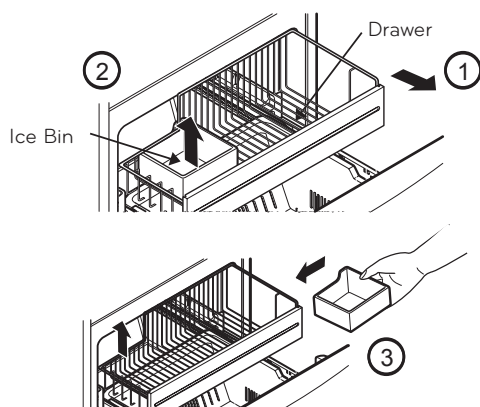


- CAUTION:** Do not use the eggs compartment as a container for keeping ice in the freezer compartment. If it freezes, it could break easily.

### FREEZER SECTION

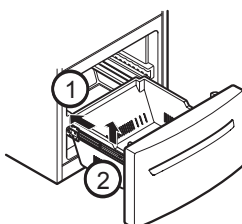
#### ICE BIN (In some models)

- Pull the drawer as much as possible (1).
- Raise the ice box and take it out carefully (2).
- Take the drawer off as much as possible and put the ice bin in the right position (3).



### DURABASE (in some models)

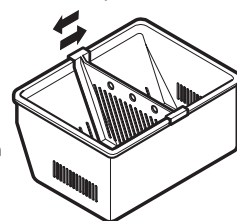
- To remove the Durabase, push it back, raise the front part and pull it up (1).
- To put it back, insert the Durabase in the rail assembly (2).



### DURABASE DIVIDER (in some models)

Allows organizing the Durabase area in 2 sections.

For moving the divider, just move it in the direction that you want.



- WARNING:** There is enough space for the children to play.

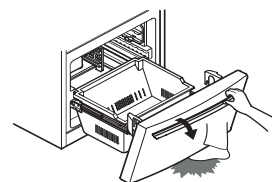
- WARNING:** In order to prevent accidents, such as suffocation, DO NOT let children and pets play inside the durabase.

### TILTING DOOR (in some models)

The tilting door provides an easy access to the frozen food.

#### How to use:

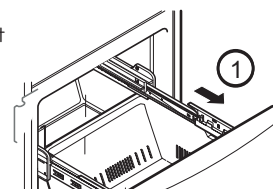
Incline the door downwards and pull it out.



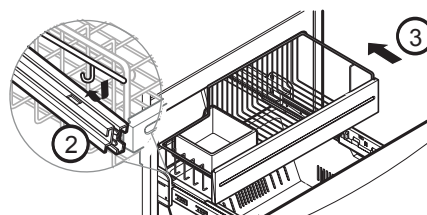
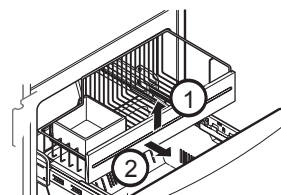
- WARNING:** Be careful when opening the door, do not place your feet under the door or your hands inside the freezer; you may hurt them in doing so.

### GLIDE-OUT DRAWER BASKET (in some models)

- Pull the box as much as possible, pick up the basket a bit (1) and pull it out (2).



- To install, pull the cords to their fullest (1). Lock the supports of the basket into the slides of the cords (2) and push it all the way through (3).





## REFRIGERATOR CARE AND CLEANING

### **⚠ WARNING**

#### **EXPLOSION HAZARD**



Do not use flammable cleaners. Not following these instructions can cause death, explosion or fire.

Both the refrigerator and freezer sections defrost automatically. However, clean both sections about once a month to prevent odors. Wipe up spills immediately.

### **GENERAL CLEANING TIPS**

- Unplug refrigerator or disconnect power.
- Remove all removable parts, such as shelves, crispers, etc. Refer to sections in Using Your Refrigerator for removal instructions.
- Use a clean sponge or soft cloth and a mild detergent in warm water. Do not use abrasive or harsh cleaners.
- Hand wash, rinse and dry all surfaces thoroughly.
- Plug in refrigerator or reconnect power.

### **OUTSIDE**

Wax the outside in order to create better protection. Make sure you use a product specifically design to be used for electro-domestic products (car wax is acceptable). Use a clean, soft rag, and perform this task twice a year. For metal-made refrigerators, do not wax, simply clean it with water and detergent. Do not use concentrated or abrasive products.

### **INSIDE WALLS (allow freezer to warm up so cloth won't stick)**

To help remove odors, you can wash the inside of the refrigerator with a mixture of baking soda and warm water. Mix 2 tablespoons baking soda to 1 quart of water (26 g soda to 1 liter water.) Be sure the baking soda is completely dissolved so does it not scratch the surfaces of the refrigerator.

**⚠ CAUTION:** While cleaning the inside, do not spray water.

### **DOOR LINERS AND GASKETS**

Do not use cleaning waxes, concentrated detergents, bleaches, or cleaners containing petroleum on plastic refrigerator parts.

### **PLASTIC PARTS (covers and panels)**

Do not use window sprays, abrasive cleansers, or flammable fluids. These can scratch or damage the material.

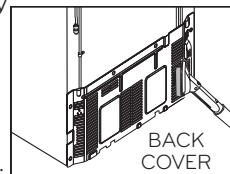
### **BACK COVER**

### **⚠ WARNING**

#### **ELECTRICAL SHOCK HAZARD**

Before you begin, either unplug the refrigerator or turn off power at the circuit breaker or fuse box.

**NOTE:** Back Cover should only be removed by a qualified technician. In order to get an efficient performance of your refrigerator, clean the back cover of it at least twice a year. Using a vacuum cleaner.



### **REPLACING REFRIGERATOR LIGHTS**

**NOTE:** The interior lighting for this model uses LED lighting.

DO NOT try to change a LED module. LED lighting should only be replaced by a qualified service technician.

## REFRIGERATOR CARE AND CLEANING

### POWER INTERRUPTIONS

1. In case of a black out, call your electric company and ask how long it will last.
2. If the power will be out for 24 hours or less, keep all refrigerator doors closed to help foods stay cold and frozen.
3. If the power will be out for more than 24 hours:
  - a) Remove all frozen food and store it in a frozen food locker.
  - b) Put 2 lbs (907 g) of frozen ice (make sure you use gloves) for each square foot (28 L) inside the freezer. This task will preserve the food for 2 to 4 days.
  - c) In case you do not possess neither ice chest or dry ice, consume your food as soon as possible.

**REMEMBER:** In a power failure, a full freezer stays cold longer than a partially filled one. A freezer full of meat stays cold longer than a freezer full of baked goods. If you see that food contains ice crystals, it may be safely refrozen, although the quality and flavor may be affected. If the condition of the food is poor or if you feel it unsafe, dispose of it.

### WHEN YOU GO ON VACATION

**If you choose to leave the refrigerator on while you are away,** follow these steps to prepare your refrigerator before you leave.

1. Use up any perishables and freeze other items.
2. Empty the ice bin.

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

1. Remove all food from the refrigerator.
2. Depending on your model, set the thermostat control (refrigerator control) to OFF. See the Setting the Controls section.
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.

### WHEN YOU MOVE

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

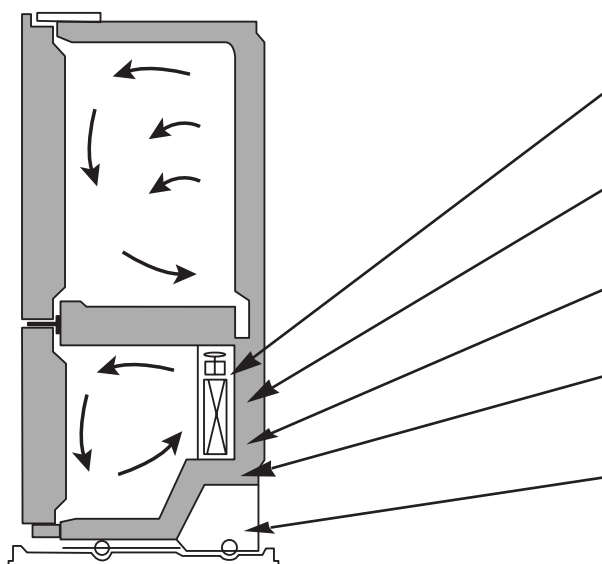
1. Remove all food from the refrigerator and pack all frozen food in dry ice.
2. Depending on your model, turn the thermostat control (refrigerator control) to OFF. See the Setting the Controls section.
3. Unplug the refrigerator.
4. Clean, wipe and dry thoroughly.
5. Take out all removable parts, wrap them well and tape them together so they don't shift and rattle during the move. Refer to sections in Using your Refrigerator for removal instructions.
6. Depending on the model, raise the front of the refrigerator so it rolls more easily OR screw in the leveling legs all the way so they don't scrape the floor. See the Door Closing section.
7. Tape the doors shut and tape the power cord to the refrigerator cabinet.

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

## TROUBLESHOOTING GUIDE




### UNDERSTANDING SOUNDS YOU MAY HEAR

Your new refrigerator might produce certain noises that your previous refrigerator did not. It is normal if you worry. Most of the new sounds you will be hearing are actually normal and expected. Hard surfaces like walls or floor can increase sounds and make them sound louder than they really are. The following list has a description of such sounds along with their causes.



- You will hear a bell sound caused by the flow of the refrigerant, water pipe or objects located on the superior part of the refrigerator.
- Your refrigerator is designed to work efficiently to preserve your food at the desired temperature using the least of energy. You will be able to hear a pulsing sound coming from the ventilators and the evaporator. The speed of the ventilator can speed up when you open the refrigerator door.
- After each cycle you will hear a dripping sound due to the refrigerant liquid in your refrigerator.
- Contraction and expansion of the inner walls can cause a slight popping sound.
- You will hear a dripping sound caused during the thawing cycle
- During the defrosting cycle the water might cause a dripping sound.
- You can hear some tight air sound over the capacitor caused by the fan.
- Running water can be heard during the defrosting cycle.
- Due to its low energy consumption design of the refrigerator; the fans will remain off, while the on-off switch activated the internal light of bin.

- The thawing timer will make a "click" sound when such timer will start and finish. Temperature controlling device will also make a "click" sound at the beginning and ending of the refrigerator cycle.

Problem	Possible Causes	Solutions
<b>THE REFRIGERATOR WON'T TURN ON</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The plug is correctly positioned.</li> <li>• A fuse has gone bad or the circuit presents failures.</li> <li>• The refrigerator is in the defrosting cycle.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Firmly plug the cord into a live outlet with proper voltage.</li> <li>• Replace the fuse or reset the circuit breaker.</li> <li>• Wait about 30 minutes for defrost cycle to end.</li> </ul>
<b>THE CONTROL PANEL LIGHTS ARE BLINKING SECUENTALLY. (1-2-3-4-5-6-7)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Refrigerator is in Demo Mode. (Demonstration Mode)</li> </ul> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Demonstration Mode disables the cooling system; only the lamps and display work normally.</li> <li>• To disable press ULTRA ICE  and Adjust Temp  buttons at the same time for 5 seconds.</li> </ul>
<b>THE LIGHT WON'T TURN ON</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The refrigerator is plugged.</li> <li>• The light bulbs are loose.</li> <li>• A light bulb has gone bad.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Plug the refrigerator in a right voltage plug.</li> <li>• Unplug the refrigerator. Unscrew the Light bulb and screw it again (Read the section <b>Refrigerator Care and Cleaning</b>). Plug again.</li> <li>• Unplug the refrigerator before changing the light bulb. Replace the bulb with a same 40 watts bulb for your local store. (Read the section <b>Replacing Refrigerator Lights</b>).</li> </ul>

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Problem	Possible Causes	Solutions
<b>STRANGE SOUNDS OR SNOOZING/ VIBRATIONS</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The refrigerator is not correctly positioned.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>You need to adjust the leveling screws due the floor is unlevelled or weak. Read the <b>Installation</b> section.</li> </ul>
<b>IT LOOKS LIKE THE COMPRESSOR MOTOR STAYS ON TOO LONG</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The replaced refrigerator was an older model.</li> <li>The room temperature is hotter than usual.</li> <li>The door is being opened very often or there has been a big amount of food in storage.</li> <li>The refrigerator is plugged and the control has been adjusted correctly.</li> <li>Doors won't close correctly.</li> <li>The condenser pipes are dirty.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Modern refrigerators with a bigger storage capacity require longer periods of operation.</li> <li>The motor will continue working when the room temperature is high. The motor might be on between 40% or 80% of the time. In high temperature conditions, the capacitor might run on periods of time.</li> <li>When adding or opening the door of the refrigerator, it warms it up. It's normal that the refrigerator to run more that usual in order to cool the bins. (Read the section <b>Food Storage Guide</b>). To save energy, take what you need at once, order your food in order so it can be easily found and close the door immediately soon after you took out the food.</li> <li>The refrigerator will take 24 hours to cool down completely.</li> <li>Push firmly the Doors. If they don't close. Read <b>Doors will not close completely</b> below.</li> <li>This will stop the air transfer and marked the motor to work longer and harder. Clean the pipes of the condenser.</li> </ul>
<b>DOORS WILL NOT CLOSE COMPLETELY</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The refrigerator is not leveled.</li> <li>The food packages are blocking the doors.</li> <li>The ice bin, the vegetable bin, the panels and the shelves from the door are out of place or position.</li> <li>The gaskets are sticking.</li> <li>The refrigerator wobbles or looks instable.</li> <li>The doors were removed during the installation and they weren't properly setup.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Read <b>Refrigerator Installation</b> section to level refrigerator.</li> <li>Adjust the food bins in order to free space between the doors and the shelves.</li> <li>Push the containers and place the vegetable cover lid, the panels, shelves and any other container or bin in their right positions. Read the section <b>Using your Refrigerator</b>.</li> <li>Clean the seal rings and the surface they might be in contact with. Use a piece of cloth with a small amount of paraffin and apply it over the seal rings.</li> <li>Level the refrigerator. Read the section <b>Closing and Aligning the Doors</b>.</li> <li>Remove and place again the door according to the section <b>Refrigerator Doors: How to remove and reverse</b>.</li> </ul>
<b>THERE'S ICE ON THE FOOD</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The door hasn't been closed completely.</li> <li>The door is frequently opened.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Read <b>Doors Will not Close Completely</b> already mentioned.</li> <li>When the door is opened, warm, humid air is allowed in the freezer resulting in frost.</li> </ul>
<b>THERE'S WATER IN THE DRAINING BIN</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The refrigerator is in defrosting cycle.</li> <li>It's more humid than usual.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The water will evaporate. It is normal that some water falls on the bin.</li> <li>It might take a while for the water to evaporate. This is normal when the weather is hot and humid.</li> </ul>
<b>THE REFRIGERATOR SEEMS TO MAKE TOO MUCH NOISE</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The sounds may be normal for your refrigerator.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Refer to the <b>Understanding Sounds You May Hear</b> section.</li> </ul>
<b>THE DOORS ARE HARD TO OPEN</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The gaskets are dirty or sticky.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Clean the gaskets and surface that they are in contact with. Use a damp cloth with paraffin also apply over the seal rings.</li> </ul>

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Problem	Possible Causes	Solutions
<b>THE DOORS ARE HARD TO OPEN</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The door opens itself as soon as you close it.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>When you open the door, the warm air enters in the refrigerator. When this air is cooled down it occupies less volume and creates a vacuum effect. If it is difficult to open wait 5 minutes then check.</li> </ul>
<b>THE TEMPERATURE IS TOO HOT OR THERE'S HUMIDITY FORMED INSIDE THE REFRIGERATOR</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The air vents are blocked. The cool air flows from freezer to the refrigerator and returns thru the vents that dive this section.</li> <li>The doors open very easily.</li> <li>The refrigerator control has not been adjusted for the room conditions.</li> <li>A large amount of food is just been placed inside the refrigerator.</li> <li>The food has not been well packed in each bin.</li> <li>The doors haven't been closed correctly.</li> <li>The weather is humid.</li> <li>The auto-defrosting cycle is over.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>With your hand find the vents and move and package that might be blocking the air flow. See the <b>Multi Flow</b> Section.</li> <li>When the doors are opened the warm and humid air enters. To keep your refrigerator cool, take what you need once and you're your food organized to make it easy to find. Close the door a soon as you can.</li> <li>Wait 24 hours to stabilize the temperature. If the temperature is cold or hot, move the control until the desire temperature is reached.</li> <li>After adding food to the refrigerator this will warm up. It might take some hours for the refrigerator to reach its temperature.</li> <li>Wrap the food evenly and before packing anything dry all the bins to avoid humidity. If it is necessary, pack the food according to the section <b>Food Storage Guide</b>.</li> <li>Read <b>Doors will not Close Correctly</b> section.</li> <li>In humid weathers, the air contains humidity, which introduces it self if the doors are opened.</li> <li>It's normal that some water props get formed after the defrosting cycle is completed.</li> </ul>



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