

# *INSTALLATION & OPERATION MANUAL*

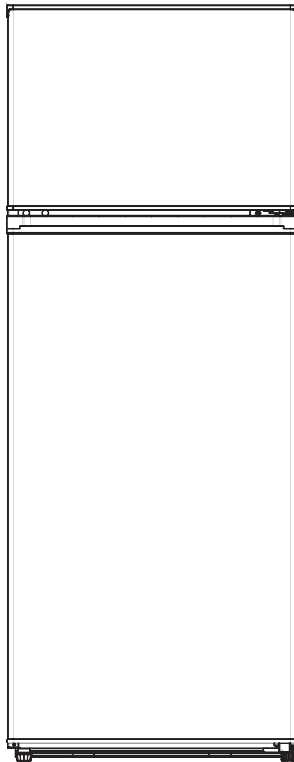
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## CONSERVATOR

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### **Refrigerator-Freezer**

- **GRM072AW**
- **GRM072AB**
- **GRM072AD**



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## 1. SAFETY WARNINGS



### **Warning:** risk of fire / flammable materials

THIS appliance is intended to be used in household and similar applications such as staff kitchen areas in shops, offices and other working environments; farm houses and by clients in hotels, motels and other residential type environments; bed and breakfast type environments; catering and similar non-retail applications.

THIS appliance is not intended for use by persons (including children) with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge, unless they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance by a person responsible for their safety.

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

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

DO not store explosive substances such as aerosol cans with a flammable propellant in this appliance.

THE appliance has to be unplugged after use and before carrying out user maintenance on the appliance.

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

**WARNING:** Do not use mechanical devices or other means to accelerate the defrosting process, other than those recommended by the manufacturer.

**WARNING:** Do not damage the refrigerant circuit.

**WARNING:** Do not use electrical appliances inside the food storage compartments of the appliance, unless they are of the type recommended by the manufacturer.

**WARNING:** Please abandon the refrigerator according to local regulators for its use flammable blowing gas and refrigerant.

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

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

DO not use extension cords or ungrounded (two prong) adapters.

**WARNING:** Risk of child entrapment. 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.

THE refrigerator must be disconnected from the source of electrical supply before attempting the installation of accessory.

REFRIGERANT and cyclopentane foaming material used for the appliance are

flammable. Therefore, when the appliance is scrapped, it shall be kept away from any fire source and be recovered by a special recovering company with corresponding qualification other than be disposed by combustion, so as to prevent damage to the environment or any other harm.

FOR EN standard: This appliance can be used by children aged from 8 years and above and persons with reduce physical sensory or mental capabilities or lack of experience and knowledge if they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance in a safe way and understand the hazards involved. Children shall not play with the appliance. Cleaning and user maintenance shall not be made by children without supervision. Children aged from 3 to 8 years are allowed to load and unload refrigerating appliances.

The necessity that, for doors or lids fitted with locks and keys, the keys be kept out of the reach of children and not in the vicinity of the refrigerating appliance, in order to prevent children from being locked inside.

TO avoid contamination of food, please respect the following instructions:

- Opening the door for long periods can cause a significant increase of the temperature in the compartments of the appliance.
- Clean regularly surfaces that can come in contact with food and accessible drainage systems.
- Clean water tanks if they have not been used for 48 h; flush the water system connected to a water supply if water has not been drawn for 5 days. (note 1)
- Store raw meat and fish in suitable containers in the refrigerator, so that it is not in contact with or drip onto other food.
- Two-star frozen-food compartments are suitable for storing pre-frozen food, storing or making ice-cream and making ice cubes. (note 2)
- One -, two- and three-star compartments are not suitable for the freezing of fresh food. (note 3)
- If the refrigerating appliance is left empty for long periods, switch off, defrost, clean, dry, and leave the door open to prevent mould developing within the appliance.
- For appliances without a 4-star compartment: this refrigerating appliance is not suitable for freezing foodstuffs. (note 4)

Note 1,2,3,4: Please confirm whether it is applicable according to your product compartment type.

FOR a freestanding appliance: this refrigerating appliance is not intended to be used as a built-in appliance.

ANY replacement or maintenance of the LED lamps is intended to be made by the manufacturer, its service agent or similar qualified person.



## 2. INSTALLTION

### 2.1 Location

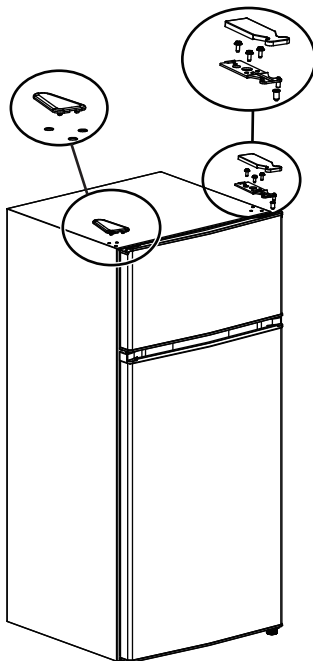
When selecting a position for your unit you should make sure the floor is flat and firm, and the room is well ventilated. Avoid locating your unit near a heat source, e.g. cooker, boiler or radiator. Also avoid direct sunlight as it may increase the electrical consumption. Extreme cold ambient temperatures may also cause the unit not to perform properly. This unit is not designed for use in a garage or outdoor installation. Do not drape the unit with any covering.

When installing the unit, ensure that 10 cm of free space is left at both sides, 10 cm at the rear and 30 cm at the top of the unit. This will allow cold air to circulate around the wine cooler and improve the efficiency of the cooling process.

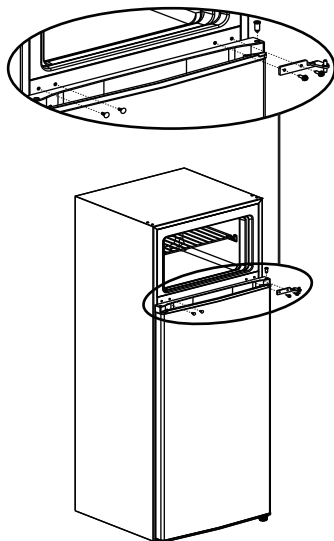
### 2.2 Reversing the Door Swing (optional)

**Tools Required:** Phillips style screwdriver / Flat blated screwdriver / Hexagonal spanner

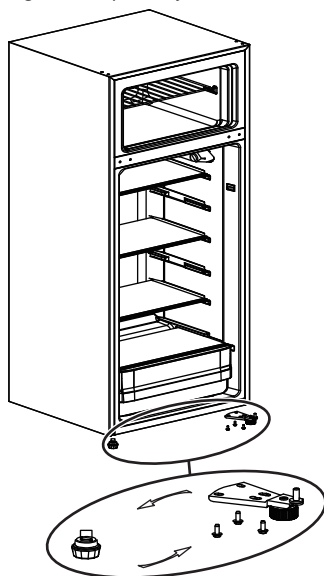
- 1) Take off top hinge cover, top hinge ,the sleeve pipe of freezer door and hole cap on the other side.



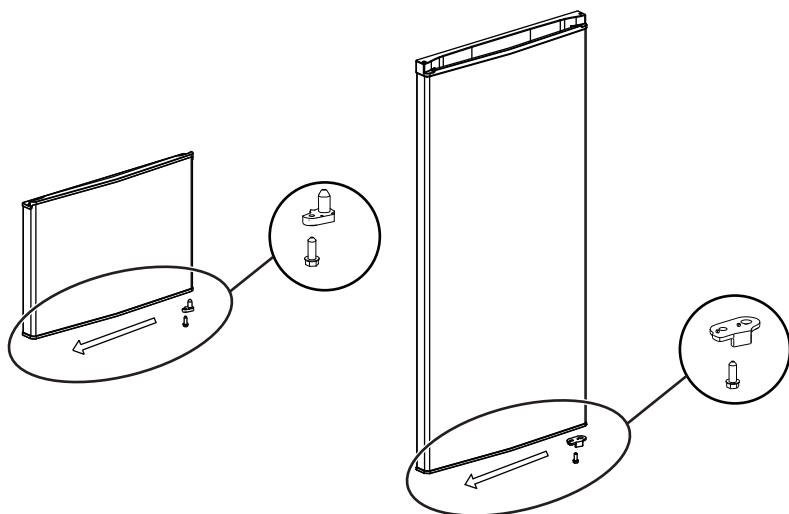
- 2) Take off freezer chamber door, middle hinge, the sleeve pipe of refrigerating door and hole caps on the other side.



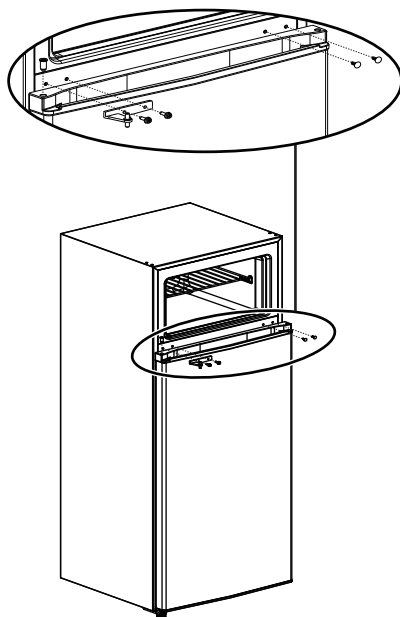
- 3) ☐ Remove the refrigerating door.  
☐ Remove the bottom hinge and adjustable foot on the other side.  
☐ Assemble the bottom hinge assembly and adjustable foot on other side.



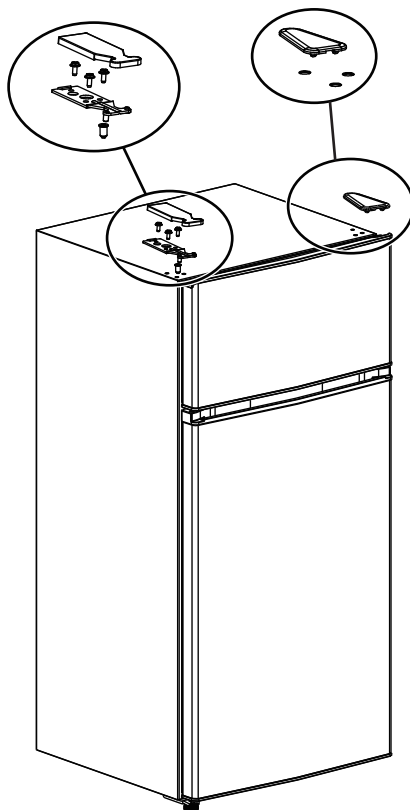
- 4) ☐ Assemble the stopper of the freezer door on the other side.  
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- 5) Put the refrigerating door on bottom hinge, assemble the middle hinge, hole caps and the sleeve pipe of refrigerating door.



- 6) Put the freezer door on the middle hinge, assemble the top hinge, the top hinge cover assemble the sleeve pipe of the freezer door and hole cap on the other side.



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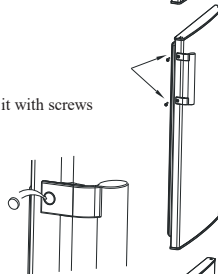
## 2.3 Door Handle Install Illumination (optional)

Note: Figures in the user manual are only for reference. The actual product may differ slightly. The refrigerator must be disconnected from the source of electrical supply before attempting the installation of accessory.

Step 1: take out two plug pins from the door (Side of door open)



Step 2: Install the door handle to the door and fasten it with screws



Step 3: Cover screw caps of the handle into screw holes

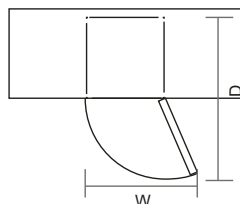


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## 2.4 Door Space Requirements

The unit's door must be able to open fully as shown.

$W \times D \geq 902 \times 1052 \text{ mm}$



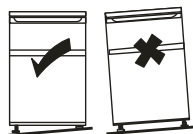
## 2.5 Levelling the Unit

To do this adjust the two levelling feet at the front of the unit.

If the unit is not level, the door and magnetic seal alignments will not be covered properly.

Make sure that the foot touches the ground before use.

Look down from the top, clockwise and counterclockwise loosening, tightening.



## 2.6 Cleaning Before Use

Wipe the inside of the unit with a weak solution of bicarbonate soda. Then rinse with warm water using a 'Wrung-out' sponge or cloth. Wash the shelves and salad bin in warm soapy water and dry completely before replacing in the unit. Clean the exterior of the unit with a damp cloth. If you require more information refer to the Cleaning section.

## 2.7 Before Using Your Unit

Do not damage the power cord under any condition so as to ensure safety use, do not use when the power cord is damaged or the plug is worn.

Do not put flammable, explosive, volatile and highly corrosive items in the refrigerator to prevent damages to the product or fire accidents.

Do not place flammable items near the refrigerator to avoid fires.

This product is household refrigerators and shall be only suitable for the storage of foods. According to national standards, household refrigerators shall not be used for other purposes, such as storage of blood, drugs or biological products.

Do not place items such as bottled or sealed container of fluid such as bottled beers and beverages in the freezer to prevent bursts and other losses.

Before placing any food in your unit, turn it on and wait for 24 hours, to make sure it is working properly and to allow it time to fall to the correct temperature. Your unit should not be overfilled.



#### ◆ **Before Plugging in**

You must check that you have a socket which is compatible with the plug supplied with the unit.

#### ◆ **Before Turning On!**

Do not turn on until two hours after moving the unit.

## **2.8 Interior Accessories**

Various glass or plastic storage shelves are included with your appliance - different models have different combinations.

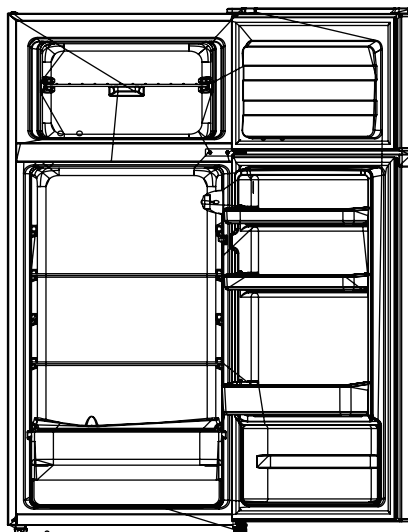
You should always slide one of the full size glass storage shelves into the lowest set of guides, above the fruit and vegetable containers, and keep it in this position. To do this, pull the storage shelf forward until it can be swivelled upwards or downwards and removed.

Please do the same in reverse to insert the shelf at a different height.



In order to make the most of the volume of the fresh food storage compartment and frozen-food storage compartment, the user can remove one or more shelves, drawers, out of the appliance, according to your daily use.

## **3. PRODUCT OVERVIEW**



Drawers, food boxes, shelves, etc. placed according to the position in the picture above are the most energy efficient.

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## 4. OPERATION

### 4.1 Switching On Your Unit

Setting “Off”: UnitOff

Setting “Min”: Less Cool Temperature

Setting “Med” or “MID”: Normal Operation(adequate for most situations)

Setting “Max”: Coolest Temperature

◆ During high ambient temperatures e.g. on hot summer days. It may be necessary to set the thermostat to the Coolest setting(position“Max”).This may cause the compressor running continuously in order to maintain a low temperature in the cabinet.

◆ For the first time you install your refrigerator, set the thermostat knob at “Med”.

Give your refrigerator time to cool down completely before adding food. It is the best to wait 24 hours before adding food. The thermostat knob controls the temperature. When the thermostat control knob is set to OFF, the refrigerator will not be running.

### 4.2 Noise Inside the Unit!

You may notice that your unit makes some unusual noises. Most of these are perfectly normal, but you should be aware of them!

These noises are caused by the circulation of the refrigerant liquid in the cooling system. It has become more pronounced since the introduction of CFC free gases. This is not a fault and will not affect the performance of your unit. This is the compressor motor working, as it pumps the refrigerant around the system.

### 4.3 Tips for Keeping Food in the Unit

- ◆ Cooked meats/fishes should always be stored on a shelf above raw meats/fishes to avoid bacterial transfer. Keep raw meats/fishes in a container which is large enough to collect juices and cover it properly. Place the container on the lowest shelf.
- ◆ Leave space around your food, to allow air to circulate inside the unit. Ensure all parts of the unit are kept cool.
- ◆ To prevent transfer of flavours and drying out, pack or cover the food separately. Fruit and vegetables do not need to be wrapped.
- ◆ Always let pre-cooked food cool down before you put in the unit. This will help to maintain the internal temperature of the unit.
- ◆ To prevent cold air escaping from the unit, try to limit the number of times you open the door. We recommend that you only open the door when you need to put food in or take food out.

### 4.4 Change the Light Bulb

Lamp replacement by professionals

## 5. CLEANING

### 5.1 Defrosting

NOTE THIS UNIT DOES NOT HAVE AN AUTO DEFROST SYSTEM.

Please use a plastic ice shovel when clearing the frosting of the evaporator. Do not use metal



sharp objects.

## 5.2 Cleaning the Interior and the Exterior of the Unit

- ◆ Dusts behind the refrigerator and on the ground shall be timely cleaned to improve the cooling effect and energy saving.
- ◆ Check the door gasket regularly to make sure there are no debris. Clean the door gasket with a soft cloth dampened with soapy water or diluted detergent.
- ◆ The interior of the refrigerator should be cleaned regularly to avoid odor.
- ◆ Please turn off the power before cleaning interior, remove all foods, drinks ,shelves, drawers, etc.
- ◆ Use a soft cloth or sponge to clean the inside of the refrigerator, with two tablespoons of baking soda and a quart of warm water. Then rinse with water and wipe clean. After cleaning, open the door and let it dry naturally before turning on the power.
- ◆ For areas that are difficult to clean in the refrigerator (such as narrow sandwiches, gaps or corners), it is recommended to wipe them regularly with a soft rag, soft brush, etc. and when necessary, combined with some auxiliary tools (such as thin sticks) to ensure no contaminants or bacterials accumulation in these areas.
- ◆ Do not use soap, detergent, scrub powder, spray cleaner, etc., as these may cause odors in the interior of the refrigerator or contaminated food.
- ◆ Clean the bottle frame, shelves and drawers with a soft cloth dampened with soapy water or diluted detergent. Dry with a soft cloth or dry naturally.
- ◆ Wipe the outer surface of the refrigerator with a soft cloth dampened with soapy water, detergent, etc., and then wipe dry.
- ◆ Do not use hard brushes, clean steel balls, wire brushes, abrasives(such as toothpastes), organic solvents (such as alcohol, acetone, banana oil, etc.), boiling water, acid or alkaline items, which may damage the fridge surface and interior. Boiling water and organic solvents such as benzene may deform or damage plastic parts.
- ◆ Do not rinse directly with water or other liquids during cleaning to avoid short circuits or affect electrical insulation after immersion.

## 5.3 Cleaning Tips

Condensation may appear on the outside of the unit. This may be due to a change in room temperature. Wipe of any moisture residue. If the problem continues, please contact a qualified technician for assistance.

# 6. MAINTENANCE

## 6.1 Changing the Internal Light

Lamp replacement by professionals.

## 6.2 Care When Handling / Moving Your Unit

Hold the unit around its sides or base when moving it. Under no circumstances should it be lifted by holding the edges of the top surface.

## 6.3 Servicing

The unit should be serviced by an authorized engineer and only genuine spare parts should be used. Under no circumstances should you attempt to repair the unit yourself. Repairs carried out by inexperienced persons may cause injury or serious malfunction. Contact a qualitatively technician.

## 6.4 Switching Of for Long Periods of Time

When the unit is not in use for a long period of time, disconnect it from the mains supply, empty all food and clean the appliance, leaving the door ajar to prevent unpleasant smells.

## 7. Trouble shooting

The following simple issues can be handled by the user. Please call the after-sale service department if the issues are not settled.

Inoperation	Whether the freezer is plugged and connected to power; Low voltage; Failure power or tripping circuit
Odor	Odorous foods should closely wrapped; Whether foods are rotten; Whether the interior shall be cleaned.
Long-term operation of compressor	It is normal that refrigerator operates for longer time in summer when the ambient temperature is higher; Do not put too much food in the freezer at one time; Do not put foods until they are cooled; Frequent opening of refrigerator door.
Illuminating light does not shine	Whether the refrigerator is connected to power, whether the illuminating light is damaged.
The refrigerator door can not be properly closed.	The freezer door is stuck by food packages; Too much food; Tilt refrigerator.
Loud noises	Whether the food is leveled, whether the refrigerator is balanced; Whether the refrigerator parts are properly placed.

### 7.1 Warm tips:

- ◆The refrigerator enclosure may emit heat during operation specially in summer, this is caused by the radiation of the condenser, and it is a normal phenomenon.
- ◆Condensation: condensation phenomenon will be detected on the exterior surface and door seals of the freezer when the ambient humidity is large, this is a normal phenomenon, and the condensation can be wiped away with a dry towel.
- ◆Buzz: Buzz will be generated by running compressor specially when starting up or shutting down.

## 8. FOR ENERGY SAVING

Warning for energy


- 1)Refrigerating appliances might not operate consistently (possibility of defrosting of contents or temperature becoming too warm in the frozen food compartment) when sited for an extended period of time below the cold end of the range of temperatures for which the refrigerating appliance is designed.
- 2)The fact that effervescent drinks should not be stored in food freezer compartments or cabinets or in low-temperature compartments or cabinets, and that some products such as water ices should not be consumed too cold;

- 3)The need to not exceed the storage time(s) recommended by the food manufacturers for any kind of food and particularly for commercially quick-frozen food in food-freezer and frozen-food storage compartments or cabinets;
- 4)The precautions necessary to prevent an undue rise in the temperature of the frozen food while defrosting the refrigerating appliance, such as wrapping the frozen food in several layers of newspaper.
- 5)The fact that a rise in temperature of the frozen food during manual defrosting, maintenance or cleaning could shorten the storage life.

## 9. DISPOSAL

Old units still have some residual value. An environmentally friendly method of disposal will ensure that valuable raw materials can be recovered and used again. The refrigerant used in your unit and insulation materials require special disposal procedures. Ensure that none of the pipes on the back of the unit are damaged prior to disposal. Up to date information concerning options of disposing of your old unit and packaging from the new one can be obtained from your local council office.

When disposing of an old unit break of any old locks or latches and remove the door as a safeguard.

Correct Disposal of this product	
	<p><b>Correct Disposal of this product</b></p> <p>This marking indicates that this product should not be disposed with other household wastes throughout the EU. To prevent possible harm to the environment or human health from uncontrolled waste disposal, recycle it responsibly to promote the sustainable reuse of material resources. To return your used device, please use the return and collection systems or contact the retailer where the product was purchased. They can take this product for environmental safe recycling.</p>

For more information, please contact the local authority or your retailer where you purchased the product.

Table 1 Climate classes

Class	Symbol	Ambient temperature range °C
Extended temperate	SN	+ 10 to + 32
Temperate	N	+ 16 to + 32
Subtropical	ST	+ 16 to + 38
Tropical	T	+ 16 to + 43

Extended temperate: 'this refrigerating appliance is intended to be used at ambient temperatures ranging from 10 °C to 32 °C';

temperate: 'this refrigerating appliance is intended to be used at ambient temperatures ranging from 16 °C to 32 °C';

Subtropical: 'this refrigerating appliance is intended to be used at ambient temperatures ranging from 16 °C to 38 °C';

Tropical: 'this refrigerating appliance is intended to be used at ambient temperatures ranging from 16 °C to 43 °C';

The ordered parts in the following table can be acquired from channel XXX:

Ordered Part	Provided by	Minimum Time Required for Provision
thermostats	Professional maintenance personnel	At least 7 years after the last model is launched on the market
temperature sensors	Professional maintenance personnel	At least 7 years after the last model is launched on the market
printed circuit boards	Professional maintenance personnel	At least 7 years after the last model is launched on the market
light sources	Professional maintenance personnel	At least 7 years after the last model is launched on the market
door handles	Professional repairers and final users	At least 7 years after the last model is launched on the market
door hinges	Professional repairers and final users	At least 7 years after the last model is launched on the market
trays	Professional repairers and final users	At least 7 years after the last model is launched on the market
baskets	Professional repairers and final users	At least 7 years after the last model is launched on the market
door gaskets	Professional repairers and final users	At least 10 years after the last model is launched on the market

# WARRANTY

## REFRIGERATOR WARRANTY

Your Refrigerator is protected by this warranty

	WARRANTY PERIOD	THROUGH OUR AUTHORIZED SERVICERS, WE WILL:	THE CONSUMER WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR:
ONE YEAR LIMITED WARRANTY	One year from original purchase date	Pay all costs for repairing or replacing any parts of this appliance which prove to be defective in materials or workmanship. Excludes original and replacement Ice & Water filter cartridges (if equipped). Original and replacement cartridges are warranted for 30 days (parts only).	Costs of service calls that are listed under <b>NORMAL RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE CONSUMER.</b> *

\* In addition to warranty shown above, ask your dealer about Crosley Extended Limited Warranty that comes to you at no extra charge for the 2ND through 10 TH years.  
This limited extended warranty covers a major component part of every Crosley appliance.

☐ In the U.S.A., your appliance is warranted by Crosley Corporation. We authorize no person to change or add to any of our obligations under this warranty. Our obligations for service and parts under this warranty must be performed by an authorized Crosley Corporation servicer. In Canada your appliance is warranted by Crosley Canada Corp.

### \*NORMAL RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE CONSUMER

**This warranty applies only to products in ordinary household use, and the consumer is responsible for the items listed below:**

- 1 Proper use of the appliance in accordance with instructions provided with the product.
- 2 Proper installation by an authorized servicer in accordance with instructions provided with the appliance and in accordance with all local plumbing, electrical and/or gas codes.
- 3 Proper connection to a grounded power supply of sufficient voltage, replacement of blown fuses, repair of loose connections or defects in house wiring.
- 4 Expenses for making the appliance accessible for servicing, such as removal of trim, cupboards, shelves, etc., which are not part of the appliance when it was shipped from the factory.
- 5 Damages to finish after installation.
- 6 Replacement of light bulbs and/or fluorescent tubes (on models with these features).

### EXCLUSIONS

**This warranty does not cover the following:**

- 1 CONSEQUENTIAL OR INCIDENTAL DAMAGES SUCH AS PROPERTY DAMAGE AND INCIDENTAL EXPENSES RESULTING FROM ANY BREACH OF THIS WRITTEN OR ANY IMPLIED WARRANTY.  
  
NOTE: Some states do not allow the exclusion or limitation of incidental or consequential damages, so this limitation or exclusion may not apply to you.
- 2 Service calls which do not involve malfunction or defects in workmanship or material, or for appliances not in ordinary household use. The consumer shall pay for such service calls.  
  
Damages caused by services performed by servicers other than Crosley Corporation, Crosley Canada Corp. or its authorized servicers; use of parts other than genuine Crosley Corporation parts, obtained from persons other than such servicers; or external causes such as abuse, misuse, inadequate power supply or acts of God.
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- 4 Products with original serial numbers that have been removed or altered and cannot be readily determined.

### IF YOU NEED SERVICE

Keep your bill of sale, delivery slip, or some other appropriate payment record. The date on the bill establishes the warranty period should service be required. If service is performed, it is in your best interest to obtain and keep all receipts. This written warranty gives you specific legal rights. You may also have other rights that vary from state to state. Service under this warranty must be obtained by contacting Crosley Corporation or Crosley Canada Corp.

This warranty only applies in the 50 States of the U.S.A., in Puerto Rico, and in Canada. Product features or specifications as described or illustrated are subject to change without notice. All warranties are made by The Crosley Group, Inc. In Canada, your appliance is warranted by Crosley Canada.

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