



## OWNER'S MANUAL

# TOP FREEZER REFRIGERATOR

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Read this owner's manual thoroughly before operating the appliance and keep it handy for reference at all times.

### ENGLISH

LT18S2100\* / LT18S1100\* / LT18S1200\*



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# IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

## READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE USE

### Safety Messages

**Your safety and the safety of others are very important.**

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



This is the safety alert symbol.

This symbol alerts you to potential hazards that can kill or injure you and others. All safety messages will follow the safety alert symbol and either the word **WARNING** or **CAUTION**.

These words mean:



#### **WARNING**

You may be killed or seriously injured if you do not follow instructions.



#### **CAUTION**

You may be injured or cause damage to the product if you do not follow instructions.

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

## WARNING



### **WARNING**

- To reduce the risk of explosion, fire, death, electric shock, scalding or injury to persons when using this product, follow basic precautions, including the following:

### Installation

- To reduce the risk of injury to persons, adhere to all industry recommended safety procedures including the use of long-sleeved gloves and safety glasses.
- Never attempt to operate this appliance if it is damaged, malfunctioning, partially disassembled, or has missing or broken parts, including a damaged cord or plug.
- Only connect this product to a dedicated grounded electrical outlet rated for use with this product (115 V, 60 Hz, AC only). It is the user's responsibility to replace a standard 2-prong wall outlet with a standard 3-prong wall outlet.
- Do not use an outlet that can be turned off with a switch. Do not use an extension cord.
- The appliance must be positioned for easy access to a power source.
- When moving the refrigerator, be careful not to roll over or damage the power cord.
- Contact an authorized service center when installing or relocating the refrigerator.
- Do not, under any circumstances, cut or remove the third (ground) prong from the power cord.
- Keep packing materials out of the reach of children. Packaging material can be dangerous for children. There is a risk of suffocation.
- Do not install the refrigerator in a damp or dusty place where insulation on electrical parts may deteriorate.
- Do not place the refrigerator in direct sunlight or expose it to the heat from heating appliances such as stoves or heaters.

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- Do not bend or pinch the power cord excessively or place heavy objects on it.
- When positioning the appliance, ensure the supply cord is not trapped or damaged.
- Do not locate multiple portable socket-outlets or portable power supplies at the rear of the appliance.

### Operation

- 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.
- This product is not to be used for special purposes such as the storage of medicine or test materials or for use on ships, etc.
- DO NOT allow children to climb, stand, or hang on the refrigerator doors or on the shelves in the refrigerator. They could damage the refrigerator and seriously injure themselves.
- Do not allow children to climb into the refrigerator. They could be trapped and suffocated.
- Children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the refrigerator.
- Keep fingers out of pinch point areas; clearances between the doors and cabinets are necessarily small. Be careful opening or closing doors or drawers when children or others are nearby.
- Stand far enough away when opening doors or drawers to avoid hitting and injuring your feet.
- Do not touch frozen food or the metal parts in the freezer compartment with wet or damp hands. Doing so may cause frostbite.
- Do not refreeze frozen food that has thawed completely. Doing so may result in a serious health hazard.
- Do not use an adapter plug or plug the power plug into a multi-outlet extension cord.
- 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.
- Do not operate the refrigerator or touch the power cord with wet hands.
- Do not modify or extend the power cord.
- Do not use an uncertified power outlet. Do not plug the appliance into a damaged wall outlet.
- Do not put hands, feet or other objects into the air vents or bottom of the refrigerator. Doing so could result in personal injury or electric shock.
- In the event of a gas leak (propane/LPG), ensure the area is adequately ventilated and contact an authorized service center before resuming use. Do not touch the refrigerator or power cord of the refrigerator.
- Disconnect the power cord immediately and contact an authorized service center if there is a strange noise, odor, or smoke coming from the appliance.
- Do not use any fuse (such as copper, steel wire, etc.) other than a standard fuse.
- Do not put animals inside the appliance.
- Do not place heavy or fragile objects, liquid filled containers, combustible substances, or flammable objects (such as candles and lamps) on the appliance.
- If connected to a circuit protected by fuses, use time delay fuse.
- 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 use electrical appliances inside the food storage compartments of the appliance, unless they are of the type recommended by the manufacturer.
- Do not store explosive substances such as aerosol cans with a flammable propellant in this appliance.
- Do not damage the refrigerant circuit.
- This appliance incorporates an earth connection for functional purposes.
- Connect to potable water supply only.
  - If connected to a water supply, connect to a potable water supply only.
- Fill with potable water only.
  - If using an icemaker or dispenser water tank, make sure to fill it with potable water only.

## Maintenance

- Do not use a hair dryer to dry the inside of the refrigerator.
- Do not light a candle to remove odors in the refrigerator.
- In the event of a refrigerant leak, move flammable objects away from the refrigerator. Ensure the area is adequately ventilated and contact an authorized service center.
- Keep flammable materials and vapors, such as gasoline, away from the refrigerator.
- Unplug the power plug before cleaning or repairing the refrigerator.
- The refrigerator and freezer compartment lights are interior LED lighting, and service should be performed by a qualified technician.
- Unplug the power plug immediately in the event of a blackout or thunderstorm.
- Turn the power off if water or dust penetrates into the refrigerator. Call a service agent.
- Do not store glass containers or soda in the freezer compartment. Contents may expand when frozen, break the container and cause injury.
- Do not store, disassemble or repair the appliance yourself or allow unqualified personnel to do so.

## Disposal

- Risk of child entrapment. Junked or abandoned refrigerators are dangerous, even if they are sitting for only a few days. When disposing of 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.
- If disposing of a refrigerator, make sure the refrigerant and insulation foam are removed for proper disposal by a qualified servicer. If you release the refrigerant or throw away the insulation foam, you may be fined or imprisoned in accordance with the relevant environmental law. Insulation foam contains flammable blowing gas.
- When discarding the appliance, remove the door gasket while leaving the shelves and bins in place, and keep children away from the appliance.

## Grounding Instructions

- Improper connection of the equipment-grounding conductor can result in a risk of electric shock. Check with a qualified electrician or service personnel if you are in doubt whether the appliance is properly grounded. Do not modify the plug provided with the appliance; if it will not fit the outlet, have a proper outlet installed by a qualified electrician.
- Have a certified electrician check the wall outlet and wiring for proper grounding.
- Never unplug the appliance by pulling on the power cord. Always grip the plug firmly and pull straight out from the outlet. Failure to do so may damage the power cord, resulting in a risk of fire and electric shock.

### Risk of Fire and Flammable Materials



This symbol alerts you to flammable materials that can ignite and cause a fire if you do not take care.

This appliance contains a small amount of isobutane refrigerant (R600a), which is combustible. When transporting and installing the appliance, care should be taken to ensure that no parts of the refrigerating circuit are damaged. Refrigerant squirting out of the pipes could ignite or cause an eye injury. If a leak is detected, avoid any naked flames or potential sources of ignition and air out the room in which the appliance is standing for several minutes.

In order to avoid the creation of a flammable gas air mixture if a leak in the refrigerating circuit occurs, the size of the room in which the appliance may be sited depends on the amount of refrigerant used. The room must be 10.8 square feet (1 square meter) in size for every 8g of R600a refrigerant inside the appliance. The amount of refrigerant in your particular appliance is shown on the identification plate inside the appliance. Never start up an appliance showing any signs of damage. If in doubt, consult your dealer.

### CAUTION



#### CAUTION

- To reduce the risk of minor or moderate injury to persons, malfunction, or damage to the product or property when using this product, follow basic precautions, including the following:
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### Installation

- Do not install the refrigerator where there may be a danger of the unit falling.
- The refrigerator must be properly installed in accordance with the Installation Instructions.

### Operation

- Do not use aerosols near the refrigerator.
- This appliance is intended to be used only in domestic and similar applications.
- Do not strike or apply excessive force to any glass surface. Do not touch glass surfaces if they are cracked or broken.
- Do not overfill or pack items too tightly into door bins. Doing so may cause damage to the bin or personal injury if items are removed with excessive force.
- Do not store glass containers in the freezer. Contents may expand when frozen, break the container and cause injury.
- Do not clean glass shelves with warm water while they are cold. Shelves may break if exposed to sudden temperature changes or impact. You may be injured.
- Fill with potable water only.
- Regularly detach and wash the storage bins and shelves; they can become easily contaminated by food.
- Empty bin before removing it.
- Do not apply excessive force while detaching or assembling the storage bins.
- Do not use the dishwasher to clean the storage bins and shelves.

### Maintenance

- Do not use strong detergents like wax or thinners for cleaning. Clean with a soft cloth.
- Remove foreign objects (such as dust and water) off the prongs of the power plug and contact areas. Do not use a wet or damp cloth when cleaning the plug.

- Do not spray water directly on the inside or outside of the refrigerator.
- Do not clean glass shelves or covers with warm water when they are cold. They may break if exposed to sudden temperature changes.

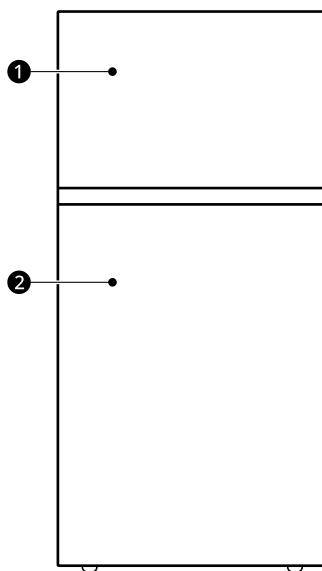
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# PRODUCT OVERVIEW

## Product Features

The images in this guide may be different from the actual components and accessories, which are subject to change by the manufacturer without prior notice for product improvement purposes.

### Exterior



**❶ Freezer**

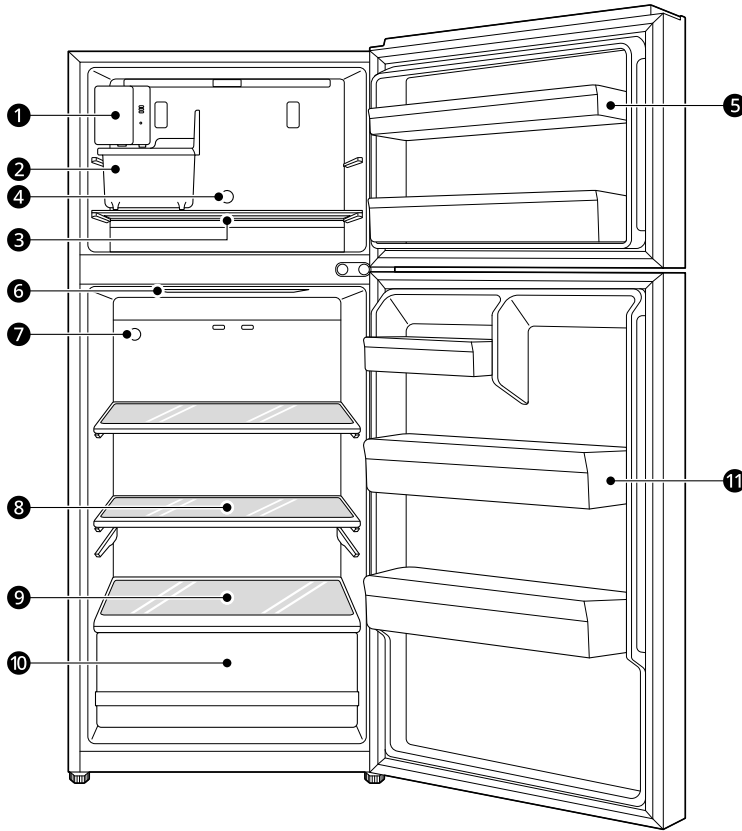
Frozen food compartment

**❷ Refrigerator**

Fresh food compartment

## Interior

† This feature is only available on some models.



### 1 Automatic Icemaker†

Produces ice automatically.

### 2 Ice Bin†

Stores ice from the icemaker.

### 3 Freezer Shelf

Stores frozen food such as meat, fish, and ice cream.

### 4 Freezer Temperature Controller†

This controller regulates the airflow to the upper compartment.

### 5 Freezer Door Bin

Store small packaged frozen food or frequently used foods.

### 6 LED Interior Lighting†

The LED lighting inside the appliance lights up when you open the door.

### 7 Refrigerator Temperature Control†

Sets the refrigerator temperature.

### 8 Refrigerator Shelf

Stores refrigerated foods and fresh foods.

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Store foods with higher moisture content at the front of the shelf.

The shelf height can be adjusted by inserting the shelf in another groove at a different height.

### 9 Bottom Shelf

Stores refrigerated foods and fresh foods.

### 10 Refrigerator Drawer

Stores fruits and vegetables.

### 11 Refrigerator Door Bin<sup>†</sup>

Stores chilled food, drinks, or condiments.

## Product Specifications

The appearance and specifications listed in this manual may vary due to constant product improvements.

**Electrical requirements :** 115 V, 60 Hz

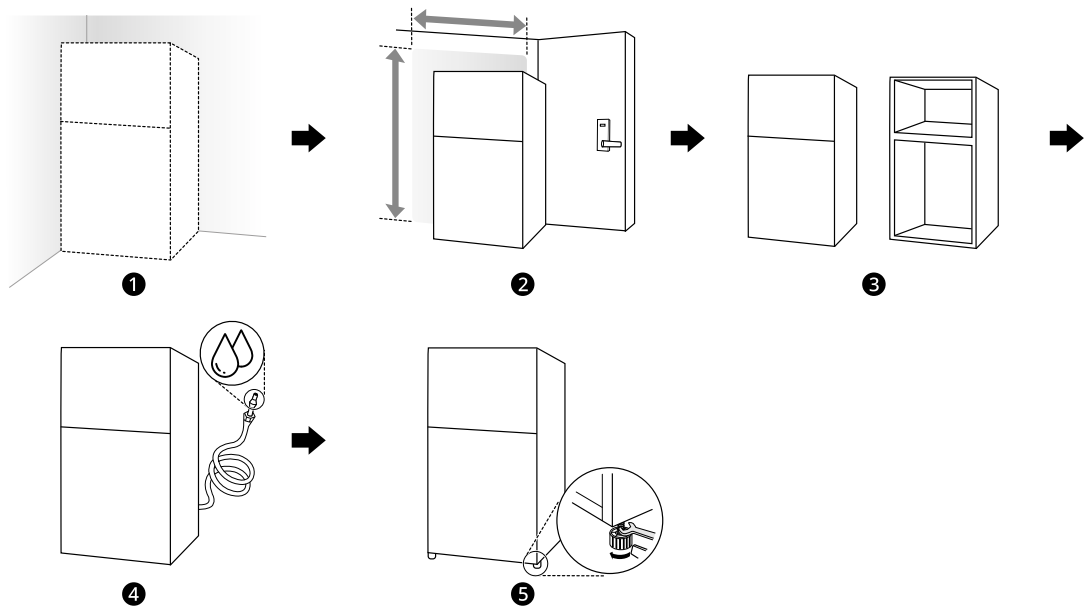
| Model      | Description                              | Net weight       |
|------------|------------------------------------------|------------------|
| LT18S2100* | Standard-depth, top freezer refrigerator | 158.7 lb (72 kg) |
| LT18S1100* | Standard-depth, top freezer refrigerator | 158.7 lb (72 kg) |
| LT18S1200* | Standard-depth, top freezer refrigerator | 160.9 lb (73 kg) |

# INSTALLATION

## Before Installing

### Installation Overview

Please read the following installation instructions first after purchasing this product or transporting it to another location.



- ❶ Unpacking the Refrigerator
- ❷ Choosing the Proper Location
- ❸ Disassembling/Assembling
- ❹ Connecting the Water Line
- ❺ Leveling and Door Alignment

### **⚠ WARNING**

- Connect to potable water supply only.

## Unpacking the Refrigerator

### WARNING

- Use two or more people to move and install the refrigerator. Failure to do so can result in back injury or other injury.
- The refrigerator is heavy. Protect the floor when moving the refrigerator for cleaning or service. 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.
- Keep flammable materials and vapors, such as gasoline, away from the refrigerator. Failure to do so can result in fire, explosion, or death.

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### NOTE

- Remove tape and any temporary labels from your refrigerator before using. Do not remove any warning labels, the model and serial number label, or the Tech Sheet that is located under the front 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 the refrigerator.
  - Reinstall or adjust shelves as needed. Refrigerator shelves are installed in the shipping position. Reinstall shelves according to your individual storage needs.
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## Choosing the Proper Location

### Water

The refrigerator must be located where a water supply can be connected for the automatic icemaker.

### Dimensions and Clearances

- Check the dimensions of the appliance and the installation path to ensure there is sufficient room to move the refrigerator through doors or narrow openings.

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### NOTE

- The water pressure must be 20 - 125 psi (138 - 862 kPa). If the refrigerator is installed in an area with low water pressure (below 20 psi or 138 kPa), you can install a booster pump to compensate for the low pressure.
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## Electricity

Use an individual, grounded outlet: 115 Volts, 60 Hz, AC, 15 amps minimum.

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### WARNING

- Do not overload house wiring and cause a fire hazard by plugging in multiple appliances in the same outlet with the refrigerator.
  - To reduce the risk of electric shock, do not install the refrigerator in a wet or damp area.
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## Flooring

To avoid noise and vibration, the unit must be installed and leveled on a solidly constructed floor. If required, adjust the leveling legs to compensate for the unevenness of the floor.

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### NOTE

- Installing on carpeting, soft tile surfaces, a platform or weakly supported structure is not recommended.
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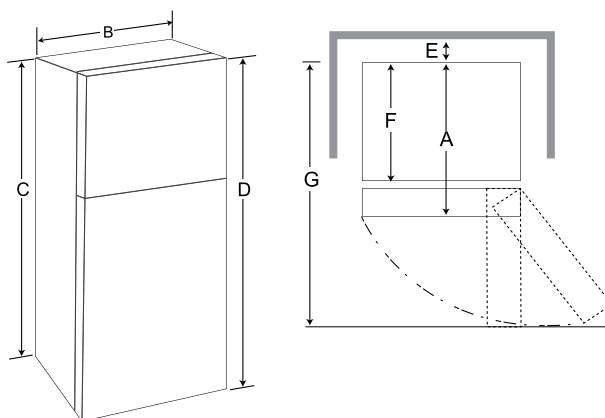
## Ambient Temperature

Install this appliance in an area where the temperature is between 38 °F (3 °C) and 110 °F (43 °C).

If the temperature around the appliance is too low or high, cooling ability may be adversely affected.

The internal temperatures could be affected by the location of the appliance, the ambient temperature, the frequency of door opening and other factors.

- If an opening is too narrow to fit the refrigerator through, remove the refrigerator doors. See Removing/Assembling Doors and Drawers in this manual.
- The installation location chosen for the refrigerator should allow space behind the unit for connections and airflow and space in front to open the doors and drawers.
- Too small of a distance from adjacent items may result in lowered freezing capability and increased electricity consumption charges. Allow at least 2 inches (50 mm) between the back of the refrigerator and the wall.
- Remember to allow enough room in front of the refrigerator to fully open the doors.



| - | Dimensions/Clearances            | LT18S2100*<br>LT18S1100*<br>LT18S1200* |
|---|----------------------------------|----------------------------------------|
| A | Depth without Handle             | 33 3/4" (858.5 mm)                     |
| B | Width                            | 27 1/2" (700 mm)                       |
| C | Height to Top of Case            | 64" (1625 mm)                          |
| D | Height to Top of Hinge           | 65" (1650 mm)                          |
| E | Back Clearance                   | 2" (50 mm)                             |
| F | Depth without Door               | 29 3/4" (757.5 mm)                     |
| G | Depth (Total with Door Open 90°) | 58 1/4" (1481.5 mm)                    |

## Removing/Assembling Doors

The method for removing/assembling the door may differ depending on the model.

If the entrance door is too narrow for the refrigerator to pass through, remove the refrigerator doors and move the refrigerator sideways through the doorway.

### ⚠ WARNING

- Use two or more people to remove and install the refrigerator doors.

- Disconnect the electrical supply to the refrigerator before installing.
- Do not put hands, feet or other objects into the air vents or bottom of the refrigerator.
- Be careful when handling the hinge and hinge lever.
- Remove food and bins before detaching the doors.
- Do not hold the handle when removing or replacing the doors as the handle may come off.

### Tools Needed

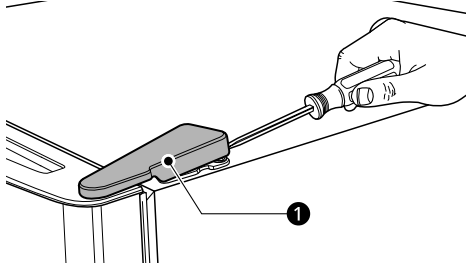
- Flat-head screwdriver

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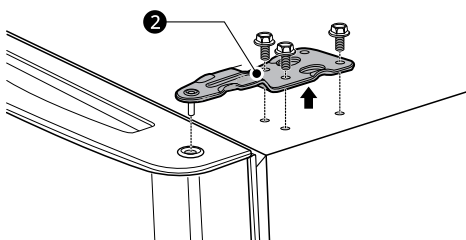
- Phillips screwdriver
- Adjustable wrench
- 1/4 in. Hex socket wrench
- 3/8 in. Hex socket wrench
- 10 mm Hex socket wrench
- 1/4 in. Hex Key Wrench

### Removing the Freezer Door

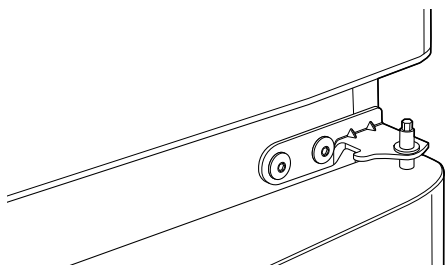
- 1 Gently pry off the top hinge cover ① with a flat-head screwdriver and remove it.



- 2 Using a 10 mm or 3/8 inch socket wrench, remove the three bolts and lift the top hinge ②. Set the parts aside.

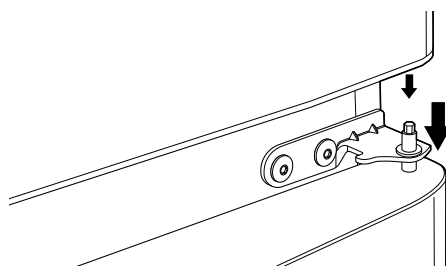


- 3 Lift the freezer door slightly and remove it.

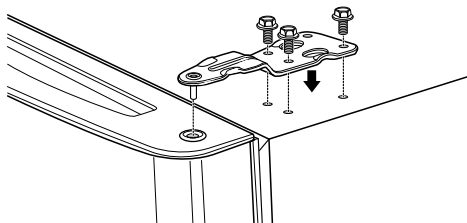


### Assembling the Freezer Door

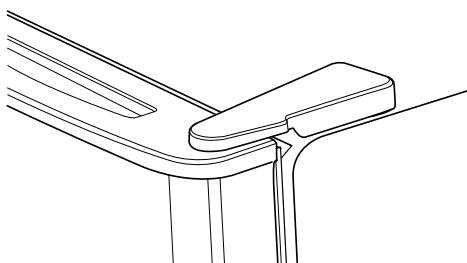
- 1 Set the freezer door onto the middle hinge pin.



- 2 Place the top hinge on top of the freezer door and line up the hinge with the holes on top of the refrigerator. Use the three bolts to fasten the hinge.

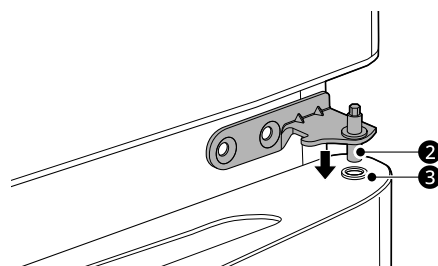
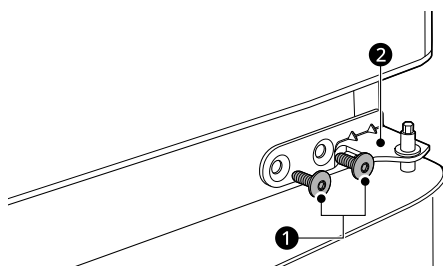


- 3 Carefully snap the top hinge cover back into place over the hinge.



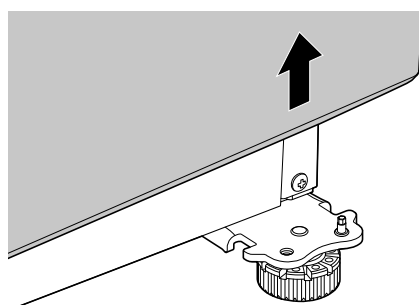
### Removing the Refrigerator Door

- 1 Remove the freezer door before removing the refrigerator door.
- 2 Loosen and remove the two bolts ① from the middle hinge bracket ② and remove it from the refrigerator housing. Set the parts aside.

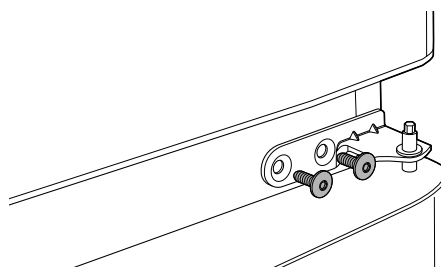


- 3** Lift up the refrigerator door slightly and remove it. Set the door aside on a non-scratching surface.

- 3** Hold the door in place and line up the hinge with the holes in the refrigerator housing.

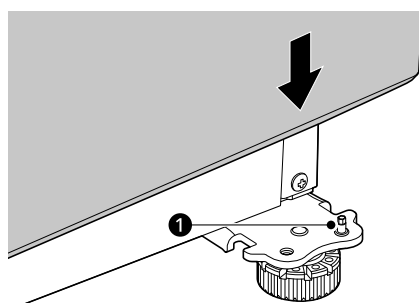


- 4** Use the two bolts and the screw to reattach the middle hinge bracket to the refrigerator housing.



## Assembling the Refrigerator Door

- 1** Set the refrigerator door on the bottom hinge pin **1**.



- 2** Place the middle hinge pin **2** inside the hinge pin sleeve **3** on the top of the refrigerator door.

## Reversing Doors and Leveling

### Reversing Doors

This feature is only available on some models. The method for reversing the door may differ depending on the model.

The appliance is designed with reversible doors that can be assembled to open from either the left or right side to suit your kitchen design.

Door reversal must be done by an authorized installer or service person. If it is not, any damage caused by improperly installed doors will not be covered by the warranty.

### **⚠ WARNING**

- Use two or more people to remove and install the refrigerator doors.
- Disconnect the electrical supply to the refrigerator before installing.

**⚠ CAUTION**

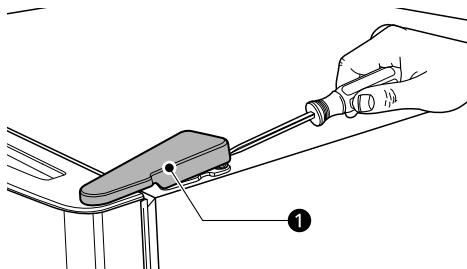
- Be careful when handling the hinge and hinge lever.
- Remove food and bins before detaching the doors.
- Do not hold the handle when removing or replacing the doors as the handle may come off.
- When reassembling the bottom and middle hinge pins, make sure the pins are completely assembled and securely tightened to avoid the door coming loose.

**Tools Needed**

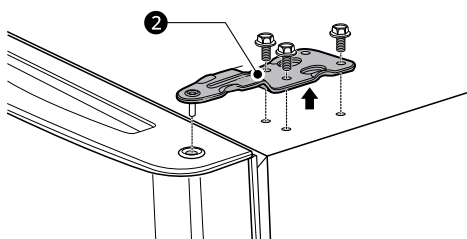
- Flat-head screwdriver
- 1/4 in. Hex socket wrench
- 3/8 in. Hex socket wrench
- 1.4 in. Hex key wrench
- Adjustable wrench

**Removing the Freezer Door**

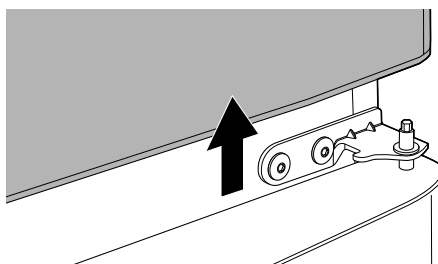
- 1** Gently pry off the top hinge cover **1** with a flat-head screwdriver and remove it.



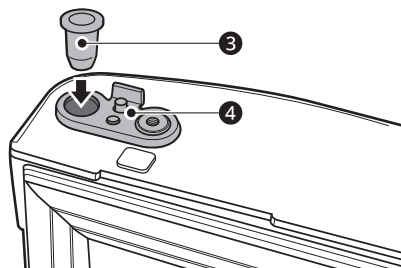
- 2** Using a 10 mm or 3/8 inch socket wrench, remove the three bolts and lift off the top hinge **2**. Set the parts aside.



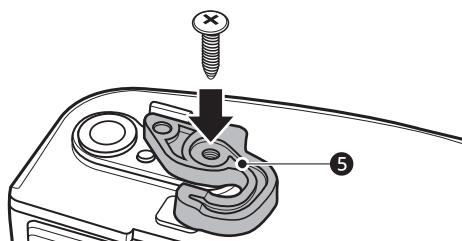
- 3** Lift the freezer door slightly and remove it.



- 4** Turn the freezer door upside down on a non-scratching surface. Loosen the screw to remove the hinge lever and hinge pin sleeve.
- 5** Move the middle hinge bracket to the other side of the door, keeping the same orientation.
- 6** Move the hinge pin sleeve **3** into the hole on the left side of the bracket **4**.



- 7** Reverse the hinge lever **5** by flipping it over. Place it on top of the bracket and tighten both down with the screw.



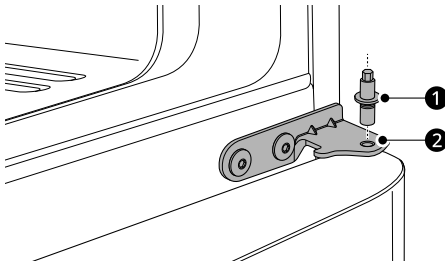
- 8** Set the freezer door to the side.

## Removing the Refrigerator Door

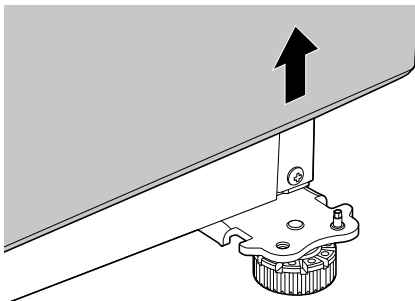
- 1 Using a 1/4 in. socket wrench, loosen and remove the middle hinge pin ① from the middle hinge bracket ②.

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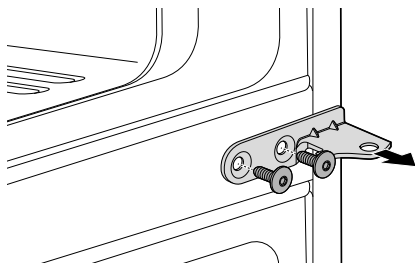
- When lifting the hinge pin, be careful that the door does not fall forward.



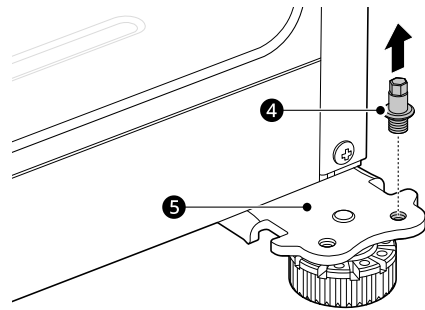
- 2 Slightly lift the refrigerator door and remove it.



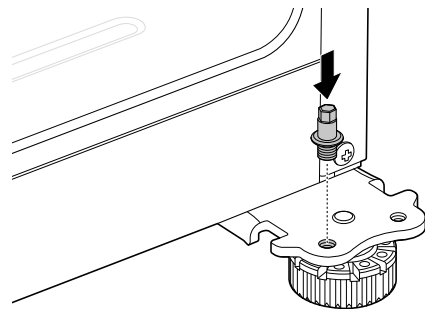
- 3 Loosen the 2 bolts and remove the middle hinge bracket from the refrigerator housing. Set the parts aside.



- 4 Using a 1/4 in. socket wrench, loosen and remove the bottom hinge pin ④ from the bottom hinge bracket ⑤.



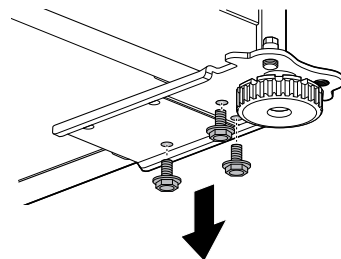
- 5 Reattach the bottom hinge pin to the opposite side of the bottom hinge bracket.



- 6 Using a 3/8 in. socket wrench with a 2-inch extension, loosen the 3 bolts on the bottom hinge bracket.

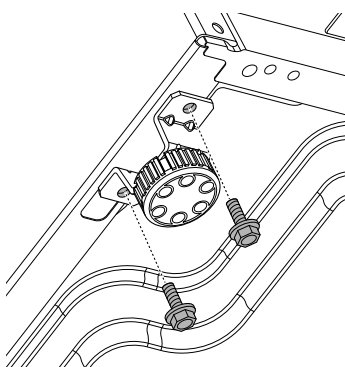
### ⚠ CAUTION

- Be careful that the refrigerator does not fall forward if the model purchased has the leveler attached to the bottom hinge bracket.



- 7 Remove the bottom hinge bracket from the right side of the housing.

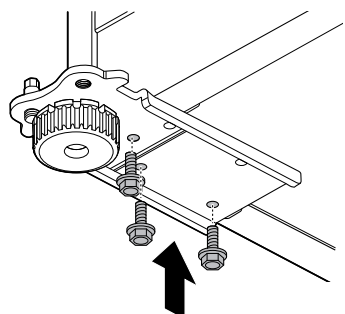
- 8 Using a 3/8 in. socket wrench with a 2-inch extension, loosen the 2 bolts on the leveler. Remove the leveler from the housing.



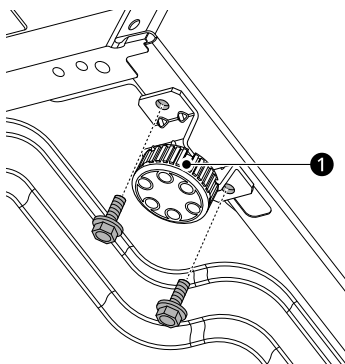
### Assembling the Reversed Refrigerator Door

This feature is only available on some models.

- 1 Move the bottom hinge bracket to the left side of the housing, keeping the same orientation, and reattach with the 3 bolts.



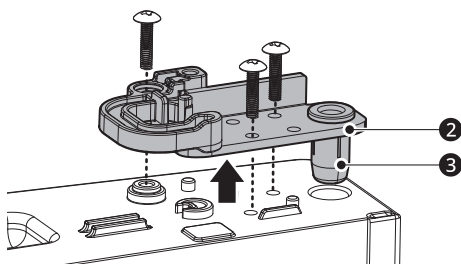
- 2 Move the leveler 1 to the opposite side of the housing, keeping the same orientation, and reattach it with the 2 bolts removed earlier.



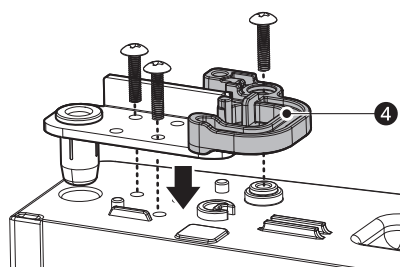
#### NOTE

- The leveler is only present on some models.

- 3 Turn the refrigerator door upside down on a non-scratching surface.
- 4 Loosen the three screws to remove the bracket 2 and the hinge pin sleeve 3.



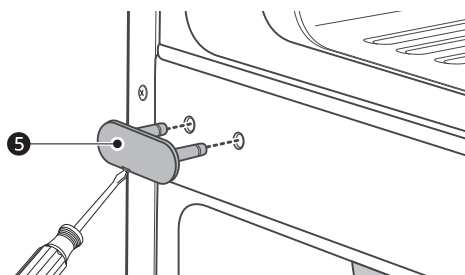
- 5 Move the bracket to the opposite side of the door and insert the hinge pin sleeve. Reverse the hinge lever 4 by flipping it over. Place it on top of the bracket, and tighten both down with the screw. Then insert the remaining 2 screws to tighten the bracket to the refrigerator door.



#### NOTE

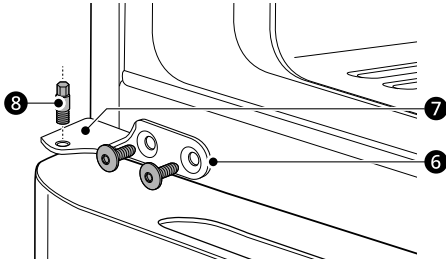
- The hinge lever is only present on some models.

- 6 With a flat-head screwdriver, carefully pry off and remove the decorative cover 5 over the screw holes on the left side of the refrigerator housing.



- 7** Place the refrigerator door down over the bottom hinge pin on the bottom hinge bracket.

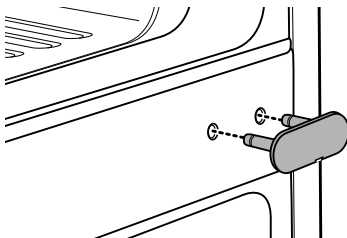
- 8** Flip the middle hinge bracket **6**. (The flange **7** will now be on top.) Position it on the left side of the refrigerator and reattach it with 2 bolts. Reattach the middle hinge pin **8** to the middle hinge bracket with a 1/4 in. socket wrench.



#### NOTE

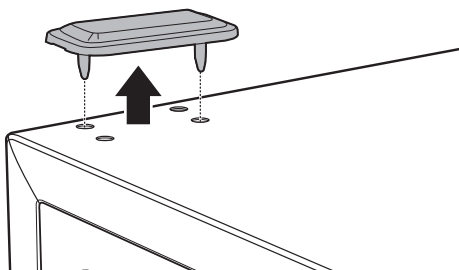
- The bracket has been flipped, but the middle hinge pin stays in the same orientation with its hexagonal end facing upward.

- 9** Insert the decorative screw into the outer hole on the right side of the housing. Attach the decorative cover on the right side. Cover is force-fitted.

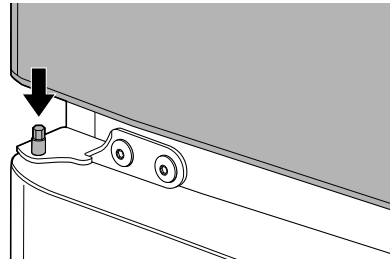


#### Assembling the Reversed Freezer Door

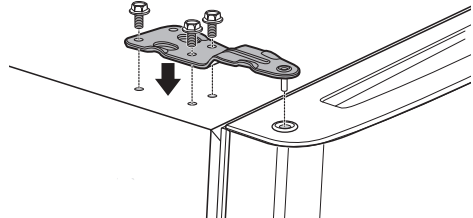
- 1** Pry off the decorative cover on the top left side of the refrigerator to uncover the screw holes.



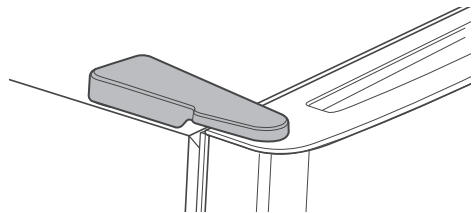
- 2** Place the freezer door down over the middle hinge pin on the middle hinge bracket.



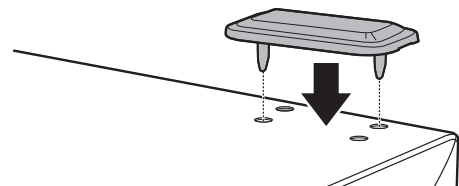
- 3** Place the top hinge on top of the freezer door and line up the top hinge with the holes on top of the refrigerator. Use the three bolts to attach the hinge.



- 4** Force-fit the top hinge cover over the top hinge.

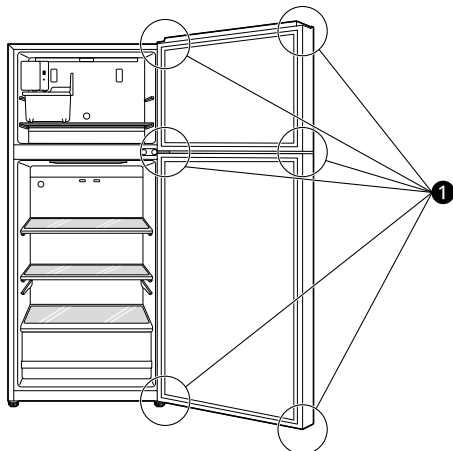


- 5** Insert the decorative cover on the top right of the cabinet to cover the holes. Cover is force-fitted.



**NOTE**

- After changing doors, make sure that the corners of the door gaskets are not folded over. To ensure a good seal, apply a small amount of silicone grease on the corners ❶ of the gaskets.

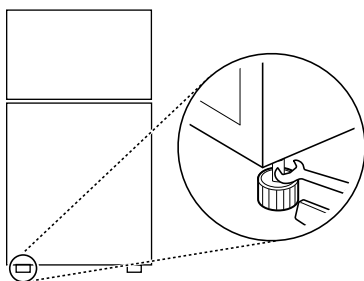
**Leveling the Refrigerator**

The refrigerator has two front leveling legs. Adjust the legs to alter the tilt from front-to-back or side-to-side. If the refrigerator seems unsteady or the doors do not close easily, adjust the refrigerator's tilt, using the instructions below:

- 1 Turn the leveling leg to the left to raise that side of the refrigerator or to the right to lower it. It may take several turns of the leveling leg to adjust the tilt of the refrigerator.

**NOTE**

- A flare nut wrench works best, but an open-end wrench will suffice. Do not over-tighten.



- 2 Open both doors, and check to make sure that they close easily. If the doors do not close easily, tilt the refrigerator slightly more to the rear by turning both leveling legs to the left. It may take several more turns, and be sure to turn both leveling legs the same amount.

**Connecting Refrigerator to Water Supply****Before Beginning**

These instructions assume you have an existing water supply connection for the refrigerator. If necessary, call a qualified plumber to install a water supply line for the refrigerator.

- Turn the icemaker OFF if the refrigerator will be used before the water line is connected.
- Do not install the icemaker tubing in areas where the ambient temperatures fall below freezing.

**⚠ WARNING**

- Connect to potable water supply only.

**⚠ CAUTION**

- To prevent burns and product damage, only connect the refrigerator water line to a cold water supply.
- Wear eye protection during installation to prevent injury.

**Water Pressure**

You will need a cold water supply.

**Water Pressure**

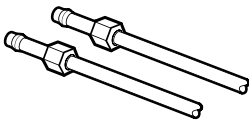
- **Models with water filter:**
  - 20 - 125 psi (138 - 862 kPa)
- **Where reverse osmosis water filtration system is connected to a cold water supply:**
  - 40 - 60 psi minimum to reverse osmosis system (2.8 kgf/cm<sup>2</sup> - 4.2 kgf/cm<sup>2</sup>, or less than 2 - 3 seconds to fill a cup of 7 oz capacity)

If the water pressure from the reverse osmosis system is less than 20 psi or 138 kPa or 1.4 kgf/cm<sup>2</sup> (takes more than 4 seconds to fill a cup of 7 oz or 198 cc capacity):

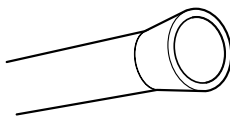
- Check to see if the sediment filter in the reverse osmosis system is blocked. Replace the filter if necessary.
- Allow the storage tank on the reverse osmosis system to refill after heavy usage.
- If the water pressure remains low, call a licensed, qualified plumber.
- All installations must be in accordance with local plumbing code requirements.

## Supplies Needed

- **Copper or PEX Tubing**, ¼ in. outer diameter, to connect the refrigerator to the water supply. Be sure both ends of the tubing are cut square. To determine how much tubing you need, measure the distance from the water valve on the back of the refrigerator to the water supply pipe. Then, add 8 feet (2.4 m). Be sure there is sufficient extra tubing (about 8 feet [2.4 m] coiled into 3 turns of about 10 in. [25 cm] diameter) to allow the refrigerator to move out from the wall after installation.
- **½ in. or adjustable wrench.**
- **Flat-blade and Phillips screwdrivers.**
- **Two ¼ in. outer diameter compression nuts and 2 ferrules (sleeves)** to connect the copper tubing to the shutoff valve and the refrigerator water valve. If you are using a PEX water line kit, it may already have the required fittings at either end.



- If your existing copper water line has a flared fitting at the end, purchase an adapter (available at plumbing supply stores) to connect the water line to the refrigerator OR cut off the flared fitting with a tube cutter and use a compression fitting.



### NOTE

- The hookup line cannot be white, plastic tubing. Licensed plumbers must use only copper tubing

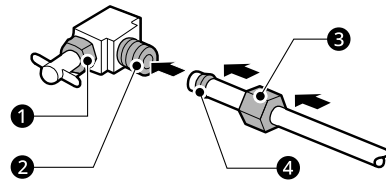
(NDA tubing #49595 or #49599) or Cross Link Polyethylene (PEX) tubing.

- Be sure there is sufficient extra tubing (about 8 ft. coiled into three turns of about 10 in. diameter) to allow the refrigerator to move out from the wall after installation.

## Connecting Water Line to Refrigerator

### 1 Connect the tubing to the shutoff valve.

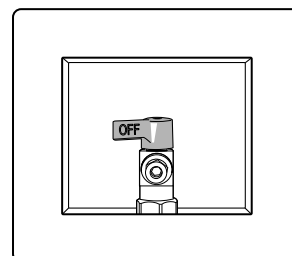
- Place the compression nut and ferrule (sleeve) onto the end of the copper tubing and connect it to the shutoff valve. If you are using PEX, the tubing may already have the required fittings at either end. Make sure the tubing is fully inserted into the valve. Tighten the compression nut securely.



- ① Packing Nut
- ② Shutoff Valve
- ③ Compression Nut
- ④ Ferrule (sleeve)

### 2 Flush out the tubing into a bucket.

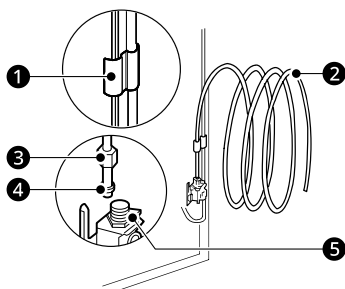
- Flush out the tubing coming from the home water supply until the water is clear. Shut the water off at the water valve after about one quart of water has been flushed through the tubing.



**NOTE**

- Before making the connection to the refrigerator, be sure that the refrigerator power cord is not plugged into the wall outlet.

- 3 Remove the flexible plastic cap from the water valve on the refrigerator.
- 4 Place the compression nut and ferrule (sleeve) onto the end of the tubing as shown. If you are using a PEX connection kit, it may already have the required fittings.
- 5 Insert the end of the copper or PEX tubing into the connection as far as possible. While holding the tubing, tighten the fitting.



- ❶ Tubing Clamp
- ❷ ¼ in. Tubing
- ❸ ¼ in. Compression Nut
- ❹ Ferrule (sleeve)
- ❺ Refrigerator Connection

- 6 Turn the water on at the shutoff valve.
  - Tighten any connections that leak.

**CAUTION**

- Check to see if leaks occur at the water line connections.
- Make sure the house water valve is fully open. If it is not open completely, the icemaker and dispenser may not work properly.

**Turning on the Power**

- After installing, plug the refrigerator's power cord into a 3-prong grounded outlet and push the refrigerator into the final position.

**CAUTION**

- Connect to a rated power outlet.
- Have a certified electrician check the wall outlet and wiring for proper grounding.
- Do not damage or cut off the ground terminal of the power plug.

**Position the Refrigerator**

- Arrange the coil of tubing so that it does not vibrate against the back of the refrigerator or against the wall. Push the refrigerator back toward the wall.

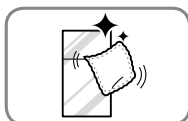
**Start the Icemaker**

- If the water line is connected, set the icemaker power switch to the ON position.
- The icemaker will not begin to operate until it reaches its operating temperature of 15 °F (–9 °C) or below. It will then begin operation automatically if the icemaker power switch is in the ON (I) position.

# OPERATION

## Before Use

### Checklist

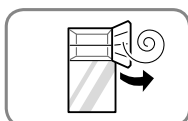


#### Clean the refrigerator.

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

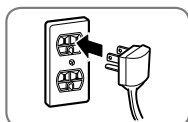
#### ⚠ CAUTION

- Do not scratch the refrigerator with a sharp object or use a detergent that contains alcohol, a flammable liquid, or an abrasive when removing any tape or adhesive from the refrigerator. Remove adhesive residue by wiping it off with your thumb or dish detergent.
- Do not peel off the model or serial number label or the technical information on the rear surface of the refrigerator.



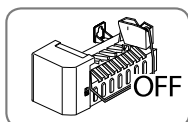
#### Open refrigerator doors and freezer drawers to ventilate the interior.

The inside of the refrigerator may smell like plastic at first. Remove any adhesive tape from inside the refrigerator, and open the refrigerator doors for ventilation.



#### Connect the power supply.

Check if the power supply is connected before use.

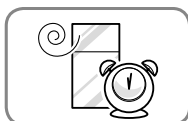


#### Turn off the icemaker.

Turn off the icemaker if the refrigerator is not yet connected to the water supply.

#### NOTE

- The icemaker water valve may buzz if the icemaker is turned on while the refrigerator is not connected to the water supply.

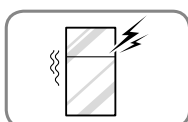


#### Wait for the refrigerator to cool.

Allow the refrigerator to run for at least two to three hours before putting food in it. Check the flow of cold air in the freezer compartment to ensure proper cooling.

#### ⚠ CAUTION

- Putting food in the refrigerator before it has cooled could cause the food to spoil or a bad odor to remain inside the refrigerator.



#### The refrigerator makes a loud noise after initial operation.

This is normal. The volume will decrease as the temperature decreases.

## Control Panel

Depending on the model, some of the following functions may not be available.

The actual control panel may differ from model to model.

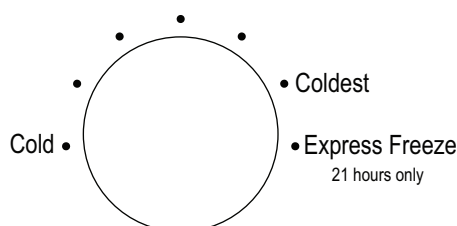
### Control Panel Features

#### Control Panel 1: Inside the Refrigerator

Turn the dial to select a desired temperature between **Cold** and **Coldest**.

Turn the controller to select **Express Freeze** and activate the function for 21 hours.

- This function automatically shuts off after 21 hours.
- After this function shuts off, turn the controller to select a desired temperature.

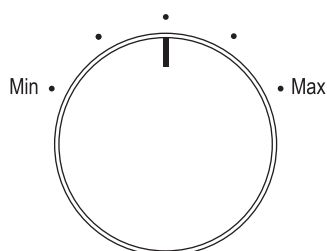


#### NOTE

- After the **Express Freeze** function shuts off, the controller still points to **Express Freeze**, but the temperature setting is automatically changed to the mid-level temperature setting.

#### Control Panel 2: Inside the Freezer

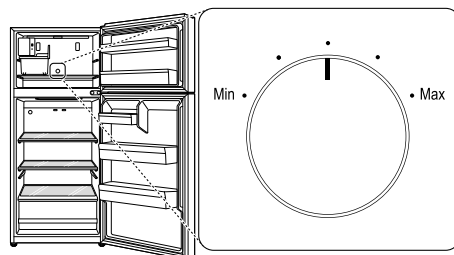
Turn the dial to select a desired temperature between **Min** and **Max**.



### Setting the Freezer Temperature Level (1-5)

The temperature can be adjusted from level 1 (Min) to level 5 (Max). Level 3 is recommended.

- You can lower the temperature by turning the controller to the right and raise the temperature by turning the controller to the left.
- Setting the controller at level 4-5 will maintain a low temperature in the freezer. When the quick freezing is finished (level 5), set the controller back to the recommended level.



#### NOTE

- For optimal food preservation, change the default temperature one level at a time, waiting 24 hours between changes to allow the temperature to stabilize.
- Wait until 2 or 3 hours have passed after plugging in the appliance before storing food in the appliance.
- The internal temperatures could be affected by the location of the appliance, the ambient temperature, the frequency of door opening and other factors.

## Automatic Icemaker

#### ⚠ WARNING

- DO NOT place fingers in the automatic icemaker when the refrigerator is plugged in.
- Avoid contact with any moving parts of the ejector mechanism or with the heater that releases the ice cubes.

### Before Using the Freezer Icemaker

This feature is only available on some models.

The feature may vary depending on model purchased.

#### NOTE

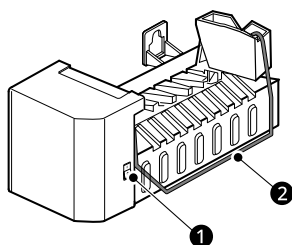
- Throw away the first bin full of ice (about 140-160 cubes) after installation. This is also necessary if the refrigerator has not been used for a long time.

- The icemaker begins producing ice approximately 24 hours after the appliance is initially installed.
- If the ice bin is completely filled with ice, ice production will stop.
- The amount and shape of ice may vary according to the environment (ambient temperature around the appliance, frequency of the door being opened, amount of food stored in the appliance, water pressure, etc.).
- In the event of a power outage, throw away the ice stored in the ice bin.

## Freezer Icemaker

This feature is only available on some models.

The feature may vary depending on model purchased.



- ❶ Power Switch
- ❷ Auto Shutoff (feeler arm)

### CAUTION

- Never store beverage cans or other items in the ice bin for the purpose of rapid cooling. Doing so may damage the icemaker or the containers may burst.
- Never use thin crystal glass or crockery to collect ice. Such containers may chip or break resulting in glass fragments in the ice.

### NOTE

- The automatic freezer icemaker produces 8 cubes at a time, 64-128 pieces within a 24 hour period if conditions are favorable. This amount may vary according to the environment (ambient temperature around the appliance, frequency of the door being opened, amount of food stored in the appliance, etc.).
- The sound of ice dropping into the ice bin is normal.
- Ice cubes which are stored in the ice bin for a long time may clump together and be difficult to

separate. If this happens, empty the ice bin completely and clean it before reinstalling it.

- You should turn off the automatic icemaker when:
  - The water supply will be shut off for several hours.
  - The ice bin is removed for more than one or two minutes.
  - The refrigerator will not be used for several days.

## Turning the Icemaker On/Off

To turn the automatic icemaker On/Off, press the power switch on the icemaker to the ON ( | ) or OFF (O) position.

## Normal Sounds You May Hear

- Keeping the power turned on to the icemaker before the water line is connected can damage the icemaker.
- The icemaker water valve buzzes as the icemaker fills with water. If the icemaker power button is in the ON position, it will buzz even if it has not yet been hooked up to water. To stop the buzzing, press the icemaker power button to turn it off.
- You will hear the sound of ice dropping into the bin and water running in the pipes as the icemaker refills.

## Preparing for Vacation

Set the icemaker power button to OFF and shut off the water supply to the refrigerator.

### NOTE

- The ice bin should be emptied any time the icemaker power button is turned to the OFF position.

If the ambient temperature will drop below freezing, have a qualified technician drain the water supply system to prevent serious property damage due to flooding caused by ruptured water lines or connections.

## Storing Food

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### NOTE

- If you are leaving home for a short period, like a short vacation, the refrigerator should be left on. Refrigerated foods that are able to be frozen will stay preserved longer if stored in the freezer.
  - If you are leaving the refrigerator turned off for an extended period, remove all food and unplug the power cord. Clean the interior, and leave the door open to prevent fungi from growing in the refrigerator.
  - If doors are opened or closed too often, warm air may penetrate the refrigerator and raise its temperature. This can increase the running costs of the unit.
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## Food Storage Tips

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.

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### CAUTION

- Do not overfill or pack items too tightly into door bins. Doing so may cause damage to the bin or personal injury if items are removed with excessive force.
  - Do not store glass containers in the freezer. Contents may expand when frozen, break the container and cause injury.
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## How to Store Food

- Butter or Margarine
  - Keep opened butter in covered dish or closed compartment. When storing an extra supply, wrap in freezer packaging and freeze.
- Cheese
  - Store in original wrapping until used. Once opened, rewrap tightly in plastic wrap or aluminum foil.
- Milk
  - Wipe milk cartons. For coldest milk, place containers on an interior shelf.
- Eggs
  - Store in original carton on interior shelf, not on door shelf.

- Fruit
  - Do not wash or hull fruit until it is ready to be used. Sort and keep fruit in original container in a crisper, or store in completely closed paper bag on refrigerator shelf.
- Leafy Vegetables
  - Remove store wrapping, trim or tear off bruised and discolored areas, wash in cold water, and drain. Place in plastic bag or plastic container and store in crisper.
- Vegetables with skins (carrots, peppers)
  - Place in plastic bags or plastic container and store in crisper.
- Fish
  - Freeze fresh fish and shellfish if they are not being eaten the same day purchased. Eating fresh fish and shellfish the same day purchased is recommended.
- Leftovers
  - Cover leftovers with plastic wrap or aluminum foil, or store in plastic containers with tight lids.

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### NOTE

- Do not store food with high moisture content towards the top of the refrigerator. The moisture could come into direct contact with the cold air and freeze.
  - Wash food before storing it in the refrigerator. Vegetables should be washed, and food packaging should be wiped down to prevent adjacent foods from being contaminated.
  - If the refrigerator is kept in a hot and humid place, frequent opening of the door or storing a lot of vegetables in the refrigerator may cause condensation to form. Wipe off the condensation with a clean cloth or a paper towel.
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## Storing Frozen Food

Check a freezer guide or a reliable cookbook for further information about preparing food for freezing or food storage times.

### Freezing

Your freezer will not quick-freeze a large quantity of food. Do not put more unfrozen food into the freezer than will freeze within 24 hours (no more than 2 to 3 pounds of food per cubic foot of freezer space). Leave enough space in the freezer for air to circulate around packages. Be careful to leave enough room at the front so the door can close tightly.

Storage times will vary according to the quality and type of food, the type of packaging or wrap used (how airtight and moisture-proof) and the storage temperature. Ice crystals inside a sealed package are normal. This simply means that moisture in the food and air inside the package have condensed, creating ice crystals.

### NOTE

- Allow hot foods to cool at room temperature for 30 minutes, and then package and freeze. Cooling hot foods before freezing saves energy.

## Packaging

Successful freezing depends on correct packaging. When you close and seal the package, it must not allow air or moisture in or out. If it does, you could have food odor and taste transfer throughout the refrigerator and could also dry out frozen food.

### Packaging Recommendations

- Rigid plastic containers with tight-fitting lids
- Straight-sided canning/freezing jars
- Heavy-duty aluminum foil
- Plastic-coated paper
- Non-permeable plastic wraps
- Specified freezer-grade self-sealing plastic bags

Follow package or container instructions for proper freezing methods.

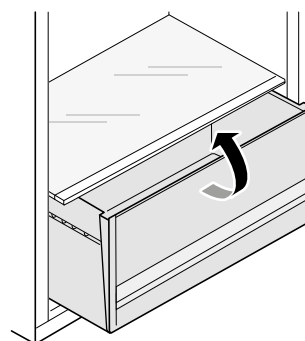
Do not use

- Bread wrappers
- Non-polyethylene plastic containers
- Containers without tight lids
- Wax paper or wax-coated freezer wrap
- Thin, semi-permeable wrap

## Drawer

### Removing/Assembling the Drawer

- 1 Remove the contents of the drawer. Hold the handle of the drawer and gently pull it out until the drawer stops completely.
- 2 Lift the drawer up and remove it by pulling it out.



- 3 Mount the drawer in the reverse order of the removal process.

### CAUTION

- The drawer will be heavy when full. To avoid injuries, remove all contents before removing/assembling the drawer.

## Refrigerator Shelves

The shelves in the refrigerator are adjustable to meet individual storage needs.

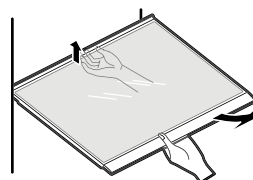
Adjusting the shelves to fit items of different heights will make finding the exact item you want easier.

### Detaching/Assembling Shelves

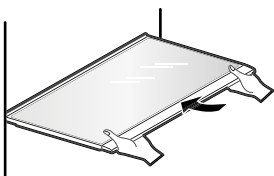
### CAUTION

- Do not clean glass shelves with warm water while they are cold. Shelves may break if exposed to sudden temperature changes or impact.

- 1 To detach, lift the rear of the shelf and pull the shelf out.



- 2 To assemble, slide the shelf into the guides until it stops.

**NOTE**

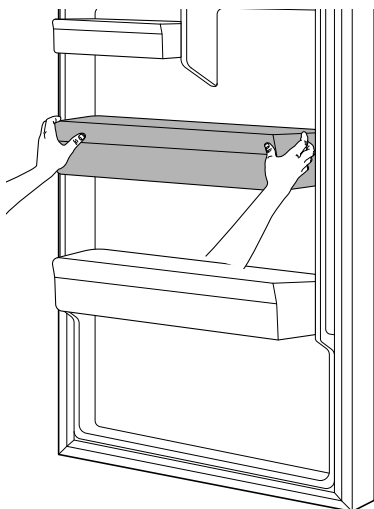
- Some bins may vary in appearance and will only fit in one location.
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## Door Bins

### Detaching/Assembling Door Bins

The door bins are removable for easy cleaning and adjustment.

- 1** To remove the bin, simply lift the bin up and pull straight out.



- 2** To assemble the bin, slide it in above the desired support and push down until it snaps into place.

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**⚠ CAUTION**

- Regularly detach and wash the storage bins and shelves; they can become easily contaminated by food.
  - Empty the bin before removing it.
  - Do not apply excessive force while detaching or assembling the storage bins.
  - Do not use the dishwasher to clean the storage bins and shelves.
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# MAINTENANCE

## Cleaning

### WARNING

- Use non-flammable cleaner. Failure to do so can result in fire, explosion, or death.

### CAUTION

- Do not use an abrasive cloth or sponge when cleaning the interior and exterior of the refrigerator.
- Do not place your hand on the bottom surface of the refrigerator when opening and closing the doors.

## General Cleaning Tips

- Both the refrigerator and freezer sections defrost automatically; however, clean both sections once a month to prevent odors.
- Wipe up spills immediately.
- Unplug the refrigerator or disconnect power before cleaning.
- Remove all removable parts, such as shelves.
- 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.

## Exterior

For products with black stainless steel exterior, spray glass cleaner on a clean microfiber cloth and rub in direction of grain. Do not spray glass cleaner directly at the display panel. Do not use harsh or abrasive cleaners.

For products with a standard stainless steel exterior, use a damp microfiber cloth and rub in the direction of the grain. Dry with a paper towel to avoid streaks. For stubborn stains and fingerprints, use a few drops of liquid dish soap in water, and rinse with hot water before drying. Do not use abrasive or harsh cleaners.

## Inside Walls

- Allow freezer to warm up so the cloth will not stick.

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

## Door Liners and Gaskets

Use a clean sponge or soft cloth and a mild detergent in warm water. Do not use cleaning waxes, concentrated detergents, bleaches, or cleaners containing petroleum on plastic refrigerator parts.

## Plastic Parts (Covers and Panels)

Use a clean sponge or soft cloth and a mild detergent in warm water. Do not use glass cleaners, abrasive cleansers, or flammable fluids. These can scratch or damage the material.

# TROUBLESHOOTING

## FAQs

### Frequently Asked Questions

**Q: What are the best temperature settings for my refrigerator and freezer?**

**A:** The default setting for the refrigerator is the middle setting on the control (number 3). The default setting for the freezer is the middle setting on the control (number 3). Adjust these settings as necessary to keep food at desired temperatures. Milk should be cold when stored on the inner shelf of the refrigerator. Ice cream should be firm and ice cubes should not melt in the freezer.

**Q: Why do I hear a buzzing noise from my refrigerator periodically?**

**A:** This may happen if you do not have a water source attached to your refrigerator and the icemaker is turned on. If you do not have a water source attached to the back of the refrigerator you should turn the icemaker off.

**Q: My refrigerator is powered on and the controls are working, but it's not cooling. What is wrong?**

**A:** The refrigerator is in Display Mode. The Display Mode disables all cooling in the refrigerator and freezer sections to conserve energy while on display in a retail store.

## Before Calling for Service

Review this section before calling for service; doing so will save you both time and money.

### Cooling

| Problem                                             | Possible Cause & Solution                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
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| <b>Refrigerator is not cooling or has no power.</b> | <b>The refrigerator control is set to OFF (some models).</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Turn the control ON. Refer to the Control Panel section for proper temperature settings.</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                              |
|                                                     | <b>Refrigerator is set to Demo Mode (some models).</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Demo Mode allows the lights and control display to work normally while disabling cooling, to save energy while the refrigerator is on the showroom floor. See the FAQs section of this manual for instructions on how to disable Demo Mode.</li> </ul> |
|                                                     | <b>Refrigerator is in the defrost cycle.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>During the defrost cycle, the temperature of each compartment may rise slightly. Wait 30 minutes and confirm the proper temperature has been restored once the defrost cycle has completed.</li> </ul>                                                           |
|                                                     | <b>Refrigerator was recently installed.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>It may take up to 24 hours for each compartment to reach the desired temperature.</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                      |
|                                                     | <b>Refrigerator was recently relocated.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>If the refrigerator was stored for a long period of time or moved on its side, it is necessary for the refrigerator to stand upright for 24 hours before connecting it to power.</li> </ul>                                                                       |
| <b>Cooling system runs too much.</b>                | <b>Refrigerator is replacing an older model.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Modern refrigerators require more operating time but use less energy due to more efficient technology.</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                            |
|                                                     | <b>Refrigerator was recently plugged in or power restored.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The refrigerator will take up to 24 hours to cool completely.</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                       |

| Problem                                                  | Possible Cause & Solution                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
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| <b>Cooling system runs too much.</b>                     | <b>The door is opened often or a large amount of food / hot food was added.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Adding food and opening the door warms the refrigerator, requiring the compressor to run longer in order to cool the refrigerator back down. In order to conserve energy, try to get everything you need out of the refrigerator at once, keep food organized so it is easy to find, and close the door as soon as the food is removed. (Refer to the Food Storage Guide.)</li> </ul> |
|                                                          | <b>Doors are not closed completely.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Firmly push the doors shut. If they will not shut all the way, see the "Doors will not close correctly or pop open" section in Troubleshooting.</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
|                                                          | <b>Refrigerator is installed in a hot location.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The compressor will run longer under warm conditions. At normal room temperatures (70 °F or 21 °C) expect your compressor to run about 40 % to 80 % of the time. Under warmer conditions, expect it to run even more often. The refrigerator should not be operated above 110 °F (43 °C).</li> </ul>                                                                                                              |
|                                                          | <b>Condenser / back cover is clogged.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Use a vacuum cleaner with an attachment to clean the condenser cover and vents. Do not remove the panel covering the condenser coil area.</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| <b>Interior moisture buildup.</b>                        | <b>Doors are opened often or for long periods of time.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>When the doors are opened often or for long periods of time, warm, humid air enters the compartment. This raises the temperature and moisture level within the compartment. To lessen the effect, reduce the frequency and duration of door openings.</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                           |
|                                                          | <b>Doors are not closed correctly.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>See the "Doors will not close correctly or pop open" section.</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
|                                                          | <b>Weather is humid.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Humid weather allows additional moisture to enter the compartments when the doors are opened leading to condensation or frost. Maintaining a reasonable level of humidity in the home will help to control the amount of moisture that can enter the compartments.</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                |
|                                                          | <b>Defrost cycle recently completed.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>During the defrost cycle, the temperature of each compartment may rise slightly and condensation may form on the back wall. Wait 30 minutes and confirm that the proper temperature has been restored once the defrost cycle has completed.</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                       |
|                                                          | <b>Food is not packaged correctly.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Food stored uncovered or unwrapped, and damp containers can lead to moisture accumulation within each compartment. Wipe all containers dry and store food in sealed packaging to prevent condensation and frost.</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| <b>Food is freezing in the refrigerator compartment.</b> | <b>Food with high water content was placed near an air vent.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Rearrange items with high water content away from air vents.</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
|                                                          | <b>Refrigerator temperature control is set incorrectly.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>If the temperature is too cold, adjust the control one increment at a time and wait for the temperature to stabilize. Refer to the Control Panel section for more information.</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
|                                                          | <b>Refrigerator is installed in a cold location.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>When the refrigerator is operated at temperatures below 38 °F (3 °C), food can freeze in the refrigerator compartment. The refrigerator should not be operated at temperatures below 38 °F (3 °C).</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| <b>Refrigerator or Freezer section is too cold.</b>      | <b>Incorrect temperature control settings.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>If the temperature is too cold, adjust the control one increment at a time and wait for the temperature to stabilize. Refer to the Control Panel for more information.</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |

| Problem                                                                      | Possible Cause & Solution                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
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| <b>Frost or ice crystals form on frozen food (inside of sealed package).</b> | <b>Condensation from food with a high water content has frozen inside of the food package.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This is normal for food items with a high water content.</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
|                                                                              | <b>Food has been left in the freezer for a long period of time.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Do not store food items with high water content in the freezer for a long period of time.</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| <b>Frost or ice crystals form on frozen food (outside of package).</b>       | <b>Door is opened frequently or for long periods of time.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>When the doors are opened often or for long periods of time, warm, humid air enters the compartment. This raises the temperature and moisture level within the compartment. Increased moisture will lead to frost and condensation. To lessen the effect, reduce the frequency and duration of door openings.</li> </ul> |
|                                                                              | <b>Door is not closing properly.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Refer to the "Doors will not close correctly or pop open" section in the Troubleshooting.</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| <b>Refrigerator or Freezer section is too warm.</b>                          | <b>Refrigerator was recently installed.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>It may take up to 24 hours for each compartment to reach the desired temperature.</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
|                                                                              | <b>The air vents are blocked. Cold air circulates from the freezer to the fresh food section and back again through air vents in the wall dividing the two sections.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Locate air vents by using your hand to sense airflow and move all packages that block vents and restrict airflow. Rearrange items to allow air to flow throughout the compartment.</li> </ul>                 |
|                                                                              | <b>Doors are opened often or for long periods of time.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>When the doors are opened often or for long periods of time, warm, humid air enters the compartment. This raises the temperature and moisture level within the compartment. To lessen the effect, reduce the frequency and duration of door openings.</li> </ul>                                                            |
|                                                                              | <b>Unit is installed in a hot location.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The refrigerator should not be operated in temperatures above 110 °F (43 °C).</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
|                                                                              | <b>A large amount of food or hot food was added to either compartment.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Adding food warms the compartment requiring the cooling system to run. Allowing hot food to cool to room temperature before putting it in the refrigerator will reduce this effect.</li> </ul>                                                                                                              |
|                                                                              | <b>Doors are not closed correctly.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>See the "Doors will not close correctly or pop open" section in the Troubleshooting.</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
|                                                                              | <b>Temperature control is not set correctly.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>If the temperature is too warm, adjust the control one increment at a time and wait for the temperature to stabilize.</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
|                                                                              | <b>Defrost cycle has recently completed.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>During the defrost cycle, the temperature of each compartment may rise slightly and condensation may form on the back wall. Wait 30 minutes and confirm the proper temperature has been restored once the defrost cycle has completed.</li> </ul>                                                                                         |

## Ice

| Problem                                   | Possible Cause & Solution                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
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| <b>Icemaker is not making enough ice.</b> | <b>Doors are opened often or for long periods of time.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>If the doors of the unit are opened often, ambient air will warm the refrigerator which will prevent the unit from maintaining the set temperature. Lowering the refrigerator temperature can help, as well as not opening the doors as frequently.</li> </ul> |

| Problem                                   | Possible Cause & Solution                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
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| <b>Icemaker is not making enough ice.</b> | <b>Doors are not closed completely.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>If the doors are not properly closed, ice production will be affected. See the “Doors will not close correctly or pop open” section in Parts &amp; Features Troubleshooting for more information.</li> </ul> |
|                                           | <b>The temperature setting for the freezer is too warm.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The recommended temperature for the freezer compartment for normal ice production is 0°F. If the freezer temperature is warmer, ice production will be affected.</li> </ul>              |
| <b>Icemaker is not making ice</b>         | <b>Refrigerator was recently installed or icemaker recently connected.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>It may take up to 24 hours for each compartment to reach the desired temperature and for the icemaker to begin making ice.</li> </ul>                                     |
| <b>Ice has bad taste or odor.</b>         | <b>Ice has been stored for a long time.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ice that has been stored for too long will shrink, become cloudy, and may develop a stale taste. Throw away old ice and make a new supply.</li> </ul>                                                    |
|                                           | <b>The food has not been stored properly in either compartment.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Rewrap the food. Odors may migrate to the ice if food is not wrapped properly.</li> </ul>                                                                                        |
|                                           | <b>The interior of the refrigerator needs to be cleaned.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>See the Maintenance section for more information.</li> </ul>                                                                                                                            |
|                                           | <b>The ice storage bin needs to be cleaned.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Empty and wash the bin (discard old cubes). Make sure that the bin is completely dry before reinstalling it.</li> </ul>                                                                              |

## Parts & Features

| Problem                                            | Possible Cause & Solution                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
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| <b>Doors will not close correctly or pop open.</b> | <b>Food packages are blocking the door open.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Rearrange food containers to clear the door and door shelves.</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                    |
|                                                    | <b>Ice bin, crisper cover, pans, shelves, door bins, or baskets are out of position.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Push bins all the way in and put crisper cover, pans, shelves and baskets into their correct positions. See the Operation section for more information.</li> </ul>                  |
|                                                    | <b>The doors were removed during product installation and not properly replaced.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Remove and replace the doors according to the Removing and Replacing Refrigerator Handles and Doors section.</li> </ul>                                                                 |
|                                                    | <b>Refrigerator is not leveled properly.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>See Door Alignment in the Refrigeration Installation section to level refrigerator.</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                  |
| <b>Doors are difficult to open.</b>                | <b>The gaskets are dirty or sticky.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Clean the gaskets and the surfaces that they touch. Rub a thin coat of appliance polish or kitchen wax on the gaskets after cleaning.</li> </ul>                                                                                     |
|                                                    | <b>Door was recently closed.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>When you open the door, warmer air enters the refrigerator. As the warm air cools, it can create a vacuum. If the door is hard to open, wait one minute to allow the air pressure to equalize, then see if it opens more easily.</li> </ul> |
| <b>Refrigerator wobbles or seems unstable</b>      | <b>Leveling legs are not adjusted properly.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Refer to the Leveling section.</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                    |
|                                                    | <b>Floor is not level.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>It may be necessary to add shims under the leveling legs or rollers to complete installation.</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                          |

| Problem                                                        | Possible Cause & Solution                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
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| Lights do not work.                                            | <b>LED interior lighting failure.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The refrigerator compartment lamp is LED interior lighting, and service should be performed by a qualified technician.</li> </ul>                                               |
| The interior of the refrigerator is covered with dust or soot. | <b>The refrigerator is located near a fire source, such as a fireplace, chimney, or candle.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Make sure that the refrigerator is not located near a fire source, such as a fireplace, chimney or candle.</li> </ul> |

## Noises

| Problem                         | Possible Cause & Solution                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
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| Clicking                        | <b>The defrost control will click when the automatic defrost cycle begins and ends. The thermostat control (or refrigerator control on some models) will also click when cycling on and off.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Normal Operation</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                        |
| Rattling                        | <b>Rattling noises may come from the flow of refrigerant, the water line on the back of the unit, or items stored on top of or around the refrigerator.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Normal Operation</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
|                                 | <b>Refrigerator is not resting solidly on the floor.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Floor is weak or uneven or leveling legs need to be adjusted. See the Leveling section.</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
|                                 | <b>Refrigerator with linear compressor was jarred while running.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Normal Operation</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| Whooshing                       | <b>Evaporator fan motor is circulating air through the refrigerator and freezer compartments.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Normal Operation</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
|                                 | <b>Air is being forced over the condenser by the condenser fan.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Normal Operation</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| Gurgling                        | <b>Refrigerant flowing through the cooling system.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Normal Operation</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| Popping                         | <b>Contraction and expansion of the inside walls due to changes in temperature.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Normal Operation</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| Sizzling                        | <b>Water dripping on the defrost heater during a defrost cycle.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Normal Operation</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| Vibrating                       | <b>If the side or back of the refrigerator is touching a cabinet or wall, some of the normal vibrations may make an audible sound.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To eliminate the noise, make sure that the sides and back cannot vibrate against any wall or cabinet.</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                             |
| Dripping                        | <b>Water running into the drain pan during the defrost cycle.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Normal Operation</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| Pulsating or high-pitched sound | <b>Your refrigerator is designed to run more efficiently to keep your food items at the desired temperature. The high efficiency compressor may cause your new refrigerator to run longer than your old one, but it is still more energy efficient than previous models. While the refrigerator is running, it is normal to hear a pulsating or high-pitched sound.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Normal Operation</li> </ul> |

# LIMITED WARRANTY

## USA

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| WARRANTY PERIOD                                        |                                                                           |                                                          |                                                                                                                                          |
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| Refrigerator/Freezer                                   | Sealed System<br>(Condenser, Dryer,<br>Connecting Tube and<br>Evaporator) | Compressor                                               |                                                                                                                                          |
| One (1) year from the date of original retail purchase | Five (5) years from the date of original retail purchase                  | Five (5) years from the date of original retail purchase | Linear / Inverter Compressor Only : Parts Only for years 6-10 from the date of original retail purchase (You will be charged for labor.) |
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- Any noises associated with normal operation.
- Products used for other than normal and proper household use (e.g., commercial or industrial use) or contrary to the Product owner's manual.
- Costs associated with removal and reinstallation of the Product for repairs, or the removal and reinstallation of the Product if it is installed in an inaccessible location or not installed in accordance with the Product Owner's manual.
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## **PROCEDURE FOR RESOLVING DISPUTES:**

ALL DISPUTES BETWEEN YOU AND LG ARISING OUT OF OR RELATING IN ANY WAY TO THIS LIMITED WARRANTY OR THE PRODUCT SHALL BE RESOLVED EXCLUSIVELY THROUGH BINDING ARBITRATION, AND NOT IN A COURT OF GENERAL JURISDICTION. BINDING ARBITRATION MEANS THAT YOU AND LG ARE EACH WAIVING THE RIGHT TO A JURY TRIAL AND TO BRING OR PARTICIPATE IN A CLASS ACTION.

**Definitions.** For the purposes of this section, references to "LG" mean LG Electronics U.S.A., Inc., its parents, subsidiaries and affiliates, and each of their officers, directors, employees, agents, beneficiaries, predecessors in interest, successors, assigns and suppliers; references to "dispute" or "claim" shall include any dispute, claim or controversy of any kind whatsoever (whether based in contract, tort, statute, regulation, ordinance, fraud, misrepresentation or any other legal or equitable theory) arising out of or relating in any way to the sale, condition or performance of the product or this Limited Warranty.

**Notice of Dispute.** In the event you intend to commence an arbitration proceeding, you must first notify LG in writing at least 30 days in advance of initiating the arbitration by sending a letter to LG at LG Electronics, USA, Inc. Attn: Legal Department- Arbitration 111 Sylvan Avenue, Englewood Cliffs, NJ 07632. You and LG agree to engage in good faith discussions in an attempt to amicably resolve your claim. The notice must provide your name, address, and telephone number; identify the product that is the subject of the claim; and describe the nature of the claim and the relief being sought. If you and LG are unable to resolve the dispute within 30 days, either party may proceed to file a claim for arbitration.

**Agreement to Binding Arbitration and Class Action Waiver.** Upon failure to resolve the dispute during the 30 day period after sending written notice to LG, you and LG agree to resolve any claims between us only by binding arbitration on an individual basis, unless you opt out as provided below. Any dispute between you and LG shall not be combined or consolidated with a dispute involving any other person's or entity's product or claim. More specifically, without limitation of the foregoing, any dispute between you and LG shall not under any circumstances proceed as part of a class or representative action. Instead of arbitration, either party may bring an individual action in small claims court, but that small claims court action may not be brought on a class or representative basis.

**Arbitration Rules and Procedures.** To begin arbitration of a claim, either you or LG must make a written demand for arbitration. The arbitration will be administered by the American Arbitration Association ("AAA") and will be conducted before a single arbitrator under the AAA's Consumer Arbitration Rules that are in effect at the time the arbitration is initiated (referred to as the "AAA Rules") and under the procedures set forth in this section. The AAA Rules are available online at [www.adr.org/consumer](http://www.adr.org/consumer). Send a copy of your written demand for arbitration, as well as a copy of this provision, to the AAA in the manner described in the AAA Rules. You must also send a copy of your written demand to LG at LG Electronics, USA, Inc. Attn: Legal Department- Arbitration 111 Sylvan Avenue, Englewood Cliffs, NJ 07632. If there is a conflict between the AAA Rules and the rules set forth in this section, the rules set forth in this section will govern. This arbitration provision is governed by the Federal Arbitration Act. Judgment may be entered on the arbitrator's award in any court of competent jurisdiction. All issues are for the arbitrator to decide, except that issues relating to the scope and enforceability of the arbitration provision and to the arbitrability of the dispute are for the court to decide. The arbitrator is bound by the terms of this provision.

**Governing Law.** The law of the state of your residence shall govern this Limited Warranty and any disputes between us except to the extent that such law is preempted by or inconsistent with applicable federal law.

**Fees/Costs.** You do not need to pay any fee to begin an arbitration. Upon receipt of your written demand for arbitration, LG will promptly pay all arbitration filing fees to the AAA unless you seek more than \$25,000 in damages, in which case the payment of these fees will be governed by the AAA Rules. Except as otherwise provided for herein, LG will pay all AAA filing, administration and arbitrator fees for any arbitration initiated in accordance with the AAA Rules and this arbitration provision. If you prevail in the arbitration, LG will pay your attorneys' fees and expenses as long as they are reasonable, by considering factors including, but not limited to, the purchase amount and claim amount. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if applicable law allows for an award of reasonable attorneys' fees and expenses, an arbitrator can award them to the same extent that a court would. If the arbitrator finds either the substance of your claim or the relief sought in the demand is frivolous or brought for an improper purpose (as measured by the standards set forth in Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 11(b)), then the payment of all arbitration fees will be governed by the AAA Rules. In such a situation, you agree to reimburse LG for all monies previously disbursed by it that are otherwise your obligation to pay under the AAA Rules. Except as otherwise provided for, LG waives any rights it may have to seek attorneys' fees and expenses from you if LG prevails in the arbitration.

**Hearings and Location.** If your claim is for \$25,000 or less, you may choose to have the arbitration conducted solely on the basis of (1) documents submitted to the arbitrator, (2) through a telephonic hearing, or (3) by an in-person hearing as established by the AAA Rules. If your claim exceeds \$25,000, the right to a hearing will be determined by the AAA Rules. Any in-person arbitration hearings will be held at a location within the federal judicial district in which you reside unless we both agree to another location or we agree to a telephonic arbitration.

**Opt Out.** You may opt out of this dispute resolution procedure. If you opt out, neither you nor LG can require the other to participate in an arbitration proceeding. To opt out, you must send notice to LG no later than 30 calendar days from the date of the first consumer purchaser's purchase of the product by either: (i) sending an e-mail to [optout@lge.com](mailto:optout@lge.com), with the subject line: "Arbitration Opt Out" or (ii) calling 1-

800-980-2973. You must include in the opt out e-mail or provide by telephone: (a) your name and address; (b) the date on which the product was purchased; (c) the product model name or model number; and (d) the serial number (the serial number can be found (i) on the product; or (ii) online by accessing <https://www.lg.com/us/support/repair-service/schedule-repair-continued> and clicking on "Find My Model & Serial Number").

You may only opt out of the dispute resolution procedure in the manner described above (that is, by e-mail or telephone); no other form of notice will be effective to opt out of this dispute resolution procedure. Opting out of this dispute resolution procedure will not affect the coverage of the Limited Warranty in any way, and you will continue to enjoy the full benefits of the Limited Warranty. If you keep this product and do not opt out, then you accept all terms and conditions of the arbitration provision described above.

# CANADA

## TERMS AND CONDITIONS

**ARBITRATION NOTICE: THIS LIMITED WARRANTY CONTAINS AN ARBITRATION PROVISION THAT REQUIRES YOU AND LG TO RESOLVE DISPUTES BY BINDING ARBITRATION INSTEAD OF IN COURT, UNLESS THE LAWS OF YOUR PROVINCE OR TERRITORY DO NOT PERMIT THAT, OR, IN OTHER JURISDICTIONS, IF YOU CHOOSE TO OPT OUT. IN ARBITRATION, CLASS ACTIONS AND JURY TRIALS ARE NOT PERMITTED. PLEASE SEE THE SECTION TITLED "PROCEDURE FOR RESOLVING DISPUTES" BELOW.**

Should your LG Refrigerator ("Product") fail due to a defect in materials or workmanship under normal and proper use, during the warranty period set forth below, LG Electronics Canada, Inc. ("LGECI") will, at its option, repair, replace or pro rate the Product upon receipt of proof of the original retail purchase. This limited warranty is valid only to the original retail purchaser of the Product and applies only to a Product distributed, purchased from an authorized retailer and used within Canada, as determined at the sole discretion of LGECI.

| <b>WARRANTY PERIOD (Note: If the original date of purchase cannot be verified, the warranty will begin sixty (60) days from the date of manufacture)</b> |                                                                         |                                                           |                                                          |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Refrigerator</b>                                                                                                                                      | <b>Sealed System (Condenser, Dryer, Connecting Tube and Evaporator)</b> |                                                           | <b>Linear / Inverter Compressor</b>                      |
| One (1) year from the date of original retail purchase                                                                                                   | One (1) year from the date of original retail purchase                  | Seven (7) years from the date of original retail purchase | Ten (10) years from the date of original retail purchase |
| Parts and Labor (internal/ functional parts only)                                                                                                        | Parts and Labor                                                         | Parts only (Consumer will be charged for labor)           | Part only (Consumer will be charged for labor)           |

- Replacement products and parts are warranted for the remaining portion of the original warranty period or ninety (90) days, whichever is greater.
- Replacement products and parts may be new, reconditioned, refurbished, or otherwise factory remanufactured, all at the sole discretion of LGECI.
- Proof of original retail purchase specifying the Product model and date of purchase is required to obtain warranty service under this Limited Warranty.

**LGECI'S SOLE LIABILITY IS LIMITED TO THE LIMITED WARRANTY SET OUT ABOVE. EXCEPT AS EXPRESSLY PROVIDED ABOVE, LGECI MAKES NO, AND HEREBY DISCLAIMS, ALL OTHER WARRANTIES AND CONDITIONS RESPECTING THE PRODUCT, WHETHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO, ANY IMPLIED WARRANTY OR CONDITION OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE, AND NO REPRESENTATIONS SHALL BE BINDING ON LGECI. LGECI DOES NOT AUTHORIZE ANY PERSON TO CREATE OR ASSUME FOR IT ANY OTHER WARRANTY OBLIGATION OR LIABILITY IN CONNECTION WITH THE PRODUCT. TO THE EXTENT THAT ANY WARRANTY OR CONDITION IS IMPLIED BY LAW, IT IS LIMITED TO THE WARRANTY PERIOD SET OUT ABOVE. UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES SHALL LGECI, THE MANUFACTURER OR DISTRIBUTOR OF THE PRODUCT, BE LIABLE FOR ANY INCIDENTAL, CONSEQUENTIAL, SPECIAL, DIRECT, INDIRECT, PUNITIVE OR EXEMPLARY DAMAGES, INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, LOSS OF GOODWILL, LOST PROFITS, LOSS OF ANTICIPATED PROFITS, LOST REVENUE, LOSS OF USE, OR ANY OTHER DAMAGE, WHETHER ARISING DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY FROM ANY CONTRACTUAL BREACH, FUNDAMENTAL BREACH, TORT OR OTHERWISE, OR FROM ANY ACTS OR OMISSIONS. LGECI'S TOTAL LIABILITY, IF ANY, SHALL NOT EXCEED THE PURCHASE PRICE PAID BY YOU FOR THE PRODUCT.**

This Limited Warranty gives you specific legal rights. You may also have other rights that vary from province to province depending on applicable provincial laws. Any term of this Limited Warranty that negates or varies any implied condition or warranty under provincial law is severable where it conflicts with such provincial law without affecting the remainder of this warranty's terms.

**THIS LIMITED WARRANTY DOES NOT COVER:**

- Service trips to i) deliver, pick up, or install or; educate on how to operate the Product; ii) correct wiring or plumbing; or iii) correct unauthorized repairs or installations of the Product;
- Damage or failure of the Product to perform during power failures and interrupted or inadequate electrical service;
- Damage or failure caused by leaky or broken water pipes, frozen water pipes, restricted drain lines, inadequate or interrupted water supply or inadequate supply of air;
- Damage or failure resulting from operating the Product in a corrosive atmosphere or contrary to the instructions outlined in the Product's owner's manual;
- Damage or failure to the Product caused by accidents, pests and vermin, lightning, wind, fire, floods, acts of God, or any other causes beyond the control of LGECI or the manufacturer;
- Damage or failure resulting from misuse, abuse, improper installation, repair, or maintenance of the Product. Improper repair includes use of parts not authorized or specified by LGECI. Improper installation or maintenance includes installation or maintenance contrary to the Product's owner's manual;
- Damage or failure caused by unauthorized modification or alteration of the Product, or if used for other than the intended household purpose/use of the Product, or damage or failure resulting from any water leakage due to improper installation of the Product;
- Damage or failure caused by incorrect electrical current, voltage or plumbing codes;
- Damage or failure caused by use that is other than normal household use, including, without limitation, commercial or industrial use, including use in commercial offices or recreational facilities, or as otherwise outlined in the Product's owner's manual;
- Damage or failure caused by the use of any accessories, components or cleaning products, including, without limitation, water filters, that are not approved/authorized by LGECI;
- Replacement of the water filter cartridge due to water pressure that is outside the specified operating range or due to excessive sediment in the water supply;
- Damage or failure caused by transportation and handling, including scratches, dents, chips and/or other damage to the finish of the Product, unless such damage results from defects in materials or workmanship and is reported to LGECI within one (1) week of delivery of the Products;
- Damage or missing items to any display, open box, refurbished or discounted Product;
- Refurbished Product or any Product sold "As Is", "Where Is", "With all Faults", or any similar disclaimer;
- Products with original serial numbers that have been removed, altered or cannot be readily determined at the discretion of LGECI;
- Increases in utility costs and additional utility expenses in any way associated with the Product;
- Any noises associated with normal operation of the Product;
- Replacement of light bulbs, filters, fuses or any other consumable parts;
- Replacement of any part that was not originally included with the Product;
- Costs associated with removal and/or reinstallation of the Product for repairs; and
- Shelves, door bins, drawers, handle and accessories to the Product, except for internal/functional parts covered under this Limited Warranty.
- Coverage for "in Home" repairs, for products in-warranty, will be provided if the Product is within a 150 km radius from the nearest authorized service center (ASC), as determined by LG Canada. If your Product is located outside a 150 km radius from a ASC, as determined by LG Canada, it will be your responsibility to bring the Product, at your sole expense, to the ASC for in-warranty repair.

**All costs and expenses associated with the above excluded circumstances, listed under the heading, This Limited Warranty Does Not Cover, shall be borne by the consumer.**

TO OBTAIN WARRANTY SERVICE AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL OR VISIT OUR WEBSITE:

Call 1-888-542-2623 and select the appropriate option from the menu, or visit our website at <http://www.lg.com>

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**Notice of Dispute.** In the event you intend to commence an arbitration proceeding, you must first notify LG in writing at least 30 days in advance of initiating the arbitration by sending a letter to LGECI Legal Team at 20 Norelco Drive, North York, Ontario, Canada M9L 2X6 (the “Notice of Dispute”). You and LG agree to engage in good faith discussions in an attempt to amicably resolve your claim. The notice must provide your name, address, and telephone number; identify the product that is the subject of the claim; and describe the nature of the claim and the relief being sought. If you and LG are unable to resolve the dispute within 30 days of LG’s receipt of the Notice of Dispute, the dispute shall be resolved by binding arbitration in accordance with the procedure set out herein. You and LG both agree that, during the arbitration proceeding, the terms (including any amount) of any settlement offer made by either you or LG will not be disclosed to the arbitrator until the arbitrator determines the dispute.

**Agreement to Binding Arbitration and Class Action Waiver.** Upon failure to resolve the dispute during the 30 day period after LG’s receipt of the Notice of Dispute, you and LG agree to resolve any claims between you and LG only by binding arbitration on an individual basis, unless you opt out as provided below, or you reside in a jurisdiction that prevents full application of this clause in the circumstances of the claims at issue (in which case if you are a consumer, this clause will only apply if you expressly agree to the arbitration). To the extent permitted by applicable law, any dispute between you and LG shall not be combined or consolidated with a dispute involving any other person’s or entity’s product or claim. More specifically, without limitation of the foregoing, except to the extent such a prohibition is not permitted at law, any dispute between you and LG shall not under any circumstances proceed as part of a class or representative action. Instead of arbitration, either party may bring an individual action in small claims court, but that small claims court action may not be brought on a class or representative basis except to the extent this prohibition is not permitted at law in your province or territory of jurisdiction as it relates to the claims at issue between you and LG.

**Arbitration Rules and Procedures.** To begin arbitration of a claim, either you or LG must make a written demand for arbitration. The arbitration will be private and confidential, and conducted on a simplified and expedited basis before a single arbitrator chosen by the parties under the provincial or territorial commercial arbitration law and rules of the province or territory of your residence. You must also send a copy of your written demand to LG at LG Electronics, Canada, Inc., Attn: Legal Department- Arbitration, 20 Norelco Drive, North York, Ontario M9L 2X6. This arbitration provision is governed by your applicable provincial or territorial commercial arbitration legislation. Judgment may be entered on the arbitrator’s award in any court of competent jurisdiction. All issues are for the arbitrator to decide, except that, issues relating to the scope and enforceability of the arbitration provision and to the arbitrability of the dispute are for the court to decide. The arbitrator is bound by the terms of this provision.

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considering factors including, but not limited to, the purchase amount and claim amount. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if applicable law allows for an award of reasonable attorneys' fees and expenses, an arbitrator can award them to the same extent that a court would. If the arbitrator finds either the substance of your claim or the relief sought in the demand is frivolous or brought for an improper purpose (as measured by the applicable laws), then the payment of all arbitration fees will be governed by the applicable arbitration rules. In such a situation, you agree to reimburse LG for all monies previously disbursed by it that are otherwise your obligation to pay under the applicable arbitration rules. Except as otherwise provided for, LG waives any rights it may have to seek attorneys' fees and expenses from you if LG prevails in the arbitration.

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**Severability and Waiver.** If any portion of this Limited Warranty (including these arbitration procedures) is unenforceable, the remaining provisions will continue in full force and effect to the maximum extent permitted by applicable law. Should LG fail to enforce strict performance of any provision of this Limited Warranty (including these arbitration procedures), it does not mean that LG intends to waive or has waived any provision or part of this Limited Warranty.

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In the event that you "Opt Out", the law of the province or territory of your residence shall govern this Limited Warranty and any disputes between you and LG except to the extent that such law is preempted by or inconsistent with applicable federal or provincial/territorial law. Should arbitration not be permitted for any claim, action, dispute or controversy between you and LG, you and LG agree to attorn to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of the province or territory of your residence for the resolution of the claim, action, dispute or controversy between you and LG.

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**Conflict of Terms.** In the event of a conflict or inconsistency between the terms of this Limited Warranty and the End User License Agreement ("EULA") in regards to dispute resolution, the terms of this Limited Warranty shall control and govern the rights and obligations of the parties and shall take precedence over the EULA.





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