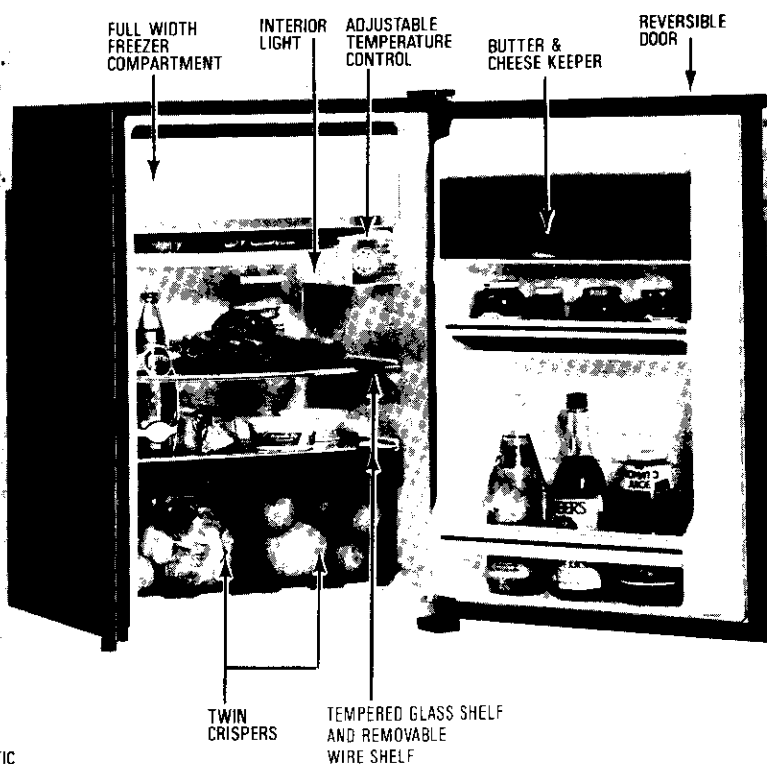


# Refrigerator owner's guide



Please read the enclosed instructions to become better acquainted with your new model. In order to prevent unnecessary service calls, refer to the self-service checklist. If you do need service, be sure to report the model and serial number to the service man. They are found on the serial plate located on the back of the cabinet. Here is a convenient place to record these numbers.

MODEL NO. \_\_\_\_\_

SERIAL NO. \_\_\_\_\_

# INTRODUCTION

This quality Home Appliance was designed, engineered, and manufactured to the highest standards. Please read these instructions carefully to become better acquainted with it.

## INSTALLATION

### LOCATION

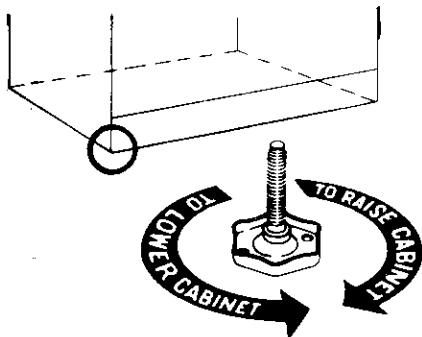
If possible, place your model out of direct sunlight and away from heat sources such as a radiator, or range.

Your model should be installed where the temperature will not go below 55° F., so it will run frequently enough to maintain proper temperatures in the freezer.

The condenser tubing on the cabinet back requires ventilation over its coils. Leave about one inch width clearance to adjacent walls. At least two inches should be left between the top and overhanging cabinets. Three inches must be left between the back and the wall.

### LEVELING IS IMPORTANT

A refrigerator will not operate properly unless it is level and rests firmly on all four



corners. There is a leveling screw at the front left corner of the cabinet that can be adjusted as required.

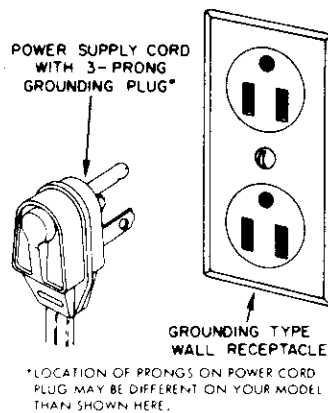
### ELECTRICAL CONNECTION

A nominal 115 volt, 60 cycle AC only, 15 ampere fused electrical supply is required (time delay fuse or circuit breaker is recommended). It should be a separate, grounded circuit, serving this appliance only. Do not use an extension cord.

### Grounding Method

This appliance is factory equipped with a power supply cord with a three-pronged grounding plug. It must be plugged into a mating grounding type receptacle in accordance with the National Electrical Code and applicable local codes and ordinances. If the circuit does not have a grounding type receptacle, it is the responsibility and obligation of the customer to change the existing receptacle in accordance with the National Electrical Code and applicable local codes and ordinances. *The third ground prong should not, under any circumstances, be cut or removed.*

All U.L. listed refrigerators and freezers are equipped with this type plug.



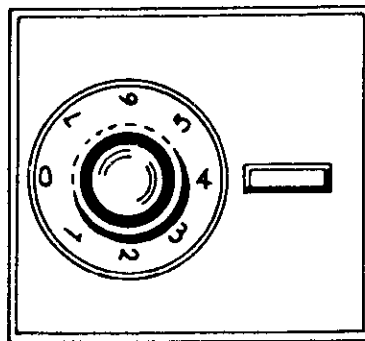
### SAFETY REMINDER

If you are not going to use your old refrigerator, be sure to REMOVE THE DOORS so a child won't be accidentally trapped inside and suffocate. This is required by law in many communities.

## OPERATION

### SETTING THE CONTROL

One control regulates temperature in both the fresh and frozen food sections. Set the control to Position "4" to start. You may want to adjust the temperature after a day or two of operation; however, positions "3" and "4" are generally the best positions. For a colder temperature, turn the control to a higher number. The control need not be set directly on a number, as it will operate either on or between settings. Do not operate your refrigerator at its coldest setting—position "7"—for more than a few hours at one time; it may damage fresh foods. Before placing any food in your new refrigerator, allow the unit to operate for several hours until it is cold in the cabinet.



Note that Position "0" is the OFF position and the unit will not operate at this setting.

## FEATURES

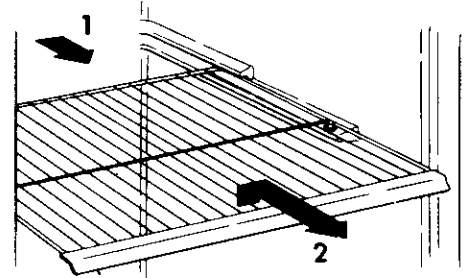
### FRUIT & VEGETABLE CRISPERS

The fruit and vegetable crispers slide out for easy access to foods stored within. They are completely removable for cleaning or for use elsewhere in your kitchen. The crisper cover also serves as refrigerator storage shelves. To remove the cover for cleaning, lift the front edge and pull straight out.

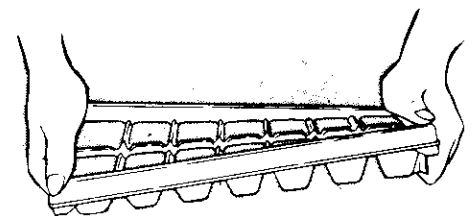
Keep your crispers tightly closed to insure crispness and freshness. Storing leafy vegetables, such as celery and lettuce in plastic bags reduces the evaporation of moisture.

### SHELVES

SLIDE-OUT SHELVES move on plastic rails and may be easily pulled forward for access to foods placed toward the rear. To



remove a slide-out shelf, pull it toward you until it stops, lift the front edge and pull completely out.



### ICE CUBE TRAYS

To release ice cubes from your flexible ice trays, twist the ends as shown.

### REVERSIBLE DOORS

You can change from right- to left-hand opening easily. Simply switch hinges to the other side, relocating door handle, then replace the door.

## CLEANING

### CONDENSER

The condenser tubing on the back of the cabinet doesn't require frequent cleaning. However, satisfactory refrigeration depends on adequate ventilation over the tubing, so you should make sure that nothing obstructs the space above the condenser, or falls down behind the cabinet and wedges against the tubing. Brush or vacuum lint and dirt from the tubing at least twice a year.

### OUTSIDE

Wash regularly with mild soap and water. Rinse with clear water. Never use abrasive scouring powders, automobile polish or furniture polish. Glass Wax or a similar product will clean and protect the finish satisfactorily.

### INSIDE

Clean both compartments and inner door panels with mild soap and water. Do not use an abrasive powder, solvent, polish cleaner or undiluted detergent.

### DOOR GASKET

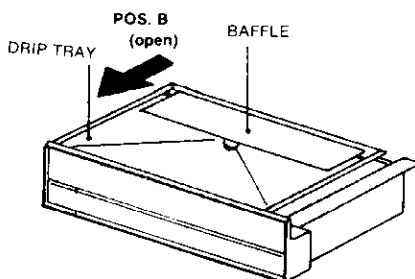
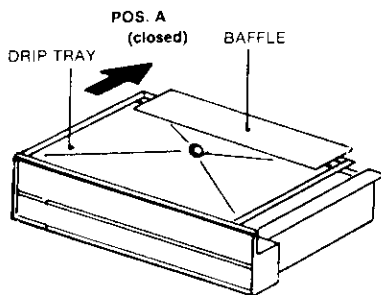
Your door gasket is vinyl. It may be cleaned with soap and water, a baking soda solution or with a mild scouring powder.

## DEFROSTING

We recommend that you defrost the freezer when the frost becomes about 1/4" thick. Heavier frost will reduce the refrigerating efficiency.

- Do not turn the refrigerator off.
- Remove all food from the freezer compartment.
- For units with the meat keeper pan, empty the pan and put it back in place. For units without the meat keeper pan, place an empty container on the shelf below the divider to collect the defrosted water.
- Most of the single door models are equipped with a push-button defrosting system. Push the defrost button on these units and this will automatically begin the defrost cycle. The defrost button is located at the center of the temperature control knob. Remove the plug on the bottom of the tray beneath the evaporator pan.
- The defrosting cycle will automatically stop when the refrigerator has been completely defrosted. Empty the pan as it fills with water.
- The refrigerator will automatically restart when the defrost cycle has been completed. DO NOT push the defrost button a second time.

In most single door models, the drip tray has a two-position temperature control baffle located at the rear. The purpose of the baffle is to control temperatures in the freezer or in the fresh food section. When colder temperatures are desired in the freezer, close the temperature control baffle (Pos. A). The open position (Pos. B) should be used when colder temperatures are desired in the fresh food section.



## POWER FAILURE

Most power failures are corrected in an hour or two and will not affect your refrigerator temperatures. However, you should minimize the number of door openings while the power is off.

During power failures of longer duration, take steps to protect your frozen food by placing blocks of dry ice on top of the packages.

## REPLACING LIGHT BULB

IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT YOU DISCONNECT THE POWER CORD BEFORE ATTEMPTING LIGHT BULB REPLACEMENT.

ALWAYS USE A 40 WATT, STANDARD BASE, APPLIANCE TYPE BULB WHEN REPLACING A LIGHT.

## GOING ON VACATION?

If you will be gone for a month or less, leave the control knob at its usual setting.

During longer absences, (a) remove all food, (b) disconnect from electrical outlet, (c) clean the refrigerator thoroughly, (d) leave door open to prevent odor formation.

## IF YOU NEED SERVICE

The model number, serial number and bill of material (BM) number of your model are listed on a serial plate on the back of the unit. We suggest you record these numbers in the space provided on the front of this Owner's Manual. Refer to all of these numbers in any correspondence with your dealer or distributor concerning your model.

## AVOID UNNECESSARY SERVICE CALLS

BEFORE CALLING A SERVICEMAN, CHECK THE FOLLOWING LIST FOR POSSIBLE TROUBLES THAT YOU YOURSELF CAN REMEDY WITHOUT DIFFICULTY.

### ODOR IN CABINET

- Odor producing foods should be covered
- Interior needs cleaning

### NOISY OPERATION

- Cabinet not level
- Weak floor
- Dishes rattling against each other

### CABINET VIBRATES

- Cabinet not level
- Weak floor

### CABINET LIGHT NOT WORKING

- Bulb burned out
- No power at outlet

### REFRIGERATOR WON'T RUN

- Temperature control turned to OFF
- Line cord not plugged in
- No power at electrical outlet
- House fuse blown

### REFRIGERATOR RUNS TOO LONG

- Modern refrigerators are larger and run colder, which requires more running time.
- Prolonged door openings
- Control set too cold
- Condenser needs cleaning
- Poor air circulation around condenser

### REFRIGERATOR RUNS TOO FREQUENTLY

- Frequent running provides more stable temperatures
- Too many door openings
- Prolonged door openings

### FROZEN FOODS DRY OUT

- Packages are not wrapped or sealed properly

### MOISTURE COLLECTS INSIDE

- Too many door openings
- Prolonged door openings
- Hot, humid weather increases condensation

### MOISTURE COLLECTS ON OUTSIDE SURFACE

- Hot, humid weather increases condensation. As humidity decreases, moisture will disappear

### HEAVY FROST IN FREEZER

- Frequent door openings
- Prolonged door openings
- Hot, humid weather increases frost build-up

## IF YOUR APPLIANCE DOES NOT OPERATE SATISFACTORILY, FOLLOW THESE FOUR STEPS IN ORDER

**1. Check the things you can do yourself.** These include being sure the appliance is plugged firmly into an appropriate receptacle, checking the fuse and replacing it if necessary. Reread the instruction book to insure that all controls are set properly and recommendations followed. By doing this you can save money. Many unnecessary service calls result in the service technician doing what the owner could have done himself.

**2. Check your dealer or the repair service he recommends:** Follow the procedure outlined under "To Secure Warranty Service" in the warranty.

**3. Contact our National Parts & Service headquarters if a satisfactory solution to problem is not reached in steps 1 and 2.** Write to Master Care Division, Consumer Relations Department, P.O. Box 2845, Bloomington, Illinois 61701, or call 309-827-0002. Be sure to include the following: The model number of your appliance, serial number of your appliance, purchase date, dealer's name and address, and the name and address of the last service company that serviced your appliance.

**4. If you are not satisfied with the service provided,** write to MACAP, the Major Appliance Consumer Action Panel. MACAP is a group of consumer experts voicing views at the highest levels of the major appliance industry. MACAP receives comments and complaints from appliance owners, studies industry practices, and advises industry of ways to improve its service to customers. Write to MACAP, 20 North Wacker Drive, Chicago, Illinois 60606. Be sure to include your name, address and telephone number, kind of appliance, brand, model number, date purchased, serial number, dealer's name and address, servicing agent's name and address if different from dealer's, location of appliance, and clearly describe the problem and service required.



Total volumes and shelf areas are established according to standards set by the Association of Home Appliance Manufacturers.



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