



User's Manual

Compact Refrigerator

REF 113-31 SS

Before using your product, please read this manual carefully and keep it for future reference.



Dear customer:

Thank you for buying this refrigerator. To ensure that you get the best results from your new refrigerator, please take time to read through the simple instructions in this booklet.

Please ensure that the packing material is disposed in accordance with the current environmental requirements.

When disposing any refrigerator equipment please contact your local waste disposal department for advice on safe disposal.

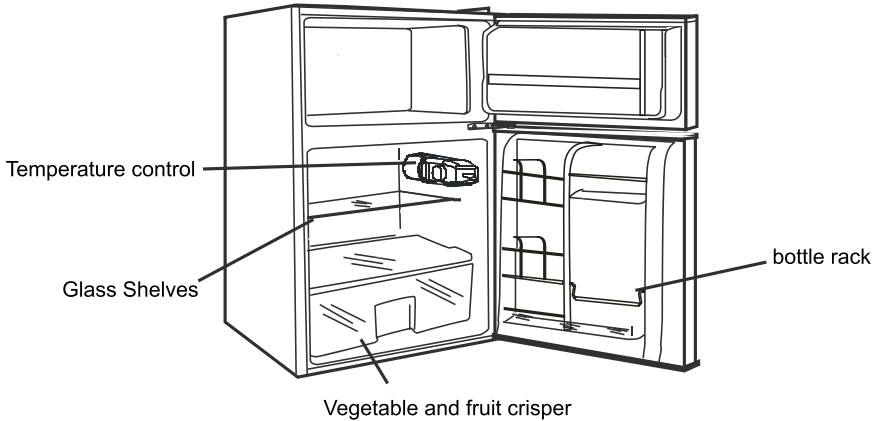
This appliance must only be used for its intended purpose.

CAUTION:

The appliance is not intended for use by young children or infirm persons without supervision.

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

Main configuration:



WARNING

- Keep ventilation openings, in the appliance enclosure or in the built-in structure, clear of obstruction.
- Do not use mechanical devices or other means to accelerate the defrosting process, other than those recommended by the manufacturer.
- Do not damage the refrigerant circuit.
- Do not use electrical appliances inside the food storage compartments of the appliance, unless they are of the type recommended by the manufacturer;
- The appliance has to be unplugged after use and before carrying out user maintenance on the appliance.

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

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

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

--- No extension cords used.

---Danger: Risk of child entrapment. Before you throw away your old refrigerator or freezer:

·Take off the doors

·Leave the shelves in place so that children may not easily climb inside

INSTALLING YOUR REFRIGERATOR

UNPACKING YOUR REFRIGERATOR

WARNING: There should be two or more people to move refrigerator. Fail to do so can result in back injury or other injuries.

·Remove tape and any labels from your refrigerator before using (except the rating label).

·To remove any remaining tape or glue, rub the area briskly with your thumb. Tape or glue residue can also be easily removed by rubbing a small amount of liquid dish soap over the adhesive with your fingers. Wipe with warm water and

dry.

- Do not use sharp instruments, rubbing alcohol, flammable fluids, or abrasive cleaners to remove tape or glue. These products can damage the surface of your refrigerator.
- When moving the refrigerator, do not tilt the refrigerator beyond 45° from upright position.

CLEANING BEFORE USE

After removing all of the packaging materials, clean the inside of your refrigerator before using it.

SPACE REQUIREMENTS

WARNING: Keep flammable materials and vapors, such as gasoline, away from refrigerator.

Fail to do so can result in death, explosion, or burns.

- To ensure proper ventilation for your refrigerator, allow for 200mm space on each side between walls, 100mm space between back of your refrigerator and the wall, and 300mm space between counter top and the roof or ceiling.
- If you are installing your refrigerator next to a fixed wall, leave sufficient space on the hinge side to allow for the door to swing open.
- Never install your refrigerator near heat source and direct sun shine.

ELECTRICAL REQUIREMENT

WARNING: DO NOT REMOVE GROUND PRONG.

DO NOT USE AN ADAPTOR.

DO NOT USE EXTENSION CORD.

Failure to follow these instructions can result in death, fire or electrical shock.

Before you move your refrigerator into its final location, it is important to make sure you have the proper electrical connection.

Recommended Earthing Method

A 115 Volt /60 Hz AC only 10 ampere fused and properly earthed electrical supply is required. It is recommended that a separate circuit serving only this appliance be provided. Use receptacles which cannot be turned off with a switch or pull chain. Do not use an extension cord.

NOTE: Before performing any type of installation, cleaning, or removing a light bulb, turn the refrigerator control to OFF and then disconnect the refrigerator from the electrical source. When you are finished, connect the refrigerator to the electrical source and reset the control to the desired setting.

LEVELING

If the refrigerator is not leveled during installation, the doors may not close or sealed properly, causing cooling, frost, or moisture problems. It is very important for the refrigerator to be leveled in order to function properly.

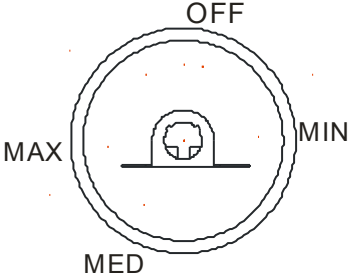
To level your refrigerator, you may either turn the level leg clockwise to raise that side to the refrigerator or turn counter – clockwise to lower that side.

NOTE: Having someone push against the top of the refrigerator take some weight off the leveling leg. This makes it easier to adjust the leveling leg.

USING YOUR REFRIGERATOR

To obtain the best possible results from your refrigerator, it is important that you operate it properly.

Setting the Thermostat controls



When using the refrigerator-freezer for the first time or after defrosting, turn the temperature control to set "MAX" for at least two hours before introducing the food to be stored. All frozen food products you purchase should be placed in the freezer compartment as soon as possible to avoid the frozen food from defrosting.

Storage recommendation printed on the packaging of frozen food by the manufacturers should always be followed.

Be careful that the drawer mustn't mangle the refrigeration pipeline.

Changing the Light Bulbs

- Unplug refrigerator or disconnect refrigerator from power supply before you remove the bulb.
- Replace the bulb with 10-watt appliance bulb. Not all bulbs will fit your refrigerator. Be sure to replace the bulb with one of the same size and shape.
- Plug in refrigerator or reconnect refrigerator to power supply.

Power Interruptions

If the electricity in house goes off for a short period, keep both doors closed to help food stay cold and frozen.

If the power will be out for a longer period, remove foods from the freezer and stored in a frozen food locker.

Fresh Food Storage

Wrap or store food in the refrigerator in airtight and moisture – proof material.

This prevents food odor and taste transfer throughout refrigerator.

·Fruit – wash, let dry and store in refrigerator in plastic bags or crisper.

·Leafy vegetables- Remove wrapping and 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.

·Fish – Use fresh fish the same day as purchased.

·Meat – Store most meat in original wrapping as long as it is airtight and moisture – proof.

Re-wrap if necessary.

·Leftovers – Cover leftovers with plastic wrap or aluminum foil.

Plastic containers with tight lid can also

be used.

Frozen Food Storage

The freezer compartment is designed for storing frozen food and for freezing food at home.

Successful freezing depends on the correct packaging. When you close and seal the package you must not allow air or moisture in or out. If you do, you could have food odor and

taste transfer throughout the refrigerator, and also dry out frozen food.

Note: Never put bottled food or drinks in the freezer compartment.

For best performance, leave enough space in the freezer and refrigerator compartment for air to circulate around the packages. Also let enough room at the front so the door can close tightly.

Defrosting

Refrigerator compartment – Defrosting process is automatic by thermostat knob Melted frost flow into drip tray and automatic evaporating.

Freezer compartment – Defrosting for the freezer compartment is by manual process.

- Turn the thermostat knob to set at **OFF** position and leave open the freezer door.
- Remove all foods, ice cube tray and shelf or transfer to refrigerating compartment.
- Clean and wipe out the melted frost with a cloth.
- After defrosting, turn thermostat knob to origin position.

Note: To avoid damaging the freezing compartment wall, do not use any sharp objects to remove the frost or

separate the frozen food.

Reversing Door Position

Caution: To avoid injury to yourself and property, we recommend someone assist you during the door reversal process.

- Ensure the appliance is unplugged and empty.
- Adjust the two leveling feet to their highest position.
- We recommend you have someone to assist you.

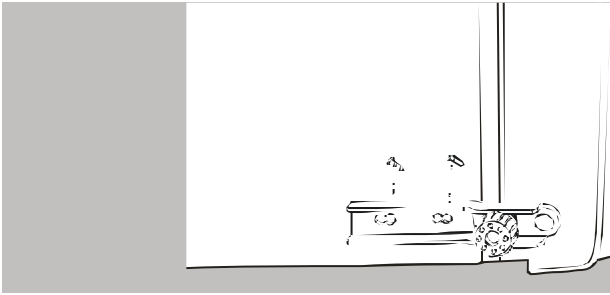
Tools required

- Phillips head screwdriver
- Flathead screwdriver

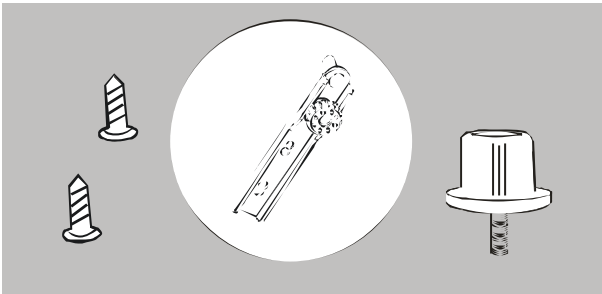
NOTE: To take the door off it is necessary to tilt the appliance backward. You should rest the appliance on something solid e.g. a chair just below the top panel so you can access the bottom of the refrigerator.

DO NOT lay the appliance completely flat as this may damage the refrigeration system.

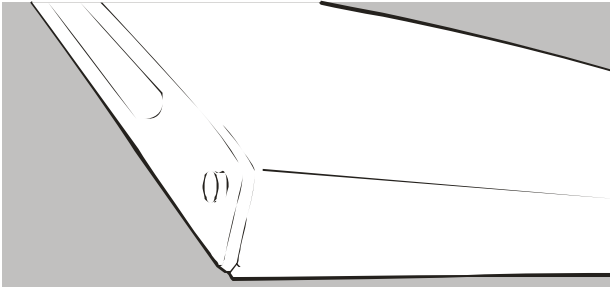
1. Start by removing the bracket from the bottom of the refrigerator. Unscrew the two screws from the bottom bracket. Remove the foot from opposite side.



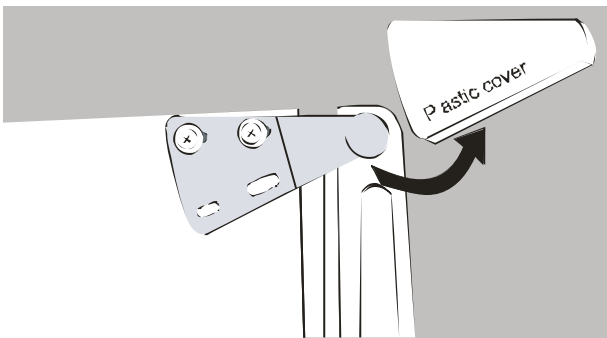
2. Self-Tapping Screws/Bottom Bracket/Foot



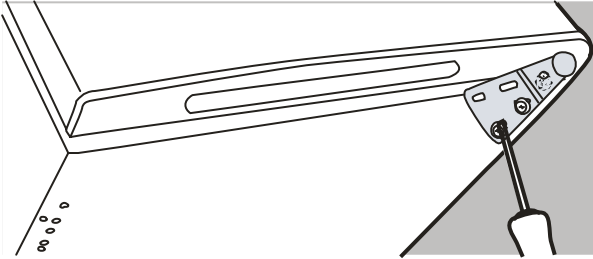
3. Slide the door down, away from the hinge pin located on the top of the door.



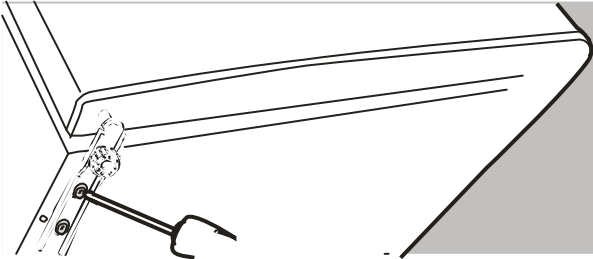
4. Remove the plastic cover from door hinge first. Then unscrew the two screws from top bracket and replace on the other side.



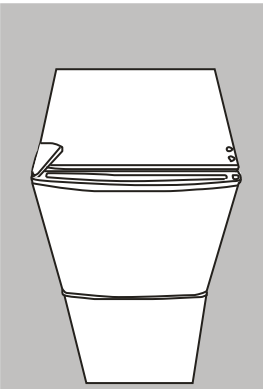
5. To install the bracket on the left side of the appliance, screw the two screws through the bracket and into the top of the appliance. Slide the door back on to the top hinge. Ensure the door is face up. Replace the plastic cover on the top bracket by pressing down until it clicks into position.



6. Screw the bottom hinge into place on the new side. Replace the foot on the other side.



7. Check that the door is aligned horizontally and vertically and that the seals are closed on all sides before finally tightening the bottom hinge. Readjust the leveling feet.



MAINTAINING YOUR REFRIGERATOR

The refrigerator should be cleaned at least once a month to prevent odors from building up. Wipe up spills immediately.

To clean your refrigerator:

- Unplug it.
- Remove all movable parts from inside, such as shelves and crisper etc.
- Use a clean sponge or soft and a mild detergent in warm water. Do not use abrasive or harsh cleaners.
- Hand wash, rinse and dry all surfaces thoroughly.
- Do not use cleaning waxes, concentrated detergents, bleaches or cleaners containing petroleum on plastics and rubber parts.
- Never use paper towels, window sprays, scouring cleansers or flammable fluids on plastic parts as these can scratch or damage material.

TROUBLESHOOTING

In case of malfunction, you can solve many common problems easily.

Your refrigerator does not operate...Check if

- The power supply cord is unplugged.
- The thermostat knob is set to **OFF** position.

The light is not work...Check if

- The power supply cord is unplugged.
- A household fuse or circuit breaker has tripped.

--Light bulb is loose in the socket.

--Light bulb burned down.

Food in the refrigerator compartment freezing...Check if

--The thermostat knob is set too cold.

-- The position of food stored touches the refrigerant power of refrigerator back wall.

Food in the refrigerator compartment is not cold...Check if

--The air vents are blocked in the compartment. This prevents the movement of cold air.

--The door(s) are opened too often or not close properly.

--A large amount of food has just been added to the refrigerator or freezer compartment.

--The position of thermostat knob is adjusted too low.

Melted frost Leak over compartment inside or on floor...Check if

--The drain – off mouth entrance is blocked.

--Evaporator pan is in place.

The refrigerator seems to make unusual noise...Check if

--The refrigerator is leveled on the floor.

--The body of the refrigerator touches the wall.

--The drip tray is not placed properly.

There is interior moisture build - up...Check if

-- The air vents are blocked in the refrigerator.

- The door is opened often.
- The room is humid.
- The food is not packaged correctly.
- The control is not set correctly of the surrounding conditions.

The doors will not close completely...Check if

- Food packages are blocking the door open.
- The shelves are out of position
- The gaskets are dirty.
- The refrigerator is not level.

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REQUESTING ASSISTANCE OR SERVICE

If the problem is not due to one of the items listed in Troubleshooting, Contact the dealer or authorized Service Company.

For more information, please visit our website
www.midea.com

