

# DAILY REFERENCE GUIDE



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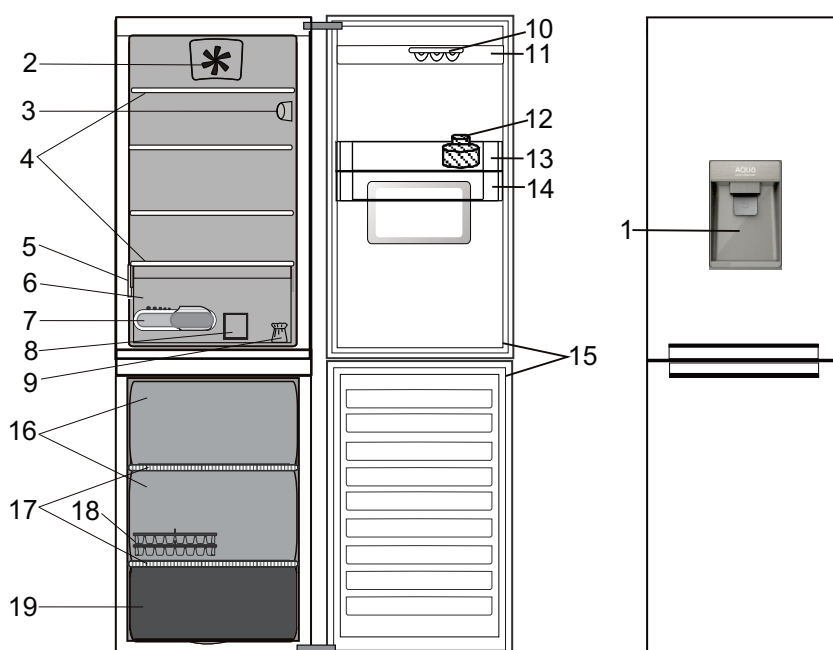
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**Before using the appliance carefully read the Health and Safety guide.**

## PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

### APPLIANCE



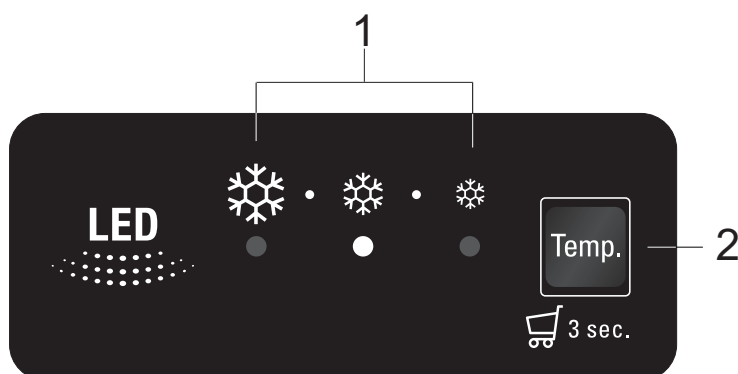
### Refrigerator compartment

1. Dispenser's paddle
2. Fan
3. Electronic control panel / light unit
4. Shelves
5. Rating plate with commercial name
6. Fresh crisper
7. Humidity control
8. Fridge drawer divider
9. Door reversibility kit
10. Egg tray
11. Door trays
12. Water filter
13. Aqua balcony
14. Aqua tank
15. Door seal

### Freezer compartment

15. Door seal
16. Freezer drawers
17. Shelves
18. Easy ice
19. Bottom drawer: coolest zone best for freezing fresh food

## CONTROL PANEL



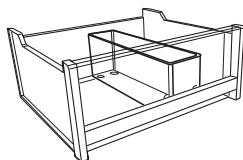
1. Indicator Leds (to display the current temperature setpoint or the Super Cool function)
2. Super Cool button / Temperature button

# ACCESSORIES

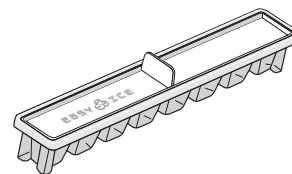
## EGG TRAY



## BOTTLE HOLDER



## ICE TRAY



# FIRST TIME USE

## HOW TO START THE APPLIANCE

After plugging the appliance to the mains, it starts the operation automatically. After starting the appliance, wait at least 4-6 hours before placing food into the fridge and into the freezer compartment.

When the appliance is connected to the power supply, the display lights up and all the icons appear on the display for approximately 1 second. The default (factory) values of the fridge compartment settings light-up.

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## FUNCTIONS

### TEMPERATURE SETTING

**Press the Temperature** button on the control panel to adjust the temperature from the warmest through the lower to the coldest level.

Pressing the Temperature button, the temperature setting will change cyclically. At first plug-in of appliance temperature setpoint is present at medium position (factory setting).

Following table shows temperature setpoints:

	<b>HIGH TEMP.</b>
	<b>MED-HIGH TEMP.</b>
	<b>MEDIUM TEMP.</b>
	<b>MED-LOW TEMP.</b>
	<b>LOW TEMP.</b>
	<b>SUPER COOL</b>



Led on Led off

*Note:* Displayed set points correspond to the average temperature throughout the whole refrigerator.

### SUPER COOL

The use of the Super Cool function is recommended to increase the cooling capacity of the refrigerator compartment when placing a very high quantity of food within it.

To activate the Super Cool function, **press and hold for 3 seconds the Temperature button** on the control panel till all the 3 LEDs will turn on.

The function is automatically deactivated after 24 hours and return to previous selected set point.



The function can be manually deactivated by pressing and holding for 3 seconds the Temperature button on the control panel.

### REFRIGERATOR LIGHT

The light system inside the refrigerator compartment uses LEDs light, allowing a better lighting as well as a very low energy consumption. If the LED light system does not work, please contact the Service to replace it.

*Important:* The refrigerator compartment light switches on when the refrigerator door is opened. If the door is kept open for more than 8 minutes the light will be automatically switched off.

### FAN

The Fan improves temperature distribution inside the refrigerator compartment, allowing better preservation of stored food.

By default, the fan is switched on.

To turn off the fan press the button of fan.

Please note that when the fan is switched on it will not continuously work. The fan will start/stop working depending on the temperature and/or humidity level inside the fridge. It is therefore absolutely normal if the fan does not move even if the fan is switched on.

## ALARM TABLE

ALARM TYPE	SIGNAL	CAUSE	CURE
Door open alarm	Refrigerator Light blinks	The door has remained open for more than 5 minutes.	Close the door
Door open alarm	Refrigerator Light OFF	The door has remained open for more than 8 minutes.	Close the door
Malfunction	Any temperature indicators blinks	Product malfunction.	Contact the After-sales Service

## SOME OF THE FUNCTIONAL SOUNDS YOU MIGHT HEAR

A hissing sound when switching on the appliance for the first time or after a long pause.



A gurgling sound when refrigerant fluid enters into the pipes.



BRRR sound is from the compressor running.



Buzzing sound when water valve or fan start working.



A cracking sound when compressor starts.



The CLICK is from the thermostat which adjusts how often the compressor is running.



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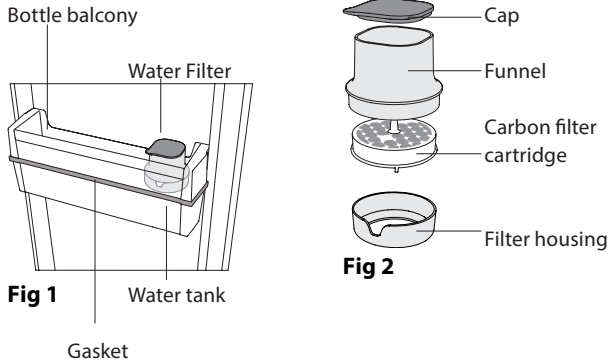
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### INSTALLATION OF THE WATER FILTER (ACTIVE CARBON)

The water filter is located inside the tank. This filter reduces the amount of chlorine, sediment, dirt, rust and cloudiness in the drinking water in the container located inside the tank. The filter must be installed in bottle balcony following the instructions contained in the water filter box. The filter is removable.

## WATER FILTER

The water filter use an active carbon cartridge that reduces the amount of chlorine, sediments, dirt, rust and cloudiness in the drinking water. The filter must be installed in the bottle balcony. It is removable.



### CARBON CARTRIDGE ACTIVATION

**Before to use filter, the CARBON FILTER CARTRIDGE must be activated and installed.** Remove the carbon filter from the packaging (which you can find in fruits and vegetables crisper) and activate it in this way;

1. submerge underwater for 10 minutes
2. remove it from water and shake it vigorously for 10 seconds to activate

### FILTER INSTALLATION

**Remove filter from balcony and open it to insert the carbon cartridge:**

- Unlock the whole filter turning it anticlockwise (**Fig 3**)

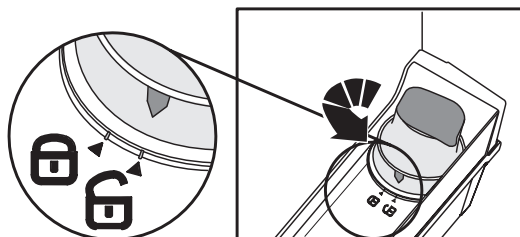


Fig 3

- Remove the filter from the balcony (**Fig. 4**)
- Remove the funnel from the filter housing rotating it anticlockwise (**Fig 5. a - b**).

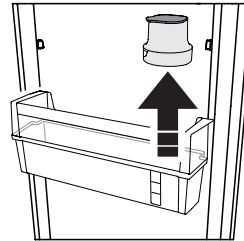


Fig 4

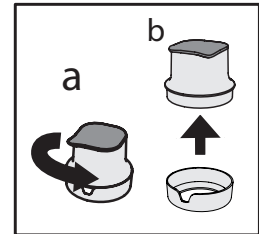


Fig 5

**After activated, insert the carbon cartridge in the filter housing with the current month facing through the window** (eg. If you are in october, face Oct month in the window) - See Fig. 6

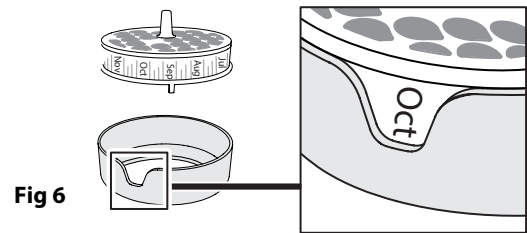


Fig 6

**Close the filter (Fig. 7):**

- a) insert the funnel on filter housing (with carbon filter in), as shown in **Fig. 7a**
- b) rotate the funnel clockwise to fix it, as shown in **Fig. 7b**.

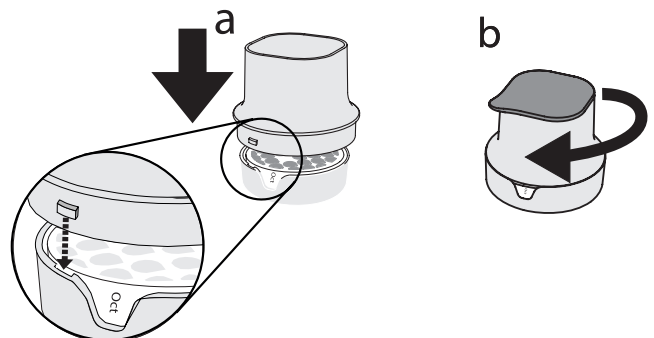


Fig 7

Then place the whole filter in the bottle balcony and lock it following the sequence in Fig 8.

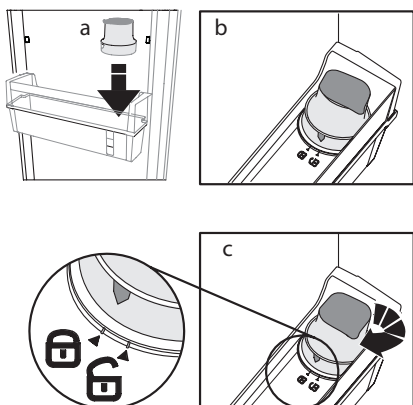


Fig 8

### FILLING AND FILTERING WATER

Remove the cap and pour water into the funnel (**Fig. 9**): the water fill will be filtered and will fill the water tank. You can fill up to 3 litres. Don't overfill water (the max water level is indicated on the tank).  
Note: fill water only in the tank. Do not insert juice, coke or other drink because they can damage the filter and the dispenser functionality.

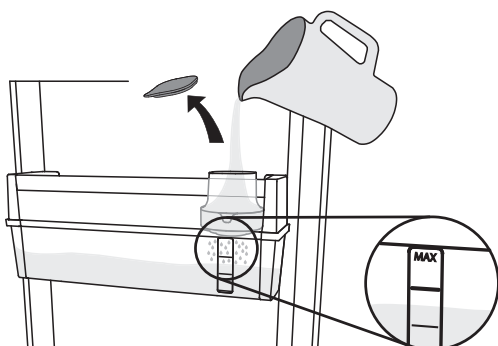


Fig 9

### DISPENSING WATER

To dispense water press the paddle with a glass (**Fig. 10**) and release the paddle to stop dispensing.

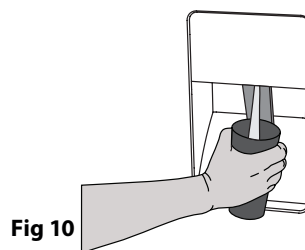


Fig 10

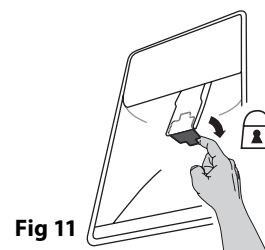


Fig 11

NOTE: possible black dots in the filtered water or in filter area are normal and not dangerous, they are due the normal carbon filter functionality.

**DISPENSER CHILD LOCK:** You can lock the dispenser's paddle to avoid children dispensing water (flip the small lever behind the paddle as shown in (**Fig. 11**))

### REPLACING THE CARBON CARTRIDGE

The carbon filter lasts max 2 months for continuous use (up to 225 lt).

#### To replace the carbon cartridge:

- Unlock the filter and remove it from the balcony;
- Remove the funnel from filter housing rotating it anticlockwise
- Remove the old carbon cartridge and insert the new one **after activated**, with current month faced in the window) (You can follow the procedure described in Carbon filter activation and Filter installation - **Fig. 3,4,5,6,7,8**).

### CLEAN THE TANK

It is suggested to periodically remove the tank to clean it (see fig 12 and description below)

- unlock the filter (a) and remove it (b),
- remove the bottle balcony (c) then remove the tank (d) and the gasket.

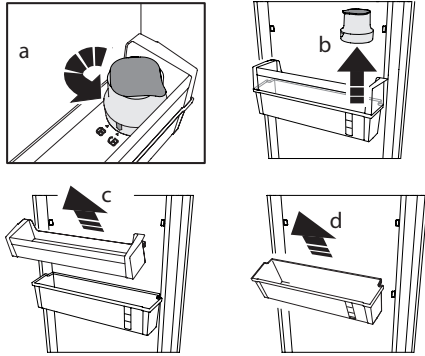


Fig 12

In case you decide to remove completely the water filter and tank from your fridge, you can remove the whole filter and the tank, using the balcony to normally store water bottles. In this case please use the filter cap to cover the hole on the balcony (see Fig. 13).

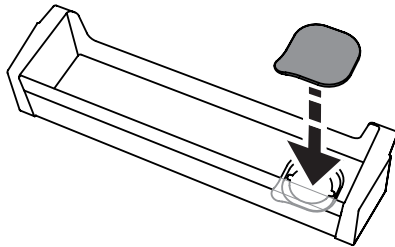


Fig 13

Wash the tank and the gasket with water only. At the end of cleaning, mount the gasket on the water tank. Make sure to correctly assembly the gasket on the tank (see Fig.14).

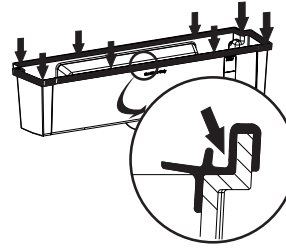


Fig 14

Then mount the bottle balcony on the water tank and assembly them on the door as suggested in (Fig 15). Once assembled, mount the filter with the carbon cartridge (as described in Fig 5,6,7,8).

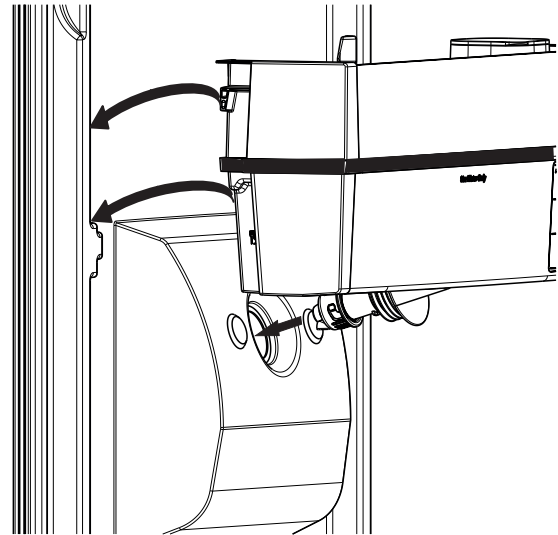
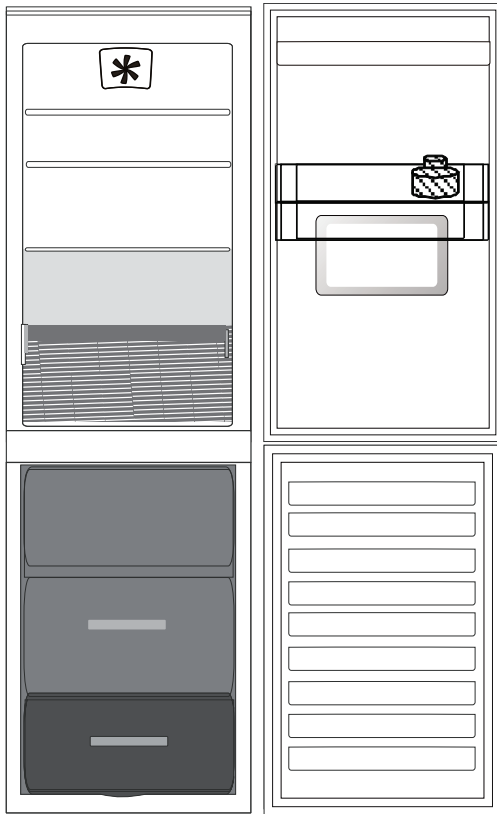


Fig 15

# TROUBLESHOOTING GUIDE

<b>Problem</b>	<b>Possible Cause</b>	<b>Solution</b>
<b>THE APPLIANCE IS NOT WORKING</b>	There may be an appliance power supply problem.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>› Check if power cable plugged into a live socket with the proper voltage.</li> <li>› Check if the protection devices and fuses of the electrical system in your home</li> </ul>
<b>THERE IS WATER IN THE DEFROST PAN</b>	This is normal in hot, damp weather. The pan can even be half full.	› Make sure the appliance is level so that the water does not overflow.
<b>THE ED GES OF THE APPLIANCE CABINET , WHIC H COME IN CONTACT WIT H THE DOOR SEAL , ARE WARM TO THE TOUCH</b>	This is not a defect. This is normal in hot weather and when the compressor is running.	
<b>THE LIGHT DOES NOT WORK</b>	<p>The light may need replacing.</p> <p>The appliance may be in On/Stand-by model</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>› Make sure if the protection devices and fuses of the electrical system in your home work well.</li> <li>› Check if the power cable is plugged into a live socket with the proper voltage</li> <li>› In case the LEDs are broken the user must call the Service for exchange of the same type available only at our After-sales Service Centers or authorized dealers.</li> </ul>
<b>THE MOTOR SEEMS TO RUN TOO MUCH</b>	Motor running time depends on different things: number of door openings, amount of food stored, temperature of the room, setting of the temperature controls.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>› Make sure that the appliance controls are correctly set.</li> <li>› Check if there is not a large amount of food been added to the appliance.</li> <li>› Check that the door is not opened too often.</li> <li>› Check that the door close properly.</li> </ul>
<b>THE APPLIANCE TEMPERATURE IS TOO HIGH</b>	There could be various causes (see "Solutions")	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>› Make sure that the condenser (back the appliance) is free of dust and fluff.</li> <li>› Make sure that the door properly closed.</li> <li>› Make sure that the door seals properly fitted.</li> <li>› On hot days or if the room is warm, the motor naturally runs longer.</li> <li>› If the appliance door has been left open for a while or if large amounts of food have been stored, the motor will run longer in order to cool down the interior of the appliance.</li> </ul>
<b>THE DOORS DO NOT OPEN AND CLOSE PROPERLY</b>	There could be various causes (see "Solutions")	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>› Check that food packages are not blocking the door.</li> <li>› Check that the internal parts or automatic ice maker are not out of position.</li> <li>› Check that the door seals are not dirty or sticky.</li> <li>› Ensure the appliance is level.</li> </ul>

## HOW TO STORE FOOD AND BEVERAGE

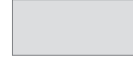


### Legend



#### TEMPERATE ZONE

Suggested for the storage of tropical fruit, cans, drinks, eggs, sauces, pickles, butter, jam



#### COOL ZONE

Suggested for storage of cheese, milk, dairy food, delicatessen, yogurt, cold cuts, desserts



#### FRUIT & VEGETABLE DRAWER



#### FREEZING ZONE DRAWER

(MAX COOL ZONE) Suggested to freeze fresh/cooked food.



#### NORMAL FREEZER DRAWERS

Note: The Grey tone of the legend doesn't match with the color of drawers

### FRIDGE COMPARTMENT

Use recyclable plastic, metal, aluminum and glass containers and cling film to wrap foods.

Always use closed containers for liquids and for food that may give off or be tainted by odor or flavor transfer or cover them.

If you have a little quantity of food to store in the refrigerator, we recommend to use the shelves above the crisper for fruits and vegetables since this is the coolest area of the compartment.

Foods which give off a large amount ethylene gas and those that are sensitive to this gas, such as fruit, vegetables and salad, should always be separated or wrapped so as not to reduce the storage life; for example do not store tomatoes together with kiwi fruits or cabbage.

To avoid bottles falling over, you can use the bottle holder (available on selected models).

Do not store food too close together to enable sufficient air circulation.

### FREEZER COMPARTMENT

The freezer is the ideal storage location for store frozen food, make ice cubes and freeze fresh food in the freezer compartment.

The maximum number of kilograms of fresh food that can be frozen within a 24-hour period is indicated on the rating plate (...kg/24h).

If you have a little quantity of food to store in the freezer, we recommend to use the coldest areas of your freezer compartment, corresponding to the bottom area.

### PRODUCT FICHE

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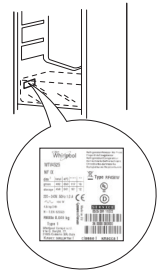
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