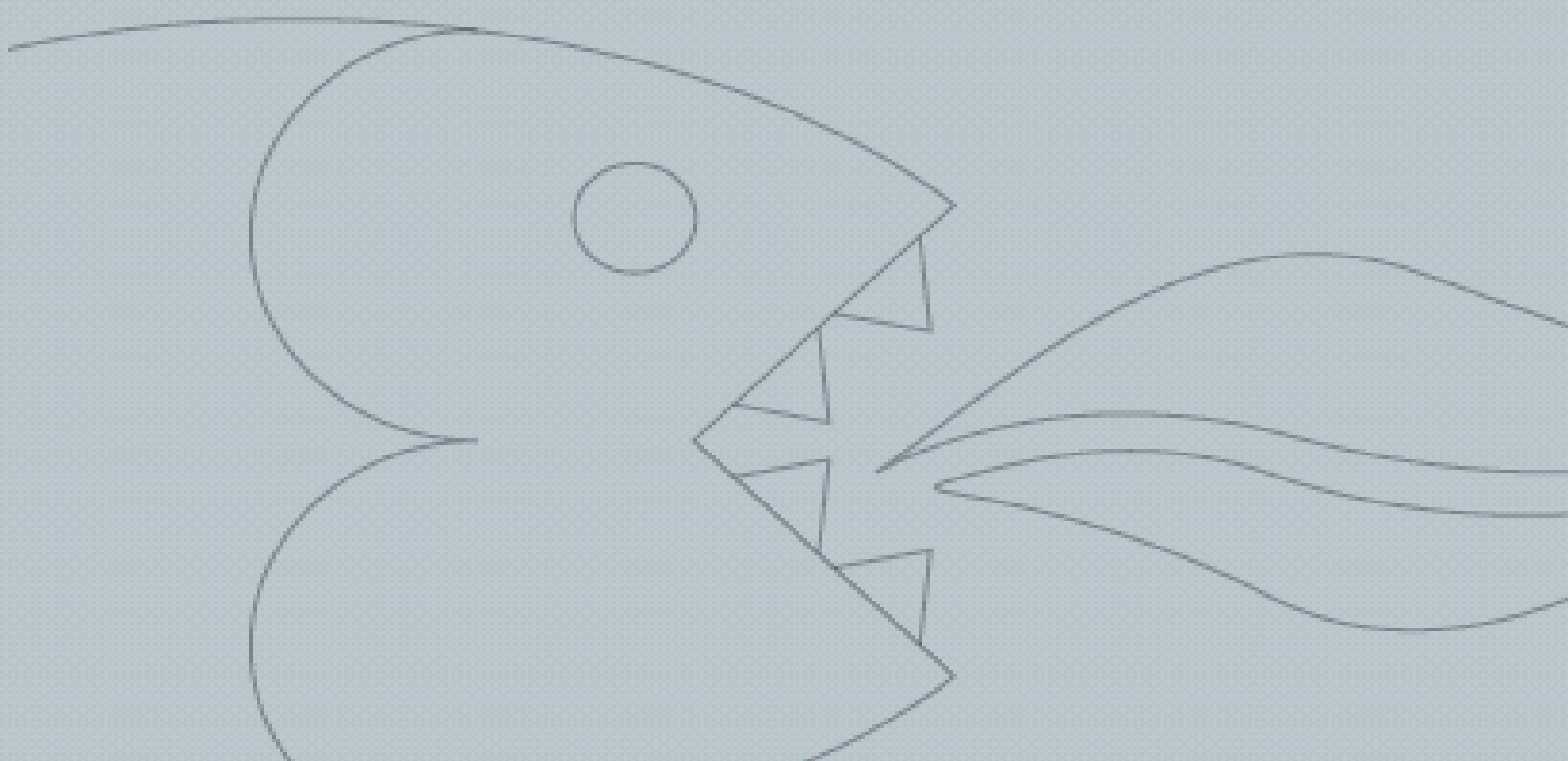


BFE350SS
Fridge Freezer

Instruction manual



Thank you for your confidence in buying a Baumatic appliance and congratulations on your excellent choice. We hope it will successfully serve its purpose for many years.

An upright fridge freezer consists of two parts. The top part is the fridge section and the bottom part the freezer section.

A refrigerator is used in households for the storage of fresh food at temperatures above 0°C.

A freezer is used in households for freezing fresh food and storage of frozen food for up to one year (depending on the type of food).

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Before first operation



- Before connecting the appliance read these instructions carefully. They describe the appliance and provide instructions for its safe and correct use. The instructions are prepared for various models so they may contain descriptions of functions and components that your appliance may not have.
- Remove the wrapping that protects the appliance during transport. Door corners are fitted with protective spacers. Remove the spacers and replace them with the attached pegs.
- Before connecting the appliance to the mains supply, leave it in an upright position for about 2 hours. This will reduce the possibility of malfunctions in the cooling system resulting from transportation and handling.
- The appliance must be connected to the mains supply in accordance with the standing regulations and local requirements.
- The appliance must not be used in the open air or exposed to weather precipitation.
- Always disconnect the appliance from the power supply (disconnect the plug from your mains supply) before cleaning and before replacing the light bulb.
- If the power supply cord is damaged, in order to avoid hazard it must be replaced by a suitably qualified person.
- If the appliance is not going to be used for a long period of time, then turn it off using the ON/OFF button and disconnect it from mains supply. Empty the appliance, clean the interior and leave the door ajar.
- For the protection of environment please refer to the W.E.E.E directive later in this booklet.

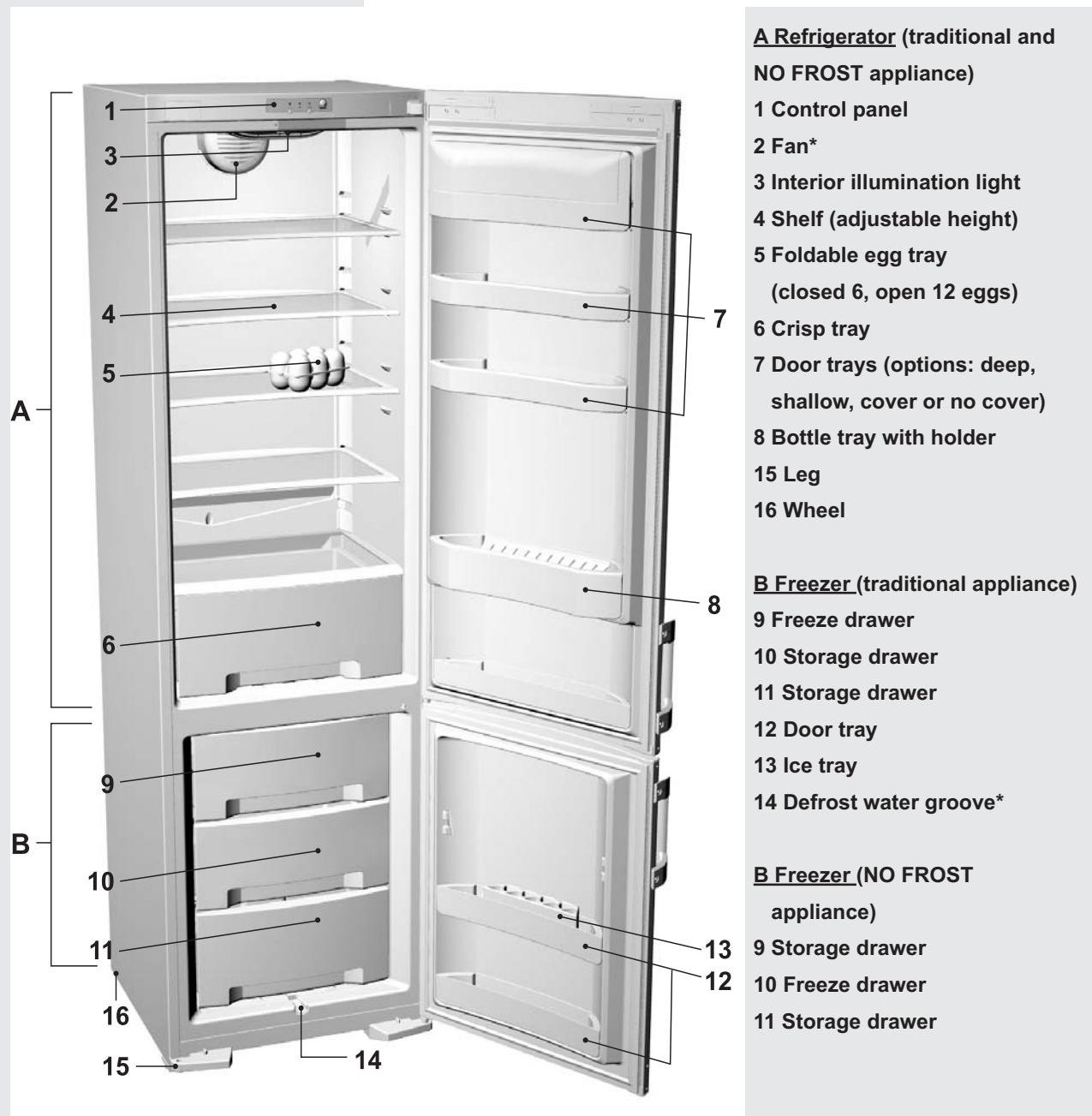
- Wrappings contain environmentally friendly materials which can be recycled, recovered or disposed of without threat to the environment.
- To prevent any pollution be careful not to damage the insulation or refrigeration tubes at the rear wall during the installation, cleaning and disposal of the appliance.
- Never let children play with the appliance.
- Self closing door hinges (certain models only) pull the door to the cabinet just before closing, thereby preventing the door from remaining ajar. Equally it limits the door opening angle and prevents damage to adjacent walls and cupboards.
- A rating plate with basic information is located in the interior of the appliance.



W.E.E.E. DIRECTIVE.

The symbol on the product or on its packaging indicates that this product may not be treated as household waste. Instead it shall be handed over to the applicable collection point for the recycling of electrical and electronic equipment. By ensuring this product is disposed of correctly, you will help prevent potential negative consequences for the environment and human health, which could otherwise be caused by inappropriate waste handling of this product. For more detailed information about recycling of this product, please contact your local city office, your household waste disposal service or the shop where you purchased the product.

Description of the appliance



- Interior accessories of the appliance may vary according to the model.
- Drawers are protected against accidental extraction. To extract the drawer from the appliance, open it and lift front part upwards, then pull it out. Certain models are fitted with pull-out slide guides which facilitate opening. Pull-out guide drawers (or shelves) are extracted by lifting the rear end and pulling out inclined under the 45° angle. Reinsert in opposite sequence.
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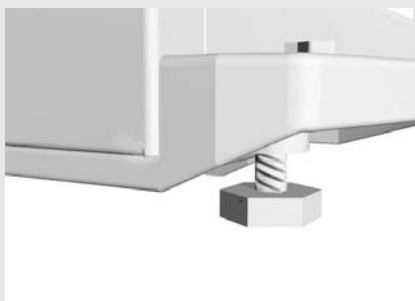
Location and installation

Selecting the location

- Place the appliance in dry and well aired room. The appliance operates best at temperature ranges indicated in the chart below. Relevant class of the appliance is indicated on the rating plate.

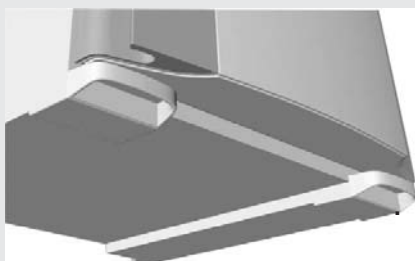
Class	Ambient temperature
SN (subnormal)	from +10°C to +32°C
N (normal)	from +16°C to +32°C
ST (subtropical)	from +18°C to +38°C
T (tropical)	from +18°C to +43°C

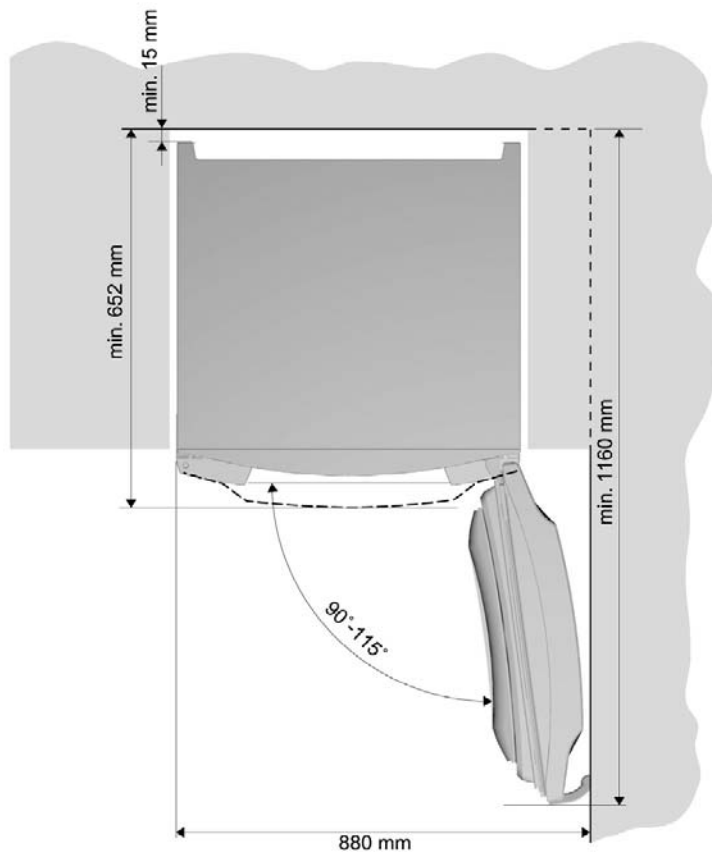
Positioning the appliance



Positioning the appliance requires two persons in order to avoid injuries or damage to the appliance.

- Place the appliance flatly and firmly on a solid base. The appliance is fitted with adjustable feet on the front side, used to level the appliance. The rear side of the appliance is fitted with wheels (certain models only) which facilitate the positioning of the appliance into its final location.
- Anything positioned above the appliance must be at least 5 cm away to allow sufficient cooling of the condenser. You must allow a 15mm gap to the rear of the appliance.
- Avoid exposing the appliance to direct sunlight or heat sources. If this is not feasible, then you should install an insulation plate between the appliance and the adjacent heat source.
- The bottom front corners of your appliance are fitted with handles to facilitate moving. The appliance may stand independently or adjacent to a cupboard or wall. Be sure to leave enough space for the opening of the door, to avoid damage to the appliance or personal injury. Also leave ample space for extracting shelves (see the diagram on the next page).





Connecting to power supply

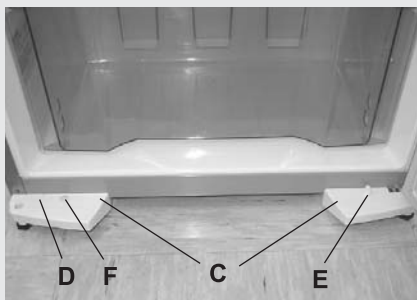
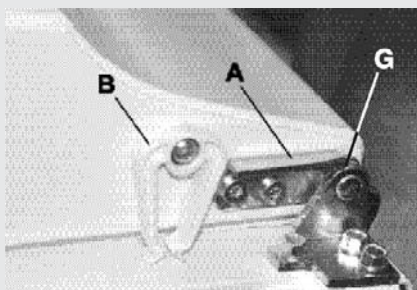
- Use the power cord to connect the appliance to the mains power. Your wall socket must be fitted with a ground terminal (safety socket). The nominal voltage and frequency of the appliance are indicated on the rating plate.
- The mains power connection and grounding must be made in line with standing regulations and local requirements.

The appliance is able to accommodate minor temporary voltage tolerances, but they may not exceed -10% to +6%

The direction of the door opening may be reversed, this process is described on the next page. It should be performed by a suitably qualified person.

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Door reversal



Required tools; socket spanner nr. 8,
screwdriver, torx 25.

Caution! After unscrewing any of the fixing hinges, hold the door to prevent it from falling and causing damage.

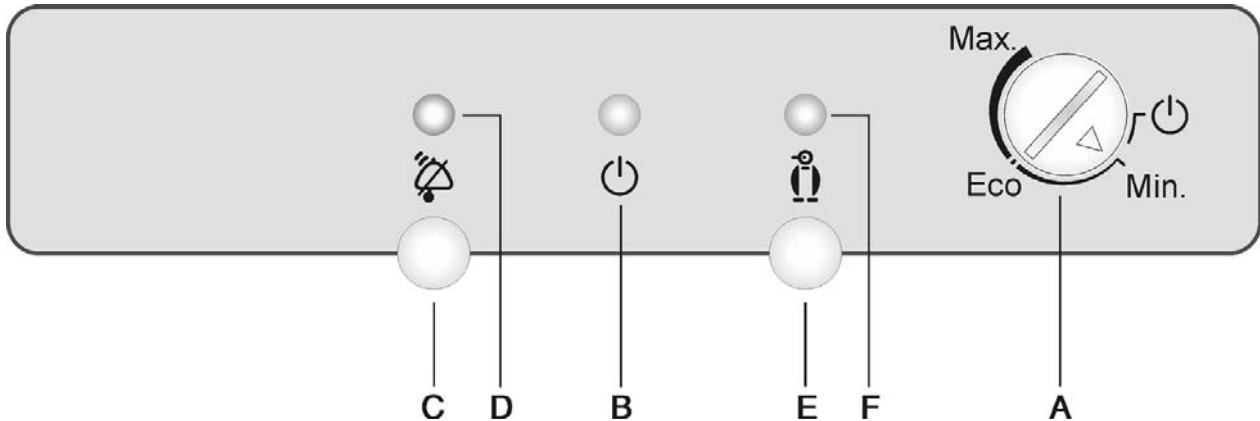
Any parts that you remove from the appliance whilst reversing the door, should be retained for later use.

1. Remove the upper hinge cover from both sides of the appliance.
2. **WHILST SUPPORTING THE UPPER DOOR.**
Unscrew upper hinge screws and remove the upper door from the middle hinge.
3. On the bottom side of the upper door unscrew the swing stopper screws and remove the stopper (A). Fix the attached stopper with its bearing on the opposite side of the door.
4. Unscrew the forced door closure system (B) and fix it to the opposite side of the door (**certain models only**).
5. Unscrew the middle hinge screws and remove the door from the bottom hinge.
6. Unscrew the leg holder fixing screws.
7. Tilt the appliance backward at a maximum angle of 35°
Unscrew the leg support screws (C) - left and right, and remove the leg support cover (D). Then place it on the opposite side. Unscrew, remove and then replace the position of the end switch (E) and decorative peg (F) (for models with forced door closing system).
Unscrew the three screws fixing the bottom hinge and then fix the bottom hinge on the opposite side.
8. Repeat the procedure 3 and 4 on the bottom door. In case there is no bottom door limit peg, transfer the bearing (G) and washer to the opposite side of the door.
9. To fit the doors on the opposite side of the fridge freezer proceed with the above procedure in reverse.

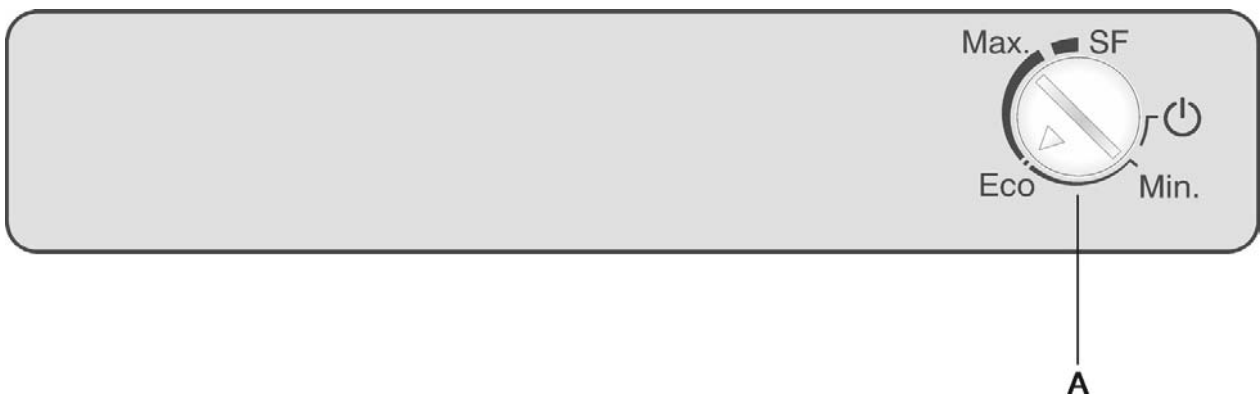
Using your appliance

Control unit I.

MODEL WITH KNOBS



MODEL WITHOUT KNOBS



A Temperature selector and ON/OFF button

B Green LED illuminated when the appliance is in operation*

C Freezer alarm off button*

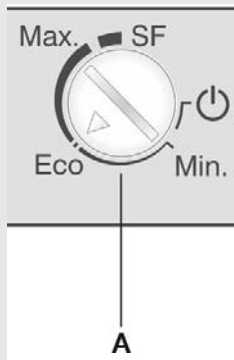
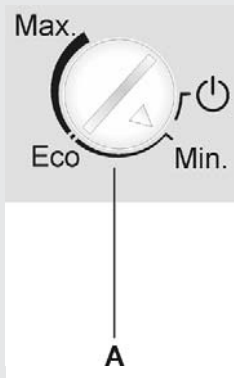
D Red LED flashing with freezer alarm*


E Fast freeze button*

F Orange LED: on during fast freeze procedure*

* Certain models only.

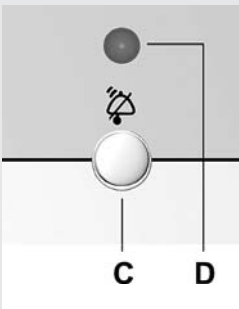
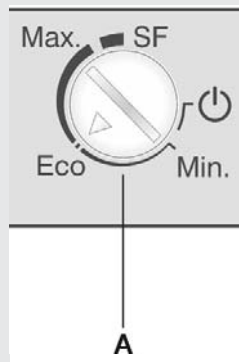
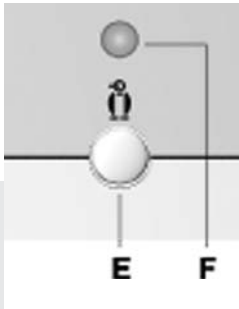
The ON/OFF button



The appliance is switched on by turning dial **A** towards **Max.** The green LED should then turn on. The appliance is switched off when the arrow on the ON/OFF dial points to  (The appliance, however, is still under mains power).

Setting freezer temperature

- The Temperature of the appliance is set by turning button **A** to a position between the **Min** and **Max** markings.
- The recommended setting of the thermostat knob is shown by the **Eco** position.
- If the room temperature, in which the appliance is installed, is lower than 16°C. Then the recommended setting of the thermostat knob is **Max.**



In models with buttons you can activate continuous freezing by pressing knob **E**.

In models without buttons you can activate continuous freezing by turning dial **A** to the **SF** position.

In models with buttons, there may be an orange light (**F**) that indicates the fast freeze function is turned on. If the fast freeze option is not switched off manually, it is switched off automatically (after approximately two days).

- The function should be used during the first start of the appliance, before cleaning, and when larger quantities of fresh food are placed in the appliance.

No button model:

- After the Intensive freezing option is switched off automatically the appliance operates at **Max.** setting.
- To repeat the Intensive freezing option turn the knob **A** from the position **SF** to the position **Eco**, then back to **SF**!

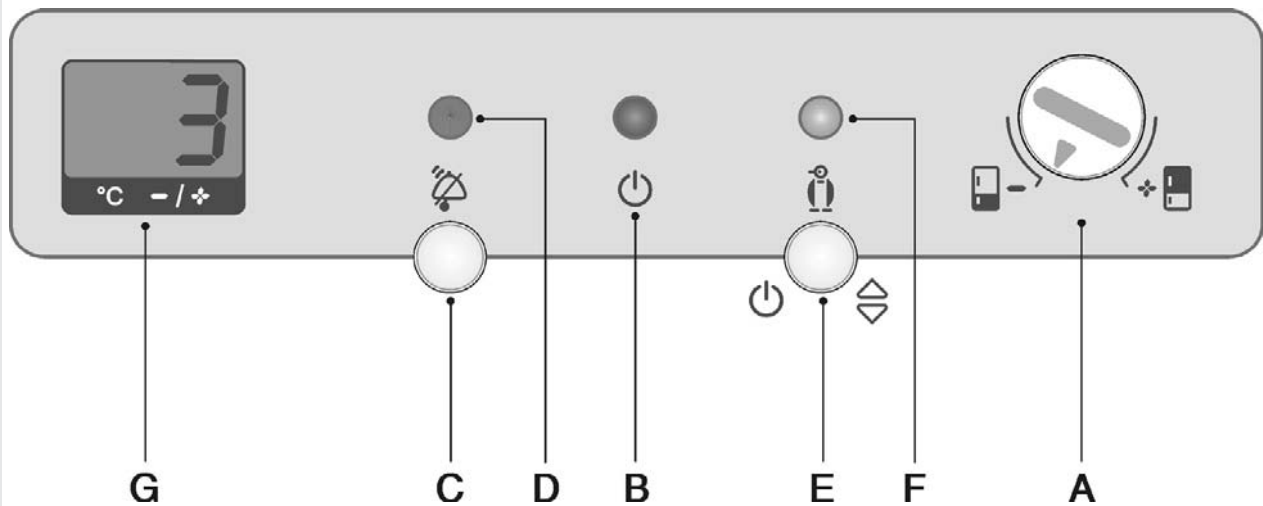
The sound alarm will emit an intermittent tone if the freezer temperature rises above the allowed level. A red lamp will also flash (**D**).

- The alarm can be turned off by pressing the Alarm Off button (**C**). The red light goes off automatically when the temperature inside the freezer reaches the correct level and there is no danger to your perishable goods.
- If the temperature in the freezer compartment fails to reach the required level, 24 hours after the alarm has been shut down. Then the alarm will sound again and will shut off automatically when the freezer compartment cools down to the required level and there is no danger to your perishable food.
- After the first start, the appliance has a 24-hour alarm delay, since your freezer will not reach the required cooling temperature immediately. This is to prevent the alarm sounding unnecessarily.

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Control panel II.

APPLIANCE WITH A DIAL AND TEMPERATURE DISPLAY



A Fridge/freezer selector switch

B Green light lit: the appliance is in operation.

C Freezer sound alarm switch off button.

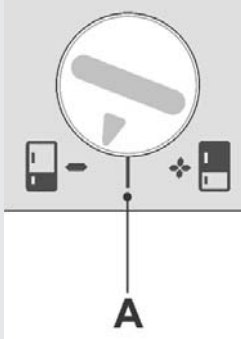
D Red light flashing: the freezer temperature is excessively high

E ON/OFF button and temperature setting

F Orange light lit: The continuous freezing option has been turned on

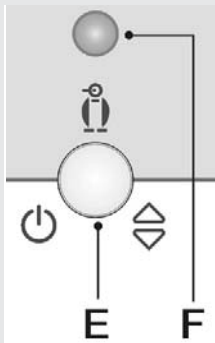
G Digital temperature display: indicates the actual fridge temperature (+1°C to + 9°C) and actual freezer temperature (- 16°C to - 24°C) and SF (intensive freezing).

Refrigerator/freezer selector



Use dial **A** to select which section of the appliance that you wish to adjust the temperature of. The temperature of this section will appear in the display. The temperature of this section will be altered by using button **E**.

ON/OFF button and temperature selector



ON/OFF button

Use dial **A** to select the freezer section, and switch the appliance on by pressing button **E** for 3 seconds.

Both the refrigerator and the freezer are switched on, and the green light coming on confirms this. If you press button **E** for 3 seconds again, then the appliance will switch off.

Refrigerator switch on/off

(On models fitted with a temperature display) To turn the fridge off, whilst keeping the freezer on. You should use dial **A** to select the refrigerator. Then press button **E** for 3 seconds to switch the refrigerator off. A subsequent 3-second long push of the same button will switch the refrigerator back on.

Temperature selection

Use dial **A** to select refrigerator or freezer, and press button **E** to set the desired temperature. You can change the temperature setting between **Max** to **Min**. (or up to intensive freezing in case of the freezer). After 5 seconds the temperature setting is automatically saved, and the display indicates current temperature in the section of the appliance that you have selected.

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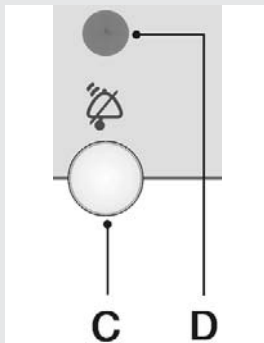
Intensive freezing

Use dial A to select the freezer.

By short consecutive pressing of button **E**, select the continuous freezing option (**SF**) and wait for 5 seconds for the setting to be saved. The orange light (**F**) will come on.

If the setting is not switched off manually, then it will switch off automatically after approximately two days. This option should be used on the first start of the appliance, before cleaning, and prior to inserting large quantities of fresh food into the freezer.

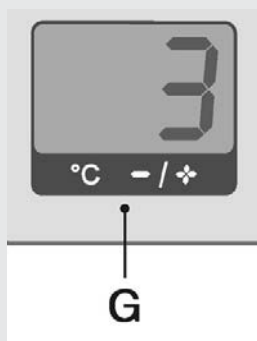
High temperature freezer alarm



An alarm will sound when there is an excessively high temperature in the freezer (an intermittent beep will sound and light (**D**) will flash).

- The alarm is switched off by pressing button **C**. The red light will go off automatically when the freezer is sufficiently cool and there is no danger to your stored food.
- If the temperature in the freezer is not at the level which is required for the preservation of stored food, the alarm will be switched on every 24 hours to alert you to this.
- After the first start, the appliance has a 24-hour alarm delay, since your freezer will not reach the required cooling temperature immediately.

Digital display

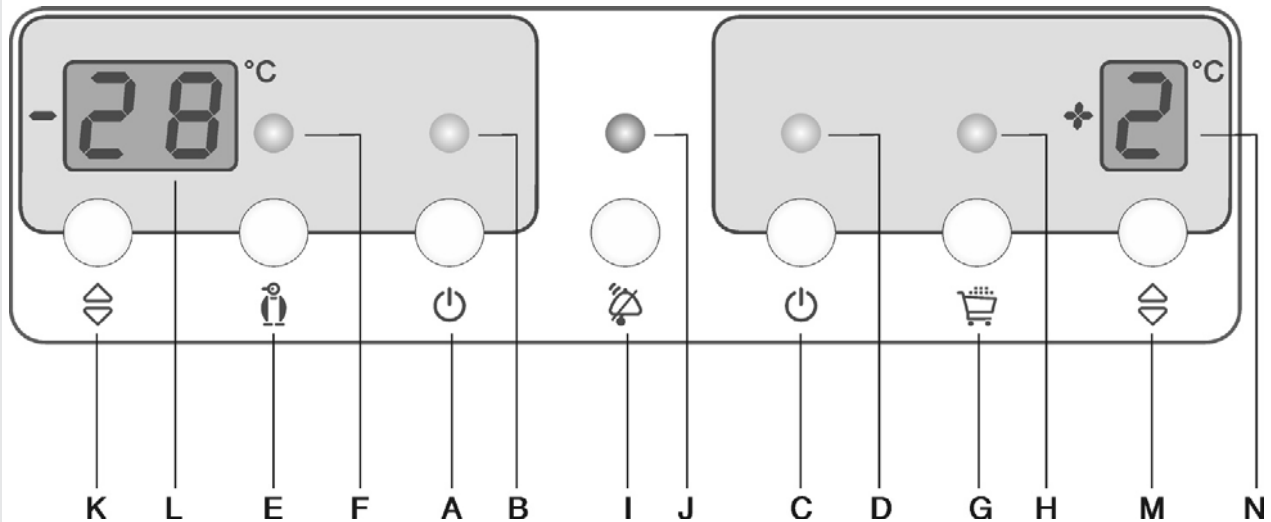


This indicates the current temperature in the refrigerator (a positive single digit numeral), or in the freezer (a negative double digit numeral).

During the setting procedure the display flashes and indicates the temperature that you are selecting. It also flashes if the freezer temperature is so high that there is a danger to your stored food.

Control panel III.

VALVE AND NO FROST SYSTEM APPLIANCE



A Freezer ON/OFF button

B Green signal lamp: indicates the freezer is turned on

C Refrigerator ON/OFF button

D Green signal lamp: indicates the fridge is turned on

E Intensive freezing ON/OFF button

F Orange signal lamp: intensive freezing is turned on

G Intensive cooling ON/OFF button

H Orange signal lamp: intensive cooling is turned on

I Sound alarm and child lock ON/OFF button

J Red signal lamp: the alarm is active

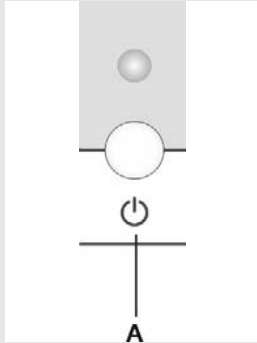
K Freezer temperature setting button

L Freezer temperature digital display: indicates the temperature (-16°C to -24°C).

M Refrigerator temperature setting button

N Refrigerator temperature digital display: indicates the temperature (+1°C to +9°C).

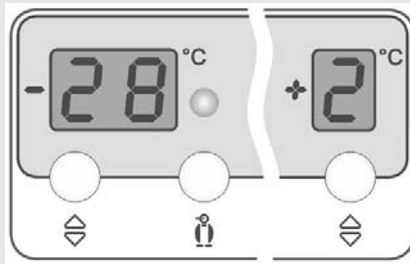
Switching the appliance ON/OFF



Before the first use of the appliance, plug the power cable into your wall socket. The display indicates dashes for both the refrigerator and the freezer.

- Switch the appliance on by pressing button **A** for 3 seconds. Both the refrigerator and the freezer are started. The green signal lamps **B** and **D** will light up. In this mode you can switch off the refrigerator section by pressing button **C** for 3 seconds (the green signal lamp for the fridge will turn off).
- The display will indicate a temperature of +9°C for the refrigerator and 0°C for the freezer. These values remain on the display until the actual temperature falls below these values.
- The appliance has been preset in the factory to the recommended temperature of +5°C for the fridge section and -18°C for the freezer section.

Temperature setting

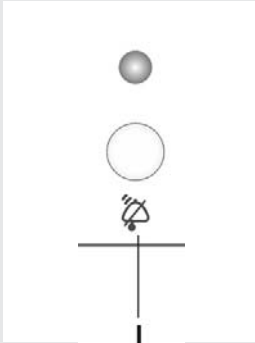


Temperature setting range of the refrigerator:
+1°C to +9°C.

Temperature setting range of the freezer:
-16°C to -24°C.

- The freezer temperature is set by pressing button **K**, and the refrigerator temperature is set by pressing button **M**.
- After pressing the temperature setting button the display starts flashing and indicates the last selected setting.
- The temperature setting can be changed by short consecutive pressing of the relevant button in 1°C steps. During the setting procedure all other buttons are inoperable.
- Approximately 5 seconds after the setting button is released, the display will then indicate the actual temperature.

Other settings



Alarm

Continuous sound - open refrigerator door alarm

If the refrigerator door is open for more than one minute, the sound alarm is turned on (a **continuous tone**) and the red signal lamp **J** turns on. The alarm is automatically switched off when the door is closed, but you can also switch it off by pressing the alarm off button (**I**).

Intermittent sound - fridge/freezer temperature is too high

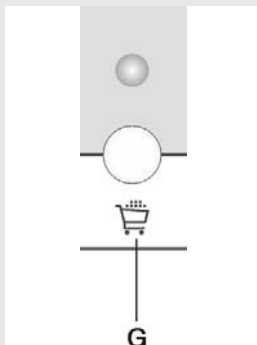
This alarm is activated if the appliance senses an elevated temperature. The temperature in the display will also flash.

- The sound alarm is switched off by pressing button **I**. The red signal lamp and temperature flashing are stopped automatically when the fridge/freezer is sufficiently cold and so there is no more risk of your food perishing..
- If the freezer temperature fails to arrive at an adequate level 24 hours after the alarm has been switched off. It will activate again, and will switch off automatically when the freezer is cold enough for the safe storage of food.

During the first start of the appliance there is a 24 hour delay of the temperature alarm to avoid unnecessary alarm operation..

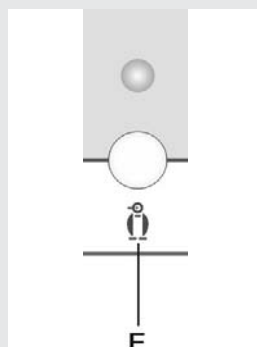
Intermittent alarm sound - power failure signal

If the temperature of the refrigerator or freezer is raised as a consequence of a power failure, The sound alarm is activated and the red signal light will come on. The display flashes the highest temperature digit (in the case of the refrigerator maximum 9°C).



Intensive cooling

Intensive cooling of the refrigerator is activated by pressing button **G** (the orange signal lamp **H** will come on). It is automatically switched off after 6 hours, and the selection is set back to the original setting. This function is intended **for the fast cooling of a large quantity of inserted food**.



Intensive freezing

Intensive freezing is activated by pressing button **E** (the orange signal lamp **F** will come on). If the setting is not deactivated manually by pressing the same button again, it is switched off automatically approximately two days after activation.

This function is intended **for the fast freezing of large quantities of inserted food**. In case of power failure the fast freezing process is repeated. Use this setting also when starting the appliance for the first time, before cleaning, and when large quantities of food have been inserted in the appliance.

Child lock

The Integrated child lock protects the appliance from the temperature being changed accidentally or even being switched off.

You can activate or deactivate the child lock by pressing alarm button (**I**) for 3 seconds (both displays will flash 'LL' and 'L' for 3 seconds). Once the child lock is activated, only the alarm button is active. Pressing any other button will cause the letters 'LL' and 'L' to appear on the display.

Recommended distribution of food

Recommended distribution of food

Refrigerator compartments:

- **top section:** canned food, bread, wine, cake, ...
- **middle section:** dairy products, cheese, readymade food, desserts, juices, beer, TV-dinners, ...
- **bottom section:** meat, meat products, delicatessen, ...
- **crisp pan:** fresh fruit, vegetables, salads.
For appliances without a ZERO'N'FRESH drawer also: root vegetables, potatoes, onions, garlic, tomatoes, tropical fruit, sauerkraut, turnips, ...
- **ZERO'N'FRESH drawer:** fresh meat, meat products, fish, seafood, dairy products, salads, fruit, vegetables, mayonnaise, dips and sauces, ...

Refrigerator door lining compartments:

- **top/middle section:** eggs, butter, cheese, ...
- **bottom section:** beverages, cans, bottles, ...

Freezer door lining compartments:

- **top section:** freezing compartment
- **bottom section:** storage compartment
- **door lining:** packed vegetables, ice-creams, ice,
- **quick cooling of beverages:** (see Quick cooling of beverages in the freezer)

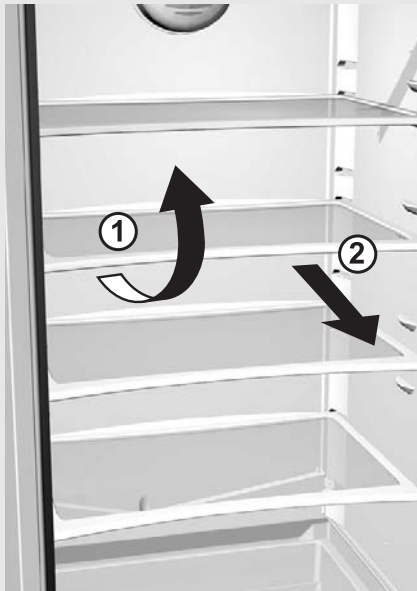


Storing fresh food in the refrigerator

Important precautions for storing fresh food

- ⚠ Proper use of the appliance, adequately packed food, correct temperature setting and hygienic precautions all have a substantial impact on the quality of your stored food.**
- ⚠ Always follow the best before date, printed on the packaging of your food.**
- ⚠ Food stored in the refrigerator should be properly packed so as to prevent emission and/or retention of moisture and odours.**
- ⚠ Never store inflammable, volatile or explosive substances.**
- ⚠ Beverages with high alcohol percentage should be stored in tightly sealed bottles, in a vertical position.**
- ⚠ Some organic solutions like volatile oils in lemon or orange peel, acids in butter etc. can cause damage if they come into prolonged contact with plastic surfaces or gaskets. This can cause accelerated aging of these surfaces.**
- ⚠ Unpleasant odours inside the refrigerator are a sign that something is wrong with your food or that your refrigerator needs cleaning (see chapter Cleaning).**
- ⚠ If the appliance is going to be left unattended for a prolonged period, make sure you remove quickly perishable articles of food from the appliance before you leave.**

Interior accessories and space distribution



Equipment depends on the model.

- Shelves can be optionally placed on the guides inside the appliance. They are protected against being pulled out completely by accident. To remove the shelf, raise the back part level off and pull it out. Quickly perishable food should be stored on the back i.e. the coldest part of the shelves.
- Certain models are equipped with a wire bottle rack which enables the placing of bottles on the rack. It is safeguarded against being pulled out when bottles are being stored in it. It may be pulled out only if empty, by lifting the front part and pulling it towards you. Place the bottle rack in the appliance in such way to avoid obstructing the door from closing properly.

The maximum load of the rack is 9 bottles of 0,75 l, or 13 kg of total mass - see the label on the right hand side of the interior of the appliance.

- The crisper drawer below the glass shelf at the bottom of the refrigerator should be used for the storage of fruit and vegetables. It retains the right level of moisture and prevents drying out.
- The inner refrigerator door consists of various shelves or holders used for storing cheese, butter, eggs, yogurt, and a stock of other smaller packages, tubes, cans etc. The bottom shelf is used for storing bottles.
- The freezer door liner is also fitted with various shelves or holders used for storing frequently used frozen food. This allows you quick access to items such as ice cream, already opened packages of vegetables, etc.
- The fan (fitted on certain models only) is located under the ceiling or hidden behind the rear panel of the refrigerator or concealed within the freezing unit. This ensures even distribution of temperature and reduces condensation on the storage racks.

Storage time of fresh foods

Approximate storage time of fresh foods

Food	Period
eggs, marinades, smoked meat	up to 10 days
cheese	up to 10 days
carrots, etc...	up to 8 days
butter	up to 7 days
cake, fruit, TV-dinner dishes, raw chunks of meat	up to 2 days
fish, raw minced meat, seafood	up to 1 day

Freezing and storage of frozen food

Freezing procedure



- You should activate continuous freezing 24 hours prior to the freezing of fresh food. **In models with buttons** continuous freezing is activated by pressing button **E**, and **in models without buttons** by turning button **A** to position **SF**. After this period place fresh food in **the** freezing compartment. **In a NO FROST freezer model**, use the central drawer for freezing. Do not let already frozen packages touch fresh ones. NO FROST freezers require enough space under the ceiling for the circulation of cold air, so avoid storing the food above the marked level (see photo).
- After 24 hours you may move the food to **the storage compartment**, and repeat the freezing procedure if required.
You may also remove the drawers and store frozen food directly on the cooling shelves.
- For freezing smaller quantities of fresh food (1-2 kg), the engagement of the fast freeze function is not required.

Important precautions for freezing of fresh food

- ⚠ **You should only freeze food which is suitable for freezing and can sustain low temperatures. Food should be of adequate quality and fresh.**
- ⚠ **Select adequate packaging for each kind of food and pack it correctly.**
- ⚠ **The packaging should be air tight and well sealed without leaking since this could cause substantial vitamin loss and dehydration.**
- ⚠ **Mark packages with the following data: Type, kind and amount; and the date of placement.**
- ⚠ **It is imperative that food is frozen as quickly as possible. We therefore recommend that the size of the package is not too large and should be cooled before being placed into the freezer.**

⚠ The amount of the fresh foods that can be loaded in the freezer as a single load is declared on the rating plate. If the loaded amount is too large, the quality of freezing is reduced which in turn affects the quality of frozen foods.

Storing commercially frozen food

The storage time and recommended temperature for storing commercially frozen foods is indicated on the packaging. Always follow the manufacturer's instructions for storage and use of frozen food.

When shopping be careful to choose food which is adequately packed, provided with complete data and stored in freezers where the temperature never rises above -18°C .

Do not buy packages of food which are covered in frost. This indicates that the package was thawed before at least once.

Take care that packages don't start to thaw during the journey to your home. A temperature rise shortens the storage time and affects the quality of commercially frozen foods.

Approximate storage time of frozen foods

Food	Storage Period
Fruit, beef	from 10 to 12 months
Vegetables, veal, poultry	from 8 to 10 months
Venison	from 6 to 8 months
Pork	from 4 to 6 months
Chopped (minced) meat	4 months
Bread, pastry, TV-dinner, fat free fish	3 months
Intestines	2 months
Smoked sausages, fat fish	1 month

Defrosting frozen food

Partially thawed or defrosted foods should be used as soon as possible. Cold air preserves the food but it does not destroy microorganisms which rapidly activate after defrosting and make foods perishable. Partial defrosting reduces the nutritional value of food, especially fruits, vegetables and readymade meals.

Making ice



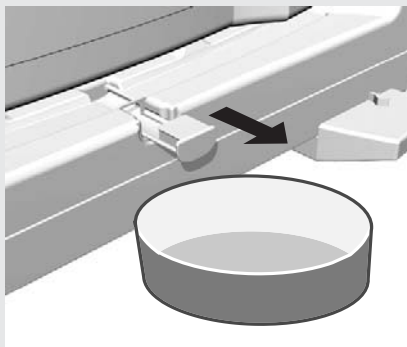
Remove the cap from the ice tray and fill it to the indicating mark with cold water or some other liquid, suitable for freezing. Close it and place it in the door shelf. The ice tray can produce 8 cubes. The period required for ice to form is 2-6 hours. It is recommended to make a quantity of ice, prior to the time that you require it. Ice cubes are discharged from the tray by turning the tray upside down and placing it under cold running water. Shake the tray, open the cover and pour the ice out. (CERTAIN MODELS ONLY).


Defrosting the appliance

Automatic defrosting of the refrigerator

The appliance needs no special defrosting procedure, because ice deposited at the inner back wall is defrosted automatically. Ice deposited on the inner back wall during the compressor operation is defrosted when the compressor stops operating, and condensed water drops are drained through the outlet in the inner back wall into the drain pan situated above the compressor where it evaporates. In case of excessive ice deposits at the inner rear wall of the refrigerator (3-5 mm), switch the appliance off by pressing the ON/OFF button and defrost it manually.

Defrosting traditional freezer

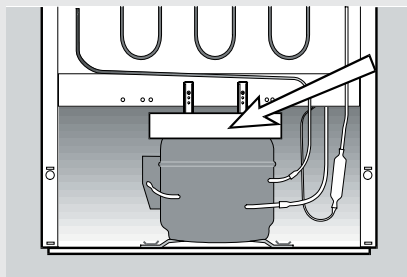
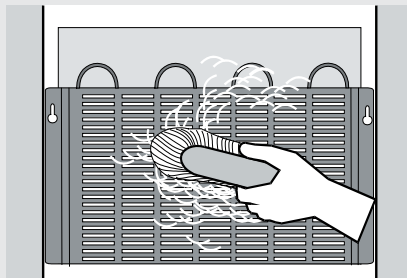


- Clean the freezer when the frost layer in the freezer reaches thickness of around 3-5 mm.
- 24 hours prior to defrosting fresh food activate the intensive freezing knob (see section Control of particular models - Intensive freezing), to quickly freeze freshly inserted food. After that empty the freezer and take care that the packages remain frozen.
- Switch the appliance off by turning the temperature selector (A) to mark 
- To drain the defrost water pull the funnel shaped groove at the bottom of the appliance out, and place a convenient vessel underneath to collect the defrost water.
- Never use powered appliances to defrost the freezer (hair dryer, etc.).
- Avoid using defrosting sprays, as they may cause damage to the plastic parts and may be hazardous to health.
- Clean the interior of the appliance and wipe it dry (see chapter Cleaning).
- Before reloading food into the freezer switch the appliance back on.
- Defrosting of a NO FROST freezer is automatic. You may occasionally get the appearance of a frost layer but eventually this will disappears automatically.

Defrosting a NO FROST freezer

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Cleaning



Prior to any cleaning attempt, disconnect the appliance from the mains (pull the plug out from the mains wall outlet). Special antibacterial protection in the top layer of the inner walls will prevent the multiplication of bacteria and helps to keep the interior clean and germ free. Make sure you remove any traces of the cleaning agents that you use.

- Clean the **exterior** of the appliance with warm water and liquid detergent.
- For cleaning of plastic, coated, or aluminum parts avoid using abrasive or special cleaning agents (like stainless steel polish), as these may damage the surface.
- Clean coated and aluminum surfaces should be cleaned using a soft cloth and alcohol based cleaning agent (like glass cleaner).
- Wash the **interior** of the appliance with liquid detergent and lukewarm water, mixed with a little vinegar.

The drain outlet located below the cooling panel on the rear wall collects the defrost drainage water, so it must not get clogged (with food particles, for example). Make sure you inspect it periodically and clean if necessary (use a plastic straw to free any debris).

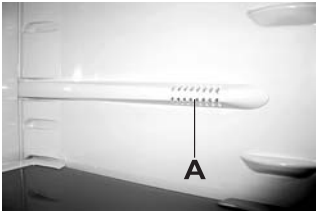
- The **condenser** on the rear wall must always be clean and free of dust or kitchen deposits, therefore clean the dust periodically with a non-metallic brush or vacuum cleaner.
- Clean the **drip pan** above the compressor. Ice or frost deposits exceeding 3-5 mm increase energy consumption, so you need to remove them regularly. This does not apply to NO FROST models.


Do not use sharp pointed objects, solvents or sprays during the cleaning or defrost process.

After cleaning, switch the appliance back on and reload it.

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Troubleshooting guide

Fault:	Cause/Remedy
The appliance does not operate after connection to the mains:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Check if there is power to the socket, and if the appliance is switched on.
Cooling system operates continuously without intermittent stoppages: 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The ambient temperature is too high. • Frequent opening of the door, door open too long. • Door not closed properly (there is a particle between the door gasket, a sagged door). Check gasket sealing, etc...). • An excessive quantity of fresh food inserted all at once. • Refrigerator sensor (A) is crammed with fresh food. Free the sensor and allow air to circulate around it. • Check air circulation for sufficient cooling of the compressor, and clean the condenser.
Excessive ice formation at the rear interior wall of the refrigerator:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Frequent opening of the door, door open too long. • Inserting hot food into the refrigerator. • Food or a dish is touching the rear interior panel of the refrigerator. • Bad door sealing; clean or replace the gasket if it is dirty or damaged.
Water dripping from the appliance:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The drain outlet is clogged, drain water drips past the collection groove. • Clean the clogged outlet using a plastic straw. • Thaw thick ice deposits manually (see chapter Defrosting).
Red light is flashing (freezer compartment only):	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Frequent opening of the door, door open too long. • Door not closed properly (a particle between the door gasket, a sagged door, a damaged gasket, etc...). • Excessively long power failure. • Excessive quantity of fresh food inserted all at once.

Fault:	Cause/Remedy
Difficult door opening:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If you attempt to open the door immediately after it has been closed. You may experience resistance. This happens because a certain quantity of cold air escapes from the appliance through the open door and is replaced by warm ambient air. Cooling of such air creates negative pressure (a vacuum) and suction, which prevents easy opening of the door. The situation is normalised after 5-10 minutes, and you can open the door with ease.
Bulb replacement: 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Before replacing the light bulb, disconnect the appliance from the power supply. Using a screwdriver remove the cover, replace the bulb with a new one (E 14, max.) The bulb must be of the same voltage as the factory one and fit back the cover. Don't forget: the old bulb does not belong to organic waste. The light bulb is a consumption material and is not covered by the warranty.
Green LED is flashing:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If the green LED is flashing, call the Baumatic service department.
Troubleshooting helpful hints:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If you are not able to fix a problem by any of the above tips, disconnect the power cord from the mains outlet, wait 10 minutes, and reconnect the appliance. In case trouble persists, contact the Baumatic Service Department, giving them the model and serial number of the appliance, this is written on the rating plate inside of the appliance.

Noise level

The refrigerator - freezer appliances are cooled by the refrigeration system with a compressor, whose operation will produce a certain noise level. The level of this noise depends upon the location, correct use and age of the appliance.

- **After starting the appliance**, the operation of the compressor (the refrigerant flow) may be somewhat louder. This does not mean that something is wrong with the appliance, neither has it any influence on the lifespan of the appliance. Gradually the noise will reduce and eventually subside.
- Sometimes the appliance produces **unusual and louder noises** which is rather unusual for the appliance. The noise is often the consequence of inadequate positioning of the appliance:
 - The appliance should be placed and leveled firmly on a solid base.
 - It should not touch the wall or adjacent kitchen units standing next to it.
 - Check whether the accessories in the interior of the appliance are placed correctly in their positions; also check the bottles, tins and other vessels that might touch each other and rattle.

THE MANUFACTURER RESERVES THE RIGHT TO ALTER THE SPECIFICATIONS WITH NO IMPACT TO THE FUNCTIONAL OPERATION OF THE APPLIANCE.

Baumatic Ltd. Conditions of Guarantee

Dear Customer,

Your new Baumatic appliance comes complete with a free 12 month guarantee covering both parts and labour costs resulting from defective materials or workmanship.

Baumatic also gives you the opportunity to automatically extend the guarantee period for a further 12 months at no extra cost, giving an initial guarantee period of 24 months. The extended guarantee period applies to England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland only.

To qualify for your full 24 months guarantee you **must** register your appliance within 28 days of purchase to be covered under this guarantee. This can be done online via: www.baumatic.co.uk or through returning the guarantee card which can be found in each new Baumatic appliance.

* In addition, your appliance is covered by a 5 year parts warranty. Baumatic Ltd will provide free of charge the parts required to repair the appliance, only if they are fitted by a Baumatic engineer, for any defect that arises due to faulty materials or workmanship within a period of 5 years from the original purchase date.

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Should any person other than an authorised representative of Baumatic Ltd interfere with the appliance, the policy is negated and Baumatic Ltd will be under no further liability.

The guarantee covers the appliance for normal domestic use only, unless otherwise stated.

Any claims made under the terms of the guarantee must be supported by the original invoice/bill of sale issued at the time of purchase.

This guarantee is transferable only with the written consent of Baumatic Ltd.

If the appliance fails and is considered either not repairable or uneconomical to repair during the manufacturer warranty period, a free of charge replacement will not be offered.

The guarantee for any replacement will only be for the remainder of the guarantee on the original product purchased.

The guarantee does not cover:

- Sinks and taps
- Failure to comply with the manufacturers instructions for use.
- The replacement of cosmetic components of accessories
- Accidental damage or wilful abuse.
- Subsequent loss or damage owing to the failure of the appliance or electrical supply
- Incorrect installation
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- Filters, fuses, light bulbs, external hoses, damage to bodywork, paintwork, plastic items, covers, baskets, trays, shelves, burner bases, burner caps, decals, corrosion, rubber seals.

In the course of the work carried out it may be necessary to remove the appliance from it operating position. Whilst all reasonable care will be taken, Baumatic Ltd cannot accept responsibility for damage sustained to any property whatsoever in this process.

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